



Suicide Prevention Symposium

Thursday, September 11, 2014

12:00 to 4:30 pm

12:00: Registration and Lunch

12:30-1:45: From Suicide to Hope

A suicide attempt survivor shares his experience with mental illness, suicide, recovery, and hope.

Presenter: Erik Meininger

2:00-3:15: Means Matters: Suicide, Guns and Public Health

Most efforts to prevent suicide focus on *why* people take their lives. But as we understand more about *who* attempts suicide and *when, where, and why*, it becomes increasingly clear that *how* a person attempts—the means they use—plays a key role in whether they live or die.

Presenter: Edgar Wiggins, MPH

3:30-4:30: Survivors of Suicide Loss: A Panel Discussion

Panelists will share their personal stories of losing a loved one to suicide, followed by questions from the audience.

Panelists: Sue Holko, Monica Schneider Tristan, and Bryn Adams. Moderator: Nicole DeChirico

COST: \$25

Includes: 3.5 Category 1 CEUs for social workers and light lunch

❖ **Registration Required:** Please complete the attached registration form with payment information. For questions contact: Tamara at tamara@grassrootscrisis.org or 410-531-6006.

❖ **LOCATION:**

Robinson Nature Center

Auditorium

6692 Cedar Lane

Columbia, MD 21044

410.313.0400

Grassroots Suicide Prevention Symposium Registration Form

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