

Delgado
COMMUNITY COLLEGE
EMERGENCY PLAN
for
SUICIDE

Suicide Threat

- Consider any reference to suicide as serious.
- Do not leave the suicidal person alone.
- Notify the appropriate counselor or college official designated to serve as suicide prevention staff, and the building administrator immediately.
- Stay with the person until suicide intervention staff arrives.
- Do not allow the person to leave college without appropriate adult supervision.

Suicide Attempt in College

- Notify building administrator, paramedic, nurse or other appropriate professional staff.
- Notify Campus Police at 504-671-6111.
- **Call 911** if the person needs medical attention, has a weapon, needs to be restrained or next of kin/emergency contact cannot be reached.
- Try to calm the suicidal person.
- Stay with the suicidal person until suicide intervention staff arrives.
- Isolate the suicidal person or the area, if possible.
- Initiate first aid.
- Do not allow the person to leave college without appropriate adult supervision.

Building Administrator

- Call parent, guardian, or next of kin/emergency contact if the suicidal person is a student. Call next of kin/emergency contact if suicidal person is an employee.
- Notify Chancellor's office or appropriate college level administrator.
- Work with College Office of Public Affairs and Information.
- Implement [Post-Crisis Intervention Procedures](#).