

April 9, 2015

CESA #4 923 East Garland Street West Salem, WI 54669 Site Phone (608) 786-4800 **Contact:** Carol Zabel, CESA #10 (715) 720-2145 czabel@cesa10.org

FYI—Additional events offered in Portage and Shorewood (Not sponsored by WISH Center)

■ February 19, 2015 CESA #5 626 East Slifer Street Portage, WI 53901 Site Phone: (608) 745-5400 For more information contact: Heather Fish, CESA #5 (608) 745-5490 fishh@cesa5.org

■ February 25, 2015 Shorewood School District Area For more information contact: Julie Wells (414) 963-6951 x6308 jwells@shorewood.k12.wi.us



School-Based Suicide Prevention Training

CESA #4—April 9, 2015; 8:30 am-3:30 pm (Registration 8:00-8:30 am)

Among Wisconsin youth, suicide is the second leading cause of death and accounts for almost 1 in 5 of all deaths. State law requires school districts to provide specific classroom instruction in youth suicide prevention and to annually notify staff about the Department of Public Instruction's resources.

The workshop helps participants understand the scope of youth suicide and what schools can do to reduce suicidal acts and thoughts among students. Participants learn about the prevalence of youth suicide, risk and protective factors, comprehensive prevention programs, and crisis intervention.

This workshop is not intended to train all school staff, but prepares teams of pupil services staff, health educators, and administrators to plan, prevent, and intervene at their schools. Action planning is integrated into all phases of the training program. A model workshop for all school staff is provided. **Attendees are encouraged to bring their suicide crisis response plans for discussion and revision.**

Participants will:

- Understand the prevalence of youth suicide
- Discuss legal requirements
- Gain knowledge and skills to improve classroom instruction at the middle and high school level
- Create a local action plan based on a 3-tiered prevention and intervention model to reduce suicide among youth

Presented by: WI DPI Educational Consultants

Audience:

Pupil Services staff, Health educators, Administrators, and others concerned about youth suicide

Cost: \$50.00 per person—School teams are encouraged Includes Continental Breakfast, Lunch, and Snack

SEND PAYMENT TO: CESA #4 Event Only

923 East Garland Street, West Salem, WI 54669 ATTN: Mary Devine—PLEASE include and clearly define: Participant name, exact name of workshop, and date, with all checks or purchase orders. Thank you!

Online Registration:

April 9, 2015—CESA #4 (West Salem): <u>http://www.myquickreg.com/event/event.cfm?eventid=11645</u>

February 19, 2015—CESA #5 (Portage): http://www.myguickreg.com/event/event.cfm?eventid=11074

Registration Information (for CESA #4 ONLY):

Contact Mary Devine at CESA #4 <u>mdevine@cesa4.k12.wi.us</u> (800) 514-3075

> See the DPI website for more info: http://sspw.dpi.wi.gov/sspw_spworkshop