



145th Airlift Wing Suicide Prevention



Outreach

Initiatives and Events

- Yellow Ribbon Events
- Gate Marquee phrases
- Empty Table
- Crisis Intervention cards distributed

Effect

- Airmen see the prevention message in multiple formats, in addition to annual training

3 Successful Mitigations

Keys to success

- Interdisciplinary response (Chaplain, Medical, DPH, SARC)
- Early Intervention
- ACE: Wingman Concept

Success Stories

- Airman presented to SARC, warm handoff to DPH

Training

For All Airmen: Green Dot

- Applies bystander intervention skills learned in previous SAPR training to suicide prevention
- Satisfies both SAPR and SP Annual Training requirement, reducing total training time.

For Key Personnel: ASIST

- Chaplain, DPH, Med personnel, half of SAPR VAs are trained

Assistance Needed

Challenges:

- Limited Manning/funding for ASIST trainer at the wing
- Training opportunities with other units for ASIST are limited

Recommended Approach:

- ASIST mandatory for key personnel, first responders

