



Magellan Behavioral Health of Pennsylvania, Inc. (Magellan) invites you to attend a  
**FREE online interactive live CE webinar:**

## **PART 1: BEST PRACTICES IN SUICIDE RISK REDUCTION – ASSESSMENT & CRISIS PLANNING**

This workshop is a skill building opportunity to help staff increase their knowledge of suicide risk and ability to understand and implement risk assessments and safety plans.

**Date:** Thursday, March 23, 2023

**Time:** 1:00 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.

**Location:** Zoom

### **System**

**Requirements:** A device with internet connection and speakers to participate in live, interactive webinar.

**Cost:** **Free of Charge** - Registration is required.

**Registration:** [Register here](#)

**After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.**

### **Presenter:**

#### **John Siegler, Psy.D., Magellan Behavioral Health of Pennsylvania**

Dr. Siegler provides consultation to the care management team, reviews of community-based service requests, and supports children's service providers striving to provide effective and accountable treatment services to the individuals and families they serve. Dr. Siegler has extensive experience providing consultation services in educational, psychiatric, and forensic settings. He has provided staff training to behavioral health providers on a variety of topics related to clinical excellence and clinical accountability. Prior to joining Magellan, Dr. Siegler has held clinical leadership positions in psychiatric inpatient, psychiatric residential treatment, extended acute care, intensive behavioral health services and outpatient settings.

### **Presenters' Disclosure:**

John Siegler, Psy.D. has no relevant financial relationship commercial interest that could be reasonably construed as a conflict of interest.

**Continuing Education:** CE clock hours are approved for counselors, social workers, and professionals certified by the Pennsylvania Certification Board.

**Target Audience:** This activity is targeted for clinicians, support professionals and all systems partners. Additionally, this activity is targeted for intermediate skill level professionals, counselors, and social workers. The counselor skill group for addiction professionals is case management.

**Training Goal:** The goal of this presentation is to provide increased understanding and implementation of suicide risk assessments and safety plans.

### **Learning Objectives:**

At the conclusion of the training, participants will be able to:

- Describe the benefit of being prepared to assess suicide risk
- Outline ethical considerations: duty of care & standard of care
- Apply psychological factors associated with suicide risk
- Identify elements of evidence-based suicide risk assessments
- Explain risk assessments that support clinical decision making
- Relate elements of safety planning

### **Course Outline:**

- Preparation in assessment of suicide risk
- Ethical considerations
- Psychological factors associated with suicide risk
- Evidence-based suicide risk assessments
- Risk assessments that support clinical decision making
- Safety planning

### **Agenda:**

1:00 P.M. – 1:05 P.M. - Welcome & Introductions

1:05 P.M. – 2:20 P.M. – Best Practices in Suicide Risk Reduction

2:20 P.M. – 2:30 P.M. – Q&A

### **Eligible CE Clock Hours (1.5)**

Upon request, all other health care professionals completing this event will be issued a certificate of participation. For information on applicability and acceptance of CE credit for this activity, please contact your professional licensing board. Please note that discussion questions will be embedded within the course content and will act as an alternative to a post-test. All participants are encouraged to contribute to these discussions.

### **How to Obtain CE Clock Hours**

To obtain CE clock hours you must attend the live webinar in its entirety and complete the course CE evaluation via a web link to be given after the conclusion of the course. Upon completing the course requirements, you will be issued a certificate. Partial attendance is not accepted. After completion of course requirements, a certificate will be issued via online to download or print.

If you have questions about the course requirements or CE clock hours, contact:

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### **CE Approval Statements**

Magellan Health, Inc. has been approved by NBCC as an Approved Continuing Education Provider, ACEP No. 6233. Programs that do not qualify for NBCC credit are clearly identified. Magellan Health is solely responsible for all aspects of the program.

Magellan Health, Inc. provider #91099. This course has been approved by Magellan Health as a NAADAC Approved Education Provider for educational credits. NAADAC Provider #91099, Magellan Health is responsible for all aspects of their programming.

Magellan Health, Inc., provider #1127, is approved as an ACE provider to offer social work continuing education by the Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB) Approved Continuing Education (ACE) program. Regulatory boards are the final authority on courses accepted for continuing education credit. ACE provider approval period: February 6, 2021-February 6, 2024. Social workers completing this course receive 1.5 clinical continuing education credits.

Magellan Health, Inc. is a Pennsylvania Certification Board Approved Education Provider. This training has been approved by PCB for 1.5 credit hours.

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### **Commercial Support**

Magellan Health did not receive any commercial support for this continuing education programs. If you have questions or would like additional information regarding the content or level of this activity, the speaker's potential or known conflicts of interest, activities not offered for CE credit, and/or technical assistance, contact:

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### **Requesting Special Accommodations**

Magellan Health will make reasonable accommodations for participants with physical, visual, or hearing impairments. To arrange appropriate access accommodations, contact:

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### **Complaints and Grievances**

To express a complaint or grievance, contact:

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### **Continuing Education Policy and FAQs**

Contact Magellan/CE Administrator at [ce@magellanhealth.com](mailto:ce@magellanhealth.com) to request a copy of the Continuing Education Policy and FAQs.