

Integrated Day Charter School
Governing Board



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Students

Suicide Prevention

The Board recognizes that suicide is a complex issue and that, while the school may recognize potentially suicidal youth, it cannot make clinical assessment of risk and provide in-depth counseling, but must refer the youth to an appropriate place for such assessment and counseling.

Any school employee who may have knowledge of a suicide threat must take the proper steps to report this information to the director or his/her designee who will, in turn, notify the appropriate school officials, the student's family and appropriate resource services.

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes
PA 89-168 Child Abuse and the Prevention of Youth Suicide