

Bridging the Divide: Suicide Awareness and Prevention Summit

Proposal Presentation Submission

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Presenter Letter of Agreement

1. I agree to present the content as outlined in proposal to Bridging the Divide.
2. I agree to comply with all program-related deadlines provided to me, including but not limited to: deadline for handouts, electronic version of presentation, AV., etc.
3. During my presentation, I will not engage in any type of promotional marketing or selling of any product or service.
4. If my presentation is accepted, I agree to notify conference program chair in the event that I am not able to present due to an emergency.
5. To the best of my knowledge, my presentation does not violate any proprietary or personal, copyright, trademark, privacy or any other rights, and is factually accurate.
6. I authorize Bridging the Divide to use my name, likeness, photography, and biographical data in connection with the use and promotion of the program.
7. I provide consent to record my presentation, in audio and/or visual form. I understand that Bridging the Divide will be the sole copyright owner of the recording, and can distribute it along with any supporting materials.
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9. I will be responsible for all travel arrangements, and expenses that I incur. I understand that I will not receive royalties, honoraria, reimbursement of expenses, or other compensation in connection with the program or rights granted above.
10. I understand that in order to present at the conference, I must be a paid registered attendee.
11. I understand that I may be asked to combine my presentation with another presenter on like subject matter in attempt to accommodate presenters speaking on similar topics.

By signing this Presenter Letter of Agreement, and based on mutual consideration, I understand and agree to the above terms and conditions. Presenter Signature:



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1. Title: Suicide Management in the Workplace
2. Panel Organizer and Presenter: Robert A. Mines, Ph.D., Chairman and Psychologist, MINES and Associates
3. Presenter Two: James D. Redigan, LPC, Clinical Case Manager, MINES and Associates
Present Three: Ashley N. Wiggins, MSW, Account Management, MINES and Associates.
4. H. Other: MINES is a national business psychology firm whose health psychology division (EAP, Managed Behavioral Healthcare, Wellness and over 21,000 locations in a Behavioral Health Specialty PPO) assists organizations and human resources personnel with suicide in the workplace situations.
5. C: Prevention Efforts, Advanced
6. This topic has not been presented before by MINES. We have presented on a number of mental health issues in the workplace such as depression, ADA/FMLA and mental health, opioid epidemic, co-morbid mental health and physical health issues and others.
7. Never presented at a Bridging the Divide Summit. Have previously presented at numerous International and National conferences.
8. Education Objectives:
 - A. The participants will be able to identify signs and symptoms of an employee who may be considering suicide.
 - B. The participants should be able to identify resources in their workplace to assist them in managing a suicidal employee.
 - C. The participants should be able to develop a plan for process groups of employees who were close to an employee who killed themselves.
9. Abstract:

The conference theme is Join the Movement: Aspiring Toward Zero Suicide in Colorado. This presentation addresses specific prevention, intervention case scenarios and resources for human resource personnel and managers when faced with an employee who may be considering suicide, has actively engaged in suicidal behavior at work or has taken their own life. Most of our experience over the last 36 years in this arena has been preventive or interventional and thus relates to Track 5-C, advanced. The presentation reviews specific case scenarios (identifying information removed and the circumstances changed to protect confidentiality while still illustrating the clinical issues and considerations) and discusses the issues, interventions and outcomes related to the cases. The audience will be asked to provide their perspective on the cases or provide additional case scenarios for discussion. The educational objectives will be met through case scenario review illustrating the educational objective and providing the take away information for the participant.