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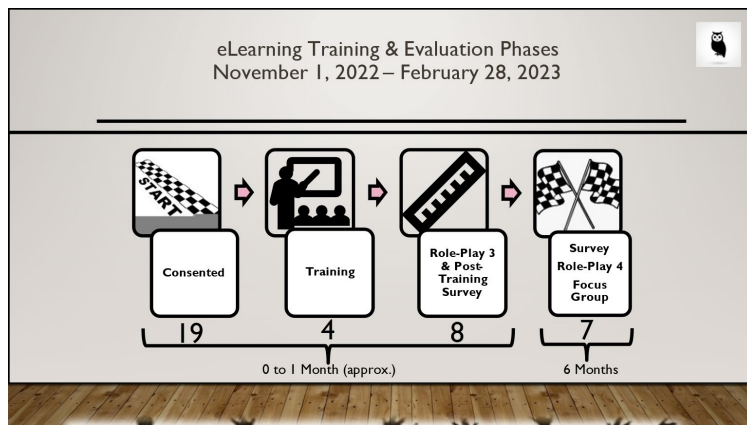
Happy 2023 From Our Team!

WISE NEWS

eLearning Evaluation – Updates

We are nearing the end of our evaluation of an eLearning training in suicide safety planning with acute and intensive care nurses. We are immensely grateful to our participants. We miss you already and will be staying in touch with more updates!

Number of nurses who have completed the study phases:



For participants

We are setting up our final focus groups for nurses in the study – we have one already on 2/16/23 at 11am. We welcome those who haven't yet joined us for a 6-month focus group – please send us an email if you can make it on the 16th or to help us find another date/time.

- ✓ Do you have additional questions about how to do suicide safety planning?
- ✓ Would you like confidential feedback on one of your role-plays?

If yes, send us an email or scan the QR code



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C-SSRS Screening Study



We are amidst our study funded by the Department of Psychiatry and in partnership with Data QUEST at ITHS: [Suicide Risk Screening in Acute and Intensive Care at a Level 1 Trauma Center](#)

The study captures population-level electronic health record data on suicide screening rates and outcomes among medically hospitalized patients at Harborview. We are also conducting focus groups with HMC nurses who do this screening and **will be recruiting acute care inpatient nurses** for 1-hour virtual focus groups in February/March. Look out for our flyer or send us an email for more information!

New Manuscript Under Review



Our manuscript, *Acute and intensive care nurses' perspectives on suicide prevention with medically hospitalized patients: Exploring barriers, facilitators, interests, and training opportunities*, is under review at the [Journal of Advanced Nursing](#)! Thank you to everyone who participated in the focus groups and contributed to our research!!

Research Presentation Accepted



We will be presenting at the FREE, VIRTUAL EVENT: [Suicide Research Symposium \(SRS\)](#) scheduled online April 26-28, 2023. Our presentation, *Opportunities and considerations for the role of acute and intensive care nurses in suicide prevention*, will showcase initial findings from our eLearning evaluation of suicide safety planning. See the SRS website for details – and for other presentations you might like to attend!

In Other News



[An analysis by the Kaiser Family Foundation](#) finds that implementation of the new 988 three-digit dialing code has brought more calls and texts to the national [Suicide and Crisis Lifeline](#).



The [American Association of Suicidology Annual Conference](#) will be held April 19 – 22, 2023 in **Portland, OR** bringing together the Suicidology community; including clinicians, researchers, attempt survivors, crisis service professionals, public health and government officials and more.

Keep in Touch!

If your contact information has changed, please let us know at projectwise@uw.edu.



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Continuing thanks to the HMC Nursing Clinical Inquiry Council for their guidance