Some of us are hanging by a thread.



Suicide Prevention for Young People

(Under 25 Years, Child, Adolescent and Young Adult People)

Possibilities and Challenges

Supported by the **Hungarian Psychiatric Association**, the **Scottish Choose Life Program**, the **World Psychiatric Association** and the **French Institute**, organized by the "Home in the Soul" Foundation

International interprofessional conference in Budapest, Hungary, October 19-21, 2012.

Location: French Institute, 1011 Budapest, Fő u. 17.

for the following professions:

- psychiatrists, psychologists,
- nurses, social workers,
- teachers,
- police guards,
- ambulance experts,
- media personalities

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On the conference there will be lectures and workshops. There will be different sections.

- Psychiatry and pediatric psychiatry and the environment. How can the position of psychiatry be strengthened in prevention? How can/should psychiatry co-operate with the psychologists, teachers, volunteers, police, churches, and other staff?
- Psychiatry: Depression, Anxiety and Suicide. Early intervention in schizophrenia for suicide prevention Section for psychiatrists, pediatric psychiatrists.
- Survivor organizations. Tasks and possibilities. How to help the survivors? How to help the parents, how to help the family? Possibilities of students and teachers?
- School violence and suicidology (Alienation, Revenge, Redemption). How can the teacher, the psychologist, the social worker, psychiatrist act to promote the health and well being of the pupil/student,) How can the experts and helpers co-operate for prevention. Parents Teacher Pupil/student Psychologists. Different levels different interventions?
- Contemporary volunteers. How to train contemporary volunteers? How can children help other children?
- Internet: possibilities and hazards. Risk and possibilities. How do Internet help lines work? What is the difference between internet help lines and telephone help lines?
- Media: How can film and radio help? How to create a useful spot for prevention? Does it really help?
 - How could media guidelines help? How can media workers be persuaded to follow the guidelines?
- National Prevention Programs: How to help? Who can help?
 - Community based educational programs
 - ⇒ Police-Ambulance-Firehouse. Help and be helped
 - Churches and suicide prevention
 - Addiction and suicide behaviour
 - Help line organizations: experiences and challenges.

Preliminary program

Alana Atkinson: Good practice guide on Supporting People Bereaved by Suicide aimed at First & Second Responders and their employing organisations.

Choose Life: Good practice guide on Suicide Prevention in Rural Areas.

Ella Arensman: E-mental health and guided internet-based self-management interventions for young people with mild to moderate depression.

Maurizio Pompili: Suicide in children and adolescents: longitudinal comparison with other causes and preventive measures.

Philipe Courtet: Suicidal behaviour in mood disorders and their treatment.

Zoltan Rihmer: Depression, suicide and suicide prevention in Hungary.

Registration and the e-mail address of the abstracts: info@lelekbenotthon.hu
Deadline of the abstract: 10th September
Registration fee: 10.000 HUF + VAT

For students: 1000 HUF + VAT



