

At-Risk for High School Educators

At-Risk for High School Educators is an interactive role-play simulation for high school educators that builds awareness, knowledge, and skills about mental health and suicide prevention, and prepares users to lead real-life conversations with students that build resilience, strengthen relationships, and connect them with support.

Learning Objectives

- ✓ Increase knowledge and awareness about teen mental health and suicide
- ✓ Identify warning signs of psychological distress and self-harm
- Build skills in leading conversations with students in distress, discuss concerns, build resilience, and increase connectedness
- Assess the need for referral, motivate a student to seek help, and make a warm hand-off to support
- Understand your school's specific support services and availability



Learners interact with Virtual Humans through interactive conversations



Market
PK-12 and
Government/Non-Profit



Audience Educator



TopicMental Health & Well-being and Suicide Prevention



Duration 60 Minutes



Overview

Educators are in an ideal position to engage in early intervention and prevention of mental health issues. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 13–20% of children living in the U.S. experience a mental disorder in a given year, and suicide is the second-leading cause of death among children ages 15–24.



Adopted by more than 8,000 schools and districts nationally, this evidence-based online, CE-certified solution quickly and cost-effectively drives sustainable changes in educator behavior that support student wellness, academic performance, attendance, and school safety. Users have access to customized national, local, and school-specific resources in addition to simulation content.

Features

- ✓ Fully-hosted solution deployed to users in less than one week
- ✓ Technical assistance and outreach templates to drive adoption
- ✓ Usage reports and customizable online surveys to support program evaluation
- ✓ Customizable list of local and national mental health resources
- ✓ Discussion guides to support blended delivery with in-person workshops

"The scenarios were realistic and very similar to conversations that I have had with students. I appreciated the comments of the virtual coach."

- High School Teacher, provided by Minnesota Dept. of Health



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