Project Life Force

ENTIRE STUDY CAN BE COMPLETED REMOTELY!

Participants will be randomly assigned to one of the study arms:

PROJECT LIFE FORCE (PLF) is a manualized, 90-minute group therapy for 10 sessions, lasting 3 months.

 Combines psychoeducation and emotion regulation skills with suicide safety planning development and implementation. Hopes to increase social support.

Treatment as Usual (TAU) does not include the group therapy, which is the only difference between the two study arms.

 Number of individual mental health appointments, Suicide Prevention Coordinators (SPC) outreach contacts, and usage patterns of safety plans will be tracked.

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Payment for participants is \$75 for the four surveys. \$300 total!

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Qualitative Feedback on the PLF Pilot:

More Effective Use of Safety Plan

"Going through each step in depth makes it a living document, instead of just filling it out on the fly and never using it."



Hope/Improved Depressive and Suicidal Feelings

"I wake up wanting to live now."

Increased Connection & Sense of Belongingness. Lessened Loneliness

"To actually connect with my brothers in this fight was powerful. It's another battle we are facing."

