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Care Planning for Suicidal Threats, Self-Harming Behaviors and Other Urgent Behavioral Health Concerns

Friday, April 17, 2020 | 11:30 a.m.-noon PT | 12:30-1 p.m. MT

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Most administrators and nursing staff members are not trained to intervene when a resident is expressing suicidal intent or demanding transport to the hospital because of symptoms related to PTSD, anxiety or other behavioral health concerns. A call to 911 and transport to the emergency room becomes the only option in the absence of clear care plan approaches. This session defines emergent vs. non-emergent mental health concerns, offers a variety of staff training and care plan strategies for residents with recurrent behavioral health emergencies, and identifies strategies for working with community mental health treatment partners.

About the Presenter



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