

Coalition Worksheet for Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force

Please complete as much as possible and submit to Crystal.Moe@ag.ks.gov

Name of your organization:	Dodge City High School TALC (Talk, Acknowledge, Listen, Care) Yellow Ribbon Student Group
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Purpose of your organization:	https://docs.google.com/document/d/1OEFMadh9fgz0uWaqf48Bso7I8ETzpc0mZBZTdiWibmU/edit?usp=sharing DCHS TALC Student Leaders attending today to help with the presentation: Katherine Greenleaf, Citlali Real, Lorenz Looney
What efforts have proven to be successful in your purpose to address youth suicide:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Ss at DCHS feel there are numerous opportunities to get involved. Variety of clubs, sports, and activities. 2) All USD 443 Staff is trained in suicide prevention. 3) A lot of support during postvention-mental health, Ford County Coalition Members, Hospice/Grief, .youth pastors from all denominations.
What hurdles have you experienced and/or lessons learned through your efforts:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Students feel there is plenty of awareness in our school, but what is the next step? More peer training is needed. 2) Student involvement-after a completion, many say they want to help, but few follow up or show up to meetings or attend trainings 3) Other than offer the Yellow Ribbon Card or retweeting the life line, students feel they need help getting out resources in a personal connection. How to make DCHS TALC known. 4) Help students see that their language matters. They see signs so much on social media, that it becomes a norm. They just scroll past it. 5) Parents and the community do not come to trainings, even when offered in Spanish.

Recommendations or suggestions for the task force to consider:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) State Mandated and funded student prevention training using evidence-based materials.2) Help us get parents/community involved in trainings and events.3) Safe2Tell-we greatly need something very similar.
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Thank you!