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NOTICE OF INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING

DATE:

Thursday, April 5, 2012

TIME:

2:30-3:30 pm

PLACE:

Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

Recent data confirm that every 2 days, someone in Hawaii dies from suicide. The purpose of this informational briefing is to bring awareness to this important public health issue. In addition, presentations will include information on how everyone in the community can play a role in suicide prevention — most importantly, knowing the warning signs of suicide, how to talk to a loved one who may be suicidal, and how to connect them to appropriate help/resources.

The following organizations have been invited to participate in this briefing:

- Department of Health
- Prevent Suicide Hawaii Task Force
- · University of Hawaii, John A. Burns School of Medicine
- Mental Health America of Hawaii
- Community representative of suicide survivors (those who have lost a loved one to suicide)

No Public Testimony will be accepted. Click here to review presentation materials.

If you or someone you know needs help:

- Department of Health's Access Line 832-3100 (Oahu) or 1-800-753-6879 (Neighbor Islands)
- National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 1-800-273-TALK (8255)

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