

SUICIDE IDEATION DEFINITIONS AND PROMPTS:

Ask questions that are bolded and underlined. The remaining information is for staff only.

Yes No

Ask questions 1 and 2

1) Wish to be Dead:

Person endorses thoughts about a wish to be dead or not alive anymore, or wish to fall asleep and not wake up.

In the past week, have you wished you were dead, or wished you could go to sleep and not wake up?

2) Suicidal Thoughts:

General non-specific thoughts of wanting to end one's life/commit suicide, "I've thought about killing myself" without general thoughts of ways to kill oneself/associated methods, intent or plan.

In the past week, have you had any actual thoughts of killing yourself?

If YES to 2: Ask Question 3.

3) Suicidal Thoughts with method (without Specific Plan or Intent to Act):

Person endorses thoughts of suicide and has thought of at least one method during the assessment period.

This is different than a specific plan with time, place, or method details worked out. "I thought about taking an overdose but I never made a specific plan as to when, where, or how I would actually do it...and I would never go through with it."

In the past week, have you been thinking about how you might do this?

If NO to 2 or NO to 3, skip to Question 6 and stop there

If YES to Question 3, ask Question 4 and 5, Do NOT ask Question 6

4) Suicidal Intent (without specific plan):

Active suicidal thoughts of killing oneself and patient reports having some intent to act on such thoughts, as opposed to "I have the thoughts but I definitely will not do anything about them."

In the past week, have you had these thoughts and had some intention of acting on them?

5) Suicidal Intent With Specific Plan:

Thoughts of killing oneself with details of plan fully or partially worked out, and person has some intent to carry it out.

In the past week, have you started to work out or worked out the details of how to kill yourself? Do you intend to carry out this plan?

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6) Suicide Behavior Question:

Have you ever done anything, started to do anything, or prepared to do anything with any intent to die?

Examples: Attempt: Took pills, shot self, cut self, jumped from a tall place; Preparation: Collecting pills, getting a gun, giving valuables away, writing a suicide or goodbye note, etc.)

If YES, ask: How long ago did you do any of these?

☐ More than a year ago? ☐ Between a week and a year ago? ☐ Within the last week?

II. TRHMC Response Protocol to C-SSRS Screening (Linked to last item answered YES)

Item 1 - Mental Health Referral at Discharge

Item 2 - Mental Health Referral at Discharge

Item 3 - Care Team Consult (Psychiatric Nurse) and Patient Safety Monitor/Procedures

Item 4 - Psychiatric Consultation and Patient Safety Monitor/Procedures

Item 5 - Psychiatric Consultation and Patient Safety Monitor/Procedures

Item 6 - If more than a year ago, Mental Health Referral at discharge

If between 1 week and 1 year ago - Care Team Consult (Psychiatric Nurse) and Patient Safety Monitor

If one week ago or less - Psychiatric Consultation and Patient Safety Monitor

Disposition: ☐ Mental Health Referral at discharge

☐ Care Team Consult (Psychiatric Nurse) and Patient Safety monitor/Procedures

☐ Psychiatric Consultation and Patient Safety Monitor/Procedures

If reassessment, please identify the stressors since initial C-SSRS assessment. If none, please write NONE in box.

Signature of Nurse/Person Completing Form

Date

Time

Printed Name of Nurse/Person Completing Form

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