



INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION

SUICIDE PREVENTION IN DIFFERENT CULTURES

PUBLIC MEETING, ROOM 7, UNITED NATIONS
1st Ave & E 44th St New York, NY 10017

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 10TH 2009 10am – 11.30am

Welcome Dr Werner Obermeyer, World Health Organization

Professor Brian Mishara, President, International Association for Suicide Prevention
"Suicide Prevention: International Efforts and Cultural Themes"

Dr Jorge J. Rodriguez, Pan American Health Organization/World Health Organization
"Mental Health Services and Suicide in the Americas"

Dr Donna Barnes, President, National Organization for People of Color against Suicide
"Suicide Prevention: Specific Interventions for Culturally Diverse Populations"

Dr Gregory Luke Larkin, Professor, Vice Chair, Global Health and Faculty Development,
Department of Emergency Medicine, Yale
"Suicide Related Visits to Emergency Departments around the World"

Dr John Draper, Project Director National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
"Telephone Helpline Services: Cultural Differences"

Joanne Harpel, Director of Survivor Initiatives, American Foundation for Suicide Prevention
"Suicide Bereavement 101: The Survivor Experience"

Dr Jerry Reed, Director, Center for the Study and Prevention of Injury, Violence, and Suicide
Director, Suicide Prevention Resource Center
"Suicide and the Elderly: A Global Perspective"

Dr Annette Beautrais, Yale, and the University of Otago, New Zealand
"Considering Culture in Preventing Suicide"

EVERYONE WELCOME

For security purposes we need, in advance, a list of people who will attend; names will be checked when you arrive at the UN Visitors' Entrance.

*If you plan to attend please email the General Secretary of IASP - Dr Annette Beautrais
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so your name may be added to the list of attendees.