

Behavioral Health

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Key Actions		Timeline	Responsible Partners	Dedicated Resources	Accomplishments
2.2.A	Provide training and information to firearm owners and sellers about identifying suicide risk, promoting safe storage, and removing access to lethal means for those at-risk.	04/2019 - 12/2023	Lethal Means - Firearms Subcommittee	VDBHDS \$5,000 09/2018 - 08/2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implemented Lock and Talk throughout Fairfax County with free dissemination of gun locks at 20 locations.
2.2.B	Promote safety planning to providers and families in behavioral health care settings for individuals at risk of suicide.	01/2019 - 12/2023	Healthy Minds Fairfax/ Training Consortium	None identified	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trained 307 behavioral health providers in the Family Intervention for Suicide Prevention (FISP) and 160 providers in Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy Core Competencies (CCBTCC) for suicide prevention and mental health treatment which includes safety planning.