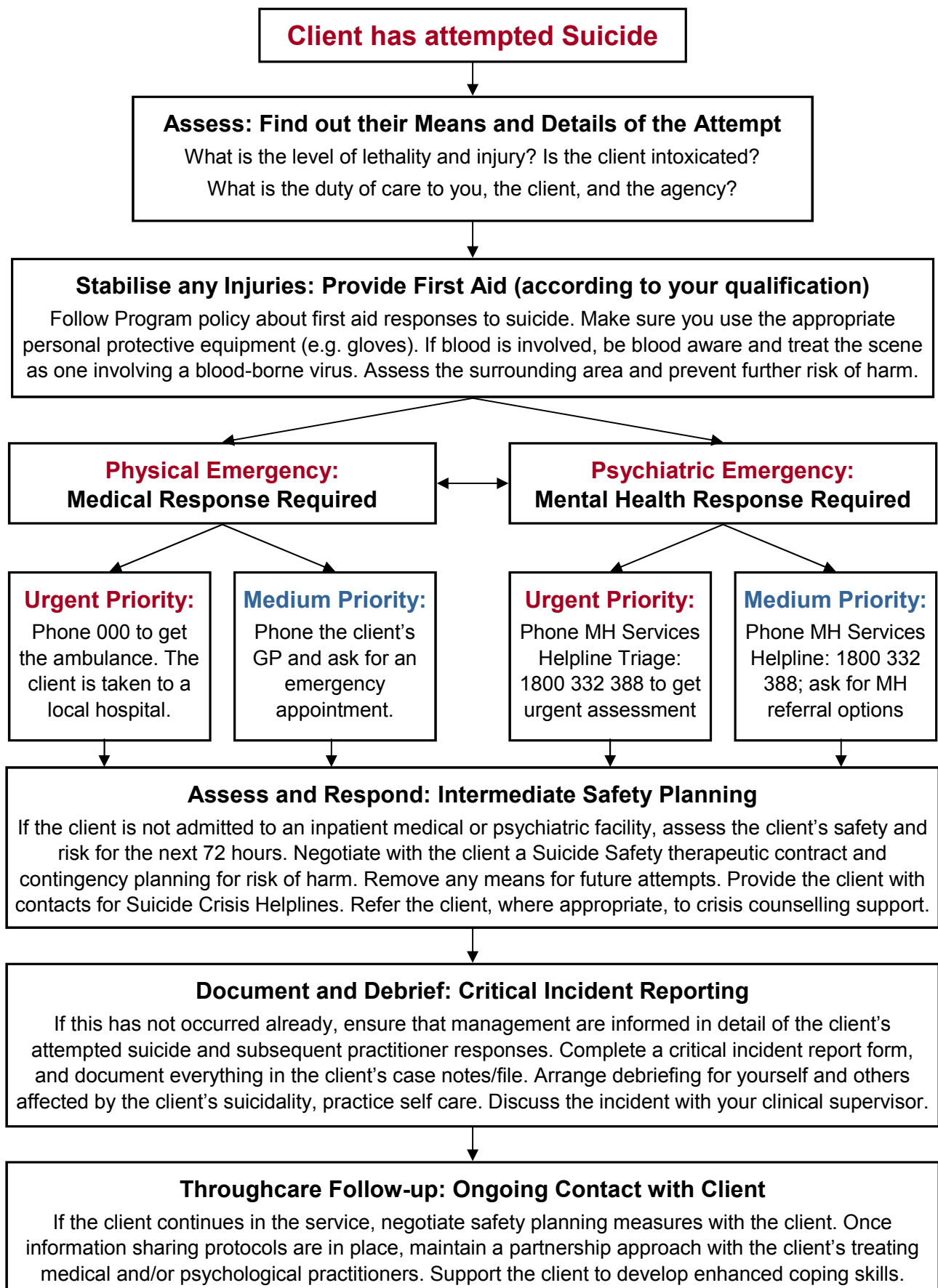


Alcohol & Other Drugs Practitioner Protocols for Attempted Suicide & Risk Assessment

A Resource from the Comorbidity Improved Services Project, School of Sociology & Social Work at the University of Tasmania and the Salvation Army Bridge Program.





Suicide Prevention Emergency Contacts & Potential Referral Options

Emergency Services: Phone 000

Ambulance, Police, or Fire Brigade

Mental Health Services Helpline

Phone 1800 332 388 (24 hrs statewide)
Triage, Referral, Information & Advice

Department of Emergency Medicine, Royal Hobart Hospital

Phone (03) 6222 8423

Department of Emergency Medicine, Launceston General Hospital

Phone (03) 6348 7924

Department of Emergency Medicine, North West Regional Hospital Burnie

Phone (03) 6430 6633

Department of Psychological Medicine Royal Hobart Hospital

Phone (03) 6222 8805

Spencer Clinic Psychiatric Unit, Burnie

Phone (03) 6430 6575

Parkside Community Mental Health

Phone (03) 6434 6434 (Burnie)

Hobart Women's Health Centre

Phone (03) 6231 3212

Women's Health Information Service Launceston

Phone (03) 6334 8335

Lifeline Telephone Counselling

Phone 13 11 14 (24 hrs statewide)

Mensline Australia Suicide Call-Back & Counselling Service

Phone 1300 789 978 (24 hrs statewide)

Beyond Blue Depression & Anxiety Information & Referral Helpline

Phone 1300 224 636 (24 hrs statewide)

Samaritans Lifelink (Suicide Prevention for people in Country & Rural Tasmania)

Phone 1300 364 566

Poisons Information Line

Phone 13 11 26 (24 hrs statewide)

Parakaleo Suicide Helpline

Phone 1300 132 098 (24 hrs statewide)

Salvo Hope Line (Suicide Bereavement)

Phone 1300 467 354 (24hrs statewide)

Tas. Council of AIDS and Hepatitis Related Diseases (TasCAHRD)

Phone 1800 005 900

Phoenix Centre (Refugees, Migrants) Trauma and Crisis Counselling

Phone (03) 6221 0999 (Hobart)

Drug & Alcohol Clinical Advisory Service

Phone 1800 630 093 (24 hrs statewide)

Family Violence Counselling & Support

Phone 1800 633 937

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WA Network of Alcohol and Other Drug Agencies (WANADA) (2008) *Crisis Referral Tool for AOD Services*
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