



# Environmental Suicide Risk Assessment Report

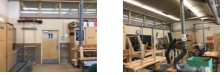
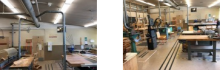


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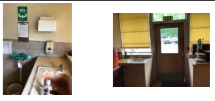
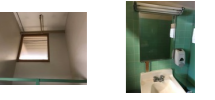






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









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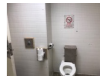
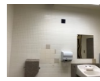


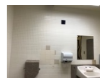
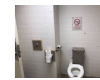















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







Space	Classification	Room	Observed Potential Suicide Risk	Potential Mitigation Activities	Risk	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 10 Carpenter shop	Other attachment points (Ligature): Piping Wall racks Metal lockers: handles, doors Cart Door closure exposed Door handles standard Conduit and switch Wooden lockers hinges Lights Window wooden braces Wood everywhere Work tables	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 10 Carpenter shop	Other attachment points (Ligature): Worktables Conduit Piping Carpentry equipment	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 10 Carpenter shop	Other attachment points (Ligature): Sprinkler piping Piping everywhere	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 10 Carpenter shop	Other attachment points (Ligature): Electrical boxes and conduit Flammable cabinet Wooden board Fire alarm strobe and detector Sprinkler pipe	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	














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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 10 Carpenter shop	Other attachment points (Ligature): Paper towel dispenser Clipboard hook Eyewash Sink faucets Exit sign Door closure and handle Fire alarm pull station and conduit Cabinet handle and drawers Wooden boxes	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 10 Carpenter shop	Other attachment points (Ligature): Stall brace Sprinkler piping Sink shape Sink Faucet Mirror Florescent light fixture and tubes	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Dispenser, paper towel, breakable (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with unbreakable dispenser One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Dispenser, toilet paper, spring-loaded spindle (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with unbreakable dispenser with no removable parts One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Door handle, standard (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant door handle One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Faucet, standard (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant faucet One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Grab bars, open (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant grab bars One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Mirror, glass (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with unbreakable mirror One-to-one observation	L	

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BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Other attachment points (Ligature): Seat cover dispenser Metal cover on wall	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Shelves, wall mounted (Ligature): Metal shelf base of mirror	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove wall mounted shelves One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Sink, exposed plumbing (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Cover exposed plumbing One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Sink, shape (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant sink One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Toilet, exposed plumbing (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Cover exposed plumbing One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Other attachment points (Ligature): Exposed water and electrical pipes Water fountain Fire extinguisher cabinet Hanging light fixture Conduit exposed electrical switch and outlet Wooden boxes Door closure exposed Door handle standard Exposed building frame	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Other attachment points (Ligature): Building metal frame Pipes exposed Conduit exposed Lights Wooden plant stands	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Other attachment points (Ligature): Exit sign Door handle and closure Piping electrical and water Electrical boxes Heater Metal bracing	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 






















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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 15 Green house	Other attachment points (Ligature): Water faucet and hoses Metal fencing and gate Lights: hanging and on plant stand Wooden plant stand Metal locker	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 16 Java Site	Door handle, standard (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant door handle One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 16 Java Site	Faucet, (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant faucet One-to-one observation	L	 
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 16 Java Site	Grab bars, open (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant grab bars One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 16 Java Site	Other attachment points (Ligature): Wooden boxes over toilet piping Hand dryer Door stop Toilet paper holder Sink backboard	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	 
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 16 Java Site	Other attachment points (Ligature): Smoke detector and strobe cover Wooden panel	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 16 Java Site	Ceiling, lay-in (Ligature, Contraband)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 16 Java Site	Exit signs not flush to ceiling or wall (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Mount exit signs flush to ceiling or wall Direct observation of group	L	













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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 16 Java Site	Other attachment points (Ligature): Electrical outlet and conduit Wooden beam across room Fire alarm strobe Conduit and pull station AC window unit Convex Mirror not flush with wall Radiators Wooden box at entrance Door closure exposed Door handle Window	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 16 Laundry	Ceiling, lay-in (Ligature, Contraband)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 16 Laundry	Exit signs not flush to ceiling or wall (Ligature) Conduit	Screen patients for appropriate setting Mount exit signs flush to ceiling or wall Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 16 Laundry	Fire extinguisher cabinet, protruding (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide recessed extinguisher cabinet Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 16 Laundry	Other attachment points (Ligature): Wall mounted fan Metal shelves Modular dividers joints Laundry hanger racks Convex mirrors Wire fencing and gate Wooden shelf Wooden bench Wheeled cart	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 16 Laundry	Other attachment points (Ligature): Radiator cover Exposed piping Furniture Wall mounted fans Light over changing room and conduit Hooks on wall	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 














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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 16 Laundry	Window, operable (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Seal window Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 35	Ceiling, lay-in (Ligature, Contraband)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with hard ceiling One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 35	Door closer (Ligature) Handle Hinges	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove door closer One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 35	Grab bars, open (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant grab bars One-to-one observation	L	 
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 35	Mirror, glass (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with unbreakable mirror One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 35	Other attachment points (Ligature): Wall coat rack hooks Seat cover dispenser Hygiene products disposable box Paper roll holders	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	 
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 35	Other attachment points (Ligature): Battery emergency light Door stop	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 35	Partitions, stall (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting One-to-one observation	L	 
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 35	Sink, exposed plumbing (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Cover exposed plumbing One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 35	Toilet, exposed plumbing (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Cover exposed plumbing One-to-one observation	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 35	Blinds or shades, exposed, and cords (Ligature) Not brake away also	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove exposed blinds or shades and/or cords Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 35	Ceiling, lay-in (Ligature, Contraband)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Direct observation of group	L	

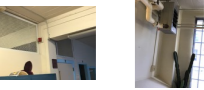
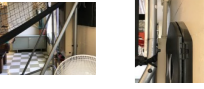

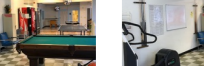
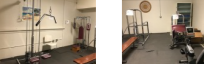

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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 35	Exit signs not flush to ceiling or wall (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Mount exit signs flush to ceiling or wall Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 35	Fire annunciator (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide slanted top enclosure Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 35	Fire extinguisher cabinet, protruding (Ligature) Pull station	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide recessed extinguisher cabinet Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 35	Other attachment points (Ligature): Water fountain Battery emergency light	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 35	Other attachment points (Ligature): Cabinet and drawer handles Four hole holder Cabinet edges along wall Book shelf Tables Chairs Wooden table Conduit	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 35	Other attachment points (Ligature): Wooden rail Refrigerator handles Blinds Table Door closure Door handle Door lock	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Door closer, exposed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove door closer Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Electrical outlets, non-tamper-resistant (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide tamper-resistant electrical outlets Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Faucet, standard (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant faucet Direct observation of group	L	

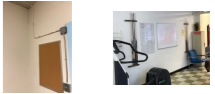







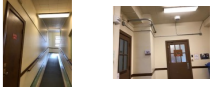
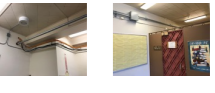

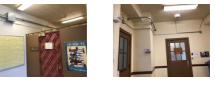















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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Wall braces Conduit Hinges Light socket	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Screws, non-tamper-resistant (Ligature, Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with tamper-resistant screws Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Window, operable (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Seal window Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Conduit, exposed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove or enclose conduit Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Conduit, exposed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove or enclose conduit Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Conduit, exposed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove or enclose conduit Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Conduit, exposed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove or enclose conduit Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Conduit, exposed (Ligature): Light fixtures: round and square	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove or enclose conduit Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Door closer exposed (Ligature) also hinges standard	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove door closer One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Door handle, standard (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant door handle Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Fire alarm pull (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide slanted top enclosure Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Fire extinguisher cabinet, protruding (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide recessed extinguisher cabinet Direct observation of group	L	





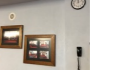








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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Hinges, standard (Ligature) Door knob	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with continuous hinges Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Hooks, fixed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove hooks Replace with ligature-resistant hooks One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Paper towel dispenser Pipes Equipment on table Wood panel Access panel	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Phone box Dispenser	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Mantel Heater vents	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Panel Expandable fence Fire extinguisher box (FEB) Conduit Box on wall	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Locker handle Pendent alarm box Door handles and hinges Door closure Conduit Electrical junction boxes Light fixture gaps Fire extinguisher cabinet Fire strobe Emergency battery lights Window frame	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 













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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Piping Lock and latch	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L		
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Metal shelves Fire alarm bell	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L		
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Art Center	Window, operable (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Seal window Direct observation of group	L		
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Wooden covers Seat cover holder Sink faucet	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L		
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Vending machine Windows Piping and conduit Battery powered light Door closure and hinges Rolling cart Heater Lights Wooden cabinet Metal box on wall Wall mirror mount	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L		
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): TV cabinet hinges and corners at wall Locker lock and latch	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L		
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Foosball table Shelf "L" bracket Hockey table Piping Conduit Windows Desk Chair Fire extinguisher cabinet	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L		

Space	Classification	Room	Observed Potential Suicide Risk	Potential Mitigation Activities	Risk	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Grills Conduit Fire alarm bell Smoke detector Light Box on wall Locker gaps back wall Heater and associated piping Heater switch and conduit	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Basketball game supports Conduit behind game Black box on wall behind game	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Windows Doors Battery-operated lights	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Other removable objects (Harm): Pool table Chairs Locker handle Vending machines Ping pong table Mirrors Piping Conduit Pool queue rack White board	Screen patients for appropriate setting Permanently attach or remove objects One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Exercise equipment (Ligature): Conduit Electrical outlets Chair Bookcase	Screen patients for appropriate setting Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Other attachment points (Ligature): Fire alarm bells	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	














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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Pictures, artwork, boards, wall mounted (Ligature, Harm): Bulletin boards White boards	Screen patients for appropriate setting Secure flush to wall with tamper-resistant screws Unbreakable glass or acrylic Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 6 Infinity Center	Window, operable (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 First and Second Floors	Dispenser, toilet paper, breakable (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with unbreakable mirror One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 First and Second Floors	Faucet, standard (Ligature): Metal shelf Paper towel dispenser Mirror	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant faucet One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 First and Second Floors	Other attachment points (Ligature): Seat cover holder Access panel	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 First and Second Floors	Partitions, stall (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 First and Second Floors	Sink, exposed plumbing (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Cover exposed plumbing One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 First and Second Floors	Toilet, exposed plumbing (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Cover exposed plumbing One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Conduit, exposed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove or enclose conduit Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Conduit, exposed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove or enclose conduit Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Door closer, exposed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove door closer Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Door handle, standard (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant door handle Direct observation of group	L	

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BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Door handle, standard (Ligature): Knob	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant door handle Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Fire annunciator (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide slanted top enclosure Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Hand rails, open (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant hand rails Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Other attachment points (Ligature): Partition top Light fixtures Conduit	Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Other attachment points (Ligature): Wiring Piping Heater vents	Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Pictures, artwork, boards, wall mounted (Ligature, Harm): Bulletin boards Public Library sign on door	Screen patients for appropriate setting Secure flush to wall with tamper-resistant screws Unbreakable glass or acrylic Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor	Window, operable (Harm): Blinds	Screen patients for appropriate setting Seal window Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor Amphitheater	Exit signs not flush to ceiling or wall (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Mount exit signs flush to ceiling or wall Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor Amphitheater	Fire extinguisher cabinet, protruding (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide recessed extinguisher cabinet Direct observation of group	L	

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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor Amphitheater	Other attachment points (Ligature): Seats Wall mounted TVs Overhead projector Tables Podium Projector screen Curtains Wooden box Speakers Blinds	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor Amphitheater	Other attachment points (Ligature): Railings Telephone Light fixture	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor Amphitheater	Pictures, artwork, boards, wall mounted (Ligature, Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Secure flush to wall with tamper-resistant screws Unbreakable glass or acrylic Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor Entrance	Conduit, exposed (Ligature): Red fire alarm junction box Fire alarm panels Fire alarm pull station and conduit	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove or enclose conduit Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor Entrance	Exit signs not flush to ceiling or wall (Ligature): Also panic bars	Screen patients for appropriate setting Mount exit signs flush to ceiling or wall Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 First Floor Entrance	Hand rails, open (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant hand rails Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Ceiling, lay-in (Ligature, Contraband)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Dispenser, toilet paper, breakable (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with unbreakable mirror One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Exit signs not flush to ceiling or wall (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Mount exit signs flush to ceiling or wall Direct observation of group	L	 

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BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Faucet, standard (Ligature): Metal shelf Paper towel dispenser Mirror	Screen patients for appropriate setting Replace with ligature-resistant faucet One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Fire annunciator (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide slanted top enclosure Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Fire extinguisher cabinet, protruding (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide recessed extinguisher cabinet Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Hand rails, open (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant hand rails Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Other attachment points (Ligature): Furniture Water fountain Door knob Conduit Wooden box Vending machine Metal box Light fixture	Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Other attachment points (Ligature): Seat cover holder Access panel	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Partitions, stall (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Sink, exposed plumbing (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Cover exposed plumbing One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Bathroom	BH Common Area	Building 8 Ground Floor	Toilet, exposed plumbing (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Cover exposed plumbing One-to-one observation	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Blinds or shades, exposed, and cords (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove exposed blinds or shades and/or cords Direct observation of group	L	



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BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Bookcase, removable shelves (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Secure shelves to bookcase Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Conduit, exposed (Ligature): Electrical outlet Pendent alarm	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove or enclose conduit Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Electrical outlets, non-tamper-resistant (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide tamper-resistant electrical outlets Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Hooks, fixed (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Remove hooks Replace with ligature-resistant hooks Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Lamp, attachment (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide angled or recessed lamp Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Other attachment points (Ligature): Mirror mount Pendent alarm box Magazine rack	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	 
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Other attachment points (Ligature): Heater vents	Screen patients for appropriate setting Provide ligature-resistant devices or covers Remove attachment points Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Corridor	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Water fountain (Ligature)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Direct observation of group	L	
BH Outpatient Activity Room	BH Common Area	Building 8 Second Floor Library	Window, operable (Harm)	Screen patients for appropriate setting Seal window Direct observation of group	L	

<b>Risk</b>	<b>High</b>	7	8	9
	<b>Medium</b>	4	5	6
	<b>Low</b>	1	2	3
		<b>General/ Acute Care</b>	<b>BH Common Area</b>	<b>BH Dedicated Space</b>
		<b>CLASSIFICATION</b>		

**BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SUICIDE RISK MATRIX EXPLANATION**

We have modified The Joint Commission’s SAFER Matrix to reflect suicide risk by plotting the likelihood of harm (H=high, M=medium, L=low) on the Y axis against the type of setting on the X axis. The setting itself may determine the likelihood of harm of some risks. The number of findings in a particular box in the matrix is represented by the number in the upper right corner of the box.

All suicide risks would be scored by The Joint Commission at EC.02.06.01 EP 1.

Types of settings are as follows:

Behavioral Health Dedicated Space: This is the highest risk space in areas dedicated to behavioral health, whether in an inpatient unit or dedicated space in an emergency department. Dedicated space includes patient rooms and corridors. Patients in these areas may not always have direct supervision. All risks in these areas are expected to be removed or mitigated with one-to-one observation.

Behavioral Health Common Areas: These are areas within dedicated behavioral health units in which patients are not without supervision, such as dining areas, group rooms, day rooms, etc. Risks in these areas are to be documented and removed or mitigated as feasible.

General/Acute Care Areas: These are areas of the organization that are typically used by the non-behavioral health population, such as a general medical/surgical unit, intensive care unit, or a typical emergency department treatment room or bay. Risks in these areas are to be identified and those risks that are removable must be documented and removed when the space is occupied by a behavioral health patient. All remaining risks are to be mitigated by one-to-one observation.

NOTE: In outpatient behavioral health settings, patients are expected to be screened as to the appropriateness of the setting, therefore suicide risks are not scored in these settings.

# Thank You!

## **General Recommendations**

Note 1: This assessment is only for the foot print of the building and does not include the exterior or any attachment to the exterior of the building. The grounds and any structure on the grounds are also not included.

Note 2: S-3 is under remodel. This assessment was done on what was completed at the time of the assessment.

Note 3: This assessment is to identify, at the organization's request, as many ligature and self harm points in areas where the patient has access, whether they are observed, accompanied, or unaccompanied. The organization will then determine their own risk for these areas.

Note 4: All elevator vestibules that patients access have in common: door bell, fire alarm and conduit, sprinkler head, some have a wall mounted phone with cord, and door handle and exposed door closure and hinges.

Note 5: All TV consoles have the same issues with the door hinges, door latch and lock, and strip across the top of the door.

Note 6: All patient rooms have the same issues with the clothes locker: long front panel, shelves have gaps, lower smaller shelf can be removed and used as a weapon as can the lower cabinet door, shelf brackets have gaps, top angle piece of locker is not flush to the wall, and built-in desk mounting brackets have gaps.

Note 7: Due to so many similar findings, the pictures attached may not be the exact picture, but due to similarities represent the findings in kind.

Note 8: The following rooms have been in use: not being used.

**Thank you for partnering with RPA and MSL Healthcare. Please contact me if you have any questions.**



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