

## HOUSE BILL NO. HB0040

Suicide prevention.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Harshman, Byron, Clouston, Sherwood, Winter and Wylie and Senator(s) Anderson, Barlow, Cooper, Gierau, Landen, Rothfuss and Schuler

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to education; requiring suicide prevention  
2 education; and providing for an effective date.

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4 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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6 **Section 1.** W.S. 21-9-105 is created to read:

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8 **21-9-105. Suicide prevention instruction.**

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10 A school district shall provide suicide prevention  
11 education to students. A school district shall provide  
12 educational programs under this subsection in any  
13 appropriate manner, which may include age-appropriate,  
14 evidence-based programs on suicide prevention provided that

1 the programs shall be consistent with the suicide  
2 prevention education materials provided under W.S.  
3 21-2-202(a) (xxxv) and the training provided under W.S.  
4 21-3-110(a) (xxxiii).

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6 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2026.

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8 (END)