

**DRAFT ONLY
NOT APPROVED FOR
INTRODUCTION**

HOUSE BILL NO.

Suicide prevention.

Sponsored by: Joint Education Interim Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to education; providing for suicide
2 prevention 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 may include suicide prevention
11 instruction in a health and safety program required under
12 W.S. 21-9-101(b)(i)(G). A school district may provide
13 instruction under this subsection in any appropriate

1 manner, which may include age appropriate, evidence based
2 instruction on suicide prevention provided that the
3 instruction shall be consistent with the suicide prevention
4 education materials provided under W.S. 21-2-202(a)(xxxv)
5 and the training provided under W.S. 21-3-110(a)(xxxiii).

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7 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2021.

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