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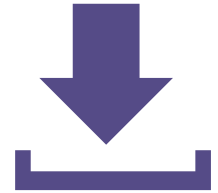
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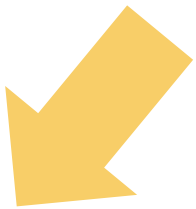
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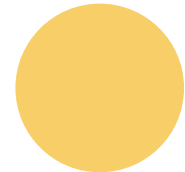
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Questions

What are good outcomes to assess for prevention over a short timeframe?



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Questions

What do grant proposal reviewers look for, and are there any 'tips' for grant writers?



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Questions

How can we impact marginalized communities that have a lack of access to care?



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Questions

What kinds of measures are best to establish efficacy or effectiveness for a training program?



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Are there ways to consider implementation factors even in pilot studies or is that done once we have solid evidence?



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What are your thoughts about mixed methods for pilot work?



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Questions

Is there still a role for psychological autopsy studies in suicide research?



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Questions

What are some of the most important research questions when studying suicide prevention in late life?



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How can I quickly and effectively initiate a partnership?



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Questions

How do you manage partnerships with limited communication (e.g. across institutions or geographical settings)?



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How do you maintain institutional buy-in and support despite changes in key staff?



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Questions

I haven't conducted suicide research before now...will I be out of place at the RTI?



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How can research serve community interests?



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What sources can you recommend for grant funding?

American Foundation for Suicide Prevention
National Institute of Mental Health
Centers for Disease Control
SAMHSA



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Questions

What kinds of content knowledge do I need to develop a successful RTI project?



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Would the RTI be an appropriate venue for a multi-year project where we have collected some research but wish to make it a full research project?



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How do you develop a tool to assess local service systems to determine their opportunities for enhancement in serving suicidal individuals?



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