

Suicide Prevention

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Review

[Mental health of prisoners: have we reached a state of crisis?](#) Ian Cummins highlights the increased risk of all-cause mortality, suicide, self-harm, violence and victimisation in prisoners. He welcomes a recent review of reviews which contains clinical, policy and research recommendations.

Audit

[Masculinity Audit 2016](#) CALM's latest Masculinity Audit reveals that men are not only less likely than women to open up to friends about being depressed, they're also more likely to exhibit risk-taking behaviour and feel more frustrated at life's challenges, like losing a job.

Reports

[Suicidal patients need better online support from clinicians and help groups](#) Improve clinicians' understanding of the online world, review web-based support services for vulnerable people and safeguard the public against pro-suicide content. Those are some of the recommendations being put to the internet industry, health providers and suicide prevention services after researchers mapped how people with suicidal feelings use the internet. The report, produced by the University of Bristol, Samaritans and Papyrus, is today presented to representatives from the internet industry, health providers and suicide prevention services in a bid to minimise the potential for harm and improve accessibility to services for those in need.

[Children And Young People's Mental Health: Time To Deliver](#) The Education Policy Institute's Independent Commission on Children and Young People's Mental Health has released a new report, Time to Deliver, which calls for a new 'Prime Minister's Challenge' on children and young people's mental health.

Publication

[Mental health crisis care: health based places of safety funding](#) As part of the [mental health crisis care agreement](#) (Crisis Care Concordat) to support people in a mental health crisis, 88 projects across England will receive funding to increase the number of health based places of safety. The funding will help to provide new crisis cafes and safe havens, street triage vehicles, and improve facilities for children and young people in crisis.

NICE

[Guideline in development](#) NICE is currently in the process of developing guidance for "Preventing suicide in community and custodial settings". A draft guidance consultation is expected to take place 25th October 2017 - 5th December 2017 with an expected publication date of September 2018. Further documentation can be found on the [NICE website](#).