

SAMPLE POSTER/NOTICE  
WORLD SUICIDE PREVENTION DAY  
SPECIAL EVENT  
SEPTEMBER 10, 2009

**TIME:**

**PLACE:**

Every day in Canada 10 people die by suicide, almost 4,000 a year, 100,000 over the past three decades. When someone dies by suicide their pain is transferred to their family, friends and community. No one is immune. Almost 3,000,000 Canadians have been affected by the harmful and often devastating affects of suicide. This tragedy is compounded by the fact that suicides remain the most preventable source of death. It is time to end the silence, ease the suffering and heal our communities and neighbours who are impacted by suicide. Preventing suicides is everyone's concern and responsibility.

September 10<sup>th</sup> has been recognized by the world health organization as suicide prevention day. On this day please join us to:

- Remember and commemorate the lives of those who died by suicide,
- Remember, comfort and demonstrate your support to family, friends, co workers, and neighbours who have been affected by a suicide,
- Lend your voice and support for a national strategy for suicide prevention,
- Learn how you can get involved in preventing suicides and supporting survivors in your community.

**Describe Event Here**

**Together we are stronger**

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