

# IF YOU COULD SAVE A LIFE, WOULD YOU?

## SOCIAL MEDIA GUIDELINES FOR REPORTING SUICIDE

is a free, 90-minute, hands-on workshop to teach journalists and mental health professionals the strategies and language to share stories that are informative, accurate and meaningful to the communities they serve.

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**TUESDAY**  
**MARCH 21**  
**3:30 PM**  
**FRANKLIN 312/314**  
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