

## Ask your buddy

- •Have the courage to ask the question, but stay calm
- Ask the question directly: Are you thinking of killing yourself?

## Care for your buddy

- Calmly control the situation; do not use force: be safe
- Actively listen to show understanding and produce relief
- •Remove any means that could be used for self-injury

## Escort your buddy

- Never leave your buddy alone
  - Escort to chain of command, Chaplain, behavioral health professional, or primary care provider
  - Call the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline



## SUICIDE PREVENTION HOTLINES

Emergency: 911 National Suicide Lifeline: 1-800-273-8255 1-800-SUICIDE

Local Suicide Prevention Hotline: 808-832-3100

Military One Source: 1-800-342-9647

TRI West Behavioral Health Crisis Line: 1-866-284-3743

The Defense Center of Excellence of Psychological Health: 1-866-966-1020

VA Suicide Prevention Help Line: 1-800-784-2433

Military Police:

Schofield Barracks: 808-655-5555 Fort Shafter: 808-438-7114