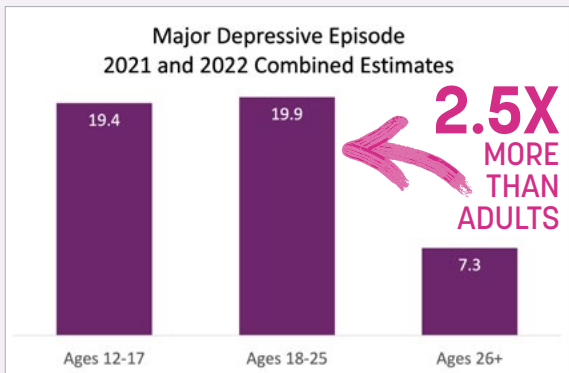


YOUTH IN CRISIS



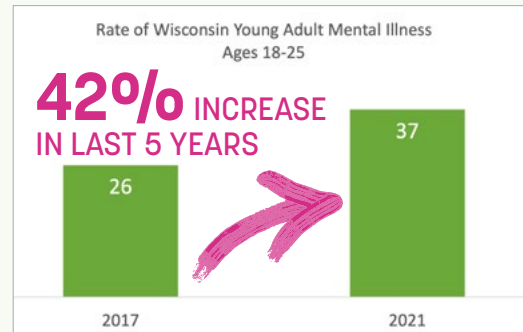
WISCONSIN OFFICE OF CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH

YOUTH DEPRESSION



Youth (ages 12-25) are 2.5 times more likely to have had a major depressive episode than adults (ages 26+)

YOUNG ADULT MENTAL ILLNESS



Wisconsin young adult mental illness increased 42% between 2017 and 2021.

TEEN SUICIDE*

SERIOUSLY CONSIDERED SUICIDE

18.6% = ROUGHLY 12,090 WISCONSIN HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

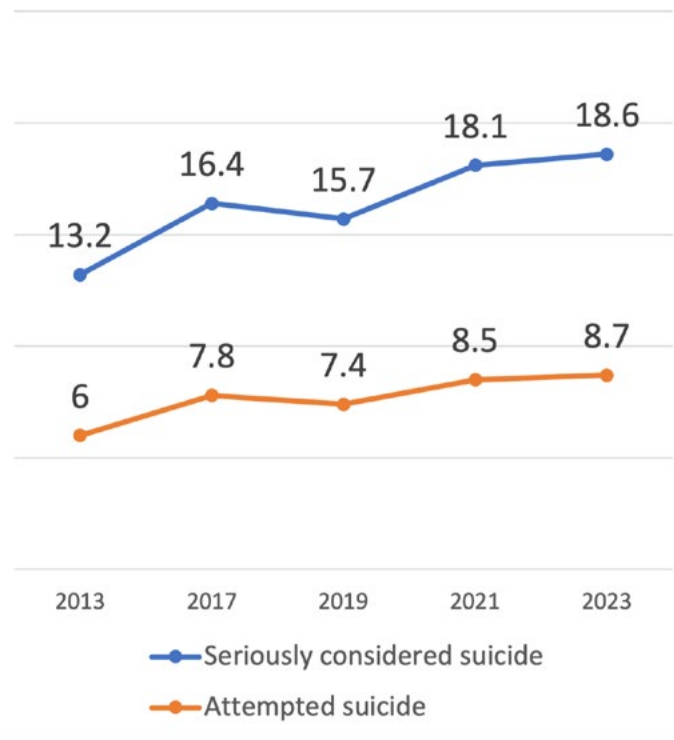
41% INCREASE IN LAST 10 YEARS

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

8.7% = ROUGHLY 5,655 WISCONSIN HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

45% INCREASE IN LAST 10 YEARS

Wisconsin High School Student Suicidality



* Based on Wisconsin YRBS 2023 data.

CRISIS SUPPORT



Approximately **6,500** youth (17 and under) were served by **24/7 mobile crisis teams.**

Approximately **1,300** **bed stays** in youth crisis stabilization facilities.

Based on 2022 data

988 CRISIS LIFELINE



As of the two-year anniversary of the 988 launch, Wisconsin counselors have answered nearly **112,000 calls** and more than **7,200 texts and chats.**

SELF-HARM & SUICIDE

Self-harm among ED patients¹



Females: 81%
Males: 19%

8 IN 10 SELF-HARM PATIENTS ARE FEMALE

Suicide deaths²



Females: 24%
Males: 76%

3/4 OF ADOLESCENT SUICIDES ARE MALE

1,650 adolescents went to the Emergency Department for self-harm injuries.

Drug overdose and **cutting** are the most common methods of self-harm.

Based on 2021 Wisconsin DHS data.

