

## Vision: What Are We Working Towards?

In Oregon all young people have hope, feel safe asking for help, can find access to the right help at the right time to prevent suicide, and live in communities that foster healing, connection, and wellness.



# Goal 1: Raise awareness about suicide risk and the need for a positive impact of allies

## Action Steps:

Create and disseminate a Call to Action letter/email

Distribute reinforcing materials including Rationale and Ally pledge actions

Create an online platform for individuals and organizations to pledge to ally with LGBTQIA2S+ youth and track campaign momentum.

Provide stickers to increase the visibility of allied communities and individuals

Create and disseminate materials to identify common myths about LGBTQIA2S+ youth and tools for addressing them.

Meet with community stakeholders and leaders to introduce the call to action campaign and encourage more pledges

Utilize accessible language to invite in unlikely allies

# Goal 2: Mobilize Allies

## Action Steps:

- Provide a wide variety of pledge action steps that can be taken for an ally at each level of involvement.
- Create a web page for individuals and organizations to take an active pledge and commit to an action.
- Provide resources and tools for communities and individuals to interrupt and address transphobia, homophobia, and other harmful rhetoric and language.
- Disseminate previous finalized materials and resources including [Myths Debunked](#), [LGBTQ2SIA+ Youth and Suicide Public Comment Guide](#), [LGBTQ2SIA+ Student Success Plan and Highlights](#), [Affirming Students through Inclusive Staff Policies](#)
- Encourage and track pledge action steps and pledge webpage traffic
- Meet with community partners to collaborate on resources, mobilization, and diverse community inclusion

# Goal 3: Increase the Sense of Belong for LGBTQIA2S+ Youth

## Action Steps:

Establish a process for creating stickers and other materials

Conduct Youth art contests? Graphic design? at Pride events

Increase the visibility of allies through stickers and other visually appealing public-facing materials