About Douglas Flemons

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Learning Objectives

Participants will learn how to—
- conduct a semi-structured suicide assessment.
- empathically explore intra- and interpersonal risks and resources.
- make a safety decision and construct a safety plan.
- effectively document the assessment.