DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL HEALTH PSYCHOLOGY

THE DBT APPROACH TO SUICIDE RISK ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT
Grand Rounds

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The participant will learn about:
1) the function of assessment of suicidal behaviour and risk factors
2) the Linehan Risk Assessment and Management Protocol
3) imminent risk assessment vs. long-term risk assessment

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