suicide prevention safety planning

have a plan you can follow when you feel unsafe... your plan should include:

Your **warning signs**, e.g. withdrawing from friends

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Ways to make your environment **safe**, i.e. get rid of anything you might use to harm yourself

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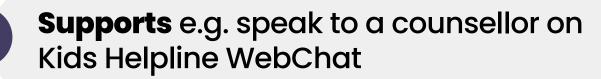
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Distractions or coping strategies, e.g. go for a walk





Things that are important to you, things you are looking forward to or other reasons to live, e.g. your pet cat





Delay. Thoughts of suicide and self-harm will pass. Delaying acting on any thoughts to end your life gives you time to get support.



Be around others. If you are feeling unsafe, avoid being alone. Spend time with family or friends until you feel safer.

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