

# Understanding Genetic Factors of Suicide

Exploring prevention and intervention strategies





# Genetic Influences

Exploring how genetics can impact suicidal behavior and the potential for prevention strategies.

# Genetic Insights

## **01 Understanding Genetic Predispositions to Suicide**

Certain genes may increase risk.

## **02 The Role of Environmental Factors**

Environment interacts with genetic influences.

## **03 Potential for Genetic Interventions and Therapies**

Research may lead to prevention methods.



# Genetic vs Environmental

## Genetics

Genetic factors can predispose individuals to suicidal thoughts and behaviors due to inherited traits.



## Environment

Environmental influences, such as trauma or stress, significantly contribute to suicidal tendencies and mental health.

# Prevention

**Early Intervention**  
**Identify at-risk individuals quickly**

**Education Programs**  
**Provide mental health resources  
publicly**

**Community Support**  
**Strengthen networks of care**

**Crisis Hotlines**  
**Promote open conversations about  
struggles**

# References and Resources for Further Reading

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