

THE SUICIDE FUNNEL

A passing curiosity about suicide has crossed the minds of many officers.

Recent thoughts of suicide have crossed the minds of some officers.

A few officers have thought of how they would commit suicide.

Fewer have thought about how to implement their plan.

Even fewer have taken steps to implement the plan.

Some officers attempt suicide, with a way out.

Some officers with no way out, are saved.

A few officers succeed in ending

their pain accidentally;

others deliberately

depart this end

of the funnel

and they

give

up

**FEELING HOPELESS AND HELPLESS,
THEY COMMIT SUICIDE.**

Figure A