

*Create. Compete.*

**Direct Change**

*to Save Lives.*

Youth create films to promote social justice in schools and communities.



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# CALLING ALL YOUNG FILMMAKERS AND CHANGE AGENTS!

MAKE A DIFFERENCE  
AND WIN CASH BY CREATING  
30 AND 60-SECOND FILMS  
THAT WILL BE USED  
ACROSS THE STATE TO  
RAISE AWARENESS AND  
PROMOTE ENDING THE SILENCE  
ABOUT SUICIDE PREVENTION  
AND MENTAL HEALTH.

Open to youth  
ages 14-25 or  
in grades 6-12

- SUICIDE PREVENTION •
- MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS •
- THROUGH THE LENS OF CULTURE •
  - ANIMATED SHORT •
  - WALK IN OUR SHOES •
  - SANAMENTE •

SUBMISSIONS ARE DUE  
MARCH 1 EVERY YEAR.

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**The Directing Change Program & Film Contest** is an evidence-based youth suicide prevention and mental health promotion program. Young people create short films about critical health topics that are then shared to change conversations in schools and communities.

**For Youth ages 14-25**  
or in grades **6-12**: Win cash, get recognized and use your creativity to make a difference.

**For Schools and Organizations**: Trainings to support AB 2246, parent workshops, lesson plans, and educational resources.

**For Everyone**: View and download hundreds of free films and public service announcements.



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