



## Suicidal Behavior as a Complex Dynamical System

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Dear Colleagues,

Suicidal behavior can be seen as a result of a complex interaction between many different factors. This is in line with the network perspective on psychopathology. The central idea of this perspective is that psychopathology is a consequence of symptoms that directly interact with one another in a network structure. The network perspective can be seen as a starting point to move from traditional linear thinking towards more complex theories and models, belonging to the field of complexity science. Network and complexity system theory offer exciting new possibilities for our understanding of suicidal behavior. This Special Issue aims to collect original and innovative studies that help to move the field of suicide prevention towards complexity research.

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