



Join Us for a *Sidewalk of Hope*

September is Suicide Awareness Month, a time to honor life, promote hope, and remind one another that no one walks alone. In recognition of this important cause, the Family Response Advocates invite you to join us in spreading encouragement, positivity, and love right here in our community.

Together, let's stand as a community of encouragement and light. We will gather in front of the Pittsburg Police Department to decorate the sidewalks with positive affirmations, uplifting words, and encouraging messages. These chalk creations will serve as powerful reminders of hope for everyone who passes by to all neighbors, community members, and officers alike.

All chalk will be provided just bring your creativity and caring spirit. Everyone is welcome, whether you draw, write, or simply come to show support on Monday, September 8th at 9:00a at the Pittsburg Police Department: 201 N. Pine Street, Pittsburg, KS 66762

Every message written is a step toward breaking the silence surrounding suicide and mental health. By filling the sidewalks with kindness and encouragement, we create a visible symbol of compassion that honors those we've lost, support those who are struggling, and celebrates the value of life. Our hope is that the messages remain throughout the week, as Suicide Awareness Day is on Wednesday, September 10th. With good weather, these affirmations will continue to inspire and remind our community that there is always hope and always help.

