

# Suicide Bereavement Support for Organisations

**Finding the right words can be difficult. Here you will find a template that you can tailor to send to the employee who has been bereaved, signposting them to our services and letting them know about your policies.**

Subject: Support Available

Hi {insert name of bereaved employee}

I hope you're doing okay today. I'm so sorry to hear about your loss.

At {insert name of organisation} we partner with the charity Suicide&Co who support those bereaved by suicide. They have lots of great resources that you can access to provide support and help you navigate your grief.

Their Early Bereavement Support service is available to anyone who has been impacted by a suicide loss in the last 6 months. They provide emotional and practical support with a trained member of their Suicide Bereavement Advisor Team. These support calls can be scheduled flexibly and around your needs.

Their App is another helpful resource that can be accessed at any stage during your grief journey and at your own pace. It provides both general mental health exercises and personalised, suicide bereavement-specific resources to help you find the right support for you.

If you would like to arrange time off of work, then please communicate with myself and your manager about this. Our bereavement leave policy is usually {insert number of days in policy}; if you would like to discuss this then we can arrange a call.

Please let me know if you have any questions or if there is anything further we can do to support you at this time.

Best wishes,  
{insert name}