

*This is an archive of the email sent by Eli Merritt, M.D. on September 17, 2014, announcing the launch of Merritt Mental Health.*



## MERRITT MENTAL HEALTH

Pathways to Wellness

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

It's Eli writing to announce the formal launch of Merritt Mental Health ([www.merrittmentalhealth.com](http://www.merrittmentalhealth.com)). Merritt Mental Health is a first-of-its-kind psychiatry consulting practice and "home base" for patients and family members seeking advice and guidance on the "next best step" in mental health care.

We help adults, adolescents, children, and families along the broad spectrum of mental health conditions, including addiction, to identify 1) the best treatment pathway forward and 2) the best doctors and programs to fit their individual needs and preferences. Though our geographic specialty is the Bay Area, most of the services of Merritt Mental Health are available nationwide.

Click on any of the links below to learn more about how we help patients and family members in each category:

[Adults](#)

[Children & Adolescents](#)

[Families](#)

[Couples](#)

[Addiction](#)

In addition to announcing these new services, I am also excited to tell you about our first public health initiative. It is to compile, write, and publish a resource book called *Suicide Risk in the San Francisco Bay Area: A Guide for Families, Physicians, Therapists, and Other Professionals*. My singular hope is that this book will empower health professionals, teachers, and public officials to provide clear, confident guidance to patients and family members concerned about suicide risk.

My [Welcome Letter](#) will give you a deeper sense of the personal issues and excitement that led me to found Merritt Mental Health.

I would very much appreciate your feedback about *Suicide Risk in the San Francisco Bay Area*. Whatever thoughts or suggestions occur to you, please send them to me. Also, if you will, please forward this email to someone you know who has particular interest or knowledge related to suicide risk.

Thank you for your support. Feel free to contact us any time at [info@merrittmentalhealth.com](mailto:info@merrittmentalhealth.com) or 415-285-3774.

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