

A SAFE PLACE

The assistant principal asked me to follow up with a student whose mother had called to say her son was depressed. I talked to him privately and he confirmed that he was depressed but not suicidal at this point. His mother came to see me and we set up ongoing counseling with an outside therapist. He has also seen by a doctor and put on antidepressants. His mother said her son feels that my office is a safe place for him and he checks in regularly.

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