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Presentation  
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# Select Committee on Mental Health and Addictions

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# The Select Committee

- All-Party/Non-Partisan Approach
- Mandate
- Consultations
- Interim Report March 2010
- Final Report September 2010



# Statistics and Stories

- 75% of mental illnesses strike by age 24
- 15% to 20% of children affected
- Suicide is 2<sup>nd</sup> leading cause of death
- Aboriginal children commit suicide at 5-6 times the rate of all other children

# Recommendations

- 23 recommendations
  - Mental Health and Addictions Ontario
  - Core Basket of Services
  - Mental Health & Justice Legislation

# Future Direction

- Reaction to Report
- Time for Action
- Ending Stigma & Bringing Home



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