

***WELCOME
PARENTS***

BRECKSVILLE BROADVIEW HTS
CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
EMERGENCY RESPONSE TRAINING

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BRECKSVILLE BROADVIEW HTS. CITY SCHOOLS

- Safety & Security in BBHCSD – what's in place
 - ALICE Training Overview
 - Future Training / Drills (staff & students)
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WHAT'S IN PLACE NOW

- Emergency Management Plans / Safety Plans
 - Yearly Review / Update of Plans
 - Staff Meetings
 - Building Safety Committees
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PREPAREDNESS DRILLS

- Fire Drills
 - Emergency Response
 - Tornado
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EXTERIOR DOORS

- Before and after the school day most exterior doors are locked
 - This forces outsiders to come to main entry points
 - During the academic day, all exterior doors are locked and outsiders must be buzzed into the buildings
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BUILDING SAFETY

- Security cameras and buzzers at main entrances
 - Radios for key individuals in the building
 - Mapping of each building
 - SRO / Police patrols of buildings
 - Police response time
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COMMON NON EVACUATION TERMS

- Stay Put
 - Shelter In Place
 - Lock Down
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STAY PUT

- Initial response to a non-threatening event
 - Hallways are cleared
 - Teaching & learning continues
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SHELTER IN PLACE / REVERSE EVACUATION

- Response to an external threat / conditions
 - Weather conditions
 - Crime in the community
 - Exterior doors locked
 - Outside windows may be covered
 - Minor changes to normal routine, education continues in the building
 - Parent communication may be sent out
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LOCKDOWN

- When evacuation is not an option
 - Lock doors
 - Lights out
 - Out of sight
 - Prepare to evacuate or counter if necessary
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A.L.I.C.E.

- ALICE is a proactive, options-based plan for civilian response to a Violent Critical Incident. ALICE authorizes and empowers individuals to utilize human action, building infrastructure, and communication options to increase their chances of survival.
- The Mission is simple: Save More Lives !!

A.L.I.C.E.

- Alert
 - Lockdown
 - Inform
 - Counter
 - Evacuate
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THE OLD METHOD, PRE COLUMBINE

- Hunker down and stay put under your desk or table
- Wait for Police

VIRGINIA TECH

- An unfortunate learning experience

THE Lesson from VT:

Fatalities: **28** vs. **2**

Passive vs. **Proactive**

Room 210 No Class	STAYED DOWN Room 206 - 14 Present Killed - 10 Wounded - 2	Jumped & Barricaded Room 204 - 19 Present Killed - 2 Wounded - 3	Room 200 No Class
Killed 1			
Offices	STAYED DOWN Room 211 - 19 Present Killed - 12 Wounded - 6	BARRICADED AFTER 1ST TIME Room 207 - 13 Present Killed - 5* Wounded - 6*	BARRICADED Room 205 - 12 Present Killed - 0 Wounded - 0

Data from Chapter 8, Virginia Governor's Report on Virginia Tech.

WHY CAN'T WE JUST WAIT FOR THE POLICE?

Determining the Speed of Violence

1 shot fired every 4-15 seconds

Hit rate 70%

HERE IS THE REALITY

- Shot fired 0:1 seconds
 - Call to 9-1-1 3 minutes
 - Dispatch time 3 minutes
 - Officer response 3 minutes
 - Arrival on scene 4 – 14 minutes
 - Officer makes entry 0 – 3 minutes
 - Contact with aggressor 0-7 minutes
 - End of situation (by police or civilian)
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VIOLENT CRITICAL INCIDENTS

- Any event at any location where a person (or persons) attempts to harm innocent people by any means and regardless of motivation

Survival is always based on one of two outcomes:

1. The event is taken back under control by those who can render the event no longer dangerous, or
2. People remove themselves from the danger area and get to a safe area

ALICE teaches us How, When, and Why to do both!!

ALERT = INITIAL AWARENESS

- PA announcement, (can be heard external? Are there deaf-spots)
- Gunfire, screaming, loud noises (sensory input)
- Text or emergency notification

LOCKDOWN

- Traditional lockdown procedure PLUS

Barricade the door

Spread out within the room with Counter devices.

Do not huddle

Look for alternate escape routes (another door/window)

Do not open the door for anyone

Dial 9-1-1 when it is safe to do so

BARRICADING

- Tables
- Desks
- Computer carts
- Bookshelves
- Cabinets

Use anything in your room to put in front of the doors and windows that lead to hallways.

INFORM

Pass on real time information

A continuation of ALERT

What, Where, When, Who, How

Typical Communication Methods

PA System

Phones or Radios

COUNTER

- Interrupt process of shooting accurately:

Target acquisition

Sight picture / Sight alignment

Trigger control

Stance

Grip

Breathing

OODA LOOP

- Observe
 - Orient
 - Decide
 - Act
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WHY USE COUNTER?

- You are not able to evacuate
 - Shooter has breached the barricade
 - You are in the room where the incident started
 - You are in an area that is not secure and the attacker enters hallway, restroom, etc.
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BARRICADING & COUNTERING

- Once behind a locked door, never unlock unless you plan to evacuate
 - If someone knocks or tries to enter, be quiet (NEVER OPEN A LOCKED DOOR)
 - Show them how to spread out, scatter
 - Gather objects to throw
 - Training will also show / explain to staff and students what to do if they are not behind a locked door.
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COUNTERING

- Anything in the room can be used to throw or distract the intruder
 - Books
 - Staplers
 - Fire extinguisher
 - Chairs
 - Computers
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SWARMING

- Counter Technique – throwing / moving
 - Swarming Technique – grabbing, locking on to available limbs to restrict movement and bring attacker to the ground
 - Weapon control – direct at the ground while swarming, attack the weapon
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EVACUATE

ALWAYS THE PREFERRED RESPONSE

Occupants must have the authority to leave the building

Leave all belongings behind

No vehicles

Remove as many potential targets as possible

Removes need for parents to come to the scene

Evacuate to a rally point

WHEN THE POLICE ARRIVE

- Police's objective is to stop the intruder and will pass by anyone who is injured and wanting help.
 - When we achieve our directive we will come back for you and do everything we possible can.
 - If running out of the building
 - Leave belongings behind
 - Keep hands up and open
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CLASSROOM DEMOS

- School training drills

Lockdown

Evacuate

Counter / Evacuate

SUMMARY

- We have trained the administration and are currently in the process of training all the faculty.
 - We have already begun training the students during our normal lockdown procedures and through evacuation / reunification drills
 - Questions
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THANK YOU