THREAT ASSESSMENT

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Basic Threat Assessment

September 26-27, 2023 ESU 16, 314 W 1st St, Ogallala plus Zoom Registration Here

January 29–30, 2024
ESU 5 – 900 W Court St, Beatrice
plus Zoom
Registration Here

Level 2 - Threat Communication

November 10, 2023 ESU 7 - 2657 44th Ave, Columbus plus Zoom Registration Here

March 1, 2024
ESU 9, 5807 Osborne Dr W,
Hastings
plus Zoom
Registration Here

Level 3 - Threat Management

December 1, 2023 ESU 3, 6949 So. 110th, LaVista plus Zoom Registration Here

April 19, 2024 ESU 6 - 210 5th St, Milford plus Zoom Registration Here

May 30, 2024
ESU 13 – 4215 Ave I, Scottsbluff
plus zoom
Registration Here

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Cost Reimbursement Form

Basic Threat Assessment

Threat assessment and management evolved from practices used to assess and manage potential risk of violence. This K-12 school team training will help your school form or enhance the team that will focus on identifying, assessing and managing the risk/threat of violence posed by students, staff, and community members toward the school community. Schools are encouraged to participate with a team of at least 4 members (e.g., administrators, faculty/staff, security or law enforcement partner, and mental health partner). The purpose of threat assessment teams is distinct from issues addressed by safety teams, student behavior teams, and crisis response teams, though all of these school teams may be implicated in strategies for monitoring and managing potential threats. Teams will leave the workshop with sample protocols to adapt for use in their school environment. The objectives for this two-day training include:

- 1. Identify and use the principles of threat assessment and management in school settings
- 2. Demonstrate effective strategies for assessing risk
- 3. Formulate strategies for monitoring and managing risk
- 4. Describe effective threat assessment and management protocols appropriate for school settings
- 5. Apply principles of threat assessment and management to case examples

Level 2 - Threat Communication

- **Prerequisite: Need to have taken Threat Assessment Level I Training**
 - Dealing with assessment challenges
 - Assessing emerging issues related to threat assessment (e.g., extremism, social media, mental illness)
 - Managing cases over time
 - Coordinating management strategies with community resources

Level 3 - Threat Management

*Prerequisite: Need to have taken Threat Assessment - Level I Training**

During this one-day training, participants will explore practical threat management strategies for use in school settings. Different interventions will be discussed that are appropriate for use with students or adults/staff.

Effective interventions are built on good information and feedback that can be difficult to obtain due to privacy or legal barriers. Training will include strategies for addressing these barriers.

Participants will enhance their ability to obtain good information via interactions with subjects, witnesses, and targets by enhanced elicitation skill building activities.