



# Wisconsin School Safety Coordinators Certification Program Module 6 Part 3

General Aspects of Crisis and  
Emergency Management for Schools  
Hazard Identification and Mitigation

# Hazard Identification and Mitigation

- Multi Hazard Identification- Based on data and research what hazards most likely exist in each location?
  - Based on past experience identify hazards present in each of the following locales that impact your school or schools. *Worksheet 3*
  - Inside Facility
  - On Grounds
  - Off-Site
- What events are more likely to occur in your school?

# Hazard Identification and Mitigation- Now What?

- Rely on Best Practice and Required Standards of Conduct:
  - NIMS and ICS Standards
  - OSHA Standards
  - Department of Safety and Professional Services (DSPS)
  - NFPA Standards
- Key Point
  - Make sure you document document interventions and programs used to mitigate hazards

# Hazard Mitigation Examples

- Dangerous Chemicals in school
  - Remove unnecessary
  - Store according to code
  - Proper MSDS in Place
  - Chemicals Inventoried
  - Materials vented as necessary
  - Decontamination supplies available
  - Proper Labeling
  - Find safer alternatives
- Local transport of hazardous materials
  - Identify hazardous materials
  - Ability to control outside air intake
  - Determine safest evacuation routes
  - Determine safest evacuation locations
  - Identify transport needs
  - Establish transport resource

# Event Planning- What to include?

- Based on the identification of hazards and the likelihood of events occurring in your school or community determine the critical events necessary to plan for in your Emergency and Crisis response plan?

# Possible Inclusions for Emergency Response and Action- Mega Violence

- Immediate Threat Response

- Bomb Threat
- Shooting in School
- Shooting Outside School
- Weapon on Campus
- Threatening Person in School
- Threatening Person Outside of School

- Immediate Threat Response

- Assault, Sexual Assault
- Fights
- Large Group Altercation
- Suicide
- Threat to Self/Others
- Radiological Release
- Biological, Chemical, Toxic Contamination or Release

# Possible Inclusions for Emergency Response and Action- Person Related

- Immediate Response
  - Medical Emergency
  - Death
  - Accident
  - Kidnapping
  - Missing Person
  - Theft
  - Drugs and Alcohol on Campus

# Possible Inclusions for Emergency Response and Action-Facility Related

- Immediate Response

- Fire
- Chemical Spill
- Gas Leak
- Explosion
- Tornado/Severe Weather
- Straight Line Winds
- Flooding
- Utility Failure

- Response ASAP

- Vandalism
- Graffiti