## Crisis Prevention & Preparedness: Comprehensive School Safety Planning

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# Crisis Prevention-Balancing Physical & Psychological Safety

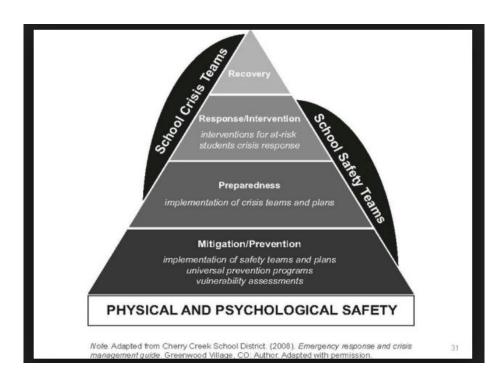
Physical Safety-- Focused on the physical structures of the school environment

Psychological Safety-- Focused on the emotional and behavioral well-being of students and staff



P	Prevent and Prepare for psychological trauma
R	Reaffirm physical health and perceptions of security and safety
Е	Evaluate psychological trauma risk
P a R	Provide interventions  and  Respond to psychological needs
E	Examine the effectiveness of crisis prevention and intervention

### Model of Comprehensive School Safety Planning



#### School Safety Plan-- Goals

- Ensure common language, vision, and training
- Address both physical and psychological safety
- Ensure legal requirements are met
- Include input from key stakeholders
- Align district and school safety initiatives and plans
- Distribute responsibility for sustaining safety efforts
- Encompass crisis response plans
- Link district and school safety initiative and plans

#### School Safety Plans

 Current plans were robust, but needed direction and standardization

- Three primary components
  - Safety Plan
  - Emergency Operations Plans
  - Functional Appendices

#### **Drills**

#### **Identified Need**

Scenario based drills, with shared, standard districtwide focus

#### Response

- Monthly drills with a specific focus for the month
- After Action Review

### **Trainings 2018-19**

- PREPaRE (September 17 & 18)
  - > 100 Administrators and Staff in Site Teams
- Active Shooter Incident Management (September 20)
  - Law Enforcement, Fire, EMS
- Standard Response Protocol (October 22)
- First Care Provider and Community Emergency Response Team (TBD)
- PREPaRE Workshop 2 (TBD)

**Questions and Discussion**