ACTIVE SHOOTER WORKSHOP

UNIVERSITY POLICE

ACTIVE SHOOTER RESPONSE
LEARN HOW TO SURVIVE A SHOOTING EVENT

RUN
HIDE
FIGHT

CALL 911 ONLY WHEN IT'S SAFE TO DO SO
TRAINING FOCUS

• ENHANCE ACTIVE SHOOTER PREPAREDNESS THROUGH A “WHOLE COMMUNITY” APPROACH
• PROVIDE TOOLS AND RESOURCES TO HELP INFORM, PREVENT, AND PREPARE FOR AN ACTIVE SHOOTER INCIDENT
• RUN / HIDE / FIGHT IS THE RESPONSE WE RECOMMEND
• AN OPPORTUNITY TO CAPTURE YOUR THOUGHTS AND CONCERNS
DEFINITION

• An active shooter is an individual actively engaged in killing or attempting to kill people in a confined and populated area; active shooters use firearm(s) and there is no pattern or method to their selection of victims.
How Many Mass Shootings Does the U.S. Experience?

Number of mass shootings and number of deceased since 2013 in the U.S.

- **Number of shootings**
  - 2013: 5
  - 2014: 4
  - 2015: 7
  - 2016: 6
  - 2017: 11
  - 2018: 12
  - 2019: 10
  - 2020: 2
  - 2021*: 4

- **Number of deceased**
  - 2013: 35
  - 2014: 18
  - 2015: 46
  - 2016: 71
  - 2017: 117
  - 2018: 80
  - 2019: 73
  - 2020: 9
  - 2021*: 30

* to date
Minimum of three shot and killed (excluding perpetrator) by lone shooters in public places over short periods of time

Source: Mother Jones
• While the likelihood of being involved in an active shooter incident is low, the increased frequency of these events on college campuses is concerning and isn’t a new phenomenon.

• A 2018 analysis by TribLive discovered 75 college campus shootings since 1968. 73% have happened in the last 18 years alone.

• Gun violence on college campuses is a real threat and something that every campus needs to prepare for.
PREVENTION

• While there are no active shooter prevention systems or strategies that have been proven to work 100% of the time, there are preventative approaches that are worth the effort they require.

• Let’s focus on 20 strategies that can increase the chances that a planned attack will be prevented.

• These strategies should be viewed as options to be considered rather than pass/fail items on a checklist.
11 ACTIVE SHOOTER PREVENTION STRATEGIES WE’VE IMPLEMENTED

1. MULTI-DISCIPLINARY THREAT EVALUATION AND MANAGEMENT
   • CARE AND CVCT TEAMS

2. ANONYMOUS REPORTING SYSTEMS

3. BANNING POTENTIAL VIOLATORS FROM CAMPUS

4. EFFECTIVE USE OF CRIME PREVENTION THROUGH ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN CONCEPTS

5. SPECIFIC SECURITY MEASURES IN KEY AREAS
11 Active Shooter Prevention Strategies We’ve Implemented

6. Properly trained and equipped law enforcement officers

7. Monitoring of social media

8. Multi agency information databases

9. Internal information sharing

10. Proper background checks of employees

11. Intrusion detection systems
9 ACTIVE SHOOTER PREVENTION STRATEGIES WE COULD CONSIDER

1. VISUAL WEAPONS SCREENING
2. CAMPUS WIDE TRAINING ON HOW TO RECOGNIZE AND REPORT BEHAVIORS OF CONCERN
3. BETTER PHYSICAL PERIMETER SECURITY
4. VISITOR MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS
5. INCREASED TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT
9 ACTIVE SHOOTER PREVENTION STRATEGIES WE COULD CONSIDER

6. GUN DETECTION CANINES

7. SECURITY CAMERAS WITH FACIAL RECOGNITION SOFTWARE

8. LICENSE PLATE RECOGNITION CAMERAS

9. ENTRY POINT METAL DETECTION
HOW TO PREPARE FOR AN ACTIVE SHOOTER

• READ THE UNIVERSITY EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN
• PREPARE A DEPARTMENT EMERGENCY PLAN
• PARTICIPATE IN BUILDING EVACUATION DRILLS AND KNOW WHERE YOUR BUILDING’S EMERGENCY ASSEMBLY POINT IS LOCATED
• SIGN UP FOR EMERGENCY NOTIFICATIONS THROUGH CHICO STATE ALERTS
• COMPLETE FIRST AID / CPR TRAINING
HOW TO PREPARE FOR AN ACTIVE SHOOTER

• Watch the campus’ Active Shooter Training Video
• Attend a live Run/Hide/Fight training session offered by UPD personnel each semester
• Bring a live Run/Hide/Fight training session to your department or other campus area
HOW TO RESPOND TO AN ACTIVE SHOOTER

• QUICKLY DECIDE THE MOST REASONABLE WAY TO PROTECT YOUR OWN LIFE
  • RUN / EVACUATE
  • HIDE / SHELTER IN PLACE
  • FIGHT / TAKE ACTION AGAINST THE ACTIVE SHOOTER

• STUDENTS, EMPLOYEES, VISITORS ARE LIKELY TO FOLLOW THE LEAD OF INSTRUCTORS AND/OR SUPERVISORS
Questions?