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E-UPDATE FROM CSSRC ~ You are receiving this email as a subscriber of the Colorado School Safety Resource Center's (CSSRC) listserv. E-Updates from the CSSRC will contain the most current information about the Center's activities and resources, as well as other school safety efforts throughout the state of Colorado and relevant national resources. **Please forward this to others on your email list that have an interest in supporting safe and positive schools in Colorado. They may register for this listserv on our website www.Colorado.gov/SchoolSafetyResourceCenter or www.Colorado.gov/CSSRC.**

THE DIRECTOR'S CORNER

October is Colorado and National Safe Schools Month!

- ❖ The School Safety Resource Center suggests that you use this month to remind parents of all that you do to keep their students safe in your districts. Although created a few years back, here are some [samples](#) that can be used to let your communities know about your school safety efforts.

- ❖ As many of you know, we have had a rash of student suicides already this school year across the state. I know everyone is concerned about this uptick. When the Center learns of such tragedies, we have been forwarding resources to schools that we would hope help in your response. I am listing and linking to each of them here so that your mental health professionals and administrators can have them on hand. You will notice that we are including information for the media that is designed to help limit the risk of contagion, a very real possibility when teens are involved.
 - ◆ [After a Suicide Toolkit](#)
 - ◆ [AFSP Media Guidelines](#)
 - ◆ [CSSRC - Organizing a School Crisis Response](#)
 - ◆ [CSSRC - Risk Factors & Warning Signs for Suicide](#)
 - ◆ [Informing Students of a Tragedy](#)
 - ◆ [Parent Handout on Suicide](#)

- ❖ Center staff have had a great deal of experience responding to school suicides and we would be happy to consult with any school staff when these tragedies strike. Please feel free to call our office and let us help (303.239.4435). We also want to remind you of the following resources available across much of the state:
 - National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 1-800- 273-TALK (8255)
 - Colorado Crisis Services – 1-844- 493-TALK (8255) or Text: “TALK” to 38255
 - Professionals and peer counselors available via phone
 - Mobile crisis services
 - Respite care and other services
 - SAFE2TELL – 1-877- 542-7233
 - TREVOR PROJECT – 1-866- 488-7386
 - TRANS LIFELINE – 1-877- 565-8860
 - Second Wind Fund, Inc. – NOT a crisis line but a therapy referral source for school professionals at 303-988- 2645

- ❖ Please note that Maureen Johnson Ediger, Executive Director of the Second Wind Fund, Inc., and I will be presenting a workshop on Addressing Suicide Postvention to Decrease Contagion at the October 18th and 19th 2017 Colorado Safe Schools Summit. I hope you will join us there.

OFFLINE OCTOBER

- ❖ A group of students from the Littleton community have proclaimed Offline October in a challenge to take a break from social media (mainly snapchat) for 30 days. The students' hope is that people realize the importance of human relationships and the happiness that can come from direct human interaction. This month gives people the opportunity to evaluate the impact social media has on their lives. The students will host a weekly event where all kids, all ages, any school are welcome to attend...hikes/volleyball tournaments/volunteering etc.
- ❖ To learn more and take the challenge, please see:
 - video link: <http://www.offlineoctober.com/about.html>
 - Website: <http://www.offlineoctober.com>

Kindest Regards

Chris Harms

COLORADO SCHOOL SAFETY RESOURCE CENTER TRAINING

New Sexting Law

- As of January 1, 2018, there will be a new sexting law in Colorado. Please see [this webcast](#) from Child Sexual Abuse Prevention Specialist, Margaret Ochoa, J.D. There is also a one-page explanation of the law [here](#).

Needs Assessment

Please help us, help you! In the wake of the full rollout of the Claire Davis School Safety Act, we anticipate an increase in the number of requests for training, consultation and resources. If you haven't already, we ask you to **please complete this anonymous Needs Assessment** to help direct our work over the next few years. It shouldn't take more than 10 minutes and the information will be invaluable as we move our school safety efforts forward. Thank you!

2017 Colorado Safe Schools Summit - Registration Now Open:

- **When: Wednesday and Thursday, October 18th and 19th**
- **Where: Adams 12 Five Star Schools Conference Center, 1500 E. 128th Avenue, Thornton**
- **Cost: \$95.00 plus registration fees at checkout for a total of \$100 for both days.**
- This annual event is brought to you by the CSSRC in collaboration with the Center for the Study and Prevention of Violence at CU, Boulder and Safe2Tell.
- Four plenaries and 24 workshops will comprise the two-day event. Please access the agenda [here](#).
- Please see the flyer [here](#) and share with your colleagues.
- **Registration is filling and our space is limited to 350. Please reserve your spot [here](#).**

Restorative Practices Workshop Survey

If you were able to attend one of our **Restorative Practices in Schools** workshops over the last year, please see the survey information below!

If you attended one of the restorative practices workshops in Keystone (May 2016), Highlands Ranch (June 2016), Grand Junction (August 2016), Pueblo (November 2016), Thornton (March 2017) or Wheatridge (August 2017) **we need your help!** In order to finalize our grant report, we need to ask your assistance in gathering some follow-up information. Please take just a few minutes to answer the following survey questions. It shouldn't take more than 10 minutes.

We very much appreciate your assistance!

CURRENT EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW Statewide Forum - Substance Abuse Prevention

The Colorado Health Institute is reaching out because school substance prevention staff would be valuable participants in an upcoming community meeting about substance use prevention programs in your area. There are regional in-person meetings and four call-in options on October 17th and 18th.

How will your participation make a difference?

The purpose of these statewide meetings is to gather shared needs and feedback from primary prevention providers and community members. Feedback will be compiled to identify state priorities. We truly appreciate that each region, town and zip code are unique. The forums are the start of this conversation and process. They look forward to beginning it with you!

Who are the meetings for?

There are two types of forums:

1. **Community Conversations** are for community stakeholders with interests or experience in substance use, prevention or supporting youth. Participants may include parents, teens, **educators**, youth workers, citizen organizations, business associations, educational / cultural / religious leaders, clinicians, and community members with experience of substance abuse.
2. **Expert Focus Groups** are for prevention or substance use experts. Participants may include substance use experts, public health professionals, as well as prevention program managers, trainers, and evaluators.

When:

1. Dates:
 - a. Monday, October 2, 2017 - Durango
 - b. Monday, October 9, 2017 - Aurora
 - c. Wednesday, October 11, 2017 - Pueblo
 - d. Thursday, October 12, 2017 - Greeley and Colorado Springs
 - e. Tuesday, October 17, 2017 - Online
 - f. Wednesday, October 18, 2017 - Online
 - g. Thursday, October 19, 2017 - Steamboat Springs

What will happen at the forums?

At the Community Conversations, participants will:

- Discuss prevention programs in their community, including which work and which don't, and needs for parent and community substance abuse education.
- Capture substance abuse prevention priorities.
- Share community assets and connect local resources.

At the Expert Focus Groups, participants will:

- Share ways to improve how prevention programs are funded.
- Discuss gaps in prevention funding and services, including ways to improve coordination and leadership across programs and funders.
- Share strengths, weaknesses, and barriers to adopting evidence-based prevention programs.

Why are they happening?

Colorado Health Institute (CHI) is conducting a statewide needs assessment of primary prevention programming for substance abuse. CHI's goal is to help the state's Office of Behavioral Health and its partners better use their resources to strengthen Colorado's substance abuse prevention efforts. To do this, they need broad and comprehensive input from community stakeholders and consumers.

Food will be served at both forums. Reimbursements will be provided to individuals who are not paid prevention experts.

You can find details about other meetings in the attached [flyer](#).

To help them prepare, **RSVP using the form <http://bit.ly/SNAPSrsvp>.**

Questions? Contact SNAPS@Coloradohealthinstitute.org

CSSRC ONLINE COURSE OFFERINGS & ARCHIVED PRESENTATIONS

❖ To view all online courses, click on the link below.

- [Link to CSSRC online course offerings](#)
- [Click here to see Live Streams of all previous keynote addresses](#)

WEBINARS and OTHER ONLINE LEARNING COURSES

NEW [LifeSkills Training for Drug-free Youth](#)

- This webinar is provided by [Botvin LifeSkills Training](#).
- **When: October 4, 2017, 1:00 pm ET**
- **What: "Reduce alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, and other drug abuse."**
- **View more information and register [here](#).**

NEW [Human Trafficking 101 Webinar](#)

- This webinar is offered by the [Colorado Organization for Victim Assistance \(COVA\)](#).
- **When: Thursday, October 5, 2017, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm**
- **What: "Raise awareness about human trafficking, offer insight to the types of human trafficking found in Colorado and the response to both labor and sex trafficking."**
- **View more information and register [here](#).**

NEW [Teaching Marijuana Prevention](#)

- This training is offered by [National Health Promotion Associates \(NHPA\) with Botvin LifeSkills](#)
- **When: Session 1 - November 6, 2017; Session 2 - November 13, 2017**
- **What: "In this workshop, participants will explore the social and legal trends in acceptance, the pharmacology of marijuana, and effective strategies for responding to the misconceptions adolescents hold about marijuana."**
- **Cost: \$300.00**
- **Registration information [here](#).**

OTHER COLORADO TRAININGS and EVENTS

[Rocky Mountain West Mental Health First Aid \(MHFA\) Summit](#)

- This conference is being sponsored by the [Colorado Behavioral Healthcare Council](#)
- **When: October 4 - 7, 2017**
- **Where: Beaver Run Resort & Conference Center, 620 Village Road, Breckenridge, CO 80424**
- **What: "Real-time coaching practice, subject-matter experts, facilitated networking, and speakers to inspire, challenge, and recognize instructors and their potential."**
- **See the preview of the program [here](#).**
- **Register [here](#).**

NEW [Affective Needs Conference](#)

- This conference is held by [Colorado Council for Children with Behavior Disorders](#)
- **When: Friday, October 13, 2017, 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM**
- **Where: DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel, 3203 Quebec St. Denver, CO 80207**
- **What: "One day skill building and awareness level conference on meeting the social, emotional and behavioral needs of all students, with strong tier 2 and tier 3 interventions."**
- **Cost: CCBD Member - \$100.00 General Registration - \$135 .00 At the door registration - \$150.00 - all prices will have additional fees during registration**
- **Register [here](#).**

NEW [Overcoming Barriers to Protecting Children From Sexual Abuse](#)

- This training is offered by [Illuminate Colorado](#)

- **When:** Tuesday, **October 17, 2017, 9:00 Am - 12:00 PM**
- **Where:** Illuminate Colorado, 1530 W 13th Ave, Denver, CO 80204
- **What:** “Learners will acknowledge and discuss the barriers to recognizing and responding to a range of uncomfortable situations.”
- **Cost:** \$15.00
- **Register** [here](#).

Parents Encouraging Parents (PEP) Conferences

- This program is provided by the [Colorado Department of Education](#) (CDE).
- **When and where:**
 - **October 17 - 21, 2017, Breckenridge, CO**
 - **February 22 - 24, 2018, Colorado Springs, CO**
 - **April 26 - 28, 2018, Mt. Crested Butte, CO**
- **What:** “PEP conferences are designed to promote family and school partnerships that are essential in supporting students with disabilities and their families in schools and the community.”
- You can view more information [here](#).
- **Apply** [here](#).

Positive Youth Development (PYD) Training

- The trainings are provided by the [Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment \(CDPHE\)](#).
- **When and where:**
 - **October 20, 2017, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm, Commerce City**
 - **November 8, 2017, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm, Fort Collins**
 - **March 16, 2018, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm, Canon City**
- **What:** These trainings will cover multiple topics such as Training on Positive Youth Development, An introduction to Adolescent Development, and more.
- **Register** [here](#).
- You can contact Rebecca Medina by email RebeccaM.Medina@state.co.us with questions.

Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST)

- This [Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training \(ASIST\)](#) is a two day workshop sponsored by [Greater Littleton Youth Initiative](#) and [Littleton Public Schools](#).
- **When:**
 - Thursday and Friday, **October 26-27, 2017;**
 - Thursday and Friday, **February 8-9, 2018**
 - Thursday and Friday, **May 31 - June 1, 2018**
- **Where:** Ames Training Center, 7300 So. Clermont Drive, Centennial, CO.
- **What:** “Develop skills necessary to use the Pathways to Assisting Life (PAL) model, including understanding what a person at risk needs from a suicide intervention caregiver and learn how to create a keep safe plan using the safety framework.”
- You can view more information [here](#).
- See the flyer [here](#).
- Register [here](#).

Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST)

- This training is sponsored by [Douglas County School District](#), [Douglas County Sheriff’s Office](#), [Douglas/Arapahoe Suicide Prevention Alliance \(DASPA\)](#), [Douglas County Government—Philip S Miller Grant](#), [Rotary Club Castle Pines](#), and many other community sponsors.
- **When: Multiple Dates:**
 - **November 7-8, 2017**
 - **February 7-8, 2018**
 - **March 7-8, 2018**
 - **June 6-7, 2018**

- **September 12-13, 2018**
- **November 1-2, 2018**
- **What:** Two-day workshop in suicide intervention skills. Learn and practice this life-saving intervention model that is widely used by professionals and the general public.
- **Cost:** \$50 Community Member, \$25 Douglas/Arapahoe Suicide Prevention Association (DASPA) Member
- **See flyer [here](#).**
- **Register online [here](#)!** Select the District A-Z tab, choose Professional Development, and select ASIST.

Resources for Teaching after Charlottesville

- [Facing History and Ourselves](#) has assembled resources to assist classroom teachers in [discussions about Charlottesville](#).
- You can view more information [here](#).

Community Youth Organization Bullying Prevention Training Class

- This training is provided by [Olweus Bullying Prevention Program](#) and [Clemson Safe and Humane Schools](#).
- **When:** **May 3, 2018, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm; May 4, 2018, 8:30 am - 2:30 pm**
- **Where:** Betty Ford Center 14001 East Iliff Ave Ste 120, Aurora, CO 80014
- **What:** “Prepares leaders of youth-serving community organization to train their staff in bullying prevention.”
- **Cost:** \$595 per class.
- You can view more information [here](#).
- **Register [here](#).**

ADL’s No Place for Hate Initiative

- This is sponsored by the [Anti-Defamation League](#).
- **When:** **School Year 2017-2018**
- **Where:** Your school when you’ve registered!
- **What:** *No Place For Hate* can help your school foster a culture of respect and create a safe, bully-free learning environment for students at all grade levels.
- **See the information [here](#).**
- **Sign up [here](#)!**

NATIONAL TRAININGS and EVENTS

NEW Stop the Bleed Workshops - Offered in Colorado

- This nationwide campaign is offered by [Centura Health](#).
- The goal of the workshop is to ensure everyone is able to stop life threatening bleeding.
- Workshops can be scheduled by contacting Robert Hayes by email roberthayes@centura.org or by phone 720-321-8973.
- See the flyer [here](#).



NEW Botvin LifeSkills - Provider Training Workshops

- This training is provided by [Botvin LifeSkills Training](#).
- There are multiple dates and locations around the country for different types:
 - Middle School Workshops
 - High School Workshops
 - Online Webinars and more
- See more information, locations, and register [here](#).
- You can also arrange for a trainer to come to you by emailing training@nhpamail.com or calling 800-293-4969

NEW 29th Annual ATTACH Conference

- This conference is by [ATTACH](#).
- **When:** **Thursday, October 12th – Saturday, October 14th, 2017.**
- **Where:** Denver Marriott Tech Center, 4900 South Syracuse Street, Denver, CO 80237

- View a copy of the program [here](#).
- Register [here](#).

NEW [Say Something Week, October 16 - 20](#)

- This program is from [Sandy Hook Promise](#) - "SHP is focused on preventing gun violence (and other forms of violence and victimization) BEFORE it happens by educating and mobilizing youth and adults on mental health and wellness programs that identify, intervene and help at-risk individuals."
- What is Say Something Week?
 - "Say Something teaches students, grades 6 -12, how to look for warning signs, signals and threats - especially in social media - from individuals who may want to hurt themselves or others and to Say Something to a trusted adult to get them help."
 - "Say Something Week is a no-cost, easy to implement program from Sandy Hook Promise that focuses on preventing violence, suicide and fear-inducing threats before they happen."
- To sign up your school or youth organization to participate in National Say Something Week, **October 16 - 20**, please visit their website [here](#).

NEW [Botvin LifeSkills - Training of Trainers Workshop](#)

- This training is provided by [Botvin LifeSkills Training](#).
- **When: November 2 - 3, 2017**
- **Where:** National Health Promotion Associates, 711 Westchester Ave. Ste 301, White Plains, NY
- **What:** "This two-day advanced training workshop teaches you how to deliver and conduct LifeSkills Training workshops for your organization."
- **Cost:** \$1070 - 2 days of training and materials
- Register [here](#).

[2017 International Bullying Prevention Conference Program: Hitting the High Notes with Empathy & Kindness](#)

- "This is the conference for dialogue, learning, and exploration of topics critical to schools, agencies, and individuals dedicated to bullying prevention. Conference workshops, poster sessions, and TED-inspired sessions include practical, hands-on solutions and theoretical, research-based presentations. You will leave the conference with strategies and tools you can begin using immediately in your school or community."
- This is sponsored by the [International Bullying Prevention Association](#)
- **When: November 5-7, 2017**
- **Where:** Nashville, TN
- **What:** This is the conference for dialogue, learning, and exploration of topics critical to schools, agencies, and individuals dedicated to bullying prevention.
- You can view conference information [here](#).
- You can register [here](#).

NEW [Nonviolent Crisis Intervention Training Program - Held in Colorado](#)

- This training is held by [Crisis Prevention Institute \(CPI\)](#).
- **When: Monday, November 13 - 16, 2017, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm**
- **Where:** Ames Facility, 7300 S Clermont Dr, Centennial, CO 80122
- **What:** "With a core philosophy of providing for the Care, Welfare, Safety, and SecuritySM of everyone involved in a crisis situation, the program's proven strategies give human service providers and educators the skills to safely respond to various levels of risk behavior while balancing the responsibilities of care."
- Register [here](#).

[2018 BluePrints Conference - National Conference Held Locally!](#)

- BluePrints "helps you easily identify evidence-based programs that help young people reach their full potential. Get ahead of serious challenges that influence children's success with programs that have the highest standards for promoting prosocial behavior, academic success, emotional well-being, physical health and positive relationships." BluePrints programs are rated by the Center for the Study and

Prevention of Violence at CU, Boulder.

- This is sponsored by [Blueprints](#), [Functional Family Therapy](#), and [MST Services](#).
- **Save the date - April 30, 2018 - May 2, 2018**
- **Where:** Westin, Westminster, Colorado
- More information can be found [here](#).

CURRENT GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

Call for Safe Routes to School (SRTS) Infrastructure and Non-Infrastructure Projects

- This grant is available through the [Colorado Department of Transportation \(CDOT\)](#)
- The goal of the grant is to help enable and encourage more children to safely bicycle and walk to and from school.
- Eligible activities include, but are not limited to:
 - Infrastructure - Planning, design, and construction of safe school routes and facilities for children to walk and bicycle to and from school
 - Non-Infrastructure - Educating children, parents, and communities about safe walking and bicycling practices and the health benefits that result from walking and bicycling to and from school
- **Training sessions for application completion** and more are available:
 - **Monday, October 3, 2017**, 9:30 am - 11:30 am; CDOT Region 4 Office, 10601 W. 10th St. Available through webinar as well [here](#).
 - **Tuesday, October 11, 2017**, 9:00 am - 11:00 am; CDOT Region 5, 3803 North Main Avenue, Durango, CO 81301. Available through webinar as well [here](#).
- **Applications are due by close of business Wednesday, November 1, 2017.**
- You can access the application and more [here](#).

NEW School Lead Testing Grants

- This grant information comes from the [Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment \(CDPHE\)](#).
- This grant was established by House Bill 17-1306 and the proposal for the grants will be submitted to the Water Quality Control Commission for a rulemaking hearing on **November 13, 2017**.
- You can view more information, sign up for rulemaking updates, and view grant eligibility information online [here](#).

RESOURCES and INFORMATION for Pre K-12 Schools

NEW Psychological First Aid Training - Teachers and Staff

- This training is offered by the Office of Emergency Preparedness and Response within the [Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment \(CDPHE\)](#).
- This free training is available because “During and after disasters, school emergencies, or crises, teachers and staff often act as both “first and last” responders. The first to assist students before other help arrives, school staff continue providing support long after other services end.”
- View the flyer [here](#).
- You can contact Lynn Garst by phone 303-692-2586 or email lynn.garst@state.co.us with questions and to schedule a training.
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NEW Behavioral Health Disaster Response App

- This app was created by the [Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration \(SAMHSA\)](#)
- The app was created to offer “behavioral health responders immediate access to tips and information for all phases of disaster response, including the resources from SAMHSA’s Disaster Kit and SAMHSA’s Behavioral Health Treatment Facilities Locator, right on their smartphone.”
- You can view more information [here](#).
- The app can be downloaded through Google Play, iTunes App Store, and BlackBerry App World.

NEW Suicide Prevention Package

- This resource titled *Preventing Suicide: A Technical Package of Policy, Programs, and Practices* comes from the [Center for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\)](#).
- The resource highlights seven strategies:
 - “Strengthening economic supports
 - Strengthening access to and delivery of suicide care
 - Creating protective environments
 - Promoting connectedness
 - Teaching coping and problem-solving skills
 - Identifying and supporting people at risk
 - Lessening harms and preventing future risk”
- The resource can be viewed, downloaded or printed [here](#).
- You can obtain more information on preventing suicide through the CDC [here](#).

NEW Mandatory Enforcement Reporting

- This information comes from the [Colorado Department of Education \(CDE\)](#).
- This resource provides information on the situations that school districts are required to report to the Colorado Department of Education (CDE).
- Detailed information from the Colorado Statute and Rule are also provided.
- You can view all of the information online [here](#).

Summary of School Safety Statistics

- “The [National Institute of Justice \(NIJ\)](#) has released the July 2017 "[Summary of School Safety Statistics](#)." This report provides data to support or dispel common perceptions related to school safety. Federal agencies, including the Departments of Education and Justice, and school safety experts collected the data reported in this publication. Topics addressed include school crime; school shootings and violence; traumatic events, such as bullying; and the threat of violence using social media.”
- Multiple school safety experts collected data for this report including federal agencies, departments of education, and more.
- Topics covered include school shootings, crime, violence, bullying and more.
- You can view the report [here](#).

Report on Anti-Bullying Policies in Colorado

- This report is provided by [One Colorado](#).
- This report provides information on current anti-bullying policies meant to protect lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer students. It measures the impact of protections added under [House Bill 1254](#) in 2011.
- You can view the report [here](#).

Adolescent SBIRT Toolkit for Educators

- This toolkit webinar was produced in partnership with [National SBIRT ATTC](#)
- This no cost toolkit includes the learner’s guide to Adolescent SBIRT and more.
- You can view more information about the toolkit [here](#).
- You can view the flyer [here](#).
- You can view the webinar [here](#).

Suicide Prevention

- These two new resources are provided by the [Suicide Prevention Resource Center](#).
- The first resource is *The Role of High School Teachers in Preventing Suicide* which can be accessed [here](#).
- The second is *Suicide Prevention Resources for Teens* which can be accessed [here](#).

Classroom Locks and Fire Safety Compliance

- As the **January 1, 2018** deadline approaches for fire compliant classroom locks, there has been a new

development.

- [Douglas County School District](#) was recently denied an exemption to outfit their classes with storeroom function locksets.
- The state's [Division of Fire Prevention and Control's Board of Appeals](#) has asked the Center to share this information with our schools. You can access the appeal [here](#).
- If you have any questions, please contact Rob Geislinger, Section Chief, Fire & Life Safety Section of DFPC: rob.geislinger@state.co.us or 303.239.4101.

Safer, Stronger, Smarter: A Guide to Improving School Natural Hazard Safety

- This guide is provided by [FEMA](#).
- This guide “provides up-to-date, authoritative information and guidance that schools can use to develop a comprehensive strategy for addressing natural hazards, including earthquake, tsunami, flood, hurricane, tornado, and high wind. It is intended to be used by administrators, facilities managers, emergency managers, emergency planning committees, and teachers and staff at K through 12 schools”
- You can view the guide [here](#).

INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

NEW Prevention Navigator - Tool to Help Choose Sexual Assault Prevention Program

- This tool was created by [Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network \(RAINN\)](#).
- The Prevention Navigator is an online forum for “college administrators and students to identify and provide feedback about sexual assault prevention programs in which they have participated.”
- The navigator and more information can be found [here](#).
- Any programs that are interested in being listed in the navigator can apply online [here](#).

NEW Campus Fire Safety Month

- This is a nationwide effort that began in 2005.
- The effort began to “raise awareness and educate students about campus-related housing fires.”
- [Campus Firewatch](#) has provided research related to fire fatalities off campus and more.
- Campus Firewatch partnered with [First Alert](#) to complete community projects that will encourage students to work with fire fighters for preventative measures.
- You can access more information and more resources [online](#).

Campus Carry Concealed Handguns Report

- This report is from the [National Center for Campus Public Safety \(NCCPS\)](#).
- This report is a resource for colleges and universities that need to develop campus carry policies consistent with state law.
- You can view the report [here](#).
- You can view the NCCPS emerging issues forums [here](#).

Increased HSIN Access for Campus Public Safety

- The [Office of Partnership and Engagement/Office for State and Local Law Enforcement \(OPE/OSLLE\)](#) within the [Department of Homeland Security \(DHS\)](#) worked with the [DHS Office of Intelligence and Analysis](#) to aid in request for [Homeland Security Information Network \(HSIN\)](#) membership for campus safety/police departments.
- Those wanting to apply for membership must be sworn law enforcement officers of non-sworn campus safety officers sponsored by a municipal law enforcement agency.
- You can contact [David Hampton](#) within OSLLLE with questions.
- You can view the full message from OSLLLE [here](#).

Managing Campus Protests and Demonstrations

- These resources are from the [National Center for Campus Public Safety \(NCCPS\)](#). [National Center for Campus Public Safety \(NCCPS\)](#).

- These resources were created to help officials and administrators “find the balance between upholding the First Amendment and ensuring public safety and security.”
- The resources are titled:
 - [“Civil Disturbances and Emergency Preparedness”](#)
 - [“Preparing for and Responding to Student Activism on Campus”](#)

[2017 National Seminar and Tabletop Exercise for Institutions of Higher Education \(NTTX\)](#)

- The seminar is provided by the [U.S. Department of Homeland Security Office of Academic Engagement](#).
- **When:** Tuesday - Wednesday, October 10 - 11, 2017
- **Where:** The University of Utah, S.J. Quinney College of Law, 383 South University St. Salt Lake City, UT 84112
- **What:** “The National Seminar and Tabletop Exercise for Institutions of Higher Education (NTTX) is a series of campus-based events to test and promote campus resilience and emergency preparedness.”
- You can view more information and register [here](#).

[Clery Act Clarification - Victim Advocates](#)

- The [Clery Act](#) is a consumer protection law that aims to provide transparency around campus crime policy and statistics. In order to comply with Clery Act requirements, colleges and universities must understand what the law entails, where their responsibilities lie, and what they can do to actively foster campus safety.
- Lately there has been some misunderstandings related to the act and mandatory reporting. [Campus Technical Assistance and Resource Project](#) has created a document that helps clarify the different roles related to the act on campus.
- View the information [here!](#)

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- Featuring daily updates on new research, resources, upcoming trainings, and Center activities.



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THE CSSRC IS AVAILABLE to any pre-K through higher education school to assist in your school safety planning. Our mission is to provide ***no-cost consultation, resources, training and technical assistance*** that can help you create a safe, positive, and successful school. We can customize a variety of trainings for your school safety and crisis planning teams or your school staff as you plan and train this school year. We invite you to continue monitoring our website (www.Colorado.gov/SchoolSafetyResourceCenter or www.Colorado.gov/CSSRC) for the latest school safety information and upcoming trainings. **Call us at: 303-239-4435.**



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Thank you for supporting safe and positive schools in Colorado!

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