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E-UPDATE FROM CSSRC ~ You are receiving this email as a subscriber of the Center's listserv. E-Updates from CSSRC will contain the most current information about the Center's activities and resources, as well as the school safety efforts throughout the state of Colorado. **Please forward this email to others on your email list with an interest in supporting safe and positive schools in Colorado. They may register for this listserv on our website**
<http://safeschools.state.co.us/index.html>

NEW TRAININGS

- ❖ **Disaster Ready Training Program for Middle and High School Students (Aurora and Denver), sponsored by READYColorado, the Governor's Office of Homeland Security, and the City and County of Denver, on behalf of the Denver Urban Area Security Initiative**
 - ✓ Registration is free and open to all middle and high school students throughout Colorado.
 - ✓ Click [here](#) to view the press release
 - ✓ **June 29, 2010**, Quest K-8 (Aurora)- [middle school program](#) (one day)
 - ✓ **July 20 – 23**, Denver Police Academy - [high school program](#) (four days)
 - ✓ For more information and to register visit www.readycolorado.com/disasterREADYtraining
- ❖ **Safe Schools Regional Training - Pueblo, October 20-21, 2010.**
 - ✓ Team registration opens **August 16, 2010**; individual registration opens **September 7, 2010**. Priority registration will be given to Southern Colorado School Districts. Please call our office for more information (303-239-4435).
 - ✓ Watch our website www.safeschools.state.co.us for registration instructions August 2010.


For more details about current trainings please go to <http://safeschools.state.co.us/training.html>

 **GRANT INFORMATION** - We are dedicated to provide you with resources to foster safe and secure learning environments, positive school climates, and early intervention to prevent crisis situations.

[COPS Office Secure Our Schools Program Funding Available](#)

- ❖ **Program Goals: The Secure Our Schools program encourages law enforcement agencies and school districts to partner together to improve school security and safety.** Through this program, applicants may request funding for the placement and use of deterrent measures such as new equipment, technology, training, and assessments at schools and on school grounds. The FY 2010 program is placing a greater focus on school safety assessments.
- ❖ **Application Deadline:** *There will be two deadlines for the FY 2010 Secure Our Schools program. The deadline for priority consideration will be **June 21, 2010**, and the second and final deadline will be **July 2, 2010**.*
- ❖ [CLICK HERE](#) for more information

For more information about grant announcements please visit
<http://safeschools.state.co.us/grantannouncements.html>

 **NEW RESOURCES POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE**- As a continued effort to provide schools and communities with links to current research and helpful materials we have highlighted some of our most recent postings below:

New Data and Statistical Resources for Safe Schools posted

- ❖ **Youth Risk Behavior Survey Results 2009** (*released June 3, 2010*). The YRBSS includes a national school-based survey conducted by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and state, territorial, tribal, and local surveys. The 2009 report includes national data and data from surveys conducted in 42 states and 20 large urban school districts. These surveys monitor health risk behaviors including unintentional injuries and violence; tobacco, alcohol, and other drug use; sexual behaviors that contribute to unintended pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases, including HIV infection; unhealthy dietary behaviors; and physical inactivity.
- ❖ Link to [Colorado Comparison to National Data](#)



TO ASSIST YOU AS YOU PLAN THIS SUMMER...

Please remember that the Colorado School Safety Resource Center is available to any Pre-K through higher education schools to assist in your school safety planning. Our mission is to provide free 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, as you prepare for the upcoming school year. We invite you to continue monitoring our website (www.safeschools.state.co.us) for the latest school safety information and upcoming trainings. We are available all summer to help you plan, train or consult. Call us at: 303-239-4435.

We wish our school partners a restful, relaxing vacation, and look forward to collaborating with you for the coming year.

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