BEST PRACTICES IN THREAT ASSESSMENT: IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR SCHOOL TEAMS

LIVE ZOOM ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

Consultants from the Pennsylvania Training and Technical Assistance Network (PaTTAN) will be facilitating a roundtable discussion with representatives from the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency (PCCD), the Pennsylvania Department of Education's (PDE) Bureau of Special Education (BSE), and the PDE Office for Safe Schools (OSS) on Best Practices in Threat Assessment: Important Information for School Teams. This opportunity will be provided through a LIVE Zoom webinar on Monday April 6, 2020, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Act 18 of 2019 amended the Public School Code of 1949 by adding Article XIII-E, Threat Assessment. Among its provisions, Article XIII-E requires the establishment of threat assessment teams for school entities in Pennsylvania and tasks the School Safety and Security Committee (SSSC) to research, develop and provide free threat assessment guidelines, training and informational materials, as well as model procedures and guidelines for school entities.

During this live roundtable discussion, representatives from PCCD, PDE's BSE and PDE's OSS will share newly developed resources and model threat assessment guidelines for school-based threat assessment teams. Additionally, they will address some frequently asked questions regarding best practices in threat assessment for school teams.

<u>Suggested participants:</u> School Administrators, School Psychologists, School Social Workers, School Counselors, Special Educators, School Safety and Security Coordinators, other school staff or community members who can assist with the threat assessment process.

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