

Active Shooter Prevention Project™

Prevention Starts Before Violence Begins



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For Nearly 70 Years

For nearly 70 years, not a single child in an American school has fallen victim to a fire-related incident. This remarkable achievement can be attributed to the implementation of comprehensive national policies that effectively ended fire-related tragedies in our schools. A well defined "fire code" meticulously followed when constructing new schools, rigorous fire code inspections, the installation of alarms, water sprinkler systems, instructional signs, regular drills, trained marshals, increased numbers of inspectors, fire department visits, hydrant checks, and active community engagement are just a few elements that underscore the extensive scope of the fire prevention strategy in America. The lives lost in the past have laid the foundation for a system that now saves countless lives. This perspective resonates widely within the general public. It is time to harness the essence of this successful strategy and use it (or incorporate it) to protect our children from the escalating pattern of violence. The ultimate solution lies in PREVENTION.



The "Why?"

The Active Shooter Prevention Project, LLC is poised to make a significant impact in the realm of safety training. With our commitment to quality, affordability, and comprehensive solutions, we are not just training individuals and organizations, we are fostering a culture of preparedness and resilience. As we move forward, we invite partners and customers alike to join us in envisioning a safer tomorrow for all.

Purpose:

To end the cycle of targeted and indiscriminate violence, including the number one form of domestic terrorism, by establishing a proactive national standard for prevention that empowers individuals, protects communities, and restores the freedom to live without fear.

Vision:

A nation where every community is resilient, every individual is empowered, and no one lives in fear.

Mission:

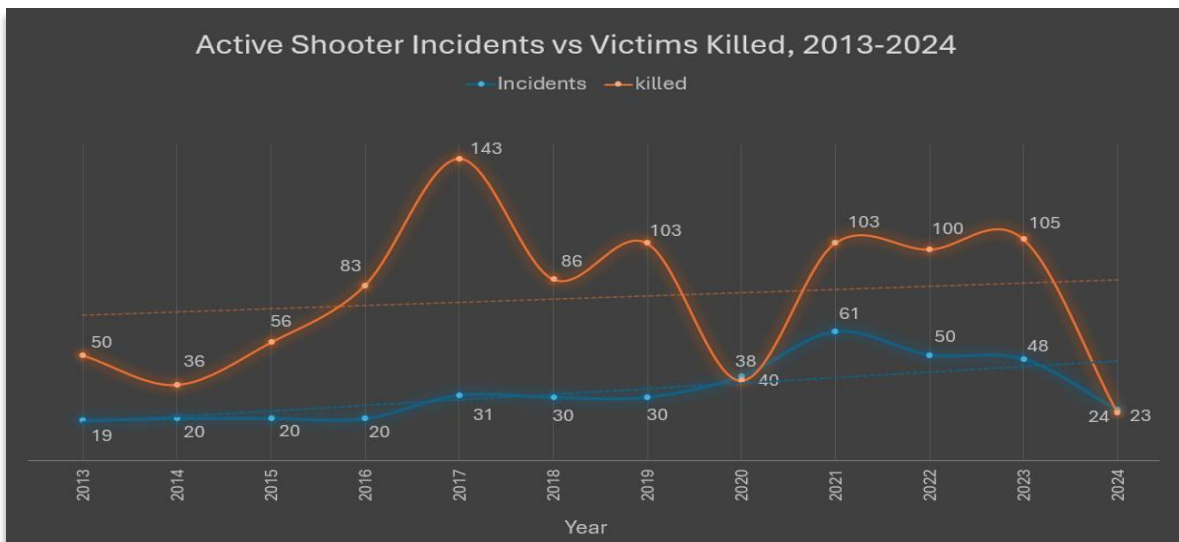
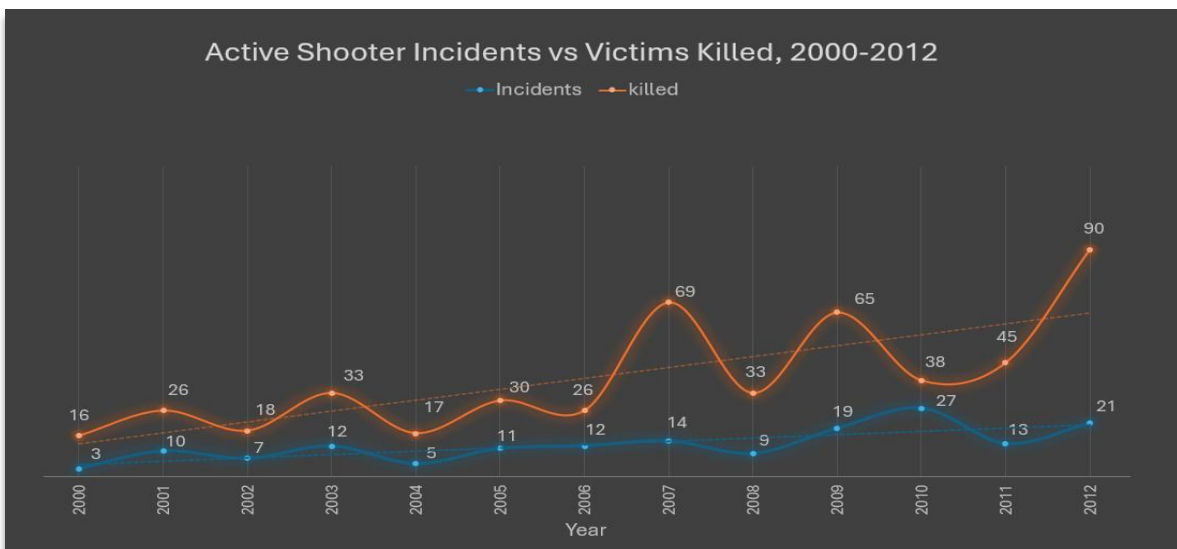
Dismantle domestic terrorism, mass shootings, and all hazard threats before they occur by equipping people, uplifting communities, and anchoring security in shared responsibility.



Lessons Learned

Utilizing FBI data, the charts below display the frequency of Active Shooter incidents and the corresponding number of lives lost in the United States from 2000 through 2024. Over this 25-year period, 556 incidents have resulted in more than 2,350 deaths and 2,900 wounded. While these figures may seem small in context, the trend reveals a steady rise in targeted violence affecting schools, workplaces, and public spaces nationwide.

Each event underscores a simple truth: rapid response saves lives, but prevention changes outcomes. Recognizing warning signs, building communication networks, and investing in proactive safety measures turn lessons learned from tragedy into strategies that protect communities.



Identifying the Problem

A cursory search of "How to respond during an Active Shooter incident?" on Google generates over 240 million results. This is an overwhelming amount of information that may leave individuals feeling lost or confused about where to start. Unfortunately, some organizations rely on the, "It'll never happen here" strategy rather than developing and implementing a plan.

Defining the Differences

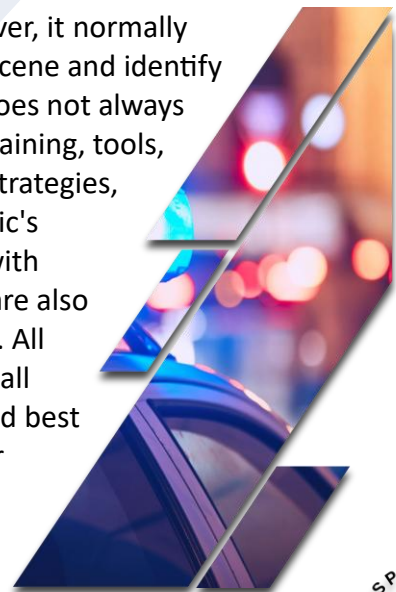
The willful manipulation of statistics by some groups to bolster their positions on certain types of violence is ongoing. Therefore, it is extremely important to clearly define terms and use a consistent methodology when trying to identify new solutions that focus on PREVENTION first.

The Active Shooter Prevention Project (ASPP) defines an Active Threat as an assailant who has the means, opportunity, and intent to cause death or serious bodily harm to innocent victims using traditional or improvised weapons during their impending attack. Specific to the use of a firearm during an attack, multiple organizations have adopted varying definitions and standards regarding what constitutes an "Active Shooter" incident. For example, some organizations exclude gang violence and domestic violence from their statistics, while other groups include accidental discharges and the brandishing of a weapon as an Active Shooter incident. These discrepancies may contribute to the general public's confusion regarding the term Active Shooter which has traditionally focused on response. Maintaining consistent standards helps us identify trends.



No Universally Accepted Best Practice

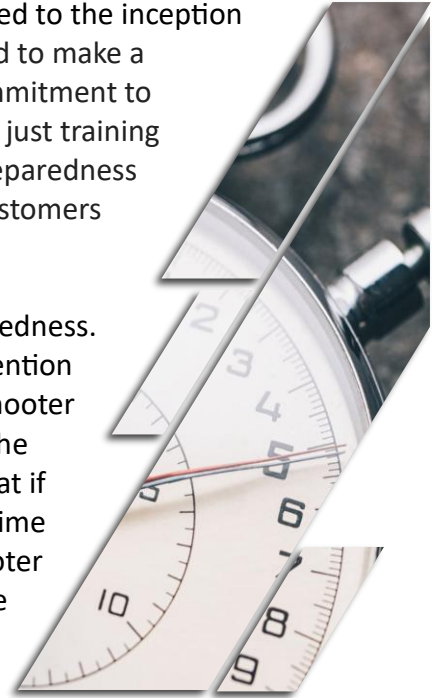
Most Active Shooter incidents are over within five minutes; however, it normally takes law enforcement more than eight minutes to arrive on the scene and identify the threat. Unfortunately, we are often reminded that response does not always equal rescue. We need to focus on PREVENTION by utilizing our training, tools, and technology to give the gift of time and save lives. Numerous strategies, catchphrases, and acronyms have emerged to help guide the public's response during an Active Shooter incident. You may be familiar with models such as Run, Hide, Fight, and Avoid, Deny, Defend. There are also acronyms including ALICE, CRASE, and ALIVE – the list is extensive. All these concepts were created with honorable intentions, and they all have some good aspects. However, there is no universally accepted best practice for how to respond during an Active Shooter incident. For example, if you have received Active Shooter training in the past, your strategy may differ from your counterpart's approach depending on what type of training you received.



The Solution - ASPP

The lack of a national standard focusing on PREVENTION first led to the inception of the Active Shooter Prevention Project (ASPP). ASPP is poised to make a significant impact in the realm of safety training. With our commitment to quality, affordability, and comprehensive solutions, we are not just training individuals and organizations. We are fostering a culture of preparedness and resilience. As we move forward, we invite partners and customers alike to join us in envisioning a safer tomorrow.

There is no need to respond with fear, but instead with preparedness. The days of planning a proper response without building prevention into our plans have ended. There is a reason why the Active Shooter industry, created by pure evil, is valued at \$4.4 billion a year. The reason is because we often buy “shiny new objects” hoping that if we spend enough money difficult problems will go away. It is time we roll out the total solution that exists to prevent Active Shooter incidents and stop evildoers in their tracks. At ASPP, we believe “fear” comes from not knowing what to do during a critical incident.



The P.R.O. Model™

The ASPP P.R.O. Model™ (Prevention. Response. Options.) focuses on PREVENTION first. Training our communities to better recognize red flags and warning signs is not enough. We also need to ensure there are reliable and anonymous reporting mechanisms in place. This information will allow Threat Assessment Teams and other trained individuals the opportunity to evaluate the information and determine if further action such as intervention is warranted. We are setting the bar by leveraging the latest advances in technology, including artificial intelligence, to alert first responders of potential threats before the first shot is fired.

When prevention fails, a quick response is essential. For example, when shots are fired, our technology can provide the police with real-time information regarding the location of the assailant(s) as they move to different positions. This provides law enforcement the ability to better evaluate and tactically respond to the incident. The ASPP Community of Experts have the knowledge to assess your organization’s specific needs and provide viable options.



800+ Years of Experience

The ASPP Community of Experts have over 800 years of combined experience in various disciplines including law enforcement, domestic terrorism, military, intelligence, teaching, training, technology, and product development. Specific to law enforcement, military, and intelligence, our experience includes local law enforcement (SWAT), FBI Hostage Rescue Team (HRT), DHS, CIA, Marine Corps, Navy SEALs, Army Rangers, Air Force, and the Coast Guard. We rely on our training, education, knowledge, and real-world experience to identify practical solutions. Our subject matter experts are spread across **21 states throughout the United States, Canada, Mexico, and Poland**. ASPP is making a difference across the globe.



Behind the 800+ years of combined experience are real people who have stood on the front lines of crisis, served communities around the world and carried the weight of decisions that saved lives. Every member of this team has been shaped not just by training and expertise, but by humanity. By the faces they've met, the stories they carry, and the lives they were sworn to protect.

But titles tell only part of the story. Their deeper qualification comes from moments that demanded courage, empathy, judgment, and unwavering commitment to others. This collective experience isn't about prestige. It's about purpose. It represents decades spent responding to emergencies, preventing tragedies, mentoring the next generation of protectors, and building systems to keep people safe. It reflects the lessons earned through sacrifice, the compassion required to serve people on their hardest days, and the belief that every life has value worth defending. Together, these leaders share one mission: to change the outcome before tragedy occurs. To elevate prevention over reaction. To empower communities, protect the vulnerable, and build a safer future where no family wonders if tragedy could happen "here."

We have seen what happens when nothing is done and are united to ensure prevention becomes the standard, not the afterthought.



Chris Grollnek, M.S., Chairman

Chris Grollnek is a globally recognized expert in active shooter prevention, public safety, and strategic leadership. With 35 years of experience spanning executive, C-Suite, and Board roles, he has built a reputation for translating complex challenges into actionable solutions. As a thought leader and industry pioneer, Chris has been instrumental in reshaping security and safety protocols, advocating for a proactive, prevention-first approach to preventing Domestic Terrorism and through an all-hazard approach. His expertise extends across operations leadership, M&A strategy, and organizational transformation.



Chris founded and scaled the Active Shooter Prevention Project (ASPP), LLC transforming it from a bootstrapped startup into a nationally recognized initiative with 140 partnerships and 28 strategic partners. As Managing Principal and CEO, he shifted the industry focus from reactive response to proactive prevention, helping to redefine public safety standards. Now serving as Chairman, he continues to guide strategic direction, leveraging the expertise of a leadership team with over 800 years of combined experience in counterterrorism and security. His thought leadership is widely recognized, with over 1,000 television appearances and speaking engagements.

Hannah Betz, M.S., Intern



Hannah V. Betz is an Executive Intern for Domestic Terrorism for ASPP. Hannah is a survivor of the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School shooting, an experience that profoundly shaped her passion for criminal justice and commitment to building safer communities. This personal journey led Hannah to earn both Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Criminal Justice & Homeland Security, with academic research focused on the impact of the "Defund the Police" movement on law enforcement officer morale, as well as the risk factors associated with past school shooters and methods for early identification. Still early in her career, Hannah has already developed expertise in criminal justice research, data analysis, and crisis response advising through roles with law firms, emergency threat response systems, and community-focused organizations. She also holds certifications in active shooter prevention, insider threat awareness, human trafficking response, and counterterrorism.

Today, Hannah leverages both lived experience and professional expertise to support law enforcement, emergency management, and security organizations in building stronger, more resilient systems to protect communities.

Senior Leadership Advisory Council

Dave Glaser: Major General, US Army (Retired), Strategic Leadership Consultant (Texas)



Major General Dave Glaser, US Army (Retired), is a highly successful, trusted & principled C-Level Executive, Advisor & Consultant with a strong record for cultivating exceptional teams, developing innovative solutions & maximizing talent. He is an ethics-based leader who is passionate about fostering an environment of trust, respect & empowerment.

Gary Connor: Brigadier General, USAF (Retired), Aerospace & Defense Consultant (Alabama)



Brigadier General Gary Connor, USAF (Retired), has over 30 years of senior executive management experience. He served as a warfighting CIO with Multi-National Force – Iraq. Gary is a seasoned leader and experienced manager specializing in “systems thinking” and strategies for complex systems.

Dan Zilinski: Subject Matter Expert Cybersecurity Risk Management (New York)



Dan Zilinski is an accomplished professional currently leading the information security audit program for a major professional sports league. Dan's collaboration with the Department of Homeland Security has resulted in the implementation of the first-of-its-kind venue assessment program for major sports leagues.

Strategic Affiliations

Strategic partnership initiatives are invaluable to the mission of ASPP, as we proactively collaborate to drive innovation by carefully and intentionally bringing together diverse perspectives, expertise, and resources. This allows us to tap into a wider range of ideas and solutions in our quest for open communication, mutual understanding, and a shared vision for the future.



ASPP Community of Experts

The ASPP Community of Experts consists of a group of mission-focused individuals who are leading the PREVENTION first charge. ASPP's values and goals have aligned with several companies that offer a wide array of products and services. These resources have been incorporated into the P.R.O. Model as viable options.



Our team believes in an all-hazards approach to emergency preparedness and recognizes there is no “magic pill” to solve all problems the same way. We are educating the public and helping organizations succeed in preventing and responding to critical incidents using a layered approach while incorporating real-world solutions



TRAIN BE READY (TBR) CONSULTING LLC

TBR Consulting stands out with its exceptional blend of national-level crisis management expertise and hands-on operational experience. Their team comprises highly seasoned instructors, trainers, and facilitators who bring a wealth of knowledge to the table. They excel in designing and facilitating critical incident exercises, crafting effective emergency plans, and cultivating strong partnerships with influential leaders in the public safety industry. When it comes to delivering top-tier services, TBR Consulting is unmatched in its commitment and capabilities.



A-TRAIN TACTICAL, LLC

A-Train Tactical is an Active Threat consulting firm that specializes in helping organizations prepare for, respond to, and recover from critical incidents. Some of the topics they focus on are maintaining situational awareness, developing a survival mindset, and working together as a team to identify and mitigate potential threats. They utilize their knowledge and experience to conduct security assessments, develop Emergency Action Plans (EAPs), and facilitate on-site Active Threat Awareness Training™ using your location as the backdrop for plausible tabletop exercises.



FAR RIDGE SERVICES

Far Ridge Services provides protection operations, security consulting, investigations, training, and other highly specialized services. Far Ridge Services is owned by Chuck Savickis, a retired FBI Special Agent and former US Navy SEAL. He has a 28-year career marked by leadership in the FBI's Hostage Rescue Team and roles in organized crime and SWAT operations in New York. He advises and trains tactical units globally. Chuck holds degrees from Framingham State University, the U.S. Naval Special Warfare Center, The FBI Academy, and Wharton's Critical Mission Team program.



ACACIA 4 CONSULTING

Providing a comprehensive spectrum of consulting, training and exercise design services, Acacia 4 Consulting is driven by the values of training, readiness, resilience and empowerment. Law enforcement leadership, critical incident management, active shooter prevention, workplace violence, and training and exercise services supporting a holistic approach to school safety are all part of Acacia 4's subject matter expertise. Acacia 4 provides corporations, schools and other organizations the knowledge, skills and resources to be prepared in today's changing environment.



IMRON CORPORATION

Founded in 1997, IMRON Corporation is an elite provider of Security Management and Access Control solutions across a variety of verticals. IMRON solutions integrate to non-proprietary open hardware platforms and offer support to more open access control platforms than any other solution in the market today. IMRON Corporation's products have been installed in and field-tested at thousands of sites worldwide, across every vertical and scale. IMRON's prime emphasis on both customer responsiveness and product innovation are crucial to our unmatched product innovation.





GARRETT

Garrett Metal Detectors provide top-tier security solutions trusted by security professionals and law enforcement alike. Garrett delivers unmatched performance from public places to private venues with proven, effective and reliable security equipment. Garrett's THD is a revolutionary detection system that is low-profile, portable, and has 360-degree detection coverage to ensure precise identification of potential threats. Their Paragon walk through metal detector has an industry-leading 66 identification zones. Garrett is the global leader of metal detection products for security and law enforcement professionals worldwide.



SCYLLA

Scylla's mission is to equip the security and defense community with next-generation AI-driven protection capabilities. Its AI-powered platform enhances critical infrastructure and operational security with solutions that include weapon recognition, anomaly detection, perimeter intrusion detection, facial recognition, and biometric access control. Through expanding partnerships, technology integrations, and solution development efforts with Department of Defense programs and affiliated organizations, Scylla continues to advance scalable, defense-aligned security innovation for domestic and international operational needs.



DAVISTA

Davista originated from the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Emeritus Center of Excellence in 2017. Leveraging their extensive knowledge in machine learning algorithms and data visualization, their comprehensive solutions identify potential risks, prescribe effective interventions, and enable their customers to significantly improve their overall risk posture. This breakthrough technology empowers organizations by enabling them to adopt a proactive approach.



CLEAR-ARMOR

Through their high-performance security glass laminate and critical life skills training, they aim to achieve this goal. As the sole supplier, manufacturer, and installer of world-patented, optically clear, and aesthetically pleasing laminates, they have the unique capability to transform glass on buildings into a robust, one-way armor that withstands multiple threat levels. Their products serve and protect a wide range of industries, ensuring safety against active threats.



SAFEWOOD DESIGNS

SafeWood Designs, Inc. manufactures bullet-resistant materials and products that enhance the safety and security of interior spaces without compromising aesthetics or structural integrity. Custom-built doors, walls, windows, shields, furniture, and are all seamlessly integrate and blend into an existing building's structure and features. Beautiful, discreet, and comprehensive, SafeWood's systems maintain an environment that is safe and secure and warm and welcoming.



BRECOURT SOLUTIONS

Brecourt's transformative technologies disrupt firearm violence by being proactive, rather than reactive, operating at the intersection of technology and humanity to meet this moment of unprecedented change and violence. Our High Threat Response System (HTRS) combines computer vision, autonomous flight, and next generation A.I. technology to detect and engage firearm threats and active shooter situations. Because our drones target the weapon, Brecourt's HTRS is safe in any environment, and across every industry.



DATABUOY

DataBuoy is dedicated to advancing public safety through cutting-edge acoustic sensing and real-time intelligence. Originating from DARPA research for the U.S. Army and Navy, its SHOTPOINT® technology delivers unrivaled accuracy in detecting and locating gunfire both indoors and outdoors, guiding first responders with speed, clarity, and confidence. Integrated with video and access systems, SHOTPOINT provides instant, automated alerts while filtering out false detections.



AMP GLOBAL STRATEGIES

AMP Global Strategies, a Woman Owned Small Business (WOSB), delivers exceptional communication systems, infrastructure, equipment, cybersecurity solutions, and consulting services. Their clientele spans across various sectors, including Government, Business, Healthcare, Education, 911 Centers, and the First Responder Communities both within the United States and internationally. They provide world-class solutions tailored to meet unique needs of their clients.



SAFWARE

Safeware, founded in 1979, is a trusted leader in protective safety equipment and responder solutions nationwide. Serving law enforcement, fire, EMS, hazmat, education, government, and industry professionals, Safeware delivers innovative products and exceptional service, offering complete, end-to-end safety solutions. Through national cooperative contracts including GSA, Safeware ensures affordable access, faster delivery, and reliable protection.



SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY

Sam Houston State University plays a nationally influential role in school safety and first-responder education through integrated research, training, and professional development. The Center for Assessment, Research, and Educational Safety (CARES), and the Bill Blackwood Law Enforcement Management Institute of Texas (LEMITE), paired with strong academic programs in criminal justice, emergency management, and public safety leadership, serve as bridges between research, policy, education, and real-world response readiness.



BLAZE DEFENSE SYSTEMS

Blaze Defense Systems provides essential equipment for crucial moments. Their range of compact fire protection tools and tactical gear is far from ordinary. As a sole source provider, they cater to individual needs with their high-quality products, and they also offer fleet-style kits for vehicle applications.



ASHER 360

ASHER 360 is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to transforming how communities and first responders’ partner to address active-shooter and hostile event threats. They operate a veteran-led training model that embeds “ASHER Qualified” professionals into schools, hospitals, houses of worship, businesses and other high-risk environments. ASHER 360 emphasizes affordability and attainability in safety solutions, promotes evolving law-enforcement leadership models, and focuses on community trust, readiness, prevention, response and recovery.



NATIONAL VIOLENCE PREVENTION HOTLINE

The National Violence Prevention Hotline, (888) 664-6652, is dedicated to saving lives and preventing violence by offering free, confidential, and compassionate support to anyone struggling with violent thoughts or fears of violence. We provide a safe space to talk, connect callers to local resources, and create personalized plans to stay safe. Our mission is to stop violence before it starts by addressing anger, isolation, and crisis through empathy, education, and early intervention. We envision a future where every person, family, and community can live free from violence.



GLOBAL SECURITY INNOVATIVE STRATEGIES (GSIS)

GSIS is a security consulting and business advisory firm headquartered in Washington, DC, with operations worldwide. GSIS leverages its extensive private sector, homeland and public security, public sector, and international expertise to provide comprehensive solutions for its clients. GSIS is focused on providing the most innovative thinking and highest-quality results for their clients.



BRIG BARKER

Brig Barker is an internationally recognized counterterrorism expert and retired FBI Special Agent. He led operations against Al-Qa’ida and ISIS with extensive deployments across Africa, the Middle East, and Europe. A former Senior Advisor to DoD Special Operations Command, he played key roles in the 1998 Embassy Bombings and 9/11 investigations. Barker wrote *The Dark Trajectory of Jihad* (2021), offering unparalleled insights into extremist ideology and counterterrorism strategy.



VERSATERM

Versaterm is a global leader in public safety technology, empowering agencies to transform operations through innovation, expertise, and dedicated service. For over 47 years, Versaterm has built trusted partnerships with public safety, forensic, judicial, and educational institutions, delivering intuitive tools that enhance efficiency and foster safer communities. Committed to progress and partnership, Versaterm helps organizations meet mission-critical needs and serve their communities with confidence.



BLACKFISH INTELLIGENCE

Blackfish Intelligence comprises a robust team of exceptionally skilled investigators who have the breadth of experience, training, and advanced skills to handle the most complex investigations. Their Due Diligence division, in coordination with their in-house digital forensics lab, focuses on risk mitigation, transparency, network, and behavioral monitoring.





VECCHI GROUP INTERNATIONAL

Vecchi Group International LLC (VGI) is a consulting and training company dedicated to behavioral threat assessment, targeted violence prevention, management, and intervention. VGI helps clients distinguish those who make threats from those who pose threats. VGI is owned by Gregory M. Vecchi, Ph.D., a U.S. Army veteran and retired FBI special agent, FBI Behavioral Science Unit Chief, and career hostage negotiator, he has more than 30 years of law enforcement experience.



KINETIC TACTICAL TRAINING SOLUTIONS LLC

Kinetic Tactical Training Solutions LLC is a veteran-owned business, committed to advancing the ongoing development of active shooter response techniques for first responders and supporting agencies. As part of their comprehensive approach, KTTS has formulated an Active Shooter Response Doctrine that is specifically tailored to the region, applicable to law enforcement, fire, and emergency management agencies of all sizes.



CRISIS RESPONSE LEADER TRAINING (CRLT), INC.

Crisis Response Leader Training (CRLT), Inc. specializes in the development of immersive simulations that resemble animated tabletop chess matches. They achieve this through a unique blend of learning management systems seamlessly integrated within captivating, scenario-driven 3D environments. This innovative approach creates engaging training experiences promoting critical thinking and decision-making in crisis response situations.



DRONE DENIAL

The rapid growth of unmanned aircraft systems (UAS), commonly referred to as drones, has introduced new operational benefits for public safety but also created evolving threats to community security, critical infrastructure, privacy, and tactical operations. As drones increasingly saturate domestic airspace, law enforcement agencies must be prepared to detect, identify, assess, track, and mitigate unauthorized or hostile drone activity.



IMAGE MAPPING

Indoor mapping technologies create detailed digital maps of the interior spaces within buildings, to allow first responders to navigate and respond to emergencies more effectively within complex structures. Providing a "bird's eye view" of indoor environments through a single-pane-of-glass approach enhances emergency response by enabling first responders access to readily available detailed information to make swifter, more informed decisions.



MIDPOINT

MidPoint Technology Group, in collaboration with Scylla and EAGL Technology, has launched an innovative program aimed at preventing and mitigating active shooter incidents. With the help of cutting-edge analytics and advanced multi-layered security measures, this program empowers facilities to prevent potential tragedies. MidPoint Technology Group has developed a comprehensive risk mitigation program that enhances physical security and preparedness.

Non-Profit 501(c)(3)

ASHER 360

ASHER 360 is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization established to forge a robust and enduring partnership between law enforcement, the community, and our Veterans to effectively address and prevent active shooter violence. We believe that by uniting first responders, all levels of government, K-12 schools, universities, houses of worship, medical facilities, businesses, and all impacted partners, we can create a cohesive and resilient team dedicated to safeguarding our communities.

ASHER 360 focuses on four key pillars:

Prevention. Response. Recovery. Resilience.

We aim to build cohesive and coordinated efforts through:

- **Community Engagement**
- **Training and Education**
- **Mentorship Programs**
- **Resource Coordination**
- **Support and Recovery**



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National Violence Prevention Hotline

The National Violence Prevention Hotline (NVPH) is transforming community safety by offering a compassionate, confidential place for individuals facing violent thoughts, and for loved ones worried about concerning behavior.

Instead of waiting until harm occurs, NVPH empowers people to speak up early, receive support, and connect to trained counselors who help redirect crisis moments into opportunities for care and healing.

The NVPH fills a critical gap by giving communities a trusted alternative to silence, stigma, or fear of involving law enforcement too soon.

This mission closely aligns with the Active Shooter Prevention Project (ASPP): prevention starts with people, awareness, and a safe path to ask for help. With both a national hotline and secure app-based support, NVPH gives communities a proactive tool to protect one another, reduce violence, and build a culture where early intervention is an act of strength and compassion.



 (888) 664-6652

Honoring Courage and Inspiring a Nation: The National Medal of Honor Museum Foundation

The National Medal of Honor Museum Foundation in Arlington, Texas stands as a living tribute to the highest ideals of service, sacrifice, and character. As a 501(c)(3) educational organization, the Foundation safeguards and celebrates the legacy of the Medal of Honor and the extraordinary individuals who have earned our nation's highest military recognition. More than a museum, it is a national beacon committed to fostering a culture of integrity, courage, and citizenship across generations.

Guided by the Medal's core values of **Courage, Sacrifice, Commitment, Integrity, Citizenship, and Patriotism**, the Foundation's mission is clear and compelling: *to inspire, equip, and connect people to live the values of the Medal of Honor, so that every individual can pursue a life of purpose, significance, and service to others.* Through immersive experiences, educational programming, and leadership initiatives, the Museum empowers leaders at every age and stage to build a stronger, more united nation.

A Shared Commitment to Character and Responsibility

The Active Shooter Prevention Project (ASPP) is humbled to support the National Medal of Honor Museum Foundation as an Inspiration Member. We recognize the Museum as a powerful source of national reflection and personal accountability: a reminder that courage is not reserved for battlefields, and leadership is not limited to rank or title. The stories preserved and celebrated by the Foundation represent the best of what America strives to be: resilient, compassionate, and united in service to one another.

At ASPP, our work centers on prevention, preparedness, and the protection of lives through education, community readiness, and proactive leadership. These efforts are deeply aligned with the Museum's values and vision. We draw inspiration from the Medal of Honor's enduring legacy as we work to build safer schools, workplaces, houses of worship, and communities across the nation. Our commitment, like the Museum's mission, is to help others feel empowered and capable of action in the moments that matter and grounded in the belief that everyday citizens can make extraordinary difference. We are honored to stand alongside the Foundation in championing these timeless values. We encourage all who share in the belief that character and courage build a stronger America to visit, learn, reflect, and carry forward the lessons of valor, resilience, and selfless service.



Onward and Upward

#NEVERHERE™ We Are on Our Way...!

In an era where headlines often echo the grim reality of today's violent times, searching for answers seems more urgent than ever. In this podcast, we journey into the heart of one of America's most pressing and complex issues, the Active Shooter phenomenon. We'll explore different facets of Prevention. Response. Options. Not just the statistics and news stories but the human impact, the infinite policy debates, and the societal undercurrents. We'll talk with experts, activists, policymakers, and those directly affected, seeking insights and experiences that help illuminate the path forward. Our journey is about addressing the problem and reimagining solutions. Our road ahead is uncertain and uncharted, we don't have a map, but we have a direction. My name... is Chris Grollnek, and this... is "Destination Never Here." Join me on this journey as we delve deep, ask hard questions, and search for real answers.



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“Remember, the most committed wins!”

~ Chris Grollnek



ASPP Staying Actively Engaged

- Super Bowl LVIII & LIX – Las Vegas & New Orleans (Security Operations Center/Active Shooter Desk)
- MidPoint Technology Group; Active Shooter Prevention Seminar – Maryland (presentation & demos)
- Blue Grass Army Depot, “Senior Briefer,” Under Secretary of Defense Nuclear Matters – Kentucky
- Ft. Leonard Wood – Missouri (technology demonstration)
- Louise M. Davies Symphony Hall – California (assessment)
- Imron Corporation, Safety & Security Summits: Lucas Oil Stadium, SoFi, AT&T, MetLife, and Allegiant Stadiums (keynote & panel discussions)
- Safeware: Miami-Dade College and Columbia College (presentation & demos)
- CFX 2024 and CFX 2025; Church Safety Conference – Tennessee (keynote & breakout presentation)
- National News Media Interviews: FOX, CNN, CBS, Newsmax, Canada TV, and many local affiliates
- Podcasts & Media: Joe Piscopo, Dr. Phil, Cop to Corporate Podcast, The Optimizer Podcast, & more
- YouTube High Five Award – ASPP’s Destination #NEVERHERE Podcast
- PSEAG - Chris Grollnek, Senior Briefer, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, Nuclear Matters
- Axis Communications- Presented ASPP P.R.O. Model to US Government Agencies
- Sam Houston State University & Region 4, Houston Texas (ASPP/CRLT launch)
- ASPP 2025 Annual Leadership Conference – Houston, Texas
- Emerging Technologies Institute – A Division of NDIA
- The School Superintendent’s Association (AASA)
- ISC West 2025, GSX 2025
- International Association of Chiefs of Police 2025 Conference
- Interservice/Industry Training, Simulation, and Education Conference (I/ITSEC) 2025
- U.S. Department of Justice “A” National Standard 2025-26-27
- Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board – Program of Instruction



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