Preparing employees for a potential active shooter incident is an integral component of an organization’s incident response planning. Because active shooter incidents are unpredictable and evolve quickly, preparing for and knowing what to do in an active shooter situation can be the difference between life and death. Every second counts.

**Unique Training Opportunity**

The University Circle Police Department and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security are hosting a one-day workshop to enhance preparedness against active shooter incidents through:

- Developing an Emergency Action Plan with guidance from expert instructors
- Identifying strengths, weaknesses, and gaps in physical security and planning considerations via break-out sessions
- Learning how to prevent active shooter incidents by recognizing behavioral indicators on the pathway to violence
- Understanding the history of significant active shooter incidents through survivor stories and expert perspectives

**Enhancing Emergency Planning**

The workshop will describe how to incorporate key elements of successful incident management into planning efforts, such as:

- Developing communication and incident plans for employees
- Building relationships with local first responders
- Coordinating with first responders before, during, and after an incident
- Integrating public affairs into incident management

For more information regarding the DHS Active Shooter Program, visit [http://www.dhs.gov/active-shooter-preparedness](http://www.dhs.gov/active-shooter-preparedness).

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**Active Shooter**

Consequences from an Active Shooter incident can be fatal. Protect yourself by creating an emergency action plan by incorporating three basic response options:

“Run, Hide, Fight”

**Did You Know?**

Active Shooter situations are often over within three minutes, before first responders can arrive on the scene.

**Free Registration**

To Register: [Register Here](http://www.dhs.gov/active-shooter-preparedness).

Registration closes on July 08, 2018 at 12:00 pm EST

*Limited seating is available; 2 slots per organization*
Department of Homeland Security
Active Shooter Preparedness Workshop

07/10/18

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THIS IS NOT A TACTICAL TRAINING COURSE

Given today's ever-changing threat environment, preparing for and training employees to cope with workplace violence should be a key piece of an organization's incident response planning.

A Unique Training Opportunity

The University Circle Police Department and the National Protection and Programs Directorate Office of Infrastructure Protection, within the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, are hosting a one-day Security Workshop to enhance awareness of, and response to, an active shooter event:

- Educating participants on the history of active shooter events;
- Describing common behavior, conditions, and situations associated with active shooters; and
- Fostering communication between critical infrastructure owners and operators and local emergency response teams. This course includes discussions of interoperability, communications protocols, and best practices for planning, preparedness, and response.

Building Emergency Planning Capabilities

The event will also describe how to incorporate key elements of successful incident management into planning efforts including:

- Communication and incident planning for employees;
- Emergency action plan development;
- Recognizing behavioral indicators; and
- Coordinating with first responders.

Who Should Participate?

This event is open to:

- Corporate and facility security professionals from the private and public sectors;
• Supervisory first responders;
• Human resource managers;
• Community response officials; and
• Homeland security representatives.

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Notes

• A government-issued ID (license) will be required for entry
• For more information on the Active Shooter Preparedness Workshops, email: ASworkshop@hq.dhs.gov
• For more Active Shooter Preparedness information, visit: http://www.dhs.gov/active-shooter-preparedness
• At your request, Mr. Patrick Shaw your local DHS Protective Security Advisor (PSA) can provide additional information regarding DHS products and services that may be available to your organization. A fact sheet on the DHS PSA program can be requested by emailing your local PSA at: Patrick.Shaw@HQ.DHS.GOV

Registration

• Registration for this event is free; please click here to register.
• Registration closes July 8, 2018 at 12:00 pm (EDT);
• Limited seating is available; 2 slots per organization. Additional attendees will be approved on a case by case basis;
• Note: If your plans change, please notify us so we can accommodate others on the waiting list.