ACTIVE SHOOTER PREVENTION PROJECT™

PREVENTION STARTS BEFORE VIOLENCE BEGINS



A NATIONAL STANDARD™

A NATIONAL FRAMEWORK FOR SAFER COMMUNITIES

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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.

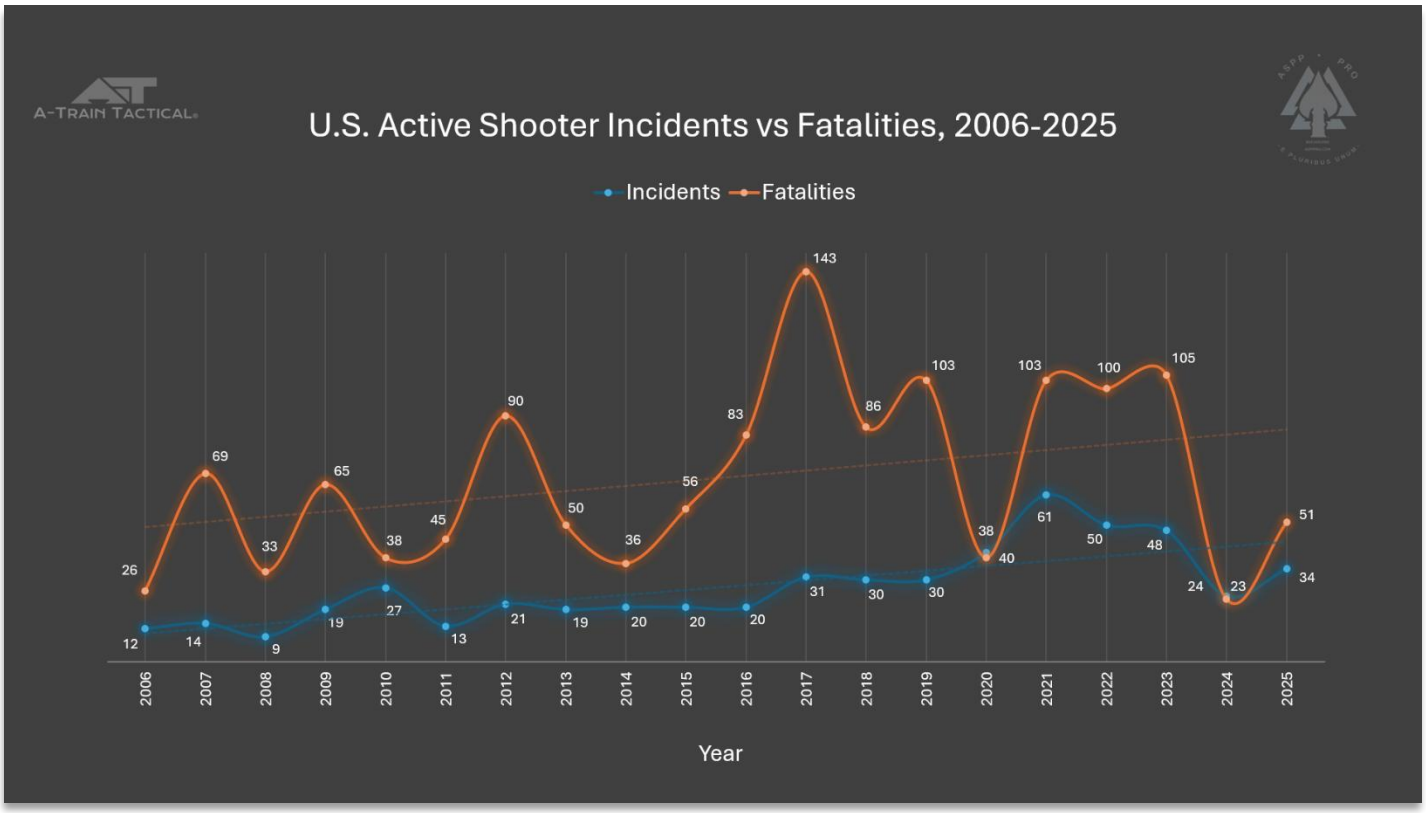
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Lessons Learned

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 2006 through 2025. Over this 20-year period, 542 incidents have resulted in more than 1,343 deaths and 2,457 injured. While these figures may seem small in context, the trend reveals a steady rise in targeted violence affecting schools, workplaces, and public spaces nationwide.

The graph below displays data we can learn from. First, although the numbers fluctuate from year to year, the overall number of active shooter incidents has increased over time. Second, more incidents do not necessarily mean more fatalities. As illustrated, a single incident with a large number of fatalities can have a significant impact on the data for that year. This fact highlights why it is important to look at both the number of incidents and the number of lives lost when discussing if we are moving in the right direction to achieve #NEVERHERE.

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 turns lessons learned from tragedy into strategies that can help protect communities.



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Identifying the Problem

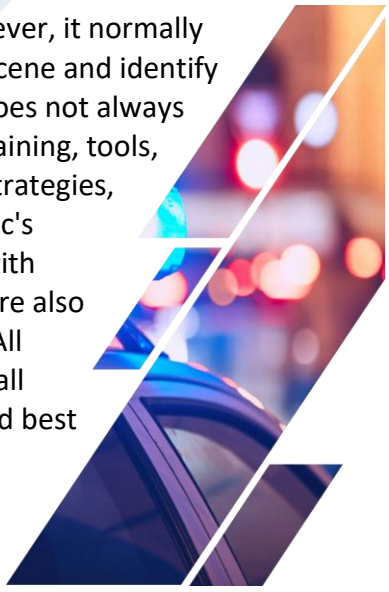
A cursory search of "*How to respond during an Active Shooter incident?*" on Google generates over 240 million results. This is an overwhelming amount of information that may leave individuals feeling lost or confused about where to start. Unfortunately, some organizations rely on the, "*It'll never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

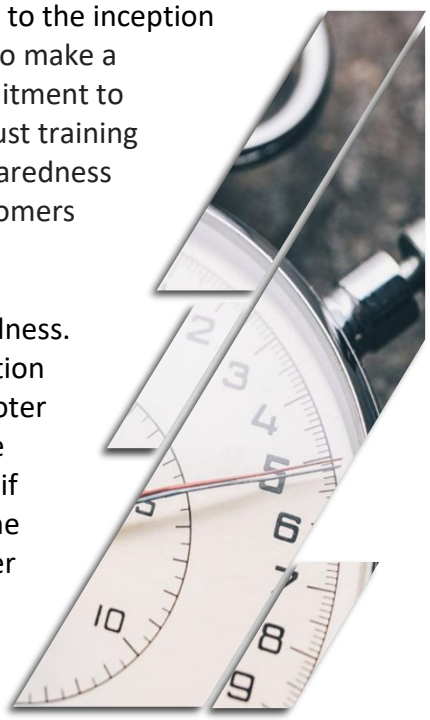


Most Active Shooter incidents are over within eight minutes; however, it normally takes law enforcement more than eight minutes to arrive on the scene and identify the threat. Unfortunately, we are often reminded that response does not always equal rescue. We need to focus on PREVENTION by utilizing 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.

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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.

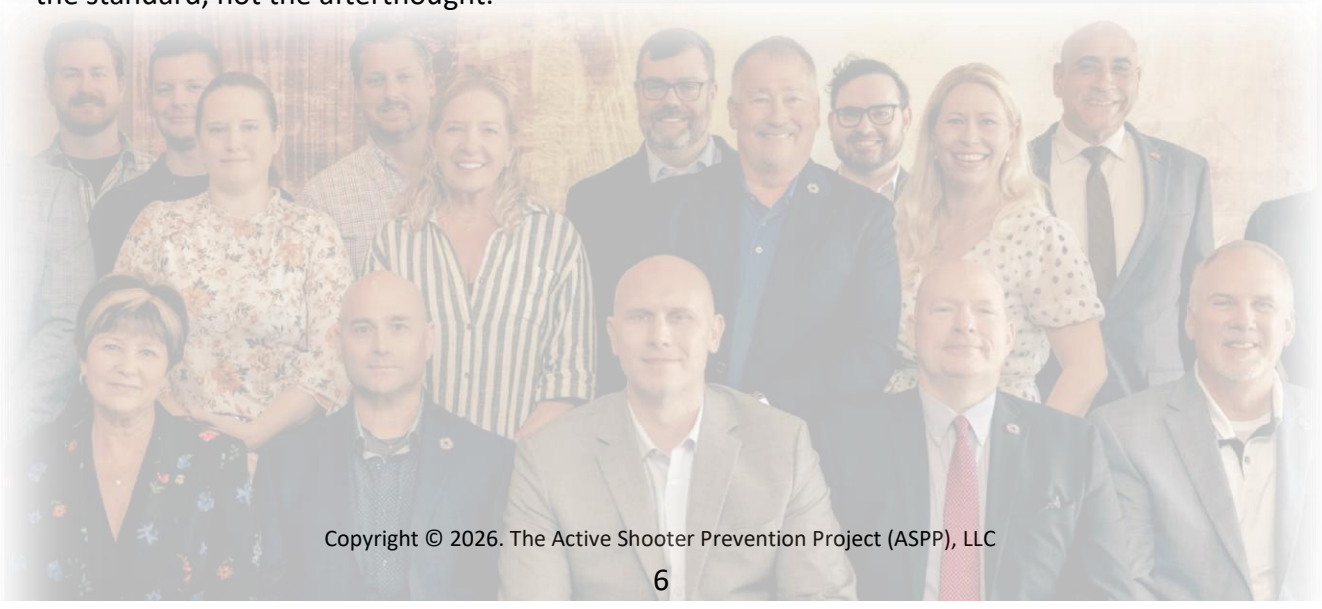
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800+ Years of Experience

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.



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Chris Grollnek, M.S., Chairman

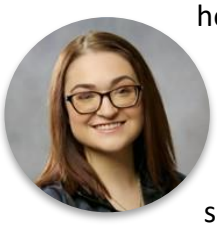
Chris Grollnek is a globally recognized active shooter prevention expert and public safety strategist with 35 years of operational experience spanning military service, federal law enforcement, and executive leadership. With a direct background in responding to the 2010 McKinney, Texas, active shooter incident, Grollnek has dedicated his career to prevention over reaction, proving that proactive strategies save lives and protect communities affordably.

As founder of the Active Shooter Prevention Project (ASPP), LLC, Grollnek transformed a grassroots initiative into a nationally recognized prevention standard with 140 partnerships and 28 strategic partners. His shift from reactive response protocols to prevention-first frameworks has redefined how schools, businesses, nonprofits, and government agencies approach safety making comprehensive protection accessible to organizations of all sizes and budgets. Now serving as Chairman, he leads a team with over 800 years of combined counterterrorism and security expertise. His work has been recognized by the U.S. Department of Justice as "A" national standard (2022–2030), featured across national media, and adopted by federal agencies, state governments, and community organizations nationwide.



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. 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.



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.

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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.

John Estrada: Former Ambassador and Sergeant Major, USMC (Retired), Military, Diplomatic & Leadership Consultant, (Washington DC)



Ambassador Estrada is the former U.S. Ambassador to Trinidad and Tobago, a Presidentially appointed Commissioner on the American Battle Monuments Commission, and the 15th Sergeant Major of the U.S. Marine Corps. He brings an invaluable perspective on leadership, preparedness, organizational resilience, and service.

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.

Andrew Ball: Subject Matter Expert Business Strategy & Community Leadership (Indiana)



Andrew Ball, Chief Marketing Officer for one of the world's largest insurance brokerages, has extensive global business, insurance, and community leadership experience. Andrew provides strategic insight into risk, resilience, partnerships, and organizational decision-making, helping organizations move from awareness to action long before a crisis.

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ASPP Community of Experts

The ASPP Community of Experts consists of mission-focused individuals and organizations leading the PREVENTION first movement. ASPP's values align with those of carefully selected companies that offer scalable, affordable products and services designed for schools, businesses, and government agencies. These resources have been incorporated into the P.R.O. Model™ as viable, accessible 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 of all sizes succeed in preventing and responding to critical incidents using a layered, affordable approach while incorporating real-world solutions.

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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

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 security consulting, training and other highly specialized services, and is owned by Chuck Savickis, a retired FBI Special Agent, former U.S. Navy SEAL, and highly respected veteran of the FBI's elite Hostage Rescue Team (HRT). During his 28-year FBI career, Chuck served 17 years as an HRT Operator, becoming one of the HRT's most senior Team Leaders, and gaining extensive experience leading high-risk tactical and crisis-response operations both domestically and internationally. Chuck holds degrees and advanced training credentials from Framingham State University, the U.S. Naval Special Warfare Center, the FBI Academy, and Wharton's Critical Mission Team program.

ALLIED UNIVERSAL

The world's leading security and facility services provider and trusted partner to more than 400 of the Fortune 500, Allied Universal delivers unparalleled customer relationships, innovative solutions, cutting-edge smart technologies and tailored services that enable clients to focus on their core businesses. With operations in over 100 countries and territories, Allied Universal is the third-largest private employer in North America and seventh in the world. There is no greater purpose and responsibility than serving and helping to safeguard customers, communities and people.

SAFEWARE

Safeware, founded in 1982, 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.

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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. 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.

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.

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.

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.

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ALCATRAZ AI



Alcatraz is redefining how people enter and move through secure environments by using AI-powered facial authentication to provide a frictionless, privacy-focused alternative to facial recognition. As a pioneer of Facial-Authentication-as-a-Service, the Alcatraz Platform integrates natively with any Access Control System and supports both cloud and on-premises deployment. Using anonymized digital profiles tied to badge IDs, Alcatraz ensures personal data is protected.

FUTUREVU BRANDS



FutureVu's mission is to strengthen and upgrade the built environment, where safety and security are on the line. Their spectrum of products harden vulnerable glass and entry points using protective glazing and ballistic-resistance solutions such as security window films, polycarbonate security shields, and bullet-resistant barrier systems that are engineered to delay forced entry, deter attacks, and reduce the likelihood of rapid, unobstructed access during violent events.

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

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.

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.

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.

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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.

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 (LEMIT), paired with strong academic programs in criminal justice, emergency management, and public safety leadership, all bridge between research, policy, education, and real-world readiness.

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 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.

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 expertise. Acacia 4 provides the knowledge, skills and resources to be prepared in today's changing environment.

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.

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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.

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.

INDOOR SITUATIONAL MAPPING & DIGITAL TWIN



Indoor Situational Mapping & Digital Twin technologies create persistent, layered operational maps of interior environments, enabling first responders to navigate complex structures with speed and precision. By integrating real-time data and digital twin modeling into a unified operational picture, these capabilities provide commanders and responders with immediate spatial intelligence reducing reaction time and improving decision-making from the first moment of an incident.

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.

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.

SHIFT HR

SHIFT HR is a nationally recognized learning management system provider focused on workplace violence prevention, harassment prevention, leadership accountability, and psychological safety. Through practical, expert-guided instruction grounded in real-world applications, SHIFT empowers organizations to proactively identify behavioral risks, strengthen workplace relationships, and build cultures in which employees are Prepared to contribute to safe, productive environments.

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Public Outreach

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.

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.

Joe Piscopo

Chris Grollnek has represented the Active Shooter Prevention Project on "The Joe Piscopo Show" for several years, and what started as a platform to advance prevention-first strategies became something more: a genuine personal relationship built on shared values and mutual respect.
In 2026, Joe expressed a desire to become more actively involved in the ASPP mission. We are honored by his support and look forward to what this partnership means for the communities we are working to protect.



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Government Wins

U.S. Department of Justice (US DOJ)

The Active Shooter Prevention Project, LLC was selected as "A" national standard for active shooter prevention training by the United States Department of Justice for 2022–2025, delivered by Chris Grollnek (architect of the P.R.O. Model™) and Chuck Savickis, and again for 2026–2030 with Chris Grollnek and Glenn Norling. There is no single national standard for active shooter prevention in the United States, only a patchwork of programs, frameworks, and vendor offerings of wildly varying quality, most response-focused, unvalidated at the federal level, and built around what is easy to sell rather than what is proven to prevent. The P.R.O. Model™ is different. Filmed by the Justice Television Network, the official DOJ production studio, it is made available to all 115,000 DOJ personnel biannually through the DOJ learning portal and on YouTube. Prevention. Response. Options. This is the pathway to Destination #NEVERHERE™.



Blue Grass Army Depot

The Blue Grass Army Depot is the only Department of Defense organization testing artificial intelligence-powered surveillance software to detect threats such as intruders, weapons, and abnormal behavior in real time. BGAD tested Scylla as an intruder and active-shooter detection program using wide-area cameras and drones. On September 18, 2024, Chris Grollnek was invited to brief Drew Walter, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Nuclear Matters, on the P.R.O. Model™ and how to incorporate visual threat detection technology into a comprehensive prevention standard. Following previous milestone testing at Fort Leonard Wood with Glenn Norling, Grollnek demonstrated how Scylla operates as a technology layer within the broader prevention framework. According to the U.S. Army's official report on the demonstration (army.mil, October 2024), "Leveraging technology while building on the human experience, Scylla's true neural network artificial intelligence is fundamentally changing the landscape of how we prevent and respond." Unlike traditional surveillance systems, Scylla proactively identifies risks and alerts security personnel before threats escalate.

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National Defense Industrial Association (NDIA)



At the NDIA 2026 Future Force Capabilities Conference & Exhibition in Las Vegas, Chris Grollnek delivered "Autonomous Technologies for Proactive Threat Prevention in Complex Environments" The conference featured speakers of the highest caliber, including General Wesley Clark (Ret.), Supreme Allied Commander of NATO; Lt. General David Deptula (Ret.); Lt. General Miles Brown, Acting Commanding General of U.S. Army Transformation Command; and NDIA CEO David Norquist. Grollnek's presence and presentation among these defense and military leadership figures demonstrates the authority and recognition of the P.R.O. Model™ framework within the DOD and the defense industrial complex.

Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board

The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board (DNFSB)—the independent federal agency overseeing safety at U.S. Department of Energy defense nuclear facilities—initiated the partnership with a headquarters briefing in Washington, DC to its leadership and director. Following the briefing, ASPP delivered comprehensive prevention framework training and completed implementation of the functional P.R.O. Model™ at DNFSB headquarters operations. The partnership includes a planned rotational implementation of the P.R.O. Model™ across DOE and NNSA laboratories. Given the DNFSB's mission to protect workers, the public, and the environment at nuclear weapons production, maintenance, and waste management sites, the adoption of the P.R.O. Model™ underscores the framework's applicability to high-consequence environments requiring both prevention and response readiness.

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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.

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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



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ASPP Staying Actively Engaged

- Super Bowl LVIII & LIX - Las Vegas & New Orleans (Security Operations Center/Active Shooter Desk)
- Blue Grass Army Depot - Senior Briefer, P.R.O. Model™ Framework & Emerging Threat Prevention Technologies to Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, Kentucky
- Ft. Leonard Wood - Missouri (technology demonstration)
- Louise M. Davies Symphony Hall - California (assessment)
- Imron Corporation Summits: Lucas Oil Stadium, SoFi, AT&T, MetLife, Ford, and Allegiant Stadiums
- Safeware: Miami-Dade College, Columbia College, South Texas All Hazards Conference
- 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 Coptimizer Podcast, & more
- YouTube High Five Award - ASPP's Destination #NEVERHERE Podcast
- DoD Physical Security Enterprise & Analysis Group (PSAG) - Chris Grollnek, Senior Briefer
- Axis Communications - Presented ASPP P.R.O. Model to US Government Agencies
- Sam Houston State University & Region 4, Houston Texas (ASPP/CRLT launch)
- 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
- Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board – P.R.O. Model™ Program of Instruction 2026 (Washington, DC Headquarters; DOE/NNSA Laboratory Implementation Phase)
- 2nd Annual Style for Safety, National Violence Prevention Hotline Event 2026
- Everbridge Discover Resilience Conference 2026
- America 250th Anniversary National Security Symposium 2026, Medal of Honor Museum, Arlington, Texas
- (General Dan Caine, 22nd Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Ross Perot Jr.)
- Military Air and Space Symposium 2026
- 9th Annual North American Active Assailant Conference 2026
- NDIA Future Force Capabilities Conference & Exhibition 2026 - Las Vegas (Emerging Technologies & Autonomous Threat Prevention; General Wesley Clark, Ret., and military/defense speakers)
- National Association of School Resource Officers Conference 2026

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