

Sample School Advisory System

Risk

Suggested Actions

SEVERE (Red)	 Follow local and/or federal government instructions (listen to radio/TV) Activate crisis plan Restrict school access to essential personnel Cancel outside activities and field trips Provide mental health services to anxious students and staff
HIGH (Orange)	 Assign staff to monitor entrances at all times Assess facility security measures Update parents on preparedness efforts Update media on preparedness efforts Address student fears concerning possible terrorist attacks Place school and district crisis response teams on standby alert status
ELEVATED (Yellow)	 Inspect school buildings and grounds for suspicious activities Assess increased risk with public safety officials Review crisis response plans with school staff Test alternative communication capabilities
GUARDED (Blue)	 Review and upgrade security measures Review emergency communication plan Inventory, test, and repair communication equipment Inventory and restock emergency supplies Conduct crisis training and drills
LOW (Green)	 Assess and update crisis plans and procedures Discuss updates to school and local crisis plans with emergency responders Review duties and responsibilities of crisis team members Provide CPR and first aid training for staff Conduct 100% visitor ID check