# HOW TO RESPOND WHEN AN ACTIVE SHOOTER IS IN YOUR VICINITY



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CAMPUS EMERGENCY

RESPONSE

INFORMATION

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A PRINT ON DEMAND VERSION
OF THIS CARD IS AVAILABLE AT
THE ABOVE WEB ADDRESS

#### 1. EVACUATE

- HAVE AN ESCAPE ROUTE AND PLAN IN MIND
- LEAVE YOUR BELONGINGS BEHIND
- KEEP YOUR HANDS VISIBLE

#### 2. HIDE OUT

- HIDE IN AN AREA OUT OF THE SHOOTER'S VIEW
- BLOCK ENTRY TO YOUR HIDING PLACE AND LOCK THE DOORS
- SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE AND/ OR PAGER

#### 3. TAKE ACTION

- AS A LAST RESORT AND ONLY
   WHEN YOUR LIFE IS IN IMMINENT
   DANGER
- ATTEMPT TO INCAPACITATE THE SHOOTER
- ACT WITH PHYSICAL AGGRESSION AND THROW ITEMS AT THE ACTIVE SHOOTER

## **HOW TO RESPOND**

WHEN LAW ENFORCEMENT ARRIVES

REMAIN CALM AND FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS

- PUT DOWN ANY ITEMS IN YOUR HANDS (I.E., BAGS, JACKETS)
- RAISE HANDS AND SPREAD FINGERS
- KEEP HANDS VISIBLE AT ALL TIMES
- AVOID QUICK MOVEMENTS TOWARD OFFICERS SUCH AS HOLDING ON TO THEM FOR SAFETY
- AVOID POINTING, SCREAMING OR YELLING
- AVOID EXCESSIVE DISTRACTION OF RESPONDING OFFICERS WHEN EVACUATING

# CALL 911 WHEN IT IS SAFE TO DO SO

## INFORMATION

YOU SHOULD PROVIDE TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OR 911 OPERATOR

- LOCATION OF THE ACTIVE SHOOTER NUMBER OF SHOOTERS
- PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION OF SHOOTERS
- NUMBER AND TYPE OF WEAPONS HELD BY SHOOTERS
- NUMBER OF POTENTIAL VICTIMS AT THE LOCATION