INFORMATION YOU SHOULD PROVIDE TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OR 911 OPERATORS

• 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

WCCCD POLICE OFFICERS:

WCCCD Police Officers are trained at the Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education (MIPSE) in the Rapid Deployment Response Training. The mission is to teach law enforcement officers, specifically the first responders, to safely and effectively respond to, address and stop an active shooter.

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BELLEVILLE, MI 48111
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Wayne County Community College District’s mission is to empower individuals, businesses, and communities to achieve their higher education and career advancement goals through excellent, accessible, culturally diverse, and globally competitive programs and services.

To Serve and Protect
PROFILE OF AN ACTIVE SHOOTER
An active shooter is an individual actively engaged in killing or attempting to kill people in a confined and populated area, typically through the use of firearms.

CHARACTERISTICS OF AN ACTIVE SHOOTER SITUATION
• Victims are selected at random
• The event is unpredictable and evolves quickly
• Law enforcement is usually required to end an active shooter situation
• Most incidents last 2-6 minutes.

CHOICES YOU MUST MAKE DURING A SHOOTER SITUATION
Only 3 choices to make:
1. Get Out
2. Keep Out or Hide Out
3. Take Out the Shooter

GUIDELINES WHEN A SHOOTER IS IN YOUR BUILDING

IF YOU CAN’T GET OUT IMMEDIATELY:
• Try to remain calm
• Call the police and alert them to the shooter’s location
• Secure the immediate area
• If door has a window, cover it
• Stay behind solid objects, away from the door
• Put phones and pagers on vibrate

GUIDELINES WHEN A SHOOTER ENTERS YOUR OFFICE OR CLASSROOM

IF THE GUNMAN ENTERS THE ROOM AND LEAVES:
• Lock or barricade the door behind them
• If it is safe to do so, allow others to seek refuge with you

DEPENDING ON THE GUNMAN’S LOCATION:
• Consider breaking ground-level windows to escape
• If windows don’t open and you can’t break them, get out of sight of the door and stay low and quiet

IF IN A HALLWAY DURING A SHOOTING
• Get in a room and secure it
• Unless you are close to an exit, don’t run through a long hallway
• If you must run down a hallway run in a zig zag pattern and/or bounce off walls
• Avoid hiding in a restroom if possible
• If you can escape, move well away from the scene and find a safe cover position and wait for police

TAKE OUT THE ATTACKER
• Not a recommendation, but a choice when few, if any, options are left
• Throw anything at the shooter (aim at their face to disrupt their aim)
• Attack in a group (swarm)
• Use anything as a weapon to attack and secure the shooter
• Grab the shooter’s arms, legs and/or head and take them to the ground using your body weight to secure him or her
• Continue to fight until the shooter is no longer a threat. Do whatever it takes to survive. Understand that you are in a fight for your life.

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
• Do not stop to ask officers for help or direction when evacuating