Sample School Emergency Decision Flow Chart

Indication of a threat received

Is school in session?

Yes

Are occupants in immediate danger?

No

Assess the threat and consider delaying or closing the next school session

Yes

Evacuate occupants, refer to __________.

No

Is the threat from a source inside? HazMat or Natural Gas

Is it a security threat?

No

Consider early dismissal.

Yes

Shelter-in-Place, refer to __________.

Is the threat of short duration?

No

Yes

Is the outside threat weather related?

No

Shelter-in-Place, refer to __________.

Yes

Is the threat from a source inside? HazMat or Natural Gas

Is it a security threat?

No

Shelter-in-Place, refer to __________.

Yes

CALL 911

If attacker is inside of facility, refer to __________.

If attacker is outside of facility, refer to __________.

If child abduction, refer to __________.