

ALICE Training

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Abstract: Across the country, our society has seen an increasing number of active shooter events where people are being killed or severely injured. According to the FBI, the “rate of which ASE [active shooter events] occur went from approx. 1 every other month from 2000-2008 to more than 1 per month between 2009-2012.” About 40 % of these events occur in the business or work place. The Missouri Department of Conservation is being proactive by implementing a training program to inform and educate its employees on how to react if they find themselves in an active shooter event. MDC will provide training based on the nationally accepted A.L.I.C.E. system. A.L.I.C.E [Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, Evacuate] is a set of proactive strategies that moves beyond traditional lockdown and increases the chance of survival during a violent intruder event. ALICE is supported by more than 1,800 law enforcement agencies around the country and complies with the new standard of care recently developed by the Federal Department of Education, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Department of Homeland Security (DHS), and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). This seminar will introduce you to the ALICE system and show you why and how, you and your work team should prepare for an active shooter event.