

Update on 2017-2020 Department of Education and Board of Education Joint Strategic Plan Implementation

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Standard Systems of Practices & Communications

- Hawaii Revised Statutes 396-6 – Employer responsibility: safe place of employment; safety devices and safeguards.
- Twelve (12) Board of Education (BOE) Policies have been established for school safety and security.
- Sixty-nine (69) HIDOE Standards of Practice (SP) have been developed for school safety, security, and emergency preparedness.
- HIDOE Memo for Emergencies and High-Risk Communications Procedures.
- Schools are required to perform five emergency response drills every school year and review/update Emergency Action Plans as necessary.
 - Earthquake, Evacuation, Lockdown, Shelter-in-Place, and Tsunami

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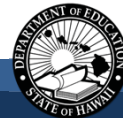


Legislative Supports Needed & Pending Bills

- **Active Bills**
 - SB 2576, SD1 – Interior locks, intercom systems, annual emergency plans, training.
- **Monitoring**
 - HB 2582, HD1 – Establish a task force for preparedness plans.
 - SB 2058 – Prohibits detectives & guards identifying as law enforcement personnel.
 - SB 3083 – Civil liability exemption for land owners.

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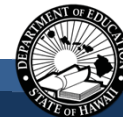


Student Voice & Action

- **Positive Behavior Intervention & Support (P.B.I.S.)**
 - Framework or approach that helps school personnel to organize as well as adopt empirical based practices to maximize the academic and social behavior outcomes for all students.
- **Student CrimeStoppers**
 - Tailored to the needs of the communities on Oahu and designed to aid law enforcement in reducing crime on school campuses and in the nearby community.
- **Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.)**
 - Along with drugs and alcohol education, D.A.R.E. focuses on making the right choices. Its strategies is to help students deal with conflict, interacting with others, and being an assertive person.

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Major Partners in our Safety Plan

- Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)
- Hawaii Occupational Safety and Health (HIOSH)
- Hawaii State Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (DLIR)
- Hawaii State Fusion Center
- Joint Terrorism Task Force—Pacific (JTTF-P)
- Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI)
- Honolulu, Kauai, Maui, and Hawaii Police & Fire Departments
- City & County of Honolulu Sheriffs Department
- Hawaii Emergency Management Agency (HI-EMA)
- City & County Department of Emergency Management (DEM)

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Other Areas to Consider Moving Forward

- Expand Vulnerability Assessments (VA): Provides threat-based analysis that identifies school vulnerabilities to include recommended solutions to eliminate or mitigate vulnerabilities.
- Establish Threat Assessment Process: Proactive and problem-solving approach to violence prevention that involves assessment and intervention with school students and adults who have threatened violence in some way.
- Similarly to neighbor island schools, explore options into implementing School Resource Officer (SRO) program for Oahu schools.
- Work contractual support funding in developing HIDOE Emergency Operations Plan (EOP).

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QUESTIONS??

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