Behavioral Threat Assessment & Management Trainings

2025 training schedule

free classes for the community!

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FEBURARY	3PM TO 4PM - APPLICATION OF BTAM IN FOCUS SECTORS (VARIES PER CLASS)
27	9AM TO 12PM – <i>VIRTUAL</i> THREAT EVALUATION & REPORTING OVERVIEW
MARCH	12PM TO 1PM - APPLICATION OF BTAM IN FOCUS SECTORS (VARIES PER CLASS)
17	1PM TO 4PM – <i>VIRTUAL</i> THREAT EVALUATION & REPORTING OVERVIEW
APRIL	4PM TO 5PM - APPLICATION OF BTAM IN FOCUS SECTORS (VARIES PER CLASS)
	THREAT EVALUATION & REPORTING COURSE
12-14 MAY	FULL 3 DAY IN PERSON TRAINING COURSE FOR BEHAVIORAL THREAT MANAGEMENT TEAMS IN ANCHORAGE, ALASKA
	ADVANCED SELECTED TOPICS IN BEHAVIORAL



THREAT ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT VIRTUAL & IN-PERSON

AS PROVIDED BY THE ASSOCIATION OF THREAT ASSESSMENT PROFESSIONALS

REGISTRATION PORTAL FOR BEHAVIORAL THREAT ASSESSMENT & MANAGEMENT TRAININGS



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Threat Evaluation and Reporting Overview

Upcoming Course Dates



The **Threat Evaluation and Reporting Overview** (TERO) is a three-hour introductory training focusing on a behavioral approach to violence prevention. The TERO raises awareness about the risk factors, triggers and stressors, and warning behaviors that could impact a person's decision to commit an act of targeted violence.

Further, it outlines the mitigating factors that could help prevent acts of targeted violence, while emphasizing the importance of community involvement in seeking help for individuals, and respecting their privacy, civil rights, and civil liberties.

	RISK FACTORS	TRIGGERS and STRESSORS	WARNING BEHAVIORS	MITIGATING FACTORS	
To enroll in any of these courses, organization, please contact your	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Master Trainer Master Trainer E-m	nail	Phone	

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Threat Evaluation and Reporting Course



The **Threat Evaluation and Reporting Course** (TERC) trains federal, state, local, tribal, and territorial (F/SLTT) homeland security partners on applying behavioral threat assessment approaches, as it relates to tips and leads, to prevent targeted violence in their areas of responsibility.

The **TERC** teaches students to utilize a **four-step threat assessment model** to identify, investigate, assess, and manage an individual who presents behaviors of concern.

The **TERC** will ensure all participants are equipped with the necessary tools to **empower others** in their communities to identify and report potential threats. In addition, the TERC prepares threat assessment teams to **minimize potential threats** of targeted violence and to effectively move concerning individuals off the pathway to violence and away from an attack.

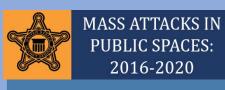


Course Details			
Host Agency		To enroll in this course or to request a session for your organization,	
Address		please contact your local Certified Master Trainer.	
Start Date	End Date	Master Trainer	
Start Time	End Time	Master Trainer E-mail Phone	

Behavioral Threat Assessment and Management An Investment in the Future of Targeted Violence Prevention & Public Safety

Did You Know?

- **Targeted violence is premeditated.** Often a great deal of research, planning, and preparation behaviors are undertaken prior to an incident meaning opportunities exist to recognize the warning signs and intervene before it's too late.
- You can help prepare communities to recognize potentially threatening and concerning behaviors and prevent incidents of targeted violence through pro-active approaches to threat management.
- **Behavioral Threat Assessment and Management** (BTAM) is a recognized, best practice approach for preventing targeted violence that helps bridge the gap between identifying potential threats and mitigating them—and allows organizations to invest in prevention in a holistic and meaningful way.



Of **173 mass attacks** examined:

- **76%** of offenders exhibited behaviors that elicited concern in others.
- **46%** of offenders exhibited a change in behavior prior to the attack.

Source: US Secret Service NTAC

TARGETED VIOLENCE OFFENDERS DON'T "SNAP", THEY DECIDE.

Prepare to Prevent – Get Your Community Partners Involved

Targeted violence is not a new phenomenon. The continued prevalence and impact of targeted violence incidents on communities across the United States requires more than preparing to react and respond—we must "BAND together" to get ahead of these threats and institutionalize organizational practices that:

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- **B Build** a shared responsibility for community safety.
- **A Allow** agencies to demonstrate and uphold a high standard of care.
- N Normalize community-based early interventions and supports.
- **D Diminish** the short- and long-term risk of violent outcomes locally.

A Dynamic Approach Designed to Address Threats – Regardless of Motive

Behavioral threat assessment and management is a systematic, fact-based process designed to help safety stakeholders identify threats and prevent acts of targeted violence.

- Focuses on an individual's patterns of behavior that would arouse suspicion in a reasonable person to determine whether, and to what extent, an individual is moving toward an act of violence.
- A course of action that responds to and mitigates a threat of potential violence, utilizing a multi-disciplinary team and individually tailored interventions.
- What BTAM is NOT: profiling, predictive, or punitive in nature.



Evidence-Backed Processes Matter

Having a **standardized**, **evidence-based process**, and consistently implementing it, can enable organizations to identify, inquire, assess, and manage threatening situations and persons of concern—allowing for effective **resource allocation** and **case prioritization**.

Why Leverage BTAM to Build Community Prevention Capacity Now?

- Law enforcement cannot do this alone. Public safety is a shared responsibility community-centric and multi-disciplinary approaches involving healthcare providers, educators, legal and mental health professionals, and other community leaders will not only foster trust amongst a variety of stakeholders, but better position organizations, large and small, to maximize limited resources against both imminent and longer-term threats.
- **The threat environment continues to evolve.** BTAM offers a behavioral-based approach that allows bystanders and security stakeholders to identify patterns of behavior that would arouse suspicion in a reasonable person before an individual escalates to targeted violence—providing opportunities for intervention.
- **Growing legal realities of operating in the targeted violence prevention space** require that organizations develop defensible, fact-based practices that consistently demonstrate high standards of care and protect against negligence, all while enhancing safety.

Making Prevention Possible Together

Public safety is OUR responsibility. Now is the time to band together to help make our communities safer and more prepared to prevent targeted violence. **BTAM can help you make prevention possible**!



	RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE LEARN MORE TODAY					
	NTER Program Office Resources		Other Federal Prevention Resources			
•	Master Trainer Program – empowers communities to train BTAM principles and practices. Behavioral Approach to Violence Prevention – outlines concerning and threatening behaviors exhibited across offenders. Foundations of Targeted Violence Prevention eLearning – educates the public on recognizing and reporting concerning and threatening	• • • •	Prevention Resource Finder CP3_Terrorism & Targeted Violence Prevention Grants US Secret Service National Threat Assessment Center (NTAC) Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) – SchoolSafety.gov FBI – Prevent Mass Violence Federal Law Enforcement Training Centers (FLETC) – Threat Assessment Training National Counterterrorism Center (NCTC) Joint Counterterrorism Assessment Team (JCAT) – Threat Assessment & Management			
	behaviors.		<u>First Responder Toolbox Series</u>			

Identify Inquire
Assess Manage

