Gillings School Security

WHAT WE'RE DOING

MEASURES YOU CAN TAKE

Gillings School
All-Hazards Preparedness Committee

- Members
  - Kathy Anderson – IIS
  - Bill Gentry – HPM
  - Amy Belflower-Thomas – NCIPH
  - Angelica Figueroa – DO
  - Charletta Sims Evans – OSA
  - Steve Regan – HR
  - Lisa Lindesmith – EPID
  - Brent Wishart, Chair - Facilities

Gillings School
All-Hazards Preparedness Committee

- Functions include:
  - Ensure safety and security of the Gillings School through regular emergency and first aid training opportunities for the Gillings community.
  - Raise awareness and understanding of the School-wide Safety and Emergency Operations Committee and the School-wide emergency management system (ICS).
  - Review emergency events and recommend corrective actions; develop procedures in coordination with the University.
  - Maintain annual emergency coordinator training and ensure coordinator coverage of all building areas.
  - Oversee annual updates of department/units COOPs.

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  - Review emergency events and recommend corrective actions; develop procedures in coordination with the University.
    - Regular engagement with campus safety community
      - DPS, Fire Marshal, UNC Emergency Mgt and Planning
      - Weather Events E.G. Snowmageddon, Hurricane preparedness
        - Hurricane Florence – Sept. 2018
        - Possibility of power loss up to one week

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- Functions include:
  - Maintain annual emergency coordinator training and ensure coordinator coverage of all building areas.
    - Duties of emergency coordinators
      - Coverage for each department on every floor
      - List online at https://sph.unc.edu/emergency-information/

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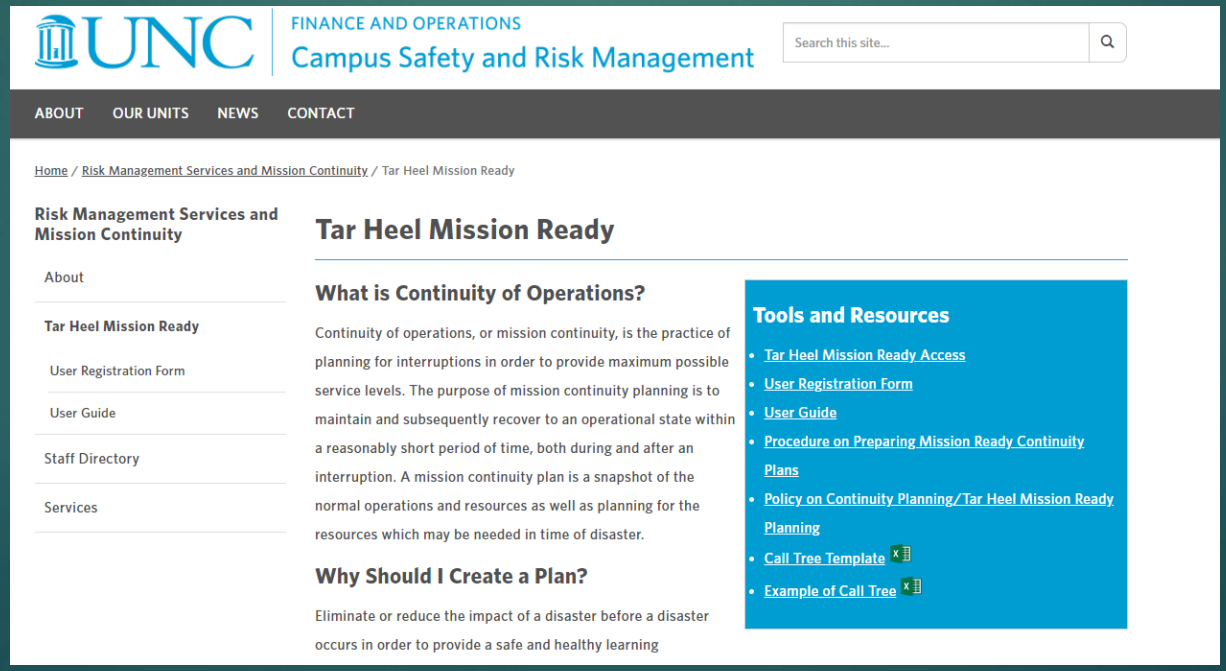

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- Functions include:
  - Ensure safety and security of the Gillings School through regular emergency and first aid training opportunities for the Gillings community.
    - CPR/AED
      - Next session – July 30
    - Active Shooter
      - Next session – July 17

Alert Carolina

- Four points to remember:
  - Sirens are meant to be heard outside only
  - Emails and texts received within 2-3 minutes of alert
  - Exterior doors will remain unlocked
  - Follow all instructions

What YOU should do for an Emergency Warning

When UNC sounds the sirens and sends an emergency text message to registered cell phones, police have confirmed a major emergency or an immediate safety or health threat on campus.

It's a life-threatening situation; the campus is under an emergency alert status.

STOP

classroom and campus activities.

All UNC operations are temporarily suspended, including classes, business in offices and public transportation.

REMAIN

inside your classroom or a safe place in your building.

Close windows and doors. Wait until further notice.

For an armed and dangerous person in your building, evacuate to another nearby building if you can do so safely (get out). If you can't safely evacuate stay in your classroom, shut and lock/barricade the door, turn off lights and stay quiet. Spread out and stay away from windows and silence cells phones (hide out). If you're confronted by the shooter, do whatever you can to aggressively protect yourself and survive (fight it out).

For a tornado warning, move to an interior room on the lowest possible floor; avoid windows.

COMPLY

immediately with the directions of any emergency responders or University officials you may encounter.

Examples include evacuate from a specific building or location. A law-enforcement officer may also ask that you open your hands and place them where they can be seen.

WATCH

for updates at alertcarolina.unc.edu or via text messages. Do not call 911 for general information.

It will take time – possibly hours – for police to provide additional instructions and updates. Remain inside. Watch for updates at alertcarolina.unc.edu or via text message. Only call 911 to report an emergency or provide information related to the emergency warning alert status on campus.

WAIT

for the "all clear" siren or text message.

That means it's safe to resume normal operations. To listen to the siren tones, visit go.unc.edu/r2QJp

If you're in a location and can't hear the outdoor siren, wait for the "all clear" text message or posting on the Alert Carolina website.

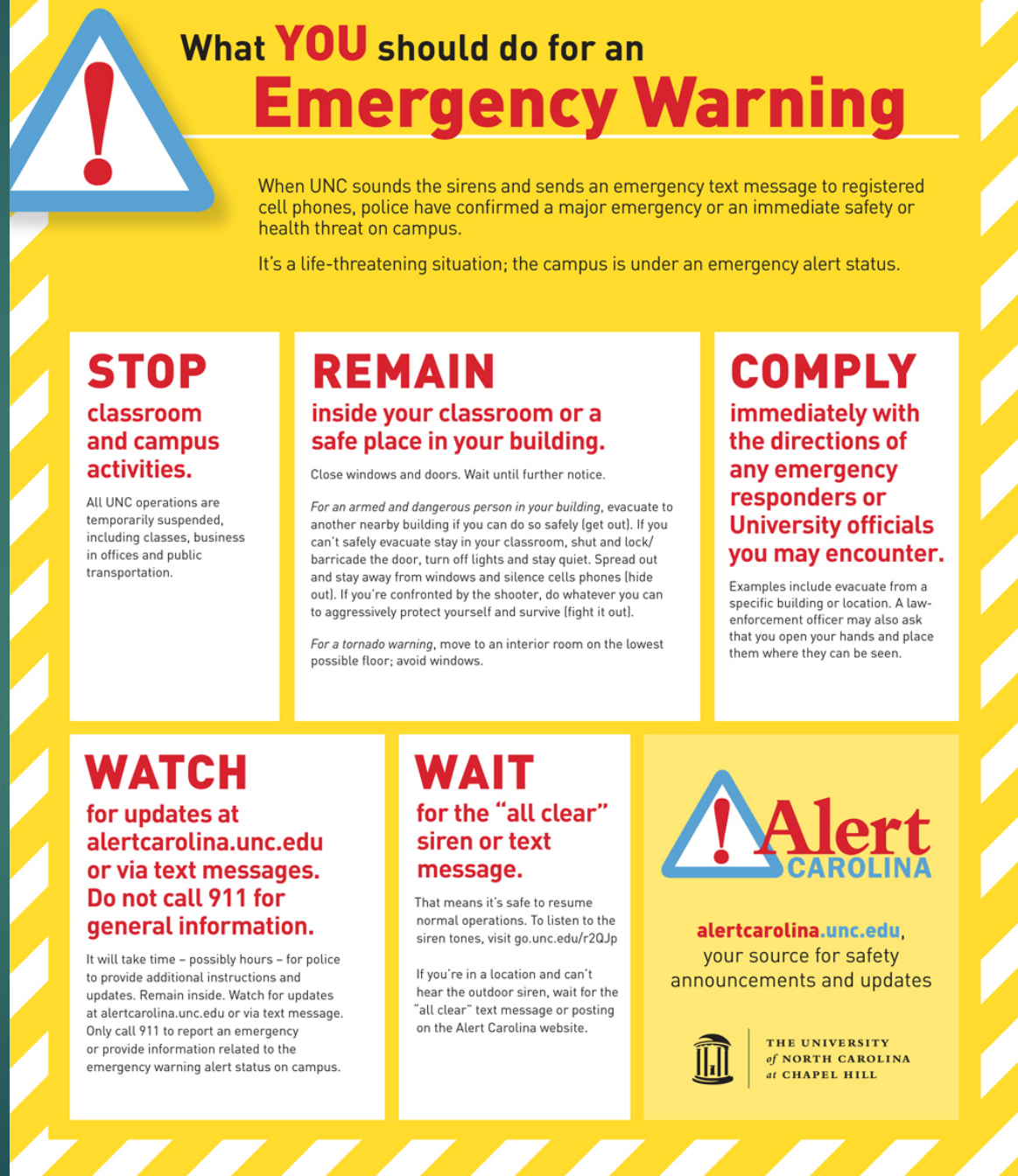
Alert CAROLINA

alertcarolina.unc.edu, your source for safety announcements and updates

THE UNIVERSITY of NORTH CAROLINA at CHAPEL HILL

Alert Carolina

- Armed and dangerous person
- Major chemical spill
- Tornado warning in Chapel Hill or Carrboro



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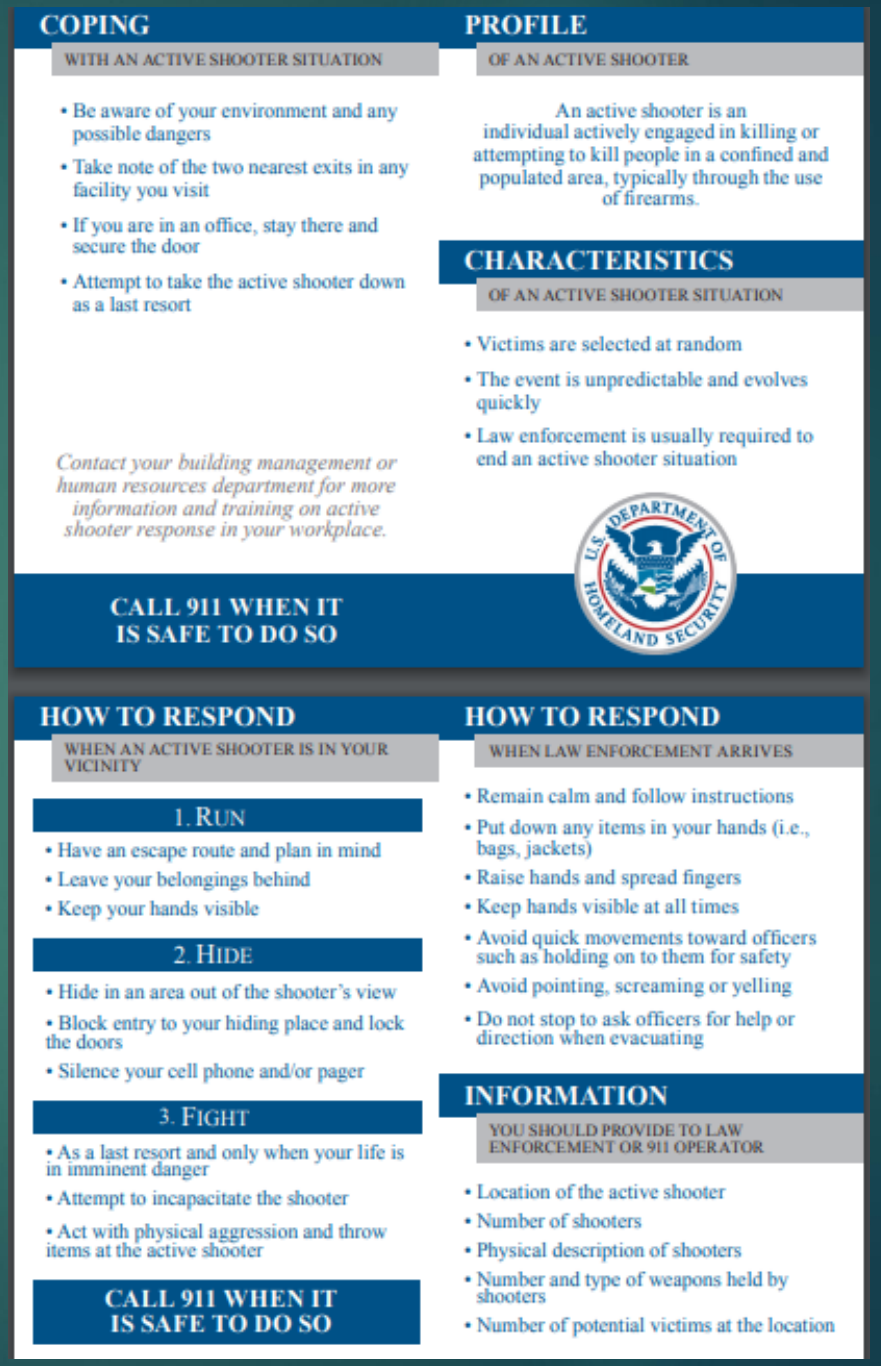
- Armed and dangerous person
  - Run/Hide/Fight



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WITH AN ACTIVE SHOOTER SITUATION

- Be aware of your environment and any possible dangers
- Take note of the two nearest exits in any facility you visit
- If you are in an office, stay there and secure the door
- Attempt to take the active shooter down as a last resort

Contact your building management or human resources department for more information and training on active shooter response in your workplace.

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

CALL 911 WHEN IT IS SAFE TO DO SO

HOW TO RESPOND

WHEN AN ACTIVE SHOOTER IS IN YOUR VICINITY

1. Run

- Have an escape route and plan in mind
- Leave your belongings behind
- Keep your hands visible

2. Hide

- Hide in an area out of the shooter's view
- Block entry to your hiding place and lock the doors
- Silence your cell phone and/or pager

3. Fight

- As a last resort and only when your life is in imminent danger
- Attempt to incapacitate the shooter
- Act with physical aggression and throw items at the active shooter

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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

INFORMATION

YOU SHOULD PROVIDE TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OR 911 OPERATOR

- 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

Gillings School security guards

- 7:00PM – 7:00AM every day
  - Station located in MHRC atrium near front entrance
  - Contact information located on every main entrance door
    - Phone - 919.357.8037
  - Lock down classrooms and exterior doors, patrol halls.
  - Access to offices (with id), Lost and Found, escort to car

Measures you can take

- Be observant
- See something say something
- Prepare ahead - Weather events especially hurricane readiness
- Take classes offered
- Follow Alert Carolina instructions