

## THREAT ASSESSMENT PROTOCOL

2021 - 2022

Threat to self	Threat to school/others
Student of concern is identified by staff member and is immediately reported to School	
administration/Threat Assessment Team member.	
School administration/Team member contacts parent/guardian.	
School administration/Team member will contact Law Enforcement with any	
severe threat and/or behavior.	
Gatekeeper (School Psychologist) will assess the student.	
Threat Assessment Team will discuss <b>all threats</b> to determine level of threat.	
District-level staff will be contacted, as necessary.	
Low Risk:	
<ul> <li>Copy of <i>Duty to Inform</i> will be provided to guardian.</li> <li><i>Safety Plan</i> is completed by the Team.</li> <li>Student is placed on monthly monitoring agenda via SWST (School-Wide Support Team).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Based on Team decision, if a <i>Threat Assessment</i> is warranted, the Team will schedule meetings and interviews with all necessary parties.</li> <li>A <i>Threat Assessment</i> is conducted by the Threat</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Moderate/High Risk:</li> <li>Obtain verbal parental consent for Mobile Response Team (MRT) and initiate MRT.</li> <li>Contact Law Enforcement, if warranted (possible <i>Baker Act</i>).</li> <li>Student will be monitored at all times during this process.</li> <li>MRT may provide action plan/guidance for next steps.</li> <li>Student will be released to parent/guardian with a <i>Duty to Inform</i>.</li> <li>A note from an outside provider <u>may be required</u> in order for the student to return to school.</li> </ul>	Assessment Team as soon as possible, ideally within two school days.
	• All Team actions are documented via PCG.
	• Upon completion of the Threat Assessment process, the Team will determine the course of action based on the level of the threat, investigative findings, and statewide protocol.
	• If a <i>Safety Plan</i> is necessary, it will be completed by the Team with the student.
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<ul> <li>Mental Health Referral: MUST have parent/guardian signature indicating consent or declining services.</li> <li>All actions are documented via PCG.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mental Health Referral: MUST have parent/guardian signature indicating consent or declining services.</li> </ul>

"If abuse, neglect, or abandonment is suspected, it is mandatory to make a report to the abuse hotline at 1-800-962-2873 or online at <u>www.MyFLFamilies.com</u>. Upon completion of the report with the hotline, school based administration must be notified of report in accordance with School Board Policy 2.80."