

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE

NATIONAL THREAT ASSESSMENT CENTER



NOTABLE RECENT PUBLICATIONS

- Mass Attacks in Public Spaces: 2016 2020 (January 2023) analyzes 173 targeted attacks that occurred from 2016-2020 in public or semi-public locations in the U.S.
- Hot Yoga Tallahassee: A Case Study of Misogynistic Extremism (March 2022)
 examines a 2018 shooting in which an attacker killed two women and injured
 four others.
- Averting Targeted School Violence: A U.S. Secret Service Analysis of Plots Against Schools (March 2021) examines 67 averted attacks at K-12 schools from 2006-2018 planned by current or recently former students.
- Protecting America's Schools: A U.S. Secret Service Analysis of Targeted School Violence (November 2019) examines 41 attacks perpetrated by current or recently former students at K-12 schools from 2008-2017.
- Enhancing School Safety Using a Threat Assessment Model: An Operational Guide for Preventing Targeted School Violence (July 2018) provides actionable steps for schools to develop multidisciplinary violence prevention programs that proactively identify and assist students who may pose a risk of harm to themselves or others.



CONSULTATIONS

NTAC offers consultation services to public safety professionals on establishing threat assessment policies and programs, and on complex threat cases.





TRAINING PROGRAMS

NTAC provides customized trainings to organizations by request. Attendees often include law enforcement, K-12 schools, colleges/universities, and workplaces.

Those who attend NTAC training learn how to:

- Proactively identify individuals who may be exhibiting concerning behaviors
- Assess whether individuals pose a risk of violence, or other harmful behavior, to themselves or others
- Develop community-based risk management strategies and proactive interventions



ACCESSING RESOURCES

Domestic Security Strategists (DSS) are NTAC's regionally-based personnel who build relationships with public safety professionals in the community, and facilitate access to NTAC's resources on targeted violence prevention.

DSSs are currently located in the following U.S. Secret Service field offices:

- Philadelphia Field Office
- Chicago Field Office
- Kansas City Field Office
- Dallas Field Office
- Los Angeles Field Office

Coming Soon

- New York
- Atlanta
- Denver

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