

**EMERGENCY & DISASTER PLANS & DRILLS**

**Emergency Plans**

The goal of an emergency/disaster response plan is to ensure an organized, efficient, and effective response to life-threatening occurrences. The Administrator in conjunction with principals, relevant staff members, and emergency response personnel shall develop an emergency/disaster response plan based on a district-wide threat assessment. The plan shall contain procedures for responding to threats; medical emergencies; natural disasters; and manmade disasters, including, but not limited to, nuclear attacks, terrorism, and other acts of violence.

Creation of an emergency/disaster plan does not guarantee that a trained responder will be present, able to properly respond to the situation, and/or able to properly administer first aid.

**Dissemination**

Threat response and emergency evacuation plans are exempt under the North Dakota open records law and will only be disseminated to individuals with an actual need to know.

**Emergency Drills**

The emergency/disaster response plan shall contain a means for evaluating its effectiveness, including provisions for carrying out emergency drills. The Administrator shall ensure all required emergency and disaster drills are conducted in accordance with applicable law, including but not limited to, state law and city ordinances.

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