



## CENTEGIX TECHNOLOGY INNOVATES SAFETY

Rochester Community Schools has adopted the Centegix safety platform, an incident response solution that supports emergencies, from everyday situations to the extreme.

The Centegix safety platform leverages digital mapping, real-time locating capabilities and an easy-to-use wearable panic button to support a faster response for safety situations. It does not replace other safety measures currently in place, but enhances them for a multi-layered approach to safety.

### Advancing emergency response times

Every RCS staff member wears a breakaway lanyard that holds a crisis alert badge. Using the Centegix system, staff can call for help anywhere on school grounds, by pressing a button. Once activated, support teams know exactly where the incident is taking place and can provide an immediate response for help.

The Centegix platform provides two types of alerts. The “I need help” alert immediately notifies on-site staff of a localized situation on campus, such as a medical emergency or altercation on school property.

For more extreme situations, a campuswide alert, or lockdown, may be required. In this case, the system not only notifies on-site personnel of the emergency, but also central office administrators, 911 dispatchers and first responders.

When the badge is activated, school communities receive visual and auditory alerts. A strobe light flashes; an intercom message provides verbal direction; and mobile and desktop computer alerts indicate the location of the emergency on digital, interactive maps.

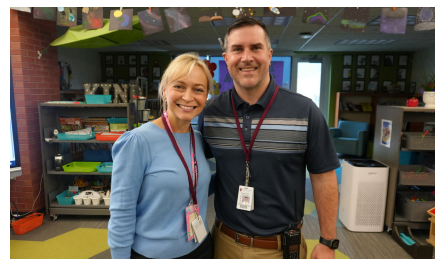
Badges work inside, outside and around all RCS facilities.

### Layering safety tools

Centegix crisis alerts ensure immediate collaboration with law enforcement and safety professionals, speeding the notification and response process and eliminating the need for additional phone calls to deploy resources.

Critical incident teams can quickly pinpoint the location of the situation and its nearest doors, exits, safe shelter areas, utility shut-offs, medical and safety equipment, etc.

Rather than take the place of current systems, Centegix layering helps enact all applicable tools, depending on the nature of the emergency.



Wearable Centegix crisis alert badges use real-time locating capabilities to send immediate support to any RCS location, when the “I need help” button is pushed.



If a lockdown is activated, administrators, first responders and technology teams are all immediately informed and ready to respond.



Emergency alerts can be activated inside or outside the school building, providing added protection at RCS playgrounds, stadiums and school campuses.