

Alyssa's Law Update

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Alyssa's Law requires each public school to implement a mobile panic alert system that:

- ensures real-time coordination among first responders; and
- transmits 911 calls and mobile activations.



Rule 6A-1.0018, F.A.C., School Safety Requirements and Monitoring

Implement as required under s. 1006.07(4)(c), F.S. (Alyssa's Law)

- Activate a panic alert silently and easily
- Consider device placement:
 - fixed panic alert buttons;
 - mobile and desktop applications;
 - landline phone capabilities; and
 - wearable panic alerts (such as on a lanyard).



Rule 6A-1.0018, F.A.C., School Safety Requirements and Monitoring (continued)

- Include in the district's local emergency policies and procedures required by s. 1006.07(4)(a), F.S.
- Develop plan in consultation with the
 - county 911 authority; and
 - local emergency management office.
- Integrate with local public safety answering point (PSAP) infrastructure to transmit calls and mobile activations.



Florida Department of Education (FDOE) Contracts

- 911 Cellular
- ARES
- AT&T/Mutualink
- CENTEGIX

- Guard911
- Intrado
- Motorola/SaferWatch
- Raptor



Training:

 District School Safety Specialists are updated on Alyssa's Alert requirements during the Office of Safe Schools annual training



Implementation:

- Fully rolled out to school staff;
- Alert activation transmitted to 911 and response agencies; and
- School and district staff notified.



Compliance Monitoring:

- Data collection on testing;
- Alert testing and drill observations;
- Collect and share best practices; and
- Identify areas for improvement.



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