

Cleveland State University



A.L.I.C.E. Training



- ◆ Alert
- ◆ Lockdown
- ◆ Inform
- ◆ Counter
- ◆ Evacuate



The main objective of the A.L.I.C.E. (Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, and Evacuate) program is to provide the faculty and staff with options to increase their chance of survival during an “Active Shooter on Campus” emergency.

Where the traditional lockdown response is passive in nature (lock doors, turn out lights and wait for help), the A.L.I.C.E. program is considered a more aggressive response. It is designed to be an

enhancement to the standard “lockdown” system used for emergency situations on a school campus. The focus of the A.L.I.C.E. program is as an alternate response to an “Active Shooter on Campus” emergency.

Across the country, colleges, high schools and elementary schools are adopting this program, and numerous campuses across the country are sending their police and security personnel to be trained in the A.L.I.C.E. program. The events on school campuses over the past 10-15 years have shown us that the “lockdown” system is insufficient in protecting our youth and the concept of “it could never happen here” is a myth. The true first responders are the students and the staff that are first presented with the “active shooter” situation.

The tools and knowledge that are gained in this training are life skills that can be implemented

~ Schedule A.L.I.C.E. training for your individual Department or College ~

A.L.I.C.E. training sessions are currently being offered to individual University colleges or departments. This training can be scheduled by contacting Shirley Lute at 687-2097 or s.lute@csuohio.edu. Shirley will work to coordinate your schedule with the University’s A.L.I.C.E. trainer, Ofc. Toni Jones, in order to find a mutually agreeable date and time for your training session.

You are encouraged to take advantage of the opportunity to provide your students, faculty and staff with this crucial preparedness tool. The training will be provided at your location at no cost to your department.