

# Safety and Wellness Emergency Response Planning

Antelope View Charter School is joining other schools in Center Unified School District to develop a comprehensive emergency response plan. The plan identifies key members of a response team and outlines procedures designed to cope with almost any emergency. There are specific plans outlined to cope with severe weather, bomb threats, chemical or biohazard issues, a death or suicide, fire or explosion, gas odors, a hostage situation, a hostile visitor, medical emergencies, assaults of various kinds, discovery of a weapon on campus, severe disruptions, and public demonstrations on or near our campus.

Our team leaders comprised of administrative staff, office personnel, and selected teachers are organized to function as part of an Incident Command System. Staging areas have been identified where staff will know to take students should we be faced with various emergency situations. Resources and partnerships have been identified; processes for evacuation and critical response procedures have been developed. Thought has been given to how we will handle issues that arise in the aftermath of an emergency. We plan to present our Safety and Wellness (SAW) Plan at an upcoming Site Council Meeting in order to hear input from our parents and community members.

*Keeping Our Students Safe!*

*SAW Planning*

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