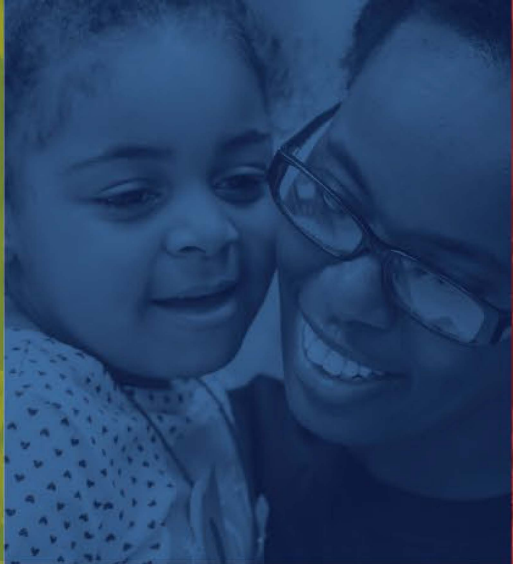


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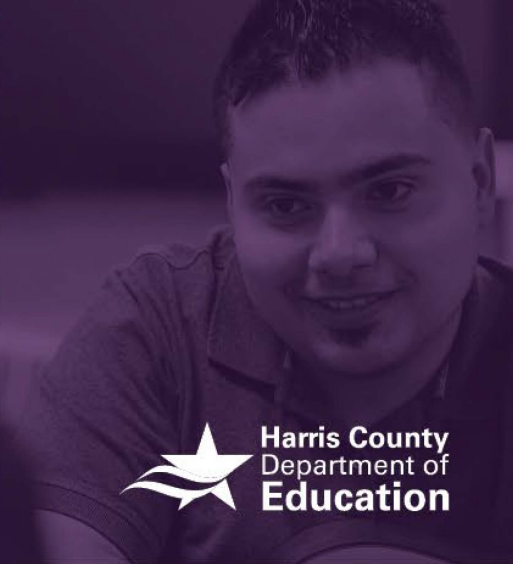
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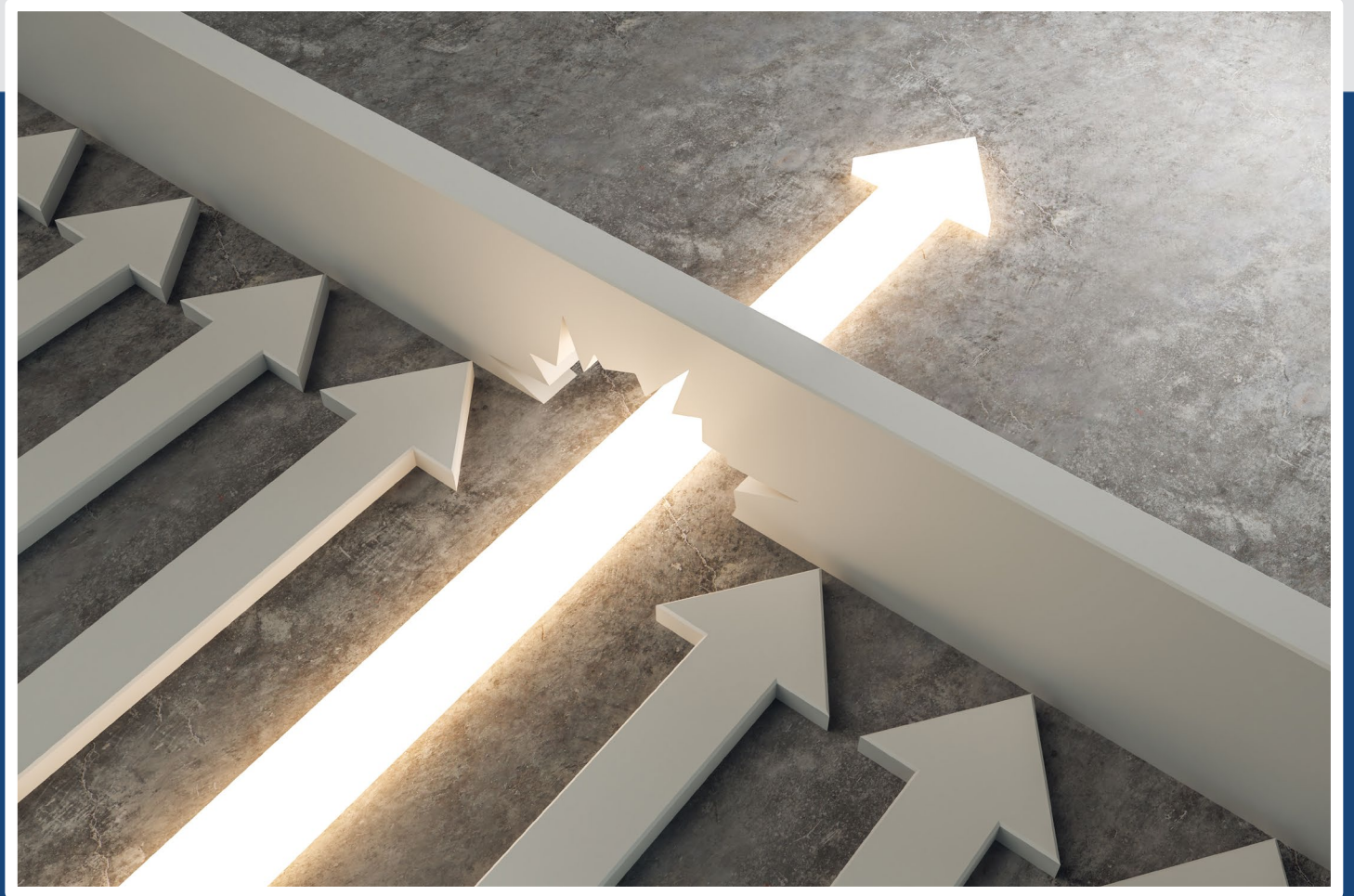
Dennis Calloway

*STOP School Violence
Grant Manager*



Who We Are

The Center for Safe and Secure Schools was established in 1999 at the request of school superintendents to advance safe and secure environments for learning and teaching. The Center seeks new and innovative opportunities to continue to build safer and more secure learning environments.



Services Available

State-mandated facility
safety and security audits

Ongoing opportunities for
training in a variety of
topics such as “threat
assessment” and
“Intruderology” (active-
shooter)

Restorative Discipline
Practices training/Equity &
Implicit Bias Trainings

Trauma and Resilience
Training/Youth Mental
Health First Aid Training



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33 District Memberships

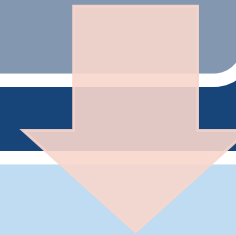
25 IN-
COUNTY

8 OUT-OF-
COUNTY



Educators Served / Professional Development

In County= 4,352



Out of County=396



Collaborative Partners

Mental Health of
America

United Way

Crime Stoppers

Harris County
Sheriff's Office

Unbound
Houston

Behavior Centers
of America-
Houston Chapter

City of Houston
Emergency
Management

Harris County
Emergency
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Trends and Challenges

1

Meeting the safety and security needs of all districts with limited staff

2

Expanding our offerings through various media platforms such as webinars

3

Partnering with national and statewide organizations to provide trainings for districts



Client Satisfaction

94%

of professional development survey participants and client satisfaction survey participants were satisfied with services received.



Goals

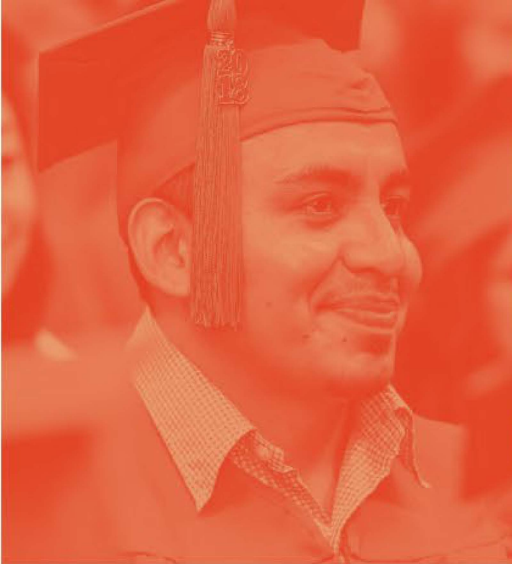
- Provide services designed to highlight best practices in school safety and multi-hazard emergency operations planning.
- Supply training and services for educators highlighting best practices with social-emotional learning and equity.



Goals

- Build, maintain and sustain client relationships through delivery of quality, end users of services and professional development.
- Deliver strong internal support to HCDE schools and facilities.





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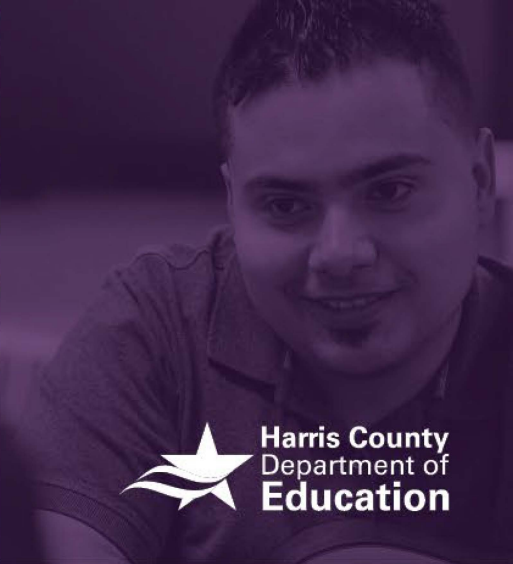
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