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Team, you're welcome to attend this NTER webinar and to share ONLY with law enforcement partners outside of DHS.

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**When:** Tuesday, June 22, 2021 1:00 PM-2:00 PM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada).

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Greetings everyone,

Please save the date-- **Tuesday, 22 June 2021 from 1:00 pm-2:00 pm EST**; for the National Threat Evaluation and Reporting (NTER) Program's webinar series focusing on potential concerning and threatening behaviors as students are preparing to return to school full time post-pandemic.

We have three remarkable guest speakers with expertise in threat assessment and targeted violence in schools.

- **Mr. Bruno Dias:** Director of Safety, Security, and Threat Management for Mansfield Independent School District in Texas. Mr. Dias has a wealth of knowledge and expertise in school safety best practices and building out threat assessment teams. He holds a M.A. degree from the Naval Postgraduate School in Homeland Defense

and Security, and a M.S. degree in Criminal Justices. He is a Certified Threat Manager and serves on the Texas Chapter Board of Association of Threat Assessment Professionals (ATAP). He worked in corporate security and honorably retired as a police commander.

- **Dr. James Densley:** Professor and Department Chair of Criminal Justice at Metropolitan State University. He is also Co-Founder and Co-President of The Violence Project, best known for its mass shooter database and the new Off-Ramp; initiative to reimagine behavioral threat assessment in schools and workplaces. He is the author of six books, 45 peer-reviewed articles, and 70 book chapters and essays. Dr. Densley is a former middle school special education teacher and earned his doctorate in sociology from the University of Oxford.
- **Dr. Stephanie Ellis:** Executive Director of Behavioral Health, Crisis Intervention, and Student Safety where she oversees social emotional and behavioral health implementation and school safety in the Rockingham County School District. She also serves as the Safety Director in which she leads crisis planning, COVID-19 and crisis response, preparation and threat assessment throughout the district. Dr. Ellis has experience and training in coordinating classroom management best practices. She is a PREPaRE curriculum trainer through the National Association of School Psychologists. Dr. Ellis completed her doctorate at High Point University in the Educational Leadership Program and her dissertation focused on Best Practices in Threat Assessment.

**Prior to the webinar**, we would like to solicit questions from our partners about what concerns you have as students are returning to school in the fall. Please fill out our **four-question survey** entitled Back to School: Behavioral Threat Assessment Considerations. We will provide our panelists with your questions to ensure they are prepared to provide a thorough response and discussion. The final date to submit your responses to your questions is **14 June 2021**.

To access video for the webinar, please use the following link: (b) (6) To access audio for the webinar, please call the following conference line: (b) (6)

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We hope you can join us for this exciting event!

### **National Threat Evaluation and Reporting (NTER) Program**

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