



# Safety & Crisis Planning in Today's Schools:

## OVERCOMING THE HURDLES

The need to respond quickly and effectively to emergencies in today's schools is greater than ever. But are the strategies currently in place sufficient for the task?

### A PREVALENT PROBLEM

**Between May 2013 and May 2014:**



**9 in 10**

school administrators  
communicated with  
parents regarding a safety  
incident or issue



**31%**

reached out to parents regarding  
school lockdowns.



**18%**

communicated about fights  
between students

