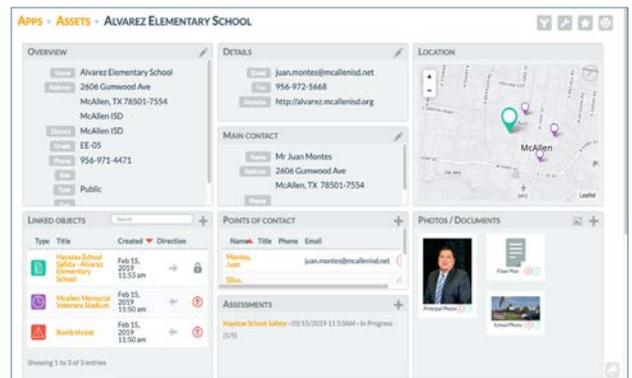# School Safety

Detect campus threats sooner and respond faster

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Most U.S. schools offer safe learning environments for their students, and district leaders work tirelessly with local security partners to mitigate active-shooter incidents, gang and drug activity, natural disasters and more. But limited budgets make it difficult for them to prioritize risks and respond to growing cyber and physical threats. Haystax integrates vital incident and school facility information into a single online platform to provide a shared common operational picture of the security environment, for more effective protection of students, staff and facilities.
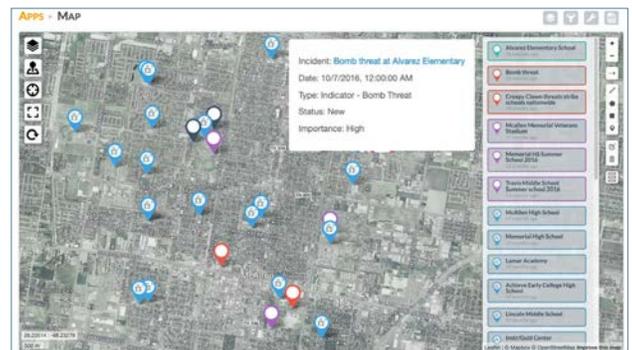
Know your schools

The Haystax system enables all school safety stakeholders to work collaboratively, implementing consistent best practices while accommodating differences in campus size, geography and demographics. Collect and manage critical information about every school in a district or state, and build a detailed custom safety profile for each one. Conduct assessments for a better understanding of vulnerabilities and threats. Import emergency plans, floor plans, contact information, photos and more. And precisely geolocate each school on a map for improved context.

Understand your risks

Keep up with emerging threat activity in and around schools by analyzing news, social media, traffic, weather, 911 calls and other digital feeds. Dedicated mobile apps instantly report bullying, drug and gang activity, suspicious packages and much more, turning security personnel into sensors. Scheduled occurrences such as safety drills, school fairs and sporting events can be entered in advance for added context. These feeds are integrated with other data and displayed in map or timeline views for clearer security awareness.

Share threat awareness

All dynamic and static data in the Haystax school safety solution is displayed, sorted and filtered on a single screen. Users can instantly view new data and automated alerts, regardless of their physical location or jurisdiction. Periodic reports can be generated from the asset, assessment, incident and event data and shared with school leadership and the community as needed. And the entire suite of tools is available on mobile devices for anytime/anywhere access, analysis and decision-making.

Customer Success Stories

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The Florida Department of Education (FDOE) uses the Haystax system, which it calls FSSAT, to help protect its 2.5 million students. FSSAT maintains a catalog of all 6,000-plus schools and related facilities in the state — and performs online safety assessments — giving district superintendents a detailed understanding of their most critical vulnerabilities and threats and helping them identify the highest-priority safety issues facing the schools.

The system also is used to: manage safety drills and other scheduled events across all schools; report incidents in and around each campus; and provide critical information needed in case of an emergency response at a school — such as floor plans, site maps, emergency plans, personnel and facility photos and contact information for key personnel. FSSAT enables FDOE to share best practices and ensure uniform standards across the state for any man-made threat or natural hazard. One Florida school district police chief said: "We look at FSSAT as a force multiplier."

The Haystax Advantage

Preventive
Empowers decision-makers and first responders with actionable information

Dynamic
Incidents, events and threat data are updated in real time

Standardized
Comprehensive school safety assessments enable district-wide preparedness

Cost-effective
Rapid cloud-based deployment, intuitive user training and lower operating costs

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