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# **SPEAK UP OUT**

## WISCONSIN

### **Comprehensive School Safety**

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# OSS 4-Pronged Approach to School Safety

**CALL 911 IF THIS IS AN EMERGENCY**



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**CRITICAL INCIDENT  
RESPONSE →**

**THREAT ASSESSMENT  
CONSULTATION →**

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# Office of School Safety Grants

## The Life Cycle of a Grant



# Office of School Safety Grants

## Closed OSS Grants


- ✓ Round 1 & 2
- ✓ Adolescent MH Training
- ✓ Digital Threat Assessment
- ✓ SRO Project

## Open OSS Grants

- ✓ CIR Stabilization
- ✓ SUSO Promotional
- ✓ UW Threat Assessment
- ✓ Critical Mapping

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# Office of School Safety Act 109

## 2021 Wisconsin Act 109

**2021 Wisconsin Act 109**  
[2021 Senate Bill 449]

**Grants for Critical Incident  
Mapping Data**

### **BACKGROUND**

State law requires each school board and the governing body of each private school, to have a school safety plan in effect, and to review and approve that plan at least once every three years after it goes into effect. Upon creating the plan, and upon each subsequent review, the board or governing body must submit a copy of the most recent blueprints of the school to the local law enforcement agency with jurisdiction over the school and to the Office of School Safety (OSS) at the Wisconsin Department of Justice (DOJ). The OSS must coordinate with schools to compile and keep confidential all blueprints, unless a law enforcement agency requests access.

### **2021 WISCONSIN ACT 109**

2021 Wisconsin Act 109 allows school boards and the governing bodies of private schools to submit critical incident mapping data, in lieu of blueprints, to the relevant law enforcement agency and the OSS, and similarly requires the OSS to compile such data and maintain its confidentiality, subject to the exception allowing law enforcement access upon request.

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