

# Hostile Intruder Awareness in a Clinical Setting



Call UT Police at:

- 713-792-2890 to report suspicious individuals
- 713-563-7794 to schedule awareness training

Call 911 in an emergency

## You see or hear gunfire. What do you do next?

Don't hesitate to protect yourself. Developing a survival mentality will help you survive a threatening environment, such as an act of workplace violence.

A survival mentality is about: **Awareness, Preparation and Rehearsal.**

**Awareness** involves gaining a basic understanding of armed intruder situations.

**Preparation** is asking yourself the "what if" questions that'll help you develop effective responses.

**Rehearsal** is practicing your plan.

## Adopt a Survival Mentality

### The 4 A's of an active shooter response:



#### Accept

Accept that an emergency is occurring.



#### Assess

Assess what to do next so that you can save as many lives as possible, which depends on your location.



#### Act

Lock down. Lock and barricade the doors, turn off the lights, have patients get on the floor and hide, or evacuate, or fight back (last resort).



#### Alert

Alert law enforcement and security