

Confidential Reporting:

A user's personal information remains confidential under PA 183 of 2013, the statute that created the OK2SAY program.

Comprehensive Technology:

Tips can be submitted by telephone, text, email, mobile application, and via a web-based form on the OK2SAY website.

Coordinated Intervention:

Trained OK2SAY operators promptly screen tips to determine and forward information to the organization that is best suited to take action. Tips may be handled by more than one organization.

Complete Disposition:

When the situation has been resolved, each organization (school, law enforcement, local Community Mental Health organization, and/or Department of Human Services) will be asked to complete a short Outcome Report. The Report features drop down menus and can be submitted online at: www.mi.gov/ok2say.

Program feedback and suggestions for improvement are encouraged.

Contact OK2SAY:



Call: 1-8-555-OK2SAY
1-855-565-2729

Text: 652729
OK2SAY

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Web: www.mi.gov/ok2say

Mobile App:

Available in the app stores for iPhone and Android.



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A confidential way for students to report anything that threatens their safety or the safety of others.



In 81% of violent incidents in U.S. schools, someone other than the attacker had knowledge of the attacker's plan.

Purpose:

OK2SAY is a program to help students confidentially report anything that threatens their safety or the safety of others.

OK2SAY is scheduled to be operational by September 2014.

Break the Culture of Silence:



In many schools, students don't say anything about potentially dangerous situations out of fear of rejection, retaliation, or confusion about where to seek help. OK2SAY creates an early warning system in our schools to stop tragedies before they start. It's a way for students to break the culture of silence by connecting them to adult authorities who can help.

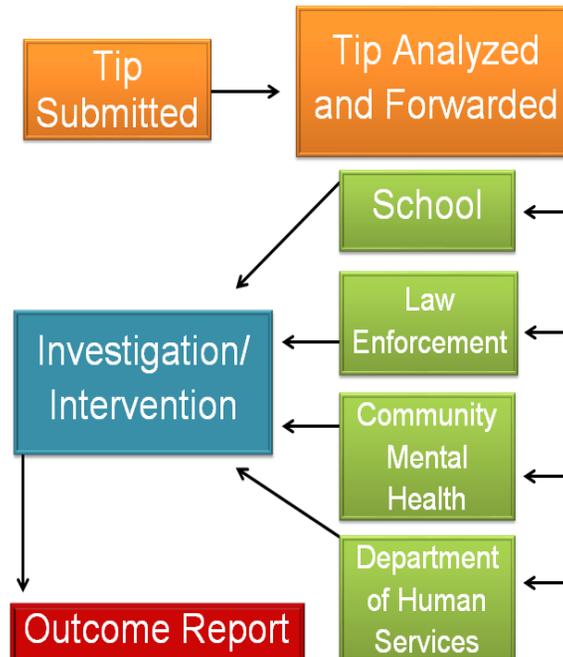
OK2SAY Features:

- Confidential Reporting
- Comprehensive Technology
- Coordinated Intervention
- Complete Disposition

The Tip:

Tips can be submitted by telephone, text, email, web, or via the mobile app. Once a tip is received, trained OK2SAY operators will determine which organization is best suited to handle the tip and forward it accordingly. Most tips will likely be forwarded to schools and local law enforcement agencies but may, in some instances, also go to Community Mental Health or the Department of Human Services.

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Outcome Report:

The Attorney General is statutorily required to prepare an annual report analyzing the overall effectiveness of the OK2SAY program. As part of this report, each organization involved in any tip is asked to complete a short Outcome Report for the Department of Attorney General that can be submitted online.

The report features drop down menus and asks for:

1. The contact information of the organization;
2. The response by the organization;
3. The outcome of the investigation/intervention;
4. Any suggestions for program improvement.

Outcome Reports ensure timely responses and reinforce to students that program operators will act on the tips they submit.

OK2SAY wishes to thank the following partners:

Office of the Governor	MI Assn. of School Social Workers
Department of Attorney General	MI Assn. of Secondary School Principals
Department of Community Health	MI Catholic Conference
Department of Education	MI Education Assn.
Department of Human Services	MI Elementary and Middle School Principals Assn.
MI State Police	MI High School Athletic Assn.
American Federation of Teachers MI	MI Parent Teacher Assn.
Helen DeVos Children's Hospital	MI Sheriffs Assn.
MI Assn. of Chiefs of Police	Middle Cities Education Assn.
MI Assn. of Intermediate School Administrators	Middle Cities Risk Management Trust
MI Assn. of Non-Public Schools	Middle Cities Workers Compensation
MI Assn. of School Administrators	Prosecuting Attorneys Assn of MI
MI Assn. of School Boards	
MI Assn. of School Psychologists	