

Crisis Prevention Intervention (CPI) *Nonviolent Crisis Intervention*[®]

The Abbotsford School District Learning Support Services Helping Teachers provide the Crisis Prevention Intervention (CPI) training ***Nonviolent Crisis Intervention*** regularly throughout each school year. The emphasis of this training is on preventing or managing disruptive behavior before it reaches a crisis level. CPI's physical disengagement skills are demonstrated and practiced in this training to prepare staff to safely remove themselves and others from a dangerous situation. You will learn:

- How to identify behaviors that could lead to an acting out situation for the student.
- How to most effectively respond to behaviors to prevent the situation from escalating.
- How to use verbal and nonverbal techniques to defuse hostile behavior and resolve a crisis before it can become violent.
- How to cope with your own fear and anxiety.
- How to assess risk levels and consider the issues that impact decision making.
- How to use CPI's disengagement skills to avoid injury if behavior becomes physical.

Please watch for announcements for training opportunities on Professional Development Days.

School District Staff can view the LSS Professional Development Calendar at

<https://abbyconnect.sd34.bc.ca/>

After sign in go to Department and click on LSS.