

# ChenTAC

## Chenango Threat Advisory Committee

### WHO WE ARE

The formation of ChenTAC was established due to the ever-changing risks of targeted violence and mass shootings that society faces today. ChenTAC takes effective proactive and protective measures that are designed to prevent, not predict, potential acts of targeted violence and terrorism. Through identifying and managing potential threats, ChenTAC provides alternatives to investigation and /or prosecution for bystanders who are actively seeking intervention assistance with a known individual at risk of mobilizing to violence.

With the support of the Chenango County Sheriff's Office, ChenTAC is a multidisciplinary team comprised of businesses, schools and colleges, social service agencies, mental health professionals, faith based organizations, community resources and local and state law enforcement. Collectively, we convene as a confidential group to identify, assess and manage potential threats of targeted violence.

### IMPORTANT DEFINITION

**Targeted Violence** is premeditated violence and is usually directed at a specific individual, group, or location. A perpetrator of targeted violence is typically responding to a perceived grievance or acting on behalf of a particular ideology.

**Targeted Violence** is different from impulsive, reactive, or emotional acts of violence. Some examples of targeted violence are school shootings, workplace violence, domestic violence, stalking, and terroristic attacks.

### WHEN TO CONTACT ChenTAC

If you become aware of someone exhibiting concerning behaviors, or threatening a person, group or entity, ChenTAC is available to help. Contact our report line at (607) 334-2000 or go to [chenangosheriff.us](http://chenangosheriff.us) and click "Crime Tip". If you have concerns of imminent danger, call 911 immediately.

### *See Something, Say Something* YOUR ROLE IS IMPORTANT

ChenTAC is relying on you, our biggest asset, to help identify potential threats. Without participation from members of the public, we can not identify ways to assist those who need us or protect our community.



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