

Faith Organization Safety & Security Checklist



Perimeter and Exterior Security

Secure fencing, gates, or barriers around the property to control access? Adequate lighting (motion-activated) for parking lots, entrances, and walkways? Bollards or vehicle barriers at main entrances to prevent ramming? Clear signage for restricted areas, emergency exits, and visitor instructions?



Building Access and Control

All exterior doors equipped with self-locking mechanisms, deadbolts, or electronic access controls? Key management system in place (e.g., limited distribution, rekeying after staff changes)? Visitor check-in procedure, including ID verification and escorted access for strangers?



Surveillance and Monitoring

Security cameras installed at entrances, exits, parking areas, and interior high-risk zones? Cameras monitored in real-time or recorded with regular review and maintenance? Alarm systems (intrusion, fire, panic buttons) integrated and tested regularly?



Emergency Preparedness

Comprehensive emergency response plan for threats like active shooters, fires, natural disasters, or medical emergencies? Regular drills conducted for staff, volunteers, and congregants? Designated safe rooms or shelter-in-place procedures? First aid kits, AEDs, and emergency communication tools (e.g., two-way radios) readily available?



Personnel and Training

Background checks for staff, volunteers, and key holders Security training provided on threat recognition, de-escalation, and response protocols? Volunteer security team or ushers trained to monitor for suspicious behavior? Procedures for handling disruptive individuals or unfamiliar persons?



Internal and Operational Security

Secure storage for valuables, donations, and sensitive records (e.g., locked safes or rooms)? Cybersecurity basics: Password-protected networks, regular software updates, and phishing awareness? Regular inspections of fire extinguishers, exits, and electrical systems?



Smarter Way to Secure Every Door

- Remote Control: Manage doors anytime, anywhere.
- Digital Keys: Grant or revoke access instantly.
- Peace of Mind: Protect people and property with ease.



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