



Why Bearcade®?

Lockdown Response is not *just* a law enforcement consideration.

With increasing incidents of bullying, assault, and sexual harassment, placing something in a classroom or office involves consideration of many other “**what if**” questions, unintended consequences, and institutional liability.

Design and Protocol Considerations for Year-Round Safety

- ✓ **ONE MOTION DEACTIVATION** – no twisting, turning, tight pinching, or complex motions
- ✓ **NO HIDDEN DEPLOYMENT** or “accidental” deployment
- ✓ **ACCELERATED RESPONSE** during an actual event
- ✓ **QUICK IDENTIFICATION** of condition of rooms during a practice drill
- ✓ **NOTIFICATION** if deployed outside of a prescribed drill or actual incident
- ✓ **ABILITY TO GAIN ENTRY** from hallway side by administration and safety forces
- ✓ **NOT A POSSIBLE WEAPON** introduced into a classroom or office
- ✓ **NO TRIP HAZARD** – door, doorframe, and threshold remain free of obstruction
- ✓ **RAPID DEPLOYMENT** – typically 3 to 8 seconds
- ✓ **ONE DEVICE** for inward- or outward-swinging doors ... and many double doors
- ✓ **CANNOT BE USED TO TRAP** – will only go on doors you choose and only in the correct direction. Cannot be used to trap occupants of another room.
- ✓ **LIGHTWEIGHT** – 2 lbs of impact modified polymers
- ✓ **STRONG** – 4,800 lbf, impact & ballistic tested, ISO-9001:2008-certified production
- ✓ **PRICE** – due to our background in schools and public institutions, extreme sensitivity to cost control.