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Between April and August of 2018, Ronin Security Solutions conducted an overall risk assessment of the Cherry Hill Public School District's 19 schools and Administrative Offices. This assessment identified Risk Components (i.e. Failure of Access Controls), and then assigned values to both Probability of the Component and Consequence of same. In this manner, Ronin used the nationally accepted and widely used Risk = Probability X Consequence to determine and rank the District's overall Risk.

This project took into account the District's Policies and Procedures, Access, Culture, Accountability, Communications, Environment, and overall Education of the entire community. The assessment methodology included, but was not limited to the following:

- School Visits (over 100 separate visits to District Schools)
 - Different times – morning, daytime, afternoon, evening, overnight
 - Weekdays and weekends
 - School Hours and non-school hours (During school year, and Summer)
 - After school and Summer activities in Schools
- Interviews with Administrators, Teachers and Staff
- Behavior Observation
- Identifying Risk Components
- Assigning Probability and Consequence values to each Component

The project identified Risks, ranked them by Risk Scores, and recommended Mitigation measures for the District to employ to reduce Risk in all areas. Overall, the project identified the below categories which pose the greatest Risk to the Chery Hill School District:

- Controlling Access (to facilities and grounds)
- Lack of Secure Vestibules
- Lack of a proper Security Education Program for the entire District community
- Deferred Maintenance throughout the District
- Lack of CCTV

The culmination of this project has provided the District with a roadmap to follow to mitigate the most serious risks as well as the general risks which can all be reduced.

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