

## School Crisis Management Pre-Planning Agenda for Terminal Illness

- 1. Introductions of team members
- 2. Current situation/background
- 3. Current needs of staff and students
- 4. Future needs and planning:
  - Create a list of students who may be most closely impacted (including those who are close to the individual, those who have had recent losses, and those with mental health needs)
  - Identify staff who may need additional support and plan on how to provide coverage for staff who
    need it.
  - Communication plans with student, staff, and parents
    - o Identify who needs to be informed
    - o Develop a plan for notifying staff, parents and students of death if it occurs during the school day, after school hours, or when school is not in session.
    - o What resources will be made available (handouts, website links, counselors) and how?
  - Ideas for memorials (following guidelines from <u>US Department of Education: Emergency Response</u> and Crisis Management (ERCM) Technical Assistance Center, and district policy)