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Industry: Education

Software: INONI RiSc<sup>™</sup> Resilience in Schools

#### Challenges:

- Security and accessibility
- Inconsistent adoption
- Labour-intensive upkeep

#### Solution:

RiSc<sup>™</sup> is INONI's risk product for schools, providing affordable risk assessment and business continuity planning. It empowers local authorities and resilience managers with a flexible toolset, delivering consistency, efficiency and control. We also offer RiScplus<sup>™</sup> for larger schools and colleges.

### Value to you:

- Increased resilience
- Stronger governance
- Better engagement
- Less workload
- Save time and effort

### The INONI advantage:

- Quick and easy to use
- Versatile and configurable
- Rich functionality

## **Resilience in Schools**

A weak response to a school emergency could have dire consequences. Head teachers need effective up-to-date response plans to prevent this and satisfy their governance responsibilities.

The Civil Contingencies Act 2004 placed duties on local authorities with regard to planning for emergencies. As a result of this, the Department for Education strongly recommended that schools produce their own emergency plan.

### **Best practice**

INONI RiSc<sup>™</sup> is risk and continuity software for schools. Purpose-built, and aligned with ISO 22301 and the BCI Good Practice Guide, it provides each school with access to:

- a. Dedicated online account.
- b. Practical risk assessment.
- c. Sustainable continuity plan.

This means schools can refer to the plan, add and edit their own material, and access online education and guidance whenever and wherever they need to. They can attach maps, procedures, policies to deal with local conditions. The system even allows plans to be signed off and managed as part of a regular review cycle.

### Quick and easy to use

RiSc requires negligible training and is pre-loaded with editable texts and examples to save time. Schools simply edit what's there and add any details specific to them.

Materials can be accessed from PC, tablet or smartphone, receiving email or SMS reminders when they become due for review.



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## **Resilience in Schools**

## **Oversight and support**

RiSc provides a supervisor account. This is a powerful facility allowing secure measurement, oversight and support for multiple schools or departments from a single console interface.

It means that management can see who is active, tell which plans are up-to-date, which need work and where risks lie.

RiSc also includes an optional ability to run scenario exercises across one or many schools, building familiarity and driving improvement.

## **Consistency and familiarity**

RiSc allows governing bodies to define templates so all schools start planning from a known, proven baseline that is compatible with each other and the Local Authority's planned response.

This means supervisors know what to expect and can review potentially many school plans. This improves understanding and accelerates the response, saving time, money and lives.

### **Governance & Compliance**

RiSc offers clear benefits, providing greater certainty over the protection of staff and students.

It helps each school to comply with local authority and government guidelines, including the Civil Contingencies Act 2004. It's good for governance.

### **Our experience**

INONI brings a wealth of experience, reliable technology and a rich vein of risk and continuity expertise. We fully appreciate the growing demand for BCM, fuelled by governance, sustainability and the need for school resilience, safety and welfare.

We're familiar with the challenges posed in this important area and we're here to help you solve them. Talk with us now and see how we can help.

### Your advantage

RiSc is highly configurable software powered by INONI, a recognized leader in risk and continuity management systems. It uses INONI's unique platform technology to maximize benefit, enabling bespoke customisation of online accounts.

INONI provides same day support, shared hosting, software upgrades and releases, programmable education and guaranteed levels of availability and security.

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