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**At-Risk Youth In-services and Child Abuse**

(I) carrying out in-service training for school personnel regarding

(i) the techniques and supports needed to help educators understand when and how to refer students affected by trauma, and children with, or at risk of, mental illness;

(ii) the use of referral mechanisms that effectively link such children to appropriate treatment and intervention services in the school and in the community, where appropriate;

(iii) forming partnerships between school-based mental health programs and public or private mental health organizations; and

(iv) addressing issues related to school conditions for student learning, such as safety, peer interaction, drug and alcohol abuse, and chronic absenteeism

(L) providing training for all school personnel, including teachers, principals, other school leaders, special- ized instructional support personnel, and paraprofessionals, regarding how to prevent and recognize child sexual abuse