

Jillian Haring

Subject Matter Expert



Jillian Haring is a Senior Advisor and subject matter expert at Public Consulting Group (PCG) focused on behavioral threat assessment and special education systems. She advises districts, education networks, and state-level partners as they respond to complex school safety, special education, and student support needs.

Jillian helps leaders integrate BTAM (Behavioral Threat Assessment Management), SRA with MTSS, Special Education service delivery, behavioral health, and Whole Child prevention frameworks so teams can move from fragmented, reactive responses to coordinated, prevention-oriented systems that strengthen safety, improve outcomes, and support sustainable decision-making.

Expertise

- Behavioral Threat Assessment and Management (BTAM) in K-12 education systems
- Special education service delivery, capacity, and sustainability
- MTSS, school mental health, and Whole Child-aligned prevention frameworks
- Threat assessment documentation, governance, compliance, and workflow design
- Executive-level training, facilitation, coaching, and implementation support
- Team-based decision-making, multidisciplinary collaboration, and case consultation
- Data-informed decision-making for senior leaders and cross-functional teams
- Practical integration of BTAM with IEP/504/BIP, intervention, monitoring, and student support processes

Experience

Jillian brings more than twenty years of public-sector education experience and has served as a district administrator, behavior specialist, special education teacher, and intervention specialist within a large public-school system. At PCG, she advises districts, state agencies, and organizations nationwide on the design, evaluation, and implementation of violence-prevention frameworks, with an emphasis on evidence-based models, case-management systems, information sharing, accountability, and early intervention. Her current advisory work supports districts and state partners implementing, scaling, and refining Behavioral and Suicide Risk Assessment processes and student support systems, including alignment with Special Education service delivery, MTSS, behavioral health, and Whole Child frameworks.

Before joining PCG, Jillian held district- and system-level roles with the 6th largest school district in the country. Her work included large-scale special education and student support initiatives, data infrastructure and modernization efforts, staff training, FERPA/HIPAA-aligned processes, system-level analysis of disciplinary and behavioral practices, policy interpretation, operational planning, and coordinated safety and student support efforts.

Publications

- Haring, J. (2025, November 10). *When students move, safety should move with them..*
- Haring, J., & Ritter, J. (2025, November). *Behavioral Threat Assessment: A Guide for Educators and Leaders (Downloadable)*. Education Week.
- Haring, J. (2026, August 4). *How to ground school safety technology in sound decision-making*. District Administration.
- Haring, J. (2025, September 4). *'This Kid Scares People': A Behavior Specialist Shows Her Reality*. Education Week.
- Haring, J. (2024). *PCG Whole Child: A Comprehensive Approach*. Public Consulting Group white paper.
- Haring, J. L. (2026). *Beyond compliance: Building the system capacity schools need for sustainable behavioral threat assessment & management (BTAM) programs: A trauma-informed, mobility-responsive framework for K-12 leaders*. Public Consulting Group.

Presentations

- AASE 2026 Winter Conference. Presented at the 26th Annual IAASE Winter Conference, February 26, 2026.
- Coordinated School Health Institute. Presented for the Division of Coordinated School Health, March 4–6, 2026, Renaissance Hotel, Nashville, Tennessee.
- New Jersey Women’s Leadership Conference. Presented at the 2026 Annual New Jersey Women’s Leadership Conference, March 9–10, 2026, Ocean Place Resort & Spa, Long Branch, New Jersey.
- KSDE Safe and Supportive School Conference. Presented at the Kansas Safe and Supportive Schools Conference, March 30–31, 2026, Wichita, Kansas.
- Project RAISE Mental Health Conference. Presented at the Project RAISE Conference, May 12–13, 2026, Nashville, Tennessee.
- CPTED Webinar. Presented webinar through ICA, May 2026.
- Innovative Schools Summit Nashville. Presented at the Innovative Schools Summit, *July 25–29, 2026, Nashville, Tennessee.*
- ZeroNow Sessions Live Webinar. Panelist for “Securing Private & Charter Schools,” May 19, 2026, 2:00–3:00 PM ET. This live webinar examined how private and charter schools can adopt tailored security strategies that account for their unique governance structures, campus designs, budgets, and policies while maintaining welcoming learning environments and strong protection for students and staff.
- MAASE Summer Institute. Presented at the 2026 MAASE Summer Institute, August 9–12, 2026, Traverse City, Michigan.

Professional Networks and Certifications

- Association of Threat Assessment Professionals (ATAP), member.
- (NCPCV) National Center for Crime Prevention and Community Violence, advisory board member.
- Behavioral Specialist certification/background.
- Influential Women, network profile. <https://influentialwomen.com/connect/jillian-haring>

Education

Florida State University: M.S., Computer Science & Information Systems; B.S., Social Science Education & History.

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