



## Hope for Kids

# The 3 Steps for Handling ANY and ALL Camp Situations

#1

## STAY CALM

**S** - Stop what you're doing.

**T** - Take a deep breath.

**O** - Observe what's happening around you.

**P** - Proceed with a clear mind.

#2

## ASSESS FOR SAFETY

Distinguish between different severity levels:

- Mild – No immediate danger / simple to de-escalate
- Serious – potential to escalate and cause harm
- Urgent – likely harm if no immediate action taken

By recognizing these levels of severity, you'll be better equipped to ensure the safety and well-being of everyone at camp.

#3

## RESPOND APPROPRIATELY

- Tailor your actions based on the severity of each circumstance.
- Prioritize safety and well-being.
- Reach out for help when facing challenges.