1. Record Nr. UNINA9910813846403321 Autore Albrecht Steve <1963-> Titolo Library security: better communication, safer facilities / / Steve Albrecht Pubbl/distr/stampa Chicago, [Illinois]:,: ALA Editions,, 2015 ©2015 **ISBN** 0-8389-1354-7 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (185 p.) Disciplina 025.8/2 Soggetti Libraries - Security measures Library buildings - Safety measures Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Includes index. Nota di contenuto Library Security: Better Communication, Safer Facilities: Contents: Preface; Acknowledgments; Chapter 1. The New Library Workplace: Not So Quiet; Chapter 2. Three Keys to a Safer Library: Security-Aware Staff, Creative Customer Service Skills, and Enforced Codes of Conduct; Chapter 3. Challenging Patron Behaviors; Chapter 4. Common Types of Challenging Patrons; Chapter 5. Understanding Threats and Getting Help; Chapter 6. Workplace Violence: Awareness, Prevention, and Response: Chapter 7. Conducting Your Own Site Security Survey Chapter 8. Community Partnerships: Law Enforcement, Mental Health, and Homeless ServicesChapter 9. Staff Development for a Safer Library: Results, Not Just Rules; Appendix A. Library Security Survey Checklist; Appendix B. Sample Library Security Suggestions for Site Survey Reports; Appendix C. Sample Staff Training Exercises; Appendix D. Want Less Stress? Try More BREADS; Appendix E. Resources; Index Through the methods outlined in this book, Albrecht demonstrates that Sommario/riassunto effective communication not only makes library users feel more comfortable but also increases staff morale, ensuring the library is

place where everyone feels welcome.