

VULNERABLE PERSONS REGISTRY



WHAT IS THE VULNERABLE PERSONS REGISTRY?

The registry provides quick access to critical information about a registered person, such as who to call in an emergency, a detailed physical description, and any particular sensitivities that the person may experience. Registration is completely voluntary. The database is to help alleviate safety concerns for those that are vulnerable in our community.

WHO IS A VULNERABLE PERSON?

A vulnerable person is defined as a person who due to medical, cognitive, mental health or physical condition may exhibit patterns of behavior that may pose a danger to that person. Examples of Vulnerable Persons may include:

- Autism
- Acquired brain injury
- Serious mental illness (SMI)
- Dementia
- Cerebral palsy
- Gravely disabled

e.g. wander, physical instability, inability to communicate, aggression, irritational fear, oversensitivity to sensory stimulates (sounds, lights, and touch)



WHAT IS THE GOAL OF THE REGISTRY?

To provide police with quick access to critical information about a registered person so the officer can assist in an emergency situation. When a Vulnerable Person is thought to be at risk, his or her personal information will be shared with relevant organizations, enabling them to quickly respond and provide effective assistance to the registrant.



Forms can be picked up and dropped off at your local law enforcement office.