

### Keeping Special Needs Kids Safe





# LVILLE S.A.F.E. Secure Awareness for First Encounters

#### LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT

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The Lawrence Township Police Department has created a registry for our community members that are Autistic or have another communication disability in efforts to give police quick access to critical information about a person who is registered in an emergency situation. This registry will provide our officers with emergency contact information, detailed physical descriptions including a photo, medical concerns, best way to communicate, known stressors / stress reducers, and much more. This information will greatly assist our police officers when time is essential in communicating and dealing with an emergency situation.

We ask that all questions be filled out completely and a current photograph be provided. If you are unable to supply a photograph, we will be happy to take one for you. The information you provide is confidential and will only be used by law enforcement in an emergency situation.

If any information on the registration changes you are encouraged to inform us as soon as possible. This program is free to the community and another example of our committed partnership in Community Policing with our residents. You can download the registration form from our website:

#### https://www.lawrencetwp.com/departments/police

Completed forms may be turned into a School Resource Officer, handed in at our Police Dispatch window, or emailed to Detective Suzanne Girard.

#### sgirard@lawrencetwp.com

Upon completion/submission of the registration form, we will provide a Lawrence Township Police LVILLE S.A.F.E. sticker that you can proudly display on your vehicle and front entrance door. This sticker will bring awareness to responding Officers / EMS during an emergency situation while serving as a de-escalation tool.

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### LVILLE S.A.F.E.

### **Secure Awareness for First Encounters Registry**

NAME:

SEX:

DATE OF BIRTH:

RACE:

HEIGHT: WEIGHT:

EYE COLOR:

HAIR COLOR:

HAIR STYLE:

SCARS/MARKS/TATTOOS:

ADDRESS:

CITY:

РНОТО

STATE:

ZIP CODE:

EMERGENCY CONTACTS:	
NAME:	
PHONE NUMBER:	
ADDRESS:	
RELATIONSHIP:	
NAME:	
PHONE NUMBER:	
ADDRESS:	
RELATIONSHIP:	
MEDICAL CONCERNS:	
WHAT TYPE OF BEHAVIOR SHOULD BE EXPECTED? (KICKING, HITTING, BITING, SELF-HITTING RUNNING AWAY):	3,

BEST WAY TO APPROACH HIM/HER:
HOW DOES HE/SHE COMMUNICATE? (VERBAL, SIGN LANGUAGE, TECHNOLOGY, PICTURE CARDS)?:
HOW DOES HE/SHE RESPOND TO STRESS? (ROCK, HIDE, SCREAM, KICK/HIT. SHUT DOWN):
WHAT WORKS BEST TO REDUCE STRESS? (SPECIFIC TOY OR OBJECT, MUSIC, QUIET ENVIRONMENT):
ARE THERE SPECIFIC STRATEGIES TO CALM HIM/HER?
F HE/SHE CANNOT COMMUNICATE, ARE THERE ANY CHARACTERISTICS THAT WOULD HELP US ID HIM/HER?
ANYTHING ELSE WE SHOULD KNOW:

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