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### CRITICAL CALLER DATA FOR 911 RESPONDERS

# WHAT IS SMART911?

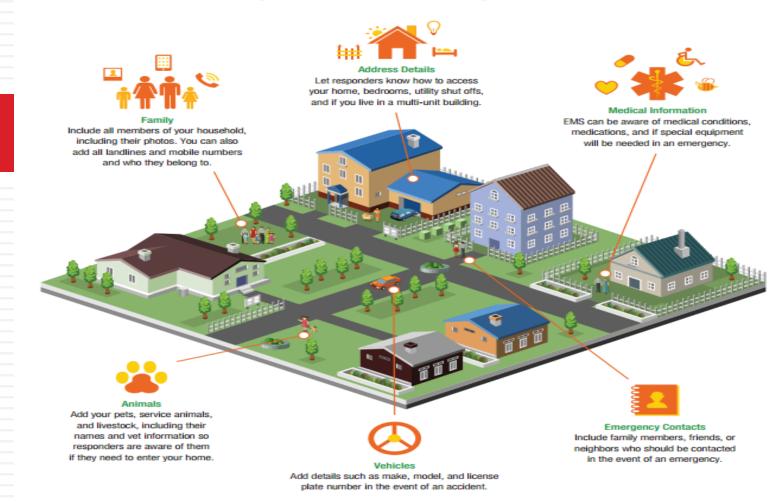
- A free online app that allows you to create a custom 9-1-1 Safety Profile for you and your family.
- The Safety Profile for residents can include as little or as much information as needed about themselves and their family members.
- The profile can be linked to any number of addresses you may frequent (home, work, etc.) as well as any phone numbers you wish to add.
- The profile will be shown to 9-1-1 call takers ONLY when you call 9-1-1; pertinent information will be shared with first responders for the response as usual.



## WHY USE SMART911?

- As a call is made from a phone registered with Smart911, any city or state that has Smart911 will recognize the phone number and will display the information that was provided by the registered caller.
- 32 million people use Smart911 for personal and family preparedness in over 1,000 communities. This includes statewide implementations in Michigan, Delaware, and Arkansas. Locally, DuPage County has been using Smart911 since 2010, Naperville since 2013 and Cook County Sheriff's Office since 2015. Chicago will become the nation's largest single user of Smart911.
- Over 10% of 9-1-1 calls nationally are processed through Smart911.
- Approximately 75% of 9-1-1 calls are made using cellular phones that lack detailed location information.

#### What Can My Smart911 Safety Profile Include?



# SMART911 IS SECURE

- Call takers and emergency response personnel can only see a Smart911 profile when the resident makes a 9-1-1 call
- The information is only made available when it has been verified through Smart911 on each call



- Highest levels of security certifications
- In 7 years, government agencies have not experienced any security breaches
- All data collected is encrypted at every level and is not searchable by call takers



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# SMS CHAT FEATURE FOR CALLERS UNABLE TO COMMUNICATE

- Available for any mobile call. No registration required by community member.
- ONLY call takers can initiate 2-way SMS Chat conversations with mobile callers.
- □ Caller cannot text to 9-1-1 first.
- □ SMS Chat is optimized for use by callers with hearing or speech impairments.
- A deaf/hard of hearing person can indicate in their Smart911 profile that they are deaf/hard of hearing and prefer to communicate through SMS Chat. When they dial 9-1-1, the 9-1-1 call taker will receive a notification to communicate via text.
- If an emergency caller is non-verbal, disconnected or has poor coverage, a call taker can contact them to send help or verify accidental calls. (Other examples include incidents where the offender is in vicinity, domestic disputes.)
- Two-way SMS chat messages in such incidents provide additional information to safely send to first responders before incidents escalate further.

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# SMARTSAVES

### **Plan For Any Emergency**

Smart911 is a trusted national service allowing residents to give 9-1-1 and first responders any information they would want them to know in an emergency, **before** any emergency occurs.





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<u> https://www.ravemobilesafety.com/blog/push-for-smart911-in-cincinnati-and-beyon</u>

## SMARTSAVE: MEDICAL HISTORY

#### Orange County, VA – July 2, 2016

- 9-1-1 call to report severe chest pain.
- Smart911 profile had been created and provided 9-1-1 details about the victim's address and medical history.
- Medical history was shared with responding paramedics and critical time was saved in preparation and response.
- Just seconds after leaving in an ambulance, the victim's heart stopped. He was resuscitated twice inside the ambulance. The hospital was immediately able to prep for surgery, and the victim's life was saved.
- Authorities estimate that Smart911 shaved 7 minutes off of the response time.

### CHICAGO SMART911 SERVICE ENHANCEMENTS

### Location accuracy

- Over 75% of 9-1-1 calls come from cell phones
- No exact location available
- Location given to call takers in ranges
- Register any frequented address(es) you wish to help first responders easily locate you during an emergency (home, work).

### SMARTSAVE: UNABLE TO COMMUNICATE

#### Grand Traverse County, MI – November 16, 2014

- Dispatcher received a call from an uncommunicative caller, but then heard a cough.
- The call was coming from a mobile phone, and because of the caller's location, near Grand Traverse Bay in Lake Michigan, the dispatcher was unable to receive any location information from the phone. The man on the other end of the line continued to cough every few seconds but did not respond to any of the dispatcher's questions.
- Smart911 profile had been created and provided the home address of the caller. Smart911 cut an estimated 11 minutes off of the response.

# SMARTSAVE: UNRESPONSIVE GRANDMOTHER

#### Hancock County, IN – May 1, 2018

- A woman was watching her grandson at her home when she collapsed and became unresponsive. The 7-year-old grandson called 9-1-1 from a cellular phone, stating "My grandma's dead and I'm the only one home."
- What the boy didn't remember, like many other kids his age, was his address.
   He just moved there a few months ago.
- Smart911 profile had been created and provided the home address of the caller.
- "By the time we answered that call, we already knew where we were going."
  - Hancock County dispatch.

### SMARTSAVE: HOSTAGE INCIDENT

#### New Providence, NJ – June 29, 2017

- A call to 9-1-1 from a female asking them to "send the news". The cryptic request prompted the dispatcher to ask if she needed emergency services, to which the caller responded "yes". When asked if the caller was able to speak freely, the response was "no".
- The dispatcher then asked if the caller was able to respond to text messages and the caller said she could. The dispatcher initiated a chat session and learned that there was a male subject at her location threatening the lives of all people present as well as any incoming police.
- Through this text conversation, the caller was able to provide both an accurate location and description of the male subject. Emergency response units located the subject and safely removed the caller and others from the area. Response units took the subject into custody and resolved the situation without anyone getting hurt or injured.

# CREATE AN ACCOUNT

- Go to the website
   "Smart911.com"
- Click on the "Sign Up Today" button in the middle of the screen
- Fill in the required information and click "Create Account"

#### Sign Up Now

#### Plan Ahead For Any Emergency

Once you've signed up for Smart911, first responders will be aware of important information you have provided that will help Police, Fire, and EMS locate and help you in an emergency.

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CREATE ACCOUNT

# MAINTAINING ACTIVE SMART911PROFILE



Smart911 is a free, new service available in your community to help you when you call 9-1-1. Once you've signed up, first responders will be aware of important information you have provided that will help them address your emergency. This information – including medical issues, current location and even pets - can help Police, Fire and EMS locate and help you.



A free service - Provided by your community



Private and secure - You control your information

Saves time in an emergency - When seconds count



- A caller's information will remain in Smart911 until the account is deleted.
- However a caller's Safety Profile is only active and available to 9-1-1 for 6 months after an account is logged in.
- If an account does not show activity by way of logging in for a period of over 6 months, the Safety Profile will be suspended and no information would be delivered to 9-1-1.
- A caller's account would need to be reactivated, and can be done by simply logging back into the Smart911 account.
- Call takers can only view a profile for a limited time when 9-1-1 is dialed.
- Smart911 users will be reminded via call/text/email to confirmed their information if their profile becomes inactive.

# PARTNER WITH OEMC TO KEEP YOUR COMMUNITY MEMBERS SAFE

Contact OEMC's 9-1-1Training and Education Division to schedule Smart911 staff trainings, enrollment events/outreach opportunities and ward meetings:

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### Smart911 – Questions



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