

- If you see strangers carrying off property from a neighbor's home or vehicle.
- If a home in your neighborhood has constant, short-term traffic, with people coming and going at all hours.
- Curfew violations.
- If you see older children intimidating younger ones.
- Any circumstance which is not "normal" for your neighborhood.
- If you do not speak English, still dial 743-7000. You will be connected to the three-way interpretation service. For hearing impaired call 743-7070.

## RESPONSE TIMES

We must prioritize our calls for service and respond to apparent danger to human life first, in-progress crimes second, then property crimes. We will handle your problem as soon as possible. The more information you provide during your call, the better we can properly evaluate the response priority.

## Other Numbers to call for Non-Emergencies

Suspicious circumstances or any other matter needing a patrol deputy's attention	743-7000
Graffiti Cleanup	468-2182
Animal Control	743-7045

### Sheriff's Office Precincts

Millcreek Precinct	272-5225
Holladay Precinct	272-0426
Cottonwood Hgts Precinct	944-1830
Kearns Precinct	967-4420
Magna Precinct	250-1474
Riverton Precinct	254-0167
Herriman Precinct	302-2080
Crime Prevention Unit	468-3901
Utah Highway Patrol	964-6000



Emergency or Non-Emergency  
WHEN TO CALL?

# When You Call...

**\*In An Emergency\***

**\*In A Non-Emergency\***



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## In an Emergency!

### CALL 911

When you or someone needs help now—you've got an emergency! An emergency requires immediate action, due to possible injury or death, or the destruction or loss of property. Call 9-1-1 in situations like the following:

- ◆ A crime in progress
- ◆ A fire or heavy smoke that suspect
- ◆ Someone forcing a child in a car
- ◆ Traffic accident with injuries
- ◆ A fight or domestic violence in progress
- ◆ Screaming or cries for help
- ◆ Gunshots
- ◆ Burglar alarm or glass breaking
- ◆ A serious or life threatening injury
- ◆ WILL I: Save a life or stop a crime?

## Information to Give

**G**ive the exact address of the incident or directions from your location (i.e. one house to the north). Give an apartment number or business name, if any.

**D**escribe the situation. When did the incident occur? Any injuries? How bad? Is a weapon involved? What kind?

**A**ny suspects? Which direction did they go? Be specific—west, northeast, south. Describe the suspects age, facial details, hair, clothing, height, weight distinguishing marks or characteristics.

**A**ny vehicles involved? Describe them giving make, model, body style, year, color, identifying marks or features, license plate number.

**G**ive your name and a call back number. If the incident is still in progress, the dispatcher may ask you to stay on the phone to provide continuous information until the deputies arrive. You may also choose to be anonymous.



**I**f you feel endangered, say so, and the dispatcher will give you steps to take. In the case of injuries, Unified Fire will also be called.

## In A Non-Emergency

### Call 743-7000

Use the Sheriff's Office non-emergency number for circumstances which might need the attention of a patrol deputy, but which do not represent an immediate threat to life or property. A dispatcher is available twenty-four hours a day to answer your call. The following situations would apply:

#### Suspicious Behavior

- If someone is looking into vehicles or walking and out of back yards, or loitering on private property.
- If someone is approaching doors and asking unusual questions or soliciting without proper purpose or valid license.