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TEAMS UP WITH
SAFETYNET BY LOJACK

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department, in conjunction with LoJack, has implemented a program designed to locate individuals who have cognitive conditions and have been reported missing.

When an individual registers with SafetyNet by LoJack, they receive a bracelet that has a unique digital identification. The bracelet is then registered to that specific individual. When a client is reported missing, Fort Lauderdale Police Officers respond to the last known location of the missing person. These officers then use digital receivers to tune into the frequency of the client's bracelet and conduct a canvas search of the area.

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department has a one hundred percent success rate in locating individuals who participate in this program. Incorporating this program into our operations has proven to be a vital resource in locating members of our community.

Further information on this program can be found at www.safetynetbylojack.com or 877-4-FINDTHEM (434-6384).

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department coordinator for this program is Detective Nick Bruce. Detective Bruce can be contacted at 954-764-HELP (4357) or via email at nbruce@fortlauderdale.gov.

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