

Bergen County Sheriff's Office

The Bergen County Sheriff's Office is the largest law enforcement agency in Bergen County. With more than 500 dedicated personnel, we provide a broad range of services that assist the public, support the county's municipal police departments and safeguard Bergen's judicial proceedings.

As members of the law enforcement field, the hardworking men and women of the Sheriff's Office are dedicated to becoming a more integrated part of the neighborhoods in which we serve. With that local focus in mind, our Community Outreach Unit works to maintain a solid relationship between the Sheriff's Office and the residents of Bergen County, as well as foster a greater understanding of the duties and functions of the law enforcement community.

The Community Outreach Unit offers a variety of public safety initiatives including programs on alcohol and drug abuse, senior citizen and child safety, school violence and youth development. We are always adding and improving upon these programs to further protect our residents and prevent crime in our neighborhoods.

We hope you will follow along with us as we work to ensure that Bergen County remains one of the best – and safest – places in the nation in which to live, work and raise a family.



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**GOLD STAR
Identification
Program**

The logo features a large, stylized gold star with a blue outline. Inside the star is a circular seal depicting two figures on horseback, with the text 'BERGEN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE' and 'NEW JERSEY' around the perimeter. A banner across the bottom of the star contains the letters 'NJ'. The text 'GOLD STAR Identification Program' is overlaid in large, bold, blue letters.

Anthony Cureton
Sheriff

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**Gold Star...
Don't leave home without it!**

The Bergen County Sheriff's Office is dedicated to keeping Bergen County safe by working with the county's police agencies, fire departments, hospitals and emergency medical technicians. Emergency response coordination on the countywide level is important so that all of our agencies can more effectively prevent tragedies and ensure the safety of all our residents.

The Bergen County Sheriff's Office is proud to offer the Gold Star Identification Program, a lifesaving initiative for residents over the age of 65 and individuals with autism.

The Gold Star Program provides first responders with vital medical information in the event of an emergency or when an individual is not able to give that information themselves.

Participating senior citizens or autistic individuals are issued a photo identification card that corresponds to a personal file maintained by the BCSO's 24-Hour Operations Unit.

Gold Star Identification Program



**PLEASE NOTE THIS IS A NON-GOVERNMENTAL
ISSUED ID**

The personal file includes a list of family and emergency contacts, current and physician's contact information.

If a Gold Star cardholder ever becomes incapacitated during an emergency, BCSO's Operations Unit can provide the emergency contact information to first responders.

The Gold Star Identification card can also be used as an additional means of picture complete with the Sheriff's Office Logo and the phone number to the 24-hour Operations Unit in large bold print.

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**For more information, please contact
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