

# ClifCheck Information

ClifCheck is a program created by the Clifton Police Department as a service to our elderly/disabled citizens within the Clifton city limits. The program is not a substitute for family members and friends to continue to check on its members. This program is geared more towards the citizens who need a routine check on to assure their safety and well-being that do not have family or friends available.

The Clifton PD will make every effort to contact the registered person by phone at the designated time of day. If they can not be reached by phone the emergency contact person will be contacted in order to try to locate the person. If the location is still not known a police officer will be dispatched to the residence. Once at the residence the officer will attempt to get someone to answer the door. If no response, the officer will attempt to gain entry by conventional means such as an unlocked door or window. If entry is still not obtained the officer will use the least damaging means to gain access into the residence. If the registered person does not give permission to gain entry by force the emergency contact person will be notified of the situation and of the inability to gain entry.

If the registered person knows they will not be available at the designated time that the police department will be calling, please notify the PD of such absence and for the time frame. The PD has the right to cancel service of ClifCheck if a continuing disregard for notification becomes a problem. This program requires many hours from the PD and total cooperation from the registered citizens is crucial for the continuation of the program. The program has no fees or costs of any kind from its citizens.