



Safety Bulletin

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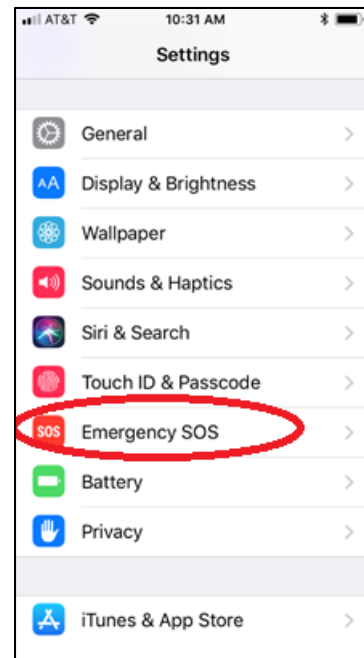
How to turn your phone into an emergency beacon

Did you know your cell phone can send emergency messages to 911 and family members at a touch of a button? You can preset your phone to be an emergency panic button in the event you are attacked. The phone will contact 911 and other contacts you list sending them GPS maps of your location. Here is how it works.

Apple Phones

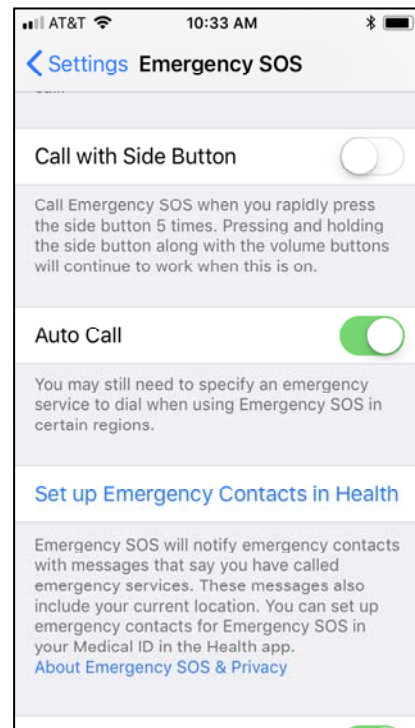
Tap your settings button.

Tap on the Emergency SOS tab.

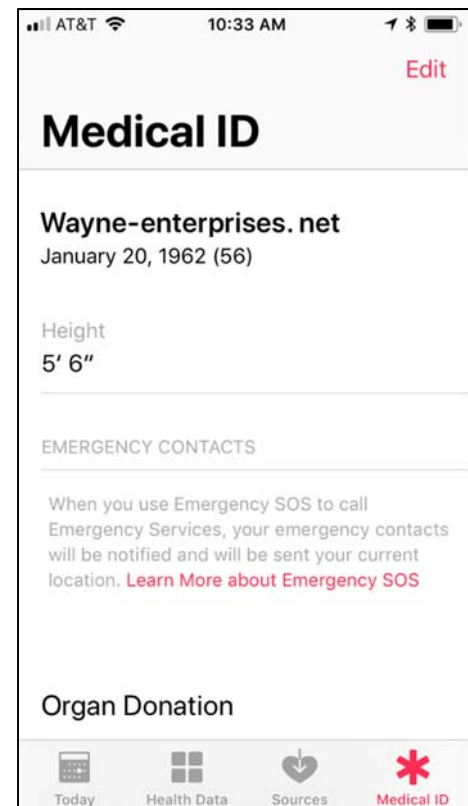


Tap the “Call with Slide Button” to the On position.

Tap on the “Set up Emergency Contacts in Health” tab.



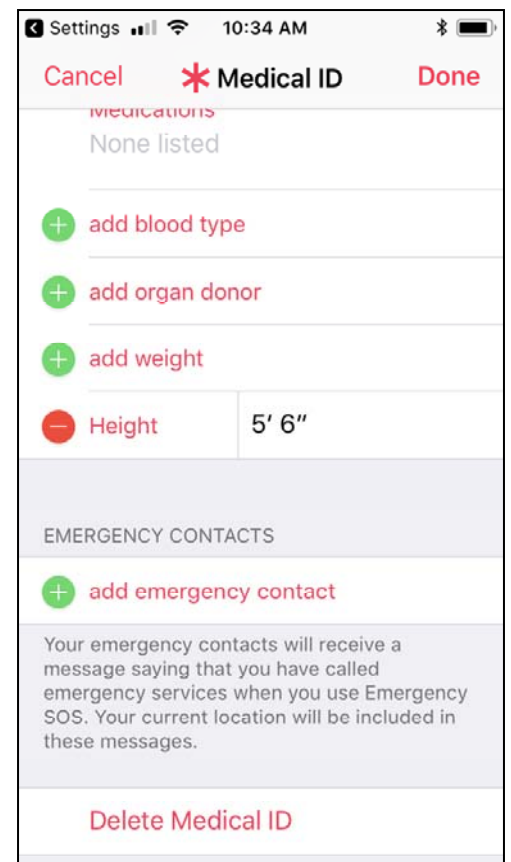
Tap on the “Edit” link.



Tap on tabs of any medical information you want 911 to know in the event of an emergency.

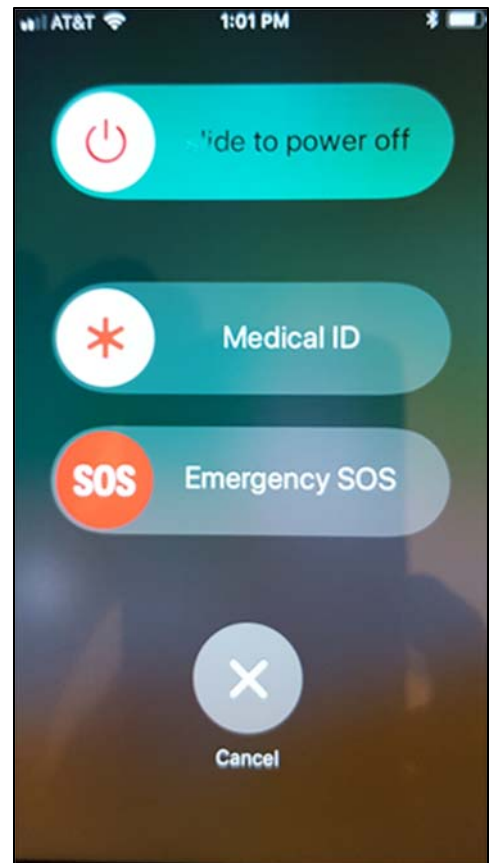
Tap on the “add emergency contact” tab and select the contact you want to notify in the event of an emergency. Repeat this for every additional person.

Tap on the “Done” link to finish.



To prepare your phone for panic mode, push and hold side button and one of your volume button on the sides of your phone. This will open the below screen.

Place your thumb on the SOS button and be ready to slide when activating the emergency notifications.



Android Phones

Tap on Settings

Tap on "Advanced Features"

Tap on "Send SOS message"

Tap the OFF switch to turn the service on.

Tap on "Send messages to" and add the contacts you wish to send the emergency messages. You can add your local Police, Sheriff or 911 to the list.

Return to the "Send SOS message" page and select whether you want to send pictures from both your cameras at the time of activation.

You can also choose to pre-record a message.

When you press the power key three times, it activates the notifications.

