

Success Story

November 24, 2005-Duval County

An Amber Alert was issued when it was reported that a 7-month-old child was abducted from her residence by her non-custodial father, after a threatening confrontation with the mother. A family member heard the Amber Alert and persuaded the suspect to turn himself into police headquarters.

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November 17, 2005-Miami-Dade County

An Amber Alert was requested by local law enforcement when it was reported that a 17-year-old child was missing and in the company of a 39-year-old registered sex offender. A citizen realized he was behind the suspect vehicle after seeing the vehicle description on the dynamic message signs. The Florida Highway Patrol executed a felony traffic stop and the child was rescued.

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September 19, 2005-Miami-Dade County

An Amber Alert was requested on a missing 16 year old girl when a ransom request was made to the family. Intense media coverage resulted in the child returning home.

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August 28, 2005-Hillsborough County

An Amber Alert was requested by local law enforcement when it was reported that a 1 and 4 year old child, along with their mother were abducted at gunpoint from their residence. The children were brought to the police station as a result of intense media coverage resulting from the Amber Alert.

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July 21, 2005-Brevard County

A 2-year-old child was abducted from her home by a non-family member. An Amber Alert was requested by the local law enforcement agency of jurisdiction. After seeing the child's photo on the news, a family member of the subject called law enforcement to inform them that the child had been dropped off at their residence.

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February 20, 2005-Springfield, Florida

Two children ages 3 and 8 years old were abducted by their non-custodial mother after an altercation with the children's guardian. An Amber Alert was requested by the local law enforcement agency of jurisdiction. The law enforcement agency received numerous leads from the Amber Alert, which lead to the recovery of the children.

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January 21, 2005-Marion County

An 11-year-old child was abducted by an out-of-state convicted sex offender, and subsequently taken to Georgia. The sex offender picked the child up from school and never returned. An Amber alert was requested by the local law enforcement agency of jurisdiction. The Amber alert is credited in helping to solve this case quickly.

If you have any questions about the Florida AMBER Plan, please contact the FDLE/MEPIC at 1-888-356-4774.