Success Story

December 2007-Orange County

An AMBER Alert was issued for a 17 year-old-child who text messaged her mother with claims of being held in a house in an unknown location by two males. A patrol officer recognized the vehicle that was listed in the AMBER Alert. Charges were filed for making a false report. The arrest of the person making the false report will hopefully be a deterrent to others.

Success Story

October 2007-Polk County

An AMBER Alert was issued for a 15 year old, who was lured from her home by a registered sexual offender via the internet. It is believed that the suspect heard or saw the AMBER Alert and released the child at a department store located in the Panhandle.

Success Story

June 2007-Duval County

An AMBER Alert was issued for two children 14 and 15 years old, who were violently forced into a vehicle, along with an adult female, by the non-custodial father after physical confrontation. The AMBER Alert notification was sent to law enforcement and shortly after, the suspect was apprehended and the children were later rescued.

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