

# Yes! I want to do my part to help Project Lifesaver of Washington County.

- A donation of \$2500 will fund one receiver kit, which is used in the search and rescue.
- ☐ A donation of \$300 includes the cost of one transmitter, and a year's supply of batteries and wristbands.
- ☐ A donation of \$15 will fund one month's supplies for a current participant's battery and replaces the wristband, which is not reusable.
- I would like to VOLUNTEER!

Name:	
State:	

Payable and Mail to: MIHI, Inc. / Project Lifesaver P.O. Box 3511 Hagerstown, MD 21742

Your gift is tax deductible



#### How do I qualify for assistance?

- Have a diagnosed disorder
- Have consistent 24-hour care
- Reside in Washington County, MD

Those who qualify are eligible for assistance **free** of charge. If families are able to make a monthly donation to offset the cost of the battery and wristband, it is greatly appreciated.

## For further information or to register contact:

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## Project Lifesaver

Washington County, Maryland



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"Providing a sense of security to our community through search and recovery technology."



PLS is a non-profit organization that developed a tracking system used nationwide to locate persons who have a tendency to wander and become lost.



Project Lifesaver is a program of pro-active involvement and specialized rescue operations where trained personnel respond to incidents involving persons with autism, dementia, Alzheimer's, Down syndrome and other related neurological disorders.

This program will cut the costs of searching for frequent wanderers and ultimately recover the lost participant within a short period of time. Currently there have been over 2,765 search and rescues nationwide, with a 100% recovery rate!

The tracking receiver has a ground range of up to one mile. Using the receiver in a helicopter increases the range to approximately 5-7 miles.



PLS participants wear a small transmitter that emits a silent radio signal.



Once a caretaker or family member realizes their loved one has wandered, they contact **911**.

Project Lifesaver's trained personnel are dispatched to the last known location of the person who wandered to begin the search.





PLS Washington County started in 2006 through a non-profit organization, MIHI, Inc.

"Many Individuals Helping Individuals"

**Affiliates of PLS Washington County** 







#### 911 - One Nation - One Number

MIHI, Inc. is a non-profit organization that collaborates with local law enforcement and emergency services to provide a sense of security to our community through search and recovery technology.

Project Lifesaver of Washington County's team is comprised of electronic equipment specialists, instructors, and volunteers.

MIHI, Inc. supports the implementation and management of Project Lifesaver in Washington County, Maryland.

