

PROTECT YOUR EVERY DAY



Potential Indicators of Suspicious Activities Related to Healthcare Facilities

What Should I Consider Suspicious?

- Attempts to gain sensitive information about secure/locked facilities or the personal information of healthcare workers
- Attempts to test security and response procedures (opening emergency exits, setting off fire alarms, etc.)
- Attempts to acquire official vehicles, uniforms, badges, access cards, or ID's for secure facilities
- Presence of individuals who do not belong in the workplace, business establishment or near a secure facility and do not have a reasonable explanation for their presence
- Behavior which appears to denote planning for terrorist activity (mapping out routes, playing out scenarios, monitoring secure facilities, etc.)
- Individuals bringing unusual packages into the premises, particularly if the packages are left unattended
- Suspicious individuals wearing bulky clothing that could conceal weapons
- Unusual inquiries made by individuals regarding specific schedules of doctors, nurses, or deliveries
- Individuals expressing interest in facility layout, infrastructure, or security or someone taking pictures or videos of the facility without a reasonable explanation
- Suspicious vehicles parked outside the premises and unclaimed suspicious packages
- Loss or theft of items that could be combined with other easily obtainable items and could present a danger to the public

It is important to remember that just because someone's speech, actions, beliefs, appearance, or way of life is different, does not mean that they are suspicious.

What Should I Do?

- ✓ Establish training programs, security procedures, and a threat alert system.
- ✓ Make note of suspicious statements, people and/or vehicles.
- ✓ Maintain an open line of communication with law enforcement.
- ✓ Know the delivery vehicles and staff who are routinely on the property.
- ✓ Check your inventory and report missing or stolen products.
- ✓ Report suspicious behavior.
- ✓ If something seems wrong, notify law enforcement authorities.

Do not jeopardize your safety or the safety of others. In an emergency, call 911.

Ensuring domestic security is a community effort. By learning what to look for, you can make a positive contribution to domestic security.

This information was adapted from indicators provided by the FDLE. For additional suspicious activity indicators, please visit the Florida See Something, Say Something website at www.FLSeeSay.org.

