# WARREN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE



# BLUE ENVELOPE PROGRAM

for Autistic Drivers and Families

The Blue Envelope gives autistic drivers a single location to hold vehicle registration and insurance information that will be needed if they are involved in a traffic stop by law enforcement. The envelope provides instructions for both the driver and officer to help guide effective communication, reduce stress of the encounter, and enhance the safety of all parties. Participation in this program is voluntary and confidential. Law enforcement does not maintain a database of participants.



#### What is the purpose of the Blue Envelope?

The Blue Envelope is designed to ensure safe traffic stop interactions between law enforcement and autistic drivers by enhancing communication and awareness for all parties involved.

#### Where do I keep the Blue Envelope?

Keep the Blue Envelope in the glove compartment or other easily accessible location of your vehicle(s).

### Do I have to provide any medical information to receive a Blue Envelope?

No, you just need to request an envelope from either the Warren County Sheriff's Office or one of our many community partners.

## If I have a Blue Envelope will I still be cited for a traffic violation?

Participation in the Blue Envelope program does not prevent a driver from receiving a traffic summons.

**MORE INFORMATION** 

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