

SEARCH URGENCY CHART

Date: _____ Time: _____ Writer: _____

REMEMBER, the lower the number the more urgent it is to find the Lost Person(s)!!

A. SUBJECT PROFILE	RATING
Age	
Very Young	1
Very Old	1
Other	2 - 3
Medical Condition	
Known or suspected injury or illness	1 - 2
Healthy	3
Known Fatality	3
Number of Subjects	
One Alone	1
More than one (unless separation suspected)	2 - 3

B. WEATHER PROFILE	
Existing hazardous weather	1
Predicted hazardous weather (8 hours. or less)	1 - 2
Predicted hazardous weather (more than 8 hours)	2
No hazardous weather predicted	3

C. EQUIPMENT PROFILE	
Inadequate for environment.....	1
Questionable for environment	1 - 2
Adequate for environment	3

D. SUBJECT EXPERIENCE PROFILE	
Not experienced, not familiar with area	1
Not experienced, knows the area	1 - 2
Experienced, not familiar with area	2
Experienced, knows the area	3

E. TERRAIN & HAZARDS PROFILE	
Known hazardous terrain or other hazards	1
Few or no hazards	2 - 3

7 - 11 Emergency Response	12 - 16 Measured Response	_____ TOTAL 17 - 21 Evaluate & Investigate
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IF ANY OF THE CATEGORIES ARE RATED AS 1, REGARDLESS OF THE TOTAL, THE SEARCH COULD REQUIRE AN EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Is the subject/circumstances a danger to searchers?

No **Yes. Get details and limit response to safe search methods. E.g., overhead only, vehicle search, etc.**

Is the subject of sound mind but being deliberately evasive?

No **Yes. No response (not our mandate). Exceptions: child, mental handicap, dementia, suicidal, medical.**

Search Team Tasked by (Tasking Agency Officer): _____