## Marengo County Residents Can Create a Free RapidSOS Ready Emergency Health Profile to Share Critical Health Data with 911 in an Emergency

**Marengo County** residents now have the ability to create a free Emergency Health Profile at emergencyprofile.org to share opt-in medical information with **Marengo County** in case of an emergency. <u>RapidSOS</u>, the world's first emergency response data platform, teamed up with The American Heart Association, The American Red Cross, and Direct Relief to launch this initiative in an effort to get first responders critical health information in an emergency,

Marengo County E-911 became RapidSOS Ready in 2023.

## How can you become RapidSOS Ready?

People can create their free Emergency Health Profile by visiting <u>emergencyprofile.org</u> and entering pertinent medical and profile information, such as:

- Name, DOB, and address
- Pre-existing conditions
- Allergies
- Medical Notes (ex. Mental health issues, developmental disabilities, etc.)
- Emergency contacts

To ensure data privacy, information is associated with an individual's phone number and is only made available to first responders when a 911 call is placed from the associated phone number. To learn more and create a free Emergency Health Profile, visit <u>www.emergencyprofile.org.</u>

This information will only be used with responders during an emergency. Make sure to add emergency contact information so responders will know who to call if you are unable to make the call yourself.

Contact Marengo County E-911 at 334-295-5287 with any questions regarding RAPIDSOS.