

Are you worried about a loved one or an elderly neighbor who lives alone in the City of New London during this Covid-19 pandemic? The New London Police Department is assigning an officer to check on your loved ones.

The New London Police Department has identified the need to make sure that citizens with a higher risk of contracting Covid-19, including people over the age of 65 and those individuals with pre-existing medical conditions, are safe in their home or apartment and have the supplies needed to survive.

Starting today the New London Police Department, when requested, will perform these welfare checks on your loved ones or neighbors from 10am-4pm Monday-Friday. When we check on your loved ones, the officer will not be entering their house or apartment but will be checking on their welfare from outside of the house. If the officer notices that your loved one has a need for supplies or concerns he will contact you and advise you of the needs. If you are calling about a neighbor and the officer notices that your neighbor needs assistance the police department will try to connect them with the needed resources or supplies to get through this pandemic.

If you would like the New London Police Department to check on someone living on their own, please call the New London Police Department at 920-982-8505 Monday-Friday from 8am-4pm or send an email to nlpolice@newlondonwi.gov include: your name, phone number, who you would like for us to check on, how they are related to you, their address and their phone number.

Please remember that emergency welfare checks will still take place 24 hours a day.

Thanks
Chief Jeffrey Schlueter
New London Police Department

