blacklinesafety

AN EMERGENCY ALTERNATIVE

Designed for employees working alone or in unpredictable environments, Blackline's Loner Mobile safety monitoring app communicates with monitoring personnel who are empowered to manage optimized emergency responses should an employee require help.

Let us illustrate the difference between sending an SOS alert on the Loner Mobile app and calling 911.

SEND AN SOS ALERT

When the Loner Duo latch is pulled or the SOS button is pressed, an SOS alert will be sent via Bluetooth connection to the connected smart device. This device will use the Loner Mobile app to securely send the alert through a cellular connection to the Blackline Safety Cloud. Monitoring personnel will then see and respond the SOS alert.

Alert information is also automatically sent to a predefined list of registered contacts.

This whole process only takes a few seconds and immediately gives the monitoring personnel,

1. The employee's name, contact information and location
2. A list of nearby coworkers with names and contact information
3. A list of emergency contacts
4. The option to call 911

Pros
- Optional discreet silent alarm
- Multiple people are immediately aware when the employee needs help
- More information immediately available means the appropriate level of support is dispatched quicker
- Nearby coworkers can be contacted and sent to help the employee in distress
- Monitoring personnel have the option to call emergency services to respond to SOS alerts
- Monitoring personnel can provide more information to emergency services if the employee is unable to speak for themself

Cons
- Loner Mobile only functions when connected to the Blackline Safety Network
- There is a fee to connect to the Blackline Safety Network

CALL 911

When 911 is dialed on a phone in Canada or the USA, you will be connected to a 911 operator through a cellular connection or a landline.

This will only take a few seconds and immediately gives the 911 operator,
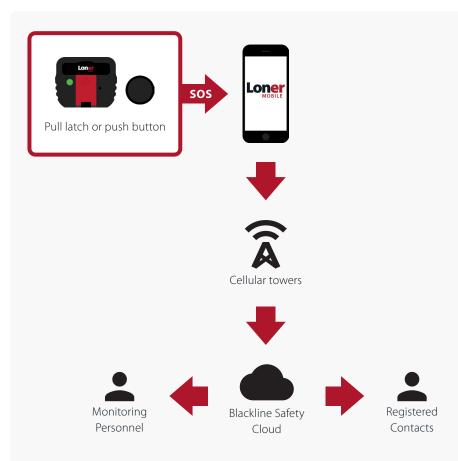
1. The employee's location and phone number

Pros
- Widely available
- Relatively cheep

Cons
- Not very discreet
- A small amount of information is immediately available
- No one in the organization will be automatically informed of the situation. The organization will be blind.
- A coworker might be close by and able to help, but will not be aware of the emergency

SEND AN SOS ALERT

CALL 911

Loner
MOBILE

Pull latch or push button

SOS

911
1. Find phone
2. Dial 911

911

Cellular towers

Cellular towers

Monitoring
Personnel

Blackline Safety
Cloud

Registered
Contacts

911 Operator

MONITORING PERSONNEL

Information available immediately
- User's name
- User's contact information
- User's location
- Nearby coworkers' locations
- Nearby coworkers' contact information
- Emergency contacts
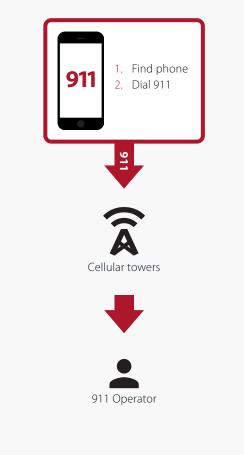- The organization's emergency protocol
- Option to call 911

REGISTERED CONTACTS

Automatically sent to email or SMS
- User's name
- User's contact information
- User's location

911 OPERATOR

Information available immediately
- Phone's location
- Caller's phone number