



Block and Area Captains

Thank you for your interest in crime prevention and maintaining a Block Watch in your neighborhood. Following are the recommended duties of the Block and Area Captains.

Block and Area Captains are responsible for delivering the DHTW program on their block(s) and or area. We are important and valued links in the communication chain between the Upper Darby Police Department, and the DHTW participants on their team.

Duties include:

- Developing and maintaining a team block map and /or participant list.
- Establishing an e-mail/text communication system, with your team
- Communicating regularly with your team members by sharing relevant informing and other neighborhood concerns
- Informing your team and the DHTW Director of suspicious or criminal activity ***after*** it's been reported to 9-1-1.
- Providing Block Watch Participant Manuals, door and window decals to each participating household.
- Watching out for your home and your neighbors' homes and property in a respectful way
- Establishing contact with UDPD via 9-1-1 to help deal with your neighborhood crime issues
- Welcoming new residents to your block and determining if they are suitable /interested in joining your team
- Encouraging and motivating your team
- Respecting the confidentiality and privacy of all participants

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