

“What to Do in Case” Series

Greensboro Police Department

You are kidnapped:

- Attempt to thwart or escape the initial abduction attempt. The first few minutes are often the best time to resist.
- If you are taken, be calm. Do not struggle, argue, interrupt or act aggressively towards your captors.
- Be observant. Learn as much as possible about the people who have you, and where you are located.
- Establish a good rapport with your captors. They are less likely to harm you if they can relate to you as a human being.
- When a rescue attempt occurs, lie flat on the floor and cooperate with instructions given by the rescuer.

