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### MISSING VULNERABLE ADULT 78-YEAR-OLD FRANCISCO ARVIZU

**\*\*\*UPDATE – OCTOBER 28, 2017\*\*\***

Missing 78-year-old Francisco Arvizu has been located.

On October 28, 2017, at approximately 2:00 a.m., family members located Mr. Arvizu standing near a residence in the area of South 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue and East 27<sup>th</sup> Street, about 4 miles from his home. Officers from Operations Division South and members of the Tucson Fire Department met with Mr. Arvizu who appeared to be in good health.

The Tucson Police Department would like to thank the community and local media for sharing information about this incident, along with everyone who assisted with the search effort. Thankfully, Mr. Arvizu is now home safe with his family.

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**Sergeant Pete Dugan – October 28, 2017**

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The Tucson Police Department is seeking the public's assistance in attempting to locate 78-year-old Francisco Arvizu who has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease.

On October 27, 2017, at approximately 4:00 p.m., Mr. Arvizu walked away from his residence in the 5800 block of South 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue. He was last spotted at 6:00 p.m. near West Valencia Road and South 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue at the USA Pawn & Jewelry Store. He does not have a phone and family members have not spoken with him since he left.

Mr. Arvizu is described as a Hispanic male, 5'4, 140 pounds, with white/gray hair and brown eyes. He was last seen wearing a blue sweater, blue jeans and brown shoes.

If you see Mr. Arvizu or have any information on his possible whereabouts, please call 911 immediately.

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