

4-04/010.00 Search Screening and Recommended Staffing

The search screen consists of one or more walks through metal detectors, an x-ray machine, and hand held metal detectors. The public must be funneled into the search screens, using natural barriers and stanchions. Also, a table and individual containers should be available so the public may place their personal properties, such as keys, coins and all other objects from their pockets, into it prior to passing through the walk through metal detector.

A recommended staffing configuration for a typical weapons screening site is a uniformed team of one Security Officer and two Security Assistants. Other configurations may be appropriate depending upon the circumstances.
