Dead Man Walking

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1 Introduction

A company based in New York City has been dumping their toxic chemicals into rivers for years now. Eventually the river water has spread its way into the ground water contaminating land near the river. Near the river is a graveyard with over 200 bodies. The chemicals from the groundwater have made their way into the dead bodies and have brought them back to life only this time as blood thirsty ZOMBIES!

You(The player) are supposed to make it from Day 1 the outbreak day, in New York city to a rumored safer place where the outbreak has not reached yet. The main point of the game is to stay alive for as long as you can and kill some zombies along the way.

2 How to play

Your journey starts in New York City. Questions will appear on the screen to help you make decisions that will take you through your journey and help you stay alive, and most of the choices are multiple choice.

2.1 Example Questions

Ex 1) You step inside a drug store and see some bandages, pain reliever, and injection needles. You may take what you like.
   a) Take bandages
   b) Take pain reliever
   c) Take injection needles
d) Don’t take anything
Ex 2) You see a little girl about to be eaten by a zombie.
   a) Help her
   b) Keep moving
Ex 3) A zombie is behind your back.
   a) Use your gun
   b) Use your knife
   c) Run into the alley

2.2 Obtaining Objects
You can pick up objects whenever the opportunity is given. The trick is that you may only have five objects on you at once. Be careful when choosing objects some may help you and some may never help you at all. Some objects are one-time use only and some are able to be used multiple times. If you need an object that you don’t have in a situation you will die and the game will end.

2.3 Guns
Guns do not count towards your five objects but you can only have one gun at a time. Different guns have better aim. You may pick up ammo whenever the opportunity is given unless your ammo is full. In order to shoot you must select the "use gun" option if prompted by the screen. Aim is random depending on how well your gun works. Miss too many shots and you’re dead.

2.4 Relationships
There will be occasions when you encounter other survivors. Be careful who you build a relationship with, because some may help you later on in the game when others may try to kill you for your resources.

2.5 Health
Keeping your health up might save your life in different situations. In order to keep your health up you may pick up objects that will help you survive like food or medicine.
3 Conclusion

The game is pretty self explanatory. The screen will present you with options on what you would like to do. Reach the rumored safe place and you win the game. You may have to play many times before you actually win, because this game mirrors real life. Make one bad decision and you’re a dead man walking.