



**POLICE DEPARTMENT
CITY OF BURLINGTON**

MEDIA RELEASE

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:
Aggravated assault	11/13/2023 0115 Hours
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:
23BU026923	East Avenue

NARRATIVE:

On Monday, November 13, 2023, at approximately 0115 hours, dispatchers with the Burlington Police Department received a call from a man who stated that he had been shot in the foot, allegedly by a person or persons who robbed him of drugs.

BPD patrol officers, assisted by officers from the University of Vermont Police Department, responded to a residence on East Avenue. They tactically entered and cleared the scene, rendering it safe so that partners with the Burlington Fire Department could enter and treat the man. BFD personnel transported the man to the University of Vermont Medical Center while officers recovered ballistics evidence and secured the scene for processing.

At this time, it is unknown if this incident is related to or connected with two gunfire incidents that took place earlier in the night, on Main Street and at a residence on Decatur Street. No one is known to have been struck in the incident on Main Street, but two people are dead in relation to the incident on Decatur Street. This incident on East Avenue is the 14th gunfire incident of 2023. It has been taken over by the BPD's Detective Services Bureau, and is an ongoing investigation in its earliest stages.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact the Burlington Police Department at (802) 658-2704.

Information is preliminary and subject to change.

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