

**Howard County Police Department
Office of Public Affairs
Daily Crime Bulletin
Thursday, May 31, 2018**

Robbery

Columbia, 21045: 7000 block of Cradlerock Way, May 30 9:19 p.m.

An adult female victim reported she was approached on the foot path by a male suspect who asked for a cigarette. The suspect then stole her wallet and cell phone before fleeing. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.

SUSPECT: black teenaged male, approximately 5'0" with short hair, no further description

Ellicott City, 21042: 7-Eleven, 9000 block of Frederick Road, May 31 3:04 a.m.

An employee reported that a male suspect with his face partially covered entered the store, displayed a handgun, and demanded cash and cigarettes. The employee complied and the suspect fled. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.

SUSPECT: black male, 24-30 years old, approximately 5'10"-5'11", 140 pounds, wearing a dark-colored hoodie and black pants

Theft from vehicle

Columbia, 21044: 12000 block of Little Patuxent Parkway, May 30 8:28 a.m., purse, medical equipment

Laurel, 20723: 10100 block of Washington Boulevard, May 30 4:32 p.m., tag

Elkridge, 21075: 7800 block of Mistletoe Drive, May 30 5:17 p.m., multiple vehicles: tags

Overdose

Police responded to a suspected overdose death on Wednesday.

2018 YTD Overdoses

Fatal: 20*

Non-Fatal: 81

*In fatal cases, some deaths are pending autopsy results for opioids and/or other substances. Numbers may fluctuate.

If you or someone you know in Howard County needs help with an opioid issue, call 800-422-0009, 24-hours a day.

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