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## **Police investigating homicide of Columbia man**

*Body discovered in apartment when authorities were called to check on welfare*

Howard County police are investigating the homicide of a man who appears to have died as a result of unconfirmed traumatic injuries inside his apartment in the 8700 block of Hayshed Lane in Columbia.

The man, who was in his 60's, was found just before noon today after it was reported he had not been seen yesterday or today. His name will be released after next-of-kin have been located and notified.

The cause and estimated time of death will be confirmed after an autopsy.

Police are actively investigating at this time. Anyone with information should call 410-313-STOP.

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