

## Supplement

On 09/12/2019 officers responded to 711 S Church St. Apt. A in reference to a welfare check.

Sgt. Routh and Officer Henson arrived on scene and met with the complainant, Sarah Lee, who advised she was unable to make contact with her son. Ms. Lee along with her daughter Rachel Lee advised officers that her son, Brandon Embry, lived in apartment A. Ms. Lee stated that she last spoke with Mr. Embry Tuesday, 09/10/2019, through a text message around 0630. Ms. Lee advised officers that she had tried to call Mr. Embry but he was not answering his phone.

Ms. Lee stated that she arrived at the apartment and found Mr. Embry's vehicle parked in front of the apartment. Ms. Lee advised officers that she and her daughter knocked on the door and windows to the apartment but was unable to make contact with Mr. Embry. Ms. Lee advised officers that Mr. Embry was not doing well emotionally and had recently lost his job. Ms. Lee stated that Mr. Embry's apartment was very messy that last time she was there.

Sgt. Routh and Officer Henson attempted to make contact by knocking on the doors and windows to the apartment. After no response was heard, officers contacted the property manager, Jessica Small from Triad Rental Properties, to unlock the door to the apartment for officers.

Officer Kivett arrived on scene at this time. Ms. Small arrived on scene and unlocked the apartment door for officers. Ms. Small advised officers that Mr. Embry had put in his 30 day notice to leave the apartment but had extended the notice twice.

Officer Henson and Kivett entered the apartment. Officers observed that the apartment was very cluttered and disorganized. Officers heard the sound of running water coming from the back bedroom. Officers approached the back bedroom and observed Mr. Embry lying in the floor near the bedroom door, naked and unconscious. Officers observed Mr. Embry was covered in what appeared to be bruises and lacerations about his body. Mr. Embry appeared to have severe bruising and lacerations about his head. Officers observed a large pool of blood under Mr. Embry's head and Mr. Embry appeared to be bleeding from his head. Officers observed that Mr. Embry had dried blood on his face and on his hands. Officers observed that Mr. Embry appeared to have small lacerations on both of his wrists. Officers checked Mr. Embry for vitals. Mr. Embry had a pulse and was cold to the touch. Mr. Embry was drifting in and out of consciousness and was moaning and gasping as officers attended to Mr. Embry.

Officers observed that the bedroom appeared to be wrecked. Officers observed blood stains and blood spatter on the bed, pillows, and the walls above the bed. Blood stains and spatter was observed on the nightstand beside the bed, which was turned over, and on the window seal.

Blood stains were also observed on the wall above where Mr. Embry was laying and on the sliding closet doors that were dislodged and laying beside Mr. Embry. Officers observed in the bathroom, the water running in the tub, the toilet tank lid was busted and the toilet appeared to be pulled from the wall and was leaking. Officers also observed the mirror in the bathroom was broken. Officers observed several hypodermic needles laying about bedroom and bathroom. Officers also observed condoms and several sex toys laying on the floor of the bedroom and in the bathroom.

EMS and Fire arrived on scene and began providing care. Mr. Embry was transported to Randolph Health for further medical attention. Officers secured the scene and began gathering investigative information.

CID arrived on scene to began further investigation.