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Woman Suffers Gunshot Wound

On 07-16-09, at approximately 2145 hours, 9-1-1 calls came into Dispatch with reports of gunfire in the 1900 block of Apple Street. A subsequent caller reported a gunshot victim in the area of 1973 Apple Street. Officers arrived on scene and found a woman, in her twenties, who had suffered a gunshot wound. The woman was transported to Scripps La Jolla for treatment. Investigators responded to the scene, worked on the investigation throughout the night, and are continuing with additional follow up today. Preliminary investigation indicates the victim may have been involved in a disagreement with another woman in the area of Crouch St. and Apple Street prior to the shooting. There is little suspect information at this time and the investigation is ongoing.

Although the victim was found near the Women's Resource Center Administration Building (a non-profit organization dedicated to helping victims of domestic violence and sexual assault), the Police Department has confirmed the woman was not associated or connected to the organization in any way.

The Oceanside Police Department is asking anyone with any information about this incident, or the individuals involved, to call the Oceanside Police Department at 760-435-4900.

Additional information will be released as it becomes available.

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