

State Police Investigating Report of Possible Shots Fired at Christiana Mall

The Delaware State Police are investigating a reported shots-fired incident that occurred outside the Christiana Mall on Sunday evening.

On December 29, 2024, at approximately 7:30 p.m., troopers responded to the Christiana Mall parking lot, located at 501 Christiana Mall, Newark, for a report of possible shots fired. Upon arriving, troopers determined there was no active threat to the public. The preliminary investigation revealed an unknown black male displayed what appeared to be a firearm while walking through the parking lot near Macy's. The mall was closed at the time of the incident, and there were no reported injuries or victims. Troopers are continuing to investigate whether any shots were fired.

The suspect's identity is unknown at this time. Surveillance video and images are not yet available.

Delaware State Police encourages anyone who witnessed or has information regarding this case to contact Trooper M. Carter by calling 302-660-3786. Information may also be provided by sending a private Facebook message to the [Delaware State Police](#) or contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.

If you or someone you know is a victim or witness of a crime or have lost a loved one to a sudden death and need assistance, the Delaware State Police Victim Services Unit / [Delaware Victim Center](#) is available to offer you support and resources 24 hours a day through a toll-free hotline at 1-800-VICTIM-1 (1-800-842-8461). You may also email the Victim Services Unit at DSP_VictimServicesMail@delaware.gov.