

State Police Investigating Robbery at New Castle Motel

The Delaware State Police is investigating a robbery that occurred Saturday afternoon at a New Castle Motel.

On March 21, 2026, at approximately 1:00 p.m., troopers responded to the Superlodge, located at 1213 West Avenue, for a report of a robbery. The preliminary investigation revealed two unknown male suspects approached a 23-year-old New Castle man as he stood in the parking lot. The suspects assaulted the victim and forcibly removed his personal property from his pockets before fleeing the scene. The victim was taken to a local hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

The suspects are described as teenage or young adult males wearing dark-colored clothing.

The Delaware State Police Troop 2 Criminal Investigations Unit continues to investigate this incident. Detectives ask anyone with information relevant to the investigation to contact Detective D. Armstrong at (302) 365-8440. 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.

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State Police Arrest Pair in Connection with Harrington Farm Burglaries

The Delaware State Police arrested 41-year-old **Ronald Keiser**, and 42-year-old **Heather Crane**, both of Hartly, Delaware, on burglary and related charges following multiple incidents at a farm in Harrington.

On November 17, 2025, troopers responded to the 3000 block of Woodyard Road for a report of a burglary. The preliminary investigation revealed unknown suspects unlawfully entered a barn and chicken house on the property. The suspects cut copper wiring and stole additional equipment, causing approximately \$80,000 in damage before fleeing the area.

On March 14, 2026, troopers responded to the same location for another reported burglary. Investigators determined that suspects again entered a barn and stole various items, including an all-terrain vehicle (ATV). A few days later, the victim discovered their stolen ATV listed for sale on a social media website.

The Delaware State Police Troop 3 Criminal Investigations Unit took over the case. Through investigative efforts, detectives identified the individuals selling the ATV as Keiser and Crane and obtained a search warrant for their residence in Hartly.

On March 20, 2026, detectives executed the search warrant and took both Keiser and Crane into custody without incident. During the search, detectives recovered multiple items belonging to the victim. Further investigation also linked Crane to the November burglary.

Crane was taken to Troop 3 where she was charged with the below listed offenses, arraigned by Justice of the Peace Court

2, and released on her own recognizance.



- Burglary Third Degree (Felony) – 2 counts
- Theft \$1500 or Greater (Felony)
- Theft Under \$1500 Where a Victim is 62 Years of Age or Older (Felony)
- Criminal Mischief \$5,000 or more (Felony)
- Conspiracy Second Degree (Felony)

Keiser was taken to Troop 3 where he was charged with the below listed crimes, arraigned by Justice of the Peace Court 2, and released on his own recognizance.



- Receive or Transfer a Stolen Vehicle (Felony)
 - Burglary Third Degree (Felony)
 - Theft \$1500 or Greater (Felony)
 - Conspiracy Second Degree (Felony)
 - Criminal Mischief Under \$1000
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Update – Victim Identified

State Police Homicide Unit Arrests Millsboro Man for Murder

The Delaware State Police has identified 72-year-old **Patricia Sulecki** of Millsboro, Delaware, as the victim who was killed by her son on [Thursday](#) in Millsboro.

The investigation remains ongoing, and detectives are asking anyone with information about this case to contact Detective D. Patterson at (302) 365-8471. Information can also be provided by sending a private Facebook message to the [Delaware State Police](#) or by contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at (800) 847-3333.

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State Police Arrest New Castle Man for Murder Following 2024 Death Investigation

The Delaware State Police have arrested 24-year-old **Shawn Wootson**, of New Castle, Delaware, on murder and attempted rape charges following a 2024 [death investigation in Newark](#).

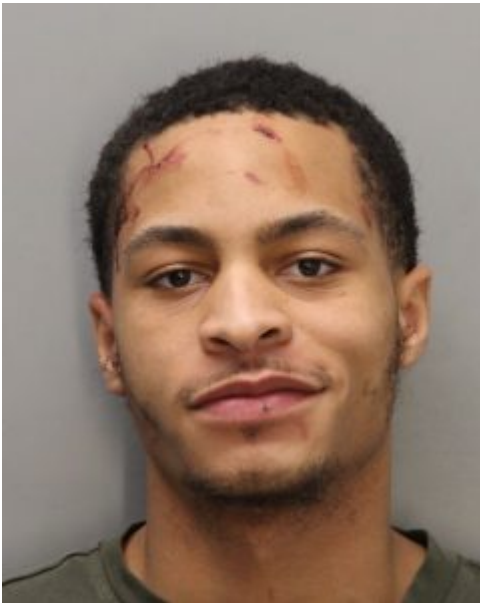
On November 23, 2024, at approximately 8:30 p.m., troopers responded to the area of a retention pond at the Christiana Hospital campus, located at 4755 Ogletown Stanton Road in Newark. Troopers found 42-year-old Amie Bradley from North Carolina unresponsive and began life-saving efforts. The victim was transported to the hospital by EMS, where she later died.

Due to the suspicious nature of the case, the Delaware State Police Criminal Investigations Unit, with assistance from the Homicide Unit, took over the case. Through extensive investigation, Wootson was identified as a person of interest, and detectives found evidence indicating he strangled and attempted to sexually assault the victim. Until recently, detectives were unable to contact him as he fled out of the state shortly after the incident.

On March 16, 2026, detectives presented their investigative findings to a New Castle County Grand Jury, which indicted Wootson for Bradley's murder. On March 17, 2026, detectives, with the assistance of the DSP Special Operations Response Team (SORT), took Wootson into custody and transported him to Troop 2.

At Troop 2, during a break in Wootson's interview and while he was confined in a formal interview room, he accessed the ceiling and attempted to escape. Wootson was quickly apprehended following a taser deployment. During this incident, a large police presence was deployed around the Troop's exterior as a precaution. Additional charges are pending for Wootson's attempted escape.

Wootson was charged with the below listed offenses, arraigned by Justice of the Peace Court 2, and committed to the Howard R. Young Correctional Institution on a \$2,060,000 cash bond.



- Murder in the First Degree (Felony) – 2 counts
- Attempted Rape Second Degree

State Police Arrest Teen,

Search for Second Suspect in Mall Armed Robbery

The Delaware State Police arrested a 17-year-old male from Wilmington, Delaware, and are searching for a second suspect following an armed robbery that occurred Saturday evening at the Christiana Mall in Newark.

On March 21, 2026, at approximately 6:45 p.m., troopers responded to the parking lot near JCPenney, located at 606 Christiana Mall, for a [reported armed robbery](#). Responding troopers were provided with suspect descriptions and located the 17-year-old matching one of the descriptions. The teen ran away, and troopers chased him across multiple lanes of Route 1 before taking him into custody. A loaded handgun was recovered from his waistband.

The Delaware State Police Criminal Investigations Unit took over the case. The preliminary investigation revealed as two victims were preparing to enter their vehicle, the 17-year-old and an unknown male suspect approached and demanded the first victim turn over their personal property. The 17-year-old produced a handgun while the other suspect removed the victim's belongings. The unknown suspect ran away with the victim's property and the 17-year-old struck the victim in their head with the firearm. The armed teen then chased after the second victim while aiming the firearm at them, however they escaped uninjured.

The victim struck with the firearm, a 47-year-old man from Bridgeville, declined medical treatment on scene.

The second suspect is described as a Black male, approximately 20 to 24 years old, between 5'8" and 5'9" tall, and weighing 160 to 170 pounds. He was last seen wearing a black jacket, dark-colored jeans, and a black face mask. He fled in an

unknown direction. Initial reports indicated the suspect was armed, however the subsequent investigation confirmed he was unarmed.

While troopers were investigating the robbery, the New Castle County Police Department was already on mall property investigating an [unrelated carjacking incident](#).

The 17-year-old was taken to Troop 6 where he was charged with the below listed offenses, arraigned by Justice of the Peace Court 11, and committed to the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families on a \$55,000 cash bond.

- Robbery First Degree (Felony)
- Possession of a Firearm During the Commission of a Felony (Felony)
- Possession of a Firearm by a Person Under 21 (Felony)
- Possession of Ammo for a Firearm by a Person Under 21 (Felony)
- Carrying a Concealed Deadly Weapon (Felony)
- Aggravated Menacing (Felony)
- Wearing a Disguise During the Commission of a Felony (Felony)
- Conspiracy Second Degree (Felony)
- Resisting Arrest

The Delaware State Police Troop 2 Criminal Investigations Unit continues to investigate this incident. Detectives ask anyone who witnessed or has information about this case to contact Detective J. Lucyk at (302) 365-8446. 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.

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State Police Arrest Newark Man After Threatening Medical Employee with Handgun

The Delaware State Police arrested 73-year-old **Teddy Torres**, of Newark, Delaware, for felony firearm and related charges after threatening a medical office employee with a handgun Thursday afternoon in Newark.

On March 20, 2026, troopers responded to a medical office located within 1 Centurian Drive, in Newark, for a report of a weapons violation. The preliminary investigation revealed on the afternoon of March 19, 2026, the suspect requested to speak with a specific employee regarding a billing issue. During the conversation, the suspect lifted his shirt, revealing a handgun, and made a statement indicating it would be easy to take the employee hostage. Troopers were provided with a description of the handgun.

Through the investigation, troopers identified the suspect as Teddy Torres and learned he held a license to carry concealed deadly weapons.

Later that day, troopers located Torres driving on Lucerne Drive in Newark and conducted a traffic stop. During a subsequent search, troopers recovered a handgun from his possession which matched the previously provided description.

Torres was taken to Troop 6 where he was charged with the below listed crimes, arraigned by Justice of the Peace Court 2, and committed to the Howard R. Young Correctional Institution on a \$67,000 cash bond.



- Possession of a Firearm During the Commission of a Felony (Felony)
- Aggravated Menacing (Felony)
- Harassment

State Police Arrest
Philadelphia Man Following

Burglary Spree

The Delaware State Police arrested 58-year-old **Frederick Fenton**, of Philadelphia Pennsylvania, in connection with a string of commercial burglaries that began in early March.

On March 8, 2026, at approximately 4:00 a.m., troopers responded to the Exxon gas station, located at 2600 Ogletown Stanton Road in Newark, for a reported burglary. The preliminary investigation revealed an unknown male suspect used a tool to damage the business's front door lock before entering the building. Once inside, the suspect stole an undisclosed amount of cash and fled the area.

On March 15, 2026, at approximately 1:00 a.m., troopers responded to White Clay Liquors, located at 4614 Ogletown Stanton Road in Newark, for another reported burglary. Investigators determined the suspect again used a tool to disable the business's front door lock before entering. The suspect stole an undisclosed amount of cash and multiple packs of cigarettes before fleeing.

Later that same day, at approximately 10:20 p.m., troopers learned of a third burglary at Country Tobacco, located at 5998 Kirkwood Highway in Wilmington. Similar to the previous incidents, the suspect forced entry by defeating the store's front door lock and stole an undisclosed amount of cash. The suspect wore a face mask during all three burglaries.

The Delaware State Police Criminal Investigations Unit took over the case. Detectives discovered the suspect drove a dark-colored pickup truck and switched the registration plate with one stolen from a similar vehicle to avoid detection. Investigators also learned the suspect entered at least one of the businesses hours prior to the burglary in an apparent attempt to case the location. Through investigative efforts, detectives identified the suspect as Frederick Fenton and

obtained a warrant for his arrest.

On March 20, 2026, troopers patrolling New Castle Avenue saw Fenton's pickup truck, conducted a traffic stop, and arrested him without incident.

Fenton was taken to Troop 2 where he was charged with the below listed offenses, arraigned by Justice of the Peace Court 11, and committed to the Howard R. Young Correctional Institution on a \$32,500 secured bond.



- Wearing a Disguise During the Commission of a Felony (Felony) – 3 counts
 - Burglary Third Degree (Felony) – 3 counts
 - Possession of Burglar Tools (Felony) – 3 counts
 - Theft \$1500 or Greater (Felony) – 2 counts
 - Theft Under \$1500 – 2 counts
 - Criminal Mischief Under \$1000 – 3 counts
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State Police Issues Sex Offender Notifications

The Delaware State Police Sex Offender Apprehension and Registration Unit (SOAR) is issuing the following public notifications of homeless and wanted sex offenders.

Wanted Sex Offenders

SOAR is currently looking for the following wanted sex offenders after they either failed to register or re-register at their current address. If anyone knows the location of these individuals, please call (302) 739-5882. Information may also be provided by contacting Delaware Crime Stoppers at (800) 847-3333. The individuals shown represent only a portion of the current wanted sex offenders. Please see the [Delaware Sex Offender Registry website](#) for the complete list.

FULTON, CHARLES A



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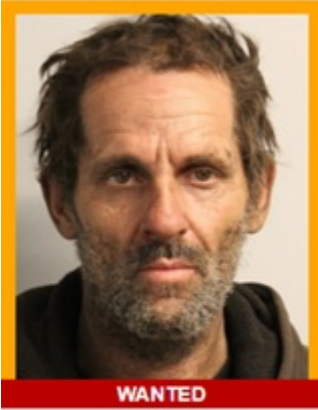
Registration Information

Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	April 22, 2025
Registered Since:	March 4, 2024
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	Yes
Repeat Offender:	No

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

Police Agency:	TROOP 6 STATE POLICE
Address:	3301 KIRKWOOD HWY PRICES CORNER Wilmington, DE 19808
Phone:	3026335000

MARTZ , JOHN A



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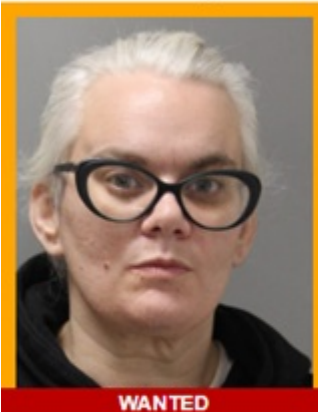
Registration Information

Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	April 14, 2025
Registered Since:	March 10, 2004
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	No
Repeat Offender:	No

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

Police Agency:	TROOP 9 STATE POLICE
Address:	414 MAIN STREET ODESSA , DE 19730
Phone:	3023785218

SCHONWIT , MOLLIE ANNE



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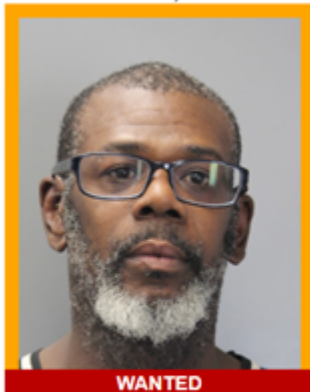
Registration Information (Homeless)

Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	August 18, 2025
Registered Since:	March 22, 2013
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	No
Repeat Offender:	No

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

Police Agency:	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover , DE 19903
Phone:	3026592341

STEVENS , ROY



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Registration Information

Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	September 19, 2023
Registered Since:	September 14, 2004
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	No
Repeat Offender:	No

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

Police Agency:	TROOP 3 STATE POLICE
Address:	3759 SOUTH STATE STREET CAMDEN , DE 19934
Phone:	3026974454

Homeless Sex Offender

The following individual is not wanted for failing to register or re-register at their current address. This is a homeless sex offender public notification. If you have information that the listed individual is occupying a residence, please call (302) 739-5882. Information may also be provided by contacting Delaware Crime Stoppers at (800) 847-3333. The individual shown recently reported homeless and represents only a portion of the current homeless sex offenders. Please see the [Delaware Sex Offender Registry website](#) for the complete list.

HAMMONS , WILLIAM J



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Registration Information (Homeless)

Risk Level:	Tier 3 (High Risk)
Verified On:	March 17, 2026
Registered Since:	July 6, 2016
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	No
Repeat Offender:	Yes

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

Police Agency:	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover , DE 19903
Phone:	3026592341

State Police Homicide Unit

Arrests Millsboro Man for Murder

The Delaware State Police have arrested 40-year-old **John Sulecki** of Millsboro, Delaware, for the murder of a family member on Thursday in Millsboro.

On March 19, 2026, at approximately 12:10 p.m., troopers responded to a residence on [White Pine Drive](#) within The Pines at Long Neck community. A third-party family member, who had run from the residence and called 9-1-1, reported that Sulecki had a gun and had shot a 72-year-old female relative during an argument.

When troopers arrived, Sulecki was taken into custody without incident. The victim was found in the house with a suspected gunshot wound and pronounced dead at the scene by emergency medical personnel.

Due to the nature of the incident, the Delaware State Police Homicide Unit assumed the investigation. Detectives learned that Sulecki and the victim were involved in an argument, and while in a back room of the house, he shot her.

Sulecki was taken to Troop 7, where he was charged with the offenses listed below, arraigned by the Justice of the Peace Court 2, and committed to the Sussex Correctional Institution on a \$1,060,000 cash bond.



- Murder First Degree (Felony)
- Possession of a Firearm During the Commission of a Felony (Felony)

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State Police Arrest Georgetown Man for Felony Drug Offenses

The Delaware State Police have arrested 26-year-old **Jayson Willin**, of Georgetown, Delaware, for felony drug charges in Georgetown.

On March 17, 2026, members of the Sussex County Governor's Task Force, along with Probation and Parole, responded to the 500 block of Union Drive in Georgetown to locate probationer Jayson Willin, who also had an arrest warrant for breach of release. Detectives saw Willin and when they attempted to contact him, he ran away but was quickly taken into custody. During a search of his person, detectives found approximately 6.97 grams of cocaine, approximately 1.45 grams of crack cocaine, approximately 0.52 grams of methamphetamine, a buprenorphine and naloxone sublingual strip, a digital scale, and drug paraphernalia. After being placed in the back of a probation officer's vehicle, Willin was able to get out but was again quickly apprehended. During an administrative search of Willin's apartment, probation officers found approximately 19.96 grams of cocaine, baking soda, a digital scale, and a Pyrex cup and spoon with white powder residue.

Willin was arrested and taken to Troop 4, where he was charged with the crimes listed below, arraigned by Justice of the Peace Court 3, and committed to Sussex Correctional Institution on a \$78,200 secured bond.

- Possession with Intent to Distribute a Controlled Substance, Tier 3 (Felony)
- Possession of a Controlled Substance, Tier 3 (Felony)
- Possession of a Controlled Substance (Felony) – 2 counts
- Unlawful to Knowingly Operate or Attempt to Operate a

Clandestine Laboratory (Felony)

- Possess Consume a Controlled or Counterfeit Substance except Human Growth Hormone w/o a Prescription – 3 counts
- Possession of Drug Paraphernalia – 3 counts
- Resisting Arrest
- Attempt to Escape 3rd Degree
- Breach of Release – 2 counts