

State Police Investigating Fatal Pedestrian Crash in Clayton

The Delaware State Police are investigating a fatal pedestrian crash that occurred this morning in Clayton.

On November 18, 2025, at approximately 10:20 a.m., a Chevrolet Silverado was traveling southbound on Wheatley's Pond Road near Bryn Zion Road. At the same time, a pedestrian was walking southbound on Wheatley's Pond Road near Bryn Zion Road, in the southbound shoulder, with his bicycle. The preliminary investigation revealed that the Silverado exited the southbound lane of travel and as a result, struck the pedestrian within the shoulder.

The pedestrian, a 19-year-old man from Clayton, Delaware, was pronounced dead at the scene. His name is being withheld until his family is notified.

The driver of the Silverado, a 64-year-old man from Smyrna, Delaware, was not injured.

Wheatley's Pond Road was [closed](#) for approximately 3 hours while the scene was investigated and cleared.

The Delaware State Police Troop 3 Collision Reconstruction Unit continues to investigate this crash. Troopers ask anyone who witnessed the crash or has relevant information to contact Master Corporal W. Booth at (302) 698-8451. 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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Update – Suspect Arrested

State Police Investigating Armed Robbery in Wilmington

Delaware State Police have arrested 36-year-old **Ignacio Reyes-Hernandez**, from Wilmington, Delaware, for robbery and related charges in connection with an [armed robbery](#) that occurred Friday afternoon in Wilmington.

On November 14, 2025, at approximately 3:30 p.m., troopers responded to a report of an armed robbery at La Oaxaquena Grocery Store, located at 107 North Maryland Avenue, in Wilmington. The preliminary investigation revealed that two unknown suspects entered the store and demanded money from a store employee. One of the suspects pointed a handgun at customers and employees during the incident. The armed suspect lost balance while reaching over the counter and subsequently fired a single shot. No one was injured. The suspects fled with money, an employee's personal property, and then drove away in a dark colored sedan.

Detectives identified the getaway vehicle as a black Hyundai Elantra with a Virginia tag. On November 15, 2025, at approximately 9:00 p.m., officers from the Wilmington Police Department located the Elantra, stopped it, and identified the driver as Ignacio Reyes-Hernandez. State police detectives

took Reyes-Hernandez into custody and determined he was one of the suspects involved in the robbery.

Reyes-Hernandez was taken to Troop 2 where he was charged with the crimes listed below, arraigned by Justice of the Peace Court 11, and committed to the Howard R. Young Correctional Institution on a \$68,000 cash bond.

- Robbery First Degree – Display What Appears to be a Deadly Weapon (Felony)
 - Wearing a Disguise During the Commission of a Felony (Felony)
 - Conspiracy Second Degree (Felony)
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Detectives are also seeking an additional suspect, described as a Black man, approximately 6'2" to 6'5" tall and weighing 200–230 pounds. He was last seen wearing a black jacket, black pants, black boots, and a black ski mask.

Delaware State Police Troop 2 Robbery Unit continues to investigate this incident. Detectives are asking anyone who witnessed this incident or has relevant information 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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UPDATE ADVISORY: Permit to Purchase – Instructor Guidance Clarification

This advisory updates and clarifies the Delaware State Police [news release](#) issued on October 6th, 2025, regarding the Permit to Purchase Firearms Instructor information.

What's new/clarified for instructors

- Instructor pre-approval is optional. If you choose not to seek pre-approval, course compliance will be confirmed during the applicant's permit review.
- Instructor Portal is live: [Permit to Purchase Instructor Portal](#)
- Pre-approved instructors who meet statutory requirements will appear on the public list of approved providers.
- Helpline hours:
 - Mon – Sat 9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. | Sun 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
 - Contact: (302) 741-2800 | DSP_SBIP2PMail@delaware.gov
- Training course requirements are defined in [Delaware Code Online](#)

Call to action for instructors: Review the Training Course Guidelines and, if desired, submit the optional pre-approval via the Instructor Portal.

***Update – Victim Identified* State Police Arrest Driver for Vehicular Homicide Following Two-Vehicle Fatal Crash in New Castle**

Delaware State Police have identified 36-year-old **Ashley Henry**, of New Castle, Delaware, as the woman who died in the [fatal crash](#) early Saturday morning in New Castle.

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Update – Victim Identified

State Police Investigating Single-Vehicle Fatal Crash in Delmar

Delaware State Police have identified 30-year-old **Jeremy Mitchell**, of Georgetown, Delaware, as the man who died in the [fatal crash](#) on Thursday in Delmar.

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State Police Investigating

Armed Robbery in Wilmington

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State Police Arrest Driver for Vehicular Homicide Following Two-Vehicle Fatal Crash in New Castle

Delaware State Police have arrested 36-year-old **Ashley Wright** of Dover, Delaware, for vehicular homicide and traffic-related charges following a two-vehicle fatal crash that occurred early Saturday morning in New Castle.

On November 15, 2025, at approximately 1:00 a.m., a Kenworth tractor trailer was traveling southbound in the left middle lane of North DuPont Highway, approaching Christiana Road. At the same time, a Lexus ES 350 approached the tractor trailer from the rear. The preliminary investigation revealed the Lexus failed to slow down and collided with the left rear of the Kenworth's trailer. As a result, the Lexus spun, slid over a raised concrete median, and collided with a traffic sign.

The passenger of the Lexus, a 36-year-old woman from New Castle, Delaware, was ejected during the crash. She was pronounced dead at the scene. Her name is being withheld until family is notified.

The driver of the Lexus, identified as Ashley Wright, was taken to an area hospital by ambulance for non-life-threatening injuries. Wright showed signs of impairment at the time of the crash.

The driver of the Kenworth, a 32-year-old man from Delaware City, Delaware, was not injured.

North DuPont Highway southbound was [closed](#) for approximately 6 hours while the scene was investigated and cleared.

After being released from the hospital, Wright was taken to Troop 2 and charged with the crimes listed below. She was arraigned by Justice of the Peace Court 11 and released after posting \$10,102 cash bond.

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- Vehicular Homicide 2nd Degree (Felony)
- Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol
- Traffic Offenses

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Delaware State Police
S.O.A.R. Searching for Wanted

Sex Offenders

The Delaware State Police Sex Offender Apprehension and Registration Unit (S.O.A.R.) 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 302-672-5306. Information may also be provided by contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.

Note: Some of the individuals listed below are also homeless. Their profiles will not be duplicated in the separate homeless sex offender news release, as their wanted status is already reflected here and within their public sex offender registry listing.

ARCHIBALD , DWAYNE



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Registration Information

Risk Level:	Tier 3 (High Risk)
Verified On:	August 12, 2020
Registered Since:	August 12, 2020
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	Yes
Repeat Offender:	No

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

Police Agency:	DOVER PD
Address:	400 SOUTH QUEEN ST DOVER , DE 19904
Phone:	3027367111

CUSTIS , DEREL T



WANTED

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Registration Information (Homeless)

Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	September 17, 2025
Registered Since:	June 7, 2010
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	Yes
Repeat Offender:	Yes

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

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

DESHIELDS , TRACY N



WANTED

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Registration Information (Homeless)

Risk Level:	Tier 3 (High Risk)
Verified On:	August 12, 2025
Registered Since:	August 24, 2017
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
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FULTON , CHARLES A



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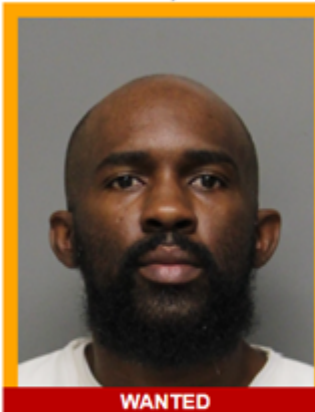
Registration Information

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

JETER JR, CLARENCE E



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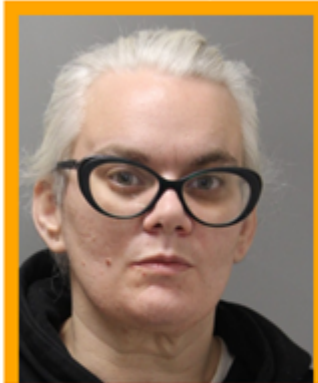
Registration Information (Homeless)

Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	May 16, 2025
Registered Since:	August 2, 2017
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
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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
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SHOCKLEY , DEMOND



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Registration Information (Homeless)

Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	July 24, 2025
Registered Since:	October 28, 1998
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

SMITH , JOSHUA T



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Registration Information	
Risk Level:	Tier 3 (High Risk)
Verified On:	June 10, 2025
Registered Since:	March 3, 2005
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	No
Repeat Offender:	Yes

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

WILLIAMS , RJ



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Registration Information (Homeless)	
Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	June 17, 2025
Registered Since:	September 12, 2015
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	No
Repeat Offender:	No

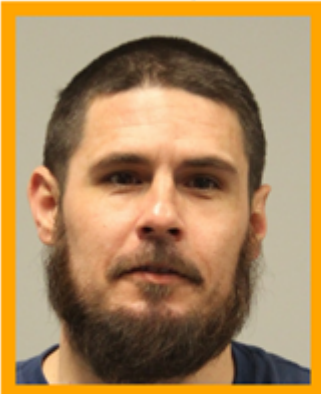
Police Agency of Jurisdiction	
Police Agency:	DSP HEADQUARTERS
Address:	PO BOX 430 Dover , DE 19903
Phone:	3026592341

Homeless Sex Offender Notification

The following individuals are **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 individuals are occupying a

residence, please call 302-672-5306. Information may also be provided by contacting **Delaware Crime Stoppers** at 1-800-847-3333.

JENNINGS , CHRISTOPHER M



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Registration Information (Homeless)

Risk Level:	Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On:	November 11, 2025
Registered Since:	July 12, 2024
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
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NEAL , MIKE L



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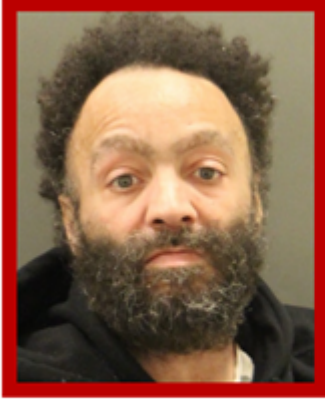
Registration Information (Homeless)

Risk Level:	Tier 3 (High Risk)
Verified On:	November 7, 2025
Registered Since:	June 20, 2025
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
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ROBINSON , ERIC L



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Registration Information (Homeless)

Risk Level:	Tier 3 (High Risk)
Verified On:	November 10, 2025
Registered Since:	July 22, 2015
In Prison:	No
Convicted Out of State:	Yes
Repeat Offender:	Yes

Police Agency of Jurisdiction

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

State Police Investigating Single-Vehicle Fatal Crash in Delmar

Delaware State Police are investigating a single-vehicle fatal crash that occurred yesterday in Delmar.

On November 13, 2025, at approximately 5:12 p.m., a GMC Sierra was traveling northbound on Sussex Highway approaching West Snake Road. For reasons still under investigation, the GMC left the west side of the roadway, crossed the median and entered the southbound lanes of travel. The GMC then exited the west side of the road and struck a tree.

The driver, a 30-year-old man from Georgetown, Delaware, was pronounced dead at the scene. His name is being withheld until his family is notified.

Sussex Highway was [closed](#) for approximately 4 hours while the

scene was investigated and cleared.

The Delaware State Police Troop 7 Collision Reconstruction Unit continues to investigate this crash. Troopers ask anyone who witnessed the crash or has relevant information to contact Sergeant A. Mitchell at (302) 703-3269. 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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