



# NEWS RELEASE

## HOWARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF POLICE OFFICE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS

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### **Two Men Stabbed in Columbia**

Howard County Police are investigating a stabbing that took place Saturday night in an apartment on Turnabout Lane in Columbia. One man was seriously injured in the incident but is expected to live. A second man sustained a minor stab wound.

Police responded to the 5900 block of Turnabout Lane at approximately 10:45 p.m. after receiving a 911 call. Police arrived on scene and immediately located one man in the stairwell with a minor stab wound. Police then made entry into the apartment where the incident took place and located a second man who had also been stabbed.

The victim inside the apartment was in serious condition with a stab wound to the upper arm and was immediately transported to Shock Trauma. The victim with the minor injury was transported to Howard County General Hospital. Neither man has been identified at this time.

Police are speaking with several witnesses to determine the circumstances leading up to the assault and determine possible suspects. Investigators are asking anyone who may have witnessed the incident or have suspect information to contact police at 410-313-3200.

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Editor's Note: Additional information will be released as it becomes available. Media wishing to speak with a PIO over the holiday weekend should contact 410-313-3200 and a PIO will contact them as soon as possible.