

## **Media Information**

## Columbus Division of Police Homicide Bureau / Homicide Unit

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Date: 11/29/2023

Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide Date: 11/28/2023 Time: 9:43PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 900 block of Dressage Trce Zone: 2 Precinct: 14

Incident Report #: 230915750		Cruiser District: 141		
Victim: Deon Crawford (Deceased)		Sex: Male	Race: Black	Age: 20
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Incident Summary: On Tuesday, November 28, 2023, at 9:43PM, Columbus Police Officers were called to the 900 block of Dressage Trce on a report of a shooting. On arrival, officers found an adult victim suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. CFD Medic 35 transported the victim to Mount Carmel East Hospital in critical condition where they were pronounced deceased at 10:13PM.				
The victim had met with two males in the parking lot of Dressage Trce for undetermined reasons. During the interaction one of the males the victim was meeting shot the victim. What prompted the shooting remains under investigation. The decedent's name is being withheld pending notification of next of kin.				
Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to contact Detective Lemmon at (614) 645-2558 or RALemmon@ColumbusPolice.org or to call Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective Lemmon is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Johnson.				
***UPDATE: The previously unnamed victim was Deon Crawford, 20. The investigation into Crawford's death is ongoing.				
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