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Seeking African American Families with ADHD Children for a Research Study

ADHD, Ethnicity, and Family Environment

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What is the study about?

This study is about gaining an understanding of what it is like for a family to live with attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD). Virtually no research exists on how African American and Hispanic families experience and manage ADHD, what health needs they may have, and what opportunities they have for receiving these services. The study will involve two meetings, about 2 hours each, at your home or place convenient for you.

Which families are eligible?

Families with at least one child (age 6-19) with a diagnosis of ADHD.

Families with at least two people (the ADHD child and one parent). Hopefully both parents and siblings will participate as well.

Families that are willing to participate in one interview and complete a series of questionnaires. Families that speak English or are willing to work through an interpreter.

Parents that are able to read and write at the 5th grade level or are willing to have the questions read to them.

All information will be held strictly confidential.

There will be no cost to you for participating in the research.

In appreciation of your time and contribution, Each family will receive \$50 after each meeting for a possible total of \$100.

If interested please call 503-494-4122.

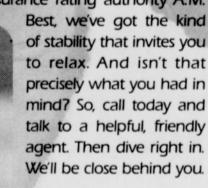
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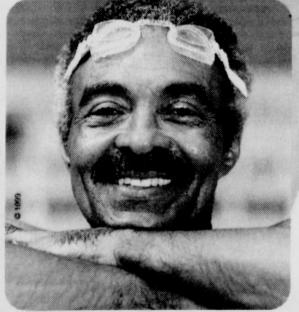
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Crime Stoppers

Driver Sought in Hit and Run

The Portland Police Bureau Traffic Division, in cooperation with Crime Stoppers, is asking for your help in identifying and apprehending the suspect in a felony hit and run to a pedestrian.

On Saturday, June 23, at about 1:45 in the morning, 50year-old Roger Edward Smith of northeast Portland, was struck by a hit and run vehicle while crossing Northeast 82nd Avenue at Fremont Street.

According to investigators, Smith was walking from the west to the east side of 82nd



Roger Smith suffered serious injuries when he was struck by a hit and run driver.

Avenue when a northbound vehicle struck him. The vehicle continued northbound on 82nd without stopping. Smith was transported to an area hospital with serious injuries.

The suspect vehicle may possibly be an early 70's, full size Chevrolet pickup truck.

Crime Stoppers is offering a cash reward of up to \$1,000 for information, reported to Crime Stoppers, which leads to an arrest in this case, or any unsolved felony crime, and you can remain anonymous. Call Crime Stoppers at (503) 823-HELP.

Police Seek Help in Knife Attack

The Portland Police Bureau, in cooperation with Crime Stoppers, is asking for your help in identifying and apprehending the suspect in an assault.

On Saturday, June 2 at about 12:45 in the morning, a 40year-old man had just returned to his residence near SE 162nd and Burnside Street, when he encountered the suspect. The suspect stabbed the victim several times, then fled.

The suspect is described as white male, approximately

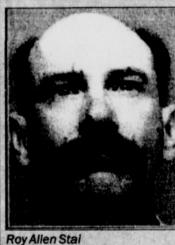


A sketch identifies a suspect in an assault.

35 years of age, 6'0" tall, with a medium build, dark curly hair over his ears and a mustache. He is known to wear a dark colored baseball cap with the Kansas City Chief's logo on the front.

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Man Accused of Murder for Hire



man accused of hiring two hit men June 27 and charged with conspiracy to commit aggravated murder and solicitation to commit aggravated. murder.

Washington County detectives said Roy Allen Stai, 46, offered two men \$20,000 to kill two other individuals he believed had

stolen his computer. Stai allegedly gave the men a gun and provided them with the intended victims' pictures and addresses, said Sandy James, spokeswoman for the Washington County Sheriff's Office.

Police also arrested 25year-old Brian McCaw on Wednesday. McCaw was one of the men Stai had hired, James said.

Volunteers Needed for Police Review

he Portland City Au ditor is seeking nine volunteers to serve on the Citizen Review Committee of the Independent Po-

lice Review Division.

Printed applications are available in the auditor's office. The completed applications must be received no later than Aug. 1 at 5 p.m.

Applications are also available on the auditor's website at www.ci.portland.or.us/au-

Police Officer in a Deadly Shootout

olice officer Christian Barker underwent surgery on Monday at Legacy Emanual Hospital after being shot in the hand by an attacker in Southeast Portland. The bullet entered his hand between the ring finger and middle finger, traveling to the inside of his forearm. Barker was visited by Portland's mayor Vera Katz soon after being admitted to the hospital. He currently re-

mains there in fair condition. After receiving an emergency 911 call from a woman who was sexually attacked on Monday at 11 a.m., police officer Barker responded to the call. A shootout occurred outside a home in Southeast Portland, located at 3030 S.E. 69th Avenue.

he suspect, who is yet to be identified, was killed during the altercation. His body was lying

in a front yard where he was fatally shot. He was described as a Caucasian male in his mid-40s, carrying a 9 mm pistol. The police do not know whether the suspect was the same man who sexually assaulted the woman who called 911.

Police surrounded the home and arrested two people who were hiding in the property. An investigation is currently underway.

Beaverton Police Kill Man With Knife

(AP) - A Beaverton man was killed July 1 by police gunfire after he allegedly threatened officers with a knife.

Sengsadaphet Phongsavanh, 29, charged down a hill toward three Beaverton police officers wielding a knife over his head and making a stabbing motion, said Officer Mark Hyde, police spokesman.

All three officers fired at Phongsavanh, who was killed instantly, Hyde said.

Hyde said police went to the 204-unit Overlook Apartments after a resident called to say a man was threatening others with a knife.

Hyde said Phongsavanh matched the description given by the caller.

All three officers fired sev-

eral shots at the man from less than 30 feet away. Phongsavanh fell to the ground; he either slipped or was shot. Phongsavanh got up and ran at the officers in the parking lot again.

Officers fired several more shots. Phongsavanh fell to the ground in the parking lot and died less than 10 feet from two officers, Hyde said.