

# *Shreveport Police Dept.*



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### **Man shot by homeowner during burglary**

A Shreveport man is in the hospital after being shot by a homeowner during an alleged burglary last night.

On September 23, 2017 just before 8:30 pm, Shreveport Police Patrol Officers responded to the 1400 block of Oxford Street on reports of a shooting. Officers arrived to find 26-year-old Jarico Carter suffering from a single gunshot wound to the chest. Officers made contact with the man who had allegedly shot Carter and detained him. Carter was transported to University Health Hospital with what was described as life threatening injuries.

Shreveport Police Violent Crimes Investigators responded to the scene and through their investigation learned that 64-year-old Donald Weaver arrived home and observed Carter, who was dressed as a female, burglarizing his property. A confrontation ensued and Weaver produced a handgun and shot Carter once in the chest. Weaver was released following the investigation.

Carter remains hospitalized and will be charged with one count of Simple Burglary upon his release from the hospital.

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