

# *Shreveport Police Dept.*



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### **Shreveport man arrested for rape of juveniles**

Shreveport Police have a man in custody accused of engaging in inappropriate sexual acts with juveniles.

Back in May of 2017, investigators with the Shreveport Police Department's Sex Crimes Unit received a report of a sexual assault of a juvenile. Detectives immediately launched an investigation and discovered additional victims. Based on information and evidence gathered during their ongoing inquiry, authorities identified the suspect as 33-year-old Antonio Bryant.

In November of 2018, detectives procured a warrant for Bryant's arrest charging him with two counts of First Degree Rape and one count of Molestation of a Juvenile. Police received a Crime Stoppers tip on February 22, 2019, reporting that Bryant was in Dallas, Texas. Through a coordinated effort with the Dallas Police Department, Bryant was taken into custody. Bryant will be extradited back to Caddo Parish and will remain incarcerated at Caddo Correctional Center under a \$ \$375,000.00 bond.

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