

# *Shreveport Police Dept.*

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## **Man shot in leg following altercation**



**Derrick Poole, Jr.**

A Shreveport man is recovering after sustaining a gunshot injury to the leg on Tuesday afternoon.

On December 8, 2020, Shreveport Police responded to the 3200 block of Fulton Street relative to a shooting. Officers located an adult male suffering from a single gunshot injury to the leg. The victim, identified as 45 year old, Brian Skinner (former SPD officer), was transported to Ochsner LSU Health with a non-life-threatening injury.

Violent Crimes investigators were summoned to the scene and began their investigation. Preliminary information suggests that Skinner, had attempted to aid a female victim who was involved in a physical altercation with several black males when one of the males produced a firearm and shot him in the leg. Investigators were quickly able to develop Derrick Poole Jr. (B/M DOB 06/04/2002) as the shooter in this incident.

Detectives procured an arrest warrant for Poole charging his with one count of Aggravated Second Degree Battery and one count of Simple Battery. Bond was set at \$60,000. Police are asking the public's help in locating Poole. Anyone with information on this Poole's whereabouts is asked to contact Shreveport Police immediately at 318-673-7300 #3 or 318-673-6955. Those wishing to remain anonymous are asked to call Caddo-Shreveport Crime Stoppers at 318-673-7373 or via their app, P3Tips.