

# CRIME



# ALERT

**February 4, 2022**

## ***Attempted Kidnapping – 747 52nd St., BCH-Oakland***

On Friday, 02/04/2022 at approximately 12:30 p.m., an alleged attempted kidnapping occurred near the area of 747 52nd Street, Oakland, CA.

A witness reported seeing a subject grabbing the handlebar of a baby stroller being pushed by a mother. The unidentified mother was able to maintain control of the stroller and escape from the subject. The mother left the area and could not be located.

The subject was later arrested by the Oakland Police Department on unrelated charges. The subject is known to frequent the area.

The incident is under investigation by the UCSF PD. Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to contact UCSF PD at (415) 476-1414 (UCSF PD case # 22-000158).

BCH-Oakland Security and UCSF PD are increasing patrols in the area. Report any suspicious activities or persons to the UCSF Police at (415) 476-1414 or BCH-Oakland Security at (510) 428-3600.

### ***Personal Safety Tips:***

Suspects look for crimes of opportunity and certain personal safety measures can be followed to minimize your chances of becoming a victim. These are:

- Be vigilant of persons acting in a suspicious manner. Call UCSF PD if a person acting in a suspicious manner is seen loitering on campus.
- Travel in groups whenever possible, especially at night.
- Avoid poorly lit or deserted areas when walking at night.
- Make use of the shuttle and escort services.
- Stay alert to your surroundings; avoid headphone and cell phone use when walking or waiting alone.
- If you are walking to your car, keep your car keys easily accessible, preferably in your hand.

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- If you feel you are being followed, go into an open business, and ask for help.
- Keep emergency numbers pre-programmed into your cell phone.
- If you are faced with demands for your money or property, especially from an armed subject, comply with their demands in the interest of your safety.
- Do not leave doors to buildings propped open.
- Prevent tailgating by closing all doors and gates behind you when entering or leaving.

**Employees, staff, and students are asked to report any suspicious persons or circumstances to UCSF PD immediately and to dial 911 in the case of an emergency.**

**Help fight crime by reporting suspicious persons and/or suspicious activity to UCSF PD immediately—race, gender, and religious affiliation are NOT considered suspicious. For emergency or in-progress events, dial 911 when using on-campus land lines and 415-476-6911 when using cell phones. For non-emergency calls, please dial 415-476-1414.**

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