



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police  
Organized Crime Bureau / Exploited Children Unit

Date: 8/14/2024

Elaine R. Bryant, Chief of Police

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Type of Offense/Incident: Pandering Sexual Matter -Minor

Date: 8/14/2024

Time: 2PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 832 Oakland Park Avenue

Zone: 06

Precinct: 02

Incident Report #: 240599457

Cruiser District: 23

Victim: State of Ohio	Sex:	Race:	Age:
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Suspect: Dante M. Berry	Address: 832 Oakland Park Avenue		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Arrested	<input type="checkbox"/> Warrant on File	Sex: Male	Race: Black Age: 32
Charges: Pandering Sexual Matter w/minor ORC 2907.322 A			
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**Incident Summary:** On 8/14/2024, Franklin County Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force (ICAC) and Columbus Police Exploited Children Unit executed a search warrant at Mr. Berry's residence, 832 Oakland Park Avenue. Mr. Berry was arrested without incident (24CRA013421).

The joint investigation determined Mr. Berry possessed and distributed numerous videos and images depicting young children being sexually assaulted.

Mr. Berry is a registered sexual offender stemming from a criminal conviction for Pandering Sexually Oriented Matter Involving a Minor in 2014 (14CR003381).

Additional charges are possible as evidence is processed.

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