

## **CUSI**

## Chittenden Unit for Special Investigations

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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIN	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
Agg. Domestic Assault / Cruelty to a child	02-09-15	02-09-15	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION	LOCATION:	
15SB001601	South Bur	South Burlington, VT	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIG	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
Det. Donald Demar	802-652-6	802-652-6800	
AUTHOR:	APPROVE	APPROVED BY:	
Sgt. Michael Warren	Sgt. Warre	Sgt. Warren	
VICTIM:	AGE:	VICTIM ADDRESS:	
Juvenile Male	3 weeks	South Burlington, VT	
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:	
Desiree George	17	South Burlington, VT	
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:			
Lodged at Woodside			

## **NARRATIVE:**

On 02-09-15 the Chittenden Unit for Special Investigations (CUSI) received a report of an unresponsive child that had been transported to the UVM Medical Center for treatment. CUSI, along with the VT Dept. of Children and Families, conducted an investigation that revealed that the 3 week old victim sustained life threatening injuries as a result of being "shaken" by his mother Desiree George.

The 3 week old victim is currently in critical condition at the UVM medical center. The mother of the victim was arrested and charged as an adult with "Aggravated Domestic Assault" as well as "Cruelty to a child under 10 by one over 16". Desiree George was ordered held without bail and lodged at the Woodside juvenile facility due to her age. George is due in court on 02-10-15 at 10am. No further information will be released until after the arraignment.

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