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PRESS RELEASE

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:
Robbery	April 3, 2015 / 16:45
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:
15BU08060	Lakeside Pharmacy, 242 Pearl Street Burlington, VT
INVESTIGATOR:	
Detective Michael Hemond	
AUTHOR:	
Lieutenant Jason Lawson	

NARRATIVE:

On April 3, 2015 at approximately 16:45 pm, Burlington Police received a report of a robbery in progress at the Lakeside Pharmacy on Pearl Street in Burlington. Officers responded to the scene, arriving within minutes and began an investigation. The suspect was described as a White Male, 5'11", Heavy Build, Dark Shorts, Dark hooded sweatshirt, wearing a Surgical Mask, Goggles and glasses.

This individual entered the store, approached the pharmacy counter and indicated that they had a weapon while demanding opiates. The staff surrendered opiates to the individual, who subsequently fled on Pearl Street and then into the surrounding neighborhood. A track by a police canine developed some avenues of investigation but did not locate the individual. A full inventory of the type of drugs obtained and their quantity is still being conducted. No injuries were reported and no weapon was observed.

A still image from the store surveillance is attached for reference. Any individuals with information or questions regarding this incident are asked to contact Detective Michael Hemond at (802)540-2229 at the Burlington Police or Crime Stoppers.

