

NEWS RELEASE

On 4-28-11, at about 0107 hours, EPD officers responded to the 1600 block of G Street, in the city of Eureka, for a report of a man, who was naked, bleeding from the neck and midsection. The severely injured male had approached a home and asked the residents for assistance. The residents gave the man some pants and called 911. The injured man was taken to St Joseph Hospital. He had a significant laceration across his neck and a stab wound to his mid section.

There was a significant blood trail from the uninvolved home owner's residence to an adjacent apartment building and up to a specific apartment. Based on interviews of all known involved parties, investigators learned that the victim, a witness and the suspect were all together in the apartment. The suspect became angry at the victim for an unknown reason and began stabbing the victim.

The victim is currently being housed at St Joseph hospital and is expected to survive.

The suspect, 34 year old Eureka resident, Larry Alan Arndt was arrested for attempted murder and booked in the Humboldt County Correctional facility.

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