SUBJECT: Armed Subject On Campus
CR# CR# 11-2227
DATE OF INCIDENT: Wednesday, November 2, 2011
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NARRATIVE:

The University of Florida Police Department (UFPD) responded to a report of an armed subject entering the West Entrance to the Health Science Center (HSC) Complex at approximately 9:09am, Wednesday, November 2, 2011. Officers arrived on scene shortly thereafter, made confirmation of the reported information, and began a search for the armed subject. This search was initiated out of caution to locate the subject because firearms are prohibited on both the University of Florida campus and Shands Hospital. Based on the nature of the report, a UF Emergency Message was also initiated and sent through the e-mail warning system. The search continued for the subject until complete at approximately 12:00pm. The subject was not however located. Students, faculty, staff and visitors should continue normal business and academic operations. The UFPD Police will maintain increased patrols in the area.

The armed subject was described as a black male, 5’8’ tall wearing an orange shirt with white short sleeves. At no time did the subject make contact with any individual within the HSC complex and make any direct or indirect threat.

The UFPD would also like to remind everyone of this basic safety consideration:

If you observe an individual fitting this description, please notify the University of Florida Police Department immediately at (352) 392-1111 or 911.

For questions regarding information contained in this release, please contact Major Brad Barber at (352) 273-3309. If after hours, please call (352) 392-1111 (# UFPD (#8373) and ask to speak to a Patrol Supervisor. I can also be reached via e-mail at: wbarber@ufl.edu, or see the UFPD webpage at http://www.police.ufl.edu.

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