



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Homicide Bureau / HomicideTeam 5 Unit

Date: 4/28/2025

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 4/28/2025

Time: 4:08am

Location of Offense/Incident: 1300 Block of Fountain Ln

Zone: 2

Precinct: 14

Incident Report #: 250291457

Cruiser District: 140

Victim: Jamal L. Jones

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 34

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Unknown

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

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Charges:

Incident Summary: On April 28, 2025, at approximately 4:08am, officers were dispatched to the 1300 Block of Fountain Lane on the report of a shooting. Upon arrival, officer found an individual suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. Officer provided aid to the victim until Columbus Fire Medics arrived and took over care. The victim was transported to a local hospital by CFD Medic #23, despite receiving life saving medical care, the victim succumbed to the injury and was pronounced deceased at 4:38am by hospital personnel. Next of Kin notification has been made.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective M.M. Smith is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective J. Niederkohr.

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