

Acworth Police Department Public Information Release

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On March 6th, 2017 at 10:25am, Officers with the Acworth Police Department responded to 3305 Acworth Oaks Drive, Subway in reference to an armed robbery.

Upon arrival it was determined that a black male entered the store, brandished a handgun and demanded money. A worker performing a maintainace service for the business was able to access a personal firearm and shoot the suspect one time in the chest.

The suspect immediately fled the scene on foot. A short time later Officers with the Kennesaw Police Department were dispatched to 3805 Cherokee Street, Kennesaw Urgent Care, in reference to a subject with a gunshot wound. This individual matched the description of the suspect from the attempted armed robbery in Acworth. The suspect was then transported to Kennestone Hospital for treatment.

The suspect is identified as 20 year old Deandre Antonio Yates of Cincinnati, OH, charges are pending.

Anyone with information regarding this incident should contact the Acworth Police Department Criminal Investigation's Division at 770-974-1232.