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PRESS RELEASE

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## **MEDEX BURGLARY**

**\*\*\*Surveillance Video Footage Available\*\*\***

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a business burglary that occurred on March 13, 2011, at approximately 9:30 P.M. The burglary occurred at the MedEx Pharmacy located at 1399 Southeast 17<sup>th</sup> Street in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Investigators believe that the suspect entered into the business after climbing on the roof and peeling back an access panel. Once inside, the suspect pried open the lock box that contained prescription pills and rummaged through the pill containers. The suspect then gathered multiple different prescription bottles, each containing pills of narcotic nature, as well as an undisclosed amount of U.S. currency.

The suspect then broke the front glass door and fled on foot, with the money and prescription pills in his possession.

The suspect has been described as a white male, approximately 28 to 33 years of age, 5' 10", 180 pounds, and was last observed wearing a white long sleeve shirt, pantyhose concealing his face, and dark jeans.

Anyone with further information regarding the identity of this suspect is urged to contact Detective Mueller at 954-828-5577 or Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.

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