

## NORTHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT



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## Updated Press Release Suspected Accidental Drug Overdose Death August 2nd, 2018

## **Updated information:**

On 8/2/2018, Northfield Police Department Investigations received the Autopsy Report from the Hennepin County Medical Examiner's Office in regards to the accidental drug overdose of Tessa Schultz on 7/3/2018. The report stated "mixed fentanyl and heroin toxicity."

Over the last several months, area police and medical professionals have seen many examples of illicit drugs (pills and/or powdered heroin) that contained Fentanyl or Carfentanil. Both of these drugs are often lethal in very small amounts. There is no safe way to consume these illicit drugs.

- If you, a friend, or a family member is struggling with opioid addiction, please consider treatment options and obtain Naloxone to administer in overdose situations. Naloxone is available at area pharmacies and may save a person suffering a drug overdose.

## If you have any information related to these or other drug issues, please:

- Call Northfield Police at 507-645-4477 or contact Sergeant P.T. Haider at 507-663-9485.
  Contact Northfield Police via their website at
- https://www.ci.northfield.mn.us/PublicLogin.aspx?txtRedirect=RequestTracker.aspx&strAction =Login&newURL=/forms.aspx?fid=105
- Send an anonymous text "RICECO" to "TIP411"

Northfield Police also remind the community, if you find someone in potential overdose or unresponsive:

- o Call 911 Immediately
- $\circ$  Stay on Scene
- Provide CPR
- Help Emergency Responders with information and drug details
- If you notify police, stay on scene, and cooperate, you are protected from prosecution.