



NEWS RELEASE

COLTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Homicide

Date: May 4, 2017
Time: 7:44 AM
From: Corporal Ray Mendez
Suspects: Unknown
Location: 300 Block of East Valley Blvd, Colton CA
Victim: Hispanic Male Adult
Case: 17-02960

Summary:

On May 4th at approximately 7:44 AM Colton Police Officers were dispatched to the 300 block of East Valley Boulevard in the City of Colton in reference to a man down call. Officers immediately responded to the area and found a Hispanic Male Adult suffering from a gunshot wound to his upper chest area. The victim was transported to Arrowhead Regional Medical Center where he succumbed to his wounds. The Colton Police Department Detective Division is investigating this homicide and the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Crime Scene Investigation is assisting with evidence at the crime scene. The victim's identity is not being released at this time pending next of kin notification. If anyone has any information regarding this shooting they are encouraged to call the Colton Police Department at 909 370-5000.