

Leduc RCMP GIS Unit investigating pharmacy robberies

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The Leduc RCMP General Investigation Section (GIS) are investigating a robbery which occurred this morning at the Medicine Shop Pharmacy. The RCMP believe that three pharmacies have been targeted by who appears to be the same male. Public assistance is being sought in identifying the male.

At approximately 10:10 a.m. today, a male who pointed a knife at a pharmacist, made off with an undisclosed amount of prescription drugs and fled the area. RCMP were unable to locate him.

A description of the male is:

- First Nations
- 5'7" tall / 145 lbs
- Mole under his left eye
- Wearing a grey hoodie, grey toque and black sweat pants

He is believed to be the same suspect who robbed the Healthcheck Pharmacy on February 26. To the right is a composite sketch created after the incident at this Pharmacy.

Previously, on February 10 at 10:54 an unknown male went behind the counter at the Co-Op Food Store Pharmacy and took five bottles of narcotics. This male did not produce, nor threaten anyone with a weapon. Attached is a video still from this occurrence as the RCMP now believe that the three incidents are related.

"The actions of this individual are escalating" says Constable Mark Bovaird of the Leduc GIS Unit. "We are seeking the public's assistance in identifying this male in order for us to put a stop to these incidents, for everyone's safety."



If you have information about this investigation, please call the Leduc RCMP at 780-980-7267, or call your local police detachment.

If you have information about this, or any other crime(s), and you want to remain anonymous, you can contact Crime Stoppers by phone at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS), by internet at www.tipsubmit.com/, or by SMS (check your local Crime Stoppers [www.crimestoppers.ab.ca/] for instructions on how to do it.) You do not have to reveal your identity to Crime Stoppers, and if you provide information to Crime Stoppers that leads to an arrest(s), the recovery of stolen property, and/or a seizure of illicit drugs, you may be eligible for a cash reward.

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