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## **IIU investigating injuries related to RCMP call for service**

The Independent Investigation Unit (IIU) is investigating the circumstances surrounding injuries received by a 15-year-old female in Flin Flon during the course of her removal from a residence and subsequent detention.

On November 1, 2019, RCMP notified the IIU of an incident that took place on October 21 that led to the detention and injury of a female. Officers responded to a call for assistance at a residence in Flin Flon. Upon arrival, officers came into contact with a 15-year-old female, determined it was necessary to arrest her, and were required to use force. She was subsequently transported to Flin Flon Hospital where she was assessed and released back into police custody.

Although the female did not sustain any serious injuries as a result of this incident, on review of the circumstances of the use of force and the arrest, the IIU civilian director has determined it is in the public interest for the agency to investigate.

Witnesses or other individuals who have information or video footage that may assist this investigation are asked to contact the IIU toll free at 1-844-667-6060.

The investigation is ongoing so no further details will be provided at this time.

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