



# NORTHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## Press Release Suspicious Activity/Indecent Exposure Incidents November 15, 2019

In the interest of public safety the Northfield Police Department is releasing information in reference to suspicious activity near the 100 block of Maple Street and the 200 block of College Street. Carleton College Campus Security has contacted NPD regarding incidents reported to them in which a man exposed himself to a passerby, and a separate incident in which a student reported that they were being followed home through a neighborhood. Both of these incidents have occurred over the past week.

The suspect is described as a white male in his late 40's or early 50's wearing a dark colored jacket. No one has been physically harmed in these incidents.

The Northfield Police Department has limited information on these incidents as the victim chose not to report the incidents to the police. If you have information on either of these incidents, please contact Northfield police.

The Northfield Police Department would like to provide the following personal safety tips:

- Stay alert at all times with your head up and looking around.
- Keep your mind on your surroundings, and what is around you.
- If you're worried about being out by yourself, ask a friend to accompany you.
- Walk with determination. A confident looking person is less likely to be approached.
- Carry a cell phone or know where telephones are located.
- Trust your instincts. If you feel uncomfortable in a place or situation, leave.

### **If you witness this type of activity:**

- **Please Report Immediately to Northfield Police at 507-645-4475, or 911, depending on the circumstances.**

