



Pima County Sheriff's Department
Detail Incident Report for 110418202

Incident: 110418202
Nature: 1016S
Location: Foothills Beat 1

Offense Codes: 5705
Received By: Ward, Barbara G
Responding Officers: Castillo, XJeffr
Responsible Officers: Castillo, XJeffr
When Reported: 16:02:20 04/18/11

How Received: 911

Agency: PCSD

Disposition: Active 04/18/11
Occurred Between: 15:58:45 04/18/11 and 15:59:04 04/18/11

Assigned To:
Status:

Detail:
Status Date: **/**/**

Date Assigned: **/**/**
Due Date: **/**/**

NOTICE:

PRIVATE OR CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION, SUCH AS DATE OF BIRTH, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER AND HOME ADDRESS, HAS BEEN REDACTED PURSUANT TO ARIZONA LAW.

NARRATIVE:

Initial Case Dictated by J. V. Castillo #6863 in Supp 1

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REPORTTEES:

Name: WELCH, CRYSTAL D.

SUPPLEMENTAL NARRATIVE:

Initial Case Narrative by J. V. Castillo #6863 on 04/18/11 at 2001 hrs.
Total Dictation Time = 7:15 mins.

On 04/18/11 at approximately 1558 hours, I responded to the location of

I received information from Communications that the reportee had an argument with her husband who had slapped their two year old child and then left the scene. When he left, he did not have a car seat in his vehicle.

When I arrived, I spoke with Crystal Ballis who identified herself to me by her Arizona driver's license. Crystal stated she is currently married to Morgan Ballis and they have been married for five years, however, they have been separated the last five to six months. Morgan currently resides at

Morgan began arguing as Morgan is having a hard time with the fact that he is going to be deployed soon as Morgan is currently in the Marine Corp. Crystal stated Morgan has been "on edge," however, he does not get violent. As they were arguing, Morgan began to leave. As Morgan was speaking with their son, T■■■■ B■■■, T■■■■ called Morgan by his first name instead of Dad. Morgan then slapped T■■■■ in the face. I asked Crystal how hard he had slapped him. Crystal then smacked her hands together in demonstration. The amount of force she had used smacking her hands together appeared to be more than a reasonable amount for a two year old child. Crystal stated that Morgan then picked up T■■■■ as he was going to leave with T■■■■. Crystal was in the hallway and placed her hands across the hallway walls blocking Morgan from leaving with T■■■■. Crystal stated Morgan began to tell her *to move* numerous times. Crystal stated she could tell Morgan did not want to put his hands on her. After Morgan told Crystal to move numerous times, he then put his arm out and pushed her to the side of the hallway, leaving with T■■■■ in his arms. Crystal stated Morgan did not have a car seat in his car and had left in his 2007 black Toyota Tundra in an unknown direction. Crystal believed that Morgan was at his residence on Orange Grove.

I asked Crystal if she believed that T■■■■ was in any danger with Morgan. Crystal stated he was an exceptional father, however, due to the fact that he is currently driving without a car seat is the only thing that is concerning her. I asked if she believed that Morgan would hurt T■■■■. She stated he would never hurt him. I asked if Morgan ever smacks T■■■■ in the face like he did. Crystal stated that has never happened. I asked if that concerned her. Crystal stated she did not believe that was appropriate, however, she did not believe the amount of force he used was too much for concern.

I then responded to *****
locate Morgan. He was not currently at the residence.

I then made telephonic contact with Crystal and asked if there was anywhere else that Morgan would go. She stated his mother also lives at the Orange Grove address at Apartment # [REDACTED].

I then responded to that apartment, however, his mother did not reside there.

I then attempted to call Morgan several times on the phone, however, he did not answer.

I then contacted Crystal once again by telephone and informed her of the outcome. Crystal then informed me that Morgan came back to the residence wanting to speak with Crystal and asked Crystal to come down to his vehicle where T [REDACTED] was currently located. Crystal then refused to leave her residence because she did not want to speak with Morgan. Crystal stated she did not believe T [REDACTED] was any danger other than him not being in a car seat. I asked Crystal why she did not go down to the vehicle to remove T [REDACTED] from it. Crystal stated she did not want to speak with Morgan at all. I then reassured myself that Crystal did not believe that T [REDACTED] was any danger with Morgan and she stated no.

I then cleared the scene.

This concludes my involvement with this incident.

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