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**The Police Need Your Help in Identifying a Possible Juvenile Bicyclist Who Was Hit by a Car on Christmas Eve**

**San Diego**- On 12/24/2016 at about 6:40 P.M., an unknown bicyclist rode into the intersection of Imperial Avenue from northbound South 47<sup>th</sup> Street and was struck by a male driving a black Chevrolet Trailblazer. The male bicyclist was not wearing a helmet and struck his head on the curb, causing a serious head injury.

The male was riding a black 20" mountain bike. The male was not in possession of any identification. He had a grey HTC One smartphone, but the phone function is not active. We therefore, are unable to get any identifying information from the phone. Fingerprints and facial recognition comparisons were also unsuccessful. As of now we have been unable to locate any missing person or runaway juvenile reports related to this case.

The male is described as a young Black male between 15-19 years of age.

The male is currently at Scripps Mercy Hospital (4077 5<sup>th</sup> Av, San Diego).

Anyone who has information on the possible identity of this person is asked to call the San Diego Police Department.



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