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SDPD Investigating a Suspicious Death in University City

San Diego – On March 6, 2026, at approximately 11:56 p.m., San Diego Police officers and San Diego Fire-Rescue personnel responded to a 9-1-1 call in the 6300 block of Genesee Ave. The call reported an 81-year-old female had been found unconscious and not breathing inside her apartment by family members.

Paramedics and officers arrived within minutes and located the woman unresponsive and positioned awkwardly on a bed. First responders immediately began life-saving measures. She was pronounced deceased at the scene a short time later.

Due to the unusual circumstances, detectives from the San Diego Police Department's Homicide Unit responded and assumed responsibility for the investigation. At this time, the cause and manner of death remain undetermined. Investigators will continue to work closely with the San Diego County Medical Examiner's Office to determine those details.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to call the Homicide Unit at (619) 531-2293 or Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

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