



## ***Public Information Release***

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Captain James Bauman, Public Information Officer

On Saturday morning at about 9:30 am, sheriff's deputies responded to the Kelseyville pharmacy on Main Street on a report of a robbery.

Upon arrival, deputies learned from several pharmacy employees that a man walked into the store at about 9:25 am with a kitchen knife in his hand. Pharmacy employees immediately ran for an exit door to a back parking lot as soon as they realized the man was armed and while two women made it out, one other employee was cornered by the suspect before she could reach the door. The suspect confronted the employee and demanded that she give him some oxycontin. She gave the suspect several bottles of the medication and while she was looking for more, the suspect ran out of the business and fled towards the Main Street bridge spanning over Kelsey Creek.

Deputies performed a thorough search of the area for several hours but they were unable to locate the suspect. The suspect was described as a white male adult, unknown age, at least 6'-0" tall, weighing 170 to 220 lbs., and wearing white or grey sweatpants, a gray hooded sweatshirt, a black "puffy" jacket over the sweatshirt, and a red bandana over his face. No one was injured during the incident.

Anyone with information as to the possible identity of the robbery suspect or the incident itself is encouraged to call the Sheriff's Major Crimes Unit at 262-4200.