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Covina Police Detectives Investigate Home Invasion Robbery

On Friday, December 6, 2013 at approximately 12:22 p.m., Covina Police Department received a 9-1-1 call regarding a home invasion robbery where multiple subjects were shot. Covina Police Officers responded to the 300 block of South Cedar Avenue and discovered (3) gunshot victims. The Los Angeles County Fire Department responded and treated the victims who were later transported via helicopter to a local hospital.

Covina Police Detectives responded to process the crime scene with the assistance of The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Crime Lab. Detectives discovered there were (4) occupants inside the home when a suspect forced them into a room at gunpoint. The suspect then attempted to tie-up the victims; however another resident returned home and interrupted the robbery. The suspect shot that 23 year old male and then shot (2) of the victims he had previously attempted to tie-up.

The suspect fled the scene and was described as a black male, approximately 25-30 years old, 5'9'' and 160 pounds. He was last seen leaving the area in an unknown type vehicle.

The victims are being treated at local hospitals and are expected to survive.

If you have information about this crime and/or the identity of the suspect, please contact Detective Ryan Davis at (626) 384-5620. You can also go to the Covina Police Department website at www.covinaca.gov/cpd and submit an anonymous tip through the CRIME STOPPERS link.

