

Manistee Police Department -- (231) 723-2533  
70 Maple Street, Manistee MI 49660

Incident No: 11-001184

Status: Closed

Date Reported: Fri 11/18/2011 18:30:00 Occurred Between: Fri 11/18/2011 18:30:00

Dispatch Time: 18:30:00 Arrival Time: Clear Time:

Officers: HALLEAD Detective:

Classification: SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS -- (98007)

Location: 300 CARE CENTER DRIVE, MANISTEE (BEST DRUG REHABILITATION) Section / Nbh: /

Description: General Non-Criminal - Suspicious Situation Entered: HALLEAD

Other [X]: (98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS)

BEST DRUG REHABILITATION

Phone: [REDACTED]

Informational: (98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS)

MANISTEE CITY POLICE DEPT

Phone: [REDACTED]

Informational: (98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS)

KEALOHA, DEAN, LANCASTER

DOB: [REDACTED] Age: 49

Phone: [REDACTED]

Ops:

Race: Unknown Sex: Male Hair: Brown Eyes: Brown

Height: 5'11 Weight: 210 lbs.

INITIAL NARRATIVE

Reporting Officer: HALLEAD

11/21/11

**INFORMATION:**

On 11/18/11 at about 6:30 p.m., I was contacted by MDT message to make contact with an anonymous caller reference a situation at the rehabilitation center. I returned to the police department to contact the anonymous person by phone.

**INVESTIGATION:**

I made contact with the anonymous caller by phone and asked what type of situation was happening at the rehabilitation center. The caller advised me there might be a person being held against their will inside the rehabilitation center. I asked the caller to explain this. The caller stated people sign themselves in and out at the center. The caller stated once a person signs themselves out they should be free to leave. The caller stated there was a female subject at the rehabilitation center who signed herself out but was not being allowed to leave. I asked the caller for a name of a person I could contact at the rehabilitation center who could verify this story. The caller stated Dean Kealoha, Ethics Officer for the rehabilitation center.

I contacted the rehabilitation center and spoke with the operator. I asked to speak with Dean, the operator advised me Dean was currently busy and asked if he could call me back. I gave the operator my contact information and waited for Dean to call back. A few minutes later Dean contacted me at the police department. (See interview Informational)

Reported By: \_\_\_\_\_

Reviewed By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Printed: 10/08/2019

**VENUE:**

Best Drug Rehabilitation Center  
300 Care Center Drive  
City of Manistee

**DATE & TIME:**

November 18th, 2011 at about 6:30 p.m.

**INTERVIEW INFORMATIONAL SUBJECT:**

Dean Lancaster Kealoha 7/25/62  
*Ethics Officer for Best Drug Rehabilitation*

I spoke with Mr. Kealoha by phone and advised him I was given information about someone being held at the rehabilitation center against their will. I asked Mr. Kealoha if this was in fact the case. Mr. Kealoha stated it was not the case at all. He stated a female subject did sign herself out of rehab tonight, which he witnessed, but because the family made a request to try and keep her in rehab, they were speaking with her in an attempt to keep her in the rehabilitation program. Mr. Kealoha stated patients sign themselves in and out, he stated the female subject did sign herself out tonight, but a family member made a request from them to speak with the female subject to try and keep her in the program. I asked Mr. Kealoha if the female subject ultimately decides to leave, she is free to go, he stated that was correct. He stated they normally don't like to just release people out of the rehab center onto the streets, so they try and take the patient to a bus stop, airport or shelter so they have somewhere to stay until arrangements are made for someone to pick them up. I then advised Mr. Kealoha of our local Safe Harbor project and advised him of how the program works. Mr. Kealoha asked for information on the program, I advised him I would get information to him. I again asked Mr. Kealoha if the female subject was actually being held against her will, he stated no.

**STATUS:**

Closed.

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