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Public information and warning: Violent Offender Released

In the interest of public safety, the Edmonton Police Service is issuing the following warning; Clifford Berard is considered by police to be a violent offender who poses a risk of significant harm to the community.

Berard is a violent and sexual violent offender who is known to have infectious diseases. He will be residing in the Edmonton area. The Edmonton Police Service is seeking a recognizance order on Berard and he will be closely monitored by the Behavioural Assessment Unit of the Edmonton Police Service.

The Edmonton Police Service is issuing this information and warning after careful deliberation of all related issues, including privacy concerns, in the belief that it is clearly in the public interest to inform the members of the community.



Berard, Clifford

Height: 6'4"

Weight: 270 lbs

Eyes: Brown

Hair: Brown

Members of the public are advised that the intent of this process is to enable citizens to take suitable precautionary measures. Releasing this information is NOT intended to encourage people to engage in any form of vigilante action.

This information is released under the authority of the *FOIP Act*, RSA 2000, C. F-25.

The information in this release is that which was verifiable prior to the release time indicated. Continued investigation and review could result in additional information or clarification.