



NEWS RELEASE

Chicago Police Department

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Offender Charged with Attempt Murder and Aggravated Battery of 37-Year-Old Male



Offender: Ruben Vargas, 19
1400 block of S. 51st Ave.
Cicero, Illinois

Charges: One (1) felony count – Attempt - Murder - First Degree
One (1) felony count – Aggravated Battery/Discharge Firearm

Court: Detention Hearing – 2600 S. California – July 2, 2025

Narrative: The above offender was arrested by members of the Chicago Police Department and the U.S. Marshals Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force on July 1, 2025, in the 1400 block of S. 51st Ave in Cicero, Illinois. He was identified as the offender who April 19, 2025 shot and injured a 37-year-old male in the 1400 block of W. Division St. (14th District). The offender was placed into custody and charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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