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Shooting Incident

Niles, IL – On 3/19/2017 at approximately 4:00 a.m., Niles Police Officers were on a directed patrol assignment at Chasers Bar & Grill located at 9003 Milwaukee Avenue. While at that location, a Niles Police Officer observed a disturbance in the parking lot. While investigating it, the Officer heard a single gunshot coming from the area. The Officer observed a person fleeing east on foot in the parking lot and the Officer began to chase the person. The Officer took the person into custody in the 9000 block of Churchill Circle which is just east of the location of the shooting. A semi-automatic handgun was recovered.

The victim, a 28-year old male from Lincolnwood was transported by the Niles Fire Department to Lutheran General Hospital with a single gunshot wound to his torso. He remains in stable condition.

At this time, a person of interest is in custody and the investigation continues. Additional details will be released as they become available.