

Ohio Attorney General's Office Bureau of Criminal Investigation Investigative Report



2022-2608 Officer Involved Critical Incident - 28 North Paint St., Chillicothe (L)

Investigative Activity:	Collection of Autopsy Evidence (Scene #5)
Activity Date:	November 18, 2022
Activity Location:	Montgomery County Coroner's Office and Ohio BCI London Office
Authoring Agent:	Special Agent Chad Holcomb, #61

On November 18, 2022, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Chad Holcomb and Crime Scene Technician (CST) Amy Gill attended the autopsy of Nicholas Mitchell (Mitchell) at the Montgomery County Coroner's Office. Mitchell was shot and killed during an officer involved critical incident with Ross County Sheriff's Office Sergeant Eric Kocheran.

During the autopsy, Forensic Pathologist Dr. Lee Lehman stated

At the conclusion of the autopsy, all collected evidence was released to SA Holcomb. SA Holcomb returned to the Ohio BCI Office located in London, Ohio where the evidence was packaged and labeled the following:

Item #	Description
#1	Four projectiles
#2	Blood card from Mitchell
#3	Oral and rectal swabs, fingernail scrapings, fingerprint card
	and miscellaneous swabs from body bag

At 0942 hours, SA Holcomb submitted item #1 to the BCI laboratory for examination.

At 1009 hours, SA Holcomb placed items #2 and 3 in the BCI temporary evidence locker #2 to be submitted to the BCI major crimes evidence vault.