



Phoenix Police Department
Public Affairs Bureau
620 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85003



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: November 14, 2025, around 4:58 p.m.
Incident: 2025-1650646
Location: 11900 North 19th Avenue
Victim: Jaime Pacheco Ramirez, 15-year-old, deceased
Suspect: Adult Male, Hospitalized, In Custody

Teen Dies After Being Struck By Vehicle

(November 15, 2025) Phoenix Police detectives are investigating a hit and run collision that left a teen dead.

On November 14, 2025, around 5:00 p.m., officers responded to the area of 19th Avenue and Cactus Road regarding collision involving a pedestrian. When officers arrived, they located the juvenile male pedestrian, identified as 15-year-old Jaime Pacheco Ramirez, with serious injuries. Pacheco Ramirez was transported to a nearby hospital, but he did not survive his injuries and was pronounced deceased.

The adult male driver of the vehicle involved remained on scene for a short period of time but ran from the area when officers arrived on scene. Officers gave chase and apprehended the man a short distance from the scene. He was ultimately transported to a nearby hospital for non-life-threatening injuries related to the collision. He has been processed for being impaired at the time of the collision. Charges related to this aspect of the investigation will be decided upon once toxicology results are complete.

Detectives responded to take over the investigation. The preliminary investigation indicates that the vehicle involved was northbound on 19th Avenue at a high rate of speed when the driver lost control and exited the roadway driving through a landscaped area east of 19th Avenue. The vehicle then struck Pacheco Ramirez who was standing on a walkway on the eastside of 19th Avenue. Once the driver is released from medical care, he will be booked on multiple charges related to the collision. Upon completion of this booking, the name of this driver can and will be released. Additional details about the collision remain part of the ongoing investigation.

Sergeant Rob Scherer
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