

# MIAMI POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Subject: **ATTEMPTED ARMED ROBBERY RESULTS IN GUNFIRE**

On Monday, May 31, 2021, shortly before 6:00 p.m., Miami Police responded in emergency mode to 3101 North Miami Avenue reference shots fired within the area.

According to detectives, two males were walking westbound from N.E. 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue toward North Miami Avenue on 31<sup>st</sup> Street just on the north side of the sidewalk when they were confronted by Otis Brown Jr. 6/21/1982 who produced a firearm as he attempted to rob them. During the attempted robbery there was an exchange of gunfire between Mr. Brown Jr. and the male victims.

Miami Fire Rescue responded to the scene and transported Mr. Brown and one of the two male victims to Jackson Memorial Hospital for treatment. Otis Brown Jr was pronounced deceased at the hospital.

The investigation continues...

Anyone with information is urged to contact the Miami Police Department's Homicide Unit at (305) 603-6350. Those with information that wish to remain anonymous can contact Miami-Dade Crime Stoppers at (305) 471- TIPS (4877), visit [www.crimestoppersmiami.com](http://www.crimestoppersmiami.com) and select "Give a Tip" or Send a text message to 274637. Enter CSMD followed by the tip information and press send.

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