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MAN CHARGED IN SEXUAL ASSAULT

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a 19-year-old man accused of breaking into a home in northeast Denver and sexually assaulting one of the residents.

Dante Walker (DOB: 6-10-96) is charged with two counts of *sexual assault* (F3), one count of *first degree burglary* (F3), and one count of *second degree burglary* (F3).

The charges allege that on June 21, 2015, a 17-year-old female awoke to find an unknown man in her bedroom, where he sexually assaulted her. She was able to alert other family members in the house, who called police, but the suspect was able to get away. Walker was later identified as a suspect through DNA and was arrested on July 11, 2015.

Walker remains in custody in the Denver Detention Center; his bond is set at \$100,000. He is scheduled to appear in Denver County Courtroom 2100 on Friday, July 17, 2015, at 8:30 a.m. to be advised of the charges.

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The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual(s) committed a crime(s) under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty. See Colo. RPC 3.6

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