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Child Found in Apartment Complex Pond

Kent, Wash – April 8, 2018 – A young girl is in the hospital tonight after she was discovered this afternoon face-down in a pond.

The first call to 911 was at approximately 4:10 pm. When Kent police arrived, they began chest compressions on the patient, who was in cardiac arrest. When firefighters from the Puget Sound RFA arrived, they took over CPR and other medical care of the patient with King County paramedics.

Paramedics transported the unresponsive patient to a local hospital. Her current condition is unknown and no more information on her will be published due to medical privacy laws.

It is unknown how long she had been under water.

The pond is one of several in the area of the 23600 block of Lakeside Boulevard East, where several apartment complexes are located.

Kent police are continuing their investigation into the circumstances of this incident.

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