

NIBIN CROSS-JURISDICTIONAL HITS : AN OREGON STORY



December 2003, Portland Police investigated a shooting in which the victim was wounded in the chest. Several .45 Caliber cartridge casings were recovered as evidence during a crime scene search.

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December 2003, Portland Police investigated an attempted murder and robbery in which the victim was shot in the head and survived. Evidence in the form of .45 Caliber cartridge casings was found at the scene.

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July 2004, Portland Police responded to a shots fired call. The only evidence found was in the form of .45 caliber cartridge cases.

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December 2004, the Multnomah County Sheriffs Office executed a search warrant on a location and seized a .45 caliber pistol. Two suspects were arrested during the incident.

The .45 caliber pistol was sent to the Oregon State Police Crime lab for test firing and entry into the NIBIN database. IBIS operators then linked the pistol to the three shootings in question providing investigators to two jurisdictions with more information to leverage into leads on the still open cases.