



**Ohio Attorney General's Office
Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Investigative Report**



2025-0559

Officer Involved Critical Incident - Jayden Cole Stephenson,
[REDACTED]

Investigative Activity: Processing of Involved Officers
Involves: Jayden Stephenson
Activity Date: 02/19/2025
Activity Location: Scene 2: 2660 Lyons Road, Miami Township, OH 45342
(Miami Township Police Department)
Authoring Agent: Crime Scene Technician Dylan Wical #206

Narrative:

On February 19th, 2025, the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigations (BCI) was requested by the Miami Township Police Department (MTPD) to investigate an Officer Involved Critical Incident (OICI). It was reported that the MTPD responded to [REDACTED], Miami Township, Ohio, 45342 (Scene 1), for a male threatening family members with a knife. Upon arrival, officers encountered Jayden Stephenson and an OICI occurred (see Crime Scene Technician Holly Ryzeck's *Scene Processing* report for additional information).

Crime Scene Technician (CST) Dylan Wical was assigned to assist with the documentation of the involved officers at the MTPD headquarters. CST Wical arrived on scene at approximately 1642 hours and photographed the officers as they were upon his arrival. The officers were observed to be in their agency issued uniforms. The specifics of each officer are detailed below:

- [REDACTED] – **Miami Township Police Department:** [REDACTED] reportedly discharged her service weapon during the OICI. Her service weapon was a Glock 45 (S/N: [REDACTED]) 9mm semi-automatic handgun with a mounted Holosun sight (S/N: MS093041) and a TLR-7X Streamlight (S/N: 188388A). CST Wical observed one cartridge in the chamber and 13 cartridges in the seated magazine. Her two spare magazines were emptied and were found to be fully loaded. When the two spare magazines were returned to [REDACTED] one cartridge was left in the gun box and was collected. The handgun, magazine, and 15 cartridges were collected as Item 1. CST Wical observed and took photographs of suspected blood on [REDACTED] left leg.
- [REDACTED] – **Miami Township Police Department:** [REDACTED] reportedly discharged his service weapon and deployed his taser during the

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OICI. His service weapon was a Glock 45 (S/N: [REDACTED]) 9mm semi-automatic handgun with a mounted Holosun sight (S/N: MS093007) and a TLR-7X Streamlight (S/N: 188383A). CST Wical observed one cartridge in the chamber and 11 cartridges in the seated magazine. The handgun, magazine, and cartridges were collected as Item 2. His service taser was a Taser 7 (S/N: [REDACTED]) with a [REDACTED] sticker on the bottom of the grip. CST Wical observed both cartridges seated in the taser, however both probes were absent.

- [REDACTED] - **Miami Township Police Department:** [REDACTED] reportedly discharged his less lethal shotgun during the OICI. The less lethal shotgun was reportedly left at the residence where the OICI occurred. CST Wical inspected his service weapon and two spare magazines. His service weapon was a Glock 45 (S/N: [REDACTED]) 9mm semi-automatic handgun. CST Wical observed one cartridge in the chamber and 17 cartridges in the magazine. His two spare magazines were inspected and were found to be fully loaded.
- [REDACTED] - **Miami Township Police Department:** [REDACTED] reportedly discharged his service taser during the OICI. His service taser was a Taser 7 (S/N: [REDACTED]) with a [REDACTED] sticker on the grip. Both cartridges were observed to be absent in the chamber. CST Wical inspected his service weapon, a Glock 45 (S/N: [REDACTED]) 9mm semi-automatic handgun. CST Wical observed one cartridge in the chamber and 16 cartridges in the magazine. His two spare magazines were found to be fully loaded.

No further action was taken with the officers involved. CST Wical photographed witnessing Officer Morgan Spencer (#127) and Officer Crystal Rankins (#78). Their service weapons and magazines were inspected and were found to be fully loaded. Sgt. Todd gave CST Wical Ofc. Rankin's jacket (with suspected blood), [REDACTED] handcuffs, and a pair of bloody gloves in separate paper bags. These items were documented with photography and were returned to MTPD. Both involved service tasers were documented with photography and were returned to MTPD.

CST Wical cleared from the MTPD headquarters at approximately 1727 hours and responded to Scene 1 to further assist scene processing. CST Wical transferred Items 1 and 2 (Scene 2) to Special Agent Matthew Austin at 2123 hours. CST Wical cleared Scene 1 at approximately 2140 hours.

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