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On Monday, March 23, 2009 at approximately 12:45 p.m. the Walgreens pharmacy located at 1747 Patrick Drive in Burlington, Kentucky was robbed by a woman who threatened the use of a bomb.

The perpetrator is described as a white woman, mid 20's to early 30's, approximately 5'2", 175-200 pounds, dark brown curly hair pulled back in a pony tail, large sunglasses wearing a dark blue zip up sweat shirt. She walked up to the pharmacy counter, placed a briefcase down, and produced a note demanding narcotics. She left the briefcase on the counter as she fled (reportedly in a white van) prompting the evacuation of adjacent businesses and the closing the nearby roads. The Cincinnati Fire Department's Hazardous Device's Unit responded and declared the suspect package harmless at approximately 3:00 p.m.

Anyone with information as to the identity of the perpetrator is urged to call the Boone County Sheriff's Department at (859) 334-2175 or Crime Stoppers at (513) 352-3040.

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