



BURKE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Sheriff Banks Hinceman

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS / NARCOTICS DIVISION PRESS RELEASE



Name:	ELAYNIA VICTORIA HUFFMAN			Name:	COREY WESLEY FAGAN		
DOB:	01/25/1983	Age:	41	DOB:	07/04/1998	Age:	25
Race:	White	Sex:	FEMALE	Race:	White	Sex:	MALE
Address:	2245 US 70, Connelly Springs, NC			Address:	2245 US 70, Connelly Springs, NC		
Charges:	F- Trafficking Opium or Heroin			Charges:	F- Simple Possession Sch. II (Meth) F- Probation Violation		
Bond:	\$25,000.00– Secured			Bond:	\$10,000.00– Secured		
Court Date:	January 29, 2024			Court Date:	January 29, 2024		

Details:

On January 26, 2024, the Burke County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations/Narcotics Division and NC Department of Adult Corrections: Probation/Parole were conducting a joint operation, incorporating undercover and conspicuous patrol actions in Hildebran/Icard community, after numerous citizen complaints about illegal activities in the area, including but not limited to, breaking and entering, larcenies, overdoses, and alleged drug trafficking activities.

At approximately 11:00 a.m., NCDAC Probation/Parole made contact with Corey Wesley Fagan to conduct an in-home probation visit. While probation officers were securing the residence for search, they took note that there were multiple persons in the residence and requested assistance from the Burke County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations/Narcotics Division. While removing people from various bedrooms within the residence, Elaynia Victoria Huffman was discovered in a back bedroom. Huffman told officers/investigators that there was Fentanyl in the room. After conducting a search, Huffman was found in possession of 75 grams +/- of Fentanyl in pressed pill form, several Fentanyl patches, and small pre-packaged containers of powdered Fentanyl along with various items of paraphernalia, including scales, plastic baggies, aluminum foil, and glass pipes.

A search of Fagan's bedroom revealed less than (1) gram of a crystalline substance, which tested positive for methamphetamine. In addition to the Methamphetamine, there were several items of paraphernalia, including scales

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and pipes. Both Huffman and Fagan were arrested without incident and taken to the Magistrate's Office, where they were arraigned on the above charges. Huffman received a \$25,000.00 secured bond and Fagan received a \$10,000.00 secured bond and court dates for 01/29/24.

It should be noted that the estimated lethal dose of Fentanyl is about 2 milligrams(mg) +/-, depending on the tolerance and purity levels of the substance. Huffman was in possession of more than 75,000 mg, which has the potential to kill more than 37,500 people. The image below, from the DEA is a perspective of what 2 mgs of a lethal dose of Fentanyl looks like.



Agencies Involved:

Burke County Sheriff's Office

NCDAC: Probation/Parole