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Two staff members injured at Lincoln Hills School

Two Lincoln Hills School staff members were injured when a 16-year-old youth attacked them around 8 p.m. Monday night.

One staff member was assaulted in the residence hall when the youth returned from outdoor recreation. The staff member was taken to an area hospital to receive medical treatment before being released.

The youth shortly thereafter encountered and assaulted a second staff member, causing the staff member to hit their head on the concrete. The staff member was taken to an area hospital to receive medical treatment and remains in critical condition at this time.

As with any assault incident at the school, the incident was referred to the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department. Lincoln Hills School is currently operating normally though some youth were moved to a different residence hall due to the ongoing investigation.

Out of respect for the employees involved and their families, the department is unable to confirm the names of the employees at this time.

No other youth were involved in this isolated incident. The 16-year-old youth who was involved did not have any injuries requiring medical treatment. The department is working to move the youth to a suitable facility.