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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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Date: May 7, 2014  
Time: 11:30 AM  
Contact: Officer Joseph Nichols  
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Re: Four Referred for Disorder Conduct-Unlawful Use of Telephone

The Oshkosh Police Department has referred three teens and one child to Winnebago County Juvenile Intake for Disorderly Conduct-Unlawful Use of Telephone after nude photos were sent via electronic messaging between the four subjects.

The 15, 14 and 14 year-old males and a 12 year-old female, all from Oshkosh, had sent nude photos via electronic messaging to each other about three weeks ago. The photos had since been erased prior to the investigation.

All parents were notified by the Oshkosh Police Department and the four subjects were released to their parents after interviews were conducted.

It is imperative that parents explain to their children the dangers of sending inappropriate pictures of themselves or information while texting or using the computer. Once the photo or information is sent, it can be shared by many in the matter of a few seconds. If you are not comfortable sending photos or information out for the whole world to see, don't send it. Possession of sexually explicit photos or videos of a minor, by anyone, is a crime.

No further information is being released at this time.

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