



Devon & Cornwall Police
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CRIMESTOPPERS
0800 555 111

The National Police Chiefs' Council have sent out this valuable advice.

**IN THE RARE EVENT OF
A FIREARMS OR WEAPONS ATTACK**

In Torridge we would not expect to get a problem with this type of crime but must all be prepared for such an event.

RUN HIDE TELL

RUN to a place of safety.

This is a far better option than to surrender or negotiate.
If there's nowhere to go, then ...

HIDE. It's better to hide than to confront.

Remember to turn your phone to silent and turn off vibrate.
Barricade yourself in if you can.
Then finally and only when it is safe to do so ...

TELL the police by calling 999.

At the moment, the issue of terrorist attacks is regularly in the news. But it has been on our agenda for much longer.

The police and security service have been working constantly to foil terrorist attacks for years, not months.

But we are not complacent about keeping you safe.

Due to events in the UK and abroad, people are understandably concerned about a firearms or weapons attack. These attacks are very rare but in the event of such an attack, it helps to be prepared.

Remember, attacks of this nature are still very rare in the UK.
So Stay Safe, and just remember the words RUN, HIDE, TELL.

Information is vital. If you see or hear something that could be terrorist related, trust your instincts and call the confidential Anti-Terrorist hotline on 0800 789 321. Our specially trained officers will take it from there. Your call could save lives. Always in emergency, call 999.

To watch the Stay Safe film, [visit www.npcc.police.uk/staysafe](http://www.npcc.police.uk/staysafe)