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## Armed men take cash, cell phones in east-side home invasion, police say

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Four armed men pushed they way into an east-side residence Friday night and took cell phones and cash from the residents before fleeing, Madison police reported.

The robbery was reported at 7 p.m. Friday at 1818 Fordem Ave., police said.

No injuries were reported.

According to police, the 21-year-old female resident had two friends visiting when she answered the door.

"Four suspects pushed their way in, displayed firearms and demanded valuables," said Sgt. Karen Krahn.

The first suspect was described as a black male, 19 to 21 years old, 5 feet 4 inches tall and 140 to 150 pounds, wearing a black skull cap, gray hooded sweatshirt, black jeans and black boots.

The second suspect was described as a black male, 18 to 21 years old, 6-1 to 6-2 with a medium build, wearing a dark doo rag, black hooded sweatshirt, black puffy vest and a dark blue bandana over his face at the time of the robbery.

The third suspect was described as a black male, 18 to 21 years old, 5-9 with a medium build, dreadlocks, wearing a black hooded sweatshirt, black vest, dark jeans and dark shoes.

The fourth suspect was described as a black male, 18 to 21 years old, 5-8 to 5-9 and 190 to 200 pounds, wearing a green hooded sweatshirt and dark puffy vest.