

# Anambra Police Arrest 6 Over Alleged Murder, Child Abuse



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[Anambra State Police Command](https://newtelegraphng.com/anambra-police-arrest-6-over-alleged-murder-child-abuse/) has arrested six persons for various crimes of alleged murder, child abuse and adulteration of alcoholic beverages.



According to the statement by the [Police Public Relations Officer](#), SP Tochukwu Ikenga, one person was arrested at Nkpokon in Idemili North Local Government Area over the alleged torture of a 10-year-old boy, inflicting multiple injuries on his body, while another suspect was arrested for murder and burial of his 23-year-old girlfriend.

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"The Case was reported following credible information received from concerned members of the public, leading to the suspect's arrest. Police Operatives attached to the State Criminal Investigation Department have taken over the Case and commenced detailed inquiries to ascertain the circumstances surrounding the incident and ensure that justice is served"

Similarly, Ikenga confirmed that three suspects are in custody for various offences, "They include: Chukwudi Chukwuyere 'M' aged 40 years, Chisom Chukwuyere 'F' aged 30 years and Arum Goodluck 'M' aged 16 years respectively.

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"Their arrest followed the alleged serious abuse of a 10-year-old boy in Odume Layout, Isiowulu. During interrogation, Mrs Chisom confessed to having used burning plastic to inflict burns on the victim.

"The victim has been provided with the necessary care and support, while the Police Operatives are diligently gathering evidence to facilitate prosecution."

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Ikenga also confirmed that the Police Command attached to the [Rapid Response Squad/VCRU](#) have arrested two suspects allegedly involved in the production and distribution of adulterated alcoholic beverages in the State.

The suspects, identified as Ikechukwu Okeke, 42 years old and Okeke Chukwuemeka, 38 years old, were arrested in the early hours of today 15th June 2026, following credible intelligence received by the Police.

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He noted that preliminary investigation revealed that the suspects are members of a syndicate specialising in the adulteration and counterfeiting of various alcoholic beverages. During interrogation, the suspects reportedly confessed to the crime and subsequently led operatives to their mini-factory.

At the facility, Police operatives recovered several suspected adulterated alcoholic products, including Seaman's Schnapps, McDowell's, Eagle Schnapps, Elliot Hot Drinks, and Baileys Fresh Cream, as well as dangerous chemicals allegedly used in the production process. Also recovered were numerous empty bottles, labels, and other packaging materials intended for the continued manufacture of the counterfeit drinks.

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"The suspects are currently in Police custody, while the exhibits have been secured for forensic examination and evidential purposes.

"The Commissioner of Police, Anambra State Command, CP Ikioye Orutugu, fwc, mnips, PhD, has commended the operatives for the successful operation and warned individuals engaged in the production and distribution of counterfeit consumable products to desist or face the full weight of the law.

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"Investigation is ongoing to identify and apprehend other members of the syndicate and uncover the extent of their operations" he concluded.

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