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Man, 24, strangles friend

A 24-YEAR-OLD man, Agbo Onuabuchi, has been arrested for strangling his friend to death in Enugu State. He was also accused of burying him in a shallow grave.

According to the spokesman for the police command, Daniel Ndukwe, a DSP, Onuabuchi, a native of Ebonyi State, had on April 1, killed one Peter Ukekwe, 44 in Amori community, Nkanu West Local Government Area, after both friends visited a native doctor, one Onyeka Edeh.

In a statement yesterday, Ndukwe said the duo, residents of Ogidi, Idemili North LGA of Anambra State, had left the native doc-

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tor's house for an unknown destination.

He said they were never seen until a search was conducted the following day when the suspect was seen attempting to escape from the village.

"The suspect and the deceased, had on the said date, traveled from Ogidi, Anambra State, to Amori community in Nkanu West Local Government Area, on April 1, to visit one Onyeka Edeh (male and a Native Doctor). However, during the night hours, the duo left the host's house for an unknown destination.