"Having identified this, the

Police arrest mother for alleged son's murder

The Police in Ogijo, near Sagamu, Ogun have arrested a woman, Patience Christopher, for allegedly beating her son, Sunday, to death.

ASP Muyiwa Adejobi, the Police Public Relations Officer in Ogun, disclosed this to the News Agency of Nigeria (NAN) in Abeokuta on Friday.

He said the incident occurred on Tuesday, January 26, at 11, Ajegunle Road, Ita-Oluwa, Ogijo and that the case was promptly reported at the Ogijo Police station.

"One Dare Oduduwa reported that Patience Christopher, living in their compound, beat her ten year old son, Sunday to death," Muyiwa said.

According to him, detectives from Ogijo Division, raced to the scene of crime and saw the lifeless body of the boy on the ground.

"The corpse was deposited at Fakoya Medical Centre, Sagamu for Post Mortem Examination, while the mother was arrested and detained.

She will soon appear in court and I want to use this opportunity to ask parents to give moderate punishment to their children while correcting them," he said

Adejobi, however, refused to give details as to why Patience went that far to discipline her child.