

One woman killed in herdsmen attack on Adamawa village

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A woman has reportedly died in Bare village of Numan Local Government Area of Adamawa State, following attacks by gunmen suspected to be herdsmen.

The attack, according to a local government official, took place late Friday night.

The official, who pleaded for anonymity, also confirmed that security operatives comprising soldiers and policemen have been deployed to the area and that they have since quelled the raid.

She, however, stated that "no arrest has been made so far."

Dominique Yohanna, a resident of Bare, had initially informed **SaharaReporters**

about the late night attack, but could not provide further details.

However, Madam Johannah, Numan local council boss, said the woman was allegedly killed on the outskirt of the village on her way back from a local market.

Apostle Huram, another resident of Bare, said "she was killed by herdsmen who were in possession of dangerous weapons. It is confirmed that the herdsmen used machetes to decapitate her body," he added.

Huram, who is a local pastor in the area, further lamented thus: "Bare is under siege, all routes linking Bare to other communities around the area have been taken over by herdsmen.