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Man kills wife, son, injures six others in Ebonyi

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IT was a black Wednesday at Isiofumini Isieke community in Ebonyi Local Government Area of Ebonyi State, as one Kenneth (surname withheld) allegedly killed his wife, and their six-year-old son, with a machete.

It was gathered that after the man committed the crime, he moved into the street and attacked six other persons.

A source who gave his name as Chikamso said the man might have suffered from mental breakdown shortly after waking up in the morning.

Among the six victims he attacked were a seven-

year-old boy and a 60-year-old man.

It was gathered that the man was still attacking people when the police arrived the scene and arrested him.

When contacted, the Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Loveth Odah, confirmed the incident.

She explained that the suspect was already undergoing medical check-up to ascertain whether he was actually mentally-unstable.

She added that the six persons he attacked were already receiving treatment in the hospital, while the remains of his wife and son had been deposited in the mortuary.