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Man stabs wife to death over alleged infidelity in Ekiti

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A 34-year-old man, identified as Dare, has allegedly stabbed his wife to death over allegation of infidelity in Ado-Ekiti, the Ekiti State capital.

Nigerian Tribune gathered that the incident occurred on Saturday at their residence located around Adebayo area

of the state capital.

A resident of the area who spoke on the condition of anonymity said the couple had sent the older of their two children on an errand and locked up the door before they started fighting on the issue.

The man, said to be a law enforcement officer, and his deceased wife, who worked

in a chemist shop, had in the process stabbed each other with sharp objects.

The source said: "They locked themselves up inside their apartment with their younger child of about five years.

"The man confronted the deceased over allegations that she was cheating on him,

a fight ensued leading him to stab his wife to death."

The source added that the man, who is seriously injured, is currently receiving treatment at the Ekiti State University Teaching Hospital in Ado-Ekiti.

"At that moment, people had come to separate the fight only met the door to their apart-

ment locked. When they could not enter the house, they removed some of the building's ceiling to gain entry into the apartment.

"They met the deceased and her husband with injuries all over their bodies. The woman looked unconscious and was immediately rushed to the hospital but she gave

up the ghost before they got to the hospital."

When contacted, the state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Sunday Abutu, who confirmed the incident, said the children of the deceased reported the incident.

He added that the police command has commenced investigation into the incident.