

# Herdsmen club Delta resident into coma

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**M**en suspected to be herdsmen at the weekend unleashed terror in Oghonogbo, a boundary community between Edo and Delta states, where they allegedly clubbed one Enudeme of Obiaruku town, in Delta State, into coma.

The victim, who is still receiving treatment, was revived by medical personnel at the General Hospital, Obiaruku, Ukwuani Local Government Area of the state.

Enudeme was said to have gone into the bush, in the neighbouring Oghonogbo, where he came in contact with the herdsmen who allegedly attacked him.

According to sources, the herdsmen used various weapons, including dagger and horsewhip, to pummel the victim until he became unconscious.

Residents in Obiaruku are still confounded over the attack, since, according to them, there was no prior disagreement between them and the herdsmen.

"We are still surprise that these people are at it again.

They have been going about their activities unmolested and nobody was suspecting that they were about to unleash terror.

"Nobody provoked them into this recent attack," a resident said.

The incident was said to have been reported at the Obiaruku Divisional Police, but the authorities allegedly declined jurisdiction on the grounds that Oghonogbo was in Edo State Police Command.

In the past, herdsmen were said to have invaded one of the communities in the oil-rich state, where they allegedly killed 10 persons who were on their way to the farm.

They were also said to be responsible for the killing of the Head of Personnel Management of Isoko North Local Government Area in Ogume last year.