

# Native doctor exhumes corpse, removes skull in Delta

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A 60-year-old native doctor, Mr Godfrey Akpudje, has been arrested by Delta State police operatives for exhuming a corpse and removing the skull.

The state Police Public Relations Officer of the state command, Mr Bright Edafe, disclosed that a 35-year-old man, Ejiro Okoro, reported that the corpse of his late sister, who died sometime in 2019, was exhumed by an unknown person where it was buried at Ekpan Ovu.

He said: "On the strength of the report, the DPO Isiokolo Division swung into action as he detailed police detectives to investigate. During the investigation, information gathered through intelligence revealed that it was one Godfrey Akpudje, 60 years, who happens to be a native doctor, that exhumed the corpse and removed the skull.

"He was immediately arrested and two human skulls were recovered from him. He said he got one of the human skulls from a native doctor who is now late in Osun State."

## Police arrest 3 with human blood

Meantime, three were, Monday, arrested by the state police with a container filled with fresh human blood during stop and search duty at Nsukwa junction along Ogwashi-Uku/Kwale road.

Bright Edafe said the suspects, Nwite, Madabuchi Nweke and Nwite Sunday, all of Ebenta village in Ohaukwu LGA, Ebonyi State, have confessed to having murdered some unknown persons in Ebonyi State and were on their way with the murdered person's blood to a native doctor, whose identity is unknown for now but resides in Kwale.