

Two providence men arrested for trafficking fentanyl into New Bedford

On September 29, New Bedford police detectives seized approximately 47 grams of fentanyl and \$375 during an investigation into drug activity in the area of 205 County Street.

As a result, 34-year old Estarlin Ortiz-Alcantara and 26-year old Karla Rodriguez, both from Providence, were stopped in their vehicle. Ortiz-Alcantara was charged with trafficking and conspiracy. Rodriguez was charged with possession and conspiracy.

Also arrested was Louis Ortega, 49, no fixed address, who was charged with possession and conspiracy. This was a subsequent offense. Detective Jean Lopez investigated the case.

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