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On 1/5/11, at 11:05 AM, uniformed personnel responded to a radio call for a person with a knife in the 5200 Block of Westminster Avenue. Upon arrival, the officers observed a male with a black handled knife in his right hand. The officers exited their patrol car and ordered the offender to drop the knife. The offender moved toward the officers and refused the officers' commands to drop the knife. As the offender moved closer to the officers, they both discharged their weapons, striking the offender. The offender dropped the knife and fell to the ground. Offender was transported to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania for treatment. The knife with an overall length of 8 inches was recovered at the scene.