

Grand Island man tied to fake prescription

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A man who tried to obtain painkillers from a pharmacy with a fake prescription was arrested Friday morning, the Erie County Sheriff's Office said.

Chad Rodriquez, 30, of Grand Island, told deputies who had received the prescription for 20 Loritabs from a Buffalo dentist, authorities said. Sheriff's officials said the dentist confirmed he never gave Rodriquez the prescription.

Rodriquez was charged with felony criminal possession of a forged instrument.

Grand Island traffic stop leads to two drug arrests

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A traffic stop led to the arrests of two people on East Park Road in Grand Island about 3:25 p. m. Thursday on controlled substance charges.

Erie County sheriff's deputies said Angela M. Santalucia, 20, of Amherst, and Brandon M. Carroll, 20, of Grand Island, were in possession of heroin, marijuana and hypodermic needles.

Santalucia also was charged with criminal impersonation.