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# Davis County Deputy arrested for sex crimes

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OGDEN -- A Davis County Sheriff's deputy is on unpaid administrative leave after being arrested on suspicion of sex crimes. Matthew Allen, 31, was arrested in Clearfield on Monday, but booked into the Weber County Jail for safety reasons, according to Assistant Clearfield Police Chief Greg Krusi. He was released on his own recognizance later Monday. Allen, who worked as a court bailiff in the Davis County Justice Complex, was charged with two felony counts of forcible sexual abuse and a class A misdemeanor charge of sexual battery. Krusi said the crimes allegedly took place in Clearfield and Clinton, with a juvenile female victim, who was acquainted with the Allen family.

The Davis County Sheriff's Department refused comment, except to say that Allen is on unpaid administrative leave during the investigation.

And Krusi likewise said that only limited information will be given out at this time, as this is an active case.

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