Police make arrest following death of man in Dalkeith



A major investigation is underway following the death of a 41year-old man in Dalkeith.

At around 12.25pm on Saturday, the victim was found seriously injured on Woodburn Road and despite efforts from Emergency Services, he passed away at the scene.

The death is being treated as suspicious and a 45-year old man has now been arrested. Detective Inspector Paul Batten said: "Our thoughts are with the man's family and friends at this time and we are continuing with our investigation into the full circumstances surrounding this incident.

"If you were in or around Woodburn Road during the early afternoon and have any information relevant to our investigation then please contact us immediately."

Inspector Michelle Ritchie from Dalkeith Police Station said: "We recognise that this death may have a significant impact on the local community and we'll have high visibility patrols in the area supporting the inquiry and offering reassurance to the public. "

Anyone with information can call police on 101.