



## Clery Crime Alert

### Burglaries/Package Thefts

Columbia University Public Safety was recently informed that two Burglaries occurred on February 9th, 2026, at 540 West 122nd Street and at 100 Morningside Drive.

A video review shows that the individual "piggybacked" into the building at 540 West 122nd Street at 11:07am. Once inside, the individual removed several packages. The same individual then rang the intercom system until they were buzzed into 100 Morningside Drive at 1:05pm. Once inside, the individual opened several packages and removed their contents.

The individual is shown in the photo below.



If you have any additional information about these incidents, please contact Public Safety at 212-854-2797.

### Harm Reduction Strategies:

- Make sure the door locks behind you every time you enter or exit a building.
- Do not buzz people into a building unless you know who they are and what they are doing.
- Stay informed about delivery statuses and estimated arrival times and try to retrieve your package(s) in a timely manner.
- Sign up for free services such as [FedEx Delivery Manager®](#) and [UPS My Choice®](#) or use an [Amazon Pick Up Location](#), such as a locker or local store. Many online retailers allow you to send directly to a local shipping center or retail store at check out. Nearby shipping stores with secure delivery options include:
  - [FedEx Office Ship Center](#) (116th and Broadway)
  - [UPS Store](#) (115th and Broadway)
  - [UPS Store](#) (42 Tiemann Place - Between Broadway and Claremont Ave)

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