

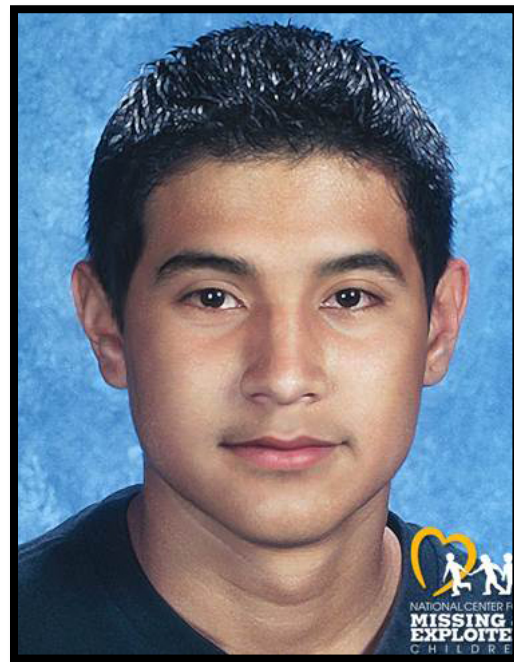
MISSING

Since July 25, 2007 from Portland, Oregon

JESUS MERINO-MENDOZA



Age Missing: 3
D.O.B.: Feb. 4, 2004
Hair Color: Brown
Eye Color: Brown
Height: 3'0"
Weight: 30 lbs.
Gender: Male
Race: Hispanic
Case #: 1076073



Identifying Characteristics: He has a faint V-shaped birthmark on his forehead.

Clothing/Jewelry: A blue jersey style tank top, blue shorts, and sandals.

Circumstances: Jesus's photo is shown aged to 16 years. He was allegedly abducted by his father, Jesus Merino-Leyva (photo at right). A felony warrant was issued for Leyva on July 31, 2007. Investigators believe Leyva poses an immediate threat to the child's safety. At the time Jesus was taken, Leyva violated an existing restraining order. **CAUTION IS ADVISED.** Leyva is a Hispanic Male, 5'5", 180 pounds with black hair and brown eyes. His date of birth is December 25, 1969. He may use the name Chu Cho.



CONTACT:

Portland Police Department: 1-503-823-0446

Or

National Center for Missing & Exploited Children: 1-800-843-5678