

2 men recovered from waters off Kitsilano Beach, says Canadian Coast Guard

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Emergency responders transport a man found in the waters off near Kitsilano Beach on Thursday night. (CBC)

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Two men have been recovered from the waters near the Kitsilano dog beach in Vancouver, says the Canadian Coast Guard.

Officials said a passerby was walking along the beach when they heard a cry for help at about 8:09 p.m. PT. They called police and first responders from the Canadian Coast Guard, the Auxiliary Coast Guard, and the police were immediately dispatched.

One man managed to swim to shore, said the coast guard, and emergency crews searched for a person in the water.

The missing person was soon recovered by the auxiliary vessel, and both victims were taken to hospital by ambulance.

One of the patients is in serious condition, according to B.C. Ambulance. The other is stable.



Officials are looking for a missing person in the water near the Kitsilano dog beach. (Google Maps)