



## Fatal Alligator Attack

Sunrise, FL — Broward County's medical examiner says an alligator attacked a woman while she was on land and then dragged her body into a canal, ultimately killing her.

Construction workers found the dismembered body of 28-year-old Yovy Suarez Jimenez yesterday. She hadn't returned from a jog the previous night.

Broward's M-E says Jimenez died of traumatic injuries sustained by an alligator attack, a mixture of blood loss and shock, and died very fast.

Earlier, a spokesman for the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission said the department had witnesses who had seen a woman matching Jimenez's description dangling her feet over the water's edge, but no one saw an attack.

Trappers will try to catch and kill the animal and the contents of its stomach will be examined.

There have been 25 fatal alligator attacks in Florida since 1948, according to the wildlife commission.



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