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Four Berlin High School students turned themselves in at the Berlin Police Department after learning of outstanding warrants for their arrest. One 16 year-old student was charged with the Illegal Sale and Possession of a Legend Drug, Illegal Sale and Possession of a Narcotic and Conspiracy to the Illegal Sale and Possession of a Narcotic. A second 16 year old student was charged with the Illegal Sale of Narcotics, the third 16 year-old with Illegal Possession of Narcotics and the fourth student, a 17 year-old, was charged with Illegal Possession of a Legend Drug.

Vicodin, a narcotic pain reliever, was sold by one of the 16 year-olds after receiving a prescription from a physician. In addition Tramadol, also a pain reliever, was bought from a teenager in another town. The sale of the prescription drugs occurred during classes and in the hallways of Berlin High School. Police were alerted to the problem after two of the students who had purchased the prescription drug Tramadol, became very sick.

Berlin Police are still investigating and at least three additional arrests of Berlin High School students are expected in the near future.

Berlin School officials are aware of the situation and have been dealing with the accused students per their established policies.

