Two men involved in a deathly stabbing incident.

A man was fatally injured in a physical altercation that involved a knife at around midnight at a Housing Board block in Chinatown on Tuesday, August 14.

The incident resulted with two local men receiving multiple lacerations, both of whom were immediately conveyed to Singapore General Hospital by SCDF Emergency Medical Services personnel.

One victim succumbed to his injuries died shortly after admission to hospital as he failed to respond to treatment, and the other is in the hospital's Intensive Care Unit in serious condition according to a statement from the SPF Duty investigator, Paul Newman.

A man, from a residential address in Marina Bay, was taken into custody by police about 2 hours later in relation to the stabbings as the incident is being investigated further by the Major Crime Squad, a specialised unit of the Criminal Investigation Department.