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ISOBEL

In the meantime, let's assume this means our hacker was right. Someone is targeting the mentally ill. Question is, who and why?

SCOLA

And how the hell is he tracking these people down?

ISOBEL

(running on that)
Elise -- do we have a last known address for James Oster?

24 INT. VICTIM'S SISTER'S HOUSE - DAY (D2)

OA accepts a cup of tea from Oster's sister, CAROLYN (40s), nods thanks.

START

CAROLYN

When James first got released, he lived with me for a while... About three months. But then he -- he left. Hadn't seen him in a few weeks.

ΟA

Do you know where he'd been living?

Carolyn nods, sadly:

CAROLYN

The general area, yeah. It just -got to be too much. James was
paranoid schizophrenic, had these
violent outbursts. I tried to
check him back into the facility
but he wouldn't go.

OA

Do you know why?

CAROLYN

Yeah, he claimed someone there was "after him." But, there was always someone after him. It's part of the disease...

ΟA

Did he say who?

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CAROLYN

I don't remember. I didn't take it seriously at the time. I know he reported it to his counselor there, though, he may be able to tell you.

ΟA

Okay. We'll talk to him. (then)

Did anyone from the facility ever come by after James was released?

CAROLYN

No -- but a man called a few days ago from patient outreach. Wanted to know how he was doing. I told him James'd had another episode. That he was living in the encampment around West 41st...

ΟA

Do you remember the man's name?

Carolyn racks her brain, then shakes her head, ashamed:

CAROLYN

(breaking down)

God, I was supposed to protect him. He was my little brother, and I let him down...

END

Off OA, reaching out to comfort Carolyn...

INT. TYLER'S HOSPITAL ROOM - DAY (D2)

Jubal's doing everything he can not to let his son down. The scene around them is chaotic: gurneys rushing down hallways, nurses crambling into patients' rooms...

Tyler's looking worse for the wear, struggling to stay alert as Jubal and Sam try to distract him with a game of gin --

TITE AT.

Buddy, you've got a club in your run of spades there. You don't have that trick yet.

TYLER

Sorry. I think I'm just getting really tired...