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## Several displaced in early morning Roxbury apartment fire

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By Matt Rocheleau, Town Correspondent

**A first-floor fire in a three-story, 12-unit brick apartment building in Roxbury displaced several people early this morning.**

Fire officials said there were no injuries. The blaze, which started just after 4:30 a.m. on the first floor of 185 Walnut Ave., caused about \$100,000 in damage.

The exact number of people displaced was not immediately available. But because the damage was confined mainly to one or two units, officials said, the figure is "much lower" than an initial count of eight adults and 10 children reported on the department's Twitter account.

The Red Cross was called to assist those displaced. The cause remains under investigation.

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