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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	18-342-UF	Version Type:	ORIGINAL VERSION
Report Date:	5/14/2018 8:57 AM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Amarillo Police Dept.	Agency Address:	200 SE 3rd Ave
Agency City:	Amarillo	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	79101		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Chief	Director First Name:	Eddie
Director Middle Name:			
Director Last Name:	Drain		
Reporter Name:	Michael Dunn	Reporter Email:	michael.dunn@amarillo.gov

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Adam

Middle Name: Ulalio

Last Name: Zambrano

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 11/23/1986 Sex: Male

Race: Hispanic or Latino

Age At Time Of Death: 31

Date/Time of Custody (arrest, incarceration) (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 4/24/2018 8:05 PM

Date/Time of Death (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

Death Date and Time: 4/24/2018 8:05 PM

Manner / Cause of Death

Has a medical examiner or coroner conducted an evaluation to determine a cause of death?

Medical Examiner/Coroner Evaluation?: Yes, results are available

What was the manner of death? (select only one)

Manner of Death: Homicide (includes Justifiable Homicide)

Medical Cause of Death:

Medical Cause of Death:

Gunshot wound upper torso

Had the decedent been receiving treatment for the medical condition that caused the death after admission to your jail's jurisdiction?

Medical Treatment: Not Applicable

If death was an accident, homicide or suicide, who caused the death?

Who caused the death?: Law enforcement/correctional personnel

If a weapon caused the death, what type of weapon caused the death? (Hold CTRL to select all that apply)

Type of weapon that caused death?: Rifle/shotgun

Was the cause of death the result of a pre-existing medical condition or did the decedent develop the condition after admission?

Pre existing medical condition?: Not Applicable; cause of death was accidental injury, intoxication, suicide or homicide

If death was an accident, homicide or suicide, what was the means of death?

Means of Death: Firearm

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?

Street Address:	4107 Harmony	City:	Amarillo
County:	Randall	Zip:	79109

What location category best describes where the event causing the death occurred?

Location Category: Roadway/highway/street/sidewalk

What type of custody/facility was the Decedent in at the time of death:

Type of Custody: Pre-Custodial Use of Force

Specific type of custody/facility:

Specific Type of Custody/Facility:

Custody of Law Enforcement Personnel during/fleeing arrest

What was the time and date of the deceased's entry into the law enforcement facility where the death occurred (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

Entry Date Time:

Entry Date Time N/A: ✓

Where did the death occur?

Death Location: Scene of incident

General Information

Did any other law enforcement agencies respond to calls for service related to this incident?

Other Agencies Respond?: Yes

What were the most serious offense(s) with which the deceased was (or would have been) charged with at the time of death?

Offense 1:

Aggravated Assault DW

Offense 2:

Deadly Conduct

Offense 3:

Were the Charges:: Not filed at time of death

What were the types of charges or reason for contact? (Hold CTRL to select all that apply)

Type of Offense: Violent Crime Against Persons; Medical / Mental Health assistance call

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent display or use a weapon?

Decedent display/use of weapons: Yes, mark all that apply

Decedent Display or Use Weapon Details: Discharged firearm

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Attempt to Injure Others?: Yes (select all that apply)

Attempted to injure law enforcement

Ways Decedent Attempted To Injure Others:	personnel; Attempted to injure civilian(s) or other inmate(s)

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Appear intoxicated (alcohol or drugs):	Unknown	Make suicidal statements?:	Yes
Exhibit any mental health problems?:	Yes	Exhibit any medical problems?:	No

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Barricade self or initiate standoff?:	Yes	Resist being handcuffed or arrested?:	Yes
Physically attempt/assault officer(s):	No	Gain possession of officer's weapon:	No
Verbally threaten other(s) including law:	Yes	Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody:	No
Attempt gain possession officer's weapon:	No		

Was the deceased under restraint in the time leading up to the death or the events causing the death?

Under Restraint:	No

Summary of Incident

Summary of How the Death Occurred: (max. 30,000 characters)

Summary:

Officers summoned to the scene by 911 call reporting suicidal subject armed with a handgun. Among the responding officers was a Crisis Intervention Officer trained as a Crisis Negotiator. The victim's spouse met the officers a distance away from their residence. The spouse reported to officers at the scene that subject was armed with a gun and sending suicidal messages via text to her and friends. Crisis Negotiator attempted contact by telephone, while patrol officers observed the subject's residence from a safe distance. Knowing police were present or on their way, Subject exited house after hanging up on Crisis Negotiators. Subject observed patrol officers approaching the residence from their observation positions. Subject retreated back into the residence and fired a gun, this round exited the structure. For the next half hour, additional patrol

officers, SWAT, Command Staff, Fire/Medical responded to the residential neighborhood to control pedestrian and vehicle traffic. During this response, subject remained in his residence, intermittingly speaking to Crisis Negotiator via telephone and firing as many as 15 shots inside the home, several live rounds exited the home placing officers and public at risk of serious bodily injury or death. Subject threatened to shoot it out with the police and told Crisis Negotiators he was coming outside to confront officers. Subject exited the residence, armed with a 9mm handgun and another spare magazine of ammunition. The subject left his property and walked into the roadway. The subject fired a round into the air. The subject was commanded to drop the weapon and refused, shouting curses at the officers. One officer fired one round from a police rifle. The round struck the subject in the upper torso. The subject stumbled and crawled back towards his residence with the handgun still in his right hand. The subject collapsed in the driveway. A police arrest team moved up to disarm and take the subject into custody. Medical personnel provided care, but subject was pronounced deceased at the scene.