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CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	19-1360-CJ	Version Type:	AMENDED
Report Date:	4/8/2020 8:36 AM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Travis County Sheriff's Dept.	Agency Address:	5555 Airport Blvd.
Agency City:	Austin	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	78751		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Sheriff	Director First Name:	Sally
Director Middle Name:			
Director Last Name:	Hernandez		
Reporter Name:	Inocencio Flores	Reporter Email:	inocencio.flores@traviscountytx.gov

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Anya

Middle Name: Heart

Last Name: Wyne

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 4/14/1979 Sex: Female

Race: Anglo or White

Age At Time Of Death: 40

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 12/17/2019 9:08 AM

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

Death Date and Time: 12/21/2019 9:16 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: Suicide

Medical Cause of Death:

Medical Cause of Death:

Incised Wound of the Neck.

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

Medical Treatment: No

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

Who caused the death?: Decedent

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?: Unknown

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: Unknown

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?

Street Address:	3614 Bill Price Road	City:	Del Valle
County:	Travis	Zip:	78617

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

Location Category:	Law Enforcement Facility

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

Type of Custody:	County Jail

Specific type of custody/facility:

Specific Type of Custody/Facility:
Jail - single cell

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:	12/21/2019 7:47 AM

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 - Family Violence

Offense 2:

Offense 3:

Were the Charges:: Filed

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

Type of Offense: Violent Crime Against Persons

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: Used other weapon, specify:

Specify Weapon Used:

Knife

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)

Ways Decedent Attempted To Injure Others: Injured 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?:	Unknown
Exhibit any mental health problems?:	Yes	Exhibit any medical problems?:	Yes

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

Barricade self or initiate standoff?:	No	Resist being handcuffed or arrested?:	No
Physically attempt/assault officer(s):	No	Gain possession of officer's weapon:	No
Verbally threaten other(s) including law:	Unknown	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:

Decedent was arrested on 12-17-19 for Aggravated Assault-Family Violence against her boyfriend. Prior to law enforcement arriving at the incident scene the decedent used a knife to cut her own neck. The arresting officer reported observing a 3" x 1" laceration on the decedent's neck. The decedent was transported to a medical facility for treatment. Staples were placed on her neck wound. After treatment the decedent was transported to the Travis County Booking facility on 12-17-19. On 12-18-19 the decedent was placed on Full Suicidal Precautions. On 12-20-19 the decedent's status was changed to Open Psych. On 12-21-19 at approximately 07:47 AM the decedent was placed in a one person cell. This cell was located in the Health Services Building at the Travis County Correctional Complex in Del Valle, TX. The last face to face contact with the decedent was some time between 08:00 PM and 08:03 PM on 12-21-19. At approximately 08:32 PM another post visual was conducted. The inmate was found lying on her bunk. There was blood on and around the decedent's neck, her bunk and on the floors, walls and toilet of her cell. Officers and jail nursing staff began CPR and other life saving procedures on the decedent. Austin-Travis County EMS personnel arrived in the facility at approximately 08:45 PM. EMS personnel took over life saving procedures at this time. Death was pronounce at approximately 09:16 PM on 12-21-19. Initial observations show the laceration on decedent's neck had been reopened. The manner how the laceration was reopened is unknown at this time and pending results of the autopsy.

Autopsy results stated the manner of death was suicide and the cause of death was incised wound of the neck.