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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	21-261-PF	Version Type:	AMENDED
Report Date:	8/16/2021 3:16 PM	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:	Derick Cairo	Reporter Email:	derick.cairo@traviscountytx.gov

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Susan

Middle Name: Dee

Last Name: Reddick

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 7/2/1975 Sex: Female

Race: Anglo or White

Age At Time Of Death: 45

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 2/13/2021 10:15 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 2/26/2021 7:34 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: Accidental

Medical Cause of Death:

Medical Cause of Death:

Complications of small bowel perforation due to foreign object ingestion

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?:	Not Applicable

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:	Other, specify
Means of Death Other:	Complications of small bowel perforation due to foreign object ingestion

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?

Street Address: 1500 Red River
City: Austin
County: Travis
Zip: 78701

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

Location Category: Other, specify

Other Location Category:

Dell Seton Medical Center at The University of Texas

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

Type of Custody: Private Facility

Specific type of custody/facility:

Specific Type of Custody/Facility:

Hospital/Infirmary

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: 2/16/2021 4:30 PM

Where did the death occur?

Death Location: Medical facility

General Information

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

Other Agencies Respond?: No

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:

Criminal Trespass

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: Other, specify

Type of Offense, Other:

Decedent was arrested for Criminal Trespass

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: No

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

Attempt to Injure Others?: No

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

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

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:	No	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:

On February 13, 2021, Susan Dee Reddick was arrested for Criminal Trespass and booked into the Travis County Jail, she was housed in the TCJ, 3SA-unit. On February 16, 2021, Reddick experienced a medical emergency and was found lying naked on her cell floor with fecal matter coming from her rectum. Reddick was reportedly breathing but soon became unresponsive. TCJ Officer's, Jail medical staff, AFD and EMS responded and administered CPR, Reddick was resuscitated and transported to the Dell Seton Medal Center.

Upon arriving in the Emergency Room (ER), Reddick was given a CT scan which revealed the cause of her medical emergency was a plastic spoon lodged in her intestines. Reddick underwent a surgery to remove the spoon and multiple surgeries to repair the injuries. Reddick past away on February 26, 2021 while at the Dell Seton Medical Center.

The Travis County Medical Examiner report noted the cause of death was due to complications of small bowel perforation due to foreign object ingestion. The manner of death was Accident.