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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	22-586-CJ	Version Type:	AMENDED
Report Date:	8/9/2022 4:13 PM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Gregg County Sheriff's Dept.	Agency Address:	101 E. Methvin, Suite 559
Agency City:	Longview	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	75601		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Sheriff	Director First Name:	Maxey
Director Middle Name:			
Director Last Name:	Cerliano		
Reporter Name:	Jeff Callaway	Reporter Email:	jeff.callaway@co.gregg.tx.us

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Latoddra

Middle Name: Quenice

Last Name: Pratt

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 12/18/1994

Sex: Female

Race: Black or African American

Age At Time Of Death: 27

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 4/9/2019 1:44 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 5/4/2022 5:03 AM

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:

Death resulted from combined alprazolam, fentanyl and fluoxetine toxicity.

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?: Not applicable

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: Drug overdose

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?

Street Address:	103 W Whaley	City:	Longview
County:	Gregg	Zip:	75601

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 - multiple occupancy 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:	4/9/2019 1:44 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?:	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:

Murder

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: 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):	Unknown	Make suicidal statements?:	No
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:	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:

Inmate Pratt, an inmate in the Gregg County jail since April 9, 2019, was found this date, May, 4, 2022, by fellow inmates in medical distress at about 0230 hours. Jail staff was subsequently summoned to inmate Pratt's cell for the medical emergency. Pratt was in custody for 1122 days at the time of her death, she was awaiting trial for Murder..

Responding staff found Pratt lying on her bunk, having labored breathing. Pratt was unresponsive to verbal and physical stimuli, and her pupils were found to be constricted, and unresponsive to light. Her vital signs were found to be very low, and the decision was made to transport her to Christus Good Shepherd Medical Center by Longview Fire/EMS. Medical staff reported that Pratt was placed on oxygen while awaiting EMS, as her oxygen levels were found to be low. Medical staff stated that she remained unresponsive up to the point they turned her care over to EMS.

At the hospital, Pratt remained unresponsive, and was pronounced dead by an ER Physician at approximately 0503 hours.
The Texas Rangers responded to the hospital to begin the death investigation, and Justice of the Peace B.H. Jameson was notified to begin the inquest.
Pratt was sent for autopsy, final autopsy shows death resulted from combined alprazolam, fentanyl and fluoxetine toxicity. The manner of death is accident.

Pratt has a history of hypertension, depression, and anxiety, no other chronic issues are noted, and Pratt was being medically treated for all of these Pratt was being treated for all issues at the time of death.