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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	24-333-CJ	Version Type:	AMENDED
Report Date:	9/17/2024 3:53 PM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Kerr County Sheriff's Dept.	Agency Address:	400 Clearwater Paseo, Suite 102
Agency City:	Kerrville	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	78028		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Sheriff	Director First Name:	Larry
Director Middle Name:	L		
Director Last Name:	Leitha		
Reporter Name:	Cris Lalonde	Reporter Email:	cris.lalonde@so.kerrcountytx.gov

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Deanetta

Middle Name: Racquel

Last Name: Vincent

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 7/3/1975 Sex: Female

Race: Anglo or White

Age At Time Of Death: 48

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 3/9/2024 9:56 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 3/15/2024 1:44 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:

Hanging

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?:	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:	Hanging, strangulation

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?

Street Address:	400 Clearwater Paseo	City:	Kerrville
County:	Kerr	Zip:	78028

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:	3/9/2024 9:56 PM

Where did the death occur?

Death Location:	Law enforcement facility/booking center

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:

Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon/ F2

Offense 2:

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

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?:	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:

On 03/015/2024 at approximately 12:42 pm, Correction officers and medical staff discovered and responded to Medical Separation Cell 1 regarding a female subject who had completed a suicide attempt between checks using a bed sheet she tied into a ligature device. The ligature was tied around the television bracket attached to the wall. Once the incident was discovered staff entered the cell immediately and conducted lifesaving efforts until EMS arrived and took over medical intervention. The subject was transported to the hospital at 1:03 pm by EMS. Once medical staff exited the cell it was secured as locked by investigators. The subject was in a single cell unit and possibly dealing with withdrawal issues related to drug addiction. The Texas Rangers were contacted and when the subject was pronounced at the hospital the investigation for an in-custody death began. An autopsy was ordered and the results are pending at this time.