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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

# CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

## Agency Information

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| CDR Number: | 26-409-C | Version Type: | ORIGINAL VERSION |
| Report Date: | 5/21/2026 10:29 AM | Status: | Submitted |

### Agency/Facility Information

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| Agency Name: | Fort Worth Police Dept. | Agency Address: | 505 W. Felix St. |
| Agency City: | Fort Worth | Agency State: | TX |
| Agency Zip: | 76115 | | |

### Director Information

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| Director Salutation: | Chief | Director First Name: | Edgardo |
| Director Middle Name: | | | |
| Director Last Name: | Garcia | | |
| Reporter Name: | Coy Bower | Reporter Email: | coy.bower@fortworthtexas.gov |

## Decedent Information

### Identity of Deceased

First Name: Jorge

Middle Name:

Last Name: Contreras

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 12/10/1996 Sex: Male

Race: Hispanic or Latino

Age At Time Of Death: 29

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 5/16/2026 4:43 AM

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

Death Date and Time: 5/16/2026 4:43 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 pending

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

Manner of Death: Homicide (includes Justifiable

Homicide)

## Medical Cause of Death:

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GUNSHOT WOUNDS

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

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| Medical Treatment: | No |

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

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| 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)

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| Type of weapon that caused death?: | Handgun |

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

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| 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?

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| Means of Death: | Firearm |

# Location / Custody Information

## Where did the event causing the death occur?

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| Street Address: | 2601 East Loop 820 Fwy | City: | Fort Worth |
| County: | Tarrant | Zip: | 76112 |

## 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: Police Custody (pre-booking)

## 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?

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| 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 Deadly Weapon (PC 22.02(a)(2)) (13A)

Offense 2:

Offense 3:

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| 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)

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| 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?

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| Decedent display/use of weapons: | Yes, mark all that apply |
| Decedent Display or Use Weapon Details: | Used vehicle as weapon |

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

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

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| Ways Decedent Attempted To Injure Others: | Attempted to injure law enforcement personnel |

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

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| Appear intoxicated (alcohol or drugs): | Unknown | Make suicidal statements?: | Unknown |
| Exhibit any mental health problems?: | Unknown | Exhibit any medical problems?: | Unknown |

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

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| Barricade self or initiate standoff?: | Yes | Resist being handcuffed or arrested?: | Yes |
| Physically attempt/assault officer(s): | Yes | Gain possession of officer's weapon: | Unknown |
| Verbally threaten other(s) including law: | Yes | Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody: | Yes |
| Attempt gain possession officer's weapon: | Yes | | |

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

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| Under Restraint: | No |

## Summary of Incident

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

Summary:

While officers were on the scene of a previous Critical Police Incident officer-involved shooting (CPI OIS), Contreras drove past the location several times. At one point, he drove the wrong direction on the roadway and nearly struck an officer. Officers deployed a tire deflation device in an attempt to stop Contreras' vehicle, but it was ineffective. Officers then pursued the vehicle and received authorization to conduct a Pursuit Intervention Technique (PIT) maneuver, which successfully ended the pursuit.
Sergeant Green and several other officers approached the vehicle. Sergeant Green went to the driver's side window and commanded Contreras to show his hands. Instead of complying, Contreras appeared to search

for something inside the vehicle while saying, “I’m gonna do it. I’m gonna fucking shoot you.” Contreras then grabbed Sergeant Green’s handgun and a round was discharged. Four other officers subsequently discharged their handguns.
Officers intended to provide medical aid to Contreras but did not do so because of the extent of his injuries.