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ATTORNEY GENERAL *of* TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number: 17-410-UF

Version Type: ORIGINAL
VERSION

Report Date: 8/15/2017 4:31 PM

Status: Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name: Arlington Police
Dept.

Agency Address: 620 W. Division St.

Agency City: Arlington

Agency State: TX

Agency Zip: 76011

Director Information

Director Salutation: Chief

Director First Name: Will

Director Middle Name:

Director Last Name: Johnson

Reporter Name: Curtis Petties

Reporter Email: curtis.petties@arlingtontx.gov

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Keith

Middle Name: Allynn

Last Name: Wade

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 3/14/1994

Sex: Male

Race: Anglo or White

Age At Time Of Death: 23

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

Date/Time of Custody or
Incident: 7/15/2017 4:00 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 7/15/2017 5:00 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
pending

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

Manner of Death: Homicide (includes
Justifiable
Homicide)

Medical Cause of Death:

Medical Cause of Death:

Pending

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?: Law
enforcement/correctional
personnel

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?: Rifle/shotgun

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: Firearm

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?

Street Address: 3806 Shady Valley

City: Arlington

County: Tarrant

Zip: 76013

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

Location Category: Other, specify

Other Location Category:

Driveway of 3rd party residence

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

Type of Custody: Pre-Custodial Use
of Force

Specific type of custody/facility:

Specific Type of Custody/Facility:

N/A

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?

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 with a deadly weapon

Offense 2:

Aggravated Assault Against a Public Servant (x3)

Offense 3:

Aggravated Robbery

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: Yes, mark all that apply

Decedent Display or Use Weapon Details: Displayed firearm without discharge

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?:	Yes
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?:	Yes	Resist being handcuffed or arrested?:	No
Physically attempt/assault officer(s):	Yes	Gain possession of officer's weapon:	No
Verbally threaten other(s) including law:	No	Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody:	Yes
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 Saturday, July 15, 2017, Officers responded to an emergency domestic disturbance at an apartment complex. Prior to the officers' arrival, the call text indicated that Keith Wade had pulled a gun and knife on his brother. The call text also mentioned that Wade had mental health issues and was currently off his medication. Officers made contact with Wade inside of his apartment. Officers instructed Wade to come out, but he refused. Wade continually told officers to kill him. Wade pointed his gun at officers several times and put on a ballistic plate carrier/vest. Wade was able to flee through a vacant apartment. Wade carjacked a vehicle which later crashed. Wade then fled on foot while still wearing a ballistic plate carrier and carrying a handgun. Officers came into contact with Wade again in the driveway of 3806 Shady Valley Drive, Arlington, Texas. Wade went closer to one of the officers while holding a gun in his hand in a shooter's grip and refused to drop the weapon despite law enforcement commands. The Officer, concerned for his safety, the safety of other officers, and the safety of innocent citizens, fired one round at Wade.

