CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number: 22-708-CJ
Report Date: 3/27/2023 5:07 AM

Version Type: AMENDED
Status: Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name: Harris County Sheriff's Dept.
Agency Address: 1200 Baker Street
Agency City: Houston
Agency State: TX
Agency Zip: 77002

Director Information

Director Salutation: Sheriff
Director First Name: Ed
Director Middle Name:
Director Last Name: Gonzalez
Report Name: Jeffery Vickery
Report Email: jeffery.vickery@sheriff.hctx.net

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

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First Name: Kristan
Middle Name: Nicole
Last Name: Smith
Suffix:
Date of Birth: 10/1/1983
Sex: Female
Race: Black or African American
Age At Time Of Death: 38

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 4/27/2022 7:17 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 5/28/2022 5:18 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: Natural
Medical Cause of Death:

Systemic candidiasis complicating diabetes mellitus

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

Medical Treatment: Unknown

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?: Could not be determined

If death was an accident, homicide or suicide, what was the means of death?

Means of Death: Not applicable, cause of death was illness/natural cause

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?
Street Address: 1200 Baker St
City: Houston
County: Harris
Zip: 77002

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: 4/27/2022 7:17 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:
Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon

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
Exhibit any mental health problems?: Unknown
Make suicidal statements?: Unknown
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
Physically attempt/assault officer(s): No
Resist being handcuffed or arrested?: No
Gain possession of officer’s weapon: No
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<th>Verbally threaten other(s) including law:</th>
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<td>Attempt gain possession officer's weapon:</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody:</td>
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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)

On April 27, 2022, the decedent was arrested and booked into the Harris County Jail. On May 20, 2022, inmates informed an officer, the decedent was unresponsive in her bunk. Officers and medical staff responded, started CPR, and transported the decedent to the clinic. Houston Fire Department paramedics arrived, assumed life-saving measures, and transported the decedent to Ben Taub Hospital. On May 28, 2022, a medical doctor pronounced death.