Form NPS-4A (Addendum)



DEATHS IN CUSTODY—2017 STATE PRISON INMATE DEATH REPORT

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE BUREAU OF JUSTICE STATISTICS AND ACTING AS COLLECTION AGENT: RTI INTERNATIONAL

FORM	COMPL	ETED	BY:
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Name			Title	
Official Address			Telephone	
City	1		FAX	
State	Zip	E-mail	1	

Instructions for Completion

If no deaths occurred in 2017:

- You will not need to report anything at this time.
- At the beginning of 2018, you will be asked to complete a summary form whether or not you had a death occurrence in 2017.

If you had more than one death in 2017:

- · Make copies of this form for each additional death.
- · Complete the entire form for each inmate death.
- Once your death records are complete, there are several ways to submit a death report:

ONLINE: Complete the report online at: https://bjsdcrp.rti.org

E-MAIL: bjsdcrp@rti.org

FAX (TOLL-FREE): (866) 800-9179

MAIL: RTI International, Attn: Data Capture

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If you need assistance, call Matt Bensen of RTI International toll-free at (800) 344-1387 or bisdcrp@rti.org

What deaths should be reported?

INCLUDE deaths of ALL persons...

- Confined in your correctional facilities, whether housed under your jurisdiction or that of another state
- Under your jurisdiction but housed in private correctional facilities, whether located in or out of state
- Under your jurisdiction but in special facilities (e.g., medical/treatment/release centers, halfway houses, police/court lockups, or work farms)
- In transit to or from your facilities while under your supervision

EXCLUDE deaths of ALL persons...

- Executed in your state
- Confined in local jail facilities, whether located in or out of state
- Under your jurisdiction but housed in a state-operated correctional facility in another state or in a federal facility
- Under probation or parole supervision in your state
- Under your jurisdiction but on AWOL or escape-status at the time of death

BURDEN STATEMENT

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act, we cannot ask you to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The burden of this collection is estimated to average 30 minutes per each reported death, including reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering necessary data, and completing and reviewing this form. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any aspect of this survey, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the Director, Bureau of Justice Statistics, 810 Seventh Street, NW, Washington, DC 20531. Do not send your completed form to this address.

STATE PRISON INMATE DEATH REPORT

	STATE PRISON INMA	ATE DEATH REPORT
1.	What was the inmate's name? Godfrey Jeffery D LAST FIRST MI	8. On what date was the inmate admitted to one of your correctional facilities? 0 6 1 5 2 0 1 6 MONTH DAY YEAR
 3. 	On what date did the inmate die? 0 4 0 2 2 0 1 7 MONTH DAY YEAR What was the name and location of the correctional facility involved? Facility Name: Webster Parish Jail Facility City: Minden Facility State: LA What was the inmate's date of birth? 1 1 0 2 1 9 8 3	9. For what offense(s) was the inmate being held? a. Second Degree Murder b
5 .	What was the inmate's sex? ☑ Male ☐ Female Was the inmate of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin? ☐ Yes ☑ No	11. Where did the inmate die? ☐ In a general housing unit in the facility or in a general housing unit on prison grounds ☐ In a segregation unit ☐ In a special medical unit/infirmary within your facility ☐ In a special mental health services unit within your facility ☐ In a medical center outside your facility ☐ In a mental health center outside your facility ☐ While in transit ☐ Elsewhere ☐ Please Specify:
7.	In addition, what was the inmate's race? Please select one or more of the following racial categories: White Black or African American American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander Some other race Please Specify:	

2. Are the results of a medical examiner's or coroner's evaluation (such as an autopsy, postmortem exam, or review of medical records) available to establish an official cause of death?
YES CONTINUE TO Q13
Evaluation complete—results are pending
SKIP REMAINING QUESTIONS AND SUBMIT THIS FORM—YOU WILL BE CONTACTED AT A LATER TIME FOR THE CAUSE OF DEATH
□ No evaluation is planned → CONTINUE TO Q13
13. What was the cause of death? *** Please SPECIFY cause of death—it is critical information***
✓ Illness—Exclude AIDS-related deaths [Specify] — na
Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS)
☐ Accidental alcohol/drug intoxication [Describe] →
☐ Accidental injury to self [Describe] →
Accidental injury by other (e.g., vehicular accidents during transport) [Describe]
Suicide (e.g., hanging, knife/cutting instrument, intentional drug overdose) [Describe]
☐ Homicide [Describe] — →
Other cause(s) [Specify]
14. Where did the incident (e.g., accident, suicide, or homicide) causing the death take place?
NOT APPLICABLE—Cause of death was illness, intoxication, or AIDS-related
☐ In the prison facility or on the prison grounds ☐ ☐ In the inmate's cell/room
☐ In a temporary holding area/lockup
In a common area within the facility (e.g., yard, library, cafeteria) In a special medical unit/infirmary
SPECIFY
☐ In a segregation unit ☐ On death row, special unit awaiting capital punishment
Elsewhere within the prison facility
Please Specify:
Outside the prison facility (e.g., while on work release or on work detail)
Elsewhere
Please Specify:
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15. When did the incident (e.g., accident, suicide, or homicide) causing the death occur?
NOT APPLICABLE—Cause of death was illness, intoxication, or AIDS-related
Morning (6 am to Noon)
Afternoon (Noon to 6 pm) Evening (6 pm to Midnight)
Overnight (Midnight to 6 am)

16. Excluservi	uding emergency care provided at the time of dea ces for the medical condition that caused his/her	th, did th death aft	e inmate er admi:	receive any of s ssion to your co	the following medical rectional facilities?
٥	NOT APPLICABLE—Cause of death was accidenta	al injury, ir	ntoxicatio	n, suicide, or hor	nicide
		YES	NO	DON'T KNOW	
	a. Evaluated by physician/medical staff				PLEASE PROVIDE A
	b. Diagnostic tests (e.g., X-rays, MRI)				RESPONSE FOR EACH ITEM (a-f)
	d. Treatment/care other than medications				
	e. Surgery			⊡	
	f. Confinement in special medical unit			V	
after	the cause of death the result of a pre-existing me admission? (If multiple conditions caused the de	dical con	dition o	r did the inmate e conditions we	develop the condition re pre-existing, mark
"Pre-	existing medical condition.")				
0	NOT APPLICABLE—Cause of death was accidented	al injury, ii	ntoxicatio	on, suicide, or hor	nicide
	Pre-existing medical condition Deceased developed condition after admission Could not be determined				
Please ad	d any additional notes regarding this death here:				
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