Record of Death

Provided by LA Department of Public Safety and Corrections (DPSC)
on 01/09/2025

Name: Lawrence Hunter

DOC #: 124243

Race / Ethnicity: Black or African American / Not of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Origin

Gender: Male

Age: 62

Date of Birth: 2/9/1962

First Admission Date to DOC: 12/13/1988

Sentence: 80 years

Facility / Housing Unit: Local / Natchitoches Parish Detention Center (*not TWP) / Dorm J

Date of Death: 5/28/2024

Time of Death: 5:33:00 PM

Manner of Death (LCLE): Natural Causes

Manner of Death (DOC): Heart -any type of heart related death including cardiopulmona ry arrest

Expected / Unexpected: Unexpected

Autopsy Required: Yes

Admission Date to Last Facility: 8/16/2017

Name of Last Facility: ALC

Physical Location: In a general housing unit in the facility or on prison ground

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Incarceration Transparency Project Notes (not included in DPSC Record):

- Local facility name confirmed by telephone with Natchitoches Parish Detention Center 2/20/25

- *Name of Last Facility = facility prior to facility at time of death*
- *State Facility Codes:*
  - *ALC: Allen Correctional Center*
  - *EHCC: Elayn Hunt Correctional Center*
  - *LCIW: Louisiana Correctional Institute for Women*
  - *LSP: Louisiana State Penitentiary*
  - *DCI: Dixon Correctional Institute*
  - *DWCC: David Wade Correctional Center*
  - *RCC: B.B. Rayburn Correctional Center*
  - *RLCC: Raymond Laborde Correctional Center*

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CORONER'S REPORT

(pursuant to R.S. 44:19 (E)(3))

I, Steven M. Enlow Clanton, CORONER FOR THE PARISH OF NATCHITOCHES, certify the following report of death:

REPORTED NAME OF DECEASED:	Hunter, Lawrence C.
ADDRESS:	[redacted]
SEX:	Male
DATE AT BIRTH:	Feb 09, 1962
AGE AT DEATH:	62 years 3 months 19 days
RACE:	African American / Black
DATE AND TIME OF DEATH:	May 28, 2024 at 17:33
PLACE OF DEATH:	Natchitoches Regional Medical Center 501 Keyser Avenue Natchitoches LA, 71457
DATE AND TIME OF AUTOPSY:	May 29, 2024 at 11:45
CAUSE(S) OF DEATH:	Bilateral Pneumonia with deep aspiration of gastric contents; Small Bowel Ileus; Sigmoid Volvulus with Obstruction with subsequent repair
MANNER OF DEATH:	Natural

STEVEN M. ENLOW CLANTON
CORONER, NATCHITOCHES PARISH

DATE: **May 21, 2025**

R.S. 44:19 (E)(3)

(3) A coroner's report is a document that includes the name of the decedent, address, sex, date of birth, age, and race of the decedent, date and time of death, place of death, date and time of autopsy, when applicable, and the cause and manner of death, including any scientifically contributing factors. The coroner's report is a public record, and the coroner or his designee shall release this report to the news media, any other person, the Department of Children and Family Services, when appropriate, the spouse, parent, sibling, child, grandchild, niece, nephew, aunt, or uncle of the decedent, or to the person with the right to control and authorize the interment of the decedent as provided in R.S. 8:655(A). However, nothing in this Paragraph shall authorize the release of the information set forth in this Paragraph prior to notification of the next of kin of the deceased unless no next of kin can be determined or, despite reasonable efforts by the coroner's office, no next of kin can be located. The provisions of this Paragraph shall not require the release of information in non-coroner cases, nor shall it prohibit the coroner from releasing information pursuant to R.S. 13:5713 or Children's Code Article 609 to the Department of Children and Family Services.