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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	24-1412-UF	Version Type:	AMENDED
Report Date:	4/28/2025 2:16 PM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Guadalupe County Sheriff's Office	Agency Address:	2617 N. Guadalupe
Agency City:	Seguin	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	78155		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Sheriff	Director First Name:	Joshua
Director Middle Name:			
Director Last Name:	Ray		
Reporter Name:	Tarinna Skrzycki	Reporter Email:	tarinna.skrzycki@co.guadalupe.tx.us

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name:	Kenneth
Middle Name:	Ray
Last Name:	Grimm
Suffix:	
Date of Birth:	5/26/1947
Sex:	Male
Race:	Anglo or White
Age At Time Of Death:	77

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident:	8/27/2024 7:51 PM

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

Death Date and Time:	8/27/2024 8:43 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:	Homicide (includes Justifiable Homicide)

Medical Cause of Death:

Medical Cause of Death:

gunshot wounds

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?:	Handgun

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:	114 Nogal	City:	Seguin
County:	Guadalupe	Zip:	78155

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

Location Category: Residence/Home

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 Family Violence

Offense 2:

Offense 3:

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: Used other weapon, specify:

Specify Weapon Used:

knife

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

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

Attempted to injure law enforcement

Ways Decedent Attempted To Injure Others:	personnel; Attempted to injure civilian(s) or other inmate(s)

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?:	Unknown
Exhibit any mental health problems?:	Yes	Exhibit any medical problems?:	Unknown

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

Barricade self or initiate standoff?:	No	Resist being handcuffed or arrested?:	N/A
Physically attempt/assault officer(s):	Yes	Gain possession of officer's weapon:	No
Verbally threaten other(s) including law:	Yes	Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody:	No
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 08/27/24, at 7:51 PM, deputies were dispatched to 114 Nogal for an elderly male with dementia and early onset Alzheimer's disease swinging a frying pan at people in the residence. The deputy arrived and near the garage, the elderly man pulled a knife and motioned like he was going to cut a female who ran by the deputy. The deputy told the elderly man to put the knife down several times, but the elderly man continued toward the deputy. The deputy fired his handgun. Other deputies arrived on the scene and EMS attempted life-saving measures, but the time of death was called at 8:43 PM.