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CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number: 25-612-UF

Version Type: AMENDED

Report Date: 8/11/2025 10:45
AM

Status: Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name: Houston Police
Dept.

Agency Address: 1200 Travis, 16th
Floor

Agency City: Houston

Agency State: TX

Agency Zip: 77002

Director Information

Director Salutation: Chief

Director First Name: J. Noe

Director Middle Name:

Director Last Name: Diaz

Reporter Name: Angeline Grimes

Reporter Email: angeline.grimes@houstonpolice.org

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Sharla

Middle Name: Rene

Last Name: Dalbosco

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 9/26/1985

Sex: Female

Race: Anglo or White

Age At Time Of Death: 39

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

Date/Time of Custody or
Incident: 7/8/2025 9:00 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 7/9/2025 6:15 AM

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 wound of the chest

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: 1652 W. 13th Street

City: Houston

County: Harris

Zip: 77008

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:

Custody of Law Enforcement Personnel during/fleeing arrest

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?: No

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:

Agg. Assault Peace Officer

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: Other, specify

Type of Offense, Other:

Disturbance with Center Point employee

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?: Yes (select all that apply)

Ways Decedent Attempted To Attempted to injure law enforcement

Injure Others: personnel

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

Appear intoxicated (alcohol or drugs): Yes

Make suicidal statements?: Unknown

Exhibit any mental health problems?: Yes

Exhibit any medical problems?: No

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?: Yes

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 Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at approximately 1900 hours, Center Point Energy (CPE) employees were responding to a reported gas leak in the 1600 block of W. 13th Street when a female resident at 1652 W. 13th Street later identified as Sharla Rene Dalbosco (decedent) began harassing them and calling them derogatory terms. A CPE employee contacted 911.

Houston Police Department's Central Patrol Officers (HPD) responded to the disturbance, arrived at approximately 2100 hours, spoke to the CPD employees and learned what had occurred. HPD officers attempted to make contact with the decedent, who had barricaded herself inside her residence, donning what appeared to be a tan body armor, and displayed a handgun through a second-floor window. Officers established a perimeter around the residence and called for more units. While maintaining perimeter security, the officers, through the same window, observed the suspect produced a rifle, charging the weapon to load a round into the chamber, and pointed at the officers. The officers contacted Harris County District Attorney's

Office rand obtained an arrest warrant for Aggrvated Assault Against a Peace Officer.

HPD Special Weapon and Tactics (SWAT) and Hostage Negotiation Team (NHT) officers were contacted and responded to the scene. On July 9, 2025, after many hours and numerous attempts to negotiate a safe surrender, the suspect pointed the rifle at the officers and was shot by a SWAT officer. The decedent was pronounced deceased at 0615 hours. No officers were injured during this incident. The cause of death was determined to be due to gunshot wound of the chest. Manner of death was determined to be due to Homicide.