

In-Custody Inmate Death

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(Sheriff Al Cannon Detention Center, SC) Shortly after 10:00 this morning, detention deputies reported an unresponsive inmate at the detention center. After life-saving attempts by medical staff, the inmate was pronounced deceased inside the facility. The Coroner's Office responded to the detention center. Per protocol, the Sheriff's Office notified the State Law Enforcement Division to conduct an investigation into the matter. Also per policy, the Sheriff's Office (Office of Professional Standards) is conducting an internal administrative investigation into the matter, and has placed two detention deputies on administrative leave with pay.

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