

U. S. Department of Justice Federal Bureau of Prisons United States Penitentiary Beaumont, Texas

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Death at USP Beaumont

BEAUMONT, TX: On Sunday, November 16, 2025, at approximately 4:30 p.m., Jesse Daniel Williams, III, was found unresponsive at the United States Penitentiary (USP) Beaumont in Beaumont, Texas.

Responding employees initiated life-saving measures. Emergency medical services (EMS) were requested while life-saving efforts continued. Mr. Williams was transported by EMS to a local hospital and was subsequently pronounced deceased by hospital personnel.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation was notified.

No employees or other incarcerated individuals were injured and at no time was the public in danger.

Mr. Williams was a 46-year-old male who was sentenced in the Western District of Michigan to a 360-month sentence for Possession with Intent to Distribute less than 500 grams of Cocaine, Possession with Intent to Distribute 500 grams or more of Cocaine, and Maintaining a Drug Involved Premises. He had been in custody at USP Beaumont since January 11, 2024.

USP Beaumont is a high security facility.

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