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Federal Correctional Institution  
Jesup, Georgia

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### **Death at FCI Jesup**

JESUP, GA: On Tuesday, February 24, 2026, at approximately 5:30 a.m., Julius Leroy Harrison was found unresponsive at the Federal Correctional Institution (FCI) Jesup in Jesup, Georgia.

Responding employees initiated life-saving measures. Emergency medical services (EMS) were requested while life-saving efforts continued. Mr. Harrison was transported by EMS to a local hospital and subsequently, on Thursday, February 26, 2026, he was 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. Harrison was a 66-year-old male who was sentenced in the Northern District of Georgia to an aggregate 420-month sentence for Armed Bank Robbery, Use of a Firearm During and in Relation to a Crime of Violence, and Felon in Possession of a Firearm. He had been in custody at FCI Jesup since August 30, 2024.

FCI Jesup is a medium security facility.

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