



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

For Immediate Release
April 1, 2026

Contact: J. Rosa
Public Information Officer
(409) 727-8188

Death at USP Beaumont

BEAUMONT, TX: On April 1, 2026, at approximately 1:00 p.m., employees responded to multiple incarcerated individuals fighting at the United States Penitentiary (USP) Beaumont in Beaumont, Texas.

Responding employees isolated and contained the incident and initiated life-saving measures. Emergency medical services (EMS) were requested while life-saving efforts continued.

Mr. Larnie Brewer was transported by EMS to a local hospital and was subsequently pronounced deceased by hospital personnel.

A second individual was medically assessed and treated for minor injuries at the facility.

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. Brewer was a 53-year-old male who was sentenced in the Northern District of Illinois to a 68-month sentence for Bank Robbery. He had been in custody at USP Beaumont since April 9, 2025.

Visitors should check the local institution's public website here <https://www.bop.gov/locations/institutions/bmp/> for any updates on visitation.

USP Beaumont is a high security facility.

Additional information about the Federal Bureau of Prisons can be found at www.bop.gov.

###