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## **Inmate Death at FDC Miami**

WASHINGTON, D.C.: On Monday, June 22, 2020, inmate Ivan Gonzalez Ramirez was transported to the local hospital from the Federal Detention Center (FDC) Miami, in Miami, Florida, due to shortness of breath. While at the hospital, Mr. Gonzalez Ramirez tested positive for COVID-19. On Sunday, June 28, 2020, Mr. Gonzalez Ramirez, who had long-term, pre-existing medical conditions, which the CDC lists as risk factors for developing more severe COVID-19 disease, was pronounced dead by hospital staff.

Mr. Gonzalez Ramirez was a 68-year-old male, pre-trial inmate, awaiting trial for Possession with Intent to Distribute Cocaine. He had been in custody at FDC Miami pending trial since April 3, 2020.

FDC Miami is an administrative security facility that currently houses 1085 male and female offenders.

The Bureau of Prisons will continue to provide daily updates and information on actions related to COVID-19 at <a href="https://www.bop.gov/coronavirus/index.jsp">www.bop.gov/coronavirus/index.jsp</a>.

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