Maricopa County (Arizona) Public Records Act Request

The following information was received in response to a public records request from Lives Cut Short to the Maricopa County Office of the Medical Examiner. Records were received on February 19, 2025. Please note that text was copied exactly as it was presented in what was shared with us even if it appears there was minor text extraction error (e.g., “admit. ”).

Case Number:	2022-08165
Decedent’s Name:	Babygirl Monroy
Victim Age:	0 years
Sex:	Female
Ethnicity:	No Hispanic or Latino
Race:	White
Date of Death:	8/3/2022
Cause of Death:	Complications of prematurity in the setting of congenital syphilis and maternal drug use::::
Manner of Death:	Undetermined
Submanner:	Other

Preliminary Circumstances: This 1-day-old Caucasian female was delivered at 32 weeks gestation with enlarged organs. The decedent was found to be in multi-organ failure, and was pronounced deceased in the intensive care unit one day later. The decedent's mother received no prenatal care and was found to be positive for syphilis, methamphetamines, amphetamines, fentanyl and marijuana upon arrival to the hospital prior to delivery. Jurisdiction is accepted as an admit.