Child Fatality Report Release of Information to the Public

Person ID: 117896827

County of Child's Residence: BEXAR

Gender: Male

Age: 9 Year(s) 9 Month(s)

Date of Death: 09/03/2025

On the date of the fatality, the child was not in DFPS conservatorship and was living with the child's parent, a managing conservator, a legal guardian or other person entititled to the child's possession.

Child's Name: Ehanire,David

Current Report(s) of Abuse/Neglect:

Intake Date(s): 09/04/2025

Summary of Allegation(s)/Investigation:

The Department received a report after law enforcement responded to a disturbance call on 09/03/2025 around 5:00am. The deceased child's father had returned from work around 4:30am and as he was changing heard the deceased child's mother screaming in the bedroom and the door was locked. Once the father was able to get into the room, he found the deceased child's mother had stabbed the deceased child with a knife and was stabbing herself. The deceased child was taken to the hospital and pronounced deceased.

The Department's investigation determined that the mother had stabbed the deceased child multiple times. The father reported that he heard sounds of a disturbance coming from one of the bedrooms and then heard the deceased child start screaming. Finding the door locked, the father forced his way into the room and found the deceased child's mother on top of the deceased child stabbing him with a knife. The father was able to gain control of the knife and stop the mother from inflicting further injury and held the mother until law enforcement arrived. The deceased child was transported to the emergency room for his stab wounds but was pronounced dead a short time after his arrival. The mother had also stabbed herself and was treated for non-life-threatening wounds prior to being arrested. The deceased child's father did not discuss the incident or comment on anything that may have been going on with the deceased child's mother prior to the incident and indicated the Department could review the police report. The deceased child's mother did agree to an interview and reported she and the deceased child had very little contact with the father for several months, she had no access to their bank account, and the deceased child's father did not participate in activities with the deceased child. She would not discuss the incident that led to her child's death.

The medical examiner completed an autopsy, and preliminary findings indicated cause of death was sharp force injuries of the neck and torso and manner of death was homicide.

Law enforcement conducted an investigation, and the deceased child's mother was charged and arrested for Capital Murder of a Child.

Investigation Findings:

The Department confirmed the deceased child's mother committed physical abuse of the deceased child, which led to his death.

Safety and Risk Assessments not required per policy as only child died.

Safety and Risk Assessment Factors Identified:

Case Action:

Only child died

Services and Referrals Provided to the Family:

Counseling and Evaluation

Other Services:

The deceased child's father was offered counseling services and referrals but declined.

Other Actions Taken to Mitigate Risk:

Not applicable.

If one or more children were previously removed from the home, for each conservatorship episode, summarize dates of conservatorship and type of placement at the end of conservatorship:

Not applicable.

Other Previous Report of Abuse/Neglect:

Intake Date(s):

Summary of Previous Allegation(s)/Investigation:

Investigation Findings:

Safety and Risk Assessment Factors Identified:

Case Action:

Services and Referrals Provided to the Family:

Other Services:

Other Actions Taken to Mitigate Risk:

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