



U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Detainee Death Report: Juan Francisco, Carlos

General Demographic/Background Information

- **Date of Birth:** December 3, 1981
- **Date of Death:** December 4, 2023
- **Age:** 42
- **Gender:** Male
- **Country of Citizenship:** Guatemala
- **Marital Status:** N/A
- **Children:** N/A

Immigration History

- On an unknown date and place, Mr. Juan Francisco entered the United States without an immigration official inspection or parole.
- On September 19, 2023, ERO Miami encountered Mr. Juan Francisco at the Lee County Jail (LCJ). ERO Miami lodged an Immigration Detainer Notice of Action, Form I-247A with LCJ.
- On November 22, 2023, LCJ officials released Mr. Francisco to ERO Miami, and ERO detained Mr. Juan Francisco at Krome Service Processing Center (KSPC).

Criminal History

- Between January 4, 1999, and October 9, 2023, the Twentieth Judicial Circuit Court of Lee County (TJCC), located in Ft. Myers, FL, convicted Mr. Juan Francisco with crimes ranging from burglary to aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, and sentenced him to a combined, nonconsecutive incarceration equaling approximately 40 months at Lee County Jail (LCJ).

Medical History

On November 23, 2023, Mr. Juan Francisco's intake screening was completed by a registered nurse (RN) with no abnormalities or medical issues noted and documented normal vital signs. Review of Mr. Juan Francisco's Collier County (CC) transfer summary showed no medical issues identified while in CC custody. Mr. Juan Francisco also denied any current or past medical or mental health history and was cleared for general population (GP) placement.

On November 27, 2023, during sick call, an RN evaluated Mr. Juan Francisco for a complaint of headaches for two days, rated at 5 out of 10. The RN documented a normal assessment and vital signs, provided Mr. Juan Francisco a one-time dose of 400 milligrams (mg) of ibuprofen, per clinical nursing guidelines (CNG), and cleared him to return to GP.

On November 29, 2023, during sick call, an RN evaluated Mr. Juan Francisco for a complaint of a 5 out 10 headache, documented a normal assessment and vital signs, and described Mr. Juan Francisco's appearance as uncomfortable due to pain. The RN provided Mr. Juan Francisco a one-time dose of 325



mg acetaminophen, per CNG, monitored him for 30 minutes, and cleared him to return to GP following self-reported improvement.

- **On this same date**, during an emergency response, an advanced practice provider (APP) urgently evaluated Mr. Juan Francisco for a complaint of an 8/10 throbbing headache located on the right side of his head and radiating to his right eye. The APP documented Mr. Juan Francisco self-reported experiencing headaches relieved with pain medicine months before his detention. The APP noted a normal assessment and vital signs and ordered 250-250-65 mg aspirin-acetaminophen-caffeine, two tablets, by mouth, daily as needed (PRN), and 800 mg ibuprofen, twice daily PRN. The APP provided Mr. Juan Francisco a dose of ibuprofen and an ice pack, monitored him for an hour, and cleared him to return to GP after he self-reported no headaches.

On December 2, 2023, at approximately 8:09 a.m., during an emergency response, an APP urgently evaluated Mr. Juan Francisco for complaints of an 8 out of 10 headache, body aches, and nausea with vomiting, and documented normal vital signs. Mr. Juan Francisco reported intermittent headaches for the past two months, now described as frequent for the past four to five days and denied head trauma. The APP noted Mr. Juan Francisco was awake, alert, and oriented, and provided him a lower bunk pass, a one-time dose of 650 mg acetaminophen, and an antacid. The APP encouraged Mr. Juan Francisco to increase his fluid intake, monitored him for approximately one hour, and cleared him to return to GP following self-reported improvement of nausea and headache.

- **At approximately 12:45 p.m.**, an APP evaluated Mr. Juan Francisco for complaints of an 8 out of 10 headache, nausea, and vomiting. The APP documented normal vital signs, except a low heart rate, ordered a clear liquid diet, administered a one-time dose of nausea medicine, and admitted Mr. Juan Francisco to the medical housing unit for close monitoring.
- **At approximately 4:19 p.m.**, an RN noted Mr. Juan Francisco vomited his lunch and dinner and complained of epigastric pain. The RN documented normal vital signs, except an elevated blood pressure, and a slow heart rate. The RN noted an APP referred Mr. Juan Francisco to Larkin Community Hospital (LCH) for a higher-level evaluation via ambulance.
- **Later that evening**, Mr. Juan Francisco was diagnosed with atraumatic subdural hematoma and admitted to the intensive care unit.

On December 3, 2023, an LCH physician documented follow-up imaging showed new bleeding in the brain stem and consulted with a neurosurgeon who did not pursue any further intervention due to worsening bleeding. The neurosurgeon recommended terminally extubating Mr. Juan Francisco.

On December 4, 2023, an LCH physician pronounced Mr. Juan Francisco deceased.