

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT Sheriff Kevin McMahill

# Clark County Detention Center Facilities Biannual Report on In-Custody Deaths

**Deputy Chief Fred Haas** 

**Detention Services Division** 

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## **Detention Services Division**

- Vision: To be the safest jail in America.
- Mission: To set the standard for American jails.
- Values: Integrity, Courage, Accountability, Respect, Excellence



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# CCDC/NVC Booking and Housing

- 2023 Total Bookings 07/01/2023 12/31/2023: 29,151
- 2023 Average Length of Stay 07/01/2023 12/31/2023 : 18
- 2023 Average Daily Population 07/01/2023 12/31/2023 : 2,914



# Conditions of Confinement—County Jail

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# NRS 211.030 Sheriff is custodian of jail: appointment and compensation of jailer; report of death of prisoner; <u>biannual report regarding deaths of prisoners.</u>

- 1. The sheriff is the custodian of the jail in his or her county, and of the prisoners therein, and shall keep the jail personally, or by his or her deputy, or by a jailer or jailers appointed by the sheriff for that purpose, for whose acts the sheriff is responsible.
- 2. All jailers employed or appointed by the sheriff are entitled to receive a fair and adequate monthly compensation, to be paid out of the county treasury, for their services.
- 3. Not later than 48 hours after the death of a prisoner in the county jail or any branch county jail in his or her county, the sheriff shall report the death to the board of county commissioners. The report must include, without limitation, basic demographics.
- 4. The sheriff shall submit to the board a biannual report that contains aggregated data similar to the information submitted pursuant to the Death in Custody Reporting Act of 2013, Public Law 113-242, concerning the deaths of prisoners in the county jail and any branch county jail in his or her county during the immediately preceding 6 months and the circumstances surrounding any such deaths.



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### In-Custody Deaths: Current Reporting Period

• Total Deaths 07/01/2023 – 12/31/2023:

- Male- 8 Female- 0
- Hospital- 7 CCDC- 1
- Pending Coroner's Report- 4 Suicide- 0



### CCDC Accreditations

- National Commission on Mental Health Care (NCCHC)
  - Currently accredited by NCCHC for medical services.
  - Specialized mental health accreditation received March 2021.
  - Full facility re-accreditation medical survey & audit September 2021 projected for reaccreditation in December 2024.



# DSD C.A.R.E.S. Program

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The DSD CARES (Connecting Access to Resources for Entering Society) Program provides re-entry services for those preparing to re-enter the community after incarceration.

- Clark County Social Services partnership.
- Total inmate participants 07/01/2023 12/31/2023 = 645



# Detention Services Division - Initiatives

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### • Mental Health Unit

- American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding
- 60-bed jail-based mental health program within a single module
- Wellpath Recovery Services (WRS) would provide the mental health treatment program while the County would provide space for the program.
- Assumption that no psychological evaluations or competency evaluations are complete by WRS.



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- Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT) programming
  - Partnering with Wellpath to provide MAT program.
  - Inmates self-admit to get into the program. They would receive one of three FDA-approved treatments.
  - Discharge plan would be determined at the beginning of treatment.
  - February 1, 2024, program start.



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- Signs of Life bracelet monitoring
  - Program implemented June 2023
  - Detox protocol inmates' vitals are monitored



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- South Tower Renovation
  - Demolition started 01/16/2024