Death of JTVCC Inmate after Lengthy non-COVID Illnesses

Smyrna - On Monday, May 4, 2020, Timothy B. Harr, a 72-year-old inmate housed at the James T. Vaughn Correctional Center (JTVCC) passed away at Bayhealth Hospital, Kent Campus from non-COVID complications of diabetes, hypertension and multiple prior strokes.

Harr had been receiving treatment at Bayhealth Hospital, Kent Campus since April 20, 2020. COVID-19 testing was conducted as part of routine hospital procedure after he was admitted. The test results were negative.

Harr was pronounced dead at 6:40 p.m.

Harr, of Seneca, Pennsylvania, was serving two life sentences for 1st Degree Rape.

His body was released to the Delaware Division of Forensic Science to determine cause of death.

If you are a crime victim in need of assistance, you are encouraged to call DOC Victim Services at 302-857-5440.

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