

2020 Homeless Deaths Known to the VCMEC

Case Administration - Disposition	Identification - City	Identification - Date of death	Identification - Age	Autopsy - Immediate cause	Autopsy - Cause of death 2	Autopsy - Cause of death 3	Autopsy - Cause of death 4	Autopsy - Other conditions	Autopsy - Manner of death
Sent to Autopsy Facility		1/7/2020 0:02	44	Blunt force torso injuries					Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility		1/13/2020 9:10	27	Acute and chronic ethanolism					Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	1/22/2020 21:23	61	Methamphetamine intoxication				Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	2/9/2020 19:35	37	Multiple blunt force injuries					Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility		2/25/2020 23:35	55	Methamphetamine intoxication				Bicuspid aortic valve	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	2/26/2020 18:05	67	Methamphetamine intoxication				Atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease; Pulmonary emphysema; Type 2 diabetes mellitus	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	2/29/2020 17:09	58	Multiple blunt force injuries					Suicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Camarillo	3/7/2020 0:00	66	Atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease				Obesity; Chronic alcoholism	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility		3/9/2020 14:20	42	Ligature asphyxia					Suicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Moorpark	3/11/2020 0:00	37	Acute and chronic ethanolism				Chlordiazepoxide toxicity, hypertensive type cardiovascular disease	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Moorpark	3/11/2020 12:53	63	Acute myeloid leukemia				Hypertensive cardiovascular disease; Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Thousand Oaks	3/12/2020 10:04	59	Bilateral pulmonary embolism	Deep vein thrombosis				Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	3/14/2020 23:26	52	Stab wound of the neck					Homicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	3/15/2020 17:58	44	Complications of mixed drug (fentanyl), probable heroin and methamphetamine) intoxication				Hepatitis C cirrhosis; Obesity	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	3/17/2020 23:45	0	Chorioamnionitis and funisitis due to probable intrauterine syphilis infection				Acute and chronic intrauterine methamphetamine and opiate exposure	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oak View	3/18/2020 14:30	41	Fentanyl intoxication				Focal atherosclerotic coronary artery disease	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	3/20/2020 5:39	57	Upper gastrointestinal hemorrhage	Ruptured esophageal varices	Cirrhosis with hepatocellular carcinoma and tumor thrombosis	Hepatitis C from chronic injection drug abuse		Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Santa Paula	3/22/2020 10:32	60	Chronic ethanolism with upper gastrointestinal hemorrhage and withdrawal syndrome				Methamphetamine use; bacterial pneumonia with probable sepsis, unknown organism; COPD; cellulitis	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Camarillo	3/24/2020 19:50	59	Atherosclerotic coronary artery disease				Pulmonary emphysema; Chronic alcoholism; History of methamphetamine use	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Santa Paula	3/27/2020 11:24	66	Acute and chronic injection drug abuse (heroin & methamphetamine)				Cirrhosis; Chronic alcoholism	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	4/8/2020 0:00	62	Intracerebral hemorrhage (stroke)	Hypertensive cardiovascular disease			Bicuspid aortic valve; Chronic alcoholism with severe fatty liver; Obesity	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	4/9/2020 2:35	67	Stab wound of the chest					Homicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	4/12/2020 17:59	55	Methadone, Heroin and Fentanyl intoxication					Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Fort Mohave	4/26/2020 4:50	49	Multiple blunt force injuries					Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility		5/6/2020 11:34	26	Methamphetamine and Fentanyl intoxication					Accident
Released to Funeral Home	Oxnard	5/19/2020 2:58	56	Multiple blunt force injuries				Obesity; Hepatitis C from chronic intravenous drug use	Accident
Sent to Facility - Storage		5/31/2020 12:54	58						
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	6/5/2020 9:25	35	Combined toxic effects of Methamphetamine and Fentanyl					Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	6/5/2020 0:00	66	Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)				Chronic alcoholism; Arteriosclerotic cardiovascular disease	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Julian	6/7/2020 7:15	59	Mixed alcohol and fentanyl intoxication				Chronic alcoholism; Hypertensive cardiovascular disease; Pulmonary emphysema	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	6/9/2020 18:32	49	Multiple blunt force injuries					Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	6/24/2020 0:00	65	Atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease				Hypertensive cardiovascular disease; Obesity; History of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	Natural
Jurisdiction Declined - No Autopsy	Ventura	6/30/2020 23:22	55						
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	7/7/2020 9:05	48	Methamphetamine intoxication					Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Santa Paula	7/11/2020 23:28	42	Combined toxic effects of Heroin, Ethanol and Benzodiazepines (Chlordiazepoxide and Lorazepam)				Hepatitis C, bacteremia, hypertension and methamphetamine use	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Nipomo	7/13/2020 12:16	52	Combined toxic effects of Bupropion, Levetiracetam, Gabapentin, Citalopram and Methamphetamine					Suicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	7/16/2020 2:06	34	Blunt force head and neck injuries					Accident
Jurisdiction Declined - No Autopsy	Oxnard	7/18/2020 16:20	52						
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Simi Valley	7/21/2020 16:41	26	Multiple sharp force injuries					Homicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	7/24/2020 20:29	30	Mixed fentanyl and alcohol intoxication				Obesity related cardiomyopathy; Chronic alcoholism with severe fatty liver	Accident
Jurisdiction Declined - No Autopsy	Oxnard	7/25/2020 18:48	57						
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	8/5/2020 12:29	30	Anoxic brain injury	Fentanyl intoxication				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	8/7/2020 6:48	63	Hypertensive cardiovascular disease				Acute and chronic methamphetamine abuse; Pulmonary emphysema	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Thousand Oaks	8/20/2020 5:20	49	Multiple blunt force injuries					Suicide
Jurisdiction Declined - No Autopsy	Oxnard	8/30/2020 22:37	59						
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Thousand Oaks	8/31/2020 6:46	39	Blunt force torso injuries					Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility		9/6/2020 8:45	46	Blunt force head trauma					Homicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	9/6/2020 9:02	40	Ligature hanging asphyxia					Suicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	9/6/2020 18:13	65	Methamphetamine intoxication				Dilated cardiomyopathy with congestive heart failure, chronic methamphetamine use, hypertension, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility		9/14/2020 8:15	61	Mixed fentanyl, morphine and alprazolam intoxication				Hepatitis C cirrhosis	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Simi Valley	10/5/2020 22:01	50	Hypertensive cardiovascular disease with congestive heart failure				Obesity, type 2 diabetes and acute methamphetamine intoxication	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Simi Valley	10/9/2020 18:43	61	Pulmonary thromboembolism				Hypertensive and atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease, diabetes mellitus unknown type, chronic ethanolism, hepatic steatosis and cirrhosis	Natural

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Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	10/17/2020 22:00	59	Mixed drugs (fentanyl, heroin and cocaine) and medications (hydroxyzine, gabapentin, cyclobenzaprine and clordiazepoxide) intoxication			Pulmonary emphysema	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	10/22/2020 14:06	53	Methamphetamine intoxication			Hypertensive type cardiovascular disease with cardiac hypertrophy	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Piru	10/27/2020 5:51	36	Multiple blunt force injuries				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Anaheim	11/4/2020 10:24	22	Mixed methadone and alcohol intoxication				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	11/6/2020 12:17	33	Mixed methadone and methamphetamine intoxication				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Fillmore	11/7/2020 10:58	70	Combined toxic effects of Heroin, Ethanol and Methamphetamine			Chronic ethanolism, hepatitis C, COPD, atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease, obesity	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	11/7/2020 13:21	63	Mixed fentanyl and methamphetamine intoxication			Hypertensive and atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease; Hepatitis C cirrhosis; Pulmonary emphysema	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	11/15/2020 15:35	49	Undetermined				Undetermined
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	11/17/2020 22:00	59	Subarachnoid hemorrhage	Ruptured cerebral aneurysm		Hypertensive cardiovascular disease; Atherosclerotic vascular disease	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility		11/23/2020 15:23	55	Dilated cardiomyopathy	hypertensive and atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease associated with chronic methamphetamine abuse		Acute methamphetamine intoxication, type 2 diabetes, hyperlipidemia, obesity	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	11/23/2020 14:44	53	Probable arrhythmia with terminal drowning	Cardiac lipomatous lesions of unknown etiology		History of HIV/AIDS; History of methamphetamine abuse	Accident
Jurisdiction Declined - No Autopsy	Ventura	11/24/2020 8:36	63					
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	11/26/2020 0:00		Undetermined (partially skeletonized remains)				Undetermined
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	11/26/2020 13:47	30	Complications of multiple blunt force injuries			Chronic alcoholism with cirrhosis	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Thousand Oaks	11/26/2020 23:41	31	Acute Ethanol Intoxication			Hypothermia	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	12/3/2020 9:01	66	Congestive heart failure	Cardiomyopathy		Methamphetamine use, chronic ethanolism and pulmonary emphysema	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	12/4/2020 9:24	31	Combined toxic effects of Ethanol and Fentanyl				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	12/4/2020 13:14	38	Mixed heroin, clonazepam, etizolam and methamphetamine intoxication			Mild hypertensive cardiac disease	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility		12/5/2020 2:43	30	Multiple blunt force injuries				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Thousand Oaks	12/5/2020 20:56	64	Multiple blunt force injuries				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Newbury Park	12/9/2020 12:59	30	Fentanyl intoxication				Suicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	12/11/2020 0:00	23	Diabetic ketoacidosis	Type 1 diabetes mellitus		Severe malnutrition, methamphetamine abuse	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility		12/20/2020 21:13	37	Anoxic brain injury	Ligature hanging asphyxia			Suicide
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Simi Valley	12/16/2020 19:41	38	Pulmonary thromboembolism			Methamphetamine abuse	Natural
Sent to Facility - Storage	Ventura	12/18/2020 13:10	74					
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	12/22/2020 15:59	35	Mixed alcohol, clordiazepoxide and lorazepam intoxication				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Granger	12/22/2020 0:00	36	Fentanyl Intoxication				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	12/23/2020 3:10	67	COVID-19			Hypertension	Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Oxnard	12/24/2020 0:00	63	Hypertensive and atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease				Natural
Sent to Autopsy Facility		12/28/2020 7:43	63	Chronic ethanolism			Blunt force head injury	Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility	Ventura	12/28/2020 7:04	42	Stab wound of the chest				Homicide
Released to Funeral Home		12/28/2020 17:30	49	Multiple blunt force injuries				Accident
Sent to Autopsy Facility		12/30/2020 11:21	61	Chronic ethanolism			Probable atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease, throat cancer, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	Natural