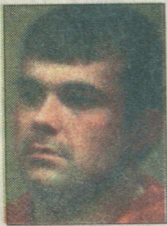


Inmate injured in fight with Evans

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DOVER — Chad E. Evans, who is currently standing trial on charges in connection with the death of a 21-month-old girl, was involved in a quarrel at the Strafford County House of Corrections on Saturday that resulted in a fellow inmate going to the hospital.



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David Funk, superintendent on the Strafford County House of Corrections, confirmed this morning that Evans was involved in the incident, but deferred all other questions to

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Dover police, who are currently investigating the incident.

Dover police Capt. Gary DeColfmaker said this morning that Evans and another inmate had an argument about 4:30 p.m. in the cafeteria during a meal where "words were exchanged, and pushing and shoving was involved." The other inmate fell backwards, hitting a door and injuring his head. The inmate was then taken to Wentworth-

Douglass Hospital for treatment. DeColfmaker said the injury was incidental to the fight.

DeColfmaker said police have interviewed witnesses about the incident and not all of them concur on what happened and how it started.

"One inmate was not specific when asked how it started," DeColfmaker said, adding that they were arguing about "things."

DeColfmaker also said that police do not have any information yet leading them to believe that the argument was about the ongoing trial.

"There is one allegation that one of the inmates spit in the other's food," DeColfmaker said.

Depending on who started the fight, or if it was mutual, charges of simple assault or disorderly conduct could be filed.