

**REPORT OF DEATH**

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<b>Call information</b>	CALL RECEIVER: <u>Alena Harper</u>	CASE # <u>2000-1862-A</u>
	PERSON CALLING: <u>Dr. Bock</u>	COUNTY: <u>YORK</u>
	AGENCY: <u>York Hsp. ER</u>	Date: <u>11/9/00</u> Time: <u>1:50 pm</u>
	Phone#: <u>351-2170</u>	
	INVESTIGATOR: <u>Sgt. Matt Stewart</u>	Det. <u>Angela Blodgett</u> <u>657-5713 (21 months)</u>

<b>Decedent</b>	NAME: <u>Rosidy Bortner</u> SEX: <u>F</u> DOB: <u>2/4/99</u> AGE: <u>1 1/2 yrs</u>
	Address: <u>57 Rogers Rd, Kittery, ME</u>
	Date of Death: <u>11/9/00</u> Time of death: <u>1:28 pm</u>
	Place of Death: <u>YORK HSP. ER, YORK, ME</u>
	How identified?: (If visual, by whom?) _____
Attending Physician (if any): _____ Phone: _____	
<b>NEXT OF KIN</b>	
Name: _____ Phone #: _____	
Address: _____	

<b>Notifications</b>	1. MEDICAL EXAMINER: <u>Margaret Greenwall, MD</u> #: <u>269</u>
	Date&Time Called: <u>11/9/00 2:40 pm</u>
	SCENE: YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> TOXICOLOGY: _____
	AUTOPSY REQUESTED: YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
	2. ATTORNEY GENERAL: <u>Sueanne - AC's</u> Date&Time Called: <u>11/9/00 3:30 pm</u>
3. Eye/Tissue Bank: _____ Date&Time Called: _____	
Organ Bank: _____ Restrictions: _____	
4. CME/DCME: _____	
5. Funeral Home: <u>Andrew's F.H. - 1074, 2246, Fax # 674-3078</u> <u>Bartlett Hutchinson</u>	

<b>COD</b>	Cause of death as stated by Medical Examiner or Attending Physician EXACTLY as it will be written on the Death Certificate:
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**Circumstances of Death:**

1:50 p.m. Matt Stewart called stating they had received a call from Kittery P.D. stating that Kittery Rescue had been called for an unresponsive child. Rescue said child was dead, but that they transported to York Hsp. Child has multiple bruise. CID is on their way.

1:55 pm. Dr. Bock called from York ER w/ info on child. The child was asystolic on arrival & they worked on her for about 10 minutes before pronouncing her dead. Dr. Bock is ... to Hsp. ... man who came into

the ER. He does not know whether this man is the child's Uncle or the child's mother's boyfriend. He said he called Rescue because he couldn't wake the child up. She states she has been stumbling around for the past couple of days. He states that the child stays in Rochester (Dr. here no idea why) & came back w/ bruising to her face & abdomen. Mom has been located in Portsmouth. The doctor says he thinks she has been there the past couple of days (?). The Dr. states that the child has suspicious looking genitalia (large vaginal vault). He also states the child has retinal hemorrhages, bilaterally (clipped on both eyes). Bruise on (R) ear, but not behind ear. 2 old bruises on T spine. She has dried scabs (?) on both plantar surfaces of feet. She was intubated - (R) interosseous - infiltrated & another was placed on (L) side. They are doing skeletal X-ray now. Dr. Greene spoke w/ Dr. Boek telling him not to do anything to body or removing anything. Also try to avoid mother seeing child. I told Dr. Boek that MSP on their way.

2:10 p.m. Paged Matt Stewart, who called in & Mike spoke to him regarding injuries to child. (ST)

3:20 p.m. Called A.C.'s of. & left message w/ Suzanne - See. (ST)

3:30 p.m. <sup>Called</sup> Dr. Boek - asked for x-rays & MR to accompany body. Dr. Boek does not know baby's physician. "Jeffery Marshall" <sup>name of nurse w/ child.</sup>

3:35 p.m. Called Wilson - Cooper F.H. to see if they can transport

3:40 p.m. Called & asked to page Matt Stewart.

3:50 p.m. Wilson-Cooper called for direction. I asked that they call 800# if needed & x-rays not w/ baby. Gave #.

4:00 p.m. Called Gray & had Matt Stewart paged again. (ST)

4:05 p.m. Matt Stewart called - Autopsy @ 9:00 AM tomorrow. (ST)

11/14/00 8:30 AM. Andrew's F.H. called checking to see if body released yet. I said we would call. (ST)

11/14/00 10:00 AM. Det. Angela Blodgett called stating that they could not catch up w/ Cassidy's mother, Amanda Bortner, to have her sign medical release to get medical records on Cassidy. I explained that we could get them for OME, but not for police. I said that Amanda must have made funeral arrangements as we had received a call from Andrew's F.H. Angela stated that Cassidy's grandmother Jackie Connolly, has made arrangements as she cannot reach her daughter, either. I explained about NOK & release. I told her I would discuss with Dr. Greenwald, which I did. Dr. Greenwald said to get MK & Birth records for us. MK from Pediatric Assoc. Lewiston (784-5782). Birth records from SMMC. Dr. Greenwald advised grandmother not NOK. (ST)

11/15/00 10:30 A.M. Called Pediatric Assoc & spoke w/ Chris. who said she would put order in to MK to be sent. (ST)

11/15/00 10:40 A.M. Spoke w/ Connie re MK @ SMMC. She asked that I FAX her a request for Birth Records & she will FAX back (ST)

11/15/2000, 10:30am - Andrew's FH called to see if body released, told him not yet and there was a problem. The grandmother was not NOK. Would get back to them. Funeral for Saturday 10:35am - Dr. Greenwald said she has one more thing to do before releasing her. Also ✓ e them to see if it is to be an open casket.

10:40am - Spoke Bartlett Hutchins @ FH. Will have closed casket. Explained to him about the release from the baby's mother that was needed, to give grandmother permission to make funeral arrangements.

10:45am - Mrs. Connolly, 336-3757 called. Amanda signed a release yesterday giving her permission to the Lewiston P.D. (over)

10:48am - spoke c Disp. @ Kittery P.D. all in a meeting. She will have someone call.

10:53am - spoke c Doug Parlin @ C I D I.

He will page Angela Blodgett. The forms she signed yesterday were for release of Medical Records. Explained why we needed written permission for Mrs. Connolly to make arrangements. Amanda, the baby's mother, gave a verbal permission for Mrs. Connolly to make arrangements.

11:20am - Sgt. Stewart called. Explained to him what was needed and they will try and contact Amanda to get it. Told him grandmother would also try and get permission.

11:25am - spoke c Mrs. Connolly explaining what needed to be done. Amanda is supposed to come over tonight. She will call.

11:55am - spoke c Bartlett @ FH to tell him what was going on. He gave mother a form to get her daughter to sign given permission to arrange funeral. (Sah)

2:45pm - spoke to Det. Angela Blodgett and she wanted to know if arrangements had been made for mom to sign a release so the Grammie could make funeral arrangements. Told her just what was going on. She said she would like to use that for an excuse to get mom, Amanda in to talk c her. She will talk with the grandmother. (Sah)

11/16/2000 9:55am - Mr. Hutchinson from FH called to see if we had permission from the Mom yet.

10:10am - Had Angela Blodgett paged.

10:20am - Det. Blodgett called and said she has a meeting c Mom @ noon. She will fax it in as she gets it. Notified FH as above.