Form NPS-4



DEATHS IN CUSTODY—2016 ANNUAL SUMMARY OF INMATE DEATHS IN STATE PRISONS

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE BUREAU OF JUSTICE STATISTICS AND ACTING AS COLLECTION AGENT:

RTI INTERNATIONAL

	Manual Control					
FORM COMPLETED BY:						
Name			Title			
Official Address			Telephone			
City			FAX			
State	Zip	E-mail				

What deaths should be reported?

INCLUDE deaths of ALL persons...

- Confined in your correctional facilities, whether housed under your jurisdiction or that of another state
- Under your jurisdiction but housed in private correctional facilities, whether located in or out of state
- Under your jurisdiction but in special facilities (e.g., medical/ treatment/release centers, halfway houses, police/court lockups, or work farms)
- In transit to or from your facilities while under your supervision

EXCLUDE deaths of ALL persons...

- Executed in your state
- Confined in local jail facilities, whether located in or out of state
- Under your jurisdiction but housed in a state-operated correctional facility in another state or in a federal facility
- Under probation or parole supervision in your state

During 2016, how many persons died while in the custody of your state correctional facilities?						
Number of deaths in 2016						
Please fill out the number of deaths that occurred in calendar year 2016 above and submit this form and corresponding NPS-4A forms to RTI International. You may submit these data in one of these ways:						
ONLINE: Complete this form online at: https://bjsdcrp.rti.org MAIL: E-MAIL: bjsdcrp@rti.org FAX (TOLL-FREE): (866) 800-9179	RTI International, Attn: Data Capture Project Number: 0215015.001.200.102.100 5265 Capital Boulevard Raleigh, NC 27690-1652					
For each inmate death, please ensure that you have submitted a STATE PRISON INMATE DEATH REPORT (NPS-4A) form. IF NO DEATHS OCCURRED , it is still important that you complete this form and return it to RTI International.						
If you need assistance, contact Matt Bensen of RTI International toll-free at (800) 344-1387 or send an e-mail to bisdcrp@rti.org						

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