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1. Victim: Deshaun Martinez 6 year old male

2. Date of notification to DCS: 3/2/2020

- **3. Date of fatality:** 3/2/2020
- 4. Date of determination that the fatality was the result of abuse or neglect\*: 3/2/2020

5. County and general location of the residence of the victim: Coconino County - Flagstaff, AZ

### 6. Alleged perpetrator(s) name, age and city, town or general location:

Elizabeth Archibeque AKA Elizabeth Eckman – age 26 – Flagstaff, AZ Anthony Martinez AKA Anthony Archibeque – age 23 – Flagstaff, AZ Ann Marie Martinez AKA Ann Marie Archibeque – age 50 – Flagstaff, AZ

#### 7. Circumstances of the fatality that indicate it was the result of abuse or neglect:

On March 2, 2020, the Department of Child Safety received a report regarding Deshaun Martinez (6) being found unresponsive at home and later pronounced deceased. Upon arrival, the deceased child's sibling, the near fatality victim was found in critical condition due to severe malnutrition. The near fatality victim was hospitalized and upon release was placed in a licensed foster home. All the children in the home were taken into custody by the Department. The child's parents, Elizabeth Archibeque and Anthony Martinez were arrested for the charges of 1<sup>st</sup> degree homicide and child abuse. The paternal grandmother, Ann Marie Martinez was also arrested on charges of 1<sup>st</sup> degree homicide and child abuse. A dependency petition was filed with the Coconino County Superior Court on March 5, 2020.

# 8. Whether DCS has received any reports or past cases, of child abuse, abandonment or neglect involving the child or the current alleged perpetrator(s)\*\*:

DCS has received the following prior report involving Elizabeth Archibeque AKA Elizabeth Eckman:

On February 18, 2013, a report was received alleging physical abuse and neglect to a child by Elizabeth Archibeque AKA Elizabeth Eckman. The allegations were unsubstantiated. The family was provided with in-home services and the case was closed after successful completion of services.

DCS has received no prior reports involving Anthony Martinez AKA Anthony Archibeque as an alleged perpetrator.

DCS has received the following prior reports involving Ann Marie Martinez AKA Ann Marie Archibeque:

On March 19, 1998, a report was received alleging sexual abuse to children by Ann Marie Martinez AKA Ann Marie Archibeque. The allegations were unsubstantiated. The family was provided information on community resources.

On May 17, 1998, a report was received alleging neglect/abandoned child by Ann Marie Martinez AKA Ann Marie Archibeque. The allegations were unsubstantiated.



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On August 15, 2001, a report was received alleging neglect to a child by Ann Marie Martinez AKA Ann Marie Archibeque. The allegations were unsubstantiated.

On April 27, 2005, a report was received alleging neglect to a child by Ann Marie Martinez AKA Ann Marie Archibeque. The allegations were unsubstantiated. The family was provided bus passes however denied any other services from the Department of Child Safety.

On May 24, 2010, a report was received alleging neglect to children by Ann Marie Martinez AKA Ann Marie Archibeque. The allegations were unsubstantiated. The family was provided with information on community resources and the case was closed.

On April 4, 2011, a report was received alleging neglect to a child by Ann Marie Martinez AKA Ann Marie Archibeque. The allegations were unsubstantiated.

On April 12, 2015, a report was received alleging neglect to a child by Ann Marie Martinez AKA Ann Marie Archibeque. The allegations were unsubstantiated.

### 9. Actions taken by DCS in response to the fatality:

A joint investigation is being conducted with the Flagstaff Police Department.

### 10. Actions taken regarding the child and/or other children in the home:

Following an assessment of child safety, the other children in the home were placed in foster care.

# **11.** Whether the agency is or intends to provide direct services or service referrals to the family:

The Department is providing supportive services to the children and will continue to assess for other services to be provided to the family.

\*The determination that a fatality or near fatality is the result of abuse, abandonment or neglect is based one or more of the following criteria: (1) The perpetrator(s) arrest related to the incident, (2) Substantiated finding(s) linking the alleged perpetrator(s) action(s) to the fatality or near fatality and/or (3) Results of the Medical Examiner's report.

\*\* Information released after July 3, 2015 provides reports, or any current or past cases, of abuse, abandonment or neglect involving the child or the alleged perpetrator pursuant to A.R.S. § 8-807.01(A)(1)(e). Posted information may be updated as new information becomes available.