



<b>Preliminary Report</b>	<b>Fatality</b>	<b>11/27/19</b>
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**1. Victim:** Lariyah Davison – 6-year-old female

**2. Date of notification to DCS:** 5/3/19

**3. Date of fatality:** 5/3/19

**4. Date of determination that the fatality was the result of abuse or neglect\*:**

James Lane – 8/16/19

Victoria Bizardie – 8/16/19

Kamaya Lane – 8/27/19

**5. County and general location of the residence of the victim:** Coconino County – Page, AZ

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

James Lane – age 51 – Page, AZ

Victoria Bizardie – age 47 – Page, AZ

Kamaya Lane – age 30 – Farmington, New Mexico

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

On May 3, 2019, the Department of Child Safety received a report regarding six-year-old Lariyah Davison who had been found unresponsive at the home and was transported to the hospital where she was pronounced deceased. Lariyah had been living with her grandfather, James Lane, and his significant other, Victoria Bizardie. The child had been left in their care by her mother, Kamaya Lane. An autopsy performed by the Coconino County Medical Examiner later determined the death was the result of fentanyl toxicity. On August 16, 2019, the Page Police Department arrested James Lane and Victoria Bizardie on multiple charges including first degree murder and child abuse. On August 27, 2019, the child's mother, Kamaya Lane, was also arrested on charges of first degree murder and child abuse.

**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 Lariyah Davison and Kamaya Lane:

On August 21, 2018, a report was received alleging neglect to Lariyah and two siblings by their mother, Kamaya Lane, and two other adults residing in the home. The investigation assessed the children as safe in the care of their mother. The allegations were unsubstantiated and the case was closed.

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

A joint investigation was conducted with the Page Police Department.

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

Following an assessment of child safety, the victim's siblings were placed in a licensed foster home.



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

The Department is providing services 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).  
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