



Arizona Department of Child Safety

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Preliminary Report	Fatality	4/6/16
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- 1. Victim:** Rudy Cenicerros Jr. – 4-month-old male
- 2. Date of notification to DCS:** 5/4/15
- 3. Date of fatality:** 6/30/15
- 4. Date of determination that the fatality was the result of abuse or neglect*:** 4/1/16
- 5. County and general location of the residence of the victim:** Pima County – Tucson, AZ
- 6. Alleged perpetrator(s) name, age and city, town or general location:**

Nellie Delgado – age 22 – Tucson, AZ
Rudy Cenicerros Sr. – age 23 – Tucson, AZ

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

On May 4, 2015, the Department of Child Safety received a report regarding 4-month-old Rudy Cenicerros Jr. who was found unresponsive at home. Upon examination, the baby was found to have suspected non-accidental injuries including bilateral retinal hemorrhages and an anoxic brain injury. The DCS investigation determined that the injuries occurred while the baby was in the care of his parents, Nellie Delgado and Rudy Cenicerros Sr. The allegations pertaining to each of them have been substantiated.

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 no prior reports involving Rudy Cenicerros Jr., or his parents, Nellie Delgado and Rudy Cenicerros Sr.

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

A joint investigation was conducted with the Tucson Police Department.

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

There were no other children in the home.

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

No services were provided by the Department.

*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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