

Information for Release

6/27/2012

**Date of the notification to CPS:** 6/12/2012

**Fatality**

**The date the child suffered the fatality:** on or about 6/12/2012

**Child's name:** Winter Azure

**Age at time of incident:** 10 Months

**Perpetrator(s):** Zada Davis

**Age:** 27 years

**City, town or general location of residence of the child and perpetrator(s):** At the time of the incident, the child and perpetrator were living in Tucson, Arizona.

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

On or about June 12, 2012, Zada Davis left Winter unsupervised in a bath tub full with water. Winter was admitted to the hospital in critical condition. On June 18, 2012, Winter was removed from life support and died.

**B. Whether CPS has received any reports or past cases of child abuse, abandonment or neglect involving the child and the current alleged abusive or neglectful parent, guardian or custodian\* :**

CPS has received no prior reports alleging abuse or neglect of Winter by Zada Davis.

**1. Actions taken by CPS in response to the fatality or near fatality of the child including:**

CPS is investigating the allegations through a joint investigation with the Tucson Police Department.

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

Another child in the home has been placed in foster care.

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

Services will be determined upon completion of the investigation.

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\*Posted information provides whether there have been reports or any current or past cases of child abuse, abandonment or neglect involving the child who has died or suffered a near fatality and the current alleged abusive or neglectful parent, guardian or custodian pursuant to A.R.S. § 8-807(F)(2)(a)(iv).

Information, if any, regarding other family or household members and the child or the alleged perpetrator is not posted on the Web site. Calls to the Child Abuse Hotline that do not meet the criteria of a report because they do not contain allegations of abuse or neglect (or because there is no information provided to locate the child or family) are not posted.