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SUMMARY: FILE REVIEW Of the Death of a Youth Known to the Director in 2019

<u>Circumstances of the Fatality</u>

The review examined case files of an Indigenous youth who died from an accidental injury after transitioning out of the director's care. The Delegated Aboriginal Agency (DAA) provided services to the youth within the last 12 months of the youth's life in relation to their transition from the director's care, which included accessing health services.

Findings

The DAA social worker and care team worked collaboratively to address the youth's needs prior to transitioning out of the director's care. Health assessments were completed for the youth that determined what supports would be available to the youth as they transitioned to adulthood. The DAA developed, implemented, and monitored a thorough Care Plan to support the youth's transition out of care. Prior to their death, the youth lived independently and obtained the life skills required to succeed in a new community surrounded by their family.

Actions

No actions were required to address the findings of the review.

The review was completed in April 2020.