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COLUMBIA, S.C. – Jessie Donald Cur Tyner, an inmate at Tyger River Correctional Institution, died at the institution yesterday.

Tyner, 38, was found unresponsive in his cell shortly after noon. His death is being investigated as a suspected drug overdose.

An autopsy will be performed. The case is being investigated by the SCDC Inspector General's office, S.C. Law Enforcement Division and Spartanburg County Coroner.