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COLUMBIA, S.C. – Stephon Foster, 27, an inmate at Ridgeland Correctional Institution, died at the institution Sunday.

Foster, 27, was found unresponsive in his cell. He did not have a cellmate. His death is being investigated as a suspected suicide.

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