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Department investigating suspected overdose death at Salt Lake Community Treatment facility

The Utah Department of Corrections is investigating the death of a parolee, Michael Campbell, at the Fortitude Treatment Center who passed away this evening en route to a nearby hospital.

The incident initially appears to be an overdose, and the facility is on lockdown while the Department's Law Enforcement Bureau conducts an investigation.

Campbell was found unresponsive at the facility, and staff initiated emergency aid. Emergency medical personnel responded to the incident and provided life-saving measures. Campbell was taken by ambulance to a nearby hospital and was pronounced deceased.

The Utah Department of Corrections, through Adult Probation and Parole, currently operates five residential community correctional and treatment centers in Utah for individuals who have recently been paroled from prison.

These centers are designed to help individuals who may not have a place to go when they leave prison, need additional treatment as they transition back into the community, or as an intervention placement for those already on parole in the community.

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