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**Mary E. Case, M.D.**  
Chief Medical Examiner

**TO:** Members of the St. Charles County  
Council

**FROM:** Mary E. Case, M.D.

**RE:** Program Services Contract –  
Violent Death and Overdose Death  
Surveillance

**DATE:** August 23, 2021

The purpose of this contract is for the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services to collect medical examiner data on cases identified on Missouri death certificates resulting of violent deaths and/or overdose related deaths which will be abstracted into an anonymous web-based system. The aggregate data will be used to develop prevention efforts to target violence and overdose interventions at local, county and statewide levels. The contract shall not exceed \$38,800.00 for a contract period of September 1, 2021 through August 31, 2022. The contract will reimburse \$30.00 per case for each Missouri Violent Death Reporting System case (MOVDRS). The total amount for all MOVDRS cases shall not exceed \$5,400.00. No matching county funding is required.