

**OFFICE OF THE MEDICAL EXAMINER  
DISTRICT 17- BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA  
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**ME CASE #** BME2009-1245  
**Name:** ODZE, NICHOLAS  
**Age:** 4  
**DOB:**  
**RACE:** White  
**SEX:** M

**REPORTED BY 1:** Hospital RN Mindy (954) 344-3077  
Coral Springs Medical Center

**REPORTED BY 2:** DATE REPORTED: 9/10/2009 TIME: 1:32:29PM  
Police Detective Clark () -  
Coral Springs Police

**RESIDENCE:**  
Coral Springs, FL 33071  
LAST SEEN ALIVE DATE: 09/10/2009 TIME: 12:01:00AM

**INCIDENT:**  
Coral Springs, FL  
DATE: 09/10/2009 TIME:

**DEATH:** Coral Springs Medical Center Coral Springs, FL  
DATE: 09/10/2009 TIME: 12:05:00PM  
FOUND: N

**Narrative/Summary:** On September 10, 2009 at 1:20pm Mindy an RN at Coral Springs Medical Center reported the death of this 4 year old white male. According to Mindy on 9-9-09 the decedent was having a hard time falling asleep. Mindy stated that on 9-10-09 about 12:01am the decedent's mother gave the decedent Lunesta. Mindy stated that after giving the decedent the Lunesta the decedent fell asleep.

Mindy stated that on 9-10-09 about 11:00am the decedent's father (Allan Odze) went into the decedent's bedroom to wake the decedent up. Mindy stated when the decedent's father (Allan Odze) went into the decedent's bedroom he found decedent unresponsive lying on his bed. Mindy stated that the decedent's father (Allan Odze) called 911.

Coral Springs Fire/Rescue along with Coral Springs Police responded to the decedent's residence. Coral Springs Fire/Rescue arrived on scene, intubated the decedent, and immediately transported him to Coral Springs Medical Center. Mindy stated that when Coral Springs Fire/Rescue arrived at Coral Springs Medical Center, Fire/Rescue personnel were attempting CPR. Mindy stated that ER staff took over CPR from Coral Springs Fire/Rescue. Mindy stated that all efforts to revive the decedent failed and on 9-10-09 at 12:05pm the decedent was pronounced dead by Dr. Retureta.

Mindy stated that it is unknown how much Lunesta the decedent was given prior to him going to bed.

**\*\*\*THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS PRELIMINARY AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITH FURTHER INVESTIGATION.\*\*\***

**Narrative/Summary Prepared by:** John Dellagloria

**Cause of Death:** Combined drug toxicity (Oxycodone, Oxymorphone, Ibuprofen, and Eszopiclone)

**Due to:**

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**Contributory Cause:**

**Manner of Death:** Homicide

**Injury** Non-prescribed drugs had been given by other(s)

Description:

**Autopsy at:** 9:00:00AM **ON** 09/11/2009

**Pathologist:** Iouri Boiko, M.D.