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Katherine Lorenz  
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Dear Coroner Lorenz

**Investigation into the death of [REDACTED] COR 2019 007105**

Thank you for your correspondence, dated 5 August 2022, requesting a response to the Coroner's recommendation that:

*Family Safety Victoria review the data regarding the suicide of people who inject drugs and who are perpetrators of family violence and use this data to inform the development and review of perpetrator interventions going forward.*

Family Safety Victoria accepts this recommendation, which will be implemented. Family Safety Victoria intends to use this data to inform current interventions regarding changed or escalated risk to victim survivors and to perpetrators themselves, and in the design and review of perpetrator initiatives.

My deepest condolences go out to the family and loved ones of all involved.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Eleri Butler', is written in a cursive style.

Eleri Butler  
Chief Executive Officer, **Family Safety Victoria**  
Deputy Secretary, **Department of Families, Fairness and Housing**

4/11/2022