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Khayla Evans timeline in custody of Lake County Jail, June 30 to Dec. 16, 2022

Khayla Evans, a 24-year-old woman with a history of mental health problems and an intellectual disability, waited 67 days in the Lake County Jail for a transfer to a mental health facility all while experiencing psychiatric episodes, severe abdominal pain and other health problems. She was eventually found unresponsive in her cell after 170 days in custody. Lake County Jail staff and employees of Wellpath, a private medical provider, named as defendants in a wrongful death suit have either denied or not formed an opinion on allegations related to Evans' death.

