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WICHITA, KAN. – A man was sentenced for his actions related to the 2018 death of a Wichita man. Tuesday, Judge Bruce Brown sentenced Bryce Martin, 31 of Wichita, to 246 months in prison. Last August, Martin pled guilty to charges of aggravated battery and possession of methamphetamine with intent to distribute.

On May 2, 2018, police were called to a house in the 200 block of N. Sabin in Wichita and found Jacob Healzer, 41 of Wichita, on the floor. Healzer had been severely beaten. The victims' injuries included multiple fractures of the face including the orbital sockets and nasal bones, as well as a fracture of the hyoid bone in the neck.

The coroner ruled the victim died of acute methamphetamine intoxication with contributing factors of heart disease as well as blunt force trauma to the head and neck.

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