

Activists Take Up Principal's Pretrial Death

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Human rights activists have launched an investigation into the death of an elite Moscow high school's principal in pretrial detention, the BBC Russian Service [reported](#) Monday.

Andrei Kudoyarov died on Oct. 8, five months after he was detained on suspicion of taking bribes.

The Federal Prison Service said Kudoyarov died of a heart attack, but activists said overcrowding and poorly equipment in detention facilities frequently lead to illnesses or exacerbate existing conditions.

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