

Texas: FY 2022 Child Fatality and Near Fatality Annual Report

Child Fatality Case Summary As part of this annual report and ongoing program review, the Office of Child Safety conducts in-depth reviews for child fatalities occurring when the child is involved with DFPS in an open stage (Investigations, Family Based Safety Services, or Conservatorship) and death is confirmed to be caused by abuse or neglect.

Kairi was involved in an open CPS conservatorship (CVS) case at the time of the fatality. Kairi was in the care of her parents while Kairi's sibling was in foster care due to concerns for that child. A new investigation was opened on June 14, 2022, with concerns for Kairi being found unresponsive while in the care of her parents. Kairi died as a result of physical abuse on June 14, 2022.