

Child Maltreatment Death Investigations In Virginia During State Fiscal Year 2023

Appendix A: TABLE OF CHILD DEATH INVESTIGATIONS WITH A FOUNDED DISPOSITION

Locality: Fairfax

Date of Death: 6/15/2023

Date of Birth: 1/28/2023

Age: 0.4 M

Race/Ethnicity: Unk

Abuser(s): father

Abuse Type: Physical Neglect

Previous History: In January 2023, Fairfax opened a Family Assessment after the decedent was born. The decedent was having trouble feeding and the feeding difficulties were attributed to substance exposure in utero. It was also reported that the father shook the infant's head to keep him awake for a feeding while in the hospital. Services were provided.

Summary (SUID stands for Sudden Unexpected Infant Death): Child was found unresponsive in the home. Cause of death is undetermined.