

Child Maltreatment Death Investigations In Virginia During State Fiscal Year 2023

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

Locality: York

Date of Death: 7/7/2022

Date of Birth: 8/23/2020

Age: 1.9 Female

Race/Ethnicity: W

Abuser(s): father mother grandfather

Abuse Type: Physical Neglect by mother and Physical Abuse by father and grandfather

Previous History: In September 2020, York DSS opened a Family Assessment due to the decedent being born substance exposed and experiencing significant withdrawal symptoms. The assessed risk was high and an in-home case was opened with the family; services were provided.

Summary (SUID stands for Sudden Unexpected Infant Death): Child was found unresponsive in the home. Cause of death is acute combined overdose with tobacco exposure and laboratory evidence of SARS-COVID-19 viral infection.