Minnesota Safe Passage for Children Child Fatality Report 2022-2023

Name of Child Victim: Aldina Sulejmani

County: Otter Tail

Date of Death: 1/16/2023

Date of Birth: Not stated

Age: 3 months F

Adult Perpetrator: Foster Parent

Abuse Type: Initial report: Maltreatment due to Neglect
Review: No neglect but issue with safe sleeping practices

Summary: Aldina, her twin sister, and three older siblings were placed in two separate foster homes due to their parent's ongoing and untreated SUD. Aldina died in a non-kinship placement where she was placed with her twin. The fatality report does not clearly identify the cause of death but ascribes it to "unsafe sleeping practices," which suggests that the cause was positional asphyxiation

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