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Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline Summary

Intake

Intake ID: [redacted]

Intake Taken By: [redacted]

Intake Date/Time: 11/03/2022 04:40 PM [redacted]

Track Assigned: Investigation

Priority Assigned: 1

Screened By: [redacted]

Date Screened: 11/03/2022

Investigation

Investigation ID: [redacted]

First County/Region [redacted]

Date/Time Assigned : 11/04/2022 08:11 AM

First Team Leader Assigned: [redacted]

Date/Time 11/04/2022 12:00 AM

First Case Manager [redacted]

Date/Time 11/04/2022 12:00 AM

Allegations

Alleged Victim	Age	Allegation	Severe ? / CSEM ?	Alleged Perpetrator	Relationship to Alleged Victim
[redacted]	2 Yrs 11 Mos (Est)	Lack of Supervision	No	[redacted]	
[redacted]	2 Yrs 11 Mos (Est)	Lack of Supervision	No	[redacted]	
[redacted]	Deceased	Abuse Death	Yes	[redacted]	
[redacted]	Deceased	Abuse Death	Yes	[redacted]	

Referent(s)

Referent Name: [redacted]

Role to Alleged Victim(s): [redacted]

Referent Address:

Referent Phone Number: [redacted]

Type of Contact: I-3 Phone

Notification: None

Narrative: NON-CUSTODIAL CHILD DEATH

Family Case IDs: None
Associated Case IDs: None

Family Case ID Detailed History:

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Open Court Custody/FSS/FCIP No
Closed Court Custody No

Pending: No
Awaiting Screening: No
Submitted: No

Open CPS: No
Substantiated: No
Death: No
Screen Outs: No

History (not listed above): No

County of Jurisdiction: [redacted] (Reconsideration to [redacted] County)
School/ Daycare: None
Active Military Status: No

Reporter's name/relationship: [redacted]

-Child/Family Identification and Relationship Introduction Paragraph:
[redacted] (3) and [redacted] (16 months) reside with their father, [redacted] (est 30-35) and mother, [redacted] (est 30-35) in [redacted] County, Tn. The parents have custody of the children and deny criminal history and DCS history.

An unknown uncle was also present at the scene.

-Are you requesting immediate assistance from DCS to your location, or only an immediate phone call?
Immediate phone call to: [redacted] (Emergency Department)
[redacted] (will be the contact person on 11-4-22)

-Please provide a brief summary of the concerns and why DCS is needed to respond immediately.
[redacted] presented to [redacted] Children's hospital around 3pm today. At about 1pm, [redacted] was with both parents, an unknown uncle and sibling [redacted] at a bullet manufacturing facility (unknown name/in the [redacted] area, [redacted] County). The family was going to purchase a new gun from the uncle, as he sells firearms. The parents were standing near their vehicle, talking to the uncle about what gun they were going to purchase. Parents left [redacted] and [redacted] in the vehicle, allegedly strapped into their car seats. [redacted] was on the driver's side rear seat. [redacted] shared that she had her personal pistol in her diaper bag in the middle back floorboard of the vehicle. Somehow, [redacted] despite being strapped into the car seat, got ahold of the pistol. [redacted] shot herself in the head while playing with it. The gun was loaded, and the safety feature was not enabled. 911 was called immediately and [redacted] was life lighted by helicopter to [redacted] [redacted] was nonresponsive and CPR was initiated. The entire right side of [redacted] body is paralyzed. The exit wound is on the left posterior aspect of the head. The bullet went up into the frontal lobe and back through the left rear of her head (under her left ear). The primary injury is to the left hemisphere of the brain. [redacted] has cerebral edema (brain swelling), brain compression, and a midline shift. Surgeons will be removing a large section of the left frontal and left parietal spheres of [redacted] brain. [redacted] was rushed to the Operation Room and is having a craniotomy. The neurosurgeons informed the family that there is significant neurological devastation, and [redacted] is not expected to survive. If [redacted] does survive, she will have significant neurological damage. The surgery should take about 3-4 hours and something should be known on [redacted] status later this evening. There are no additional injuries noted on [redacted] The injuries are consistent with the explanation. [redacted] does not have any known injuries. [redacted] and [redacted] are currently in the ICU and are inconsolable. [redacted] is with the maternal grandparents ([redacted] and [redacted] no contact information). The location of the uncle is unknown. The police have been notified and the responding officer is the [redacted] Police Chief, [redacted] ([redacted]). It is unknown if any arrest is being made at this time.

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-Are there any concerns for the safety of a Department of Children's Services Case Manager responding to the child's home?
Unknown

-Anything additional to add to this initial report for the responding worker to know prior to response?
No

CM Notation:None
Screener Notation: None

Emailed/Paged CPSI On Call: [redacted] 11-03-2022 17:15:14 11-03-2022 17:16:10 Work phone Received

Notified Child Death/Preliminary Near-Death Notification Group via Email:
[redacted]
Region RA [redacted]

Per SDM: This intake was reviewed by CAH Director [redacted] and approved to be screened in and sent to the county to be investigated./[redacted] TL 11-03-2022@5:29pm. INV P1.

Additional information provided by [redacted] 11/03/2022 at 8:51pm: [redacted] has since passed away. The time of the death is unknown. The cause of death is from injuries from a gunshot wound.

Intake was reconsidered to reflect the Child Death status. Preliminary Near Death was changed to Child Death, with the Abuse Death allegation added.

Reconsideration Request on 11-4-22: Per TL [redacted] the incident occurred in [redacted] County and the parents reside in [redacted] County. Response was met by a [redacted] County CM. Due to it being severe abuse that occurred in [redacted] County and not [redacted] it is requested that jurisdiction be changed to the appropriate county. Thank you, [redacted], [redacted] Reader.

Reconsideration Response: Intake is being resubmitted to [redacted] County/[redacted] Region. Readers [redacted] and [redacted] are aware. [redacted], TL on 11-4-22 @ 8:05 am

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Participant(s)

Name: [redacted]

Gender: Female
Date of Birth:
Partipant ID: [redacted]
SSN:
Race:
Age: 2 Yrs 11 Mos (Est)
Address:
Deceased Date:
School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No
DCS Foster Child: No
Contact:
Contact Type:
Contact Comments:

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:

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Name: [redacted]

Gender: Female | Date of Birth: [redacted] | Partipant ID: [redacted]

SSN: | Race: White | Age: Deceased

Address: [redacted], [redacted] Tennessee [redacted]

Deceased Date: 11/03/2022

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact: [redacted]

Contact Type: CELL

Contact Comments: father's number

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:

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Name: [redacted]

Gender: Male
Date of Birth:
Partipant ID: [redacted]
SSN:
Race:
Age: 31 Yrs (Est)
Address:
Deceased Date:
School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: Yes
DCS Foster Child: No
Contact:
Contact Type:
Contact Comments:

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:

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Name: [redacted] [redacted]

Gender: Female
Date of Birth:
Partipant ID: [redacted]

SSN:
Race:
Age: 31 Yrs (Est)

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: Yes

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact:

Contact Type:

Contact Comments:

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2024-02-28 10:58:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:58 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	02/28/2024
Completed date:	02/28/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being

Contact Type(s): Administrative Review

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/28/2024 11:07 AM Entered By: [redacted]

This case has bee approved for closure by Executive Director [redacted] This case was determined to be an unfortunate accident with no further action required. The family has/had been participating in therapy/counseling as a result of this event.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2024-02-26 20:48:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	08:48 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	02/26/2024
Completed date:	02/26/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being

Contact Type(s): Case Summary

Contact Sub Type: Closing

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/26/2024 12:56 PM Entered By: [redacted]

On November 3, 2022, the Department of Childrens Services (DCS) received a referral for an allegation of abuse death regarding Alleged Child Victim (ACV) [redacted] (3 years old) as well as lack of supervision regarding her sister and ACV [redacted] (1 year old). The Alleged Perpetrators (AP) were the parents [redacted] and [redacted] This investigation was assigned to Case Manager (CM) [redacted] by Team Leader (TL) [redacted] This case was worked in conjunction with the [redacted] Police Department [redacted]

[redacted] was residing with her mother [redacted] (28), his sister [redacted] (1) as well as the father, [redacted] (30).

[redacted] was found unresponsive by EMS and law enforcement with what appeared to be a gunshot wound to the head and was transported via Life flight to [redacted] Childrens Hospital where she was later pronounced deceased after surgery was attempted to save her life. The mother stated that her personal gun was in the diaper bag and that the child somehow got the gun. The child proceeded to accidentally shoot herself in the head.

On November 4, 2022, CM [redacted] interviewed [redacted] Detective [redacted] He reported that [redacted] and [redacted] reported that they were going to meet [redacted] uncle to exchange hunting supplies for a upcoming trip. Both parents reported that they were outside of the car speaking to the uncle and then heard a gunshot. They reported that [redacted] keeps a gun in her clutch and that the gun was stored in [redacted] diaper bag. [redacted] reported that she normally keeps the bag near her, but this time the bag was located in the floorboard in between the children. It was reported that after investigating the scene it appeared that the gun was left in the diaper bag with the safety off and that there was a round in the chamber. Detective [redacted] reported that the trigger pull on the gun was very easy to pull and that the seat belt could have very easily been manipulated to reach the bag between the seats. The mother reported that she has never sat the bag/holster in that spot before and that she does not know why the safety was off or why there was a round in the chamber.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

[redacted] and [redacted] reported that they routinely had the safety on their guns at all times and that there is usually never any bullets in the chamber when the firearm is not in use. Both parents reported that they have their carry permits and that they had to complete gun safety courses to obtain their permits. The father stated that the gun in question was the mothers gun and that he had knowledge that the mother had her firearm in the clutch purse which was inside of the diaper bag. Mr. [redacted] reported that he did not have his firearm on his person on the day of the shooting.

On November 4, 2022, an autopsy was completed regarding ACV [redacted] by [redacted], M.D., J.D., Ph.D, Office of the Medical Examiner, [redacted] TN. The cause of death was ruled as a gunshot wound to the head. The manner of death was ruled as accidental.

This case was presented to [redacted] County CPIT on May 9, 2023. Those present were: CAC Forensic Interviewer [redacted], Child Protective Services Investigator [redacted] Judicial Assistant District Attorney [redacted], DA Investigator [redacted] and Team Leader [redacted] and [redacted] Detective [redacted] The team agreed to classify the case as allegation unsubstantiated/perpetrator unsubstantiated against APs [redacted] adn [redacted] for abuse death regarding ACV [redacted]

The entire CPIT Team agreed with this classification.

Per DCS Policy Work Aid 1 Section E:
Child Death is defined as:
a) Any child death caused by abuse or neglect.
b) Any unexplained death of a child when the cause of death is unknown or pending an autopsy report.
c) Any child death caused by abuse or neglect resulting from the parent or caretakers failure to stop another persons direct action that resulted in the death of the child. Child deaths are always treated as severe abuse.

Since the incident, the family has been engaged in counseling and therapy services individually and also attend counseling together at their church.
There is not preponderance of the evidence to support the allegation of Abuse Death. This case will be closed and classified as Allegation Unsubstantiated, Perpetrator Unsubstantiated for the Abuse Death of ACV [redacted]

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2024-02-26 16:46:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:46 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	02/26/2024
Completed date:	02/26/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/26/2024 09:01 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 2-26-2024 at 4:45 PM for the purpose of observing ACV [redacted]

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met by the father, [redacted] and allowed entry into the home.

Upon entering the home, [redacted] was observed sitting on the couch with her mother. [redacted] states that she had a rough day and that she was tired.

Mr. [redacted] reports that he was fired from his job since he last saw this CM but found a new job a week later at Filter systems in [redacted] It was also noted that the family is currently on WIC and Tenn Care but that they would likely be coming off this since the father started his new job.

The baby is said to be doing well and the parents state that they recently enjoyed their vacation in [redacted] SC.

[redacted] is said to be doing well but has developed a cough and that they have no current issues or concerns and that they are not in need of anything.

The mother states that she recently went to her daughters grave and became upset because a grave next to her daughters had dirt on it.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2024-01-23 16:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	01/24/2024
Completed date:	01/24/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/24/2024 01:11 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 1-23-2024 at 4:30 PM.

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met at the front door by the father, [redacted] and was allowed entry into the home by the father.

Upon entering the home, the mother was sitting on the couch with ACV [redacted] The child did not present with any visual concerns such as marks or bruises.

The parents informed this CM that [redacted] had a stomach bug for a few days but that she is feeling better now. Besides this, they report that nothing new is going on.

CM asked about her pregnancy, and she states that everything is going well with the baby boy and reports that the only problem is that she is having issues sleeping. She states that her doctor prescribed her magnesium but that this is not working well.

The mother states that she is still involved in counseling with [redacted] and that she still finds this helpful.

CM was also informed that the parents were taking an anniversary trip to [redacted] next month and that they have signed [redacted] up for soccer starting next month.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-12-20 10:30:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:30 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	01/24/2024
Completed date:	01/24/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Service Planning		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/24/2024 09:14 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was discussed. Investigative tasks are completed and the CM is continuing to follow up with the family until closure.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-12-19 17:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	05:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	12/19/2023
Completed date:	12/19/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 12/19/2023 09:01 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manger (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 12-19-2023 at 5:30 PM.

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met at the front door by the father, [redacted] and was allowed entry into the home.

Upon entering the home, CM observed the child to be free of any visual concerns such as marks or bruises. The child was playing in the living room.

The child was very happy about Christmas and her new pony that she received which is an automated unicorn. CM observed the child counting and saying her A, B, Cs and no concerns were reported with her.

The family reports that nothing new is going on. Everything with the baby is going well and the mother went to her gynecologist on Friday. The family did find out that they are having a boy and that he is due May 8th, 2023.

The mother saw her therapist two weeks ago but the father states that he has not been back as he no longer feels that it is needed. However, the therapist did suggest seeing someone when their new child is born, and they stated that they would if needed.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-11-22 16:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	11/25/2023
Completed date:	11/25/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 11/25/2023 01:44 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 11-22-203 at 4:30 PM for the purpose of observing the ACV and assessing the current status of the case.

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met at the home by the father and allowed entry into the home.

Upon entering the home, CM observed the ACV [redacted] playing with her mother. She did not present with any visual concerns such as marks or bruises. The child just turned three, so she was not able to be interviewed.

The mother states that her pregnancy is going well and that she is not as sick as she has been in the past.

CM asked how counseling was going and the mother states that she has an appointment in December with [redacted] however the father states that he is doing well and does not feel the need for any additional appointments but will schedule one if that changes.

The parents did not note any current issues or concerns and states that there is nothing that they are currently in need of from DCS.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-10-31 13:30:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	01:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	01/24/2024
Completed date:	01/24/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Service Planning		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

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Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/24/2024 09:11 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was reviewed. Case is current and all investigative tasks have been completed. TL is working on the closing death summary and will forward on once completed.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-10-24 16:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	10/31/2023
Completed date:	10/31/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 10/31/2023 09:43 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manger (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 10-24-2023 at 4:30 PM for the purpose of observing ACV [redacted]

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met by the father, [redacted] and allowed entry into the home.

Upon entering the home, CM observed [redacted] playing with toys on the couch without any visual marks or concerns. The child was very happy about her new big girl bed and showed her bed to this CM.

Mrs. [redacted] states that her pregnancy is going well and that she is currently 12 weeks along. She did state that she has been feeling really nauseous lately but that her OBGYN gave her some medication.

The father states that work is going well and that the family is not in need of anything. Mr. [redacted] states that he has not been to therapy in some time but states that Mrs. [redacted] has an appointment on Friday.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

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Contact Date:	2023-09-28 11:15:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	11:15 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	01/24/2024
Completed date:	01/24/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Service Planning		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/24/2024 09:07 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was discussed. TL is reviewing the summary and will pass the summary on once completed. CM will follow up with the family monthly.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

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Contact Date:	2023-09-22 16:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	09/24/2023
Completed date:	09/24/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 09/24/2023 05:09 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 9-22-2023 at 4:30 PM for the purpose of observing ACV [redacted]

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met at the door by the father, [redacted] CM was allowed entry into the home by the father.

Upon entering the home, CM observed the child playing with her mother in the living room. [redacted] did not present with any visual concerns such as marks or bruises.

The family states that they are looking forward to going camping next week and that they are really enjoying going camping.

In regards to [redacted] the parents state that her potty training is improving and that the separation anxiety when the mother leaves the child at Mothers Day Out is improving as well. It was also noted that the child is no longer using a pacifier. Both parents state that their jobs are going well.

No issues or concerns were noted by the parents and that the mother is set to attend therapy in the next two weeks and that they are working to set up more visits as the one-year anniversary of their daughters death is coming up.

Before this CM left the home, the parents informed this CM that the mother is pregnant and that she is approximately six weeks along but that she is already having sickness related to the child. CM congratulated the family on the pregnancy.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-08-31 09:00:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	09:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	09/01/2023
Completed date:	09/01/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Service Planning		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 09/01/2023 09:09 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was staffed. The child death summary has been completed and is ready to review. TL will review and revise and sent to TC for further steps.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-08-29 16:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	08/31/2023
Completed date:	08/31/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/31/2023 04:30 PM Entered By: [redacted]

CM traveled to the [redacted] residence on 8-29-2023 at 4:30 PM.

CM was met at the front door by the father, who allowed this CM entry into the home.

Upon entering the home, the child was playing with her mother who was sitting on the couch. The child did not present with any visual marks or concerns.

The family reports that they have been camping and that they most recently went to the [redacted] Both parents state that both of their jobs are going well. The mother states that [redacted] has been attending Mother's Days out but that she has had some detachment problems. The parents state that they have not had any sessions with their therapists since but the mother states that she has a meeting with her therapist on Friday.

No concerns were noted by the parents.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-07-31 13:55:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	01:55 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	07/31/2023
Completed date:	07/31/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Service Planning		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 07/31/2023 01:54 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was discussed. The initial draft of the closing summary has been sent to TL. TL will review and forward on to the TC as all investigative tasks have been completed.

Tennessee Department of Children's Services

Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-07-24 16:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	08/03/2023
Completed date:	08/03/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/03/2023 08:48 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 7-24-2023 at 4:30 PM for the purpose of interviewing the child.

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met at the door by the father, [redacted] who allowed this CM entry into the home.

Upon entering the home, CM observed ACV [redacted] to be free of any visual concerns such as marks or bruises. The child was very happy and cooing but is still learning how to speak. She was unable to be interviewed due to her lack of verbal skills.

The parents state that they recently had a birthday party for [redacted] and that it went well but that she was tired. They also state that they recently went camping and that this was a fun time. They also state that they are looking forward to future camping trips.

According to the parents they are still meeting with their counselor, [redacted] They both state that they feel they are in a better place now and that they are lessening the frequency of sessions. The mother states that she was participating in EMDR and that she found it helpful. In addition, the mother reports that she is also trying homeopathic remedies because she is opposed to taking prescription medication.

Mr. [redacted] states that work is going well and that the mother has started working at a local ministry where she does their accounting. She states that they allow her to bring [redacted] with her and that [redacted] will be starting Mothers Day out on August 8th, 2023.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-07-17 14:18:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	02:18 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	07/31/2023
Completed date:	07/31/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 07/31/2023 08:51 AM Entered By: [redacted]

CM [redacted] reviewed the medical records for ACV [redacted] from [redacted] Childrens hospital on 7-17-2023 at 2:18 PM.

According to the records, it states that the child died on November 3rd, 2023, at 19:15 PM. The preliminary cause of death was listed as a traumatic brain injury. The child presented to the hospital with the following concerns: gun shot wound to the head, coma, cardiac arrest due to trauma, hemorrhage due to trauma, hypocalcemia, acute respiratory failure with hypoxia, traumatic hemorrhagic shock, and traumatic injury of the head with coagulopathy.

The records indicate that the child sustained a gunshot wound to the head in the left frontal area with an exit wound. The child was unresponsive on the scene and was given ketamine and succinylcholine. On the way to the hospital the child had to be given 300cc of red blood cells due to perfusion. She also had a decrease in end-tidal and a loss of pulse. Once at the hospital, medical staff was able to regain a pulse on the child. The child arrived to the hospital in cardiac arrest.

The EMS report states that the child was going through her mothers purse when her mothers gun accidentally discharged.

It was noted that there were several fragments of a bullet found within the childs head. Please note the following except from the records: This is a 3-year-old patient who presented after reported left-sided gunshot wound to the head. The patient was brought to [redacted] Hospital for evaluation management. She underwent at least 4 rounds of CPR secondary to cardiac arrest. CT scan demonstrated his left comminuted skull fracture with intraparenchymal hemorrhage, bullet fragments, throughout the left frontal and left parietal hemispheres. There is 1 cm of left right midline shift. There is cerebral edema. CM also notes the following from Dr. [redacted]: On examination, the patient is intubated. The eyes are closed. The right pupil 7 mm and reactive. Left eye is swollen and unable to assess. There is no right corneal, no cough. There is no

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

movement in the right upper or right lower extremity. There is intermittent spontaneous movement of the left upper and some weak movement to stimulation of the left lower extremity. There is an anterior wound, with brain and blood draining from the left frontal wound. CT demonstrates comminuted left frontal and parietal skull fracture. There is significant intraparenchymal hemorrhage, traumatic subarachnoid hemorrhage. There is cerebral edema throughout the left hemisphere. There is 1 cm left right midline shift. The ventricles are effaced.

CM noted that the child was on life-saving devices and the parents made the decision to stop any life-saving measures and were by her bedside when the child passed, which was on November 3rd, 2022, at 7:15 PM.

It was also noted that the parents denied any criminal, mental health, or substance abuse issues but do have guns in the home.

The social worker spoke with the family and reported the following information regarding the incident: SW presented to PICU family waiting room to meet with family. SW introduced herself and explained role in ICU. SW gathered demographic information above. SW then inquired about events leading to current situation. History provided by Mother. Mother shared that she, Father, patient, and sibling were together today running errands. Mother shared that family met patient Uncle to buy a new gun, as Uncle works at bullet manufacturer. Patient and sibling were reportedly left in family vehicle in car seats. Mother shared that patient was on rear driver side in car seat and was strapped in/secured. Sibling was on rear passenger side in car seat. Mother shared that she was standing next to passenger side of vehicle speaking with Father and Uncle. Mother shared that everyone "heard the gun go off" and found patient. 911 called immediately. Mother shared that the gun was her pistol, and it was in sibling's diaper bag located on the middle floorboard. Mother and Father believe that patient was able to "reach down to grab the gun" despite being strapped in. Father noted that patient is able to kick the console and posited if she could have gotten the bag with her foot.

The social worker also reported the following assessment of the family: Parents were engaged and receptive to SW intervention. Parents presented appropriately given trauma and were very tearful & shaking. Mother expressed significant guilt over accident and was unable to answer many questions due to continuous crying. Father was able to console Mother; both appeared to support one another well. Family shared several family members who will be able to support them during this time-particularly maternal and paternal grandparents. SW feels that family will benefit from ongoing support.

Family also met with the chaplain at the hospital who provided support. The family reports that their Christianity is a huge support in their life and influence on their family.

The preliminary cause of death was noted as traumatic brain injury with a secondary cause being gun shot wound to the head. [redacted] was contacted at the medical examiners office. The hematoma that the child suffered from the gunshot wound was 8 MM in length.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-06-26 16:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	06/28/2023
Completed date:	06/28/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 06/28/2023 09:42 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 6-26-2023 at 4:30 PM.

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met by father at the door and allowed entry into the home. Upon entering the home, the child was observed running around and playing. She did not present with any visual concerns such as marks or bruises.

CM spoke with the parents who stated that everything was going well. They state that [redacted] teeth are coming in and that has been an interesting endeavor. They did state that they are excited about going camping this weekend.

The parents state that they are still seeing [redacted] for therapy and that the mother has started EMDR therapy.

They also state that nothing is needed, and that [redacted] has finished potty trained.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-06-22 16:52:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	04:52 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	06/23/2023
Completed date:	06/23/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 06/23/2023 08:33 AM Entered By: [redacted]

DCS Safety Nurse [redacted] reviewed the case and had the following comments about the case:

Thank you for the consult. I have reviewed the attached information and the available information in TFACTS. I do not have any medical concerns regarding this case. The autopsy describes in detail the injuries this ACV sustained. The ME has made a determination the manner of death is accidental and I did not find any information in the medical records to dispute that fact.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-05-31 13:50:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	01:50 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	06/01/2023
Completed date:	06/01/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Service Planning		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 06/01/2023 01:49 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was discussed. CM has obtained the records and sent them to the Safety Nurse. Once Safety Nurse has reviewed, the case will be prepared for closure as all the investigative tasks appear to be complete.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-05-30 10:46:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:46 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	05/30/2023
Completed date:	05/30/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/30/2023 10:49 AM Entered By: [redacted]

CM emailed all medical records involving the death of [redacted] to DCS safety nurse [redacted]

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-05-26 17:00:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	05:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	05/28/2023
Completed date:	05/28/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/28/2023 01:46 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to [redacted] residence on 5-26-2023 at 5:00 PM.

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met at the home by the father, Mr. [redacted] who allowed this CM entry into the home.

Upon entering the home, CM observed the child playing with the mother. The child did not present with any visual concerns such as marks or bruises. The child has very little verbal skills, so she was unable to be interviewed.

The parents state that they have not had any further issues with the childs ears. They report nothing new and no changes since this CM saw them last. CM did note that the parents continue with their counseling, and they state that it continues to go well. The father states that there are times when he feels like he does not need anything but that he always feels better after speaking with his counselor.

CM asked the father about his work, and he states that it is going well. The parents did note that they recently purchased a camper and that they have been camping as this seems to help.

CM asked the family if they needed anything, and they stated that they did not.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-05-09 10:00:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	10:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Community Site	Created Date:	05/12/2023
Completed date:	05/12/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	CPIT (Child Protective Investigative Team)		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/12/2023 03:18 PM Entered By: [redacted]

The case was presented to CPIT with the proposed classification of AUPU. Those members who agreed included: TL [redacted] ADA [redacted], DA investigator [redacted], CAC FI [redacted].

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-04-28 11:00:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	11:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	05/03/2023
Completed date:	05/03/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Service Planning		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/03/2023 10:18 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was discussed. Parents are still engaged in counseling and appear to be doing well. Medical records have been obtained but there are difficulties in opening them and getting them uploaded. Autopsy has been received. Once the medical records are accessed they will be forwarded to the safety nurse and the case presented to CPIT.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-04-27 17:00:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	05:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	05/04/2023
Completed date:	05/04/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/04/2023 09:04 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 4-27-2023 at 5:00 PM.

CM arrived at the home and was met at the front door by the father and was allowed entry into the home. Upon entering the home, CM observed the child playing in the living room. CM did not observe any visual concerns with the child.

CM learned that the child, [redacted] recently had tubes put in her ears and since them has not had any further issues with her ears. It was also noted that the childs speech has improved and that she recently passed her hearing test. The parents state that the child had her tubes put in on March 30th, 2023.

The father states that his job is going well, and he has no concerns there.

CM also noted that the parents were still involved in therapy and that it is going well. Both parents state that they had paired down on their counseling sessions however the mother states that she has had to increase her sessions as she had a bad week. The parents also state that they are also participating in group grief counseling.

The family states that there is nothing that they currently need.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-03-20 16:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	03/22/2023
Completed date:	03/22/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 03/22/2023 09:07 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 3-20-23 at 4:30 PM.

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met at the home by Mr. [redacted] and allowed entry into the home by the father.

Upon entering the home, CM observed the ACV playing with her mother. The child did not present with any visual concerns such as marks or bruises. The child was not able to be interviewed as she is too young.

The father states that he is enjoying his new job at [redacted]. CM also learned that the child has a doctors appointment on March 30th, 2023, to place tubes in her ears. The child was given a hearing test and reportedly did not do well, which the parents state was due to the child having fluid in her ears. CM asked about any further involvement with TEIS and the family stated that they completed their assessment and had no further concerns.

The parents state that they are still in counseling with [redacted] however that they are trying to go to only one session a month and see how that goes. It was noted that the family is still going to see their counselor at church.

CM asked about the familys needs, and they state that they are not in need of anything at this time. The mother did state that there was an insurance gap for the child when the child was changing jobs but that the child got cover kids for the time period and that they will have insurance again beginning on April 1st, 2023. The family will have [redacted] insurance.

The family did purchase a rabbit recently, named [redacted]

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

CM did also note that the family is thinking of moving and have began looking at homes. It was also noted that the parents have begun moving things around in their deceased daughters room and have stated that this has helped them in their healing.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-02-28 17:28:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	05:28 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	02/28/2023
Completed date:	02/28/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]

Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being

Contact Type(s): ACV Interview/Observation,Alleged Perpetrator Interview

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/28/2023 06:23 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] arrived at the family home located at [redacted]. CM was greeted at the door by Mr. [redacted] and invited inside the home. Mr. and Ms. [redacted] reported everything was going well and denied needing anything from the Department. CM observed [redacted] eating a snack. She was observed in clean clothing with no visible marks, cuts, or bruises. CM did not conduct an ACV interview due to the child's age and lack of understanding of CMs questions. The home was very clean with no visible safety or sanitary concerns. The family denied having any questions. CM thanked the family and left the residence.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-02-28 15:00:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	03:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	02/28/2023
Completed date:	02/28/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Service Planning		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/28/2023 03:04 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was discussed. Autopsy has been received but medical records have not been. CM emailed [redacted] to request medical records, but they have not been received yet. TL will email Director [redacted] and see if she may be able to assist. Family is in services with [redacted] CM will be working on the summary so that the case can be submitted once the records are received and reviewed. Case will need to be presented to CPIT.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-02-23 12:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Attempted Face To Face
Contact Time:	12:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	02/28/2023
Completed date:	02/28/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/28/2023 09:00 PM Entered By: [redacted]

CM attempted to make contact with the family however no one was home.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-02-03 10:25:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:25 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	02/03/2023
Completed date:	02/03/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/03/2023 10:25 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] received the autopsy back regarding ACV [redacted]

Per the report, the official cause of death was accidental gun shot wound to the head. The ACV was found unresponsive on 11-3-2022 in [redacted] TN. The child was transferred to [redacted] Childrens Hospital for immediate surgery for a craniectomy and a evacuation of a subdural hematoma. The admitting concern was that the child had a traumatic brain injury. Throughout the treatment, the childs condition declined, and she was pronounced dead at 7:15 PM on 11-3-2022 MD [redacted].

The physician who was responsible for the death certificate was identified as MD [redacted].

The report also indicates that there was no projectile discovered in this case. The childs body did not present with any concerns regarding her physical body. None of the internal organs presented with any concerns.

The autopsy revealed that the gun was not against the childs skin when the gun was discharged but was an intermediate range of fire entrance gunshot wound of the head.

Per the toxicology report, the child did have fentanyl in her body. The toxicology report was conducted by Forensic Pathologist [redacted].

The full autopsy report can be found in TFACTS.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-01-31 15:00:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	03:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	01/31/2023
Completed date:	01/31/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Service Planning		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

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Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/31/2023 03:02 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was discussed. The autopsy has been received and the coroner ruled the death accidental gun shot. Both parents are in counseling services. both individual and group. Parents go once every other work. PCP medical record have nothing significant. Once [redacted] sends the records all medical records will be sent to Safety Nurse [redacted] for review.

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Case Recording Summary

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-01-23 16:40:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:40 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	01/24/2023
Completed date:	01/24/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

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Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/24/2023 07:51 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 1-23-2023 at 4:40 PM for the purpose of observing ACV [redacted]

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met at the front door by the father, [redacted] and permitted entry into the home.

Upon entering the home, the father was playing with [redacted] while the mother was cooking dinner. [redacted] did not present with any visual concerns such as marks or bruises.

The parents state that they are still attending counseling session with [redacted] and that they have a session once every two weeks. CM was also told that [redacted] recommended TEIS to the family and that a worker assessed [redacted] approximately two weeks ago and that they did not think that the child had any developmental concerns but that they would contact the parents once everything was reviewed. It was also noted that the parents were starting EMDR and that while both parents admit that it was hard that they feel it was helpful.

No issues or concerns were noted with [redacted] by the parents but that they had to take [redacted] back to the doctor on Thursday as she had an ear infection, and it was stated that if the childs ears continue to be an issue that they would have to consider putting tubes in the childs ears.

The parents state that they are not in need of anything from this CM or DCS.

The father states that he is leaving his current job and that he will be starting with [redacted] in [redacted] on February 8th, 2023.

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CM asked the father about killing anymore deer and he states that he has not because deer season is over but did state that he had his gun in his truck just in case he saw a deer.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2023-01-12 21:54:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	09:54 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	01/12/2023
Completed date:	01/12/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/12/2023 10:43 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] reviewed the medical records from the childs medical provider, [redacted], regarding ACV [redacted] on 1-12-2023 at 9:54 PM.

According to the record, the child was taking Amoxicillin at 600 mg and Cefdinir at 125 mg and the child had the onset of Hemoptysis, Acute right otitis media, and Acute bilateral otitis media.

On 12-8-2022, the child was seen due to an ear trouble and a fever. The child was removed from taking Amoxicillin and placed on Augmentin. No abuse or trauma was noted.

On 11-11-2022, the child presented with the chief complaint being ear pain. No concerns noted with abuse or trauma.

On 10-18-2022, the child presented for a well child exam and concerns of walking. The child was noted to be on a delayed schedule with her vaccinations. The mother has concerns that when the child walks that her feet roll in. No developmental concerns noted as the child is reportedly sleeping, eating, and developing well. CM noted that the mother reports that all firearms in the home are locked. The childs foot exam was normal.

On 7-28-2022, the child was seen due to her one-year-old well child exam. No concern noted by parents. The child is reportedly sleeping, eating, and developing as she should. CM did note that the parents state that the guns in the home are locked. No evidence of abuse or neglect noted.

On 6-22-2022, the child was seen due to ear pain. The child was taking Nystatin and Zinc 70 at this visit. The mother is concerned due to the child pulling at her ears; however, she denies any other symptoms of sickness.

On 5-26-2022, the child was seen due to her nine month well child exam. The child has recently had chest

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congestion, ear pulling, and fussiness. The mother also stated that her husband and older child were sick as well. No developmental concerns noted and the mother reports that all guns in the home are locked up. No evidence of abuse or trauma was noted. CM notes that the mother states that she is doing well with a strong support system.

The child was seen on 3-28-2022 and was diagnosed with acute otitis media. The child was seen on 2-23-2022 for a well child exam and no abnormal findings were noted. The child was seen on 12-3-2021 and no diagnosis was noted. The child was seen on 12-8-2021 for a well child exam and no abnormal findings were noted. On October 4, 2021, the child was observed for a well child exam without any abnormal findings. The child was seen on 7-21-2021, 8-3-2021, 8-27-2021, and 8-31-2021 with no concerns noted. However, it was noted that on August 27th, 2021, that the child was splitting up blood. CM noted that the notes state that there was small amount of blood noted which could be the result of bleeding from the mothers breast or nosebleed. Since the amount was small, medical staff was not concerned but did tell the mother to monitor the childs bowel movements and return if she noted blood in the childs stool.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

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Contact Date:	2023-01-12 21:42:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	09:42 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	01/12/2023
Completed date:	01/12/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/12/2023 09:53 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] reviewed the medical records from the childs medical provider, [redacted], regarding ACV [redacted] on 1-12-2023 at 9:42 PM.

According to the record, the child has the majority of her vaccinations. On 6-9-2022, the child was seen her three-year-old well child visit. The child was not on any medications and did not have any allergies. No concerns noted by medical staff, the child is said to be eating well, sleeping well, developing motor skills, and CM noted that the parents report that all guns in the home were locked. No evidence of abuse or trauma was noted by the medical provider.

CM did not receive any other medical records from the provider.

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Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-12-27 11:15:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	11:15 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	12/28/2022
Completed date:	12/28/2022	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 12/28/2022 11:07 AM Entered By: [redacted]

CM faxed a request for medical records to the children's PCP Dr. [redacted] in [redacted] TN.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-12-12 16:30:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:30 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	01/06/2023
Completed date:	01/06/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Parent/Caretaker Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

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Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/06/2023 09:59 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] residence on 12-12-2022 at 4:30 PM.

Upon arriving at the home, CM was met at the door by the mother, [redacted] and allowed entry into the home.

Upon entering the home, CM observed ACV [redacted] playing in the living room. The child did not present with any visual concerns such as marks or bruises. Due to the childs young age, CM was unable to interview the child.

The mother reports that the family is OK and that they have been trying to return to somewhat of a normal life which includes staying at the family home. Mrs. [redacted] reports that the family has began trauma counseling with [redacted] in [redacted] She states that she has attended one individual session and one joint session with her husband. In addition, she states that the family continues to see their counselor at [redacted] According to the mother, she states that she feels as though the services are helpful.

CM asked the mother about [redacted] and she states that she has been good but did state that the child has recently had an ear infection and that she recently fell on the sidewalk.

Mrs. [redacted] states that the family has been staying back at the family home for the past month. Also, the mother states that she has made a decision to not carry a firearm for the foreseeable future. However, she does report that her husband is still using guns for hurting and recently shot an eight-point buck.

Mr. [redacted] arrived at the home around this time. CM learned from the parents that they have been sleeping better and that they do not have any new anxiety or depression and that when they have bad days that they will

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

talk to someone. CM was asking what coping mechanisms the family was using and they state that they will visit with friends and family. Mr. [redacted] states that he took a month off of work but that he has now returned to work.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

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Contact Time:	10:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	01/31/2023
Completed date:	01/31/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]

Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/31/2023 03:13 PM Entered By: [redacted]

CM sent a request for medical records to [redacted] Children's Hospital on this date.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

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Contact Date:	2022-11-10 09:00:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	09:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	11/10/2022
Completed date:	11/10/2022	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 11/10/2022 08:46 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] traveled to the [redacted] Police Department on 11-10-2022 at 9:00 AM for the purpose of conducting a case status report.

CM met with assistant police chief [redacted] and Police Chief [redacted] In speaking with both, they both agree that there is no way that the child would have been able to shoot herself with the safety on the gun being off, the hammer being cocked, and there being a bullet in the chamber. CM also noted that the gun was in a holster and that the bag that it was in was designed to carry a gun. This was found on the floorboard behind the drivers seat.

The diaper bag that had the gun in it was located in a diaper bag was located on the hump in the vehicle between the two seats. It was noted that when law enforcement arrived on the scene that the diaper bag was sitting in the drivers seat.

Assistant Chief [redacted] stated that at first, the mother appeared to have a lack of emotion regarding the situation but that on the 911 call she appears very emotional and that he spoke with the familys pastor, and he states that the mother is typically a very quiet person.

CM also learned that there were two car seats in the vehicle and that the two seats were very close to each other. It was also noted that there was very little blood in the vehicle. The majority of the blood and brain matter was found on the father.

CM then spoke with Chief [redacted] who states that he traveled to [redacted] Childrens Hospital and when he arrived, he immediately noted that the parents were already there. He states that when he arrived, he spoke with the doctor, who was identified as Dr. [redacted], who was positive about the childs ability to survive. In addition, he states that he observed the child, and she was moving her arms. The child was being taken to the operating room and it was said to be approximately 4-5 hours to complete the surgery. Chief [redacted] reports

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that he then went to the waiting room with the family and noted that medical staff was returning the child to her room not long after. Chief [redacted] reports that he knew at that time that the outlook for the child was not good. At approximately 6:15 PM, he states that he headed to his vehicle and observed that the father had changed his clothing as he had his daughters blood covering his clothing. At approximately 7:08, he states that he was notified that the child had passed, and the medical examiner listed the time of death at 7:15 PM. The [redacted] County ME was said to be the one performing the autopsy on the child.

Chief [redacted] reports that he was speaking with DA [redacted] throughout this series of events. CM was informed that all of the photos of the scene, the video footage from the business where the event occurred, and preliminary notes were all sent to the District Attorney and that there are no plans to file any criminal charges at this point.

CM noted that both members of law enforcement stated that a bullet has been recovered yet, however Chief [redacted] reported that medical staff told him that they observed bullet fragments when doing a CAT scan of the childs head. According to Assistant Chief [redacted] the bullet entered the childs head above the left temple. The gun is being sent to the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation for further evaluation.

The gun was identified as a Sig P and CM was told that the gun has a very light trigger and is very smooth in its operation. Also, the gun did not chamber the next round and the gun was found between the door and the car seat. There was no recreation video conducted.

CM also noted that when the father was interviewed that he stated that the child was in her car seat when he pulled the child from the vehicle.

Assistant Chief [redacted] states that there is currently no evidence that the wound was a contact wound and so he believes that there was some distance between the gun and the child. He also stated that there was no flesh on the gun and that the vehicle was a cloth top Jeep.

CM was provided with copies of the pictures from the scene, the 911 call, and the video footage from the incident. The official reports have not been completed yet but will be sent to this CM upon completion.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

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Contact Date:	2022-11-09 16:00:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	04:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	11/12/2022
Completed date:	11/12/2022	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Alleged Perpetrator Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 11/12/2022 08:05 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Date: 11-9-2022
Time: 4:00 PM
Type of Contact: Initial HV to the family's residence
Reason for Contact:
-Assess the allegation of lack of supervision and child death upon [redacted] by her parents, [redacted] and [redacted]
-Interview all adults in the home
-Observe the family's residence

This CM contacted the family at the following address: [redacted].

Household Composition:
[redacted] DOB [redacted]
Deceased
[redacted] DOB [redacted], Mother
[redacted] DOB [redacted], Father

In order to engage the family, this CM explained the current report made to the Tennessee Department of Children's Services.

CM explained and provided Mr. and Mrs. [redacted] with the following forms:
Notice of Privacy Practices
Notification of Equal Access to Programs
Client's Rights Handbook

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Native American Heritage Veto Verification

Signed acknowledgements can be found in TFACTS.

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] was met at the door by the father, [redacted] CM asked to enter the residence and was granted such permission.

Upon entering the home, CM offered his condolences of the death of their daughter. CM offered the family grief counseling and the couple stated that they have already started grief counseling with [redacted] at [redacted] in [redacted] In addition, the mother states that she has a friend that she also talks with that has lost a child and that they are providing emotional support. CM offered additional services and was told that the parents did not feel they were necessary at this time however, they did state that they were willing to cooperate with any services that DCS deemed necessary.

CM asked some follow-up questions regarding information obtained from LE previous to this home visit. CM was informed that the gun, that the child shot herself with, was located in a clutch purse and this purse was said to be in the custody of the grandparents, however the parents did note that LE had the purse prior to its release. CM also learned from the parents that the vehicle and the gun were still in the custody of the [redacted] Police Department. Both adults noted that they routinely had the safety on their guns at all times and that there is never any bullets in the chamber when the firearm is not in use. CM asked about how the family planned to use guns going forward and the parents stated that they had not fully decided. Their original reaction was to not use guns anymore as they state that this is a reminder of the loss of their child. Also, both parents state that they have spoken with [redacted] about gun safety and that she is not to touch any guns. Both of the parents state that they have their carry permits and that they had to complete gun safety courses to obtain their permits.

CM asked about the car seat that the child was in, and they stated that LE still has that as well but that the grandfather came to get [redacted] car seat.

The mother reports that [redacted] was approximately 33 or 34 inches tall and approximately 30-35 pounds. CM learned that both [redacted] and [redacted] are patients of Dr. [redacted] in [redacted] TN. They report that their physician has never reported any concerns to them about their children.

Both parents deny any mental health or drug issues with each other. Mr. [redacted] reports that he is employed by [redacted] in [redacted] and that he works with different facets of maintenance such as working on air handlers. The mother is a stay-at-home mother but prior to that, she was in human resources at a local bank.

It was explained to this CM, that the father was driving the vehicle, the mother was in the passenger seat, [redacted] was behind her father, and [redacted] was seated behind her mother. The parents stated that when the shooting occurred that the father was outside the vehicle talking to his uncle but that everyone else was still in the vehicle when the incident occurred.

The father states that the gun in question was the mothers gun and identified it as a Sig P 380 and that he had knowledge that the mother had her firearm in the clutch purse which was inside of the diaper bag. He reports that he estimates that the purse was decently heavy. Mr. [redacted] states that he did not have his firearm on his person on the day of the shooting.

Mr. [redacted] reports that the family had just left from [redacted] and were headed to [redacted] in [redacted] to meet

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his uncle, who worked there, to assist him in reloading ammunition for his firearm.

Both parents state that since the childs death that they have been residing at the home of the maternal grandparents and that this is the first time that they have returned home and that they have not slept in three days.

CM did observe [redacted] who did not present with any visual marks or bruises. The child is non-verbal due to her age, however both she and her clothing appeared to be very clean.

Safety/well-being/permanency needs at this time.

Safety:
- All firearms are in a gun safe

Permanence:
- The child will remain with her parents at this time

Well Being:
1. Medical-

- No medical concerns noted

2. Mental Health/Behavioral-

- No concerns noted with mental health

Worker Observance of the home: CM conducted a walk-through of the three-bedroom two bath home. The home presented with no visual safety concerns. CM observed the family to have a refrigerator with adequate food. CM observed the bedrooms of both children and there was nothing that presented any concerns. The children had clothing, beds, toys, and all other necessary items for their care. CM did observe the familys gun safe that you have to have a combination to open.

Assessment of Progress: Initial HV with the family.

Family Plan:
- Request Medical Records on both children
- Staff case with LE

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Completed date:	01/13/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]

Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being

Contact Type(s): Administrative Review

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/13/2023 10:56 AM Entered By: [redacted]

The Abuse Death investigation regarding Alleged Child Victim (ACV) [redacted] was debriefed with Case Manager (CM) [redacted] and Team Leader (TL) [redacted] Also present was Team Coordinator (TC) [redacted] CPS Director (CPSD) [redacted], and Director of Critical Incident Support (DCIS) [redacted]

The CPS investigation was assigned on 11/5/22 concerning the death of ACV [redacted] (3yo). It was reported [redacted] resided with her birth mother [redacted] birth father [redacted] and sibling [redacted] 1yo] in [redacted] County.

On 11/3/22 the family had traveled in private vehicle to meet with a paternal family member regarding firearms and discussion of an upcoming elk hunting trip. While the adults were outside the vehicle, [redacted] gained access the mothers personal firearm that was left loaded and without safety in the diaper bag of the younger sibling. It is believed [redacted] handled the firearm causing it to fire and striking her in the head. Immediate medical attention was sought, and [redacted] was transported via life flight to [redacted] She incurred significant neurological damage and died as a result of the injury.

The family has no history with the Department or law enforcement. The 1yo sibling was observed with no immediate concerns. It is believed the mother reported she typically never leaves a bullet chambered in the gun and had recently gotten something out of the diaper bag for the 1yo just prior to the incident, and left the bag placed on an elevated spot in the middle of the floorboard instead of lower and out of reach, contributing to the incident occurring. CM plans to ask more questions around the storage and safety practices with the firearms upon follow-up with the family as well as a safety plan to address future risk around firearms in the home and familys possession. At this time severe charges are not expected. CM and TL are meeting with LE later in the week to discuss case further. Autopsy results are pending.

Next Steps:
-- CM will request ACVs medical records. Records will be reviewed and uploaded to TFACTS.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

-- CM will request all interviews and information/evidence collected by LE within their investigation and review, summarize, and upload what is shared to TFACTS.
-- CM will complete home visit and safety plan with the parents around firearms and supervision.
-- CM will complete follow-up interviews with the parents and around grief counseling support.
-- CM will document and upload autopsy into TFACTS once received.
-- CM will complete Closing FAST prior to case closure.
-- CM will present findings to the Child Protective Investigative Team (CPIT) for classification review.

Employee Assistance Program (EAP) information and supervisory support was discussed with involved staff.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

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Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	11/07/2022
Completed date:	11/07/2022	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	CPIT (Child Protective Investigative Team)		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 11/07/2022 08:54 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager (CM) [redacted] spoke with [redacted] Police Assistant Chief [redacted] on 11-4-2022 at 10:36 AM. CM convened CPIT with Assistant Chief [redacted] as he stated the following:

He states that the parents traveled to the [redacted] warehouse in [redacted] TN to exchange hunting supplies with the uncle of one of the parents as they were going elk hunting soon. Chief [redacted] states that the father was driving, the mother was in the passenger seat, that [redacted] was seated behind the mother and [redacted] was sitting behind the father. He states that both parents were talking to the uncle outside the vehicle while the children were still inside. CM noted that shortly after they heard a gun shot and observed that the child had shot herself.

The mother reportedly told law enforcement that she never keeps any ammunition in the chamber and that the weapon was in a holster. The gun was stored in [redacted] diaper bag and the mother reports that she will normally keep the bag in the floorboard of the four door jacked up Jeep but that this time she sat it on the hump between the two floorboards as she has gotten something out of the bag for [redacted] just before the incident. It is thought that [redacted] pulled the bag up as Chief [redacted] states that the bag was very light, and that the firearm was very light as well. The gun was identified as a Sig P 350 handgun. It was stated that the safety on the gun was off and that the trigger pull on the gun was very light and easy to pull. It was also noted that the gun had a bullet already in the chamber and that it is thought that the hammer was also cocked. Mrs. [redacted] states that she has the firearm for personal protection. Chief [redacted] states that he did not ask why the gun was in the diaper bag and stated that there was nothing else of consequence.

Chief [redacted] states that the parents story matched with the video evidence that was taken form the business. He states that he still has questions of how the child got the diaper bag lifted up and how the child got the bag if she was buckled in her car seat as stated by the parents.

CM learned that the autopsy was being conducted today but that Chief [redacted] was not sure if the state ME was conducting the autopsy, or the [redacted] County ME. CM also learned that assistant Chief [redacted] worked

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

the scene, and that the Chief had all the contact with [redacted] and that he has requested medical records. CM did set up a meeting with both members of LE to discuss the case on November 10th, 2022, at 9 AM.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
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Contact Time:	08:12 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	11/04/2022
Completed date:	11/04/2022	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Case Summary		
Contact Sub Type:	Opening		

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 11/04/2022 08:30 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Case was assigned to Child Protective Services Investigator [redacted] with a P1 response.
Judge and/or DA notified per local protocol.
Reporter notified per policy.

-Child/Family Identification and Relationship Introduction Paragraph:
[redacted] (3) and [redacted] (16 months) reside with their father, [redacted] (est 30-35) and mother, [redacted] (est 30-35) in [redacted] County, Tn. The parents have custody of the children and deny criminal history and DCS history.

An unknown uncle was also present at the scene.

-Are you requesting immediate assistance from DCS to your location, or only an immediate phone call?
Immediate phone call to: [redacted] (Emergency Department)
[redacted] (will be the contact person on 11-4-22)

-Please provide a brief summary of the concerns and why DCS is needed to respond immediately.
[redacted] presented to [redacted] Childrens hospital around 3pm today. At about 1pm, [redacted] was with both parents, an unknown uncle and sibling [redacted] at a bullet manufacturing facility (unknown name/in the [redacted] area, [redacted] County). The family was going to purchase a new gun from the uncle, as he sells firearms. The parents were standing near their vehicle, talking to the uncle about what gun they were going to purchase. Parents left [redacted] and [redacted] in the vehicle, allegedly strapped into their car seats. [redacted] was on the drivers side rear seat. [redacted] shared that she had her personal pistol in her diaper bag in the middle back floorboard of the vehicle. Somehow, [redacted] despite being strapped into the car seat, got ahold of the pistol. [redacted] shot herself in the head while playing with it. The gun was loaded, and the safety feature was not enabled. 911 was called immediately and [redacted] was life lighted by helicopter to [redacted] [redacted] was nonresponsive and CPR was initiated. The entire right side of [redacted] body is paralyzed. The exit wound is on the left posterior aspect of

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

the head. The bullet went up into the frontal lobe and back through the left rear of her head (under her left ear). The primary injury is to the left hemisphere of the brain. [redacted] has cerebral edema (brain swelling), brain compression, and a midline shift. Surgeons will be removing a large section of the left frontal and left parietal spheres of [redacted] brain. [redacted] was rushed to the Operation Room and is having a craniotomy. The neurosurgeons informed the family that there is significant neurological devastation, and [redacted] is not expected to survive. If [redacted] does survive, she will have significant neurological damage. The surgery should take about 3-4 hours and something should be known on [redacted] status later this evening. There are no additional injuries noted on [redacted] The injuries are consistent with the explanation. [redacted] does not have any known injuries. [redacted] and [redacted] are currently in the ICU and are inconsolable. [redacted] is with the maternal grandparents ([redacted] and [redacted] no contact information). The location of the uncle is unknown. The police have been notified and the responding officer is the [redacted] Police Chief, [redacted]. It is unknown if any arrest is being made at this time.

-Are there any concerns for the safety of a Department of Childrens Services Case Manager responding to the childs home?
Unknown

-Anything additional to add to this initial report for the responding worker to know prior to response?
No

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-11-04 08:00:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	08:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Community Site	Created Date:	01/12/2023
Completed date:	01/12/2023	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Initial ACV Face To Face		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/12/2023 10:53 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Per Department of Childrens services work aid 2, it is not required for Investigator [redacted] to observe the deceased child.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-11-03 21:07:00.0	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	09:07 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Caretaker Home	Created Date:	11/05/2022
Completed date:	11/10/2022	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Initial ACV Face To Face		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 11/05/2022 08:22 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Date and Time: 11/03/2022 at 2007
Location: [redacted] TN [redacted]
Reason: Initial ACV Face to Face

CM arrived and was greeted by Mr. [redacted] and [redacted] who invited this CM inside. They allowed this CM to see the home and observe [redacted] who was lying in her pack and play. She was wearing a white onesie with colored prints on it. She was supposed to be sleeping but was not fully asleep. This CM did not interact with the child as the grandparents asked that this CM not wake her as it was difficult to get her down to sleep.

They informed this CM that they know only a cursory amount of information regarding what happened, knowing that it was a firearm accident which occurred in [redacted] TN. They also reported to this CM that they had been updated that [redacted] has died. She passed during surgery to relieve pressure and bleeding on her brain. CM extended his sympathy to the family and asked if there was anything they needed at the present time. Ms. [redacted] stated that they got some of [redacted] items from the parents home and they have all that they need at the moment, and they are capable and willing to keep [redacted] as long as needed for the parents.

CM explained that he is not the case manager who will be assigned to the ongoing DCS case but informed them that someone will be in touch with the parents at some point soon and they would also reach out to Mr. and Mrs. [redacted] if necessary. CM thanked the family for their time and left.

CM Miles

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Child Protective Service Investigation Summary and Classification Decision of Child Abuse/Neglect Referral

A. Investigation

Case Name: [redacted]

Investigation ID: [redacted]

Referral Date: 11/03/2022

Assignment Date: 11/05/2022

Street Adress:

City/State/Zip:

B. Allegation

#	Children's Name	DOB	Specific Allegation for Each Child	Alleged Perpetrator's Name	DOB	Classification	Severe Abuse / CSEM	Classified By / Classified Date
1	[redacted]	[redacted]	Abuse Death	[redacted]	[redacted]	Allegation Unsubstantiated / Perpetrator Unsubstantiated	Yes	[redacted] / 02/26/2024
2	[redacted]	[redacted]	Lack of Supervision	[redacted]	[redacted] 12:00 AM	Allegation Unsubstantiated / Perpetrator Unsubstantiated	No	[redacted] / 02/26/2024
3	[redacted]	[redacted]	Abuse Death	[redacted]	[redacted] 12:00 AM	Allegation Unsubstantiated / Perpetrator Unsubstantiated	Yes	[redacted] / 02/26/2024
4	[redacted]	[redacted]	Lack of Supervision	[redacted]	[redacted] 12:00 AM	Allegation Unsubstantiated / Perpetrator Unsubstantiated	No	[redacted] / 02/26/2024

C. Disposition Decision

Disposition Decision:

Comments:

D. Case Workers

Case Worker: [redacted]

Date: 02/26/2024

Team Leader: [redacted]

Date: 02/26/2024

E. Investigation Summary

Instruction: Condense the finding rationale for each allegation relative to the child victim(s). Be sure to identify the facts that provided for the classification decision.

Summarize the key points and dates of the child or children's statements and/or the observation of the child or children's physical state or home environment:

Summarize professional, medical or psychological findings or opinions: What is the collateral's oral or written finding/opinion of the incident(s)/allegation(s)?

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Case Name : [redacted] **Investigation ID:** [redacted]

Summarize alleged perpetrator's statement or admission: What is the perpetrator's explanation of the incident(s)/allegation(s)?

Summarize witnesses' descriptions of what they saw and what they believe indicates child abuse/neglect:

Summarize any other evidence or factors that support the investigative finding(s) for the allegation(s) of abuse/neglect:

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Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date: 11/09/2022**
Assessment Type: SAFETY	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

OVERVIEW

Safety Level: Immediate Intervention Not Recommended	**Assessed at Location:** In the Home
Event Start Date: 02/28/2024	**Last Assessed Date:**
Assessment Status: Approved	**Assessor:** [redacted]
Date Approved: 11/10/2022	**Approver:** [redacted]

PARTICIPANTS

Name	Age	Role	Gender	Person ID	Trauma Score	CSEM Risk
[redacted] (ACV)	1 Yr 3 Mos	Youth	F	[redacted]	N/A	
[redacted] (AP)	27 Yrs	Primary Caregiver	F	[redacted]	N/A	N/A
[redacted] (AP)	29 Yrs	Caregiver	M	[redacted]	N/A	N/A
[redacted] (ACV)	Deceased	Youth	F	[redacted]	N/A	

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FAST 2.0 Assessment Detail Report

Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/09/2022
Assessment Type: SAFETY	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

THE FAMILY TOGETHER

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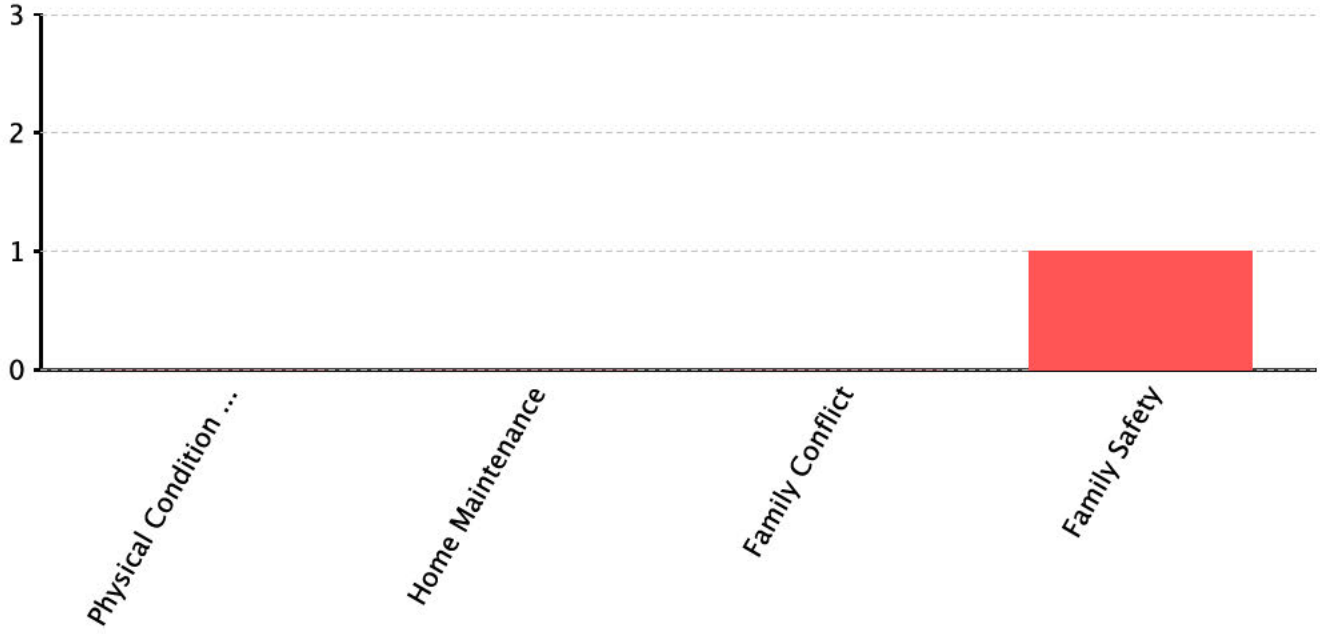

Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Physical Condition of Home	0	No noted concerns.
Home Maintenance	0	No noted concerns.
Family Conflict	0	No noted concerns.
Family Safety	1	CM is concerned for lack of supervision resulting in the child's death, however CM observed all guns and ammunition locked in a gun safe at the home.

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FAST 2.0 Assessment Detail Report

Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/09/2022
Assessment Type: SAFETY	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

CAREGIVERS		
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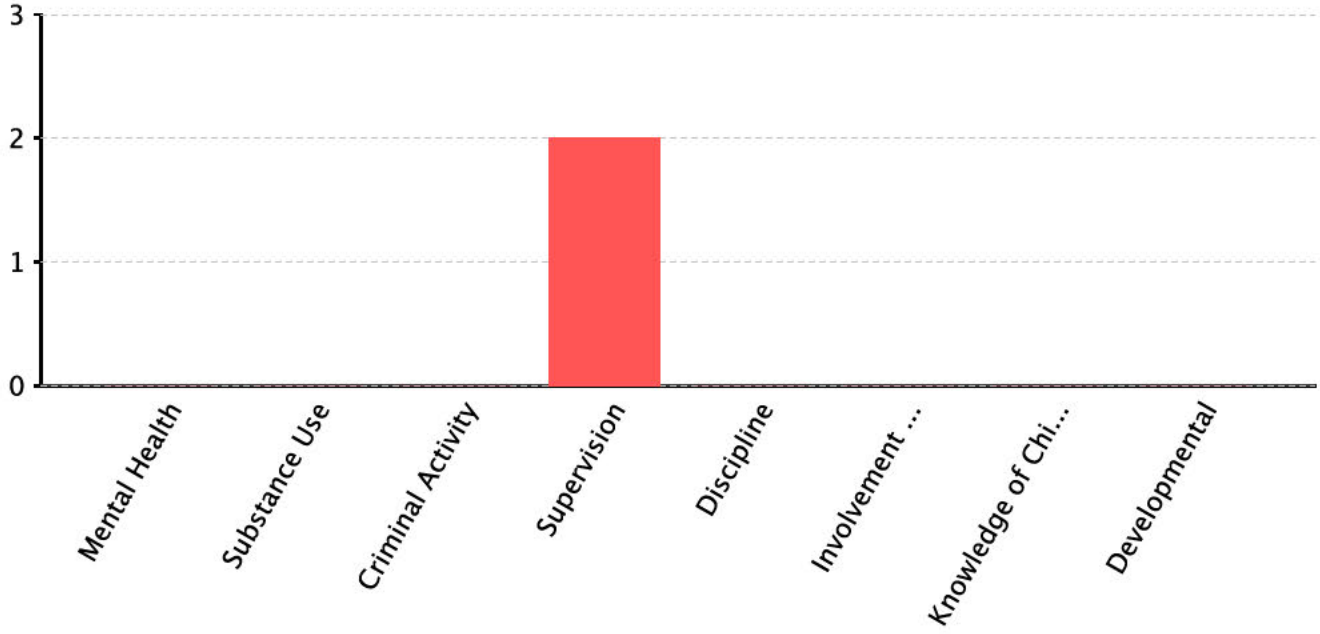
Participant: [redacted]	Person ID: [redacted]	Role: Caregiver



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Mental Health	0	No noted concerns.
Substance Use	0	No noted concerns.
Criminal Activity	0	No noted concerns.
Supervision	2	The child got a hold of the mother's gun and shot herself ultimately ending up in her death. Some of the details are unclear, but preliminary reports are that the safety was not on the gun and that there was a round in the chamber. This was said to be the mother's gun but the father stated that he knew it was in the diaper bag.
Discipline	0	No noted concerns.
Involvement in Caregiving Functions	0	No noted concerns.
Knowledge of Child and Family Needs	0	No noted concerns.
Developmental	0	No noted concerns.

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Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/09/2022
Assessment Type: SAFETY	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

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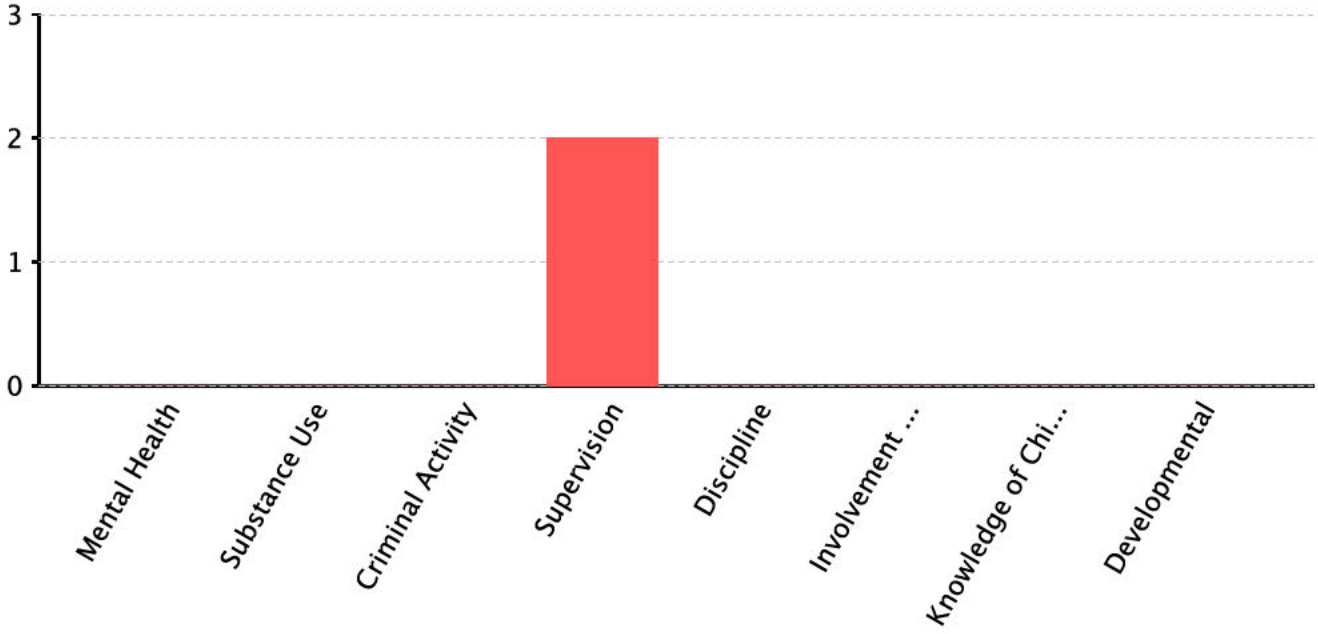

Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Mental Health	0	No noted concerns.
Substance Use	0	No noted concerns.
Criminal Activity	0	No noted concerns.
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Discipline	0	No noted concerns.
Involvement in Caregiving Functions	0	No noted concerns.
Knowledge of Child and Family Needs	0	No noted concerns.
Developmental	0	No noted concerns.

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Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/09/2022
Assessment Type: SAFETY	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

YOUTH		
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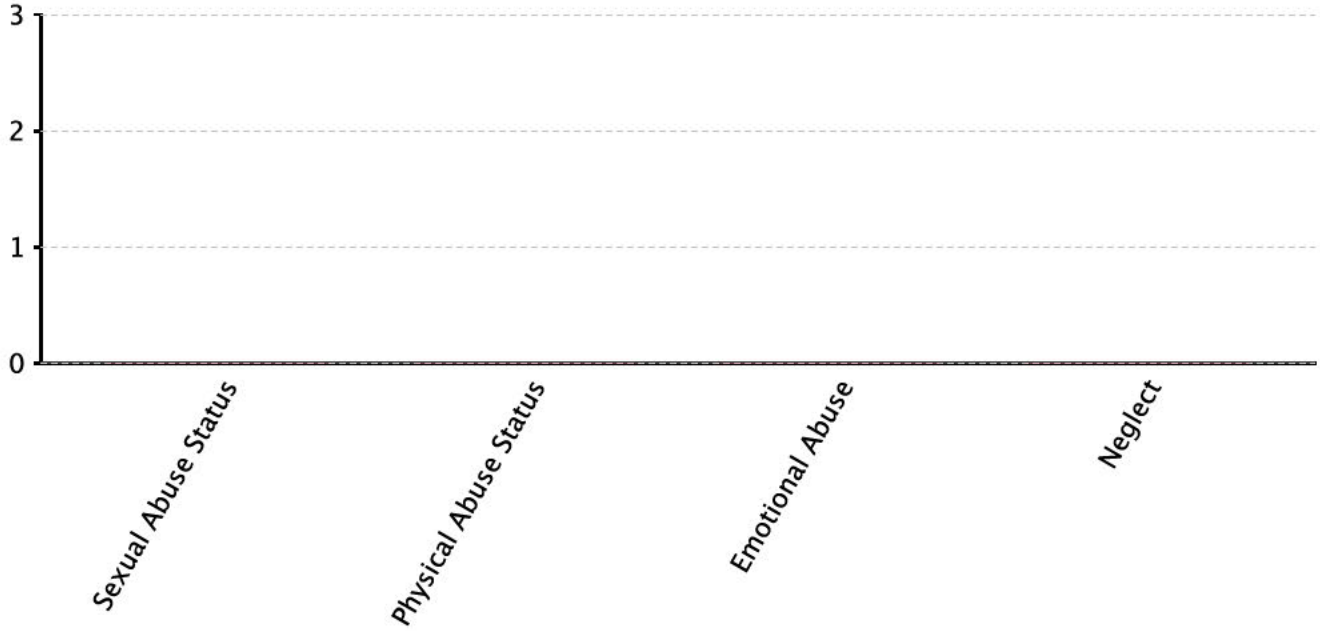
Participant: [redacted]	Person ID: [redacted]	Age:1 Yr 3 Mos



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	No noted concerns.
Physical Abuse Status	0	No noted concerns.
Emotional Abuse	0	No noted concerns.
Neglect	0	No noted concerns.

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Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/09/2022
Assessment Type: SAFETY	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

YOUTH		
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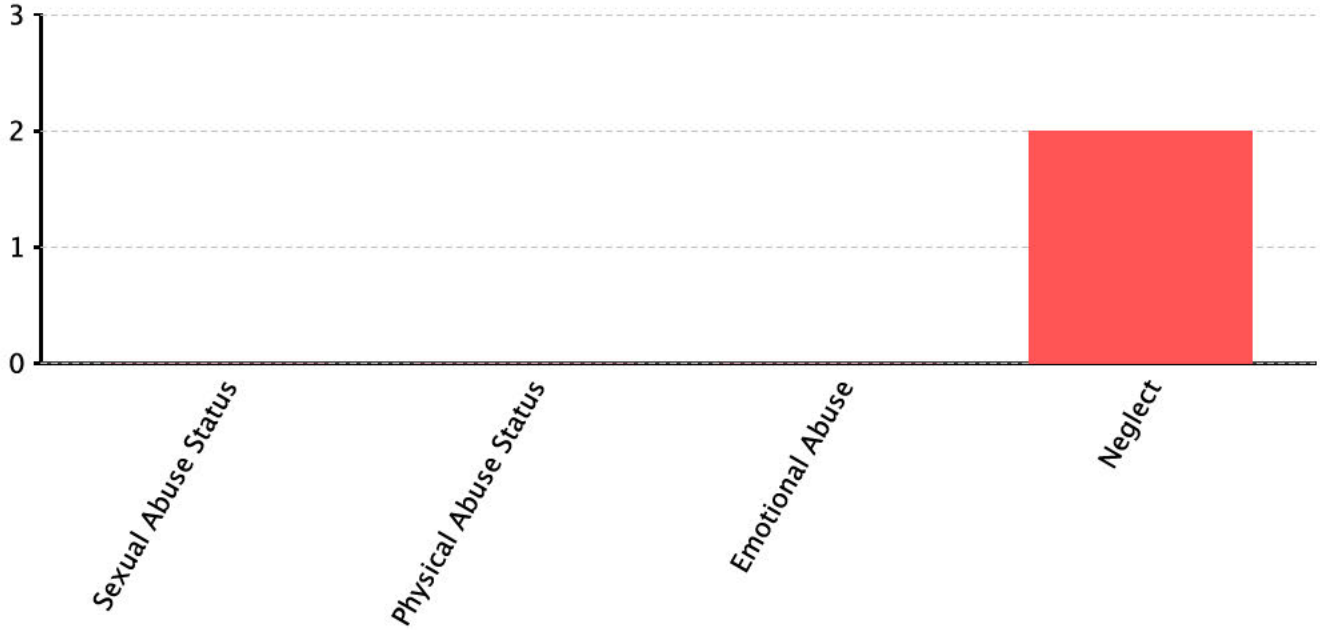

Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	The child is deceased.
Physical Abuse Status	0	The child is deceased.
Emotional Abuse	0	The child is deceased.
Neglect	2	The child ended up passing away due to a gunshot wound to the head. It was reported to this CM that the safety was off on the gun and there was a round in the chamber.

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FAST 2.0 Assessment Summary Report

Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date: 11/16/2022**
Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

OVERVIEW

Safety Level: Immediate Intervention Not Recommended	**Assessed at Location:** In the Home
Risk Level: Moderate Need/Risk	
Event Start Date: 02/28/2024	**Last Assessed Date:** 11/09/2022
Assessment Status: Approved	**Assessor:** [redacted]
Date Approved: 11/16/2022	**Approver:** [redacted]

PARTICIPANTS

Name	Age	Role	Gender	Person ID	Trauma Score	CSEM Risk
[redacted] (ACV)	Deceased	Youth	F	[redacted]	2	Low
[redacted] (AP)	27 Yrs	Primary Caregiver	F	[redacted]	N/A	N/A
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[redacted] (ACV)	1 Yr 3 Mos	Youth	F	[redacted]	0	Low

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FAST 2.0 Assessment Detail Report

Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/16/2022
Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

THE FAMILY TOGETHER

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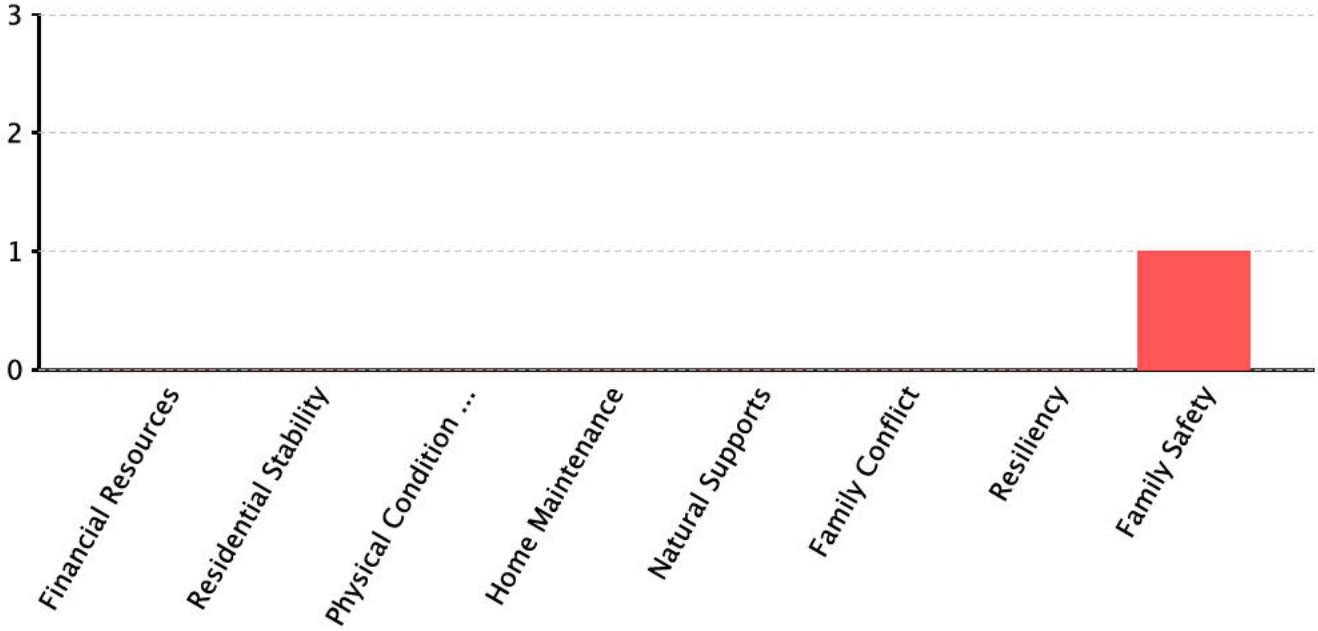

Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Financial Resources	0	No noted concerns.
Residential Stability	0	No noted concerns.
Physical Condition of Home	0	No noted concerns.
Home Maintenance	0	No noted concerns.
Natural Supports	0	No noted concerns.
Family Conflict	0	No noted concerns.
Resiliency	0	No noted concerns.
Family Safety	1	CM is concerned for lack of supervision resulting in the child's death, however CM observed all guns and ammunition locked in a gun safe at the home.

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Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/16/2022
Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

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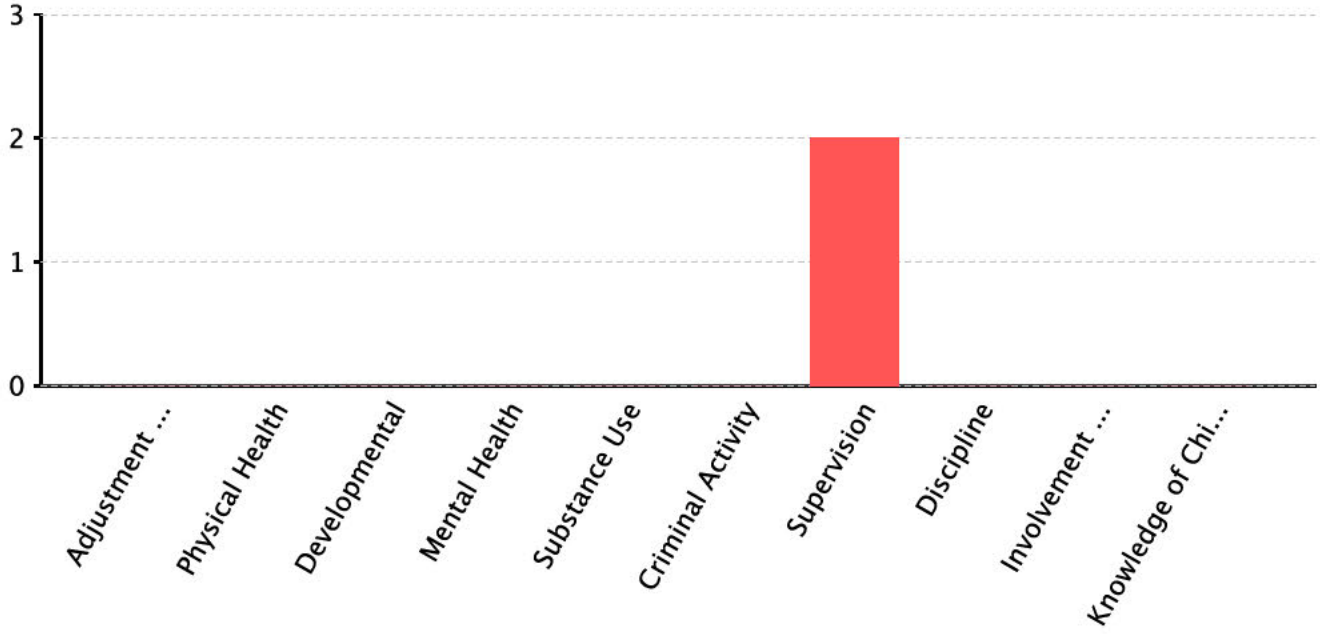

Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Adjustment to Traumatic Experiences	0	No noted concerns.
Physical Health	0	No noted concerns.
Developmental	0	No noted concerns.
Mental Health	0	No noted concerns.
Substance Use	0	No noted concerns.
Criminal Activity	0	No noted concerns.
Supervision	2	The child got a hold of the mother's gun and shot herself ultimately ending up in her death. Some of the details are unclear, but preliminary reports are that the safety was not on the gun and that there was a round in the chamber. This was said to be the mother's gun but the father stated that he knew it was in the diaper bag.
Discipline	0	No noted concerns.
Involvement in Caregiving Functions	0	No noted concerns.

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Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/16/2022
Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

Knowledge of Child and Family Needs	0	No noted concerns.

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Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/16/2022
Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

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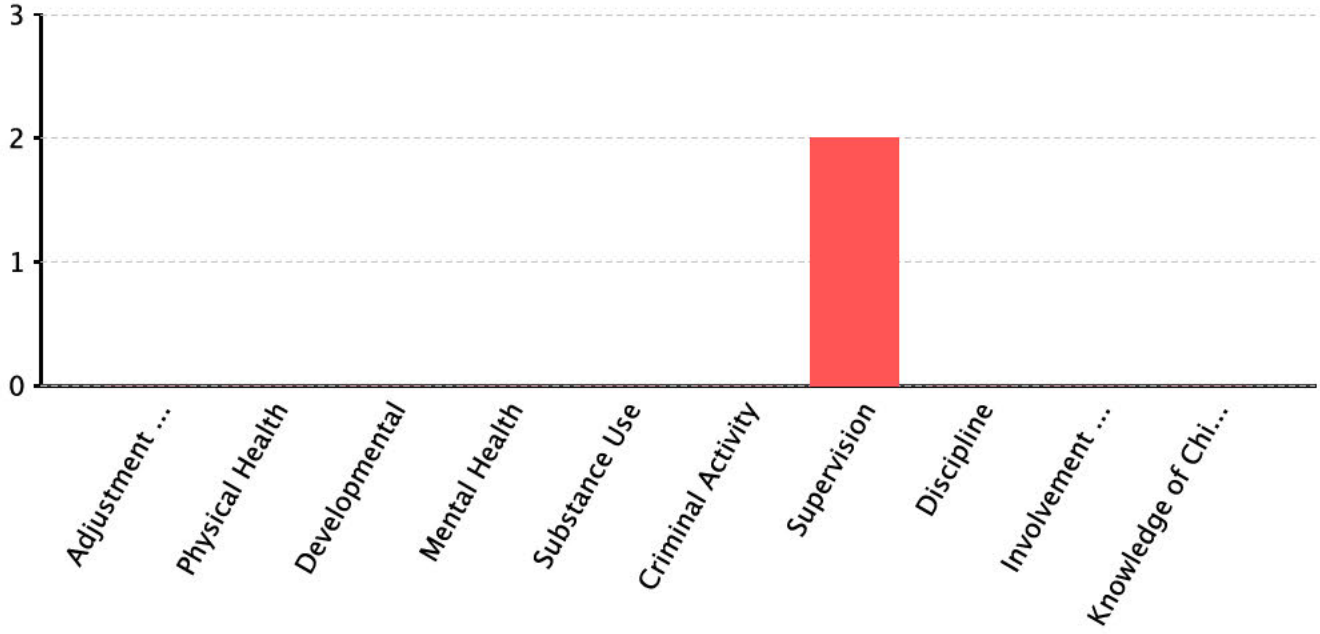

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Discipline	0	No noted concerns.
Involvement in Caregiving Functions	0	No noted concerns.

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FAST 2.0 Assessment Detail Report

Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/16/2022
Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

Knowledge of Child and Family Needs	0	No noted concerns.

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FAST 2.0 Assessment Detail Report

Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/16/2022
Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

YOUTH		
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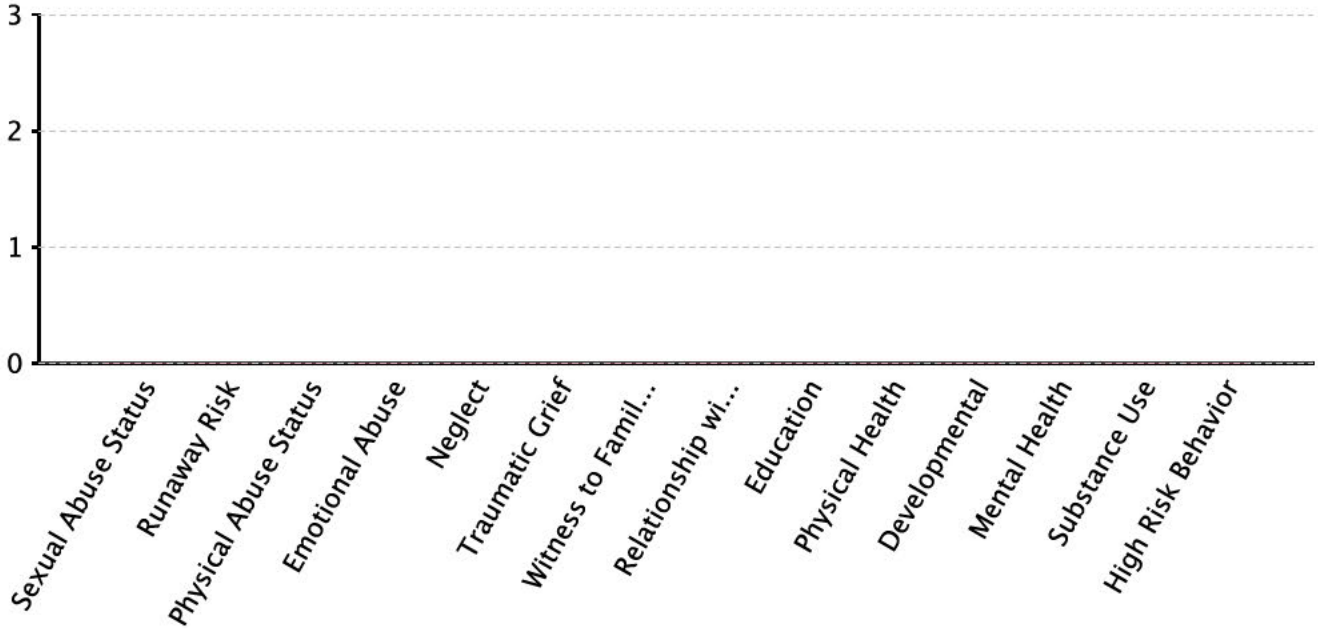

Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	No noted concerns.
Runaway Risk	0	No noted concerns.
Physical Abuse Status	0	No noted concerns.
Emotional Abuse	0	No noted concerns.
Neglect	0	No noted concerns.
Traumatic Grief	0	No noted concerns.
Witness to Family, School or Community Violence	0	No noted concerns.
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	No noted concerns.
Education	NA	
Physical Health	0	No noted concerns.
Developmental	0	No noted concerns.

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FAST 2.0 Assessment Detail Report

Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/16/2022
Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

Mental Health	0	No noted concerns.
Substance Use	0	No noted concerns.
High Risk Behavior	0	No noted concerns.

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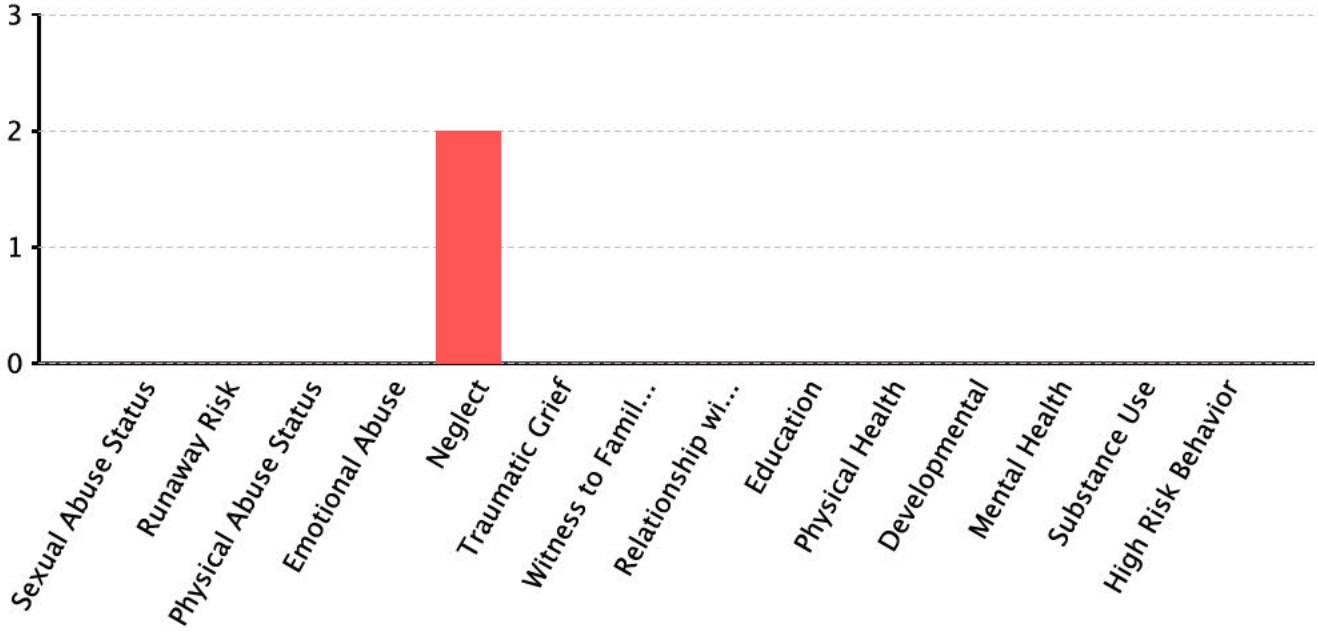
FAST 2.0 Assessment Detail Report

Event Type: CPS Case	**Assessment Date:** 11/16/2022
Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

YOUTH		
This section is used to describe the strengths and needs of all children and youth whose age, at the time of the assessment, is 0 to 18 years.		
Participant: [redacted] (CSEM)	Person ID: [redacted]	Age:Deceased



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	Child is deceased.
Runaway Risk	0	Child is deceased.
Physical Abuse Status	0	Child is deceased.
Emotional Abuse	0	Child is deceased.
Neglect	2	The child ended up passing away due to a gunshot wound to the head. It was reported to this CM that the safety was off on the gun and there was a round in the chamber.
Traumatic Grief	0	Child is deceased.
Witness to Family, School or Community Violence	0	Child is deceased.
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	Child is deceased.
Education	NA	
Physical Health	0	Child is deceased.
Developmental	0	Child is deceased.

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Mental Health	0	Child is deceased.
Substance Use	0	Child is deceased.
High Risk Behavior	0	Child is deceased.