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Intake

Intake ID: [redacted]

Intake Taken By: [redacted]

Intake Date/Time: 02/04/2024 10:32 AM [redacted]

Track Assigned: Investigation

Priority Assigned: 1

Screened By: [redacted]

Date Screened: 02/04/2024

Investigation

Investigation ID: [redacted]

First County/Region Assigned: [redacted]

Date/Time Assigned : 02/05/2024 08:42 AM

First Team Leader Assigned: [redacted]

Date/Time Assigned : 02/04/2023 12:00 AM

First Case Manager Assigned: [redacted]

Date/Time Assigned : 02/04/2023 12:00 AM

Allegations

Alleged Victim	Age	Allegation	Severe ? CSEM ?	Alleged Perpetrator	Relationship to Alleged Victim
[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: E-mail

Narrative: NON-CUSTODIAL CHILD DEATH

Family Case IDs: [redacted]
Associated Case IDs:, [redacted]

Family Case ID Detailed History:
Open Court Custody/FSS/FCIP: no
Closed Court Custody: no

Pending: no
Awaiting Screening: no
Submitted: no

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Open CPS:
INV [redacted] open 1.2.24/DEC: ASPS(not yet approved); EDN, LOS: not classified / CM [redacted], TL [redacted] ACVs)
ASMT [redacted] open 11.27.23/ ENN: not classified/ CM [redacted], TL [redacted] ACV)

Substantiated: No
Death: No

Screen Outs: Yes
[redacted]

History (not listed above): yes
INV [redacted] DEC:AUPU/10.19.2021
ASMT [redacted] DEC: UABC/11.6.2019
ASMT [redacted] MDM: NSN/ 6.19.2019
ASMT [redacted] DEC: SREC/ 5.29.2019
ASMT [redacted] DEC: NSN, UABC/ 1.31.2019
ASMT [redacted] DEC:UABC/12.10.2018

County of Jurisdiction: [redacted]
School/ Daycare: Unknown
Active Military: None

Reporter's Name/Relationship: [redacted]

-Child/Family Identification and Relationship Introduction Paragraph:
[redacted] (25 days, deceased) was residing with her siblings [redacted] (9), [redacted] (8), [redacted] (4), and [redacted] (3) in the care of their paternal grandmother [redacted] (70) in [redacted] County. [redacted] (31) is the children's birth mother and she's currently in rehab. [redacted] (deceased) is the children's birth father.

Also in the home are non-relatives [redacted] (17) and her daughter [redacted] (5 months), of whom [redacted] also reports having custody. [redacted] birth mother is deceased.

Also living in the home is one of [redacted] friends, [redacted] (31).

-Does the child have any special needs or disabilities?
Unknown.

-Are you requesting immediate assistance from DCS to your location, or only an immediate phone call?
Officers are not requesting immediate assistance.

-Please provide a brief summary of the concerns and why DCS is needed to respond immediately.
[redacted] was found deceased in the living room on an air mattress and was laying there with [redacted] and [redacted] were also sleeping on the air mattress. It was reported to officers that [redacted] was born addicted to fentanyl and that's one reason why [redacted] is in rehab and doesn't have custody of her children. [redacted] was who found

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[redacted] deceased. [redacted] called 911 and officers arrived at 509am today 02-04-24. One of the first officers to arrive said they observed [redacted] picking up [redacted] and looking at [redacted] and said, "you've killed this baby". The first officer on scene did perform CPR on [redacted] and she was rushed to the hospital, but she was cold to the touch and already had rigor mortis setting in. It appeared that [redacted] had been deceased for a few hours before officers arrived. [redacted] was transferred to [redacted] Medical Center where she was officially pronounced deceased, but the exact time is unknown. The medical examiner will be collecting [redacted] for an autopsy.

Right now, [redacted] cause of death is unknown. It appears at first glance that [redacted] was rolled over on. There was a bassinet right beside the air mattress where [redacted] was found full of clothes and other items. [redacted] and [redacted] said [redacted] usually sleeps in the bassinet, but it didn't appear that way. [redacted] was telling officers that she was telling [redacted] that he had to be careful because he wanted to sleep in the living room with [redacted] and [redacted] [redacted] was explaining to [redacted] about co-sleeping with [redacted] and how he should be careful. According to [redacted] [redacted] and all the other children were placed with her by DCS. Officers don't believe the other children are in immediate danger. The living conditions aren't great, but they should be fine until DCS could respond.

There were three children ([redacted] [redacted] and [redacted] sleeping on the air mattress in the living room with [redacted] [redacted] was sleeping in her room with [redacted] and [redacted] in her bed. There was a closet with a mattress in it where [redacted] and [redacted] sleep. The apartment is a one bedroom, one bathroom apartment with 9 people residing there. The apartment was very crowded, and the home was very cluttered. There were TVs sitting around on the floors. Officers did find a formula container that [redacted] and [redacted] said they used to fix [redacted] bottles. Inside of the container was brown and moldy. There were roaches observed in the kitchen. The officers that entered the apartment had trouble breathing because of all the cigarette smoke. [redacted] was observed smoking cigarettes in the apartment. [redacted] was not observed doing this.

Police report number: [redacted]

-Are there any concerns for the safety of a Department of Children's Services Case Manager responding to the child's home?
None.

-Anything additional to add to this initial report for the responding worker to know prior to response?
This is an ongoing investigation with LE. [redacted] will be over this case if a CM has any follow up questions.

CM Notation: none
Screener Notation: Companion referrals and ENN allegations were not added due to the open cases containing allegations on all of the children except [redacted] who is of age not to be significantly impacted by the ENN.

Emailed/Paged CPSI On Call: page sent to [redacted] CPS.

Recipients	Time Issued	Response Received	Devices	Responses
[redacted]	02-04-24 12:51:06 PM [redacted]	---	[redacted]	Email Sent
	02-04-24 12:51:06 PM [redacted]	02-04-24 12:52:13 PM [redacted]		+PRIVATE RECEIVED

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

Intake Decision and Screener Signature - INV P1. [redacted] intake TL 2.4.24 @ 1248 - approved by Director [redacted]

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Participant(s)

Name: [redacted]

Gender: Female
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Partipant ID: [redacted]
SSN:
Race:
Age: 18 Yrs
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] [redacted]

Gender: Female

Date of Birth: [redacted]

Partipant ID: [redacted]

SSN:

Race:

Age: 1 Yr 5 Mos

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: Male
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Partipant ID: [redacted]
SSN:
Race:
Age: 9 Yrs
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: | Age: 32 Yrs

Address: [redacted], Tennessee

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact: [redacted]

Contact Type: CELL

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: | Age: 71 Yrs

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]

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

SSN: | Race: | Age: 4 Yrs

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: | Age: 5 Yrs

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: 10 Yrs

Address: [redacted], Tennessee [redacted]

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact: [redacted]

Contact Type: CELL

Contact Comments: [redacted] grandmother

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: | Age: Deceased

Address: [redacted], Tennessee [redacted]

Deceased Date: 02/04/2024

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact: [redacted]

Contact Type: CELL

Contact Comments: [redacted] grandmother

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:

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: | Age: 32 Yrs

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: Yes

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact: [redacted]

Contact Type: CELL

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:	2024-08-20 10:30:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:30 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	08/20/2024
Completed date:	08/20/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): Case Summary

Contact Sub Type: Closing

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/20/2024 10:37 AM Entered By: [redacted]

[redacted] Death Summary

On February 4, 2024; the Department of Childrens Services (DCS) received a referral for an allegation of Abuse Death regarding Alleged Child Victim (ACV) [redacted] (26 Days). The alleged perpetrator was identified as [redacted] (Paternal Grandmother) and [redacted] (household member, no legal or biological relationship). This investigation was assigned to Child Protective Service Investigator (CPSI) [redacted] This case was worked in conjunction with [redacted] Sheriffs Office ([redacted]CSO) Detective, [redacted] and Detective [redacted]

[redacted] (26 days) lived at home with her siblings [redacted] (9 years), [redacted] (8 years), [redacted] (4 years), [redacted] (2 years). Also in the home was [redacted] (paternal grandmother/ current placement), [redacted] (household member, no legal or biological relationship), [redacted] (cousin, 17 years), and [redacted] daughter, 6 months).

On February 4, 2024, due to an open investigation regarding the family Investigation ID [redacted] CASE [redacted] the Department of Children Services were notified of the alleged death of [redacted] Upon receiving information, [redacted] County Sherriffs Office was contacted, and it was confirmed that there was a response to the residence on this date due to the death of [redacted] (26 days)

On February 4, 2024; Case Manager (CM) [redacted] contacted [redacted] County Detective [redacted] and requested his presence at the family home to interview APs [redacted] and [redacted]

CM [redacted] interviewed AP [redacted] at the family home [redacted], Tennessee [redacted] AP [redacted] requested to not have to retell the events due to already telling Detective [redacted] CM [redacted] agreed. CM [redacted] observed AP [redacted] sitting in the kitchen. AP [redacted] did not speak with CM [redacted] either. CM [redacted] observed the home to be a single bedroom home with a kitchen and a living room. Case Manager [redacted] observed a brown blowup couch and two straight back chairs in the living room. There was a bassinet in the living room, however it was full of items and was not being used.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

CM [redacted] interviewed maternal aunt, [redacted] who reported she was willing to take the children, however she admitted to not having appropriate space for the children due to living in a two-bedroom apartment. CM [redacted] observed the children in the family home. CM [redacted] elected to not complete a traditional interview with the youths due to the concerns reported in the referral and the fact that there would be a forensic interview at a later date. CM [redacted] observed [redacted] and [redacted] in the kitchen. [redacted] had a green Star Wars light saber that he was playing with. [redacted] was standing behind Detective [redacted] and pretending to fight with Detective [redacted] as if [redacted] was actually a Jedi. [redacted] was observed staying close to AP [redacted] CM [redacted] observed [redacted] and [redacted] in the living room with AP [redacted] CM [redacted] observed [redacted] sleeping in the bed (located in the bedroom) with a bottle, later. [redacted] and [redacted] both disclosed during conversations they were not enrolled in school and had not been for a long time.

CM [redacted] and On-Call Team Lead (TL) [redacted] implemented an Immediate Protection Plan, IPA, with the family. The children were placed with Ms. [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] The mother will have supervised contact only with no overnight visits with the children. [redacted] would not allow CM to come there to have the IPA signed but did agree to it being emailed and they would have the mother sign this. TL [redacted] staffed this with Legal [redacted] and Team Coordinator (TC) [redacted] The mother was approved to sign and send IPA back due to her not being able to meet in person with CM.

On February 8, 2024; the family presented to [redacted] County Court for the preliminary hearing. During the hearing, the IPA placement reported that they were no longer able to provide for the needs of the children. Due to no least drastic options, [redacted] and [redacted] entered Department of Childrens Services custody via court order.

On February 21, 2024; [redacted] and [redacted] participated in a forensic interview. [redacted] disclosed he was in foster care due to our baby sister died. [redacted] disclosed he was living with his [redacted] and their cousin, [redacted] and her infant daughter. [redacted] disclosed [redacted] who he sometimes refers to as Mom also resided in the home. [redacted] disclosed his mom was at the hospital due to complications after giving birth to [redacted] disclosed his grandmother slept in her room, [redacted] and her daughter slept in a closet, he slept on the couch in the living room, [redacted] and [redacted] slept in chairs in the living room, and [redacted] and [redacted] slept on a blow-up mattress in the living room floor. He disclosed [redacted] slept on [redacted] chest. [redacted] disclosed on the night [redacted] died, he had asked to sleep on the mattress and [redacted] told him dont kick the baby off of me. [redacted] disclosed [redacted] slept in the middle, [redacted] and himself were on either side, and [redacted] was on [redacted] chest. [redacted] disclosed the following morning it was discovered that [redacted] rolled over on the baby and [redacted] was between [redacted] and [redacted] disclosed his [redacted] said [redacted] you killed the baby! [redacted] disclosed [redacted] was pale and her nose had blood on it. [redacted] disclosed there was blood on [redacted] shirt, and possibly [redacted] shirt. [redacted] disclosed [redacted] was wearing a black shirt, so it was hard to tell. [redacted] disclosed the last grade he completed was first grade. [redacted] denied him, [redacted] or [redacted] attending school. [redacted] disclosed when [redacted] and [redacted] were at work, [redacted] would watch the children. [redacted] disclosed his [redacted] drank alcohol and beer sometimes, however [redacted] drank pretty often. [redacted] disclosed his [redacted] smoked cigarettes inside the home, but [redacted] smoked cigarettes outside the home.

[redacted] disclosed she and her siblings are in foster care due to there was still a problem going on. [redacted] disclosed her father died last year and her mother was in rehab. [redacted] disclosed her baby sister was born addicted to drugs and recently died from suffocation. [redacted] disclosed she was living with her brother, [redacted] and sisters, [redacted] and [redacted] their cousin [redacted] and her five-month-old daughter, and [redacted] who [redacted] sometimes refers to as Mom, and her paternal grandmother [redacted] disclosed the night [redacted] died, [redacted] asked to sleep on the blow-up mattress in the living room with her, [redacted] and [redacted] disclosed [redacted] slept in the middle of the mattress with [redacted] and [redacted] on either side, and [redacted] on [redacted] chest. [redacted] disclosed [redacted] told [redacted] not to knock [redacted] off her chest. [redacted] disclosed the following morning, [redacted] said Oh my god [redacted] you killed the baby! [redacted] disclosed there was blood on

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[redacted] nose and on her and [redacted] shirt. [redacted] disclosed [redacted] face was white. [redacted] disclosed the police, and an ambulance came to the home. [redacted] drew a picture of the baby with blood on its nose. [redacted] denied any of the school-age children attending school. [redacted] disclosed either [redacted] or [redacted] would watch the children while the other was at work. [redacted] denied knowledge of the adults using drugs. [redacted] disclosed seeing [redacted] drunk once. [redacted] disclosed both [redacted] and [redacted] smoke cigarettes.

On February 28, 2024; the case was presented to the Child Protective Investigative Team (CPIT) at the monthly meeting. It was agreed that the case would be classified as Allegation Substantiated / Perpetrator Substantiated for the allegations of Child Death by APs [redacted] and [redacted] It was also agreed that the classification for the allegation of Lack of Supervision by AP [redacted] would be Allegation Substantiated / Perpetrator Substantiated. During the already open investigation, there was an Immediate Protection Agreement in place that the youths would reside with AP [redacted] AP [redacted] was allowed to assist during the day; however, she was not allowed to be in the home overnight. AP [redacted] admitted to sleeping with [redacted] on her chest; [redacted] and [redacted] confirmed AP [redacted] were living in the home. AP [redacted] stated she woke up with [redacted] on the other side of [redacted] however this does not align with what the youths stated about how they woke up. Although there was a bassinet in the home, it was full of items and was not being utilized for [redacted] based on admissions and disclosures the family was not practicing safe sleep, which is what led to [redacted] death. AP [redacted] was explained Safe Sleep a minimum of three times. AP [redacted] was neither following directive from DCS nor practicing safe sleep. There is a history of arrests of AP [redacted] for substance usage. AP [redacted] submitted to a urine drug screen on February 4, 2024; it is believed AP [redacted] put the cup in the toilet, dumped out the toilet water and then urinated in the cup as this would have caused the drug screen to be negative, the temperature to read at a normal body temperature, and the liquid in the cup to be yellow. The cup was wet when provided to CM [redacted] There were multiple concerns reported for AP [redacted] using illicit substances.

On June 13, 2024; the final autopsy was received for [redacted] The autopsy stated, The decedent was a 26-day-old phenotypic female who was reportedly discovered unresponsive on an air mattress while co-sleeping with an adult and two other children. There were concerns for overlay from the investigation. Per report the decedent had been treated for fentanyl addiction at the time of birth. Autopsy showed a well-developed infant body with female phenotype. The lungs showed moderate to-severe edema and congestion. There was no evidence of traumatic injury of congenital abnormality to explain the death. There were areas of pallor surrounding the nose and mouth. Toxicological studies performed on postmortem femoral blood and did not detect drugs included in the panel. Vitreous fluid testing results consistent with postmortem interval changes. Microscopic examination showed edema of the lungs and no significant histopathologic changes to the other organs. Death was caused by asphyxia due to overlay. Reports of the death investigation and autopsy findings indicate the manner of death to be accident.

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.
There is a preponderance of evidence that supports the substantiation for all allegations against [redacted] and [redacted] This case will be closed and classified as Allegation Unsubstantiated, Perpetrator Unsubstantiated for Abuse Death against [redacted] and [redacted] due to the autopsy reporting that the childs death was related to lack of safe sleep. The case will be closed and classified as Allegation Substantiated, Perpetrator Substantiated for Lack of Supervision against [redacted]

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2024-08-02 14:15:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	02:15 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	08/02/2024
Completed date:	08/02/2024	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: 08/02/2024 02:16 PM Entered By: [redacted]

On this date and time this investigation was reviewed for closure by LI [redacted] All investigative tasks or good faith efforts have been completed and sufficient evidence was found to support the allegation of Abuse Death and Lack of Supervision against ACV(s) by the AP(s), The allegation of LOS against the ACV by the AP have been classified as ASPS, due to: Ms. [redacted] was instructed not to allow Ms. [redacted] to reside in the home, however Ms. [redacted] and the youth reported Ms. [redacted] was residing in the home. Ms. [redacted] was not following the sleep recommendations for the older four children as laid out by the Department. Ms. [redacted] lied about her granddaughter and great-granddaughter residing in the home and the age of her granddaughter. Ms. [redacted] was explained safe sleep 3x, however was not using either basinet in the home for [redacted] and they were both filled with other items. Ms. [redacted] was not protective of the children and did not ensure their well-being while in a caregiving role. Ms. [redacted] actions and lack there of were a direct result of the demise of [redacted] and [redacted] have displayed signs of trauma due to the death of [redacted] The allegation of Abuse Death against the ACV by the AP has been classified as ASPS, due to: Ms. [redacted] was not supposed to be in the home over night, Ms. [redacted] reported she was sleeping with [redacted] on her chest and woke up with [redacted] on the other side of [redacted] however the youths reported [redacted] was between [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] there were several reports of Ms. [redacted] using drugs while in a caregiving role of the children; Ms. [redacted] faked a drug screen the day of the death by dipping the cup in the water and then urinating in the cup; there were two bassinets in the room and Ms. [redacted] was not practicing safe sleep; [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] had blood down the side of her; [redacted] reported always sleeping on the blowup couch with Ms. [redacted] and [redacted] Ms. [redacted] and [redacted] were all on a blow up couch at the time of the death. There is a history of substance usage by Ms. [redacted] Initially an IPA was completed with relatives; however at the preliminary hearing, it was noted that the family was no longer able to provide care for the youth. [redacted] and [redacted] entered DCS custody on 2.8.2024. The FAST was completed 02.05.2024, immediate intervention recommended, high need/risk. A closing FAST was completed 8.2.2024.

District Attorney and Juvenile court will be notified in accordance with county policy.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2024-08-02 10:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	10:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	08/20/2024
Completed date:	08/20/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): ACV Interview/Observation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/20/2024 10:38 AM Entered By: [redacted]

The youths are currently in State Custody and placed in a Foster Home. Team Leader [redacted] is assigned the case currently and will ensure the youths are interviewed/observed for the month of August.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	System Completed
Contact Date:	2024-07-19 10:00:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	08/02/2024
Completed date:	08/19/2024	Completed By:	System Completed

Purpose(s):

Contact Type(s): Administrative Review

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: Entered By:

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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:	2024-07-19 10:00:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	08/06/2024
Completed date:	08/06/2024	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: 08/06/2024 12:26 PM Entered By: [redacted]

LI [redacted] staffed this case on this date; P1 Assessment received with allegations of LOS and Abuse Death against the ACV by AP; At the time of case assignment, an IPA was completed with maternal family. However, the family presented to court on 2.8.2024 and stated that they could not continue to care for the children. No other placement options were provided; therefore, the children entered DCS custody through court order in [redacted] County. SS [redacted] is the assigned worker for the children/family. It is reported that the children have been adjusting well and there are no known concerns at the foster familys residence. The autopsy was received in June 2024, this is uploaded under the ACV's person profile. The death summary and check list will be completed and reviewed by the TC.

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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:	2024-07-11 10:04:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	10:04 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	07/11/2024
Completed date:	07/11/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 07/11/2024 10:08 AM Entered By: [redacted]

The youths are currently in State Custody and placed in a Foster Home. Team Leader [redacted] is assigned the case currently and will ensure the youths are interviewed/observed for the month of July.

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Case Recording Summary

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Created In Error
Contact Date:	2024-07-11 10:02:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	10:02 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	07/11/2024
Completed date:	07/11/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 07/11/2024 10:03 AM Entered By: [redacted]

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FSW [redacted] had a face to face with the children on 6/3 at the resource home. FSW entered the home and observed it to be well kept and free of clutter. FSW sat down with Ms. [redacted] first to get an update on how the children were doing. [redacted] an [redacted] are on the wait list still for play therapy for two different providers, one in [redacted] and one in [redacted] [redacted] was supposed to have his first therapy session but the provider called and rescheduled for 6/18 and it is undetermined how often he will receive this. [redacted] gets in home therapy 2x a week, Monday and Wednesday and overall is going well. Ms. [redacted] reported the therapy to be starting into the grief and feelings of the loss before diving right into the trauma. Also reported that [redacted] admits to blaming herself a lot for her sister's death and shows signs of embarrassment and shame. [redacted] has TEIS 1x a week in the home that is going well. Some of the things they work on are similar to play therapy while she is on the wait list. The children are sleeping well overall. Ms. [redacted] reported [redacted] to sometimes talk and cry in his sleep but does not talk about it when he is awake. The children are also all reported to be eating well with no concerns and [redacted] eating has improved with her eating more than what she had been. FSW then went upstairs to speak with all four of the children, FSW observed all four children to be dressed appropriately and free of marks and bruises. FSW sat on the floor in the upstairs living room with the kids to talk. [redacted] and [redacted] reported to be happy to be on summer break but missed their friends. They both finished out the school year with good grades and were very proud of themselves. [redacted] reported therapy to be going well and that she liked her therapist. [redacted] is open about going to therapy as well and is still waiting. The children asked FSW when their next visit with their mother is and FSW let them know she did not know at this time because that is typically set up with the provider who runs the theraputic visitation. The children reported their visits with their mom they have had to go well and their mom has brought food for them to eat, salsburry steak and mashed potatoes and corn from the microwavable meal. [redacted] and [redacted] were happy to see FSW and played with her name badge and both said they were doing good. The children reported to play outside a lot through the summer with the weather being warm. THe children were going to play with water balloons following FSW's visit. The children reported to be sleeping well

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and eating well when FSW asked them. FSW also asked during this private conversation if the children felt safe in the home and they all four reported they did feel safe.

It should be noted CM [redacted] did not interview/observe the children this month. The children are in State Custody and interviewed/observed monthly in the Foster Home by the Social Services Case Manager assigned the case.

Narrative Type: Created In Error Entry Date/Time: 07/11/2024 10:04 AM Entered By: [redacted]

Incorrect note entered.

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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:	2024-06-14 08:30:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	08:30 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	06/14/2024
Completed date:	06/14/2024	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: 06/14/2024 02:28 PM Entered By: [redacted]

LI [redacted] staffed this case on this date; P1 Assessment received with allegations of LOS and Abuse Death against the ACV by AP; At the time of case assignment, an IPA was completed with maternal family. However, the family presented to court on 2.8.2024 and stated that they could not continue to care for the children. No other placement options were provided; therefore, the children entered DCS custody through court order in [redacted] County. SS [redacted] is the assigned worker for the children/family. It is reported that the children have been adjusting well and there are no known concerns at the foster familys residence.

The autopsy for baby [redacted] was reviewed at this time and date. The cause of death for [redacted] was ruled to be Asphyxia due to Overlay, and the manner of death was ruled accidental in relation to unsafe sleep on an air mattress with the caregiver and siblings. The child's toxicology report showed no substances in her system and no other medical conditions were noted. The autopsy report will be uploaded into TFACTs under [redacted] person profile.

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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:	2024-06-03 08:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	08:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Caretaker Home	Created Date:	07/11/2024
Completed date:	07/11/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 07/11/2024 10:02 AM Entered By: [redacted]

FSW [redacted] had a face to face with the children on 6/3 at the resource home. FSW entered the home and observed it to be well kept and free of clutter. FSW sat down with Ms. [redacted] first to get an update on how the children were doing. [redacted] an [redacted] are on the wait list still for play therapy for two different providers, one in [redacted] and one in [redacted] was supposed to have his first therapy session but the provider called and rescheduled for 6/18 and it is undetermined how often he will receive this. [redacted] gets in home therapy 2x a week, Monday and Wednesday and overall is going well. Ms. [redacted] reported the therapy to be starting into the grief and feelings of the loss before diving right into the trauma. Also reported that [redacted] admits to blaming herself a lot for her sister's death and shows signs of embarrassment and shame. [redacted] has TEIS 1x a week in the home that is going well. Some of the things they work on are similar to play therapy while she is on the wait list. The children are sleeping well overall. Ms. [redacted] reported [redacted] to sometimes talk and cry in his sleep but does not talk about it when he is awake. The children are also all reported to be eating well with no concerns and [redacted] eating has improved with her eating more than what she had been. FSW then went upstairs to speak with all four of the children, FSW observed all four children to be dressed appropriately and free of marks and bruises. FSW sat on the floor in the upstairs living room with the kids to talk. [redacted] and [redacted] reported to be happy to be on summer break but missed their friends. They both finished out the school year with good grades and were very proud of themselves. [redacted] reported therapy to be going well and that she liked her therapist. [redacted] is open about going to therapy as well and is still waiting. The children asked FSW when their next visit with their mother is and FSW let them know she did not know at this time because that is typically set up with the provider who runs the theraputic visitation. The children reported their visits with their mom they have had to go well and their mom has brought food for them to eat, salsburry steak and mashed potatoes and corn from the microwavable meal. [redacted] and [redacted] were happy to see FSW and played with her name badge and both said they were doing good. The children reported to play outside a lot through the summer with the weather being warm. THe children were going to play with water balloons following FSW's visit. The children reported to be sleeping well and eating well when FSW asked them. FSW also asked during this private conversation if the children felt safe in the home and they all four reported they did feel safe.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

It should be noted CM [redacted] did not interview/observe the children this month. The children are in State Custody and interviewed/observed monthly in the Foster Home by the Social Services Case Manager assigned the case.

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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:	2024-05-10 08:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	08:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Caretaker Home	Created Date:	07/11/2024
Completed date:	07/11/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 07/11/2024 10:00 AM Entered By: [redacted]

On 5/10, FSW [redacted] drove to Ms. [redacted] home to have a face to face with the four children, [redacted] and [redacted] FSW was greeted by the children when she pulled into the driveway as they were all playing outside. FSW observed all four children to be dressed appropriately and free of marks and bruises. The children ran up to FSW and gave her hugs before FSW went inside to speak to Ms. [redacted] the foster parent before speaking to the children. Ms. [redacted] reported [redacted] started TEIS in home therapy every Thursday weekly and has gone well. [redacted] has in home therapy twice a week on Monday and Wednesdays and [redacted] does like her therapist. [redacted] was recommended therapy based on his mental health evaluation but [redacted] has not reached back out to schedule that, FSW will follow up. Ms. [redacted] reported all children to be sleeping well, however, sometimes [redacted] will cry in the middle of the night both while being awake and asleep. Ms. [redacted] children are eating well but [redacted] still is picky and eating minimal but has gotten better. Ms. [redacted] reported the children have continued to ask about their mom but they do not have another visit set up at this time due to [redacted] not being able to get in touch with [redacted] mother. FSW then spoke with the children at the dining room table alone about how they were doing. [redacted] and [redacted] reported they were happy to about to be out of school but were going to miss the new friends they made. Both children have great grades with no concerns. All four kids reported to have been playing outside a lot with the weather being nice and also enjoying when the foster parents take them out to eat, especially Red Lobster. [redacted] reported to be enjoying therapy with her new in home therapist and stated that she was cool and easy to talk to. [redacted] asked if he was going to have to talk to a therapist and FSW told him yes but she still needed to work out a couple details for him to start. [redacted] asked FSW when he would be seeing his mother again and FSW told [redacted] she did not know at this time unfortunately because FSW does not set up the visits for them. [redacted] understood. FSW asked the children how there last visit with their mother went and all four kids reported that the visit went well and [redacted] and [redacted] stated that they wanted another one soon. [redacted] and [redacted] were involved in the conversation but asked FSW about unrelated things, light hearted things. FSW asked all the children how they were sleeping and all reported to be sleeping good. FSW also asked the children if they felt safe in the foster home and they reported they did feel safe.

It should be noted CM [redacted] did not interview/observe the children this month. The children are in State Custody and interviewed/observed monthly in the Foster Home by the Social Services Case Manager assigned the case.

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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:	2024-05-09 10:00:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	05/21/2024
Completed date:	05/21/2024	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: 05/21/2024 10:14 AM Entered By: [redacted]

LI [redacted] staffed this case on this date; P1 Assessment received with allegations of LOS and Abuse Death against the ACV by AP; At the time of case assignment, an IPA was completed with maternal family. However, the family presented to court on 2.8.2024 and stated that they could not continue to care for the children. No other placement options were provided; therefore, the children entered DCS custody through court order in [redacted] County. SS [redacted] is the assigned worker for the children/family. It is reported that the children have been adjusting well and there are no known concerns at the foster familys residence. The autopsy is still pending at this time.

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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:	2024-04-18 11:30:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	11:30 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	04/18/2024
Completed date:	04/18/2024	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: 04/18/2024 08:52 PM Entered By: [redacted]

LI [redacted] staffed this case on this date; P1 Assessment received with allegations of LOS and Abuse Death against the ACV by AP; At the time of case assignment, an IPA was completed with maternal family. However, the family presented to court on 2.8.2024 and stated that they could not continue to care for the children. No other placement options were provided; therefore, the children entered DCS custody through court order in [redacted] County. SS [redacted] is the assigned worker for the children/family. It is reported that the children have been adjusting well and there are no known concerns at the foster familys residence. The autopsy is still pending at this time.

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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:	2024-04-09 08:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	08:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Community Site	Created Date:	07/11/2024
Completed date:	07/11/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 07/11/2024 09:59 AM Entered By: [redacted]

On 4/9, FSW [redacted] traveled to the foster home to have a face to face visit with [redacted] and [redacted] FSW was greeted by Ms. [redacted] the foster parent, and was invited into the home. FSW observed the foster home to be tidy and free of clutter. FSW spoke with Ms. [redacted] in the kitchen alone about how the children have been doing overall with everything. Ms. [redacted] reported the children have all done well overall recently. Their behaviors have gotten better after the therapeutic visitation they have had with their mother. [redacted] and [redacted] are on the waiting list for play therapy and [redacted] and [redacted] have completed their mental health evaluation and are waiting for the results and recommendations of how often they will need therapy. [redacted] reported that [redacted] has been having a really hard time with regulating her emotions and always thinks she is in trouble even if she is not and just simply being redirected or corrected. [redacted] will cry uncontrollably and have tantrums where she sometimes will hurt herself by clawing/scratching her face and pulling her hair. [redacted] also seems to show a lot of attachment issues and always wants to be on or near her sisters, [redacted] and [redacted] If she is separated from either of them for even a brief moment, she is very upset and cries. Ms. [redacted] also reported some comments [redacted] has made about how they were punished such as to stay in a closet space or left in the car and how [redacted] will elbow him and correct him that is not how things happened as if [redacted] is trying to cover up and keep things a secret. [redacted] was also asking constantly about her hair follicle drug screen and curious if she tested positive for anything. [redacted] is unaware that her little sisters tested positive for fentanyl. Ms. [redacted] also reported some concerns with [redacted] lack of appetite and eating. She reports [redacted] will eat a little but reports to not be hungry or full, she is encouraged to eat more and usually does so she can stay healthy. FSW wrapped up her conversation with Ms. [redacted] before heading upstairs to speak with [redacted] and [redacted] FSW was greeted by the children all giving FSW a hug and big smiles. FSW observed all four children to be dressed appropriately and free of marks and bruises. FSW and all the children sat on the floor and talked. All children reported to be doing well and playing outside a lot. [redacted] and [redacted] reported to be doing well in school and still enjoying it and making friends and maintaining good grades. [redacted] and [redacted] asked when they would see their mom again and FSW told them she did not know since Ms. [redacted] health connect provider, was setting up their visitation and supervising it. FSW asked the children how they have all been sleeping and all the children reported to be sleeping well. FSW asked the children about how they have been eating and all reported to be eating fine. FSW asked [redacted] about how her appetite has been and [redacted] stated her appetite has been small and she gets full and does not want to eat a lot due to not being hungry. [redacted]

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reports she does like what Ms. [redacted] cooks so it is not related to that. The children stated they all like when Ms. [redacted] cooks and their favorite things she cooks are cheeseburgers and tacos. The children also reported to enjoy going out to eat with their foster parents. None of the children are on medications at this time. FSW asked the children if they feel safe in the foster home privately before leaving and all children reported they did feel safe and there are no safety concerns at this time.

It should be noted CM [redacted] did not interview/observe the children this month. The children are in State Custody and interviewed/observed monthly in the Foster Home by the Social Services Case Manager assigned the case.

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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:	2024-03-15 08:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	08:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Caretaker Home	Created Date:	07/11/2024
Completed date:	07/11/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 07/11/2024 09:58 AM Entered By: [redacted]

On 3/15 FSW [redacted] had a face to face at the foster home with [redacted] and [redacted] FSW was welcomed into the home by Mrs. [redacted] FSW observed the home to be well kept and free of clutter. FSW first spoke with Mrs. [redacted] in the kitchen about how the children were doing . Mrs. [redacted] reported the children have been doing well overall and [redacted] and [redacted] have adjusted very well in school. Mrs. [redacted] did report some concerns for the childrens behaviors after the video Zoom call with their mother. Mrs. [redacted] reported all four children to be very sad the remainder of the night following their video call with their mother. [redacted] was observed to hold in a lot of her emotions and sadness and goes to the bathroom to cry. [redacted] is very vocal with his emotions and will just cry for extended periods of time. [redacted] and [redacted] also do have sadness episodes following the video call but are redirected more easily due to their young ages. Mrs. [redacted] also reported to FSW that one of the new children in her foster home is around same age as [redacted] and her and [redacted] in the beginning had a couple little arguments consisting of who has more trauma between the two of them. Mrs. [redacted] did not intervene too much to allow the children to work it out together and the two girls did and ended up bonding over both gone through trauma and have used it to be friends and bond. FSW and the foster parent spoke about how the children were sleeping and the only concern was [redacted] and [redacted] are having nightmares at night but seem to get better. Mrs. [redacted] reported no issues with the childrens appetite. FSW then went upstairs to where the children were to check in with them as well as speak to them all privately without the foster parent. FSW was happily greeted by the children when FSW went upstairs and observed all four children to be free of marks and bruises and dressed appropriately. FSW asked the children how they were doing overall and all four children reported to be doing well and enjoying the nice weather and playing outside more. FSW asked [redacted] and [redacted] how school was going and both children reported school to be going well and they are enjoying it and continue to make friends. [redacted] asked when they would be able to see their mom again and FSW reported to not know because another provider sets that up because it is court ordered supervised therapeutic visitation. [redacted] understood. FSW asked the children if they knew their great aunt [redacted] who is currently the ICPC placement that is being worked on. [redacted] stated they have visited her in Alabama, where Ms. [redacted] had lived previously. FSW asked all four children if they felt safe in the foster home and the children stated they did feel safe. There are no safety concerns at this time.

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Case Recording Summary

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

It should be noted CM [redacted] did not interview/observe the children this month. The children are in State Custody and interviewed/observed monthly in the Foster Home by the Social Services Case Manager assigned the case.

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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:	2024-03-01 10:00:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	04/02/2024
Completed date:	04/02/2024	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: 04/02/2024 10:27 AM Entered By: [redacted]

LI [redacted] staffed this case on this date; P1 Assessment received with allegations of LOS and Abuse Death against the ACV by AP; At the time of case assignment, an IPA was completed with maternal family. However, the family presented to court on 2.8.2024 and stated that they could not continue to care for the children. No other placement options were provided; therefore, the children entered DCS custody through court order in [redacted] County. SS [redacted] is the assigned worker for the children/family. It is reported that the children have been adjusting well and there are no known concerns at the foster familys residence. The mother, [redacted] is allowed supervised visitation at this time.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

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Contact Date:	2024-02-21 14:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	02:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Community Site	Created Date:	02/22/2024
Completed date:	02/22/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 02/22/2024 03:16 AM Entered By: [redacted]

[redacted] an 8-year-old Caucasian male, participated in a Forensic Interview at the [redacted] Judicial District Child Advocacy Center on 2/21/2024. [redacted] presented as a typically developing child who demonstrated narrative practice. He was accompanied by his sister, [redacted] and [redacted] with the Department of Childrens Services.

[redacted] said that he and his siblings were currently in foster care because our baby sister died. [redacted] said until recently he and his four sisters were living with their paternal grandmother [redacted] their 17-year-old cousin [redacted] and her infant daughter, and a woman named [redacted] who he sometimes refers to as Mom. [redacted] said his mother was in the hospital for complications following the birth of his sister [redacted] who was 25 days old at the time of her death. [redacted] said his grandmother slept in her own room, [redacted] and her daughter slept in a closet, he usually slept on a couch in the living room, his two younger sisters slept in chairs in the living room or with their grandmother, and [redacted] and [redacted] slept on a blow-up mattress on the living room floor. [redacted] said baby [redacted] slept on [redacted] chest.

[redacted] said on the night of the death, he had asked to sleep on the mattress on the floor. He said [redacted] told him to be careful and dont kick the baby off of me in his sleep. [redacted] said that night, [redacted] slept in the middle of the mattress with [redacted] on one side and [redacted] on the other and the baby on [redacted] chest. He said in the morning it was discovered that [redacted] had rolled over and the baby was between [redacted] and [redacted] and was dead. [redacted] said his grandmother said, [redacted] you killed the baby! [redacted] said the baby was pale and her nose had bled. He said there was blood on [redacted] shirt and possibly on [redacted] shirt, but he said [redacted] shirt was black, so it was hard to tell.

[redacted] said the last grade he was in was the first grade and that he, [redacted] and [redacted] did not attend school at all this year until he and [redacted] went into foster care. He said when [redacted] and [redacted] were at work [redacted] would watch the children.

[redacted] said his grandmother would drink alcohol and beer sometimes, but he said [redacted] drank pretty often. He said both his grandmother and [redacted] smoked cigarettes, [redacted] outside and his grandmother inside the apartment.

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Case Recording Summary

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

[redacted] a 9-year-old Caucasian female, participated in a Forensic Interview at the [redacted] Judicial District Child Advocacy Center on 2/21/2024. [redacted] presented as a typically developing child who demonstrated narrative practice. She was accompanied by her brother, [redacted] and [redacted] with the Department of Childrens Services.

[redacted] said she and her siblings were in foster care because there was still a problem going on. She said her father died last year, her mother was in rehab, and her baby sister was born addicted to drugs and recently died from suffocation. [redacted] said prior to being in foster care she and her brother [redacted] her sisters [redacted] and [redacted] their 17-year-old cousin [redacted] and her 5-month-old daughter; and a woman named [redacted] all lived in an apartment with their paternal grandmother who she calls [redacted] sometimes refers to [redacted] as Mom.

[redacted] said on the night of the death of [redacted] her brother [redacted] asked to sleep on the blow-up mattress on the floor of the living room with her, [redacted] and baby [redacted] who was 25 days old. [redacted] said [redacted] slept in the middle of the mattress with [redacted] on one side and [redacted] on the other and [redacted] on [redacted] chest; [redacted] drew a picture of this. [redacted] said [redacted] told [redacted] not to knock the baby off her chest while he slept. [redacted] said in the morning her grandmother discovered that the baby had slipped off [redacted] chest, falling between [redacted] and [redacted] and was dead. [redacted] said her grandmother said, Oh my god [redacted] you killed the baby! [redacted] said there was blood on the babys nose and that blood got on her and [redacted] shirt; she drew a picture of the baby with blood on its nose and she said the face was white. [redacted] said the police and an ambulance came.

[redacted] said none of the school-age children attended school this year. She said that either [redacted] or [redacted] watched the children when the other adult was at work. [redacted] said to her knowledge none of the adults used drugs but said she did see [redacted] drunk once. She said both her grandmother and [redacted] smoke cigarettes.

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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:	2024-02-16 11:30:00	Contact Method:	Attempted Face To Face
Contact Time:	11:30 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Community Site	Created Date:	02/22/2024
Completed date:	02/22/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 02/22/2024 03:11 AM Entered By: [redacted]

On 16.Feb.2024, CM [redacted] and FSW [redacted] picked [redacted] and [redacted] up at [redacted] Elementary and transported them to the Child Advocacy Center in [redacted] County for a Forensic Interview. [redacted] became car sick on the way to the CAC and stated she thought she was going to throw up while at the CAC. The interviewer refused to complete the interview.

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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:	2024-02-09 11:39:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	11:39 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 02:52 PM Entered By: [redacted]

On 09.February.2024, Case Manager [redacted] received an email from [redacted] with [redacted] Ms. [redacted] attached the certificate of completion and discharge letter. Both documents are now uploaded 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:	2024-02-09 10:00:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	03/05/2024
Completed date:	03/05/2024	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: 03/05/2024 11:56 AM Entered By: [redacted]

The death investigation regarding Alleged Child Victim (ACV) [redacted] was debriefed with the following staff: Case Manager (CM) [redacted] CM [redacted] Team Leader (TL) [redacted] TL [redacted] Team Coordinator (TC) [redacted] CPS Director (CPSD) [redacted], and Director of Critical Incident Support (DCIS) [redacted]

The CPS investigation was assigned on 2/5/24 concerning the death of ACV [redacted] (26 days). It was reported [redacted] was residing with her paternal grandmother [redacted] and four siblings [redacted] 2yo, [redacted] 3yo, [redacted] 8yo, and [redacted] 9yo] in [redacted] County. [redacted] was born positive for fentanyl and she and the siblings were safety placed with the grandmother while the birth mother [redacted] was receiving inpatient A&D treatment. The birth father [redacted] of [redacted] and the other female siblings is deceased [suspected drug overdose]. The birth father [redacted] of the male sibling is also deceased.

On 2/4/24 at approximately 5am the grandmother reportedly found [redacted] unresponsive on the air mattress she was co-sleeping on with the two oldest siblings and an adult household member [redacted] 911 was called and first responders arrived, transporting [redacted] to the local hospital where pronounced deceased. No injuries were observed, and cause of death is unknown. An autopsy was ordered.

The grandmother reported [redacted] usually slept in the bassinet that was located beside the air mattress and acknowledged she had been informed of safe sleep standards, but the bassinet was noted to be full of clothes and did not appear to be used regularly. At the time of the safety placement at the grandmothers home she reported and presented that she resided alone, and that her 18yo granddaughter [redacted] 17yo] and great-granddaughter [redacted] 5mo] were only visiting temporarily. Following the incident, it was learned the granddaughter was 17yo and resided in the home full time with her infant daughter. Prior to the children being placed with the grandmother, the mothers friend [redacted] resided with the mother and children and helped with childcare. Following the incident, it was learned the family friend had recently moved in with the grandmother, and without the grandmother reporting this to DCS.

The grandmother and family friend were both drug screened and negative, but there was concern for possible test

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

tampering. A petition was filed to include hair follicle testing with the court and denied. A safety placement was initially approved and completed with maternal family members, however by the court date, the family members stated they could not continue as caregivers. The siblings then entered DCS custody and have been placed together in one foster home. FIs are being scheduled for the oldest two siblings and the children are being referred to counseling services for grief, to include trauma-based for the oldest two siblings.

Next Steps:
-- CM will request ACVs birth and PCP records. Records will be reviewed and uploaded to TFACTS.
-- 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 schedule and complete Fis for the two oldest siblings.
-- CM will follow-up with LE regarding hair follicle tests for APs.
-- CM will follow-up with FSW regarding counseling services for the children.
-- 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 Id:	[redacted]	Case Name:	[redacted]
Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2024-02-08 19:00:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	07:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 02:37 PM Entered By: [redacted]

On 08.February.2024, Case Manager [redacted] had a phone conversation with Ms. [redacted]

Ms. [redacted] reported Mr. [redacted] (birth father to the female children) died of a drug overdose over the summer. Ms. [redacted] reported [redacted] woke up during the events and witnessed her father overdose. Ms. [redacted] reported there were several times that she would go to where the family was staying and take the children due to Mr. [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] being in physical altercations. Ms. [redacted] reported there were often concerns that Ms. [redacted] was using drugs. Ms. [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] did not take care of the children, however Ms. [redacted] did. Ms. [redacted] reported she would have chosen Ms. [redacted] over Ms. [redacted] to have the children until this past weekend. Ms. [redacted] reported belief that Ms. [redacted] was under the influence of drugs when [redacted] died. Ms. [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] is convincing and will have everyone believing she is not on drugs. Ms. [redacted] reported this is a ruse and she feels Ms. [redacted] has been successful at covering things up in the past.

Ms. [redacted] reported she had called her sister and informed her there would be a hair follicle completed on Ms. [redacted] Ms. [redacted] also stated that she informed her sister the youths are in State's Custody. Ms. [redacted] reported her sister did not have an emotional reaction to the youths being in State's Custody. Ms. [redacted] reported she was initially supposed to pick her sister up from [redacted] on 09.February.2024, however due to her sister's lack of care for the youths entering Custody, she does not feel she can do this. Ms. [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] is supposed to pick Ms. [redacted] up tomorrow.

Ms. [redacted] reported concerns for [redacted] mental health. Ms. [redacted] reported [redacted] had stated that she thought she saw [redacted] except older and sitting with her legs crossed. Ms. [redacted] has played a parental role the youths and [redacted] and [redacted] call her "[redacted]". Ms. [redacted] reported [redacted] and [redacted] only recently began calling Ms. [redacted] ' [redacted] rather than ' [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reported awareness the youths will need counseling. Ms. [redacted] reported willingness to assist the Deparment in any way she can.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Ms. [redacted] asked for Case Manager [redacted] to inform the youths that Ms. [redacted] loves them. Case Manager [redacted] agreed.

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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:	2024-02-08 19:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	07:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Caretaker Home	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 02/09/2024 02:41 PM Entered By: [redacted]

On 08.February.2024, Case Manager [redacted] transported the youths to their foster home. Upon arrival, all youths began interacting with the foster parents and their son.

Case Manager [redacted] was able to tell everyone except [redacted] that Aunt [redacted] loves them. All youths except [redacted] gave Case Manager [redacted] a hug bye. [redacted] said "I love you" to Case manager [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] went over the new concerns reported by Ms. [redacted] after the Intake Packet was completed.

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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:	2024-02-08 14:00:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	02:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	04/02/2024
Completed date:	04/02/2024	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: 04/02/2024 10:23 AM Entered By: [redacted]

LI [redacted] staffed this case on this date; P1 Assessment received with allegations of LOS and Abuse Death against the ACV by AP; At the time of case assignment, an IPA was completed with maternal family. However, the family presented to court on 2.8.2024 and stated that they could not continue to care for the children. No other placement options were provided; therefore, the children entered DCS custody through court order in [redacted] county on this date.

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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:	2024-02-08 13:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	01:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Court	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Alleged Perpetrator Interview,Court Hearing,Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted] DUPLICATE; [redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 02:22 PM Entered By: [redacted]

On 08.Feb.2024, there was a Court Hearing before the Honorable Referee [redacted]. The following individuals were present:

[redacted] (Case Manager)
(Department of Children's Services Regional Attorney)
(Guardian At Litem)

Ms. [redacted] reported to Case Manager [redacted] prior to the court hearing that she is no longer a placement option. Ms. [redacted] reported the children are too much in conjunction with [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] is actively working on obtaining housing that is more suitable for the children. Ms. [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] is working and made $30,000 last year. Ms. [redacted] reported she does not understand why the Department of Children's Services would inform Ms. [redacted] she is not allowed to reside in the trailer the family was residing in prior to [redacted] birth. Ms. [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] recently paid for new floors. Case Manager [redacted] informed Ms. [redacted] that there is no record of Ms. [redacted] being told she is not allowed to reside at the home.

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Case Manager [redacted] interviewed Ms. [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reported she has spoken with her father and there is a plan to have the trailer that is currently on the property removed, and she will have a 3-bedroom trailer placed on the property. Ms. [redacted] reported currently residing in a two-bedroom duplex and is in agreement that she does not have adequate sleeping arrangements for the children. Ms. [redacted] reported currently having a bunk bed and a twin bed. Ms. [redacted] reported the plan would be to get two more bunk beds and have a room for the girls and a room for the boys. Ms. [redacted] reported willingness to remain in communication with the Department of Children's Services and to ensure she keeps everyone up-to-date on the progress to be considered a placement option.

The concerns were presented to Referee [redacted] It was determined there was no less drastic alternative at this time than a custodial episode for the [redacted] children.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[redacted]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2024-02-04 20:00:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	08:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:		Created Date:	02/05/2024
Completed date:	02/05/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Safety - Child/Community		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/05/2024 09:22 AM Entered By: [redacted]

This case came in as a Priority 1 on February 4, 2024 for allegations of Abuse Death stating that the Alleged Child Victim, ACV, is [redacted] 25 days old, and the Alleged Perpetrator, AP, is [redacted] paternal grandmother, and [redacted] family friend. The referral states that [redacted] resided with her siblings, [redacted] 9, [redacted] 8, [redacted] 4, and [redacted] 3, in the care of the paternal grandmother, [redacted] The mother, [redacted] is currently in rehab. The father is deceased. Also residing in the home are [redacted] 17, and her daughter, [redacted] 5 months. Ms. [redacted] is reported to have custody of them. [redacted] mother is deceased.

The referral stated: [redacted] was found deceased on an air mattress in the living room of the home. She was lying with Ms. [redacted] was born addicted to fentanyl and the mother went to rehab after this. Ms. [redacted] found [redacted] deceased and called 911. Ms. [redacted] was heard telling Ms. [redacted] Youve killed this baby. CPR was performed but [redacted] appeared to have been deceased for a few hours. The cause of death is unknown, but it appears she was rolled over on. There was a bassinet beside the air mattress where [redacted] was found that was full of clothes and other items. The family reported that [redacted] normally would sleep in the bassinet. The living conditions in the home are not great. [redacted] and [redacted] sleep on an air mattress in the living room with [redacted] The grandmother was sleeping in her room with [redacted] and [redacted] in her bed. There was a closet with a mattress in it where [redacted] and [redacted] sleep. It is a one bedroom and one bathroom apartment with 9 people residing in it. The home was very cluttered with roaches in the kitchen. The grandmother was observed smoking in the apartment and it had a strong smell of cigarette smoke. The formula container was observed to have the inside being brown and moldy.

Household Composition:
[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
9 years old
DOB [redacted] (ACV, deceased)
[redacted] (paternal grandmother and current placement for [redacted] children and custodian of [redacted]
DOB [redacted]

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

[redacted] DOB [redacted]
[redacted] DOB [redacted] (daughter of [redacted]
[redacted] DOB [redacted]

TL [redacted] spoke to CM [redacted] regarding her open case on the family. CM [redacted] has a current open case regarding the children and reports that she was last at the home on January 11, 2024, when the IPA was completed. She reported that the mother is currently at [redacted] Program and the father is deceased. Ms. [redacted] was not living in the home per the family when CM [redacted] completed the IPA. She did help with the children but was not staying the night or living in the home. TL [redacted] thanked CM [redacted] for this information.

TL [redacted] contacted CM [redacted] to respond to referral. CM [redacted] went on this case with CM [redacted] CM [redacted] spoke to LE and they reported that a [redacted] County Chaplain had agreed to go and let the mother know about [redacted] CPIT was convened and CM [redacted] spoke to LE to set time to meet to go to the home. CM [redacted] and CM [redacted] met with LE to go to the family home.

Upon arriving at the home, CM [redacted] and CM [redacted] spoke with Ms. [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] When asked about what had happened and trying to discuss the concerns they reported that they did not want to talk about it anymore as they had talked already to Law Enforcement. From speaking with family and LE and observing pictures from LE it was reported that that Ms. [redacted] had laid down on the air mattress with the baby and two other children. Ms. [redacted] was lying on her back and [redacted] was lying on Ms. [redacted] chest. Ms. [redacted] came to the room and [redacted] was no longer on Ms. [redacted] chest but was beside her on the air mattress by the other child. Ms. [redacted] demonstrated this for LE with a doll. CM [redacted] and CM [redacted] spoke to Ms. [redacted] at the family home, and she reported that she does not have custody of [redacted] the father has just allowed her to stay with Ms. [redacted] She has had her for about a year and a half due to behavioral issues she was having with the father. The father has custody of the child as the mother passed away about five years ago. The father was contacted did have custody paperwork for the child. He agreed to come and get his child and [redacted]

The home was observed to be a one bedroom and one bathroom home. The home was observed to be very crowded. CM did not see any bugs in the home while there. LE did report that the home appeared to have been cleaned since they were there earlier in the day.

Ms. [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] both submitted to a drug screen and were negative for all substances. Ms. [redacted] reported that she has been living in the home with the family. Ms. [redacted] plans to remain in the home with Ms. [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reports that Ms. [redacted] keeps telling her that she is the reason that [redacted] died.

An aunt was at the home while CM was meeting with the family however, she reported she was not able to be a placement due to having three children and only a two-bedroom home. They reported a maternal grandmother and great aunt that lives in Bethpage and she has a four-bedroom home. The grandmother agreed to be a placement.

CM [redacted] and CM [redacted] called [redacted] to speak to the mother about placement options for the children. They able to speak to the mother and she gave the aunt that was not able to due to space and the maternal grandmother and great aunt as possible placement options for the children. CM spoke to aunt and grandmother, Ms. [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] and they agreed to be a placement for the children. Also in the home is [redacted] The mother is to complete her program at [redacted] on February 9, 2024.

Background Checks for placement:
[redacted] DOB [redacted]
[redacted] DOB [redacted]

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

[redacted] DOB [redacted]
The felony registry was not working so checks on that site could not be completed.
Local, sex offender, abuse and drug offender checks were completed with no concerns on all adults.
TFACTS checks were completed with no concerns on all adults. Drug screens were completed with no concerns on [redacted] Ms. [redacted] was positive for medications which she had a valid prescription for with no concerns on the pill count. Ms. [redacted] admitted to using THC on this date after finding out that the baby had passed away. She agreed to leave the home at this time. Ms. [redacted] agrees to be the placement for the children. A home visit was completed with no safety concerns noted. CM [redacted] reported sleeping space for all children and no concerns observed in the home.

An Immediate Protection Plan, IPA, was implemented with the family. The children will be placed with Ms. [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] The mother will have supervised contact only with no overnight visits with the children. [redacted] would not allow CM to come there to have the IPA signed but did agree to it being emailed and they would have the mother sign this. TL [redacted] staffed this with Legal [redacted] and TC [redacted] The mother was approved to sign and send IPA back due to her not being able to meet in person with CM.

TFACTS Checks:
9/2021- [redacted] and [redacted] with AP being [redacted] with the allegations being drug exposed child classified as AUPU
9/2019- [redacted] are ACV, APs are [redacted] and [redacted] allegations are DEC, classified as unable to complete.
5/2019- [redacted] is ACV and [redacted] is the AP for medical maltreatment, no services needed.
11/2018- [redacted] and [redacted] ACVs- [redacted] and [redacted] are AP for DEC and is classified as Unable to Complete, [redacted] as AP is no services needed.
9-2018- [redacted] and [redacted] ACV with AP being Sara Eden, Drug exposed child- classified unable to complete.
1/2024- [redacted] ACV with AP being [redacted] ASPS, [redacted] and [redacted] ACVs with AP being [redacted] for lack of supervision and educational neglect and not yet classified.

TL [redacted] staffed this case with Team Coordinator, [redacted]
TL [redacted] staffed case with DCS Legal [redacted]
MSW Consult was completed with Team Leader, [redacted].
TL [redacted] spoke to CM [redacted] and CM [redacted] regarding EAP and debriefing on this date.

Next steps: submit legal paperwork and attend court/ assist family with grief counseling/ follow up with LE/ obtain all medical records for children/ request autopsy once completed/ TEIS referral will be made for children that qualify/ CHANT Referral will be made for family/ Forensic Interviews will be set/ CPIT/ follow up with TL [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:	2024-02-04 20:00:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	08:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 02:08 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] was informed there is a history of substance usage by Ms. [redacted] and there were concerns she was under the influence of an illicit drugs the previous night. It was reported Ms. [redacted] has previously faked drug screens in the past by dipping the cup in the toilet to let it read negative and then dumping the water out and urinating in the toilet. It was reported Ms. [redacted] has a history of excessive alcohol consumption. Case Manager [redacted] was informed the house the family was residing in is not suitable for the children at this time.

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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:	2024-02-04 18:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	06:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Caretaker Home	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	ACV Interview/Observation,Other Persons Living in Home Interview/Observation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

[redacted]

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 02:10 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] followed Ms. [redacted] to her residence ([redacted], TN [redacted] Upon arrival, Ms. [redacted] invited Case Manager [redacted] into the family home. Ms. [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] has previously had an aneurism, so sometimes it is difficult to understand her when she talks.

Case Manager [redacted] introduced herself to Ms. [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reported she has previously had a stroke and an aneurism; however, she has the support of her sister. Ms. [redacted] reported she would be unable to pass a urine drug screen as she smoked marijuana this morning after learning of the death of [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reported she would go stay with her daughter, Ms. [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] observed the home. Due to the recent events with the youths, [redacted] and [redacted] would share the bedroom with Ms. [redacted] and [redacted] would share with Ms. [redacted] and [redacted] would sleep on the couch ([redacted] asked several times to sleep on the couch prior to arriving at the residence). Ms. [redacted] has the space for the children to have appropriate sleep arrangements, however she felt it would be better for everyone to be close and on the same floor (other bedrooms were on the base floor).

[redacted] immediately sat in her grandmothers (Ms. [redacted] lap and asked if Ms. [redacted] was aware of what happened. Ms. [redacted] informed [redacted] she was told. [redacted] said [redacted] let me tell you. [redacted] disclosed she, [redacted] Ms. [redacted] (who she referred to as mom), and [redacted] were all sleeping on the fold out couch. [redacted] disclosed [redacted] had never slept with them prior to this night. [redacted] disclosed she and [redacted] always slept with Ms. [redacted] disclosed being woken by Ms. [redacted] disclosed I did not like what she said. Ms. [redacted] began crying and Ms. [redacted] began comforting [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] Ms. [redacted] stated Its okay. She is in Heaven with Daddy. Case Manager [redacted] stated Yeah. Do you think Daddy can take good care of Sister? [redacted] stated there was another baby that died in her mothers tummy. Case Manager [redacted] stated Well, Daddy has two hands: one hand for each baby. [redacted] agreed this would be okay. [redacted] then disclosed Ms.

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

[redacted] was telling Ms. [redacted] You killed her.

[redacted] climbed in Case Manager [redacted] lap, laid down and said, I want a baba. Case Manager [redacted] had observed Ms. [redacted] make two bottles prior to leaving the home, one for [redacted] and one for [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] was unsure where the bottles were. Case Manager [redacted] explained the to [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] asked Ms. [redacted] for the bottle for [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] asked [redacted] if she wanted to sit on the couch; [redacted] grunted angrily and clung to Case Manager [redacted]

Ms. [redacted] spoke with Case Manager [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reported The kids can stay as long as they behave. Ms. [redacted] was observed playing with the children. There was a play kitchen that the children played with along with some other toys that belong to Ms. [redacted] grandson.

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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:	2024-02-04 14:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	02:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,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: 02/09/2024 02:01 PM Entered By: [redacted]

It needs to be noted that per work aid 2 that the deceased child does not have to be viewed by the case manager.

Case Manager [redacted] observed [redacted] and [redacted] in the kitchen. [redacted] had a green Star Wars light saber that he was playing with. [redacted] was standing behind Detective [redacted] and pretending to fight with Detective [redacted] as if [redacted] was actually a Jedi. [redacted] was observed staying close to Ms. [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] observed [redacted] and [redacted] in the living room sitting with Ms. [redacted] Later, [redacted] was observed sleeping in the bed (located in the bedroom) with a bottle.

[redacted] and [redacted] both disclosed during conversations that they are not enrolled in school and have not been for a long time.

Narrative Type: Addendum 1 Entry Date/Time: 08/02/2024 02:01 PM Entered By: [redacted]

It needs to be noted that per work aid 2 that the deceased child does not have to be viewed by the case manager.

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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:	2024-02-04 14:00:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	02:00 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Alleged Perpetrator Interview		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted] DUPLICATE; [redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 02:06 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] Detective [redacted] and Detective [redacted] traveled to [redacted], [redacted] TN [redacted] Upon arrival, Detective [redacted] knocked on the door and Ms. [redacted] answered and invited everyone into the home.

Case Manager [redacted] introduced herself to the family and explained the reason for the visit. Case Manager [redacted] explained working with Case Manager [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] immediately observed the home to be a single bedroom home with a kitchen and a living room. Case Manager [redacted] observed a brown blowup couch and two straight back chairs in the living room. Case Manager [redacted] observed Ms. [redacted] come from the bedroom and go straight to the kitchen. Also, at the home at the time of the visit was Ms. [redacted] sister, [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] asked Ms. [redacted] for her version of events. Ms. [redacted] requested to not have to repeat the events as she had already told the officers. Case Manager [redacted] agreed to request the interview from Law Enforcement.

Case Manager [redacted] requested other potential placement options for the youths. Ms. [redacted] asked if she was being arrested. Case Manager [redacted] explained that is the decision of Law Enforcement, however the youths would not be allowed to remain in the home due to the ongoing investigation surround the events of [redacted] death.

The family initially reported Ms. [redacted] as a potential placement option. Case Manager [redacted] spoke with Ms. [redacted] who reported having three children (two sons and a daughter) and residing in a two-bedroom house. It was determined Ms. [redacted] would not be a suitable placement option due to lack of space.

The family then presented the maternal grandmother, Ms. [redacted] who resides with her sister, [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] had a stroke when Ms. [redacted] was approximately 12 years old. Ms. [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] has support from Ms. [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] reached out to Ms. [redacted] who reported her niece and nephew were residing in the home, along with her adult daughter, Ms. [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reported her daughter typically sleeps with her and she is developmentally delayed. Ms. [redacted] reported he niece and nephew are moving soon to a camper; however, they would possibly fail

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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	[redacted] Region

a drug screen for marijuana. Case Manger [redacted] requested if the couple were unable to pass a drug screen if they would be able to move elsewhere. Ms. [redacted] reported there would be another place for them to stay.

Case Manager [redacted] contacted Ms. [redacted] at [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] explained to Ms. [redacted] that the Department is not placing blame at this time on anyone, however due to the on-going investigation the children would not be allowed to remain at the home. Ms. [redacted] reported the youths can go to Ms. [redacted] residence.

Case Manager [redacted] requested from Ms. [redacted] information on who has custody of [redacted] and her daughter, [redacted] Ms. [redacted] reported she was previously residing in Ohio and moved to Tennessee when her son passed away. Ms. [redacted] reported [redacted] was running away from her father and he said [redacted] could reside with Ms. [redacted] Ms. [redacted] was questioned about the open investigation in [redacted] County due to [redacted] and [redacted] residing in a garage. Ms. [redacted] stated, she wasnt with me then. Case Manager [redacted] asked Ms. [redacted] if she still had custody of [redacted] when the investigation opened. Ms. [redacted] confirmed she still had custody of [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] asked what court granted custody and Ms. [redacted] denied going to court, she was just given [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] asked about [redacted] parents. Ms. [redacted] reported [redacted] mother was deceased and her father, [redacted] resided in [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] requested contact information for [redacted] father. It was provided.

Case Manager [redacted] contacted Mr. [redacted] Case Manager [redacted] requested Mr. [redacted] present to the residence and take [redacted] and [redacted] with him to his residence. Mr. [redacted] present and provided divorce papers.

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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:	2024-02-04 13:55:00	Contact Method:	Face To Face
Contact Time:	01:55 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	Other Caretaker Home	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): CPIT (Child Protective Investigative Team)

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 02:05 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] reported to [redacted] County Sheriffs Office. Case Manager [redacted] Detective [redacted] and Detective [redacted] debriefed at the Sheriffs Office prior to traveling to the family home to ensure everyone is on the same page with the details.

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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:	2024-02-04 13:25:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	01:25 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 02:03 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manager [redacted] spoke with Case Manager Assistant [redacted]. Case Manager Assistant [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] stated her 18-year-old granddaughter was visiting for a few months. Case Manager Assistant [redacted] reported confirming with Ms. [redacted] that no other children resided in the home due to observing the baby toys in the home. Case Manager Assistant [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] stated the baby toys were due to her grandchildren visiting her. Case Manager Assistant [redacted] reported she did not observe a baby in the home; however, she was shown a closet with a bed where the 18-year-old granddaughter was sleeping.

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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:	2024-02-04 13:25:00	Contact Method:	Phone Call
Contact Time:	01:25 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): CPIT (Child Protective Investigative Team)

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 02:04 PM Entered By: [redacted]

Case Manger [redacted] contacted Detective [redacted] with [redacted] Sheriffs Office. Detective [redacted] instructed Case Manager [redacted] to meet him and Detective [redacted] at the Sheriffs Office.

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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:	2024-02-04 13:25:00	Contact Method:	Phone Call
Contact Time:	01:25 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	08/02/2024
Completed date:	08/02/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): Referent Interview

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/02/2024 01:54 PM Entered By: [redacted]

CM [redacted] contacted the referent on this date.

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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:	2024-02-04 13:15:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	01:15 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Notation		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[redacted]

Narrative Details

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

On 04.February.2024, Case Manager [redacted] was contacted by Case Manager [redacted]. Case Manager [redacted] was on-call, however due to police, Case Manager [redacted] was not allowed to work the investigation due to currently having an open case regarding the family.

Case Manager [redacted] reported the children were safety placed with the paternal grandmother after [redacted] was born drug exposed. Case Manager [redacted] reported initially having an open case due to the youths not being enrolled in school. Case Manager [redacted] reported the mother and her paramour, [redacted] were residing with the children at a separate residence from the paternal grandmother. Case Manger [redacted] reported the mother, Ms. [redacted] is in rehab and the father, Mr. [redacted] is deceased. Case Manager [redacted] reported Mr. [redacted] passed from a drug overdose. Case Manager [redacted] reported Case Manager Assistant [redacted] had completed a home visit to Ms. [redacted] residence. Case Manager [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] reported her 18-year-old granddaughter was residing with her for a few weeks. Case Manager [redacted] reported she also followed-up at the residence and observed a five-month-old baby belonging to Ms. [redacted] granddaughter.

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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:	2024-02-04 10:32:00	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:32 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[redacted]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	02/09/2024
Completed date:	02/09/2024	Completed By:	[redacted]

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

Contact Type(s): Case Summary

Contact Sub Type: Opening

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/09/2024 03:36 PM Entered By: [redacted]

CASE SUMMARY
This intake was screened into [redacted] County on 04.February.2024 with allegations of abuse Death against alleged perpetrator (AP), [redacted] [Paternal Grandmother] and [redacted] [Mothers Paramour]. The alleged child victim(s) (ACV) is/are [redacted] [25 Days]. The reader [redacted] assigned the case.

Case Manager [redacted] added allegations of Lack of Supervision and alleged child victims [redacted] (9 years), [redacted] (8 years), [redacted] (3 years), [redacted] (2 years)

HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION (D.O.B./Age & Relationship)
The ACV(s) primary household is comprised of the following individuals:
-- [redacted]

BACKGROUND CHECKS
A TFACTS search was performed on 04.Feb.2024 for DCS history on the family members and other involved individuals and the following results were found:
-- INVESTIGATION ID: [redacted]
-- ACV: [redacted]
-- AP: [redacted]
-- ALLEGATION/CLASSIFICATION: Drug Exposed Child & Lack of Supervision / Unable to Complete

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Case Recording Summary

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

-- INVESTIGATION ID: [redacted]
-- ACV: [redacted]
-- AP: [redacted]
-- ALLEGATION/CLASSIFICATION: Drug Exposed Child / Unable to Complete

-- INVESTIGATION ID: [redacted]
-- ACV: [redacted]
-- AP: [redacted]
-- ALLEGATION/CLASSIFICATION: Drug Exposed Child / Unable to Complete ([redacted] & [redacted] & No Services Needed ([redacted]

-- INVESTIGATION ID: [redacted]
-- ACV: [redacted]
-- AP: [redacted]
-- ALLEGATION/CLASSIFICATION: Medical Maltreatment / No Services Needed

-- INVESTIGATION ID: [redacted]
-- ACV: [redacted]
-- AP: [redacted]
-- ALLEGATION/CLASSIFICATION: Drug Exposed Child / Unable to Complete

-- INVESTIGATION ID: [redacted]
-- ACV: [redacted]
-- AP: [redacted]
-- ALLEGATION/CLASSIFICATION: Drug Exposed Child / Allegation Unsubstantiated/Perpetrator Unsubstantiated

-- INVESTIGATION ID: [redacted]
-- ACV: [redacted]
-- AP: [redacted]
-- ALLEGATION/CLASSIFICATION: Drug Exposed Child, Educational Neglect, lack of Supervision / Allegation Substantiated/Perpetrator Substantiated

All internet checks

A search of the National Sex Offender Public Website was performed on the family members and other involved individuals and the following results were found:
-- No results found based on information provided.

A search of the [redacted] County Criminal County Clerk Website was performed on the family members and other involved individuals and the following results were found:
-- No results found based on information provided.

REFERENT CONTACT
-- Notification of case assignment to the referent is automatically generated through the DCS CARAT System as requested.
-- Case Manager contacted the referent to inquire about reported information and any additional case relevant information available.

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Case Recording Summary

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

CPIT
-- Upon receipt of referral, CPIT was convened with the Child Advocacy Center and Law Enforcement. Detective [redacted] and Detective [redacted] with [redacted] County Sheriffs Office was assigned.

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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: 02/04/2024

Assignment Date: 02/05/2024

Street Adress: [redacted],

City/State/Zip: [redacted] Tennessee [redacted]

B. Allegation

#	Children's Name	DOB	Specific Allegation for Each	Alleged Perpetrator's Name	DOB	Classification	Severe Abuse / CSEM	Classified By / Classified
1	[redacted]	[redacted]	Abuse Death	[redacted]	[redacted], 12:00 AM	*Allegation Unsubstantiated / Perpetrator Unsubstantiated	Yes	[redacted] 08/19/2024
2	[redacted]	[redacted]	Abuse Death	[redacted] DUPLICATE	[redacted], 12:00 AM	*Allegation Unsubstantiated / Perpetrator Unsubstantiated	Yes	[redacted] 08/19/2024
3	[redacted]	[redacted]	Lack of Supervision	[redacted] DUPLICATE	[redacted], 12:00 AM	Allegation Substantiated / Perpetrator Substantiated	No	[redacted] 02/29/2024
4	[redacted]	[redacted]	Lack of Supervision	[redacted] DUPLICATE	[redacted], 12:00 AM	Allegation Substantiated / Perpetrator Substantiated	No	[redacted] 02/29/2024
5	[redacted]	[redacted]	Lack of Supervision	[redacted] DUPLICATE	[redacted], 12:00 AM	Allegation Substantiated / Perpetrator Substantiated	No	[redacted] 02/29/2024
6	[redacted]	[redacted]	Lack of Supervision	[redacted] DUPLICATE	[redacted], 12:00 AM	Allegation Substantiated / Perpetrator Substantiated	No	[redacted] 02/29/2024

* = This allegation set has been reclassified.

C. Disposition Decision

Disposition Decision: Continue DCS Services

Comments: Ongoing case with foster care for [redacted] and [redacted]

D. Case Workers

Case Worker: [redacted] Date: 02/29/2024

Team Leader: [redacted] Date: 02/29/2024

E. Investigation Summary

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

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

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:

[redacted] an 8-year-old Caucasian male, participated in a Forensic Interview at the [redacted] Judicial District Child Advocacy Center on 2/21/2024. [redacted] presented as a typically developing child who demonstrated narrative practice. He was accompanied by his sister, [redacted] and [redacted] with the Department of Children's Services.

[redacted] said that he and his siblings were currently in foster care because "our baby sister died." [redacted] said until recently he and his four sisters were living with their paternal grandmother '[redacted] their 17-year-old cousin [redacted] and her infant daughter, and a woman named [redacted] who he sometimes refers to as "Mom." [redacted] said his mother was in the hospital for complications following the birth of his sister [redacted] who was 25 days old at the time of her death. [redacted] said his grandmother slept in her own room, [redacted] and her daughter slept in a closet, he usually slept on a couch in the living room, his two younger sisters slept in chairs in the living room or with their grandmother, and [redacted] and [redacted] slept on a blow-up mattress on the living room floor. [redacted] said baby [redacted] slept on [redacted] chest.

[redacted] said on the night of the death, he had asked to sleep on the mattress on the floor. He said [redacted] told him to be careful and "don't kick the baby off of me" in his sleep. [redacted] said that night, [redacted] slept in the middle of the mattress with [redacted] on one side and [redacted] on the other and the baby on [redacted] chest. He said in the morning it was discovered that [redacted] had rolled over and the baby was between [redacted] and [redacted] and was dead. [redacted] said his grandmother said, "[redacted] you killed the baby!" [redacted] said the baby was pale and her nose had bled. He said there was blood on [redacted] shirt and possibly on [redacted] shirt, but he said [redacted] shirt was black, so it was hard to tell.

[redacted] said the last grade he was in was the first grade and that he, [redacted] and [redacted] did not attend school at all this year until he and [redacted] went into foster care. He said when [redacted] and [redacted] were at work [redacted] would watch the children.

[redacted] said his grandmother would drink alcohol and beer sometimes, but he said [redacted] drank "pretty often." He said both his grandmother and [redacted] smoked cigarettes, [redacted] outside and his grandmother inside the apartment.

[redacted] a 9-year-old Caucasian female, participated in a Forensic Interview at the [redacted] Judicial District Child Advocacy Center on 2/21/2024. [redacted] presented as a typically developing child who demonstrated narrative practice. She was accompanied by her brother, [redacted] and [redacted] with the Department of Children's Services.

[redacted] said she and her siblings were in foster care because "there was still a problem going on." She said her father died last year, her mother was in rehab, and her baby sister was born addicted to drugs and recently died from suffocation. [redacted] said prior to being in foster care she and her brother [redacted] her sisters [redacted] and [redacted] their 17-year-old cousin [redacted] and her 5-month-old daughter; and a woman named [redacted] all lived in an apartment with their paternal grandmother who she calls '[redacted] sometimes refers to [redacted] as "Mom."

[redacted] said on the night of the death of [redacted] her brother [redacted] asked to sleep on the blow-up mattress on the floor of the living room with her, [redacted] and baby [redacted] who was 25 days old. [redacted] said [redacted] slept in the middle of the mattress with [redacted] on one side and [redacted] on the other and [redacted] on [redacted] chest; [redacted] drew a picture of this. [redacted] said [redacted] told [redacted] not to knock the baby off her chest while he slept. [redacted] said in the morning her grandmother discovered that the baby had slipped off [redacted] chest, falling between [redacted] and [redacted] and was dead. [redacted] said her grandmother said, "Oh my god [redacted] you killed the baby!" [redacted] said there was blood on the baby's nose and that blood got on her and [redacted]

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]

he autopsy for baby [redacted] was reviewed at this time and date. The cause of death for [redacted] was ruled to be Asphyxia due to Overlay, and the manner of death was ruled accidental in relation to unsafe sleep on an air mattress with the caregiver and siblings. The child's toxicology report showed no substances in her system and no other medical conditions were noted. The autopsy report will be uploaded into TFACTs under [redacted] person profile.

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

The APs denied the allegations and reported this to be an accident; [redacted]SCO completed thorough interviews.

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

Report received due to the death of infant in the home.

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

The allegation of LOS against the ACV by the AP have been classified as AUPU, due to: Ms. [redacted] was instructed not to allow Ms. [redacted] to reside in the home, however Ms. [redacted] and the youth reported Ms. [redacted] was residing in the home. Ms. [redacted] was not following the sleep recommendations for the older four children as laid out by the Department. Ms. [redacted] lied about her granddaughter and great-granddaughter residing in the home and the age of her granddaughter. Ms. [redacted] was explained safe sleep 3x, however was not using either basinet in the home for [redacted] and they were both filled with other items. Ms. [redacted] was not protective of the children and did not ensure their well-being while in a caregiving role. Ms. [redacted] actions and lack there of were a direct result of the demise of [redacted] and [redacted] have displayed signs of trauma due to the death of [redacted] The allegation of Abuse Death against the ACV by the AP has been classified as ASPS, due to: Ms. [redacted] was not supposed to be in the home over night, Ms. [redacted] reported she was sleeping with [redacted] on her chest and woke up with [redacted] on the other side of [redacted] however the youths reported [redacted] was between [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] there were several reports of Ms. [redacted] using drugs while in a caregiving role of the children; Ms. [redacted] faked a drug screen the day of the death by dipping the cup in the water and then urinating in the cup; there were two bassinets in the room and Ms. [redacted] was not practicing safe sleep; [redacted] reported Ms. [redacted] had blood down the side of her; [redacted] reported always sleeping on the blowup couch with Ms. [redacted] and [redacted] Ms. [redacted] and [redacted] were all on a blow up couch at the time of the death. There is a history of substance usage by Ms. [redacted] Initially an IPA was completed with relatives; however at the preliminary hearing, it was noted that the family was no longer able to provide care for the youth. [redacted] and [redacted] entered DCS custody on 2.8.2024

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Assessment Type: FAST	**CPS Case ID:** [redacted]

OVERVIEW

Safety Level: Immediate Intervention Recommended	**Assessed at Location:** DCS Office
Risk Level: High Need/Risk	
Event Start Date: 08/22/2024	**Last Assessed Date:**
Assessment Status: Approved	**Assessor:** [redacted]
Date Approved: 02/09/2024	**Approver:** [redacted]

PARTICIPANTS

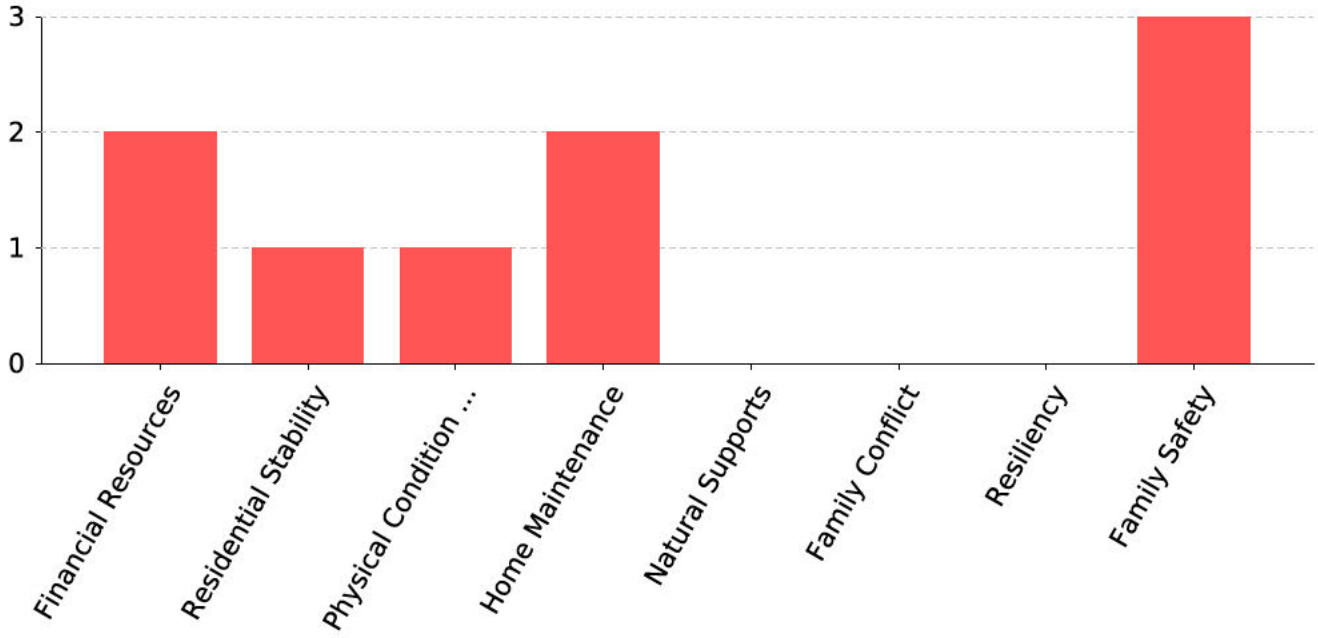
Name	Age	Role	Gender	Person ID	Trauma Score	CSEM Risk
[redacted] (ACV)	9 Yrs	Youth	F	[redacted]	9	Low
[redacted]	70 Yrs	Primary	F	[redacted]	N/A	N/A
[redacted]	31 Yrs	Caregiver	F	[redacted]	N/A	N/A
[redacted] (ACV)	8 Yrs	Youth	M	[redacted]	9	Low
[redacted] (ACV)	2 Yrs 4 Mos	Youth	F	[redacted]	9	Low
[redacted] (ACV)	3 Yrs	Youth	F	[redacted]	9	Low
[redacted]	Deceased	Youth	F	[redacted]	6	Low
[redacted] (AP)	31 Yrs	Caregiver	F	[redacted]	N/A	N/A

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THE FAMILY TOGETHER

This section focuses on the family system. The first step is to define who makes up the family. Generally it is a household but sometimes two households in which the children spend considerable amounts of time could be considered (e.g. divorced parents with 50:50 visitation).



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Financial Resources	2	The youths are currently in the custody of a maternal great-aunt. Mother is in a rehab facility. Mother will need to obtain a job for stable income.
Residential Stability	1	It was reported the mother has a home that was provided to her by her father.
Physical Condition of Home	1	It was reported there are concerns for the condition of the home for the children.
Home Maintenance	2	Previous: The outside of the home is cluttered, and unnecessary trash has piled up on the side of the house. Current: CM [redacted] has not observed the family home at this time. CM will ensure the home is clean and safe from hazards for the children prior to the children returning.
Natural Supports	0	The children were with a paternal grandmother. They are now in the custody of a maternal great-aunt. There are several people who are working with the family as supports.
Family Conflict	0	There is no known history of family conflict at this time.
Resiliency	0	There are no concerns for resilience at this time.

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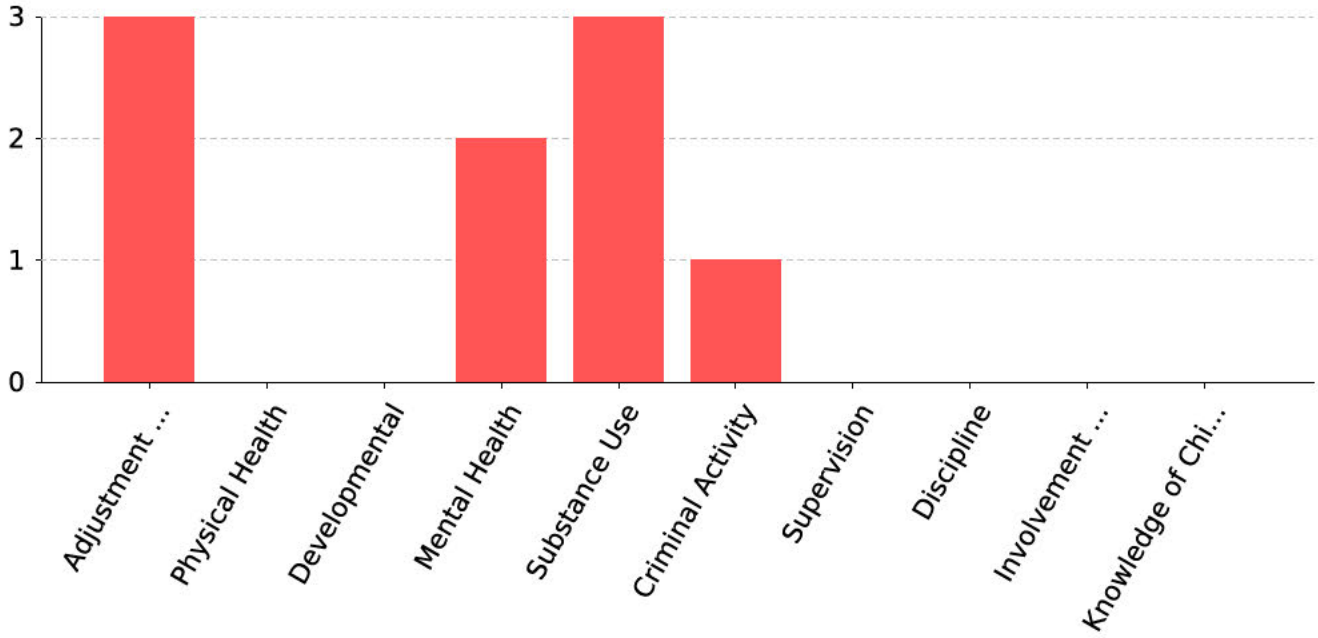
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Family Safety	3	There are concerns in the paternal grandmother's home. There were 9 people residing in a one bedroom apartment. Although there was a bassinet in the living room, [redacted] felt it was better for the infant to sleep on her chest. [redacted] and [redacted] were all sleeping on a blow-up couch in the living. [redacted] and [redacted] were sleeping in the bed. [redacted] and her 5-month-old baby were sleeping on a mattress in closet.

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CAREGIVERS		
Each adult living in the family defined on the Summary Page who has any caregiver responsibilities would be rated separately in this section.		
Participant: [redacted]	Person ID: [redacted]	Role: Caregiver

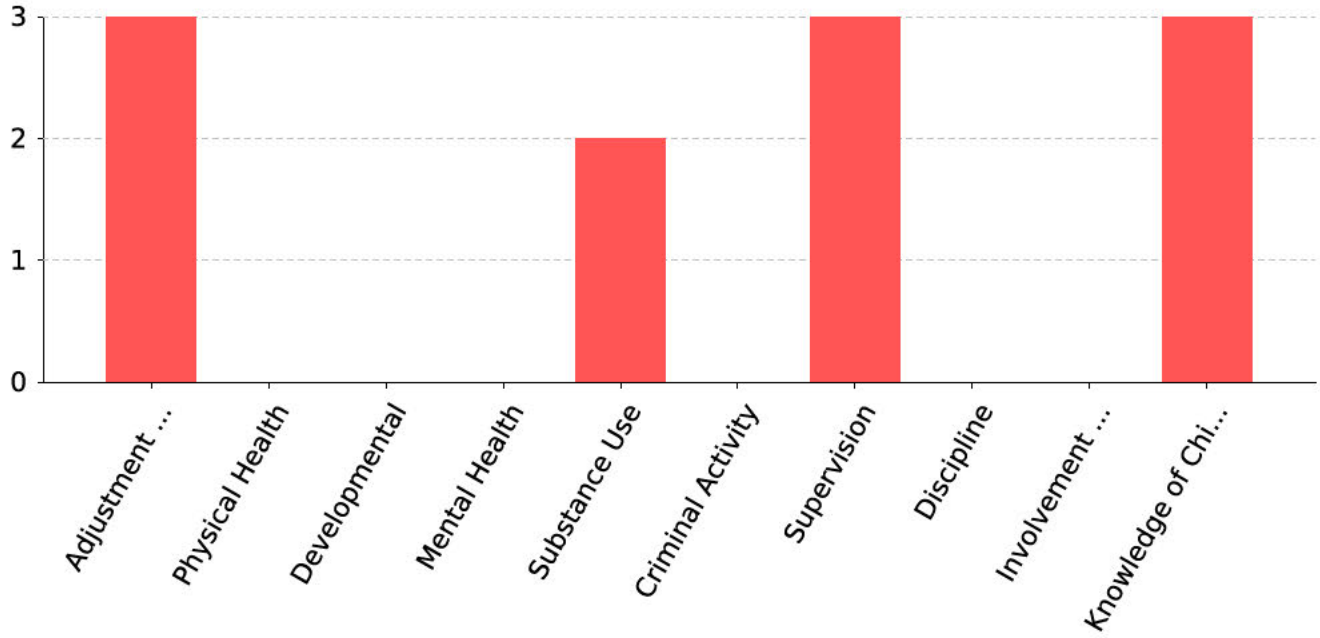


Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Adjustment to Traumatic Experiences	3	Ms. [redacted] 25-day-old infant was sleeping on [redacted] chest and [redacted] apparently rolled over on the baby. The baby is now deceased. Ms. [redacted] will benefit from grief counseling.
Physical Health	0	There were no concerns reported for Ms. [redacted] physical health.
Developmental	0	There were no concerns for developmental delay.
Mental Health	2	The mother has a history of substance usage. There concerns about her mental health, especially with the recent death of her youngest child.
Substance Use	3	Mother is currently in rehab for substance usage. There is a history of mother going to jail for several months and
Criminal Activity	1	.
Supervision	0	
Discipline	0	
Involvement in Caregiving Functions	0	
Knowledge of Child and Family Needs	0	

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



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Adjustment to Traumatic Experiences	3	Ms. [redacted] has lost a son (drug overdose), daughter (unknown) grandson (unkown) and granddaughter (mother's paramour rolled over onto baby while living with Ms. [redacted] and not practicing safe sleep)
Physical Health	0	
Developmental	0	
Mental Health	0	
Substance Use	2	CM [redacted] was informed Ms. [redacted] has an issue with consuming too much alcohol.
Criminal Activity	0	
Supervision	3	There are concerns due to Ms. [redacted] explicitly being told that Ms. [redacted] is only allowed to visit and is not allowed to spend the night. Ms. [redacted] was living with Ms. [redacted] and was sleeping with [redacted] on her chest. Ms. [redacted] rolled over on [redacted] and [redacted] died.
Discipline	0	
Involvement in Caregiving Functions	0	

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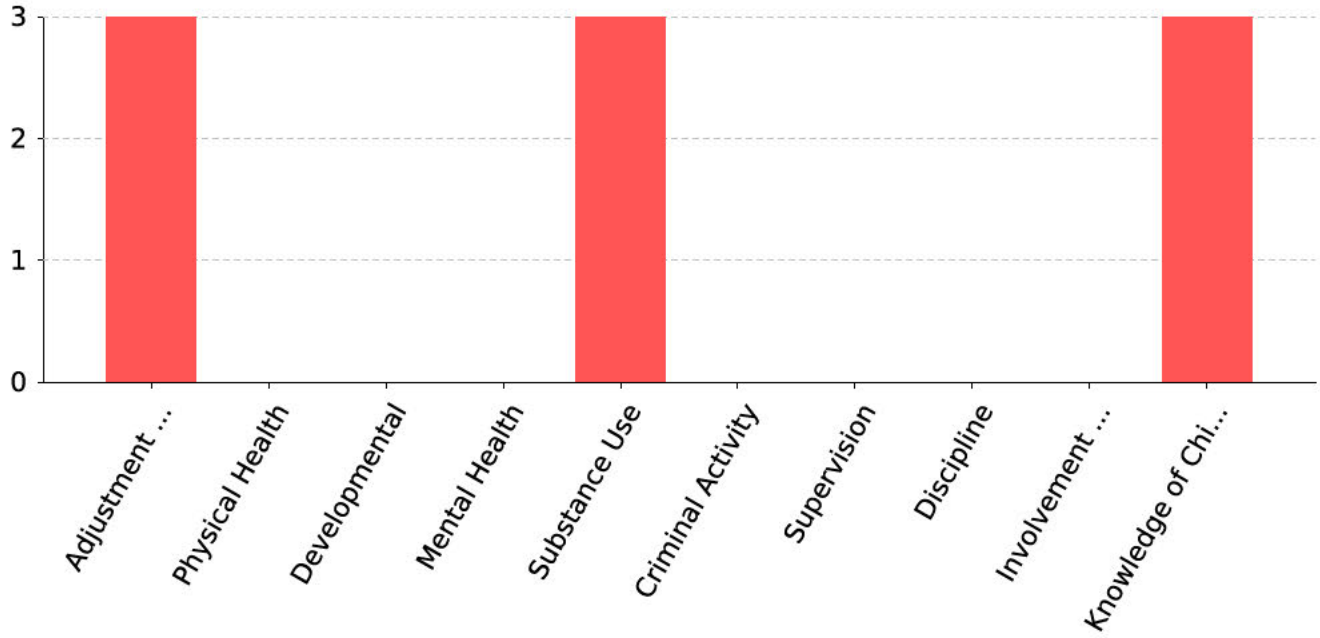
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Knowledge of Child and Family Needs	3	There are concerns due to safe sleep not being practiced in Ms. [redacted] home, although there was a bassinet for [redacted]

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

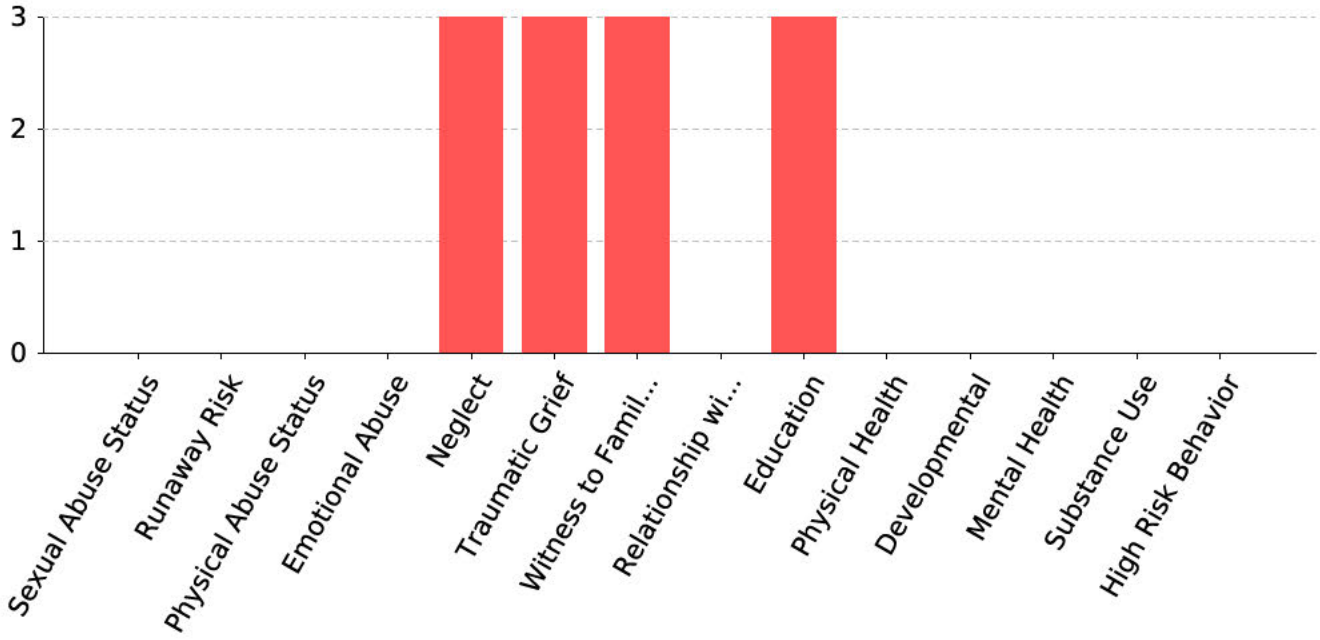


Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Adjustment to Traumatic Experiences	3	Ms. [redacted] was living with Ms. [redacted] who had custody of the children. Ms. [redacted] was sleeping with [redacted] on her chest and rolled over on [redacted] died.
Physical Health	0	
Developmental	0	
Mental Health	0	
Substance Use	3	There are concerns for substance usage. It was reported Ms. [redacted] will dip a urine cup in the toilet to allow it to read and then will pee in the cup. There are concerns Ms. [redacted] used the night of [redacted] death.
Criminal Activity	0	
Supervision	0	
Discipline	0	
Involvement in Caregiving Functions	0	
Knowledge of Child and Family Needs	3	There are concerns due to Ms. [redacted] not practicing safe sleep with the children. There was a bassinet for [redacted] next to Ms. [redacted]

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YOUTH		
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Participant: [redacted] (CSEM)	Person ID: [redacted]	Age:8 Yrs



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	
Runaway Risk	0	
Physical Abuse Status	0	
Emotional Abuse	0	
Neglect	3	There are concerns due to mother and father's history of substance usage. [redacted] was removed from his mother's care and placed with a non-relative (his siblings' paternal grandmother). While in her care, the children did not have appropriate sleeping arrangements.
Traumatic Grief	3	[redacted] father committed suicide prior to [redacted] birth. [redacted] was sleeping with his mother's paramour and [redacted] and [redacted] Ms. [redacted] rolled over on [redacted] and she died.
Witness to Family, School or Community Violence	3	Extensive history of dv between parents.
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	
Education	3	Child has not attended school since October 2022. There were significant behavioral issues and it was reported [redacted] needs to be evaluated for ADHD

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Physical Health	0	
Developmental	0	
Mental Health	0	
Substance Use	0	
High Risk Behavior	0	

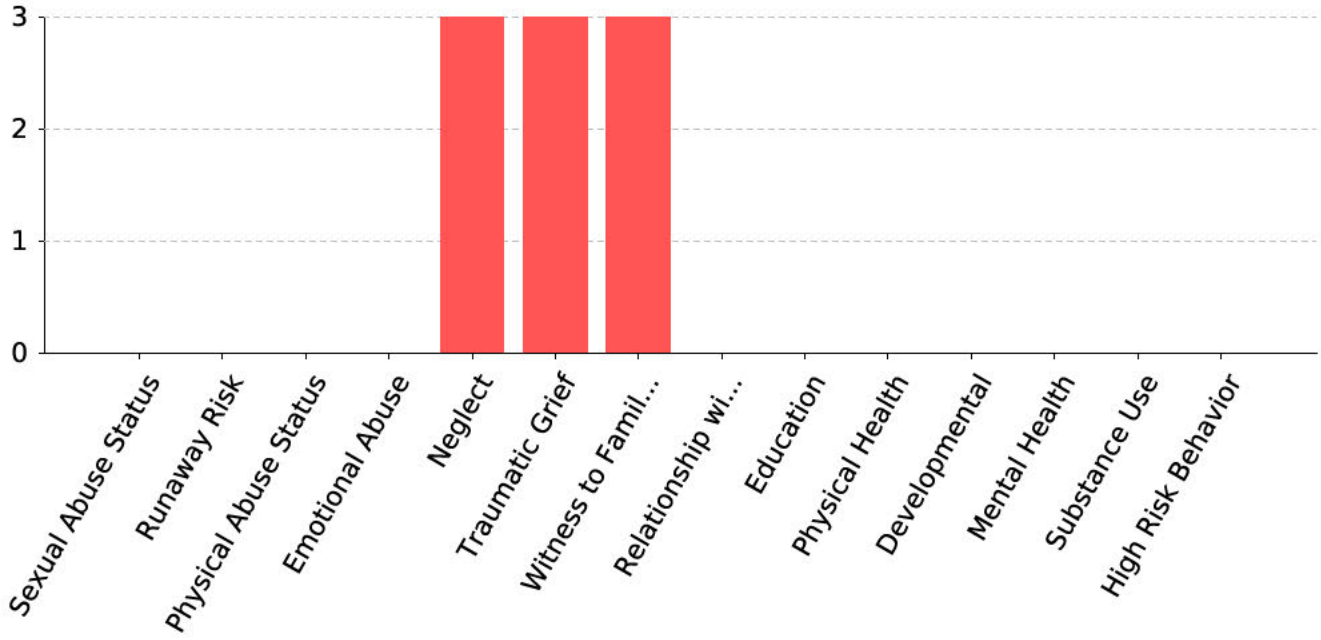
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Participant: [redacted] (CSEM)	Person ID: [redacted]	Age:2 Yrs 4 Mos



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	
Runaway Risk	0	
Physical Abuse Status	0	
Emotional Abuse	0	
Neglect	3	Extensive history of parents substance usage.
Traumatic Grief	3	father is deceased and infant sister is now deceased.
Witness to Family, School or Community Violence	3	extensive history of dv between the parents.
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	
Education	NA	Child is not school age.
Physical Health	0	
Developmental	0	

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Mental Health	0	
Substance Use	0	
High Risk Behavior	0	

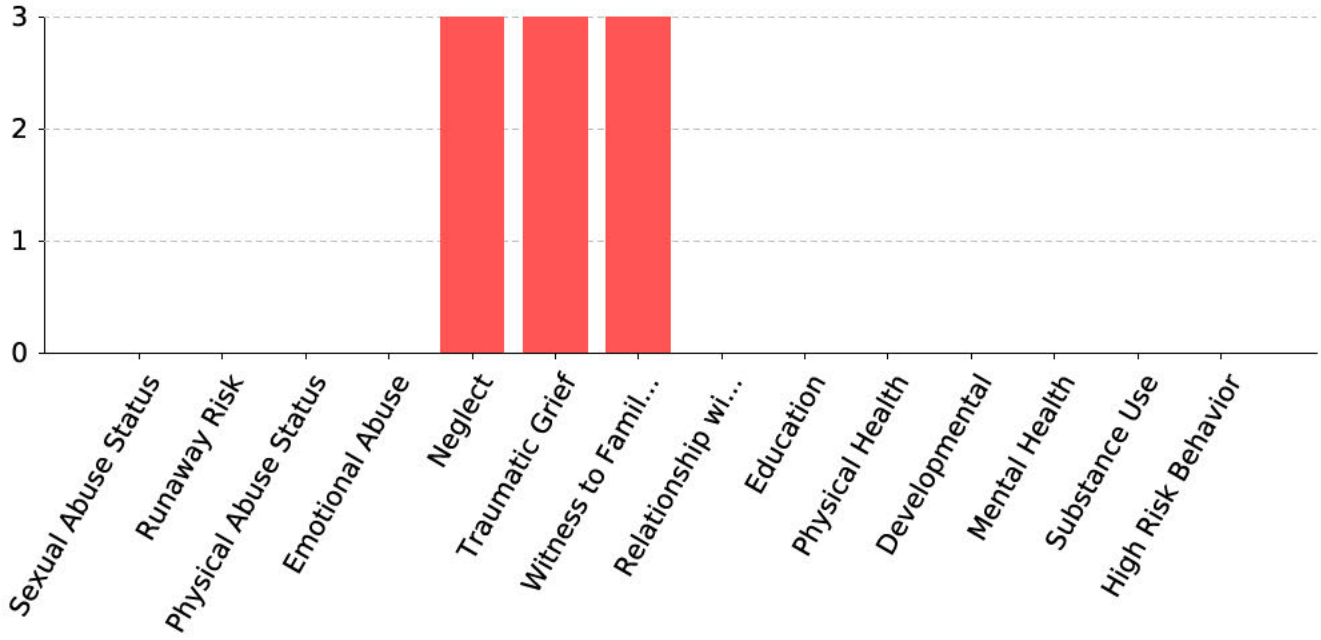
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YOUTH

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Participant: [redacted] (CSEM)	Person ID: [redacted]	Age:3 Yrs



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	
Runaway Risk	0	
Physical Abuse Status	0	
Emotional Abuse	0	
Neglect	3	Extensive history of parents substance usage.
Traumatic Grief	3	father is deceased and infant sister is deceased
Witness to Family, School or Community Violence	3	extensive history of DV between the parents.
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	
Education	NA	Youth is not school age
Physical Health	0	
Developmental	0	

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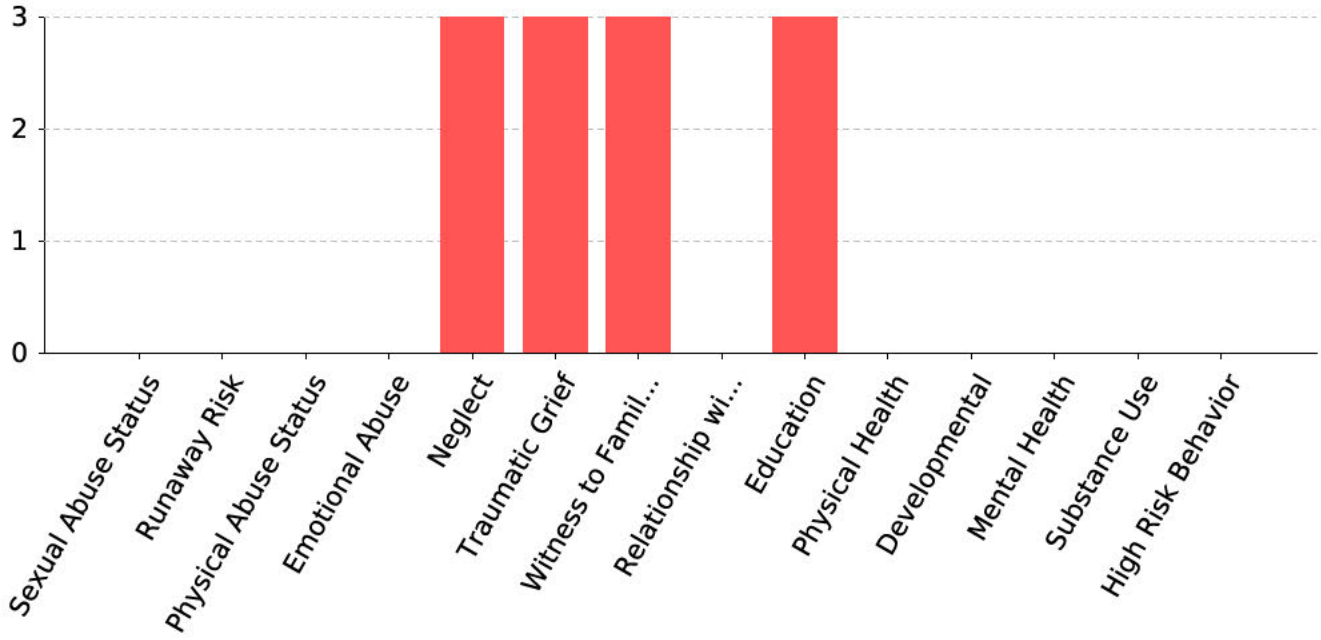
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Mental Health	0	
Substance Use	0	
High Risk Behavior	0	

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YOUTH		
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Participant: [redacted] (CSEM)	Person ID: [redacted]	Age:9 Yrs



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	
Runaway Risk	0	
Physical Abuse Status	0	
Emotional Abuse	0	
Neglect	3	The mother and father have a history of substance usage. [redacted] was often the primary caregiver of the youths and there are strong beliefs she also has a substance abuse issue.
Traumatic Grief	3	[redacted] was in the bed with her mother's paramour when her baby sister died. [redacted] is very descriptive. [redacted] also witnessed her father die of an overdose. Mother is currently in rehab. children are placed together in DCS custody.
Witness to Family, School or Community Violence	3	Extensive history of dv between the parents
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	
Education	3	[redacted] has not been enrolled in school since october 2022

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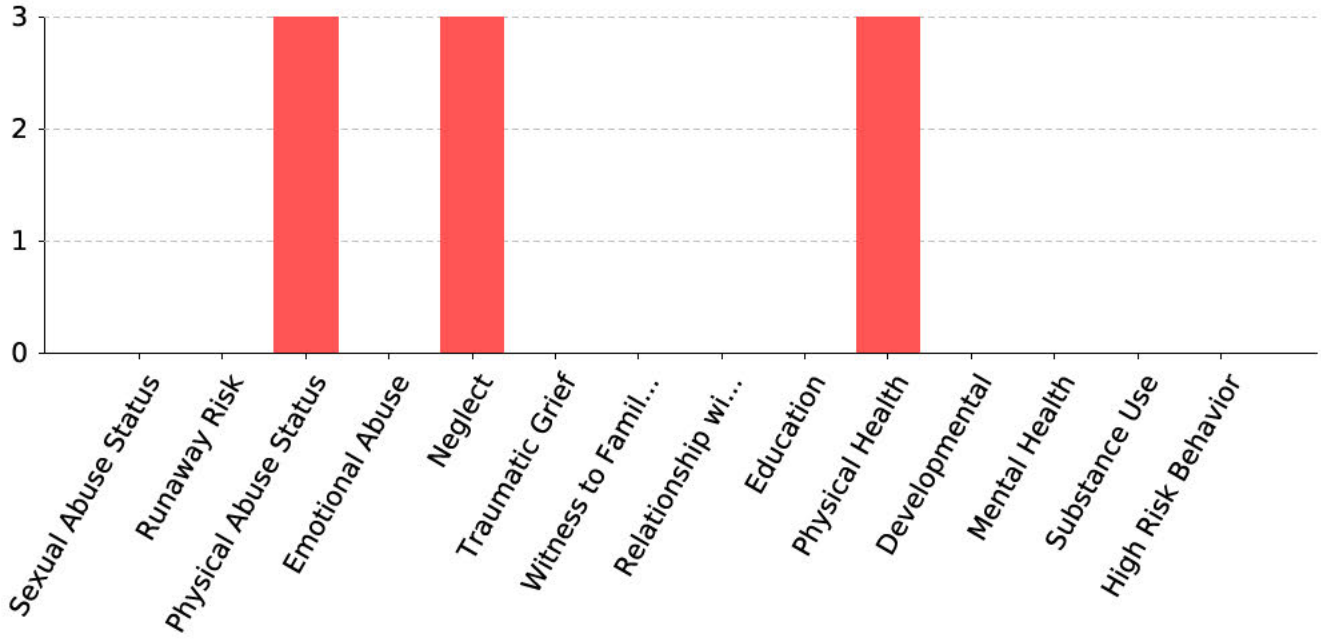
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Physical Health	0	
Developmental	0	
Mental Health	0	
Substance Use	0	
High Risk Behavior	0	

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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	None reported at this time.
Runaway Risk	0	none
Physical Abuse Status	3	There are concerns due to the infant being found deceased with blood coming out of her nose.
Emotional Abuse	0	No evidence at this time.
Neglect	3	Infant was born drug exposed. Mother was positive for amphetamines upon admission to the hospital. Cord results were positive for fentanyl. Child was sleeping on a blow up couch with mother's girlfriend and two of her siblings. Infant is deceased. There are concerns for the mother's girlfriend using drugs while in a caregiving role.
Traumatic Grief	0	Child's father passed prior to child's birth of a drug overdose.
Witness to Family, School or Community Violence	0	no known concerns.
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	no known concerns.
Education	NA	not school aged.

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Physical Health	3	Child is deceased.
Developmental	0	no concerns were noted.
Mental Health	0	no concerns were noted.
Substance Use	0	no concerns noted
High Risk Behavior	0	no concerns noted.