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INTRODUCTION

PENNSYLVANIA’S CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES LAW (CPSL) requires the Department of Human Services (DHS) to prepare and transmit to the governor and General Assembly a yearly report on the operations of ChildLine and protective services provided by the county children and youth agencies (CCYA). Data in annual reports prior to 2016 were based on the year the status determination was received at ChildLine. Annual reports are accessible through the Keep Kids Safe website (www.KeepKidsSafe.pa.gov).

DHS presents the completed 2021 Annual Child Protective Services Report. This report focuses on presenting statewide data on child abuse in Pennsylvania, as well as providing county and region-specific information.

It is important to note that the data contained in this report is based on child abuse referrals and general protective services referrals received between January 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021.

The Keep Kids Safe website serves as the hub for information and resources impacting child protection for both professionals and the general public. This website includes information related to mandatory reporting, training on child abuse recognition, child abuse clearances and reporting, information related to clearances, the Safe Haven program, fatality and near fatality reports, and prior years’ annual child abuse reports.

ONLINE CONTENT

https://www.dhs.pa.gov/docs/Publications/Pages/Child-Abuse-Reports.aspx

This report is available for download at the above link.

DATA EXTRACTION

All child abuse and general protective services data presented in this report was extracted on 3/21/2022 unless otherwise noted.

LEGISLATIVE AND POLICY UPDATES

ACT 18 of 2020

As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, Governor Tom Wolf signed Act 18 of 2020 on May 8, 2020 amending the Child Protective Services Law (CPSL; Title 23 Pa.C.S., Chapter 63). This Act (now expired) allowed for individuals who are required to get their FBI Criminal History Background Checks as found in Section 6344 of the CPSL, additional time to meet this requirement. The reason the Applicant was unable to obtain the FBI Criminal History Background Check had to be a COVID-19 pandemic-related reason. Individuals had until December 31, 2020 to obtain a copy of their fingerprint-based background check at an approved location.

Please note: The fingerprinting requirement for new school employees as governed by the Pennsylvania Public School Code did not change.

OCYF BULLETIN 3490-20-08

STATEWIDE GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES (GPS) REFERRALS

Bulletin 3490-20-08 was issued on September 11, 2020 and went into effect on October 03, 2020, adding requirements which impact data provided in this report on General Protective Services (GPS) Referrals. The purpose of the bulletin is to establish and transmit requirements related to a statewide policy regarding referrals that may be designated as GPS reports, response times for GPS report assessments, and screen out protocols. While the bulletin primarily impacts County Children and Youth Agencies, the following clarifications within the bulletin also impacts the Office of CONTINUES ON PAGE 4
Children, Youth, and Families’ (OCYF) Child Welfare Information System (CWIS) and ChildLine, and therefore also impacts the Annual Child Protective Services Report:

• Adjustments were made to the GPS Subcategories and their respective definitions;
• Changes were made to the acceptable GPS report screen out reasons which could be submitted to the State CWIS by the County Children and Youth Agencies;
• A new referral type of ‘Courtesy Visit/Home Study’ was added to the system. This referral type is applied to reports which did not contain specific child welfare concerns, but instead addressed the need for a Courtesy Visit or Home Study. These reports were previously captured by ChildLine as GPS referrals, in light of there not being a more appropriate referral type available in the system; and
• Prior to the effective date of the bulletin, ChildLine had been capturing referrals that did not allege concerns meeting the GPS threshold defined in the bulletin (and also did not contain allegations appropriately classified as any other referral type) as GPS reports. This bulletin allows ChildLine to classify a referral as an ‘Information Only’ referral when a report contains no allegations meeting the GPS threshold, when there is also no reported risk or potential risk to the safety of a child, and when the information reported does not indicate the family may need assistance in obtaining services due to general well-being concerns. A new subcategory of ‘Information Only’ referrals, entitled ‘No allegation(s) meeting GPS thresholds’ was added to the system to distinguish these Information Only type referrals, and changes were made to allow ChildLine to transmit these referrals to the County Children and Youth Agencies.

While minor changes to the GPS portion of the 2020 Annual Child Protective Services Report were observable, OCYF had noted that the impacts of this bulletin would be fully realized in the 2021 Annual Child Protective Services Report (the first full calendar year following implementation). Changes impacted by the bulletin will be footnoted as such in that section.
STATEWIDE CHILD ABUSE

STATE POPULATION • 12,794,885 // POPULATION UNDER 18 • 2,649,582

Note: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, extracted 03/17/22.

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- There were a total of 38,013 reports of suspected child abuse received in 2021, as opposed to 32,919 reports received in 2020. This increase was anticipated, largely due to the decline of reports observed in 2020. That decline was attributed to the COVID-19 pandemic, and the reduced contact between children and mandated reporters during that time.
- The percent of reports of suspected child abuse that were substantiated decreased from 14% in 2020 to 13.2% in 2021.
- Statewide substantiated reports of child abuse increased from 1.7 per thousand children in 2020 to 1.9 per thousand children in 2021.
- Sexual abuse remains the leading category of substantiated abuse, followed by physical abuse.
- Parents continue to be the persons most responsible for abuse of their children.

TOTAL REPORTS

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2021 FATALITIES

58

2021 NEAR FATALITIES

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VICTIM AGE

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
A person makes a specific disclosure to the mandated reporter that an identifiable child is the victim of child abuse; or

An individual 14 years of age or older makes a specific disclosure to the mandated reporter that the individual has committed child abuse.


Persons who are not mandated to report are considered permissive reporters. Permissive reporters may make a referral of suspected child abuse by calling ChildLine. Anyone who has reasonable cause to suspect child abuse is encouraged to make a report.

The CCYA investigates reports of suspected child abuse when the alleged perpetrator meets the definition under the CPSL. Suspected child abuse can be caused by the alleged perpetrator by acts either he or she committed (commission) or by failing to prevent abuse (omission). The CPSL defines perpetrators of commission as:

- A parent of the child;
- A spouse or former spouse of the child’s parent;
- A paramour or former paramour of the child’s parent;
- A person 14 years of age or older and responsible for the child’s welfare or having direct contact with children as an employee of child care services, a school or through a program, activity or service;
- An individual 14 years of age or older who resides in the same home as the child;
- A person 18 years of age or older who does not reside in the same home as the child, but is related within the third degree of consanguinity or affinity by birth or adoption to the child; or
- A person 18 years of age or older who engages a child in severe forms of trafficking in persons or sex trafficking, as those terms are defined under Section 103 of the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 (114 Stat. 1466, 22 U.S.C. § 7102).

The following individuals may be considered a perpetrator for failing to act:

- A parent of the child;
- A spouse or former spouse of the child’s parent;
- A paramour or former paramour of the child’s parent;
- A person 18 years of age or older and responsible for the child’s welfare; or
- A person 18 years of age or older who resides in the same home as the child.

Relationships of perpetrators described in this report further define how the perpetrator was connected to the child. Reports may have more than one allegation of abuse by a perpetrator against a child victim. Because some children are victims of more than one type of abuse, the chart [pg. 11] illustrating the types of allegations will be a greater number than the number of children who were victims of child abuse.

If the alleged perpetrator does not fit the CPSL definition, the report is referred to law enforcement officials for investigation. Reports are also referred to law enforcement officials for a joint

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**INVESTIGATIONS**

Upon receipt of a report of suspected child abuse, the CCYA immediately begins an investigation and ensures safety of the child and any other children living in the home. The CCYA is required to see the child within the following time frames:

- Immediately, if:
  - Emergency protective custody is required, has been or will be taken; or
  - It cannot be determined from the report whether emergency protective custody is needed.
- Within 24 hours, if the CCYA has assured the immediate safety of the child, i.e. the child will have no contact with the alleged perpetrator.

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**2021 CHILD ABUSE REPORTS INVESTIGATED**

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**STATEWIDE CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES**

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A child abuse investigation must determine within 30 days whether the report is:

- **FOUNDED** – there is court action including:
  - A judicial adjudication that the child was abused;
  - Acceptance into an accelerated rehabilitative disposition program;
  - Consent decree entered in a juvenile proceeding; or
  - Granting of a final protection from abuse order.

- **INDICATED** – CCYA or OCYF Regional Office staff find substantial evidence that abuse has occurred based on medical evidence, the child protective service investigation, or an admission by the perpetrator;

- **UNFOUNDED** – the alleged abuse did not meet the definition or criteria for abuse; or

- **PENDING** – status assigned to a report when the CCYA cannot complete the investigation within 60 calendar days because criminal or juvenile court action has been initiated.
The status of indicated reports is approved by the CCYA administrator and reviewed by the CCYA solicitor.

A CCYA may take up to 60 days to complete an investigation if there is a valid reason to not complete the investigation within 30 days, such as waiting on results from medical reports or other evaluations. The CCYA must document this reason in the case file.

Substantiated reports are kept on file at ChildLine until the victim’s 23rd birthday. ChildLine keeps the adult perpetrator’s information on file indefinitely if the name and date of birth or social security number of the perpetrator is known. Under certain circumstances, minor perpetrator’s information is expunged. Unfounded reports are kept on file at ChildLine for one year from the date of the report. They must be expunged within 120 days following the one-year period. If the unfounded case is accepted for services, the report is maintained as part of the case record and then kept on file for one year following closure of the case. The report is expunged within 120 days following the one-year period. CCYAs may maintain information regarding unfounded and substantiated reports that have been expunged in the Statewide database, for access by the county agency to assist in future risk and safety assessments and research, for an indefinite amount of time. Information that may be maintained by CCYAs regarding unfounded and substantiated reports that have been expunged in the Statewide database may not be released to the public, or used for research that may be provided to the public. In this report, “founded” and “indicated” reports of child abuse will be referred to as “substantiated” reports.

**REPEAT ABUSE**

ChildLine uses the statewide database to identify if a child victim on a new report has been previously identified as a victim in a substantiated report of abuse. Upon receipt of a report at ChildLine, a caseworker searches the statewide database to identify if any subject of the report — including the child’s parent, perpetrator, or the child themselves — was involved in a previous substantiated report or one that is under investigation. In addition, during the course of a current investigation, it is possible that other previously unreported incidents of child abuse are disclosed. For example, an investigation can reveal another incident of abuse that was never before disclosed by the child or the family for a number of reasons. These previously unreported incidents of child abuse will be referred to as “substantiated” reports.

**STATEWIDE CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES**

- Monitoring, licensing, and providing technical assistance to CCYAs, foster family care agencies, adoption agencies and residential and day treatment facilities;
- Investigating child abuse when the alleged perpetrator is a CCYA employee or one of its agents;
- Conducting comprehensive reviews of all child fatalities and near fatalities as a result of suspected child abuse that occur within the commonwealth;
- Monitoring CCYAs’ implementation and ongoing compliance with the CPSL;
- Ensuring regulatory compliance of agencies and facilities by investigating complaints and conducting annual inspections;
- Assisting CCYAs in the interpretation and implementation of new laws and regulations; and
- Reviewing and recommending approval of county needs-based plans and budget estimates.

When the suspected abuse has been committed by the CCYA or any of its agents or employees, the CPSL requires DHS to investigate reports of suspected child abuse due to conflict of interest. An agent of the CCYA is anyone who provides a children and youth social service for, or on behalf of, the CCYA. Agents might include resource parents, residential facility staff, and staff and volunteers at child care centers.
CHILD ABUSE REPORTS
BY INVESTIGATING AGENCY

NOTE: CCYAs conduct child abuse investigations unless the alleged perpetrator is an agent of the CCYA. If the alleged perpetrator is an agent of the CCYA, OCYF Regional Offices conduct the child abuse investigation due to a conflict of interest. These maps show reports by the investigating agency.
This map uses the number of children with substantiated reports of child abuse for every 1,000 children in each county. This approach takes into account different population sizes and allows for counties to be examined in comparable terms. Seventy-five percent of the state population under 18 years old lives in urban counties, and conversely, one quarter live in rural counties. The average substantiated rate increased in rural counties from 2.5 in 2020 to 2.7 in 2021, and in urban counties remained the same at 1.5.

NOTE: Substantiated totals for each county combine reports investigated by the CCYAs and OCYF Regional Offices. Urban and rural county classifications are from the Center for Rural Pennsylvania (www.rural.palegislature.us/demographics_rural_urban_counties.html) and are based on population density.
DEFINITION: Per se act — The definition of child abuse also includes certain acts in which the act itself constitutes abuse without any resulting injury or condition.

Types of Allegations

- **Sexual abuse**: 2,171 (39.9%)
- **Physical abuse/bodily injury**: 1,418 (26.1%)
- **Reasonable likelihood of bodily injury**: 720 (13.2%)
- **Serious physical neglect**: 692 (12.7%)
- **Engaging in per se acts**: 84 (1.5%)
- **Likelihood of sexual abuse/exploitation**: 60 (1.1%)
- **Serious mental injury**: 19 (0.1%)
- **Munchausen Syndrome by proxy/medical abuse**: 5 (0.1%)

Note: Someone may be named as a perpetrator on more than one report; therefore, the total number of perpetrators will be greater than the total number of reports.

Relationship of Perpetrator

- Mother: 1,525
- Father: 1,448
- Parent’s paramour/former paramour: 771
- Kin/relative: 699
- Unrelated/other: 439
- Sibling: 345
- Parent’s spouse/former spouse: 337
- Babysitter: 93
- Unknown: 63
- Child care employee/volunteer: 42
- School staff: 34
- Employee/volunteer responsible: 32
- Residential facility staff: 27
- Resource parent: 23
- Caretaker/guardian: 19

Total Perpetrators: 5,897

Victims’ Living Arrangement at Time of Abuse

- Single Parent: 2,486
- Two Parents: 1,641
- Parent and Other Relative: 267
- Foster/Group Home/Residential Care: 250
- Other: 234
- Legal Guardian: 177
- Not Reported: 125
- 45

Substantiated Reports

5,438 Total Allegations

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Note (applicable to Types of Allegations (far left) and Breakdown - Relationship of Perpetrator (far right)): A report can contain multiple allegation types; therefore, total allegations may exceed the number of reports.
THE FATALITY OR NEAR FATALITY OF A CHILD under suspicious circumstances impacts the wider community, with everyone left wondering what could have been done differently to prevent the incident from occurring. DHS is required to review circumstances surrounding cases where suspected child abuse might have occurred, which helps the community better understand what led to the fatality or near fatality, and to help initiate a discussion on how Pennsylvanians can help prevent future occurrences.

Act 33 became effective December 30, 2008 and requires that child fatalities and near fatalities where abuse is suspected be reviewed at the state and county levels. The review of child fatalities was not new to the field of child welfare, but rather codified and built upon the existing review process for fatalities to include the review of near fatalities. Act 44 of 2014 further addressed public disclosure provisions by permitting the investigating CCYA to release information to the public prior to the completion of its fatality or near fatality review team report. Act 33 of 2008 and Act 44 of 2014 increased child-serving systems’ transparency and accountability related to child fatalities and near fatalities by granting public access to information related to each child fatality or near fatality when abuse is suspected.

Upon receipt of a report of suspected child abuse involving a fatality or near fatality, two types of reviews are immediately initiated:

• The first level of review occurs at the local level in accordance with an established protocol and involves the CCYA convening a team broadly representative of the community, consisting of at least six individuals who have expertise in the prevention and treatment of child abuse. County Child Abuse Fatality and Near Fatality Review Teams are required to review cases when it has been determined that abuse occurred, or when a final status determination has not been made within 30 calendar days from the date of the report to ChildLine.

• DHS is responsible for conducting the second level of review for all child fatalities and near fatalities when abuse is suspected, regardless of the status determination. This means that both substantiated and unfounded cases will be reviewed.

DHS has also convened a Statewide Child Fatality and Near Fatality Trend Analysis Team consisting of cross-system partners and external stakeholders. The team’s purpose is to continuously analyze data and information gathered to determine the contributing factors and symptoms of abuse and to form recommendations for policy and practice changes at the state and local levels. The team will use the analyses to promote and support the implementation of effective prevention efforts in Pennsylvania that may prevent similar future occurrences. These reviews seek to identify areas that require systemic change in order to improve the delivery of services to children and families, and develop data-driven and research-informed recommendations, which will ultimately enhance the commonwealth’s ability to protect children. In February 2019, the first Child Abuse Fatality and Near Fatality Trend Analysis Team report was released detailing the findings and recommendations for incidents reported in calendar years 2015 and 2016. The report is available at www.dhs.pa.gov/docs/OCYF/Pages/Fatality-Reports.aspx. The trend team will continue analyzing child abuse fatalities and near fatalities in subsequent years and release the findings and recommendations developed.
Upon completion of DHS’s review, a final redacted report is posted at www.dhs.pa.gov/docs/OCYF/Pages/Fatality-Reports.aspx unless the district attorney certifies that the release of the report may compromise a pending criminal investigation or proceeding. After verification from the district attorney that there is no longer a certification barring the report’s release, DHS’s redacted report is posted to facilitate the release of information to the public.

**SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES**

- **58**
  - **26 (44.8%)** Female
  - **32 (55.2%)** Male

**AGE OF PERPETRATOR**

- **Under Age 20**: 6
- **Ages 20-29**: 11
- **Ages 30-39**: 36
- **Ages 40-49**: 70
- **Over Age 49**: 16
- **Unknown**: 8

**RELATIONSHIP TO VICTIM**

- **Parent**: 59
- **Parent’s spouse/former spouse**: 13
- **Parent’s paramour/former paramour**: 9
- **Unrelated/other**: 19
- **Unknown**: 15

**SEX OF PERPETRATOR**

- **Female**: 43
- **Male**: 41
- **Unknown**: 2

**PREVIOUS INVOLVEMENT PRIOR TO OR AT TIME OF INCIDENT**

- **Never Known**: 37
- **Unknown/Not Reported**: 35
- **Known to Agency**: 85

**NOTE**: Community agencies are defined broadly as any public or private agency providing services and/or care to the victim, parent, and/or perpetrator. Individuals reflected as having "Unknown/Not Reported" prior involvement will include substantiated unknown perpetrators who in previous years had been counted under "Never Known to Agency."
Six (33%) of the Violent Act fatalities involved Abusive Head Trauma (AHT), while 33 (59%) of the Violent Act near-fatalities involved AHT. AHT is defined as an injury to the skull or intracranial contents of an infant or child less than five years of age, due to inflicted blunt impact and/or violent shaking.

Eight (41%) of the Violent Act fatalities involved Ingestion or Poisoning as the determined cause. In the 2020 Annual Report, it had been noted that five fatalities and 14 near-fatalities with Ingestion or Poisoning as the determined cause involved opioids. Following a review of additional information, an additional five fatalities and sixteen near-fatalities in the substantiated 2020 population were determined to have involved opioids, making the actual totals for 2020 ten fatalities and 30 near fatalities.
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**58** Substantiated Fatalities

**136** Substantiated Near Fatalities
In 2021, OCYF Regional Office staff investigated 1,301 reports of suspected child abuse involving agents of a county agency, an increase of 5.3 percent from 2020 (1,236 reports). The overall OCYF Regional Office substantiation rate was 6.2 percent, a decrease from 2020, which was 7.2 percent.

### Southeast Region

- **Total Reports:** 476
- **Substantiated Reports:** 35

#### Breakdown of Substantiated Reports by Allegation

- **Physical abuse/ bodily injury:** 17
- **Sexual abuse:** 9
- **Reasonable likelihood of bodily injury:** 17
- **Serious physical neglect:** 11
- **Engaging in per se acts:** 5
- **Likelihood of sexual abuse/ exploitation:** 5
- **Serious mental injury:** 1
- **Severe form of trafficking in persons or sex trafficking:** 1

**NOTE:** A report may have more than one substantiated allegation; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of substantiated reports. Percentages may not equal 100 percent due to rounding.

**NOTE:** The Southeast Regional Office was investigating agency for one fatality and three near fatalities in 2021.
**NORTHEAST REGION**

**114**
TOTAL REPORTS

**12**
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

**BREAKDOWN**
REGIONAL OFFICE INVESTIGATIONS BY LOCATION OF ABUSE

- Substantiated reports
- Total suspected reports

**TOTAL REPORTS BY SETTING OF INCIDENT**

- **Adoption Services**
  - 8 (7.0%)
- **Foster family care**
  - 62 (54.4%)
- **Other child care services**
  - 14 (12.3%)
- **Residential Services**
  - 30 (26.3%)
- **Unknown**
  - 0 (0.0%)

**BREAKDOWN SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY ALLEGATION**

- Physical abuse/bodily injury
  - 10
- Sexual abuse
  - 1
- Reasonable likelihood of bodily injury
  - 3
- Serious physical neglect
  - 1
- Engaging in per se acts
  - 1
- Likelihood of sexual abuse/exploitation
  - 0
- Serious mental injury
  - 0
- Severe form of trafficking in persons or sex trafficking
  - 0

**NOTE:** A report may have more than one substantiated allegation; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of substantiated reports. Percentages may not equal 100 percent due to rounding.
TOTAL REPORTS BY SETTING OF INCIDENT

- Adoption Services: 52 (21.4%)
- Foster family care: 80 (32.9%)
- Other child care services: 37 (15.2%)
- Residential Services: 3 (1.2%)
- Unknown: 6 (33.3%)

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- Adoption Services: 6 (33.3%)
- Foster family care: 3 (16.7%)
- Other child care services: 3 (16.7%)
- Residential Services: 6 (33.3%)
- Unknown: 0 (0.0%)

BREAKDOWN SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY ALLEGATION

- Physical abuse/bodily injury: 8
- Sexual abuse: 8
- Reasonable likelihood of bodily injury: 5
- Serious physical neglect: 1
- Engaging in per se acts: 2
- Likelihood of sexual abuse/exploitation: 1
- Severe form of trafficking: 0
- Serious mental injury: 0

NOTE: A report may have more than one substantiated allegation; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of substantiated reports.

Percentages may not equal 100 percent due to rounding.
WESTERN REGION

468 TOTAL REPORTS
16 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

NOTE: The Western Regional Office was the investigating agency for one near fatality in 2021.

TOTAL REPORTS BY SETTING OF INCIDENT
- Adoption Services: 105 (22.4%)
- Foster family care: 112 (23.9%)
- Other child care services: 72 (15.4%)
- Residential Services: 177 (37.8%)
- Unknown: 2 (0.4%)

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS
- Adoption Services: 11 (31.3%)
- Foster family care: 16 (48.6%)
- Other child care services: 18 (51.4%)
- Residential Services: 1 (2.9%)
- Unknown: 2 (5.7%)

BREAKDOWN:
- Physical abuse/bodily injury: 2
- Sexual abuse: 1
- Severe form of trafficking in persons or sex trafficking: 0
- Serious mental injury: 0
- Other: 0

NOTE: A report may have more than one substantiated allegation; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of substantiated reports. Percentages may not equal 100 percent due to rounding.
CHILD ABUSE IN CHILD CARE SETTINGS

THE CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES LAW requires DHS to report on the services provided to children who were abused in child care settings and the action taken against the perpetrators. Child care settings include family child care homes, child care centers, foster homes, boarding homes for children, juvenile detention centers, residential facilities, and institutional facilities. It does not include baby sitters (paid or unpaid) arranged by parents.

In 2021, there were 1,588 reports for suspected abuse of children in child care settings. A total of 134, eight percent, were substantiated. DHS investigated 73 of the substantiated reports because the alleged perpetrators were agents of a CCYA.

Social services were planned and/or provided to alleged victims, parents, and/or perpetrators involved in the investigated reports, when appropriate. In 742 reports, 47 percent, information was referred to law enforcement officials by the CCYA or OCYF Regional Office for criminal investigation and prosecution; 116 of these reports were substantiated by the CCYA or OCYF Regional Office investigation.
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS IN CHILD CARE SETTINGS
TYPES OF ABUSE BY SETTING AND BY PERPETRATOR

NOTE: A report may have more than one category of abuse and more than one perpetrator; therefore, the total category of abuse number and perpetrator number may be greater than the total number of reports.

SERVICES PLANNED OR PROVIDED FOR SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS IN CHILD CARE SETTINGS
FOR CHILD, PARENT, AND/OR PERPETRATOR

NOTE: More than one service may be provided; therefore, the total number of services will be greater than the number of reports.
CHILD CARE DEVELOPMENT FUND REPORTING

THE CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CCDBG) ACT OF 2014 is a law that authorizes the Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF) program. CCDF is administered by states, territories and tribes and outlines how federal funds will be used to provide financial assistance to low-income families to access child care. A final rule implementing the CCDBG Act and updating the CCDF regulations for the first time since 1998 were published on September 23, 2016. The rule applies to states, territories and tribes administering CCDF and incorporates and clarifies changes made through the bipartisan CCDBG Act.

The Act and rule establish a baseline for health, safety, and quality through requirements which include a requirement for states to make available by electronic means, information showing the number of deaths, serious injuries and instances of substantiated child abuse that occur in child care settings each year. To support the Office of Child Development and Early Learning (OCDEL) in providing these metrics, OCYF is adding a new section to the Annual Child Abuse Report which will provide data that will satisfy the reporting of substantiated child abuse cases which occur in Child Care Centers, Family Child Care and Group Child Care Homes.

In 2021, there were 32 substantiated reports of child abuse that involved these types of settings. Of these reports, 12 involved substantiated allegations of physical abuse/bodily injury, and 0 involved a substantiated fatality. Further breakdowns of these totals by facility type can be found in the corresponding tables in this section.
**RACE/ETHNICITY METRICS**

**PENNSYLVANIA IS COMMITTED** to addressing racial disparities in the child welfare system. Understanding the impact of racial disparity in the child welfare system requires recognition of the points at which bias can enter the system and how inequities at each point can impact the trajectory of children and families as they move through the system. Racial disparity can often be found at the very point where families often first come into contact with the child welfare system.

In Pennsylvania, there are significant racial disparities in the number of suspected child abuse and neglect reports that are received by the CCYAs and ChildLine, Pennsylvania’s child abuse hotline. As noted in the **2021 DHS Racial Equity Report**, Black children make up 14 percent of the total child population in Pennsylvania but represent 21 percent of potential victims of abuse in child protective service reports.

Prior to the development of the current Child Welfare Information System (CWIS), race and ethnicity data was not maintained within the Statewide database. However, changes to the Child Protective Services Law (CPSL) that became effective on December 31, 2014, added a stipulation that the Statewide database should include the race and ethnicity of subjects of reports. As a result, the current CWIS was developed in a manner which made it possible for race and ethnicity to be captured for subjects of reports.

OCYF is committed to continuous quality improvement and using data driven decision-making. As part of this ongoing commitment, the 2021 Annual Child Abuse Report is being updated to include race/ethnicity metrics for the victims and perpetrators listed on Substantiated reports of child abuse, including Substantiated Fatalities and Near Fatalities. Following the release of the 2021 Annual Child Abuse Report, OCYF will continue to review the content of the Annual Child Abuse Report to determine other ways in which available race and ethnicity data may be further incorporated into future versions of the report. OCYF is committed to continuing to analyze the quality and content of this data in order to make decisions in the best of interest of children and families in Pennsylvania.
THE NAME AND KNOWN IDENTIFYING INFORMATION of an individual named as a perpetrator of a substantiated report of child abuse is maintained in the statewide database. DHS’s ChildLine and Abuse Registry provides notice of the findings of the investigation to all subjects of the report, including the person named as the perpetrator. The notice to the person named as the perpetrator includes information regarding their right to file an appeal of an indicated report within 90 days of being notified. Only the person who has been named as a perpetrator has the right to file an appeal.

The person named as the perpetrator can request an administrative review by OCYF or bypass the administrative review and request a hearing before DHS’s Bureau of Hearings and Appeals (BHA). The administrative review is performed by a panel of professionals within OCYF. If the appeal results in a decision that is in the favor of the person who is named as the perpetrator, the individual’s name and identifying information is removed from the statewide database. The person named as the perpetrator and the investigating CCYA also have the right to request a hearing with BHA on the merits of the case if either party disagrees with the decision of the OCYF Administrative Review Panel.

At the hearing, the individual named as the perpetrator has the opportunity to present testimony and evidence to the BHA administrative law judge, as does the CCYA. All parties are notified by BHA of the scheduled hearing and outcome of the hearing. If the individual, named as the perpetrator, disagrees with the findings at the conclusion of a BHA hearing, they may request reconsideration by the Secretary. This request must be made in writing, within 15 calendar days of the mailing date of the final BHA Order. In addition, both parties may request that the Commonwealth Court review the appeal, if either party is not in agreement with the BHA ruling. The CPSL also gives the Secretary of DHS the authority to amend or expunge a report, upon the request of the perpetrator, based on “good cause shown.” “Good cause shown” can include, but is not limited to:

- Newly discovered evidence that an indicated report is inaccurate or being maintained in a manner inconsistent with the CPSL; or
- A determination that the perpetrator no longer presents a risk of child abuse and there is no significant public purpose for maintaining the individual’s name on the statewide database.

Of the 875 requests for appeal that were upheld by an administrative or secretary review or dismissed by an administrative review, 153 requests were received for a hearing by BHA on the merits of the case.

NOTE: Hearings and Appeals data was extracted on 2/14/22.
CLEARANCES FOR EMPLOYEES AND VOLUNTEERS

THE CPSL establishes requirements enumerating the individuals that must obtain clearances (statutorily referred to as certifications) in order to be employed, to be a resource parent (foster or adoptive), or volunteer with children. In some circumstances, a resource parent or an individual residing in the resource family home may be required to obtain additional clearances if they have lived out-of-state within the past five years. The CPSL also outlines the grounds for which these individuals would be prohibited from working or volunteering with children.

The child abuse history clearance will only contain a record of indicated, founded, pending criminal court, pending juvenile court, or pending child abuse investigation. The term “pending” on the results of a child abuse history clearance means that the applicant is currently under investigation as a perpetrator of suspected child abuse. Clearances will not include information on unfounded reports of child abuse or general protective services assessments, which are non-abuse cases where services may be provided to prevent potential harm to a child.

The purpose of requiring clearances is to provide employers and those selecting volunteers with information to use as part of a larger decision-making process when determining whether to hire someone as an employee or select them as a volunteer. A clearance does not replace a thorough interview and selection process.

Clearances are required for an employee when the individual will:

• Be responsible for a child’s welfare; or

• Have direct contact with children, meaning they are providing care, supervision, guidance, or control to children or they have routine interaction with children.

Clearances are required for an employee at a minimum of every 60 months from the date of their oldest clearance. Clearances may be required more frequently based on licensure and employer requirements.

Clearances are required for an unpaid adult volunteer every 60 months from the date of their oldest clearance when they will:

• Be responsible for a child’s welfare; or

• Have direct volunteer contact with children, meaning they are providing care, supervision, guidance, or control to children and they have routine interaction with children.

These clearances may include the following:

• Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Certification;

• Pennsylvania State Police Criminal Record Check; and

• Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Criminal History Background Check (required for employees and some volunteers);

• National Sex Offender Registry (NSOR) Check (required for certain child care providers).

An agency or organization is prohibited from hiring employees or selecting volunteers for a position involving children if the individual was named as a perpetrator in a founded report of child abuse committed within five years preceding when the clearance was verified. Conviction of certain crimes may prohibit working or volunteering with children.

Over the course of 2021, the average processing time for a Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Certification was under two days, a significant improvement over 2020, which was just under four days. The CPSL mandates that requests for these certifications be completed within 14 calendar days.

Agencies and organizations must ensure that clearances are obtained in accordance with the CPSL. To determine the individuals who are required to obtain clearances, please see the fact sheets at www.KeepKidsSafe.pa.gov. The website also has information on how often employees and volunteers need to submit updated clearances, and the fees associated with clearances. Information on how to obtain the required clearances is also available, including the ability to submit and pay for the Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Certification online.
Clearances
Child Abuse History Clearance Applications

788,344
Total Applications

5,007
Applications That Need Additional Information From Applicant

783,337
Applications Processed

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2,018 Individuals Identified as Substantiated or Alleged Perpetrators

1,818 (90.1%)
Substantiated perpetrators

155 (77%)
Alleged perpetrators in reports pending investigations

45 (2.2%)
Alleged perpetrators where the outcome was pending criminal or juvenile court

National Sex Offender Registry Verification

To maintain compliance with the federal Child Care Development Block Grant, the Office of Child Development and Early Learning (OCDEL) partnered with the Office of Children, Youth, and Families to provide applicants with a verification letter confirming their name search on the National Crime Information Center's National Sex Offender Registry (NSOR). This national search must be performed for any individual working for or as a regulated child care provider and any relative child care providers caring for children receiving subsidized child care. The verification letter is valid for 60 months. Individuals continuing their relationship with child care as a provider or resident must renew their clearance prior to its expiration.

There were a total of 46,041 applications processed in 2021, with no applicants found to be registered on NSOR.

Note: Clearance data provided was extracted on 2/7/2022.
INDIVIDUALS WHO WORK OR VOLUNTEER with children in certain circumstances are required to obtain a Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) background check before working with or volunteering with children. The data in this section reflects a compilation of all individuals who have applied for the fingerprint-based federal criminal background check in 2021.

The following individuals are required to obtain an FBI background check as part of the clearance process: child care services employees, school employees, foster parents, adult household members in foster homes, prospective adoptive parents, individuals providing child care services under contract with a child care facility or program, and adult household members of family living homes, community homes for individuals with an intellectual disability, and host homes for children.

Adult volunteers who have not lived in Pennsylvania for the last 10 years must also obtain FBI background checks. Adult volunteers who have lived in Pennsylvania for the last 10 years and swear or affirm in writing that they have not been convicted of any of the prohibitive crimes listed in Section 6344 of the CPSL are not required to obtain the FBI background check.

For more information on FBI and other required clearances, please visit www.KeepKidsSafe.pa.gov.

NOTE: FBI data provided was extracted on 2/22/22.

RESULTS: CRIMINAL HISTORIES

Of the 32,403 total results with a record were crimes that would disqualify an applicant from working or volunteering with a child in accordance with Section 6344 (c) of the CPSL or an equivalent crime under federal law or the law of another state.

327,966 RESULTS WITH NO RECORD
32,403 RESULTS WITH A RECORD
2,023 REQUESTS WHICH NEED ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM APPLICANT
630 REQUESTS REJECTED THE FIRST TIME AND NOT REPRINTED.
5 REQUESTS PENDING RESEARCH
1 REQUESTS WAITING FOR FBI NAME SEARCH

225,262 Employee over age 14 with contact with children
79,125 Child care services/program employee
37,833 Volunteer
10,260 Foster parents
5,720 Prospective adoptive parent
2,021 Individual over age 18 in foster home
1,740 Family child care home provider
1,105 Individual over age 18 in family living, community, or host home
589 Individual over age 18 in prospective adoptive home
304 Individual over age 18 in licensed child care home

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION RECORDS REQUESTS
GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES (GPS) reports are those reports that do not rise to the level of suspected child abuse but allege a need for intervention to prevent serious harm to children. DHS is responsible for receiving and transmitting reports where GPS concerns are alleged. The CCYA is responsible for receiving and assessing reports of children in need of GPS in order to:

- Provide services to prevent abuse or neglect to children;
- Provide or arrange for and monitor the provision of those services necessary to safeguard and ensure the child’s well-being and development; and
- Preserve and stabilize family life wherever appropriate.

GPS reports can be made by mandated or permissive reporters. While mandated reporters are only required to

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NOTE: Data for 2017 was extracted 3/23/18. Data for 2018 was extracted 3/22/19. Data for 2019 was extracted 3/23/20. Data for 2020 was extracted 03/22/21. In 2021, data was extracted 3/21/22 and there were 12 reports awaiting outcomes.

NOTE: A report may have more than one child; therefore, the number of children will be more than the number of reports.
report suspected child abuse, they continue to make the majority of reports alleging GPS concerns of children. When reports are received at ChildLine, staff assess the allegations, categorize the report, and send the report to the appropriate CCYA for assessment.

As with CPS reports, upon receiving a GPS report, the CCYA must see the child immediately if emergency protective custody has been taken, emergency protective custody is needed, or it cannot be determined from the report whether or not emergency protective custody is needed. Otherwise, the CCYA prioritizes the response time to assure that children who are most at risk receive an assessment first.

CCYAs must complete their assessment within 60 days of receipt of a report. As with CPS reports, the CCYA must also provide or arrange for services necessary to protect the child and any other children in the home. Upon completion of the assessment, the CCYA must immediately notify DHS:

- If the report was determined to be valid or invalid; and
- If the family was accepted for services, referred to community services, or the case was closed.

Determining that a report was valid means there was merit to the concerns. Conversely, determining that a report was invalid means the concerns did not meet the criteria or rise to the level of a valid report.

If the family was accepted for services, the CCYA must also immediately notify DHS upon the closure of services.

Unlike CPS reports, the determination made on a GPS report is not used when processing a Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Certification, nor does submission of the outcome after the 60-day timeframe impact the final outcome determination. Timely submission of GPS outcomes is monitored and reviewed as part of DHS’s licensure of CCYAs.

CCYAs also have the ability to screen-out GPS reports. The decision to screen-out a GPS report is made on a case-by-case basis by the CCYA and could be due to a number of different factors including, but not limited to:

- Information Only – The child/family requested information only and no other concerns exist warranting an assessment;
- Referral to Other Community Services – A child/family will benefit from other services in the community, which can best address the child/family’s needs;
• **Referral Did Not Allege Abuse or Neglect Concerns**
  – The referral did not allege concerns that warrant the CCYA performing an assessment and there are no child safety concerns;

• **Courtesy Visit**
  – Another state or agency has requested an assessment; however, the child/family is not in need of service;

• **Law Enforcement Only**
  – A referral was made to law enforcement officials because the alleged perpetrator is not a perpetrator under the CPSL and there are no child safety concerns;

• **Insufficient Information/Unable to Assess**
  – The child/family is unable to be identified/located;

• **No Face-to-Face Contact/No Further Action Needed**
  – The CCYA contacted the child/family or other professionals via phone and no further action is required;

• **Face-to-Face Contact/No Further Action Needed**
  – The CCYA made one face-to-face contact with child/family and no further action is required; or

• **Other Reason**
  – A reason that does not fall in the above categories, which requires the agency to record the specific reason.

GPS reports maintained in the statewide database at ChildLine must be expunged within certain timeframes based on the outcome and whether the family was accepted for services. Invalid GPS reports must be expunged one year and 120 days after the date the report was received by DHS. Valid GPS reports not accepted for services must be expunged 10 years and 120 days after the date the report was received by DHS or until the youngest child identified in the most recent GPS report reaches 23 years of age, whichever occurs first. Valid GPS reports accepted for services must be expunged 10 years and 120 days after the closure of services by the CCYA, or until the youngest child identified in the most recent GPS report reaches 23 years of age, whichever occurs first. CCYAs may continue to maintain information regarding these same valid GPS reports to assist in future risk and safety assessments and research for an indefinite amount of time, or the CCYA may amend or expunge these reports.

### Relationship of Person Responsible

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**NOTE:** Someone may be identified as a person responsible on more than one report; therefore, a person responsible may be counted more than once. A report may have more than one person responsible; therefore, the number of persons responsible exceeds the number of valid reports.

### Concern Type by Person Responsible

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VALID GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICE REPORTS BY COUNTY

This map uses the number of children with valid allegations for every 1,000 children in each county. This approach takes into account different population sizes and allows for counties to be examined in comparable terms. There was a wide range in the number of children with valid allegations, with Columbia (120.5) and Northumberland counties (108.2) having the highest rates and Montour (2.2) and Beaver (3.2) with the lowest rates. The average for rural counties was more than double the average for urban counties: the rural rate was 41.4 and the urban rate was 18.4.

NOTE: Urban and rural county classifications are from the Center for Rural Pennsylvania (www.rural.palegislature.us/demographics_rural_urban_counties.html) and are based on population density.
THE DHS CHILDLINE AND ABUSE REGISTRY is the central clearinghouse for all CPS and GPS reports. The toll-free hotline, 1-800-932-0313, is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week to receive reports of suspected child abuse by phone and electronic submission. ChildLine staff ensure that reports are transmitted to CCYAs, law enforcement officials, or the appropriate OCYF Regional Office for investigation or assessment. If the report is made directly to the county, the county is required to transmit those reports to ChildLine. Additionally, CCYAs and OCYF Regional Offices submit the outcome of CPS and GPS assessments to ChildLine. Substantiated CPS and GPS reports are recorded in the statewide database.

As of December 31, 2021, there were a total of 165,495 substantiated CPS reports in the statewide database, an increase of three percent from 2020. ChildLine answered approximately 182,651 calls, an increase of 14 percent from 2020. Calls involved suspected child abuse, reports of general protective services, referral to local services, complaints for licensing agency review and investigation, and referrals to law enforcement officials.

- Of the 38,013 reports for suspected abuse, 65 percent were made by phone, 10 percent were received by CCYAs and electronic transmission, and 26 percent were received directly through the online reporting system.

- In 2021, ChildLine received 23,416 law enforcement-only reports. These reports are for incidents that involve a criminal act against a child where the individual who allegedly committed the act does not meet the definition of perpetrator in accordance with the CPSL. Law enforcement referrals are provided by ChildLine to the county district attorney’s office where the incident occurred.

- Copies of 689 founded or indicated reports on 872 perpetrators were provided to the Sexual Offenders Assessment Board as required by Pennsylvania’s Megan’s Law; this was a nine percent increase from 2020. These reports were provided to aid the courts in determining whether the perpetrator should be classified as a sexually violent predator.

- In 2021, 5,570 children were moved from the setting where the alleged or actual abuse occurred. This represents an increase of seven percent from the 2020 number, 5,223.

- 13,494 records checks were performed and provided to CCYAs or law enforcement officials to verify that other people participating in safety plans or caring for a child have no record of child abuse that would place the child at risk.

**DEFINITION:** Protective services alert — A request from another state to determine if a family received child welfare services in Pennsylvania.

**NOTE:** This figure reflects the total number of substantiated reports since the database was established in 1975.

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### CHILDLINE 2021 TOTAL CALLS

**190,824**

**TOTAL CALLS RECEIVED**

- **182,651** (95.7%)
  - **CALLS ANSWERED**
  - **8,173** (4.3%)
  - **CALLS ABANDONED**

*Due to the requirements of working remotely, ChildLine used a new phone system that did not provide the same tracking capabilities of the onsite system from 03/19/20 through 03/31/21. Only the “total calls answered” were able to be captured during this period. The total calls received will equal total calls answered for the first three months of 2021.*

### BREAKDOWN REPORTS RECEIVED BY TYPE

- **General Protective Services**
  - **164,709**
- **Information Only**
  - **61,781**
- **Child Protective Services**
  - **38,013**
- **Supplemental Report**
  - **32,982**
- **Law Enforcement Officials**
  - **23,416**
- **Complaint**
  - **4,442**
- **Courtesy Visit / Home Study**
  - **1,238**
- **Perinatal Services Alert**
  - **175**

**NOTE:** The breakdown of reports above includes reports received electronically and through phone calls to the hotline; therefore, the total number of reports will not match the calls answered. A single call to the hotline may result in more than one report.
Pennsylvania’s Child Welfare System is responsible for a wide range of services to abused and neglected children, and dependent and delinquent children. Funding provided by the state and county agencies for all services in State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2020-21 was $1.496 billion; $1.142 billion state funds and $354 million county funds. While an additional $393 million in federal funds were spent, none of those funds were used for investigations and assessments.

$276.073 million was spent by state and county agencies to investigate reports of suspected child abuse and assess GPS reports and related activities. Of the $276.073 million, $259.179 million was spent by counties. The state government spent the remaining $16.894 million to fund personnel costs (salaries, benefits, and operating costs) for the percentage of time OCYF headquarters staff and ChildLine staff performed child abuse and general protective services related work ($13.416 million), and personnel costs for OCYF Regional Office staff who performed child abuse investigations ($3.478 million).

Personnel costs for OCYF headquarters staff were $2.122 million. ChildLine personnel costs were $11.294 million. ChildLine staff manage the state’s 24-hour hotline to receive reports of suspected child abuse and general well-being concerns, and process child abuse clearances and FBI background checks for persons seeking employment or volunteer work involving responsibility for children’s welfare or having direct contact with children in Pennsylvania.

To obtain the total expenditures for county agencies to conduct alleged child abuse investigations, refer to the individual county pages in this report. These numbers do not reflect total expenditures for all services provided by the county agencies.

Note: Three counties have not reported their total expenditures for SFY 2021; therefore the total county expenditures is underreported. Expenditures for these counties are included through February 28, 2022. Data extracted 2/28/2022.

Percentages may not equal 100 percent due to rounding.
**SAFE HAVEN OF PENNSYLVANIA**

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**THE DEATH OF BABY MARY**, a newborn infant who was murdered by her mother and left in a dumpster in 2001, prompted the enactment of the commonwealth’s Newborn Protection Act and the Safe Haven Program. Safe Haven’s purpose is to protect newborns who might otherwise be abandoned or harmed. The Newborn Protection Act allows a parent to relinquish a newborn up to 28 days old at any hospital, a police officer at a police station, or emergency services providers on the grounds of an entity employing the emergency services providers (such as emergency medical responder, technician, or paramedic). As not all police stations and emergency services providers are staffed 24/7, parents should only relinquish newborns at those locations when staff are present. The parent is not criminally liable if the newborn has not been a victim of suspected child abuse or another crime. A newborn who is relinquished through Safe Haven is placed into foster care in a pre-adoptive home through the CCYA. Act 68 of 2017 expanded Safe Haven to allow newborn relinquishment with emergency services providers on the grounds of an entity employing the emergency services providers. It also permits Safe Haven locations the option to install an incubator for the care of a newborn accepted under this law.

The CCYA is required to do the following when a newborn is relinquished through Safe Haven:

- Make diligent efforts within 24 hours to identify the newborn’s parent, guardian, custodian, or other family members and to notify them of the whereabouts of the newborn and the reasons that the newborn was taken into protective custody; and
- Assume responsibility for making decisions regarding the newborn’s medical care, unless otherwise provided by court order.

In addition, CCYAs are required to provide outreach and counseling services to prevent newborn abandonment. CCYAs and the department conduct continuing publicity and education programs aimed at the prevention of newborn abandonment.

To ensure that accurate information about Safe Haven is available, the department maintains a statewide, toll-free helpline, 1-866-921-SAFE (7233), and the Safe Haven website, www.secretsafe.org. Additional information regarding the Safe Haven program and educational materials can be found on this website. The statewide helpline provides information about Safe Haven and allows callers to speak directly with someone to find the location of the nearest hospital, police station or emergency services provider. In 2021, the helpline received 23 calls, with an average of 2.9 calls a month for the eight months of the calendar year. The month of April had the highest number of calls received with a total of seven calls and March had the second highest number with four calls. During the months of July, August, September, and November, the helpline did not receive any calls. Staff checked and confirmed the phone lines were operational.

In 2021, three newborns were relinquished in Lackawanna County and Lehigh County both in the Northeast Region. Since the law was enacted in 2002, a total of 50 newborns have been received as Safe Haven infants by Pennsylvania hospitals and police stations. These infants have come from 26 counties, with most relinquishments occurring in the Western region of the state (24 infants). The Central region had the second highest number of infants relinquished at 13, followed by nine in the Northeast region and five in the Southeast region.

Relinquishments reported for previous years may contain partial data; therefore, the counts from previous years will not match the current total.
FEDERAL CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT ACT

SINCE 2003, THE CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT ACT (CAPTA) has included requirements to ensure appropriate notification is given to child protective services agencies to address the needs of substance-exposed infants. On July 22, 2016, the Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (CARA) amended CAPTA to expand the requirement of the development of a plan of safe care (POSC) for infants born and identified as affected by substance use, withdrawal symptoms resulting from prenatal substance exposure or a Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder. To ensure the safety and well-being of these infants following their release from the care of health care providers, CARA removed the term “illegal” in reference to parental substance use and included addressing the health and substance use disorder treatment needs of the affected family or caregiver into the POSC. CARA also added requirements relating to data collection and monitoring for this population.

On June 28, 2018, Governor Tom Wolf signed Act 54 of 2018 updating Pennsylvania law, consistent with CAPTA, to require health care providers, including those involved in the delivery or care of an affected infant or encountering an infant up to age one outside a hospital setting, to notify PA DHS so that a POSC can be developed. State law stipulates that this notification by health care providers “shall not constitute a child abuse report”.

Pennsylvania remains committed to the development of a single policy agenda across the disciplines of child welfare, health, and drug and alcohol treatment regarding substance-exposed infants and their families. This coordinated response is supported by the aforementioned system partners and addresses substance use screening and referral to treatment, coordination of care for the infant and family, and continued support for stakeholders by way of the Pennsylvania Plan of Safe Care Guidance document, highlighting policies and procedures supporting and not limited to the tracking of referrals made for appropriate services. In 2016, the state convened a cross-systems stakeholder workgroup (the Multidisciplinary Workgroup on Infants with Substance Exposure) to gather expert input to identify how infants and families affected by substance use could best be served, ensuring there is community-based family-centered care to increase access; that follow-up is provided for the mother, infant, and family and that plans of safe care are individualized and treatment focused. DHS, the Department of Health and the Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs jointly issued the Pennsylvania Plan of Safe Care Guidance in March 2019 to provide practice considerations related to the identification of infants and caregivers affected by substance use, and parameters related to the development of plans of safe care including plan elements.

To assist CCYAs considering the potential practice and fiscal impacts of the changes following Act 54 of 2018, the three aforementioned departments partnered with the Governor’s Institute to host five regional, in-person, two-day work sessions for county level executive planning teams. The Governor’s Institute work sessions were designed to engage and support local county planning teams as they develop, implement, and monitor policies and procedures regarding plans of safe care. Pennsylvania worked with the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) to develop and complete a Program Improvement Plan to ensure that all legislative changes and policy guidance are consistent with the federal requirements. Following the five work sessions provided by the Governor’s Institute, a series of eight technical assistance (TA) sessions were held throughout Pennsylvania. Each TA session focused on fine tuning county policies and procedures regarding POSCs, providing clarification regarding policy questions, and providing counties the opportunity to share with each other their respective implementation efforts.

OCYF believes County Children and Youth Agencies (CCYAs) are best able to determine the most effective and efficient way to use CAPTA POSC funds. Given this, OCYF offered county child welfare agencies the opportunity to participate in a two-year non-competitive Plan of Safe Care Support grant. The grant provided CAPTA funding directly to CCYAs. Forty-one CCYAs opted to participate in the grant program. Allocation amounts were based
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on county class size. The funds are specifically to support POSC efforts at the county level. Examples of allowable costs include but are not limited to:

- Provision of information, training and/or technical assistance to health care providers who are required to notify CCYAs of substance affected infants (SAI)
- Development and implementation of data collection policies and procedures for POSC in which CCYA acts as the lead agency
- Development and implementation of data collection policies and procedures for POSC in which a community-based provider acts as the lead agency
- Development of systems to ensure the safety and well-being of SAI following release from the care of health care providers
- Fill gaps in health and substance use disorder treatment to meet the needs of the infant and affected family or caregiver.

In October of 2020, OCYF began to capture all Substance Affected Infant (SAI) Notifications made to ChildLine in the Child Welfare Information System (CWIS). The reports containing these notifications are either classified as General Protective Services (GPS) referrals or Information Only Type referrals, in cases where there are not child welfare concerns reported as part of the notification. For those SAI Notifications which are classified as GPS referrals and have valid outcomes, OCYF is also able to track the total number of children for whom a POSC was developed. As a result, the 2021 Annual Child Abuse Report is being updated to include metrics related to these SAI Notifications, and the Plans of Safe Care reported as part of a valid GPS outcome.

### SUBSTANCE AFFECTED INFANT NOTIFICATIONS

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### SUBSTANCE AFFECTED INFANT NOTIFICATIONS

- **535** Medication-assisted treatment (Substance Use Disorder or Opioid Use Disorder)
- **376** Illegal substance(s)
- **156** Appropriate use of legally-prescribed medication (excluding SUD/OUD treatment)
- **100** Misuse/abuse of legal medication (prescribed or unprescribed)
- **16** Unknown substance(s)
- < 11 Alcohol

NOTE: A single referral may contain more than one substance affected infant. POSC information is only available for GPS referrals which have valid findings for the substance exposure. A referral may have more than one notification type selected, so the total notification types will exceed the total number of referrals.
The child welfare system in Pennsylvania is state-supervised and county-administered with both agencies having vital roles in the protection of children. DHS is responsible for assuring the availability and provision of public child welfare services, providing oversight and technical assistance to each CCYA, and establishing and enforcing policies and regulations that support the achievement of child welfare goals and outcomes. Additionally, DHS is responsible for the licensure of public and private child welfare agencies and the investigation of complaints received regarding these agencies.

Each CCYA is responsible for administering a program of children and youth services to children and their families. The county children and youth program includes services designed to:

- Protect children from abuse and neglect and enable children to remain safely in their own homes and communities;
- Prevent dependency and delinquency of children and help them overcome problems that result in dependency and delinquency;
- Provide permanency and stability for children in their homes or in placement and preserve relationships and connections for children with their families and communities;
- Enhance the family’s capacity to provide for their children’s educational, physical, and behavioral health needs;
- Provide balanced attention to the protection of the community, the imposition of accountability for offenses, and the development of competencies to enable youth to become responsible and productive members of the community.

The following pages provide a snapshot of child abuse and neglect, and expenditures for investigations and assessments by county.
ADAMS COUNTY
RURAL / POPULATION • 102,627 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 20,663

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE
340
TOTAL REPORTS
59
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN
FEMALE 40 (67.8%)
MALE 19 (32.2%)

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS
26 SUSPECTED
10 SUBSTANTIATED

EXPERDIENCES
CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS
2020 $2.58M
2021 $2.70M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED Fatalities
0/58 MALE FEMALE
2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR Fatalities
0/136 MALE FEMALE
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

1,267 TOTAL REPORTS

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598 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,497 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED

72.4 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

72.4 TOTAL

940 VALID

598 VALID

1,748 TOTAL CONCERNS

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

- Caregiver substance use: 291
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 213
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 211
- Truancy/educational neglect: 274
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 112
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 112
- Domestic violence: 125
- Inadequate basic needs: 110
- Inappropriate discipline: 88
- Lack of supervision: 43
- Other: 50
- Inadequate health care: 40
- Child acting out sexually: 34
- Child substance use disorder: 30
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 9
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 4
- Isolation: 1
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 1
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

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NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

11,358 TOTAL REPORTS

5,329 SCREENED OUT

6,029 ASSESSED

0 AWAITING OUTCOME

2,987 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

8,124 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED

3,799 VALİD CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

4,851 TOTAL CONCERNS

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

- Caregiver substance use
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Truancy/educational neglect
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Domestic violence
- Inadequate basic needs
- Inappropriate discipline
- Lack of supervision
- Other
- Inadequate health care
- Child acting out sexually
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EXPENDITURES
CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020 $1.28M
2021 $1.36M
COUNTY $1.359,892
STATEWIDE $1.28M
TOTAL $243.87M
TOTAL $259.18M
TOTAL $1359.892

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE
224 TOTAL REPORTS
37 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

2019 250 43 2020 253 54 2021 231 38

2021 SUSPECTED 11
SUBSTANTIATED 4

SEX OF VICTIM
FEMALE 24 64.9%
MALE 13 35.1%

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

SEXUAL ABUSE 13 (30.2%)
Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury 15 (34.9%)
Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury 9 (20.9%)
Serious Physical Neglect 3 (7.0%)
Engaging in Per Se Acts 2 (4.7%)
Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation 1 (2.3%)
Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking 0 (0.0%)
Serious Mental Injury 0 (0.0%)
Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse 0 (0.0%)

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
1/58 MALE 1 FEMALE
2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
0/136 MALE 0 FEMALE
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

947 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

337 VALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

62.2 TOTAL

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

667 TOTAL CONCERNS

Caregiver substance use

Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child

Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns

Truancy/educational neglect

Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing

Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns

Domestic violence

Inadequate basic needs

Inappropriate discipline

Lack of supervision

Other

Inadequate health care

Child acting out sexually

Child substance use disorder

Abandonment/lack of caregiver

Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure

Isolation

Adoption disruption/dissolution

Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder

Placed for care/adoption in violation of law

NOTE: A report may have more than one concern for each report; therefore, the total number of children assessed exceeds the number of valid assessed reports.
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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

498
- TOTAL REPORTS
- 81 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

2021 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS
- FEMALE: 49 (60.5%)
- MALE: 32 (39.5%)

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE
- SUSPECTED: 41
- SUBSTANTIATED: 8

SEXUAL ABUSE
- 38 (45.8%)

PHYSICAL ABUSE/BODILY INJURY
- 33 (39.8%)

REASONABLE LIKELIHOOD OF BODILY INJURY
- 4 (4.8%)

SERIOUS PHYSICAL NEGLECT
- 5 (6.0%)

ENGAGING IN PER SE ACTS
- 3 (3.6%)

LIKELIHOOD OF SEXUAL ABUSE/EXPLOITATION
- 0 (0.0%)

SEVERE FORM OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS OR SEX TRAFFICKING
- 0 (0.0%)

SERIOUS MENTAL INJURY
- 0 (0.0%)

MUNCHAUSEN SYNDROME BY PROXY/MEDICAL ABUSE
- 0 (0.0%)

EXPENDITURES
- $6,429,658
- CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020 EXPENDITURES
- COUNTY: $6.00M
- STATEWIDE TOTAL: $243.87M

2021 EXPENDITURES
- COUNTY: $6.43M
- STATEWIDE TOTAL: $259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
- 3/58 MALE: 3 FEMALE: 58

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
- 2/136 MALE: 2 FEMALE: 136
**2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES**

1,676 TOTAL REPORTS

**BREAKDOWN**

REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

- Non-face-to-face contact, no further assignment required: 36
- Other reason: 620
- One-face-to-face contact, not face-to-face assessment required: 56
- Concerns previously assessed: 213
- Referral made to community services: 0
- Inadequate information on the GPS referral: 32
- Family located out of state, referral unresolved: 4

**SCREENED OUT** 1,600

**ASSESSED** 716

**AWAITING OUTCOME** 0

**VALID ASSESSED REPORTS** 960 TOTAL

- TOTAL: 76
- VALID: 76
- INVALID: 0

**CHILDREN ASSESSED** 960 TOTAL

- TOTAL: 30.1
- VALID: 3.2
- INVALID: 0

**BREAKDOWN**

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- TOTAL: 30.1
- VALID: 3.2
- INVALID: 0

**VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE**

166 TOTAL CONCERNS

- Caregiver substance use: 31
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 12
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 19
- Truancy/educational neglect: 26
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 23
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 8
- Domestic violence: 6
- Inadequate basic needs: 8
- Inappropriate discipline: 3
- Lack of supervision: 6
- Other: 11
- Inadequate health care: 3
- Child acting out sexually: 2
- Child substance use disorder: 4
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 4
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 0
- Isolation: 0
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- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

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**Types of Allegations**

**Substantiated Reports**

- **29** Total Allegations
  - 15 (51.7%) Sexual Abuse
  - 9 (31.0%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
  - 4 (13.8%) Serious Physical Neglect
  - 1 (3.4%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
  - 0 (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
  - 0 (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
  - 0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
  - 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

**2019 Reports of Child Abuse**

- **170** Total Reports
  - **26** Substantiated Reports

**Cases of Repeat Abuse Substantiated Reports**

- **13** Suspected
  - **3** Substantiated

**Expenditures**

- **$511,281** Child Abuse Investigations and General Protective Services Assessments
  - **$408,810** 2020
  - **$511,281** 2021

- **$259.18M** Statewide Total
  - **$243.87M** 2021

**2021 Substantiated Fatalities**

- 1/58 Male
- 0 Female

**2021 Substantiated Near Fatalities**

- 2/136 Male
- 0 Female
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

551 TOTAL REPORTS

284 SCREENED OUT

267 ASSESSED

0 AWAITING OUTCOME

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

49 Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required
21 One face-to-face contact, further assessment required
173 Concerns previously assessed
2 Referred to community services
8 Inufficient information in the GPS referral
7 Insufficient information on the GPS referral
2 Family located out of state, referral transferred

267 ASSESSED

174 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

427 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

45.5 CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

28.6 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

443 TOTAL CONCERNS

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

Caregiver substance use 69
Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child 65
Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns 66
Truancy/educational neglect 27
Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing 34
Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns 40
Domestic violence 51
Inadequate basic needs 12
Inappropriate discipline 15
Lack of supervision 20
Other 15
Inadequate health care 4
Child acting out sexually 9
Child substance use disorder 9
Abandonment/lack of caregiver 2
Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure 5
Isolation 0
Adoption disruption/dissolution 0
Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder 0
Placed for care/ adoption in violation of law 0

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

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NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- **MALE**
  - **2019**: 12.6
  - **2020**: 1.6
  - **2021**: 1.6

- **FEMALE**
  - **2019**: 1.6
  - **2020**: 1.6
  - **2021**: 1.6

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- **MALE**
  - **2019**: 45
  - **2020**: 52
  - **2021**: 52

- **FEMALE**
  - **2019**: 4
  - **2020**: 4
  - **2021**: 4

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

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2021 SUBSTANTIATED Fatalities

- **MALE**: 3
- **FEMALE**: 1

2021 SUBSTANTIATED Near Fatalities

- **MALE**: 4
- **FEMALE**: 1
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

5,448 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

530

- TOTAL REPORTS

74

- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- FEMALE: 3.0
- MALE: 21.3

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

- SUSPECTED: 36
- SUBSTANTIATED: 7

EXPENDITURES

- CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

- 2020: $2.36M
- 2021: $1.28M

- COUNTY: $1,284,437
- STATEWIDE TOTAL: $243.87M

- 2020 EXPENDITURE: $2.36M
- 2021 EXPENDITURE: $1.28M

- COUNTY: $1,284,437
- STATEWIDE TOTAL: $259.18M

- NUMBER OF SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES: 0/58
- NUMBER OF SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES: 2/136

- MALE: 0
- FEMALE: 0

- MALE: 1
- FEMALE: 1

- Types of Allegations
  - 35 (39.8%) Sexual Abuse
  - 23 (26.1%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
  - 15 (17.0%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
  - 5 (5.7%) Serious Physical Neglect
  - 5 (5.7%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
  - 1 (1.1%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
  - 3 (3.4%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
  - 1 (1.1%) Serious Mental Injury
  - 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

2,259 TOTAL REPORTS

1,044 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

389 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

41.9 CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

1,539 SCREENED OUT

720 ASSESSED

0 AWAITING OUTCOME

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

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2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
BRADFORD COUNTY

RURAL / POPULATION • 60,721 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 13,358

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

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CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- **Female**: 17 (40.5%)
- **Male**: 25 (59.5%)

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

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2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

- **Male**: 0
- **Female**: 1

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

- **Male**: 0
- **Female**: 0
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

2,044 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

1,600
1,200
800
400
0
Non face-to-face contact, further assignment not required
Other reason
One face-to-face contact, further assessment not required
Concerns previously assessed
Referral made to community services
Insufficient information in the GPS referral
Family located out of state, referral unresolved

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BREAKDOWN
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

245 TOTAL
205 VALID
40 INVALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN
35.9 TOTAL
28.4 VALID

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

480 TOTAL
379 VALID

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

962 TOTAL CONCERNS

Caregiver substance use
Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child
Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
Truancy/educational neglect
Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing
Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
Domestic violence
Inadequate basic needs
Inappropriate discipline
Lack of supervision
Other
Inadequate health care
Child acting out sexually
Child substance use disorder
Abandonment/lack of caregiver
Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure
Isolation
Adoption disruption/dissolution
Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder
Placed for care/adoption in violation of law

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

938
- TOTAL REPORTS
- 90 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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$12,265,501
EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2021 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

FEMALE
- 51 SUBSTANTIATED
- 56.7%

MALE
- 39 SUBSTANTIATED
- 43.3%

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

SEX OF VICTIM

FEMALE
- 922 SUBSTANTIATED
- 41.4%

MALE
- 913 SUBSTANTIATED
- 38.6%

2020 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED TOTAL SUSPECTED SUBSTANTIATED

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2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
**2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES**

**4,467**

*TOTAL REPORTS*

**BREAKDOWN**

**1,629 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS**

**1,506 SCREENED OUT**

**2,961 ASSESSED**

**0 AWAITING OUTCOME**

**NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED**

**4,170 TOTAL**

**2,301 VALID**

**1,869 INVALID**

**CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN**

**32.6 TOTAL**

**18.0 VALID**

**VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE**

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<td>Caregiver behavioral health/ intellectual disability concerns</td>
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**TOTAL CONCERNS**

**3,249**

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**REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON**

- Concerns previously assessed: 909
- Other reasons: 118
- Family located out of state, referral transferred: 222
- One face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 172
- Inadequate health care: 42
- Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 38
- Insufficient information in the GPS referral: 15
- Reports previously assessed: 28
- Referral made to community services: 16
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 0
- Child acting out sexually: 0
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 0
- Other reason: 0
- Inadequate basic needs: 0
- Inappropriate discipline: 0
- Lack of supervision: 0
- Insufficient information in the GPS referral: 0
- Family located out of state, referral transferred: 0
- Other: 0
- Inadequate health care: 0
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 0
- Child substance use disorder: 0
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 0
- Adoptions disruption/dissolution: 0
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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

397 TOTAL REPORTS
38 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

FEMALE
27
71.1%

MALE
11
28.9%

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM

2019 2020 2021

FEMALE 440 363 414
MALE 39 40 39

Cases of Repeat Abuse

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

41 SUSPECTED
6 SUBSTANTIATED

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

40 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

24 (60.0%) Sexual Abuse
10 (25.0%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
1 (2.5%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
4 (10.0%) Serious Physical Neglect
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EXPENDITURES

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020 $2.86M
2021 $3.12M

COUNTY STATEWIDE TOTAL

2021 SUBSTANTIATED Fatalities

0/58 MALE FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED Near Fatalities

1/136 MALE FEMALE
### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

**Total Reports:** 1,554

#### Valid Assessed Reports

- **Total:** 1,054
- **Valid:** 601
- **Invalid:** 415

### Breakdown

**Children Assessed per 1,000 Children:** 28.0

**Total Concerns:** 1,157

### Valid GPS Concerns by Type

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487
TOTAL REPORTS

41
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

2019 2020 2021

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM

FEMALE
24
58.5%

MALE
17
41.5%

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

26
SUSPECTED
3
SUBSTANTIATED

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
0/58

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
1/136

$2,205,673
EXPENDITURES
CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

2,779
TOTAL REPORTS

1,742
SCREENED OUT

1,037
ASSESSED

0
AWAITING OUTCOME

BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

Concerns previously assessed 151
One face-to-face contact made but referral not initiated 908
Non face-to-face contact, refers to other available service 478
Other reason 16

BREAKDOWN
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

652
TOTAL

64.6
CHILDERN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

38.8
VALID

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

1,636
TOTAL

981
VALID

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

26

- TOTAL REPORTS
- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

1

- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

2019
2020
2021

FEMALE

0
0.0%

MALE

1
0.0%

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- 35.5

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

- SUBSTANTIATED
- TOTAL

- 0
- 5

SEX OF VICTIM

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2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT

CAMERON COUNTY

RURAL / POPULATION • 4,512 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 732

$227,565

EXPENDITURES

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020

$251,285

2021

$227,565

$259,18M

$243.87M

COUNTY STATEWIDE TOTAL

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

0/136

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

0/58

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- 0 (0.0%) Sexual Abuse
- 0 (0.0%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 1 (100.0%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 0 (0.0%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 0 (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- 0 (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

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### 2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

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#### CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- **TOTAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED:** 129.8

#### BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

- **TOTAL REPORTS SCREENED OUT:** 61
- **ASSESSED:** 63
- **AWAITING OUTCOME:** 0

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#### BREAKDOWN VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

- **TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS:** 11
- **VALID REPORTS:** 95
- **INVALID REPORTS:** 20

#### NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

- **TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED:** 95
- **VALID CHILDREN ASSESSED:** 27.3
- **INVALID CHILDREN ASSESSED:** 68.7

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

278

- TOTAL REPORTS

45

- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- FEMALE
  - 20
  - 44.4%

- MALE
  - 25
  - 55.6%

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

49 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

- 14 (28.6%) Sexual Abuse
- 20 (40.8%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 4 (8.2%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 5 (10.2%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 5 (10.2%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 1 (2.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- 0 (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

EXPENDITURES

$560,559

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020

- COUNTY $454,088
- STATEWIDE $243,87M

2021

- COUNTY $560,559
- STATEWIDE $259,18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

0/58

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

1/136
2021 Reports of General Protective Services

1,225 Total Reports

### Breakdown

- **Screened Out**: 1,600
- **Awaiting Outcome**: 1,200
- **Assessed**: 800
- **Valid**: 400
- **Invalid**: 400

### Concerns by Type

- **759 Total Concerns**
  - Caregiver substance use: 148
  - Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 64
  - Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 78
  - Truancy/educational neglect: 106
  - Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 63
  - Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 44
  - Domestic violence: 34
  - Inadequate basic needs: 58
  - Inappropriate discipline: 48
  - Lack of supervision: 19
  - Other: 37
  - Inadequate health care: 21
  - Child acting out sexually: 16
  - Child substance use disorder: 7
  - Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 11
  - Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 5
  - Isolation: 0
  - Adoption disruption/dissolution: 0
  - Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
  - Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

### Breakdown

- **Concerns Previously Assessed**: 15
- **Other Reason**: 77
- **One Face-to-Face Contact, No Further Assessment Required**: 69
- **Concerns Previously Assessed**: 58
- **Referral Made to Community Services**: 19
- **Insufficient Information to Assess the GPS Referral**: 16
- **Family Located Out of State, Referral Transferred**: 9

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### CENTRE COUNTY

**RURAL / POPULATION • 162,264 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 24,309**

#### 2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

- **217** Total Reports
- **27** Suspected
- **190** Substantiated

**Cases of Repeat Abuse**

- **12** Substantiated Reports
- **27** Total Reports

**Sex of Victim**

- **15** Female (55.6%)
- **12** Male (44.4%)

**EXPENDITURES**

- **$985,350** Child Abuse Investigations and General Protective Services Assessments
- **$1.06M** 2020
- **$985,350** 2021
- **$243.87M** Statewide Total
- **$259.18M** 2021

**TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS**

- **Sexual Abuse**
  - **11** (37.9%)

- **Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury**
  - **7** (24.1%)

- **Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury**
  - **3** (10.3%)

- **Serious Physical Neglect**
  - **2** (6.9%)

- **Engaging in Per Se Acts**
  - **6** (20.7%)

- **Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation**
  - **0** (0.0%)

- **Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking**
  - **0** (0.0%)

- **Serious Mental Injury**
  - **0** (0.0%)

- **Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse**
  - **0** (0.0%)

**2021 Substantiated Fatalities**

- **0** Male
- **0** Female

**2021 Substantiated Near Fatalities**

- **1** Male
- **0** Female
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

1,182 TOTAL REPORTS

1,166 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

437 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,166 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED

48.0 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

255 TOTAL VALID

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

1,600
1,200
800
400
19
457
53
97
6
32
3

214 Caregiver substance use
114 Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child
151 Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
66 Truancy/educational neglect
53 Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing
81 Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
64 Domestic violence
46 Inadequate basic needs
71 Inappropriate discipline
35 Lack of supervision
36 Other
9 Inadequate health care
25 Child acting out sexually
20 Child substance use disorder
8 Abandonment/lack of caregiver
4 Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure
0 Isolation
0 Adoption disruption/dissolution
0 Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder
0 Placed for care/adoption in violation of law

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

990 TOTAL REPORTS

116 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

3,614 TOTAL REPORTS

2,412 SCREENED OUT
1,202 ASSESSED
0 AWAITING OUTCOME

BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

145
- TOTAL REPORTS

20
- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2021 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

Sexual Abuse: 12 (57.1%)
Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury: 3 (14.3%)
Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury: 2 (9.5%)
Serious Physical Neglect: 4 (19.0%)
Engaging in Per Se Acts: 0 (0.0%)
Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation: 0 (0.0%)
Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking: 0 (0.0%)
Serious Mental Injury: 0 (0.0%)
Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse: 0 (0.0%)

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

FEMALE: 2.7
MALE: 19.9

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

5 SUSPECTED
1 SUBSTANTIATED

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020: $1.32M
2021: $1.25M

COUNTY STATEWIDE TOTAL
2020: $243.87M
2021: $259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED Fatalities

0/Male
0/Female

2021 SUBSTANTIATED Near Fatalities

0/Male
0/Female
### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

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#### Total Valid Assessed Reports

- **354** Valid Assessed Reports
- **534** Total

- **917** Total
- **73.3** Valid

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| Children Assessed per 1,000 Children | 125.9 |

#### Reports Screened Out by Reason

- **182** Screened Out
- **1,600** Non-face-to-face contact, no further assessment required
- **1,200** Other reason
- **800** One face-to-face contact, no further assessment required
- **400** Concerns previously assessed
- **200** Referral made to community services
- **100** Insufficient information in the GPS referral
- **62** Concerns previously assessed
- **591** Valid
- **6** Invalid

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CLEARFIELD COUNTY

RURAL / POPULATION • 79,466 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 14,444

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

279
- TOTAL REPORTS

34
- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2019
2020
2021
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS
FEMALE 23 (67.6%)
MALE 11 (32.4%)
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

CHLAD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

19.3
- TOTAL
2.4
- FEMALE
11.9
- MALE

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

21 SUSPECTED
3 SUBSTANTIATED

SEX OF VICTIM

EXPERDIUTRES
CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020
$1.05M
COUNTY
$1.36M
STATEWIDE
$259.18M
TOTAL
$243.87M

2021

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
0/58
- MALE
- FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
0/136
- MALE
- FEMALE
### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

**Total Reports:** 1,521

**Valid Assessed Reports:** 382

**Children Assessed:**
- Total: 1,099
- Valid: 76.1
- Invalid: 76.1

**Screened Out Reports:**
- Total: 730
- Assessed: 789
- Pending: 2

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**Valid GPS Concerns**
- Total: 738
- Valid: 34.6
- Invalid: 34.6

**2021 Pennsylvania Child Protective Services Report**
2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

145

- TOTAL REPORTS

25

- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- 18.6
- 3.2

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

- 16 SUSPECTED
- 4 SUBSTANTIATED

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

- 8 (32.0%) Sexual Abuse
- 8 (32.0%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 2 (8.0%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 6 (24.0%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 0 (0.0%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 1 (4.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- 0 (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

EXPENDITURES

- $900,972 CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

- $873,885 2020
- $900,972 2021

- $243.87M COUNTY
- $259.18M STATEWIDE TOTAL

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

- 0/58 MALE FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

- 1/136 MALE FEMALE
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

766 TOTAL REPORTS

914 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

282 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

117.3 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

53.8 TOTAL VALID CHILDREN ASSESSED

561 TOTAL CONCERNS

NOTE: A report may have more than one concern for each report; therefore, the total number of concerns will be greater than the total number of reports. In some reports, more than one child was assessed with valid concerns; therefore, the number of children assessed exceeds the number of valid assessed reports.

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COLUMBIA COUNTY

RURAL / POPULATION • 65,390 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 11,552

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

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$524,808 EXPENDITURES  CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

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COLUMBIA COUNTY
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

1,117 TOTAL REPORTS

SCREENED OUT

ASSESSED

AWAITING OUTCOME

2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

1,117 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

1,600
1,200
800
400

Non face-to-face contact, no other assessment required
Other reason
One face-to-face contact, further assessment required
Concerns previously assessed
Referral made to community services
Insufficient information in the GPS referral
Family located out of state, referral withdrawn

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CRAWFORD COUNTY

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE
522
- TOTAL REPORTS
43
- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

SEX OF VICTIM
FEMALE
32
74.4%
MALE
11
25.6%

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM

2019 2020 2021
FEMALE 511 401 538
MALE 69 46 43

NOTE: A report may have more than one allegation for each report; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of reports.

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

49 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS
- 30 (61.2%) Sexual Abuse
- 8 (16.3%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 1 (2.0%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 5 (10.2%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 3 (6.1%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 1 (2.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- 1 (2.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

49 SUSPECTED
5 SUBSTANTIATED

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS

2019 2020 2021
SUBSTANTIATED 511 401 538
TOTAL 511 401 538

EXPERDIENCES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020
- COUNTY $2.64M
- STATEWIDE $243.87M

2021
- COUNTY $2.83M
- STATEWIDE $259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
- MALE 1
- FEMALE 0

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
- MALE 1
- FEMALE 0

NOTE: The above figures include expenditures for investigations and assessments by both the CCYA and OCYF Regional Offices.
2021 Reports of General Protective Services

1,739 Total Reports

593 Valid Assessed Reports

1,665 Total Children Assessed

954 Valid

26 Children Assessed Per 1,000 Children

1,712 Total Concerns

Valid GPS Concerns by Type

- Caregiver Substance Use: 438
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 153
- Child Behavioral Health/Intellectual Disability Concerns: 270
- Truancy/Educational Neglect: 134
- Experiencing Homelessness/Inadequate Housing: 136
- Caregiver Behavioral Health/Intellectual Disability Concerns: 188
- Domestic Violence: 76
- Inadequate Basic Needs: 75
- Inappropriate Discipline: 38
- Lack of Supervision: 55
- Other: 45
- Inadequate Health Care: 28
- Child Acting Out Sexually: 23
- Child Substance Use Disorder: 35
- Abandonment/Lack of Caregiver: 11
- Child Under 1 Year Old Who Has Withdrawal Symptoms/Born Affected by Drug Exposure: 7
- Isolation: 0
- Adoption Disruption/Dissolution: 0
- Child Under 1 Year Old Who Is Identified as Having Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder: 0
- Placed for Care/Adoption in Violation of Law: 0

Breakdown Reports Screened Out by Reason

- Concerns Previously Assessed: 465
- Other Reasons: 276
- One Face-to-Face Contact, but Further Assessment Required: 51
- Referral Made to Community Services: 18
- Inadequate Information on the GPS referral: 72
- Other: 8

Screened Out: 754
Assessed: 985
Awaiting Outcome: 0

94.3 Total
54.0 Valid

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CUMBERLAND COUNTY

URBAN / POPULATION • 251,487 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 51,036

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

680

TOTAL REPORTS

91

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CUMBERLAND COUNTY

2021 PHILADELPHIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT

$2,225,336

EXPENDITURES
CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

$2.11M

COUNTY STATEWIDE TOTAL

$2.23M

$243.87M

$259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

1/58

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

2/136

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

2,946
TOTAL REPORTS

2,915
TOTAL CONCERNS

2,235
TOTAL VALID GPS CONCERNS

2,235
TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,553
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,483
VALID ASSESSED

1,463
ASSESSED

0
WAITING OUTCOME

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

1,074

225

1,180
898
1,110

FEMALE
124
55.1%

MALE
101
44.9%

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$3,828,077

EXPENDITURES
CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2021 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

60 (24.0%)

Sexual Abuse

80 (32.0%)

Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury

46 (19.4%)

Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury

37 (14.8%)

Serious Physical Neglect

20 (8.0%)

Engaging in Per Se Acts

3 (1.2%)

Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation

0 (0.0%)

Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking

4 (1.6%)

Serious Mental Injury

0 (0.0%)

Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

250 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

17.2

3.6

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

1,889
3,172

URBAN / POPULATION • 277,071 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 62,309

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

5/136

MALE
FEMALE

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

5,061 TOTAL REPORTS

1,888 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,888 CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

75.6 TOTAL

44.8 VALID

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1,889 SCREENED OUT

3,172 ASSESSED

0 AWAITING OUTCOME

2021 REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

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VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

4,033 TOTAL CONCERNS

- Caregiver substance use: 891
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 449
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 455
- Truancy/educational neglect: 560
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 342
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 307
- Domestic violence: 253
- Inadequate basic needs: 150
- Inappropriate discipline: 118
- Lack of supervision: 112
- Other: 116
- Inadequate health care: 120
- Child acting out sexually: 49
- Child substance use disorder: 43
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 41
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 16
- Isolation: 8
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 1
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 2

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
DELAWARE COUNTY

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

1,172

TOTAL REPORTS

102

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2019 2020 2021

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM

FEMALE 72 70.6%

MALE 30 29.4%

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

$6,720,884

2020

$9.27M

COUNTY

STATEWIDE TOTAL

$243.87M

2021

$6.72M

$259.18M

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

109 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

55 (50.5%) Sexual Abuse

23 (21.1%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury

11 (10.1%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury

16 (14.7%) Serious Physical Neglect

2 (1.8%) Engaging in Per Se Acts

0 (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation

2 (1.8%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking

0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury

0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

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2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

2/58 MALE 1 FEMALE 1

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

7/136 MALE 6 FEMALE 1

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.
### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

**Total Reports:** 5,178

- **Screened Out:** 3,545
- **Assessed:** 1,633
- **Awaiting Outcome:** 0

#### Breakdown of Valid Assessed Reports

**Valid Reports:** 1,147

- **Total:**
- **Valid:** 1,147
- **Invalid:** 0

#### Children Assessed per 1,000 Children

- **Total:** 2,416
- **Valid:** 1,685
- **Invalid:** 731

#### Valid GPS Concerns by Type

- **Total Concerns:** 2,908

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### 2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

- **133** TOTAL REPORTS
- **44** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

### CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- **MALE**: 22 (22.2%)
- **FEMALE**: 22 (22.2%)

### CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- **MALE**: 10 (50.0%)
- **FEMALE**: 3 (50.0%)

### EXPENDITURES

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### TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

- **11** (23.4%) Sexual Abuse
- **12** (25.5%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- **15** (31.9%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- **6** (12.8%) Serious Physical Neglect
- **1** (2.1%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- **0** (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- **1** (2.1%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- **1** (2.1%) Serious Mental Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

544 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKEOWN
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS
109 TOTAL
109 VALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN
47.4 TOTAL
25.4 VALID

REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

1,155

- TOTAL REPORTS

110

- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- 19.9 (FEMALE)
- 1.9 (MALE)

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- 63 SUSPECTED
- 3 SUBSTANTIATED

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

- 39 (31.7%) Sexual Abuse
- 40 (32.5%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 20 (16.3%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 18 (14.6%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 4 (3.3%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 1 (0.8%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- 1 (0.8%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

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EXPENDITURES

- $5,662,325

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

- 2020: $5.16M
- 2021: $5.66M

- COUNTY $259.18M
- STATEWIDE TOTAL $243.87M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

0/58 MALE
0 FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

3/136 MALE
0 FEMALE
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

5,724 TOTAL REPORTS

3,045 SCREENED OUT
2,679 ASSESSED
0 AWAITING OUTCOME

1,873 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,873 VALID REPORTS

1,049 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

6,086 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

3,644 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED

62.8 VALID

NOTE: A report may have more than one concern for each report; therefore, the total number of concerns will be greater than the total number of reports. In some reports, more than one child was assessed with valid concerns; therefore, the number of children assessed exceeds the number of valid assessed reports.

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

- Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 240
- Other: 1,371
- One face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 308
- Concerns previously assessed: 148
- Referral to community services: 312
- Inadequate information for the GPS referral: 141
- Family located out of state, referred unassisted: 15

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VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

- Caregiver substance use: 1,492
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 678
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 556
- Truancy/educational neglect: 636
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 586
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 545
- Domestic violence: 483
- Inadequate basic needs: 466
- Inappropriate discipline: 261
- Lack of supervision: 274
- Other: 144
- Inadequate health care: 239
- Child acting out sexually: 71
- Child substance use disorder: 51
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 54
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 7
- Isolation: 2
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 3
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

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EXPENDITURES  CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

$2,451,947

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

1/58  MALE  1  FEMALE  0

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

1/136  MALE  0  FEMALE  1

NOTE: A report may have more than one allegation for each report; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of reports.
**2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES**

**TOTAL REPORTS**

- **2,503**
- **6,000**
- **5,000**
- **4,000**
- **3,000**
- **2,000**
- **1,000**
- **0**

**SCREENED OUT**

- **1,396**
- **1,107**
- **0**

**ASSESSSED**

**VALID ASSESSED REPORTS**

- **649**

**BREAKDOWN**

- **TOTAL**
- **VALID**
- **INVALID**

**CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN**

- **1,904**
- **75.9**
- **43.9**

**VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE**

- Caregiver substance use: 593
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 187
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 48
- Truancy/educational neglect: 94
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 233
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 62
- Domestic violence: 143
- Inadequate basic needs: 51
- Inappropriate discipline: 40
- Lack of supervision: 33
- Other: 53
- Inadequate health care: 18
- Child acting out sexually: 7
- Child substance use disorder: 6
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 18
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 31
- Isolation: 0
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 0
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

**NOTE:** A report may have more than one concern for each report; therefore, the total number of valid concerns exceeds the number of valid assessed reports.

**BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON**

- Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 154
- Other reason: 724
- One face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 163
- Concerns previously assessed: 167
- Referral made to community services: 186
- Insufficient information in the GPS referral: 83
- Family located out of state, referral transferred: 38
- Concerns previously assessed: 4

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**FOREST COUNTY**

**RURAL / POPULATION • 7,190 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 377**

### 2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

- **11** TOTAL REPORTS
- **2** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

**NOTE:** CPS and GPS data reported were investigated and substantiated by the CCYA and may vary from statewide data which include both CCYA and OCYF Regional Office investigations.

### EXPENDITURES

- **$252,276** CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS
- **$292,071** 2020
- **$252,276** 2021

### 2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

- **0/58** MALE
- **0** FEMALE

### 2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

- **0/136** MALE
- **0** FEMALE

### TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

**SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS**

- **29.2** PER 1,000 CHILDREN
- **5.3** FEMALE
- **0** MALE

**CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE**

- **2** SUBSTANTIATED
- **0** SUSPECTED
- **0** SUBSTANTIATED

### CASES BY TYPE

- **Sexual Abuse:** 2 (66.7%)
- **Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury:** 0 (0.0%)
- **Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury:** 1 (33.3%)
- **Serious Physical Neglect:** 0 (0.0%)
- **Engaging in Per Se Acts:** 0 (0.0%)
- **Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation:** 0 (0.0%)
- **Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking:** 0 (0.0%)
- **Serious Mental Injury:** 0 (0.0%)
- **Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse:** 0 (0.0%)

**COUNTY STATEWIDE TOTAL**

- **$252,276** COUNTY
- **$292,071** STATEWIDE
- **$243.87M** TOTAL

**2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE**

- **2019**
- **2020**
- **2021**

**NOTE:** Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.
### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

**Total Reports:** 70

**Valid Assessed Reports:** 29

**Children Assessed:** 18

**Children Assessed per 1,000 Children:** 76.9

**Valid GPS Concerns by Type:**

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**Valid Assessed Reports:**

- **Total GPS Concerns:** 18
- **Valid Concerns:** 11
- **Invalid Concerns:** 7

**Breakdown of Reports Screened Out by Reason:**

- **Screened Out:** 48
- **Assessed:** 22
- **Awaiting Outcome:** 0

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### 2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

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### CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

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### TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

- **23** (57.5%) Sexual Abuse
- **10** (25.0%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- **2** (5.0%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- **5** (12.5%) Serious Physical Neglect
- **0** (0.0%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- **0** (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- **0** (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- **0** (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

### 2021 SUBSTANTIATED Fatalities

- **0** (MALE)
- **0** (FEMALE)

### 2021 SUBSTANTIATED Near Fatalities

- **1** (MALE)
- **0** (FEMALE)
### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

**Total Reports:** 2,482

**Reports Screened Out:**
- Concerns previously assessed: 75
- Other reason: 206
- One face-to-face contact, further assessment required: 499
- Referral made to community services: 34
- Insufficient information on the GPS referral: 43
- Family located out of state, referral transferred: 33

**Reports Assessed:** 1,931

**Awaiting Outcome:** 551

**Children Assessed:** 1,148

**Children Assessed Per 1,000 Children:** 75.6%

**Valid Assessed Reports:** 899

**Total Concerns:** 1,676

### Breakdown of Concerns by Type

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**Total Valid GPS Concerns:** 1,148

**Valid GPS Concerns by Reason:**

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

- **55** TOTAL REPORTS
- **12** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- **19.1** SUBSTANTIATED
- **4.2** TOTAL

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- **6** SUBSTANTIATED
- **0** SUSPECTED

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- **6** (50.0%) Sexual Abuse
- **3** (25.0%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- **1** (8.3%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- **2** (16.7%) Serious Physical Neglect
- **0** (0.0%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- **0** (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- **0** (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- **0** (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

- **$332,471** 2021
- **$295,636** 2020
- **$332,471** STATEWIDE
- **$243.87M** TOTAL
- **$259.18M** 2021

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

- **0** MALE
- **0** FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

- **0** MALE
- **0** FEMALE
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

166 TOTAL REPORTS

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BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

1,600
1,200
800
400

Non-face-to-face contact, no further assessment required
Other reason
One face-to-face contact with no further assessment
Concerns previously assessed
Referral made to community services
Insufficient information in the GPS referral
Family located out of state, effort abandoned

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188 TOTAL

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BREAKDOWN
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

62

TOTAL
VALID
INVALID

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117 TOTAL CONCERNS

Valid GPS Concerns by Type

- Caregiver substance use: 25
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 11
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 23
- Truancy/educational neglect: 6
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 11
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 8
- Domestic violence: 1
- Inadequate basic needs: 3
- Inappropriate discipline: 9
- Lack of supervision: 9
- Other: 0
- Inadequate health care: 2
- Child acting out sexually: 3
- Child substance use disorder: 1
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 2
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 3
- Isolation: 0
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 0
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

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**2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE**

**188**
- **TOTAL REPORTS**
- **30**
  - **SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS**

**CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE**

**SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN**

- **FEMALE**
  - **20**
  - **66.7%**
- **MALE**
  - **15**
  - **33.3%**

**EXPENDITURES**

- **2020**
  - **CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS**
    - **$984,158**
  - **$243.87M**

- **2021**
  - **$1.32M**
  - **$259.18M**

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| STATEWIDE TOTAL |
| $4/136 |

**TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS**

- **TOTAL ALLEGATIONS**
  - **36**
  - **10 (27.8%)** Sexual Abuse
  - **10 (27.8%)** Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
  - **8 (22.2%)** Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
  - **5 (13.9%)** Serious Physical Neglect
  - **0 (0.0%)** Engaging in Per Se Acts
  - **0 (0.0%)** Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

925 TOTAL REPORTS

FILED ASSESSED 253 VALID ASSESSED

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

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1,187 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,000 CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

167.6 TOTAL

52.7 VALID

615 TOTAL CONCERNS

Breakdown by Type:

- Caregiver substance use: 123
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 70
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 48
- Truancy/educational neglect: 55
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 87
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 24
- Domestic violence: 56
- Inadequate basic needs: 37
- Inappropriate discipline: 23
- Lack of supervision: 30
- Other: 21
- Inadequate health care: 13
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- Child substance use disorder: 9
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- Isolation: 0
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 0
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

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**HUNTINGDON COUNTY**

**RURAL** / POPULATION • 45,145 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 8,161

**2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE**

- **155** TOTAL REPORTS
- **24** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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**CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN**

- **SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM**
  - FEMALE: 21 (87.5%)
  - MALE: 3 (12.5%)

**CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE**

- **7** SUSPECTED
- **1** SUBSTANTIATED

**EXPERDIENCES** CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

- **2020** $2.03M
- **2021** $2.13M

**NOTE:** Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

**TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS**

- **12** (44.4%) Sexual Abuse
- **7** (25.9%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- **5** (18.5%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Serious Physical Neglect
- **2** (7.4%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- **0** (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- **0** (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- **1** (3.7%) Serious Mental Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

**2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES**

- **0/58** MALE
- **0** FEMALE

**2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES**

- **1/136** MALE
- **1** FEMALE
**2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES**

750 TOTAL REPORTS

- 272 SCREENED OUT
- 478 ASSESSED
- 0 AWAITING OUTCOME

**BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON**

- Non face-to-face contact, further assessment required: 81
- Other reason: 73
- One face-to-face contact, further assessment required: 8
- Concerns previously assessed: 44
- Referral made to community services: 0
- Insufficient information, further assessment required: 0
- Family located out of state, referral involved: 0
- Concerns previously assessed: 0

**NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED**

- TOTAL: 713
- VALID: 425
- INVALID: 288

**CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN**

- TOTAL: 87.4
- VALID: 52.1
- INVALID: 35.3

**VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE**

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**729 TOTAL CONCERNS**

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$2,095,868 EXPENDITURES  CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES 0/58
2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES 2/136
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

1,252 TOTAL REPORTS

- 6,000
- 5,000
- 4,000
- 3,000
- 2,000
- 1,000
- 0

BREAKDOWN ASSESSED

- 1,209 TOTAL
- 583 VALID

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

- 79.5 TOTAL
- 38.4 VALID

VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

- 432 TOTAL
- 1,209 TOTAL
- 583 VALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- 1,209
- 79.5
- 38.4

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

- TOTAL CONCERNS: 974

- Caregiver substance use: 199
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 78
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 131
- Truancy/educational neglect: 105
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 63
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 80
- Domestic violence: 70
- Inadequate basic needs: 67
- Inappropriate discipline: 51
- Lack of supervision: 29
- Other: 27
- Inadequate health care: 23
- Child acting out sexually: 28
- Child substance use disorder: 4
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 11
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 5
- Isolation: 0
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 3
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

- TOTAL: 1,600
- 1,200
- 800
- 400
- 100

- Non face-to-face contact, further assessment not required: 103
- Other reason: 118
- One face-to-face contact, further assessment not required: 13
- Concerns previously assessed: 131
- Referral made to community services: 1
- Inufficient information or the GPS referral: 3
- Family located out of state, referral transferred: 0
- Concerns previously assessed: 0
- Inufficient information or the GPS referral: 0
- Family located out of state, referral transferred: 0

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JEFFERSON COUNTY

RURAL • POPULATION • 43,570 • POPULATION UNDER 18 • 9,284

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

196

TOTAL REPORTS

29

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

866 TOTAL REPORTS

298 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

749 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED

417 VALID CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

575 TOTAL CONCERNS

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

- Concerns previously assessed: 148
- One face-to-face contact not made: 66
- Non-face-to-face contact, further assessment not required: 118
- Other reason: 55
- Referral made to community services: 82
- Insufficient information available to make the GPS referral: 10
- Inadequate health care: 13
- All other home location of state, referral not required: 39

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

TOTAL REPORTS: 129
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS: 23

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- FEMALE: 4.2
- MALE: 23.3

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

13 SUSPECTED
3 SUBSTANTIATED

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

- Sexual Abuse: 7 (29.2%)
- Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury: 9 (37.5%)
- Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury: 1 (4.2%)
- Serious Physical Neglect: 2 (8.3%)
- Engaging in Per Se Acts: 0 (0.0%)
- Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation: 0 (0.0%)
- Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking: 2 (8.3%)
- Serious Mental Injury: 3 (12.5%)
- Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse: 0 (0.0%)

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

- 2019: $430,500
- 2020: $430,500
- 2021: $675,529

TOTAL EXPENDITURES:
- COUNTY: $675,529
- STATEWIDE: $259.18M
- TOTAL: $243.87M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
- MALE: 0
- FEMALE: 0

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
- MALE: 0
- FEMALE: 0
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

348 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

1,600
1,200
800
400

34
23
24
17
9
7
0

Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required
Other reason
One face-to-face contact made, no further assessment required
Concerns previously assessed
Referral made to community services
Insufficient information in the GPS referral
Family located out of state, effort exhausted

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SCREENED OUT

ASSESSED

AWAITING OUTCOME

108
240
0

6,000
5,000
4,000
3,000
2,000
1,000

VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

157

BREAKDOWN
VALID ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

60.1 TOTAL

333 TOTAL

210 VALID

37.9 VALID

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

TOTAL CONCERNS

290

Caregiver substance use
Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child
Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
Truancy/educational neglect
Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing
Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
Domestic violence
Inadequate basic needs
Inappropriate discipline
Lack of supervision
Other
Inadequate health care
Child acting out sexually
Child substance use disorder
Abandonment/lack of caregiver
Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure
Isolation
Adoption disruption/dissolution
Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder
Placed for care/adoption in violation of law

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

- **666** TOTAL REPORTS
- **82** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

**2019**
- **730** TOTAL REPORTS
- **85** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

**2020**
- **654** TOTAL REPORTS
- **49** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

**2021**
- **668** TOTAL REPORTS
- **82** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

**2021 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN**
- **15.5**
- **1.9**

**CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE**
- **45** SUSPECTED
- **6** SUBSTANTIATED

**TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS**
- **29** (33.7%) Sexual Abuse
- **30** (34.9%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- **5** (5.8%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- **14** (16.3%) Serious Physical Neglect
- **3** (3.5%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- **3** (3.5%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- **1** (1.2%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- **1** (1.2%) Serious Mental Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

**EXPENDITURES**
- **$6,710,695**
- **$7,03M** 2020
- **$6,71M** 2021

**2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES**
- **1** MALE
- **1** FEMALE

**2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES**
- **0** MALE
- **1** FEMALE
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

4,095 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,633 TOTAL

2,467 VALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

120.2 TOTAL

57.5 VALID

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

5,154 TOTAL

2,467 VALID

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

NON FACE-TO-FACE CONTACT, NO FURTHER ASSESSMENT REQUIRED

CONCERNS PREVIOUSLY ASSESSED

65

6

696

3,399

1,600

1,200

900

500

100

0

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2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT

LACKAWANNA COUNTY

3,323 TOTAL CONCERNS

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

Caregiver substance use

948

Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child

380

Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns

365

Truancy/educational neglect

98

Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing

318

Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns

204

Domestic violence

252

Inadequate basic needs

100

Inappropriate discipline

157

Lack of supervision

150

Other

136

Inadequate health care

74

Child acting out sexually

72

Child substance use disorder

36

Abandonment/lack of caregiver

25

Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure

4

Isolation

2

Adoption disruption/dissolution

2

Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder

0

Placed for care/adoption in violation of law

0

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

1,595

- TOTAL REPORTS
- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

2021 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- Female: 1.9
- Male: 12.5

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- Male: 54
- Female: 11

TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

- Sexual Abuse: 126 (48.3%)
- Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury: 37 (14.2%)
- Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury: 43 (16.5%)
- Serious Physical Neglect: 38 (14.6%)
- Engaging in Per Se Acts: 10 (3.8%)
- Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation: 0 (0.0%)
- Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking: 2 (0.8%)
- Serious Mental Injury: 5 (1.9%)
- Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse: 0 (0.0%)

EXPENDITURES

- Child Abuse Investigations and General Protective Services Assessments
  - 2020: $5.49M
  - 2021: $5.33M

- County: $5,326,028
  - 2020: $243.87M
  - 2021: $259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

- Male: 4
- Female: 1

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

- Male: 6
- Female: 2
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

6,416 TOTAL REPORTS

3,460 SCREENED OUT
2,956 ASSESSED
0 AWAITING OUTCOME

1,367 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS
4,136 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED CHILDREN
32.4 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

1,847 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS
14.4 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

4,136 VALID TOTAL CONCERNS

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

2,967 VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

281 TOTAL REPORTS
40 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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$1,062,892 EXPENDITURES
CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
2021 REPORTS OF
GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

1,083
TOTAL REPORTS

1,325
TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

417
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

77.1
VALID GPS CONCERNS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

1,325
TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED

586
VALID CHILDREN ASSESSED

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT

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LEBANON COUNTY

URBAN / POPULATION • 140,410 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 31,967

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

442
- TOTAL REPORTS
52
- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- Substantiated
- Total

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- Suspected
- Substantiated

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

2,152 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN
SCREENED OUT 1,202 ASSESSED 950 AWAITING OUTCOME 0

2,152 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN VALID ASSESSED REPORTS
1,722 TOTAL
198 VALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN
53.9 TOTAL
6.2 VALID

TOTAL CONCERNS 411

CHILDREN ASSESSED

IN VALID

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

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2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
LEHIGH COUNTY

URBAN / POPULATION • 367,338 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 83,396

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

1,223

- TOTAL REPORTS
- 147 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

FEMALE 1.8
MALE 14.7

100 68.0%

2,000
1,500
1,000
500
1,000
2019 2020 2021

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

54 SUSPECTED
9 SUBSTANTIATED

68.0%

32.0%

SEX OF VICTIM

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM

MALE

FEMALE

157 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

- 66 (42.0%) Sexual Abuse
- 49 (31.2%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 18 (11.5%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 11 (7.0%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 4 (2.5%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 5 (3.2%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- 3 (1.9%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 1 (0.6%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

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EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020 $5.97M
2021 $5.56M

COUNTY STATEWIDE TOTAL

$243.87M $259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

1/58 MALE 1 FEMALE 0

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

4/136 MALE 3 FEMALE 1
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

5,075 TOTAL REPORTS

1,654 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

4,412 TOTAL

2,178 VALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

52.9 TOTAL

26.1 VALID

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

TOTAL

VALID

INVALID

5,075

1,654

3,421

1,829

2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
## LUZERNE COUNTY

**URBAN** / POPULATION • 317,547 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 62,857

### 2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

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### EXPENDITURES

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### TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

- **Sexual Abuse**: 72 reports (43.4%)
- **Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury**: 32 reports (19.3%)
- **Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury**: 19 reports (11.4%)
- **Serious Physical Neglect**: 33 reports (19.9%)
- **Engaging in Per Se Acts**: 9 reports (5.4%)
- **Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation**: 0 reports (0.0%)
- **Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking**: 0 reports (0.0%)
- **Serious Mental Injury**: 1 report (0.6%)
- **Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse**: 0 reports (0.0%)

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### CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

- **2019**: 116 suspected, 93 substantiated
- **2020**: 103 suspected, 98 substantiated
- **2021**: 148 suspected, 82 substantiated

### 2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
- Male: 0
- Female: 0

### 2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
- Male: 8
- Female: 2

### TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

- Total allegations: 166

**NOTE:** A report may have more than one allegation for each report; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of reports.
2021 REPORTS OF
GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

4,410
TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

4,531
TOTAL

1,236
VALID

72.1
TOTAL

29.7
VALID

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

510

■ TOTAL REPORTS

124

■ SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2019 2020 2021

508 511 519

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

FEMALE 72 58.1%

MALE 52 41.9%

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

40 SUSPECTED

9 SUBSTANTIATED

$2,098,111

EXPENDITURES Child Abuse Investigations and General Protective Services Assessments

2020 $2.00M

2021 $2.10M $243.87M

$259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

1/58 MALE 0 FEMALE 1

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

1/136 MALE 0 FEMALE 1

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

1,981 TOTAL REPORTS

BRAEOWN VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

508 CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

968 TOTAL

658 VALID

41.5 TOTAL

28.2 VALID

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

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VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

847 TOTAL CONCERNS

- Caregiver substance use
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Truancy/educational neglect
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Domestic violence
- Inadequate basic needs
- Inappropriate discipline
- Lack of supervision
- Other
- Inadequate health care
- Child acting out sexually
- Child substance use disorder
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure
- Isolation
- Adoption disruption/dissolution
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

TOTAL REPORTS
250

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS
52

2019
277
36

2020
242
28

2021
253
52

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

FEMALE
29
55.8%

MALE
23
44.2%

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

6.4

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

SEXUAL ABUSE
18 (31.0%)

PHYSICAL ABUSE/BODILY INJURY
25 (43.1%)

REASONABLE LIKELIHOOD OF BODILY INJURY
5 (8.6%)

SERIOUS PHYSICAL NEGLECT
3 (5.2%)

ENGAGING IN PER SE ACTS
5 (8.6%)

LIKELIHOOD OF SEXUAL ABUSE/EXPLOITATION
0 (0.0%)

SEVERE FORM OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS OR SEX TRAFFICKING
0 (0.0%)

SERIOUS MENTAL INJURY
2 (3.4%)

MUNCHAUSEN SYNDROME BY PROXY/MEDICAL ABUSE
0 (0.0%)

2021 EXPENDITURES

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020
$1.11M

2021
$1.19M

COUNTY
STATEWIDE TOTAL

2021 SUBSTANTIATED DEADLY FATALITIES

0/58

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

1/136
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

1,134 TOTAL REPORTS

1,273 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,008 TOTAL CONCERNS

412 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,273 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED

156.5 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

301 SCREENED OUT

833 ASSESSED

0 AWAITING OUTCOME

TOTAL CONCERNS

- Caregiver substance use
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Truancy/educational neglect
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Domestic violence
- Inadequate basic needs
- Inappropriate discipline
- Lack of supervision
- Other
- Inadequate health care
- Child acting out sexually
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- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder
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BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

- Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required
- Other reason
- One face-to-face contact, no further assessment required
- Concerns previously assessed
- Referral made to community services
- Insufficient information in the GPS referral
- In intact family, referral withdrawn
- In an intact family, referred to protective services

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RURAL / POPULATION • 110,519 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 21,454

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

478 TOTAL REPORTS
100 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM

FEMALE

MALE

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

2019 2020 2021

490 447 540

105 82 103

SEXUAL ABUSE

PHYSICAL ABUSE/BODILY INJURY

REASONABLE LIKELIHOOD OF BODILY INJURY

SERIOUS PHYSICAL NEGLECT

ENGAGING IN PER SE ACTS

LIKELIHOOD OF SEXUAL ABUSE/EXPLOITATION

SEVERE FORM OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS OR SEX TRAFFICKING

SERIOUS MENTAL INJURY

MUNCHAUSSEN SYNDROME BY PROXY/MEDICAL ABUSE

EXPENDITURES

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020 $1.46M
2021 $1.53M

COUNTY STATEWIDE TOTAL

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

0/58 MALE FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

3/136 MALE FEMALE
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

1,663 TOTAL REPORTS

1,831 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

591 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,853 CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

866 TOTAL VALID GPS CONCERNS

1,458 TOTAL CONCERNS

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257 Caregiver substance use
221 Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child
188 Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
242 Truancy/educational neglect
152 Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing
82 Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
55 Domestic violence
75 Inadequate basic needs
36 Inappropriate discipline
40 Lack of supervision
19 Other
31 Inadequate health care
20 Child acting out sexually
16 Child substance use disorder
10 Abandonment/lack of caregiver
14 Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure
10 Isolation
0 Adoption disruption/dissolution
0 Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder
0 Placed for care/adoption in violation of law

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$1,808,257
EXPENDITURES  CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020  COUNTY $1.63M
2021  STATEWIDE  TOTAL $1.81M  $259.18M

2020  COUNTY $243.87M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES 0/58  MALE 0  FEMALE 0
2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES 0/136  MALE 0  FEMALE 0
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

849 TOTAL REPORTS

BREATHDOWN
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1,334 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

424 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

129.3 TOTAL VALID

1,009 TOTAL CONCERNS

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MONROE COUNTY

RURAL / POPULATION • 168,824 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 33,149

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

446
- TOTAL REPORTS
118
- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
1 MALE
1 FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
0 MALE
0 FEMALE

$3,949,406
EXPENDITURES
CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020
$3.95M
COUNTY
$3.95M
STATEWIDE

2021
$3.95M
COUNTY
$259.18M
STATEWIDE

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

128 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

- 43 (33.6%) Sexual Abuse
- 36 (28.1%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 30 (23.4%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 16 (12.5%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 1 (0.8%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 2 (1.6%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- 0 (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS
PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- FEMALE 13.5
- MALE 3.6

CASUES OF REPEAT ABUSE
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- FEMALE 78
- MALE 40

NOTE: A report may have more than one allegation for each report; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of reports.

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

2,038 TOTAL REPORTS

BRENDAWN
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS
1,640 TOTAL
752 VALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN
506
49.5 TOTAL
22.7 VALID

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE
1,134 TOTAL CONCERNS

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EXPENDITURES
CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

1,291

137

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
2/58

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
5/136

2021 COUNTY EXPENDITURES

2020
$2.97M

2021
$4.26M

STATEWIDE EXPENDITURES

2020
$243.87M

2021
$259.18M

150 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

SEXUAL ABUSE
74 (49.3%)

PHYSICAL ABUSE/BODILY INJURY
41 (27.3%)

REASONABLE LIKELIHOOD OF BODILY INJURY
5 (3.3%)

SERIOUS PHYSICAL NEGLECT
16 (10.7%)

ENGAGING IN PER SE ACTS
4 (2.7%)

LIKELIHOOD OF SEXUAL ABUSE/EXPLOITATION
3 (2.0%)

SEVERE FORM OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS OR SEX TRAFFICKING
7 (4.7%)

SERIOUS MENTAL INJURY
0 (0.0%)

MUNCHAUSEN SYNDROME BY PROXY/MEDICAL ABUSE
0 (0.0%)

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

4,593 TOTAL REPORTS
5,988 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS
699

CHILDREN ASSESSED
1,976 TOTAL
982 VALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN
11.1 TOTAL
5.5 VALID

BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

2,089
772
592
589
281
209
5

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**SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS**

Total Reports: 56

- 2 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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**CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN**

- Female: 0.5
- Male: 15.1

**CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE**

- Female: 2
- Male: 0

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**TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS**

- 3 (75.0%) Sexual Abuse
- 1 (25.0%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 0 (0.0%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 0 (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/ Exploitation
- 0 (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

**2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES**

- Male: 0
- Female: 0

**2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES**

- Male: 0
- Female: 0
### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

- **Total Reports:** 246
- **Screened Out:** 133
- **Assessed:** 113
- **Awaiting Outcome:** 0
- **Total Children Assessed:** 177
- **Children Assessed per 1,000 Children:** 47.6
- **Total GPS Concerns:** 8
- **Total Concerns:** 38
- **Valid GPS Concerns by Type:***
  - Caregiver substance use: 3
  - Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 0
  - Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 3
  - Truancy/educational neglect: 0
  - Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 0
  - Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 0
  - Domestic violence: 0
  - Inadequate basic needs: 0
  - Inappropriate discipline: 0
  - Lack of supervision: 0
  - Other: 1
  - Inadequate health care: 1
  - Child acting out sexually: 0
  - Child substance use disorder: 0
  - Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 0
  - Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 0
  - Isolation: 0
  - Adoption disruption/dissolution: 0
  - Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
  - Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

### Reports Screened Out by Reason

- Other reason: 32
- Concerns previously assessed: 29
- Insufficient information in the GPS referral: 16
- Family located out of state, referral transferred: 15
- Referral made to community services: 11
- One face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 10
- Inadequate basic needs: 9
- Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 4
- Child substance use disorder: 2
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 1

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## 2021 Reports of Child Abuse

### Total Reports
- **980** Reports
- **145** Substantiated Reports

### Child Abuse Reports Per 1,000 Children
- **16.2** (F) Substantiated
- **2.4** (M) Substantiated

### Cases of Repeat Abuse
- **44** Suspected
- **8** Substantiated

### Types of Allegations
- **65 (41.4%)** Sexual Abuse
- **29 (18.5%)** Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- **29 (18.5%)** Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- **23 (14.6%)** Serious Physical Neglect
- **3 (1.9%)** Engaging in Per Se Acts
- **1 (0.6%)** Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- **1 (0.6%)** Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- **3 (1.9%)** Serious Mental Injury
- **3 (1.9%)** Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

### Expenditures
- **$5,474,896** Expenditures Child Abuse Investigations and General Protective Services Assessments

### Yearly Expenditures
- **2020**: **$5.55M**
- **2021**: **$5.47M**

### Substantiated Fatalities
- **0/58** Male
- **0/58** Female

### Substantiated Near Fatalities
- **2/136** Male
- **2/136** Female
2,256 TOTAL CONCERNS

- Caregiver substance use: 448
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 248
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 351
- Truancy/educational neglect: 159
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 171
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 181
- Domestic violence: 171
- Inadequate basic needs: 103
- Inappropriate discipline: 58
- Lack of supervision: 68
- Other: 61
- Inadequate health care: 99
- Child acting out sexually: 52
- Child substance use disorder: 52
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 27
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 4
- Isolation: 3
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 0
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

NOTE: A report may have more than one concern for each report; therefore, the total number of concerns exceeds the number of reported valid assessed reports.
2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

517

- TOTAL REPORTS

69

- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2019

2020

2021

CHILd ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- 28.9

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM

FEMALE

- 35

50.7%

MALE

- 34

49.3%

NOTe: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- 7

- 42

NOTE: A report may have more than one allegation for each report; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of reports.

EXPENDITURES

- $1,975,879

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

- $1.85M

2020

- $1.98M

2021

- $243.87M

- $259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

- 1/58

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

- 1/136

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

2,507 TOTAL REPORTS

1,219 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

3,809 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED

1,939 VALID CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

212.6 TOTAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

108.2 VALID NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

1,219 VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

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2,971 TOTAL CONCERNS

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

- Caregiver substance use: 615
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 365
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 359
- Truancy/educational neglect: 176
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 317
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 180
- Domestic violence: 311
- Inadequate basic needs: 156
- Inappropriate discipline: 111
- Lack of supervision: 138
- Other: 62
- Inadequate health care: 56
- Child acting out sexually: 55
- Child substance use disorder: 47
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 19
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 2
- Isolation: 1
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 1
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

- Concerns previously assessed: 45
- Other reason: 33
- One face-to-face contact but further assessment required: 20
- Concerns previously assessed: 18
- Referral made to community services: 16
- Insufficient information in the GPS referral: 15
- Family located out of state, referral transferred: 14
- Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 12
- Insufficient information to assess the GPS referral: 10
- One face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 6
- Concerns previously assessed: 5
- Other reason: 4

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

182

- TOTAL REPORTS

39

- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- MALE
  - 18.4
  - 32
  - 82.1%

- FEMALE
  - 3.9

CATEGORIES OF REPEAT ABUSE

- MALE 7
  - 11 SUSPECTED
  - 3 SUBSTANTIATED

- FEMALE 39
  - 22 (53.7%)
    - Sexual Abuse
  - 10 (24.4%)
    - Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
  - 2 (4.9%)
    - Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
  - 5 (12.2%)
    - Serious Physical Neglect
  - 1 (2.4%)
    - Engaging in Per Se Acts
  - 1 (2.4%)
    - Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
  - 0 (0.0%)
    - Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
  - 0 (0.0%)
    - Serious Mental Injury
  - 0 (0.0%)
    - Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020: $772,596
2021: $804,669

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES
- 0/Male
- 0/Female

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES
- 0/Male
- 0/Female
NOTE: A report may have more than one concern for each report; therefore, the total number of concerns will be greater than the total number of reports. In some reports, more than one child was assessed with valid concerns; therefore, the number of children assessed exceeds the number of valid assessed reports.
2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

4,142
TOTAL REPORTS

683
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

FEMALE
480
70.3%

MALE
203
29.7%

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

SEX OF VICTIM

2019
2020
2021

SUBSTANTIATED
800
3,454
4,400

TOTAL
5,270
6,064
7,111

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

FEMALE
238
70.3%

MALE
39
29.7%

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

$40,023,380

2020
COUNTY $35.32M STATEWIDE $243.87M TOTAL $259.18M

2021
COUNTY $40.02M STATEWIDE $259.18M TOTAL $259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED Fatalities

10/58 MALE 7 FEMALE 3

2021 SUBSTANTIATED Near Fatalities

30/136 MALE 17 FEMALE 13
### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

**18,460**

**Total Reports**

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**3,031**

**Valid Assessed Reports**

**13,234**

**Total Valid GPS Concerns**

**5,495**

**Total Concerns**

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**38.5**

**Children Assessed per 1,000 Children**

**3,031**

**Valid assessed reports**

**12.0**

**Valid**

**Breaking Down Reports Screened Out By Reason**

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PIKE COUNTY

RURAL / POPULATION • 55,660 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 9,909

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

170

■ TOTAL REPORTS

33

■ SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE PER 1,000 CHILDREN

FEMALE

20

60.6%

M MALE

10

39.4%

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

2019

186

37

2020

154

23

2021

171

33

SEX OF VICTIM

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

$1,064,937

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020

$774,393

2021

$1.06M

COUNTY

$243.87M

STATEWIDE TOTAL

$259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

0/136

MALE

0

FEMALE

0

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

0/58

MALE

0

FEMALE

0
### 2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

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**BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON**

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**NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED**

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

- **Total Reports**: 81
- **Substantiated Reports**: 11

**CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN**
- Female: 23.8 (63.6%)
- Male: 3.2 (36.4%)

**CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE**
- Substantiated Reports: 12
- Suspected: 1

**TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS**
- Sexual Abuse (54.5%)
- Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury (27.3%)
- Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury (18.2%)
- Serious Physical Neglect (0.0%)
- Engaging in Per Se Acts (0.0%)
- Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation (0.0%)
- Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking (0.0%)
- Serious Mental Injury (0.0%)
- Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse (0.0%)

**EXPENDITURES**
- **Child Abuse Investigations and General Protective Services Assessments**
  - 2020: $443,681
  - 2021: $533,164

- **County**: $533,164
- **Statewide**: $243.87M
- **Total**: $259.18M

**2021 SUBSTANTIATED Fatalities**
- Male: 0
- Female: 0

**2021 SUBSTANTIATED Near Fatalities**
- Male: 0
- Female: 0
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

227 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN

REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

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CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

462
TOTAL REPORTS

46
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2019 2020 2021
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM

FEMALE 28 60.9%

MALE 18 39.1%

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

16.5
SUBSTANTIATED

1.6
TOTAL

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

36 SUSPECTED

10 SUBSTANTIATED

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

53 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

SEXUAL ABUSE (34.0%)

PHYSICAL ABUSE/BODILY INJURY (28.3%)

REASONABLE LIKELIHOOD OF BODILY INJURY (5.7%)

SERIOUS PHYSICAL NEGLECT (5.7%)

ENGAGING IN PER SE ACTS (1.9%)

LIKELIHOOD OF SEXUAL ABUSE/EXPLOITATION (0.0%)

SEVERE FORM OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS OR SEX TRAFFICKING (0.0%)

SERIOUS MENTAL INJURY (1.9%)

MUNCHAUSEN SYNDROME BY PROXY/MEDICAL ABUSE (0.0%)

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

$3,619,350 EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020
COUNTY $3.38M
STATEWIDE TOTAL $243.87M

2021
COUNTY $3.62M
STATEWIDE TOTAL $259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

2 MALE 2 FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

0 MALE 0 FEMALE
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

2,509 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN

SCREENED OUT 269
ASSESSED 2,240
AWAITING OUTCOME 0

1,648 TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

1,147 TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

3,216 TOTAL VALID GPS CONCERNS

3,917 TOTAL CONCERNS

BREAKDOWN

REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

Non-face-to-face contact, no other assessment required 144
Concerns previously assessed 4
Insufficient information in the GPS referral 90
Family located out of state, referral transferred 9
Referral made to community services 11
Other reasons 0
Concerns found to not be a concern 0
Concerns found to be a non valid concern 0
Conduct made to neglect, no further assessment required 0
Concerns previously assessed 90
Insufficient information in the GPS referral 11

CHILDREN ASSESSED

TOTAL 3,216
VALID 2,306
INVALID 880

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

TOTAL 114.7
VALID 82.3
INVALID 32.4

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### 2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

- **121** TOTAL REPORTS
- **19** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

### CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- **14.4** for 2021
- **2.3** for FEMALE
- **11.1** for MALE

### CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

- **14** SUBSTANTIATED
- **2** SUSPECTED

### TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

- **11** (57.9%) Sexual Abuse
- **5** (26.3%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- **1** (5.3%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- **1** (5.3%) Serious Physical Neglect
- **1** (5.3%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- **0** (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- **0** (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- **0** (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

### EXPENDITURES

- **$799,477** for 2021
- **$673,760** for 2020

### 2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

- **0** MALE
- **0** FEMALE

### 2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

- **0** MALE
- **0** FEMALE

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**Snyder County**

Rural / Population • 40,452 / Population Under 18 • 8,413
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

427 TOTAL REPORTS

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BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

- Concerns previously assessed: 67
- Other reason: 39
- Family located out of state, referred elsewhere: 38
- One face-to-face contact made, no further assessment required: 35
- Referral made to community services: 26
- Information insufficient for making GPS referral: 14
- Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required: 8

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BREAKDOWN
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

- TOTAL: 368
- VALID: 233
- INVALID: 135

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- TOTAL: 43.7
- VALID: 27.7

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

- TOTAL: 341

VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

- Caregiver substance use: 67
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 39
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 32
- Truancy/educational neglect: 54
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 28
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 13
- Domestic violence: 17
- Inadequate basic needs: 28
- Inappropriate discipline: 15
- Lack of supervision: 20
- Other: 12
- Inadequate health care: 4
- Child acting out sexually: 5
- Child substance use disorder: 3
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 3
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 1
- Isolation: 0
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 0
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

NOTE: A report may have more than one concern for each report therefore the total number of assessed reports exceeds the number of valid assessed reports.
2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

223

- TOTAL REPORTS

33

- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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$1,606,718

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

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| VALID ASSESSED REPORTS | 510   |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED | 1,173 TOTAL |
| | 759 VALID |
| CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN | 87.7 TOTAL |
| | 56.7 VALID |

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SULLIVAN COUNTY

RURAL / POPULATION • 6,038 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 646

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

- **20** TOTAL REPORTS
- **3** SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

NOTE: CPS and GPS data reported were investigated and substantiated by the CCYA and may vary from statewide data which include both CCYA and OCYF Regional Office investigations.

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- **31.0** (FEMALE: 4.6)
- **0.0%** (MALE: 0.0)

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

- **1** SUBSTANTIATED
- **0** SUSPECTED

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

- **1** (33.3%) Sexual Abuse
- **2** (66.7%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Serious Physical Neglect
- **0** (0.0%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- **0** (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
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NOTE: A report may have more than one allegation for each report; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of reports.

EXPENDITURES

- **$226,496** Expenditures Child Abuse Investigations and General Protective Services Assessments
- **$293,671** County 2020
- **$243,870** Statewide Total 2020
- **$226,496** County 2021
- **$259,180** Statewide Total 2021

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

- **0** MALE
- **0** FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

- **0** MALE
- **0** FEMALE
**2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES**

- **97** TOTAL REPORTS
- **136** TOTAL VALID ASSESSED REPORTS
- **32** VALID ASSESSED REPORTS
- **210.5** TOTAL CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN
- **51** TOTAL CONCERNS

**Breakdown Reports Screened Out by Reason**

- **1,600** Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required
- **1,200** Other reason
- **800** One face-to-face contact, further assessment required
- **400** Concerns previously assessed
- **250** Referral made to community services
- **150** Inadequate information in the GPS referral
- **100** Family located out of state, referral transferred

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### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

**Total Reports:** 619

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**Breakdown of Children Assessed by Type**

- **Caregiver substance use:** 80
- **Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child:** 31
- **Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns:** 26
- **Truancy/educational neglect:** 79
- **Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing:** 26
- **Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns:** 10
- **Domestic violence:** 26
- **Inadequate basic needs:** 27
- **Inappropriate discipline:** 15
- **Lack of supervision:** 17
- **Other:** 5
- **Inadequate health care:** 7
- **Child acting out sexually:** 5
- **Child substance use disorder:** 11
- **Abandonment/lack of caregiver:** 4
- **Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure:** 0
- **Isolation:** 0
- **Adoption disruption/dissolution:** 1
- **Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder:** 0
- **Placed for care/adoption in violation of law:** 0

**Total Concerns:** 370

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**2021 Pennsylvania Child Protective Services Report**

**Note:** A report may have more than one concern for each report; therefore, the total number of valid assessed reports exceeds the number of valid GPS concerns.

**Breakdown of Reports Screened Out by Reason**

- **Concerns previously assessed:** 28
- **Other reason:** 68
- **One face-to-face contact but further assessment not required:** 79
- **Concerns previously assessed:** 26
- **Referral to community services:** 0
- **Insufficient information in the GPS referral:** 4
- **Family located out of state, referral transferred:** 0
- **Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required:** 0
- **Insufficient information in the GPS referral:** 0

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

171
- TOTAL REPORTS

35
- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2019 2020 2021

FEMALE MALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

FEMALE MALE

17 18
- SUSPECTED

4
- SUBSTANTIATED

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT

EXPENDITURES

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020 2021

$2.60M $2.61M

COUNTY STATEWIDE TOTAL

1 0
- SUBSTANTIATED Fatalities

1/58 0/136
- SUBSTANTIATED Near Fatalities

0 0
- MALE FEMALE

36 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

4.3

21.1

12 (33.3%)

36.1%

11.1%
### 2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT

#### 2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

97

TOTAL REPORTS

14

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

SEX OF VICTIM

FEMALE

9

64.3%

MALE

5

35.7%

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

FEMALE

9

MALE

5

SUBSTANTIATED

0

TOTAL

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

2021 Substantiated Fatalities

2021 Substantiated Near Fatalities

$677,512

EXPENDITURES

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020

$633,339

2021

$677,512

$243.87M

$259.18M

2021 Substantiated Fatalities

0/58

2021 Substantiated Near Fatalities

0/136

14 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

5 (35.7%)

Sexual Abuse

7 (50.0%)

Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury

1 (7.1%)

Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury

0 (0.0%)

Serious Physical Neglect

0 (0.0%)

Engaging in Per Se Acts

0 (0.0%)

Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation

0 (0.0%)

Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking

1 (7.1%)

Serious Mental Injury

0 (0.0%)

Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

NOTE: A report may have more than one allegation for each report; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of reports.
### 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

- **Total Reports**: 483
- **Valid Assessed Reports**: 188
- **Children Assessed**: 64.9 per 1,000 children
- **Children Assessed**: 31.9 total

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#### Valid GPS Concerns by Type

- **Total Concerns**: 393
- **Total Reports**: 50
- **Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child**: 50
- **Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns**: 46
- **Truancy/educational neglect**: 58
- **Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing**: 28
- **Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns**: 27
- **Domestic violence**: 23
- **Inadequate basic needs**: 17
- **Inappropriate discipline**: 23
- **Lack of supervision**: 22
- **Other**: 20
- **Inadequate health care**: 2
- **Child acting out sexually**: 14
- **Child substance use disorder**: 8
- **Abandonment/lack of caregiver**: 5
- **Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure**: 0
- **Isolation**: 0
- **Adopted disruption/dissolution**: 0
- **Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder**: 0
- **Placed for care/adoption in violation of law**: 0

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## Venango County

**Rural** / Population • 51,355 / Population Under 18 • 9,933

### 2021 Reports of Child Abuse

- **Total Reports**: 229
- **Substantiated Reports**: 67

### Child Abuse Reports Per 1,000 Children

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### Cases of Repeat Abuse

- **Suspected**: 30
- **Substantiated**: 7

### Types of Allegations

- **Total Allegations**: 69
  - **Sexual Abuse**: 14 (20.3%)
  - **Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury**: 21 (30.4%)
  - **Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury**: 13 (18.8%)
  - **Serious Physical Neglect**: 9 (13.0%)
  - **Engaging in Per Se Acts**: 10 (14.5%)
  - **Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation**: 2 (2.9%)
  - **Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking**: 0 (0.0%)
  - **Serious Mental Injury**: 0 (0.0%)
  - **Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse**: 0 (0.0%)

### Expenditures

- **2020**: $1.10M
- **2021**: $1.57M

#### Child Abuse Investigations and General Protective Services Assessments

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### 2021 Substantiated Fatalities

- **Male**: 0
- **Female**: 0

### 2021 Substantiated Near Fatalities

- **Male**: 1
- **Female**: 0

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*NOTE: CPS and GPS data reported were investigated and substantiated by the CCYA and OCYF Regional Office investigations.*

*NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.*
## 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

### Breakdown

**Total Reports:** 1,063

- **Screened Out:** 166
- **Assessed:** 897
- **Awaiting Outcome:** 0

**Valid Assessed Reports:** 469

**Number of Children Assessed:** 1,508

- **Total Valid:** 705
- **Invalid:** 803

**Children Assessed per 1,000 Children:** 151.8

**Valid GPS Concerns by Type:**

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**Total Concerns:** 1,098

**Valid GPS Concerns:**

- **By Type:**
  - **Total:** 100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100+100
  - **Other:** 23+12+13+6+10+8+4+5+5+4+1+2+2+3+1+1+0+0+0+0

**Number of Children Assessed:**

- **Per 1,000 Children:** 151.8

**Breakdown Reports Screened Out by Reason:**

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

153
TOTAL REPORTS

18
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

NOTE: CPS and GPS data reported were investigated and substantiated by the CCYA and may vary from statewide data which include both CCYA and OCYF Regional Office investigations.

18
TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

11 (61.1%)
Sexual Abuse

2 (11.1%)
Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury

1 (5.6%)
Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury

3 (16.7%)
Serious Physical Neglect

0 (0.0%)
Engaging in Per Se Acts

0 (0.0%)
Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation

0 (0.0%)
Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking

0 (0.0%)
Serious Mental Injury

1 (5.6%)
Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

$929,150
EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020
$952,401

2021
$929,150

2020 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

2021 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

18

6

12

66.7%

33.3%

0

SUBSTANTIATED

0

SUSPECTED

$243.87M

$259.18M

COUNTY STATEWIDE TOTAL

1/58 MALE 0 FEMALE 1

1/136 MALE 1 FEMALE 0
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

594 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

155 TOTAL

183 VALID

CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

57.5 TOTAL

23.9 VALID

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

1,600 1,200 800 400

38 81 6 105

Non-face-to-face contact, no further assessment required
Other reason
One face-to-face contact made, no further assessment required
Concerns previously assessed

Concerns assessed but insufficient information for a valid GPS referral
Family located out of state, referral transferred
Insufficient concern for the GPS referral

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VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

264 TOTAL CONCERNS

- Caregiver substance use
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Truancy/educational neglect
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Domestic violence
- Inadequate basic needs
- Inappropriate discipline
- Lack of supervision
- Other
- Inadequate health care
- Child acting out sexually
- Child substance use disorder
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure
- Isolation
- Adoption disruption/dissolution
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law

NOTE: A report may have more than one concern for each report; therefore, the total number of concerns will be greater than the total number of reports. In some reports, more than one child was assessed with valid concerns; therefore, the number of children assessed exceeds the number of valid assessed reports.
WASHINGTON COUNTY

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

615

- TOTAL REPORTS

40

- SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- FEMALE: 15.2
  - 29
  - 72.5%

- MALE: 1.0
  - 11
  - 27.5%

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- FEMALE: 23
- MALE: 3

EXPENDITURES CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

2020: $4.58M
2021: $4.85M

COUNTY
STATEWIDE
TOTAL

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

1/58 MALE 0 FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

1/136 MALE 0 FEMALE

45 TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

- 24 (53.3%) Sexual Abuse
- 12 (26.7%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 4 (8.9%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 4 (8.9%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 1 (2.2%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 0 (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- 0 (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 0 (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

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Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.

WASHINGTON COUNTY RURAL / POPULATION • 207,081 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 40,463

NOTE: Regional investigations which occurred in the county are included in these totals.
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

2,652 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

290 Non face-to-face contact, other assignment required
440 Other
102 One face-to-face contact, in future
286 Concerns previously assessed
138 Referral made to community services
45 Insufficient information on the GPS referral
36 Family located out of state, referral unavailable

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WAYNE COUNTY
RURAL / POPULATION • 51,268 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 8,503

2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

135
TOTAL REPORTS

25
SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2021 PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT
2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

724 TOTAL REPORTS

BREAKDOWN VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

283 VALID

663 TOTAL

CHILDREN ASSESSED

394 VALID

78.0 TOTAL

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

1,060

- TOTAL REPORTS
- 160 SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

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2019
2020
2021

1,113
935
1,000

REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM

FEMALE
110
68.8%

MALE
50
31.3%

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

SEX OF VICTIM

FEMALE
112
35.5%

MALE
135
22.5%

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

67 SUSPECTED
15 SUBSTANTIATED

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

- 71 (35.5%) Sexual Abuse
- 45 (22.5%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- 23 (11.5%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- 27 (13.5%) Serious Physical Neglect
- 11 (5.5%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- 11 (5.5%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- 9 (4.5%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- 3 (1.5%) Serious Mental Injury
- 0 (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

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EXPENDITURES

$5,216,366

CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS

COUNTY
2020 $4.93M
2021 $5.22M

STATEWIDE
2020 $243.87M
2021 $259.18M

2021 SUBSTANTIATED Fatalities

0/58 MALE
0 FEMALE

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR Fatalities

3/136 MALE
2 FEMALE
# 2021 Reports of General Protective Services

**Total Reports:** 4,152

**Screened Out:** 2,048

**Assessed:** 2,104

**Awaiting Outcome:** 0

## Breakdown

### Reports Screened Out by Reason

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**Total Concerns:** 2,796

**Valid GPS Concerns by Type**

- Caregiver substance use: 593
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child: 364
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 229
- Truancy/educational neglect: 250
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing: 267
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns: 177
- Domestic violence: 185
- Inadequate basic needs: 165
- Inappropriate discipline: 117
- Lack of supervision: 123
- Other: 131
- Inadequate health care: 68
- Child acting out sexually: 43
- Child substance use disorder: 28
- Abandonment/lack of caregiver: 28
- Child under 1 year old who has withdrawal symptoms/born affected by drug exposure: 28
- Isolation: 0
- Adoption disruption/dissolution: 0
- Child under 1 year old who is identified as having fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: 0
- Placed for care/adoption in violation of law: 0

**Children Assessed:** 3,118

**Total Children Assessed Per 1,000 Children:** 48.5

**Valid Assessed Reports:** 1,212

**Valid Valid Assessments:** 1,730

**Invald Valid Assessments:** 48.5

**Number of Children Assessed:** 1,730

**Total:** 1,730

**Valid:** 26.9

**Invalid:** 0

### Breakdown

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- **Screened Out:** 2,048
- **Assessed:** 2,104
- **Awaiting Outcome:** 0

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

377 TOTAL REPORTS

BREVIEW BREAKDOWN
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS
108 TOTAL 413 VALID
CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN
78.0 TOTAL 29.7 VALID

BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

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VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

265 TOTAL CONCERNS

- Caregiver substance use
- Conduct by caregiver that places child at risk or fails to protect child
- Child behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Truancy/educational neglect
- Experiencing homelessness/inadequate housing
- Caregiver behavioral health/intellectual disability concerns
- Domestic violence
- Inadequate basic needs
- Inappropriate discipline
- Lack of supervision
- Other
- Inadequate health care
- Child acting out sexually
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2021 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

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CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN

- Sexual Abuse: 47 (24.4%)
- Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury: 78 (40.4%)
- Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury: 30 (15.5%)
- Serious Physical Neglect: 21 (10.9%)
- Engaging in Per Se Acts: 11 (5.7%)
- Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation: 6 (3.1%)
- Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking: 0 (0.0%)
- Serious Mental Injury: 0 (0.0%)
- Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse: 0 (0.0%)

CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE

- 90 Suspected
- 7 Substantiated

TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS

2021 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

- Male: 3
- Female: 2

2021 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

- Male: 2
- Female: 1

EXPENDITURES

- Child Abuse Investigations and General Protective Services Assessments
  - 2020: $6.76M
  - 2021: $6.31M

- County
  - 2020: $6.76M
  - 2021: $6.31M

- Statewide Total
  - 2020: $243.87M
  - 2021: $259.18M

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2021 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

7,224
TOTAL REPORTS

5,652
SCREENED OUT

1,572
ASSESSED

0
AWAITING OUTCOME

1,205
VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

26.5
CHILDREN ASSESSED PER 1,000 CHILDREN

2,614
TOTAL VALID GPS CONCERNS

2,018
VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

3,225
TOTAL CONCERNS

BREAKDOWN
REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON

4,343
Non face-to-face contact, no further assessment required

795
Other reason

43
One face-to-face contact, no further assessment required

306
Concerns previously assessed

86
Referral made to community services

68
Inadequate health care

6
Family located out of state, refers unresolved

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1 • 800 • 932 • 0313
TDD // 1 • 866 • 872 • 1677


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