

**Tennessee Department of Children's Services
Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline Summary****Intake**

Intake ID: [REDACTED]
Intake Taken By: [REDACTED] Intake Date/Time: 01/18/2022 04:05 PM [REDACTED]
Track Assigned: Investigation Priority Assigned: 1
Screened By: [REDACTED]
Date Screened: 01/19/2022

Investigation

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]
First County/Region: [REDACTED]
Date/Time Assigned : 01/19/2022 08:16 AM
First Team Leader Assigned: [REDACTED] Date/Time 01/19/2022 12:00 AM
First Case Manager [REDACTED] Date/Time 01/19/2022 12:00 AM

Allegations

Alleged Victim	Age	Allegation	Severe ?	Alleged Perpetrator	Relationship to Alleged Victim
			CSEM ?		
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Deceased	Abuse Death	Yes	Unknown Participant	
				Unknown	

Referent(s)

Referent Name: [REDACTED] , [REDACTED] Role to Alleged Victim(s): [REDACTED]

Referent Address:

Referent Phone Number: [REDACTED]

Type of Contact: I-3 Phone

Notification: None

Narrative: NON-CUSTODIAL CHILD DEATH

Family Case IDs: [REDACTED]

Associated Case IDs: No

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

Pending: No
Awaiting Screening: No
Submitted: No

Open CPS: No



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Substantiated: No
Death: No
Screen Outs: No

History (not listed above):

ASMT [REDACTED] / LOS / NSN / 2020-12-31
RL [REDACTED] / 2020-10-27
ASMT [REDACTED] / LOS / NSN / 2011-10-07
ASMT [REDACTED] / DEC, LOS / SReq / 2011-07-15
ASMT [REDACTED] / LOS/ Admin Clos / 2011-07-12
RL [REDACTED] / 2011-01-07

County of Jurisdiction: [REDACTED]
School/ Daycare: [REDACTED] Middle School
Active Military Status: No

Reporter's name/relationship: [REDACTED]

-Child/Family Identification and Relationship Introduction Paragraph:

[REDACTED] (14) lives with his grandmother, [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] County. His mother is unknown.

-Are you requesting immediate assistance from DCS to your location, or only an immediate phone call?
No, Immediate Assistance is not requested. DCS in the area (including case workers, team leaders, and supervisors) has already been made aware of the situation.

-Please provide a brief summary of the concerns and why DCS is needed to respond immediately.
On 1/18/2022, [REDACTED] school had a snow day; [REDACTED] was left at home while [REDACTED] went to work. At approximately 2:00 PM, [REDACTED] asked a neighbor, Unknown, to check on [REDACTED]. The neighbor went into the home and found [REDACTED] dead on his bedroom floor. The neighbor immediately called 911.

At this time, it is unknown what happened to [REDACTED]. There were no injuries observed on [REDACTED] body. The Medical Examiner will not be examining [REDACTED] body until 1/19/2022. The 911 call has not been listened to. No arrests have been made. It is uncertain if there has been any child abuse. There may have been previous DCS history with [REDACTED] mother but it is unknown if DCS was involved with [REDACTED].

-Are there any concerns for the safety of a Department of Children's Services Case Manager responding to the child's home?
No

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

CM Notation: No
Screener Notation: No

Emailed/Paged CPSI On Call: [REDACTED] County was emailed notification at 8:09 am [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] received the notification at 8:10 am.

Notified Child Death/Preliminary Near-Death Notification Group via Email:

Region RA [REDACTED]

Per SDM: Investigative Track, P1. [REDACTED], TL on 1-19-22 @ 8:09 am



Case #2022.014

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Participant(s)

Name: [REDACTED]

Gender: Female

Date of Birth:

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN:

Race:

Age:

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact: [REDACTED]

Contact Type: CELL

Contact Comments:

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:



Case #2022.014

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Name: [REDACTED]

Gender: Male

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN: [REDACTED]

Race: White

Age: Deceased

Address: [REDACTED] Tennessee [REDACTED]

Deceased Date: 01/18/2022

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact:

Contact Type:

Contact Comments:

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:



Case #2022.014

**Tennessee Department of Children's Services
Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline Summary**

Name: Unknown Participant [REDACTED] Unknown

Gender:

Date of Birth:

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN:

Race:

Age:

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: Yes

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact:

Contact Type:

Contact Comments:

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:



Case #2022.014

**Tennessee Department of Children's Services
Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline Summary**

Name: Unknown Participant [REDACTED] Unknown

Gender: Female

Date of Birth:

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN:

Race:

Age:

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

Contact:

Contact Type:

Contact Comments:

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:



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

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]	Status: Completed
Contact Date: 2023-04-10 10:46:00.0	Contact Method:
Contact Time: 10:46 AM	Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:
Location: DCS Office	Created Date: 04/10/2023
Completed date: 04/10/2023	Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being	
Contact Type(s): Administrative Review	
Contact Sub Type:	

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 04/10/2023 09:50 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Lead Investigator (LI) [REDACTED] has reviewed and approved this case for closure. All documentation has been completed and all information and decisions have been reviewed. When applicable, all collaborative service providers have been notified. All notifications will be made to Juvenile Court Judge and District Attorney per local protocol. The case was assigned to Investigator [REDACTED]. This case came to the Departments attention on 1/18/22 with allegations of abuse death. The alleged child victim is [REDACTED] (14) and the alleged perpetrator is, Unknown. At this time there is not a preponderance of evidence to support the allegations of Abuse Death as defined by DCS Policy. On January 19, 2022, an autopsy was completed on [REDACTED] by Dr. [REDACTED], Regional Forensics Center, [REDACTED] TN. The autopsy states that the cause of death is hydrocodone intoxication, and the manner of death is suicide. All [REDACTED] Records have been scanned in. The investigation is closed as allegation unsubstantiated, perpetrator unsubstantiated. The FAST was completed and approved as Immediate Intervention Not Recommended and Moderate Need/Risk. Permission and approval to close granted by [REDACTED] Director Westaway and [REDACTED].



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Case Status: Close	Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]	Status: Completed
Contact Date: 2023-04-10 10:43:00.0	Contact Method:
Contact Time: 10:43 AM	Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:
Location: DCS Office	Created Date: 04/10/2023
Completed date: 04/10/2023	Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being	
Contact Type(s): Case Summary	
Contact Sub Type: Closing	

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 04/10/2023 09:44 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] Death Summary

On January 18, 2022, the Department of Children's Services (DCS) received a referral for an allegation of Abuse Death regarding Alleged Child Victim (ACV) [REDACTED] (14). The Alleged Perpetrator (AP) is unknown. This investigation was assigned to Child Protective Services Case Manager (CM) [REDACTED] by Lead Investigator (TL) [REDACTED]. This case was worked in conjunction with [REDACTED] Police Department ([REDACTED] PD) Special Crimes Investigator [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] Police Department ([REDACTED] PD) Violent Crimes Investigator [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] (14) lived at home with grandmother, [REDACTED] and sibling; [REDACTED] (17). His father, [REDACTED] is incarcerated. His mother, [REDACTED] is not involved in the life of [REDACTED] or his sister.

On January 18, 2022, the [REDACTED] Police Department received a call from neighbor, [REDACTED] that [REDACTED] was deceased. Neighbor, [REDACTED] had been asked to check on [REDACTED] by grandmother, [REDACTED] who was at work. The [REDACTED] Police Department responded to the family home and confirmed that [REDACTED] was deceased on the floor of his bedroom by his bed. [REDACTED] PD observed several sticky notes that were handwritten by [REDACTED] to his mother, grandmother, principal, along with other people. The notes were consistent with that of an intentional suicide. On January 18, 2022, CM [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] PD [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] responded to the family home and spoke to family members and friends that had arrived at the home. No obvious hazards were found in the home.

On January 18, 2022, CM [REDACTED] [REDACTED] PD [REDACTED] [REDACTED] PD [REDACTED] and members from the Medical Examiners Office spoke with Ms. [REDACTED] (grandmother/custodian) at the family home. She stated that she last saw [REDACTED] alive around 10pm on January 17th, 2022. She reported [REDACTED] was very happy and laughing. While [REDACTED] had been diagnosed with depression and anxiety, he received therapy and medication at [REDACTED]. He had been prescribed Fluoxetine HCL 40mg (morning), Guanfacine HCL 3mg (1 time daily), and Hydroxyzine 10mg (1-2 tablets PRN), but had stopped taking his medicine about 10 days ago. [REDACTED] had some issues while attending [REDACTED] Middle School but Ms. [REDACTED] thought things had improved since fall break. A counselor from [REDACTED] came to visit him weekly at school. Ms. [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] had never tried



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Case Status: Close

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to harm himself before. Ms [REDACTED] was offered grief counseling when she mentioned she feels like she let [REDACTED] down. The children have been her care since 2009, and she obtained custody in 2011.

On January 18, 2022, PD Investigator [REDACTED] was able to get [REDACTED] cellular phone unlocked. Investigator [REDACTED] had found where [REDACTED] had Googled several ways to commit suicide.

On January 18, 2022, CM [REDACTED] Investigator [REDACTED] and Investigator [REDACTED] spoke with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] sister, at the family home. She was fearful of [REDACTED] due to him having anger issues and having blow-outs. [REDACTED] was physically aggressive with her and her grandmother at times and would often scream at their grandmother and he did hit her one time. The day before his death, [REDACTED] had one outburst of anger, when they had a small argument over their new wifi router and he punched the bottom of his bedroom door. Later that night, [REDACTED] asked what happens after we die? [REDACTED] said, I hope nothing. [REDACTED] said he hopes it is a whole world that you can control and then choose nothing.

This morning, while her grandmother was at work and her brother was still asleep, she left the home with [REDACTED] neighbor to practice driving ([REDACTED] has her drivers permit). When they came home around 2pm, [REDACTED] called for [REDACTED] in the house. When he didn't respond, [REDACTED] went into his room and found him on the floor unresponsive and yelled for [REDACTED] to call 911. [REDACTED] was offered grief counseling but reported she is and has been in therapy at [REDACTED] Clinic for 6 years and likes her therapist, [REDACTED] [REDACTED].

On January 18, 2022, CM [REDACTED] Investigator [REDACTED] and Investigator [REDACTED] spoke with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] family friend who reported that prior to his death, [REDACTED] had been bullied at school and believes this was still happening. [REDACTED] had been in a fight and suspended. [REDACTED] spent Thanksgiving with the family and [REDACTED] had came out (gay) and seemed to be doing better.

On January 18, 2022, CM [REDACTED] Investigator [REDACTED] and Investigator [REDACTED] spoke with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] neighbor and family friend. She was going over to the home to take [REDACTED] ([REDACTED] driving because she has a driving permit. Before she left, she wanted to say hey to [REDACTED] but his door was shut. She found [REDACTED] and called 911 at 2:11PM. She called [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and told her that there was an emergency and she needed to come home.

CM [REDACTED] spoke to the family regarding services for all. CM was advised that the family was in no need of assistance from the Department. The family declined services.

On January 19, 2022, an autopsy was completed on [REDACTED] [REDACTED] by Dr. [REDACTED], Regional Forensics Center, [REDACTED] TN. The autopsy states that the cause of death is hydrocodone intoxication, and the manner of death is suicide.

On October 20, 2022, the case was presented by CPSI [REDACTED] to the [REDACTED] Child Protective Investigative Team (CPIT). The following were in attendance:

Law Enforcement- PD Sgt. [REDACTED]

Juvenile Court- [REDACTED]

DCS Team Leader - [REDACTED]

Assistant District Attorney- [REDACTED]

DCS Attorney- [REDACTED]

Child Advocacy Center Representative- [REDACTED]

The team agreed that there was not a preponderance of evidence to support the allegation of Abuse Death against an Unknown Perpetrator, due to this being a suicide. The case will be classified as Allegation



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Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Unfounded/Perpetrator Unfounded.

Per DCS Policy Work Aid 1 Section E:

Child Death is defined as:

- a) Any child death caused by abuse or neglect.
- b) Any unexplained death of a child when the cause of death is unknown or pending an autopsy report.
- c) Any child death caused by abuse or neglect resulting from the parent or caretakers failure to stop another persons direct action that resulted in the death of the child. Child deaths are always treated as severe abuse.

There is not a preponderance of evidence to support the allegation of Abuse Death. This case will be closed and classified as Allegation Unsubstantiated, Perpetrator Unsubstantiated for the Abuse Death of [REDACTED] [REDACTED]



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2023-03-27 12:59:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 12:59 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: DCS Office

Created Date: 03/27/2023

Completed date: 03/27/2023

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Administrative Review

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 03/27/2023 11:59 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

This case has been submitted for approval to close.



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Case Recording Summary

Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2023-03-27 12:28:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 12:28 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: DCS Office

Created Date: 03/27/2023

Completed date: 03/27/2023

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 03/27/2023 11:31 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

TL [REDACTED] called Mrs. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] at [REDACTED]. Ms. [REDACTED] confirmed the spelling of her name to be [REDACTED] [REDACTED].
[REDACTED] TL [REDACTED] thanked Ms. [REDACTED] and the call was concluded.



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2023-02-07 09:37:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 09:37 AM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: DCS Office

Created Date: 02/07/2023

Completed date: 02/07/2023

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Administrative Review

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/07/2023 08:38 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

This case has been submitted for approval to close.



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Case Recording Summary

Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
Contact Date: 2023-01-05 09:00:00.0 Contact Method:
Contact Time: 09:00 AM Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Recorded For:
Location: DCS Office Created Date: 01/05/2023
Completed date: 01/05/2023 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being
Contact Type(s): Administrative Review
Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/05/2023 12:26 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

TL has reviewed the case and has submitted the final summary for review and approval for closure.



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Case Recording Summary

Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-12-27 01:38:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 01:38 AM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Other Community Site

Created Date: 12/27/2022

Completed date: 12/27/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 12/27/2022 12:40 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 12/27/22 at 1:38PM

CPSI received the [REDACTED] County Regional Forensic Center Final Autopsy Report. It reported that [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (14 years old) died of hydrocodone intoxication. The manner of death is suicide.

Narrative Type: Addendum 2 Entry Date/Time: 03/27/2023 11:52 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

correction the autopsy was received on 9/21/22 a corrected notation will be entered.

Narrative Type: Addendum 1 Entry Date/Time: 01/05/2023 12:26 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Dr. [REDACTED] reviewed this document prior to CPIT presentation and did not have any concerns for abuse or neglect, and agreed with classification of AUPU.



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
Contact Date: 2022-12-04 09:00:00.0 Contact Method:
Contact Time: 09:00 AM Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Recorded For:
Location: DCS Office Created Date: 01/05/2023
Completed date: 01/05/2023 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being
Contact Type(s): Administrative Review
Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/05/2023 12:25 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

This case has been presented to CPIT and will be prepared for closure.



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
Contact Date: 2022-11-04 09:00:00.0 Contact Method:
Contact Time: 09:00 AM Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Recorded For:
Location: DCS Office Created Date: 01/05/2023
Completed date: 01/05/2023 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being
Contact Type(s): Administrative Review
Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/05/2023 12:25 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

This case has been presented to CPIT and will be prepared for closure.



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Case Recording Summary

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

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]	Status: Completed
Contact Date: 2022-10-10 09:00:00.0	Contact Method: Face To Face
Contact Time: 09:00 AM	Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:
Location: DCS Office	Created Date: 01/05/2023
Completed date: 01/05/2023	Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being	
Contact Type(s): CPIT (Child Protective Investigative Team)	
Contact Sub Type:	

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/05/2023 12:24 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

The case was presented by CPSI [REDACTED] to the [REDACTED] Child Protective Investigative Team on October 10, 2022. Those in attendance were: TL [REDACTED], CPSI [REDACTED], PD Sgt. [REDACTED], Assistant District attorney [REDACTED], CAC [REDACTED], DCS Attorney [REDACTED], Juvenile Court [REDACTED]. The team agreed to the classification of abuse death as allegation unsubstantiated and perpetrator unsubstantiated.



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[REDACTED]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-10-04 09:00:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	09:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	10/28/2022
Completed date:	10/28/2022	Completed By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 10/28/2022 01:26 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

LI [REDACTED] and CPSI [REDACTED] staffed this case on this date. This case came to the attention of the Department with allegations of abuse death. CPSI reports she is awaiting the autopsy at this time. She updated LI that the family has obtained a service dog and reports no needs at this time.

CPSI and LI will continue to staff this case as needed. CPSI will await for the autopsy and will prepare for CPIT and closure upon receiving the autopsy.



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Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

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 Contact Date: 2022-09-21 13:38:00.0 Contact Method:
 Contact Time: 01:38 PM Contact Duration:
 Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: DCS Office Created Date: 03/27/2023
 Completed date: 03/27/2023 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being
 Contact Type(s): Notation
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 03/27/2023 11:53 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[REDACTED]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-09-08 10:00:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	10/28/2022
Completed date:	10/28/2022	Completed By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 10/28/2022 01:25 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[REDACTED]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-08-12 12:53:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	12:53 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	08/12/2022
Completed date:	08/12/2022	Completed By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/12/2022 11:57 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[REDACTED]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-07-12 12:53:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	12:53 PM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	08/12/2022
Completed date:	08/12/2022	Completed By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/12/2022 11:56 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[REDACTED]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-06-10 09:00:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	09:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	06/14/2022
Completed date:	06/14/2022	Completed By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 06/14/2022 07:09 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[REDACTED]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	2022-05-15 09:00:00.0	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	09:00 AM	Contact Duration:	
Entered By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	06/14/2022
Completed date:	06/14/2022	Completed By:	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Administrative Review		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 06/14/2022 07:08 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 2022-05-09 16:30:00.0 Contact Method:
 Contact Time: 04:30 PM Contact Duration:
 Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: DCS Office Created Date: 03/27/2023
 Completed date: 03/27/2023 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being
 Contact Type(s): Notation
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)**

[REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 03/27/2023 12:08 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

CM [REDACTED] obtained a letter from [REDACTED] therapist, [REDACTED] at the [REDACTED] School Health Center. In the letter, [REDACTED] confirmed that [REDACTED] is in ongoing weekly ongoing health services. He confirmed that [REDACTED] has been taking part and attending regularly and is working on her established therapy goals.

This letter has been scanned into the TFACTS database under [REDACTED] [REDACTED]



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-05-03 17:35:00.0

Contact Method: Face To Face

Contact Time: 05:35 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Family Home

Created Date: 05/05/2022

Completed date: 05/05/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Parent/Caretaker Interview, Sibling Interview/Observation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)**

[REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original

Entry Date/Time: 05/05/2022 01:19 PM

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

5/3/22 at 5:35PM

[REDACTED]

Present:

[REDACTED] [REDACTED]

CPSI [REDACTED] went to the home to follow-up with the family. Ms. [REDACTED] invited CPSI into the home. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she and [REDACTED] have a support service dog. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that they got him about a week ago and his name is [REDACTED]. He is a Sheep doodle.

CPSI was able to speak with [REDACTED] who stated that she did have TCAPS in English. [REDACTED] stated that she still has a final presentation in English. [REDACTED] stated that she had to write a story on the Hero Journey and will need to present it. CPSI asked if she has anything planned for the summer. [REDACTED] stated that she will be going to camp. She stated it will be at [REDACTED] in [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] stated that she has been going to camp for about 7 years. [REDACTED] stated that she will be a camper and counselor and will be doing a week at a time.

CPSI asked [REDACTED] if she is still doing therapy and she stated yes. [REDACTED] stated that she has been in therapy since she was young.

Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] has therapy every Wednesday at 9AM with [REDACTED] who is with the [REDACTED] Clinic. Ms. [REDACTED] signed a release of information for the [REDACTED] Clinic. CPSI will be able to show that [REDACTED] is participating in therapy.

Ms. [REDACTED] stated that herself is doing Grieve Counseling and that is helping.

Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she would like to know what the toxicology results say. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she has seen a lot of information in magazines and her readings where children are getting a hold of fentanyl.



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Organization: [REDACTED] Region

CPSI asked Ms. [REDACTED] if there are any other services that the family may need at this time and she stated no. CPSI informed her that she can reach out to CPSI at anytime for further services/needs. CPSI explained that she can contact CPSI if she has any further questions or concerns. CPSI informed Ms. [REDACTED] that CPSI will keep her updated. Ms. [REDACTED] thanked CPSI for stopping by and following up with the family.



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 2022-04-19 09:00:00.0 Contact Method:
 Contact Time: 09:00 AM Contact Duration:
 Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: DCS Office Created Date: 05/10/2022
 Completed date: 05/10/2022 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being
 Contact Type(s): Administrative Review
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/10/2022 12:09 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

14 year old male possible OD. [REDACTED] Met [REDACTED] PD on scene. Then decided maybe a suicide and would be meeting [REDACTED] PD. Major Crimes ([REDACTED] and [REDACTED] ME office and family members present. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (MGM) & [REDACTED] age 16 (sister). Family Friend [REDACTED] also present.

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Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 2022-04-07 09:45:00.0 Contact Method: Correspondence
 Contact Time: 09:45 AM Contact Duration:
 Entered By: [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: DCS Office Created Date: 05/05/2022
 Completed date: 05/05/2022 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being
 Contact Type(s): CPIT (Child Protective Investigative Team)
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/05/2022 01:27 PM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 4/7/22 at 9:45AM

CPSI [REDACTED] sent email to Violent Crimes Inv. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] CPSI wanted to follow-up about this case and see about obtaining photos that were taken at the scene. CPSI also informed Inv. [REDACTED] that CPSI would be making a home visit and asked if he needed CPSI to ask any further questions while at the home.

5:45PM

CPSI received email back from Inv. [REDACTED] Inv. [REDACTED] stated that the [REDACTED] case is still open and hasn't been closed. Inv. [REDACTED] stated that he would check with the ME's office to see if they have completed the final autopsy report. Inv. [REDACTED] stated that he cannot release anything until the case has been concluded and will share photos once that takes place.



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-03-20 09:00:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 09:00 AM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: DCS Office

Created Date: 05/10/2022

Completed date: 05/10/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Administrative Review

Contact Sub Type:

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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 2022-02-14 09:00:00.0 Contact Method:
 Contact Time: 09:00 AM Contact Duration:
 Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: DCS Office Created Date: 02/23/2022
 Completed date: 02/23/2022 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being
 Contact Type(s): Administrative Review
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

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Mag. [REDACTED] gave custody in 2009/final 2011 to grandmother. Parents have Mental Health & Drug issues. [REDACTED] is mom. Mom has not been involved in about 7 years. His note to mom said dont come to my funeral. Dad is in prison, but we cant determine if he is already paroled yet. Resource Linkage case due to [REDACTED] explosive behaviors and had assaulted her previously. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] is a local GAL, but is a family friend to this family and was involved and has been in contact with the CPS worker. Encouraged to not share information with him, but can take information from him.

Outstanding next steps:

Consult with [REDACTED] PD ([REDACTED] & [REDACTED] to see about time of death

Determine if its an OD based on ME report (toxicology)

Check in with family to see what could be done to assist

Consult with [REDACTED] therapist ([REDACTED] [REDACTED])

Obtain [REDACTED] medical (PCP) and mental health records



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-21 11:53:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 11:53 AM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Other Community Site

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:53 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Classification by the Thirty-Day Mark

Severe cases:

Case Classification by the Thirty-Day Mark: Per Administrative Policies and Procedures: 14.7 This case is will not to be tentatively classified due to one or more of the following Exceptions: Child death investigations awaiting an autopsy report; CPS investigations needing interpreting and translating services or other unique services such as sign language communication; CPS investigations which fall under the TCA statute 37-1-607 Severe Child Abuse or Neglect, the Federal Indian Child Welfare Act, and CPS investigations where the alleged perpetrator has no access to the child victim.



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

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]	Status: Completed
Contact Date: 2022-01-20 15:00:00.0	Contact Method:
Contact Time: 03:00 PM	Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED]	Recorded For:
Location:	Created Date: 02/01/2022
Completed date: 02/01/2022	Completed By: [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being	
Contact Type(s): Administrative Review	
Contact Sub Type:	

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 02/01/2022 01:03 PM Entered By: [REDACTED]

14 year old male possible OD. [REDACTED] Met [REDACTED] PD on scene. Then decided maybe a suicide and would be meeting [REDACTED] PD. Major Crimes [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] ME office and family members present. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (MGM) & [REDACTED] age 16 (sister). Family Friend, [REDACTED] also present.

They already started interviews prior to DCS arriving. Did a walk through of the home without issues. CPS did interview [REDACTED] (sibling) separately. 24 hours prior she described, family friend was there to help check on the teen. Nothing concerning was discussed significantly, but 2 nights before he stayed up all night. She left to go to the dentist at 11am and then went to the grocery store. [REDACTED] was awake when they left. He was in his room. They bought a new WiFi Router and he was excited to set it up. They did have a verbal dispute but he was a little upset and hit the bottom of his door as he walked into his room. They talked and came out and hung out together. She went to bed at 8pm. Came downstairs around 1am-2am (chips & ice cream) and went back to her room. She didnt see him during that time. [REDACTED] no school issues, but is on ADHD meds (Vyvanse).

Next day 8:30 am making hot chocolate as GM, was leaving for work. [REDACTED] Wilder family friend was going to take [REDACTED] driving. Came back to get the water bottle and [REDACTED] arrived and she heard [REDACTED] yelling. She followed to the voice and saw her in [REDACTED] room and he was unresponsive. 911 called, tried to do CPR but couldnt get him rolled over (he was already stiff). [REDACTED] would like grief counseling. She is already in treatment at [REDACTED] ([REDACTED] [REDACTED]) and has been for 6 years). They talked about 2 hours on the phone and has a ZOOM appt 1/20/2022.

[REDACTED] family friend, provided the same account of information above. Has been a support for about 11 years to GM, [REDACTED] and the kids. She has been teaching GM to drive. She went to [REDACTED] room to say hi and let him know they were going to drive ([REDACTED] is teaching [REDACTED] to drive as she has a permit) and found him unresponsive. She called 911 at 2:11. She did say she called [REDACTED] (GM) to come home, but didnt tell why, as she didnt want to alert her. Upon CPS visit, [REDACTED] was not in a position to be interviewed, but did set a meeting for 1/20/2022.



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Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

[REDACTED] saw him around 10pm when she took the dogs out, as he waved out his window. She cant recall other details. He did go to bed early, after being awake the entire night before. [REDACTED] was not taking his medication as prescribed. Pills were hidden on the fridge and kept the pills in a weekly pill box. She had gone out of the country to see her daughter and had a babysitter. [REDACTED] had told her he wanted to stop, but she checked his meds. She counted that he had missed about 10 days. He said by law he didnt have to take his meds and needed to talk to his provider. She feels very guilty about this. [REDACTED] is the prescriber, previously and a new provider was recently assigned. He had monthly med management and saw [REDACTED] at school from [REDACTED] and once a month home visit. She reports he likes his providers.

One question was the time of death and it is still unknown, as last he was seen alive was 10pm. When he was found it was 2pm the next afternoon.

Upon finding his body they used his fingers to open his phone and found searches regarding suicide (carbon monoxide, mixing pills etc about 60 times) and sent text messages to friends see you on the other side. A few notes left for sister, grandmother, and mom, in addition to principal. [REDACTED] principal has been previously contacted by the family due to bullying (called gay and faggot). Another teen asking if [REDACTED] was ok (neighbor), [REDACTED] called to check on him. [REDACTED] had been suspended for 45 days due to a fight in the school, after the bullying wasnt addressed. They were appealing this with the school.

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Outstanding next steps:

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Case Status: Close	Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]	Status: Completed
Contact Date: 2022-01-20 14:26:00.0	Contact Method: Phone Call
Contact Time: 02:26 PM	Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:
Location: DCS Office	Created Date: 01/21/2022
Completed date: 01/21/2022	Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being	
Contact Type(s): Parent/Caretaker Interview	
Contact Sub Type:	

Children Concerning

Participant(s)

[REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:35 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/20/22 at 2:26PM

Telephone call: [REDACTED]

CPSI interviewed [REDACTED] [REDACTED] by phone. CPSI expressed apologizes for calling her during this time and so sorry for her loss. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she wanted to help in any way.

CPSI asked Ms. [REDACTED] what time she usually goes to work. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she doesnt have a set schedule. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she is the Director of Catering through the [REDACTED]. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she remembers that [REDACTED] was making hot chocolate Tuesday morning when she was leaving. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that they didnt have school.

Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] had went to bed early that night because he was up the night before all night. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that he didnt want to take his medication and by law she couldnt make him take his medications. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she had to talk to [REDACTED] ([REDACTED]) about this. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that around 10PM she went outside to take the dog out and seen him look out the window and waved at him. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] ([REDACTED]) was up making hot chocolate the next morning, but she cannot remember if she knocked on [REDACTED] door before leaving for work.

CPSI asked Ms. [REDACTED] how she knew he stopped taking his medication. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] told her. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she went out of the country to see her daughter and came back. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she had the babysitter helping with medications. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she kept his medication in a daily pill box and couldnt find it and asked him if he missed taking any pills, and he said a day or two. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she ran in there and counted his pill bottles and seen that there had been about 10 days of medication that he hadnt taken. CPSI asked where she keeps the pill bottles, and Ms. [REDACTED] states she hides them above the refrigerator. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she tries to keep the pill box that is a weekly (pill box) on the window seal in the kitchen to hand to [REDACTED]. CPSI asked how often [REDACTED] went to [REDACTED] for medication management and Ms. [REDACTED] stated



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once a month. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] prescribed his medication but the last time it was a female doctor, but she couldn't remember her name. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] was receiving counseling with [REDACTED] once a week at his school ([REDACTED]) and she would also come to the home once a month for visits with the family. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that they would go to [REDACTED] on [REDACTED] every 6 months to update paperwork.

Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] goes to [REDACTED] and her therapist is [REDACTED]. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] talked with her for a couple of hours on Tuesday. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] has a zoom meeting in the morning with Ms. [REDACTED]. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] likes [REDACTED].



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Case Status: Close	Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]	Status: Completed
Contact Date: 2022-01-20 14:05:00.0	Contact Method:
Contact Time: 02:05 PM	Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:
Location: DCS Office	Created Date: 01/21/2022
Completed date: 01/21/2022	Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being	
Contact Type(s): Notation	
Contact Sub Type:	

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:52 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 1/20/22 at 2:05PM
 Telephone Call

CPSI spoke with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] by phone. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] body is at the funeral home. He stated that Ms. [REDACTED] went to the funeral home today. He states that the services will be on Monday. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that they did not notify [REDACTED] mother.
 Mr. [REDACTED] stated that Ms. [REDACTED] feels a lot of guilt over this.

Mr. [REDACTED] stated that a young boy ([REDACTED] called [REDACTED] phone after everyone left the home on Tuesday. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that this young boy was worried about [REDACTED]. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that this boy stated that [REDACTED] had said some things the night before when they were talking around 7:30PM. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that this young boy stated that he didn't tell [REDACTED] to hurt himself. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that this boy lives close by on the same street. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he called the next day and asked if [REDACTED] had committed suicide. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he didn't give any information out to this boy.

Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he and the family are upset how [REDACTED] Middle School handled the bullying. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] was being bullied. He was being called faggot and gay. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that the family told the school that he was being bullied and nothing was done about it. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] defended himself maybe not in the right way, but he punched a boy. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he was suspended 45 days. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] was a straight A student. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he went to [REDACTED] and was a positive student there. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that the bullying continued when he returned to [REDACTED]. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he believes that he struggled with his identity.



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-20 13:54:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 01:54 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: DCS Office

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:51 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/20/22 at 1:54PM

Telephone call: [REDACTED]

CPSI interviewed [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (family friend) by phone. She states that [REDACTED] is her maiden name and [REDACTED] is her married name.

CPSI asked if she could explain what happened the day, she found [REDACTED] [REDACTED] stated that she was going over to the home to take [REDACTED] ([REDACTED] driving because she has a driving permit. [REDACTED] stated that before she left, she wanted to say hey to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] stated that his door was shut. CPSI asked what time she arrived at the home and [REDACTED] stated right before 2PM. [REDACTED] stated that when she found [REDACTED] and called 911 at 2:11PM. [REDACTED] stated that she knows this because she had [REDACTED] look at her phone. CPSI asked what happened next and [REDACTED] stated that they asked her to do CPR, but he was too stiff, and she couldn't turn him over. CPSI asked if Ms. [REDACTED] was at work and [REDACTED] stated that she believed so. CPSI asked who contacted Ms. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] stated that she called her and told her that there was an emergency and she needed to come home.

CPSI asked how long she has known the family and she stated 11 years.



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-19 12:00:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 12:00 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Other Community Site

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 11:13 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

CPSI [REDACTED] completed the Family Advocacy and Support Tool (FAST) on 1/19/22 with a risk level of: Moderate Risk/Need.



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-19 08:15:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 08:15 AM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Other Community Site

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:50 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/19/22 at 8:15AM

Telephone Call

CPSI received a call from [REDACTED] [REDACTED] who wanted to inform CPSI that [REDACTED] had been bullied at school. He stated that [REDACTED] was in a fight and suspended. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he still felt like he was getting bullied at school. Mr. [REDACTED] went on to say that [REDACTED] was an honor student. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he spent Thanksgiving with the family and [REDACTED] had came out (gay) and seemed to be doing better.



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 2022-01-18 16:00:00.0 Contact Method: Correspondence
 Contact Time: 04:00 PM Contact Duration:
 Entered By: [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: DCS Office Created Date: 01/21/2022
 Completed date: 01/21/2022 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being
 Contact Type(s): CPIT (Child Protective Investigative Team)
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:44 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 1/18/22 at 4PM

CPSI [REDACTED] received recordings from Violent Crimes [REDACTED] [REDACTED] by email. This is the information that was obtained while at the home.

Death/probable suicide at [REDACTED]

Case [REDACTED]

On January 18th, 2022, at about 2:45pm, I responded to [REDACTED] on a death investigation. There I observed the decedent, [REDACTED] (juvenile), lying face down on the floor. [REDACTED] was lying next to his bed. It wasn't apparent what had happened to him upon my arrival. There was a toy gun laying near where [REDACTED] was. While looking around [REDACTED] bedroom, I observed several sticky notes that were handwritten by [REDACTED]. Those notes were to his mother, grandmother, principal, along with other people. The notes were consistent with that of an intentional suicide.

While there, I, along with Investigator [REDACTED] did interview [REDACTED] guardian/grandmother, [REDACTED]. She stated that she last saw [REDACTED] alive around 10pm on January 17th, 2022. She stated that [REDACTED] was very happy and laughing. [REDACTED] went on to say that [REDACTED] suffered from depression and anxiety. She stated he was on medication for that but believed that he had stopped taking it lately. [REDACTED] also stated that [REDACTED] had some prior problems at school ([REDACTED] Middle School), but she thought things had gotten better after fall break. [REDACTED] also mentioned that [REDACTED] was a gamer. It was unclear at the time of the interview if [REDACTED] was getting harassed or bullied at school.

Before leaving the home, Investigator [REDACTED] was able to get [REDACTED] cellular phone unlocked. It was apparent that [REDACTED] used his Xbox to communicate with a few friends. It appeared through texts that [REDACTED] was dealing with something mentally. Also, Investigator [REDACTED] had found where [REDACTED] had Googled several ways



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to commit suicide.

Death Medical Investigator [REDACTED] did arrive on scene, along with [REDACTED] PD Forensic Technician [REDACTED] for processing. DCS also came out to the scene.

[REDACTED] was transported to the medical examiners office for an autopsy. It is believed at this time that [REDACTED] died from ingesting a lethal amount of narcotics.

The investigation is on-going.

Decedent: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] 12/14/07 ([REDACTED] Middle School 8th grader)

Respectfully,

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Police Department
Violent Crimes Unit



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-18 15:45:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 03:45 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Family Home

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:49 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/18/22 at 3:45PM

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] arrived at the scene and stated that he was not acting as a GAL but was family friend. [REDACTED] stated that he spent Christmas with the family. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] has been dealing with a lot of issues. Mr. [REDACTED] stated to inform him of anything that he could do to help.



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-18 15:30:00.0

Contact Method: Face To Face

Contact Time: 03:30 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Family Home

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Initial ACV Face To Face

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

[REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Participant(s)**Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original

Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:30 AM

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/18/22 at 3:30PM

[REDACTED]

CPSI [REDACTED] was able to observe [REDACTED] [REDACTED] who was deceased lying face up in his bedroom floor. LE Violent Crimes [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] PD Inv. [REDACTED] Medical Examiner [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] PD Forensic Lab were in the room. There were
 pictures taken of [REDACTED]



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-18 15:30:00.0

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 03:30 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Family Home

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Notation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:32 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/18/22 at 3:30PM

[REDACTED]

Photos were taken by [REDACTED] PD Crime Lab. CPSI will upload the photos once they are received.



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-18 15:15:00.0

Contact Method: Face To Face

Contact Time: 03:15 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Family Home

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Sibling Interview/Observation

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)**

[REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:31 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/18/22 at 3:15PM

[REDACTED]

CPSI [REDACTED] interviewed [REDACTED] Rose [REDACTED] privately in the kitchen. [REDACTED] stated that she is 16 years old, and her birthday is 10/6/05. [REDACTED] stated that she attends [REDACTED] as a Sophomore. [REDACTED] stated that she like going there because it isnt a big school, and the teachers and students are nice.

[REDACTED] stated that she lives with her brother [REDACTED] (14) and maternal grandmother [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]. She states that her [REDACTED] [REDACTED] will come and stay over sometimes. She states that he is [REDACTED] 2nd husband. [REDACTED] stated that her moms name is [REDACTED] [REDACTED]. She states that her mom just got out of a half-way house she thinks. [REDACTED] stated that her mom has been on and off drugs. [REDACTED] stated that she hasnt seen her mom since she was 9 years old. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] seen their mom more regular, but he had stopped. [REDACTED] stated that their father is [REDACTED] and he is in prison.

[REDACTED] stated that she wasnt scared of anyone at school or in her neighborhood. [REDACTED] stated at home she was scared of [REDACTED]. She states that [REDACTED] had anger issues. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] hadnt had a blow-out in a long time. CPSI asked if she could explain what that meant. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] would scream at their grandmother and try to hit her grandmother. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] would hit her. [REDACTED] stated that she would rather [REDACTED] hit her than her grandmother. CPSI asked when the last time [REDACTED] hit her, and she said it was summertime.

CPSI asked [REDACTED] to walk CPSI through her whole day yesterday up until today. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] didnt go to bed until 9AM yesterday morning. [REDACTED] stated that she went to the dentist at 11AM. She states that her grandmother took her to the appointment. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] stayed home and was awake when they left. [REDACTED] stated that after the dentist they went to the grocery store. She states that she drove home. [REDACTED] stated that she asked [REDACTED] to help unload the groceries, but he wouldnt. [REDACTED] stated that they



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Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

both stayed in their bedrooms. She states that their grandmother went to get a new WIFI router and when she returned, they [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] helped set up the WIFI router. [REDACTED] stated that she and [REDACTED] got into a mini argument over the WIFI, and [REDACTED] punched the bottom of his door. [REDACTED] stated that when they are all together arguments will happen. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] said he hasnt taken his medication and she was going to call [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] stated that she came back out of her room and they were laughing and scrolling through on their phones. [REDACTED] states that she went to bed around 8PM. [REDACTED] stated that she doesnt know if [REDACTED] was still up. [REDACTED] stated that her [REDACTED] called her around 10PM and asked for the password for the WIFI. She states that she woke back up around 2AM and went to get some chips and ice cream sandwich. [REDACTED] stated that she stayed up and watched TV in her room. She didnt see [REDACTED] around this time. [REDACTED] stated that her grandmother texted her around 8:30AM and said she was leaving for work. [REDACTED] stated that she was downstairs making some hot chocolate. She states that she went back to her room. [REDACTED] stated that family friend [REDACTED] text and asked if she wanted to go driving. She states that [REDACTED] was the one that taught her how to drive. [REDACTED] stated that she told her yes. [REDACTED] stated that she got to her home around 2PM. [REDACTED] stated that she was in the kitchen filling up her water bottle and was putting on the cap when she heard [REDACTED] call his name. [REDACTED] stated that she went to [REDACTED] bedroom and [REDACTED] told her to call 911. CPSI asked [REDACTED] what she seen when she walked into the bedroom. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] was lying face down on the floor and [REDACTED] was shaking him and she was crying. [REDACTED] stated that 911 told [REDACTED] to do CPR, but she couldnt move him. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] arm wouldnt move.

[REDACTED] stated that last night [REDACTED] asked what happens after we die. [REDACTED] stated that she said, I hope nothing. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] said he hopes it is a whole world that you can control and then choose nothing.

CPSI asked [REDACTED] if she would be interesting in counseling/grief counseling. [REDACTED] stated that she is already in therapy with [REDACTED] Health Center. [REDACTED] stated that her therapist is [REDACTED] and she has been with her for about 6 years. [REDACTED] stated that she likes her therapist.

[REDACTED] stated that she has everything she needs at home (able to take a bath, brush her teeth, and has clean clothes to wear). She states there is food to eat at home.

CPSI thanked [REDACTED] for speaking with CPSI. CPSI also informed [REDACTED] that she can contact CPSI if she has any questions or further information.



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-18 15:11:00.0

Contact Method: Face To Face

Contact Time: 03:11 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Family Home

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

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

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:26 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/18/22 at 3:11PM

CPSI convened the Child Protective Investigation Team (CPIT) on 1/18/22 with [REDACTED] Police Department [REDACTED] PD) Investigator (Inv.) [REDACTED] CPSI met Inv. [REDACTED] at the ACV (Alleged Child Victim) home.



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 2022-01-18 15:11:00.0

Contact Method: Face To Face

Contact Time: 03:11 PM

Contact Duration:

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Family Home

Created Date: 01/21/2022

Completed date: 01/21/2022

Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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

Contact Type(s): Parent/Caretaker Interview

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)**

[REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original

Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:34 AM

Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/18/22 at 3:11PM

[REDACTED]

CPSI [REDACTED] made a home visit to initiate the investigation. [REDACTED] PD Inv. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] PD Violent Crimes [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Medical Examiner [REDACTED], and other [REDACTED] PD LE were already at the home when CPSI [REDACTED] arrived.

[REDACTED] PD Violent Crimes [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and Inv. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] interviewed the grandmother [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Ms. [REDACTED] states that [REDACTED] takes medications but stopped taking the medication. It was reported that [REDACTED] had told her that he had stopped taking his medication for only one to two days, but she didnt believe him, so she did a pill count yesterday. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that he hadnt taken his medication for about 10 days. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that he receives his medication and therapy through [REDACTED] ([REDACTED]). She stated that a counselor comes to the school to see [REDACTED] at least once a week. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] hasnt tried to harm himself before.

Ms. [REDACTED] stated that there are no firearms in the home. She states that [REDACTED] had a toy gun.

[REDACTED] medication: Fluoxetine HCL 40mg (morning), Guanfacine HCL 3mg (1 time daily), and Hydroxyzine 10mg (1-2 tablets PRN).

[REDACTED] takes Vyvanse

CPSI [REDACTED] provided [REDACTED] [REDACTED] with a copy of the Clients Rights Handbook. CPSI explained the contents of the Handbook, including the Native American Heritage Veto Verification, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Acknowledgement form, and Notice of Equal Access to Programs and Services. Ms. [REDACTED] signed acknowledging that she had received the handbook, and that the contents were explained to



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her. She noted that neither of the children were of Native American Decent.

CPSI spoke with Ms. [REDACTED] about grievance counseling. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that she had someone to talk to. CPSI explained that she can contact CPSI if she has any questions or needed further help with seeking extra services for the family.

Ms. [REDACTED] states that she feels like she let [REDACTED] down.

CPSI asked how long the children have been in her care. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that they have been with her since 2009/2010, but she has had them permanently since 2011.

Ms. [REDACTED] had a family friend ([REDACTED] [REDACTED]) stop by the home to be with the family.

The family friend name is [REDACTED] [REDACTED] who found [REDACTED] in his bedroom.



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Case Status: Close	Organization: [REDACTED] Region

Case Recording Details

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Contact Date: 2022-01-18 15:00:00.0	Contact Method:
Contact Time: 03:00 PM	Contact Duration:
Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Recorded For:
Location: Other Community Site	Created Date: 01/21/2022
Completed date: 01/21/2022	Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Purpose(s): Permanency, Safety - Child/Community, Service Planning, Well Being	
Contact Type(s): Case Summary	
Contact Sub Type: Opening	

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:24 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Child: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (deceased) [REDACTED]
 Sibling: [REDACTED] Rose [REDACTED]
 Mother: [REDACTED]
 Father: [REDACTED] (not involved) [REDACTED]
 Maternal Grandmother: [REDACTED] (guardian)
 Address: [REDACTED] TN [REDACTED]
 Phone: [REDACTED]
 School: [REDACTED] Academy ([REDACTED]) Middle ([REDACTED])

Case Assignment/Open Summary
Initial Case Summary:

On 1/18/22 at 4:05 p.m. [REDACTED], a referral was called into Child Abuse Hotline. The referral was screened into [REDACTED] County as P1 with the allegation of Abuse Death. The alleged child victim(s) is [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (Deceased). The alleged perpetrator is Unknown Participant. Response is due on 1/19/22 at 4:05 p.m. [REDACTED]. The case is assigned to Investigator [REDACTED]. It is Unknown if the child is of Native American Descent.

[REDACTED] County DCS has an agreement with the Juvenile Courts in which the Reader and/or Lead Investigators will send notification of referrals to the Assigned Juvenile Court as per local protocol. The District Attorney will be notified as per local protocol on all Severe Abuse Cases. Notification is made weekly to the Juvenile Court Judge by the Reader and/or Lead Investigator as requested per local protocol.

Referral Summary:

[REDACTED] [REDACTED] (14) lives with his grandmother, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] County. His mother is unknown. No, Immediate Assistance is not requested. DCS in the area (including case workers, team leaders, and supervisors) has already been made aware of the situation.
 On 1/18/2022, [REDACTED] school had a snow day; [REDACTED] was left at home while [REDACTED] went to work. At



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approximately 2:00 PM, [REDACTED] asked a neighbor, Unknown, to check on [REDACTED]. The neighbor went into the home and found [REDACTED] dead on his bedroom floor. The neighbor immediately called 911.

At this time, it is unknown what happened to [REDACTED]. There were no injuries observed on [REDACTED] body. The Medical Examiner will not be examining [REDACTED] body until 1/19/2022. The 911 call has not been listened to. No arrests have been made. It is uncertain if there has been any child abuse. There may have been previous DCS history with [REDACTED] mother, but it is unknown if DCS was involved with [REDACTED]. There are no concerns for the safety of Department of Children's Services Case Manager responding to the home.

CPSI [REDACTED] verified the family's history of involvement with DCS through a search of TNKids/TFACTS and the following history was found:

Date: 12/10/10

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]

ACV: [REDACTED]

Resource Linkage

Region: [REDACTED]

Date: 2/28/11

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]

ACV: [REDACTED]

ACV: [REDACTED]

AP: [REDACTED]

Allegation: Lack of Supervision

Classification: Administrative Closure

Region: [REDACTED]

Date: 3/3/11

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]

ACV: [REDACTED]

ACV: [REDACTED]

AP: [REDACTED]

Allegation: Drug Exposed Child and Lack of Supervision

Classification: Services Required

Region: [REDACTED]

Date: 9/30/11

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]

ACV: [REDACTED]

ACV: Adian [REDACTED]

AP: [REDACTED]

Allegation: Lack of Supervision

Classification: No Services Needed

Region: [REDACTED]

Date: 10/9/20

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

ACV: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Resource Linkage

Region: [REDACTED]

Date: 9/21/20

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]

ACV: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

AP: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Allegation: Lack of Supervision

Classification: No Services Needed

Region: [REDACTED]

CPSI conducted the following registry checks on [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

National Sexual Offender

Tennessee Sexual Offender

Tennessee Felony Offender

Tennessee Drug Offender

Tennessee Vulnerable Persons

Results were None

CPSI also conducted a [REDACTED] County JIMS search on [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Results are as follows: N/A

CPSI conducted a search of the [REDACTED] County Inmate Population to see if was/were currently incarcerated. N/A



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Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

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 Contact Time: 03:00 PM Contact Duration:
 Entered By: [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: Other Community Site Created Date: 01/21/2022
 Completed date: 01/21/2022 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being
 Contact Type(s): CPIT (Child Protective Investigative Team)
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:26 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 1/18/22 at 3PM
 CPSI [REDACTED] contacted the referent to obtain further information. The Referent did not request notification.

Narrative Type: Created In Error Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:27 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED] Region

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 Contact Date: 2022-01-18 15:00:00.0 Contact Method: Correspondence
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 Entered By: [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: Other Community Site Created Date: 01/21/2022
 Completed date: 01/21/2022 Completed By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being
 Contact Type(s): Referent Interview
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 01/21/2022 10:28 AM Entered By: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

1/18/22 at 3PM

CPSI [REDACTED] contacted the referent to obtain further information. The Referent did not request notification.



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

A. Investigation

Case Name: [REDACTED]

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]

Referral Date: 01/18/2022

Assignment Date: 01/12/2023

Street Address: [REDACTED],

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

B. Allegation

#	Children's Name	DOB	Specific Allegation for Each Child	Alleged Perpetrator's Name	DOB	Classification	Severe Abuse	Classified By
							CSEM	
1	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Abuse Death	Unknown Participant [REDACTED]		Allegation Unsubstantiated / Perpetrator Unsubstantiated	Yes	[REDACTED]
							No	10/20/2022

C. Disposition Decision

Disposition Decision: Assessed and Closed

Comments: AUPU for Abuse Death

D. Case Workers

Case Worker: [REDACTED]

Date: 10/20/2022

Team Leader: [REDACTED]

Date: 10/20/2022

E. Investigation Summary

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

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

The child was deceased and was observed.

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

On January 19, 2022, an autopsy was completed on [REDACTED] by Dr. [REDACTED], Regional Forensics Center, [REDACTED] TN. The autopsy indicated that the cause of death is hydrocodone intoxication, and the manner of death is suicide.

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

The case was presented to CPIT on 10/10/22 as AUPU. The team agreed that there was not a preponderance of evidence to support the allegation of Abuse Death against an Unknown Perpetrator. The case will be classified as Allegation Unfounded/Perpetrator Unfounded.

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

Allegations of abuse death

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Abuse/Neglect Referral**

Case Name : [REDACTED]

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]

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

On January 18, 2022, the [REDACTED] Police Department received a call from neighbor, [REDACTED] that [REDACTED] was deceased. Neighbor, [REDACTED] had been asked to check on [REDACTED] by grandmother, [REDACTED] who was at work. The [REDACTED] Police Department responded to the family home and confirmed that [REDACTED] was deceased in the floor of the family home by his bed. The [REDACTED] Police Department found observed several sticky notes that were handwritten by [REDACTED]. Those notes were to his mother, grandmother, principal, along with other people. The notes were consistent with that of an intentional suicide. On January 19, 2022, an autopsy was completed on [REDACTED] by Dr. [REDACTED], Regional Forensics Center, [REDACTED] TN. The autopsy indicated that the cause of death is hydrocodone intoxication, and the manner of death is suicide. The case was presented to CPIT on 10/10/22 as AUPU. The team agreed that there was not a preponderance of evidence to support the allegation of Abuse Death against an Unknown Perpetrator. The case will be classified as Allegation Unfounded/Perpetrator Unfounded.

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FAST 2.0 Assessment Summary Report

Event Type: CPS Case	Assessment Date: 01/19/2022					
Assessment Type: FAST	CPS Case ID: [REDACTED]					
OVERVIEW						
Safety Level: Immediate Intervention Not Recommended	Assessed at Location: In the Home					
Risk Level: Moderate Need/Risk						
Event Start Date: 04/10/2023	Last Assessed Date:					
Assessment Status: Approved	Assessor: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]					
Date Approved: 01/21/2022	Approver: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]					
PARTICIPANTS						
Name	Age	Role	Gender	Person ID	Trauma Score	CSEM Risk
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	65 Yrs	Primary Caregiver	F	[REDACTED]	N/A	N/A
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	16 Yrs	Youth	F	[REDACTED]	2	Low
[REDACTED] [REDACTED] (ACV)	Deceased	Youth	M	[REDACTED]	2	Low

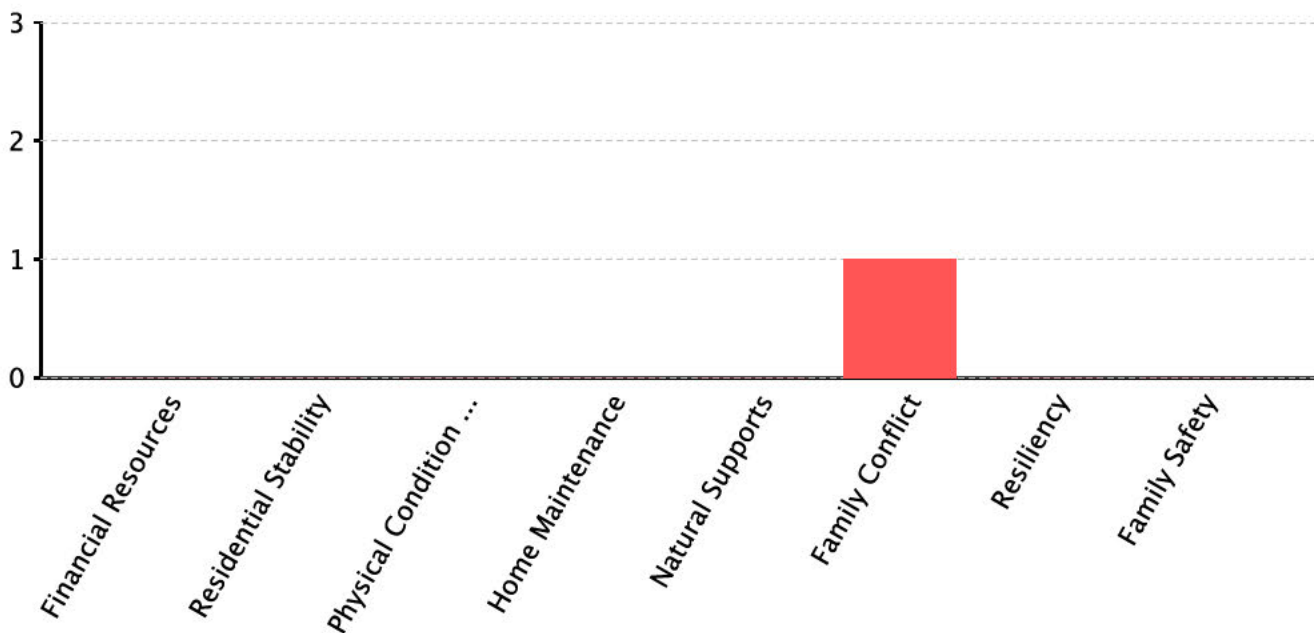


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Assessment Type: FAST	CPS Case ID: [REDACTED]

THE FAMILY TOGETHER

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



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Financial Resources	0	
Residential Stability	0	
Physical Condition of Home	0	
Home Maintenance	0	
Natural Supports	0	
Family Conflict	1	There was a history of [REDACTED] having mental health issues and hitting his sister and trying to hit his grandmother.
Resiliency	0	
Family Safety	0	



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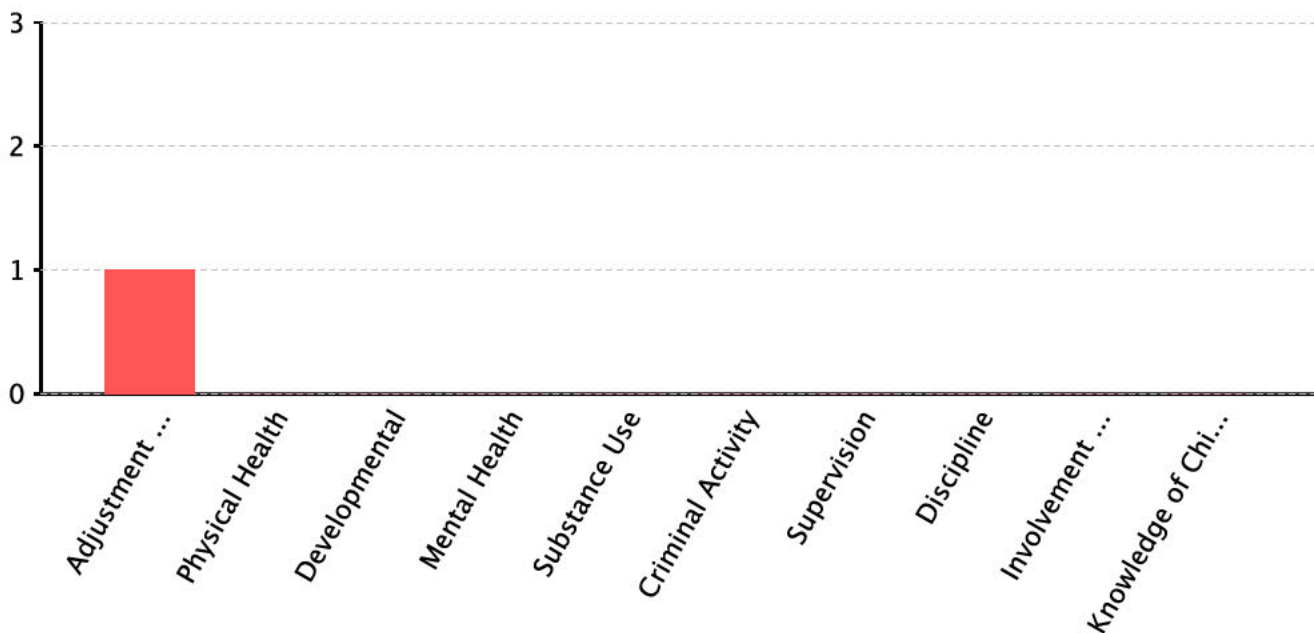
CAREGIVERS

Each adult living in the family defined on the Summary Page who has any caregiver responsibilities would be rated separately in this section.

Participant: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Person ID: [REDACTED]

Role Primary Caregiver



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Adjustment to Traumatic Experiences	1	Grandmother is feeling guilt due to [REDACTED] death.
Physical Health	0	
Developmental	0	
Mental Health	0	
Substance Use	0	
Criminal Activity	0	
Supervision	0	
Discipline	0	
Involvement in Caregiving Functions	0	
Knowledge of Child and Family Needs	0	



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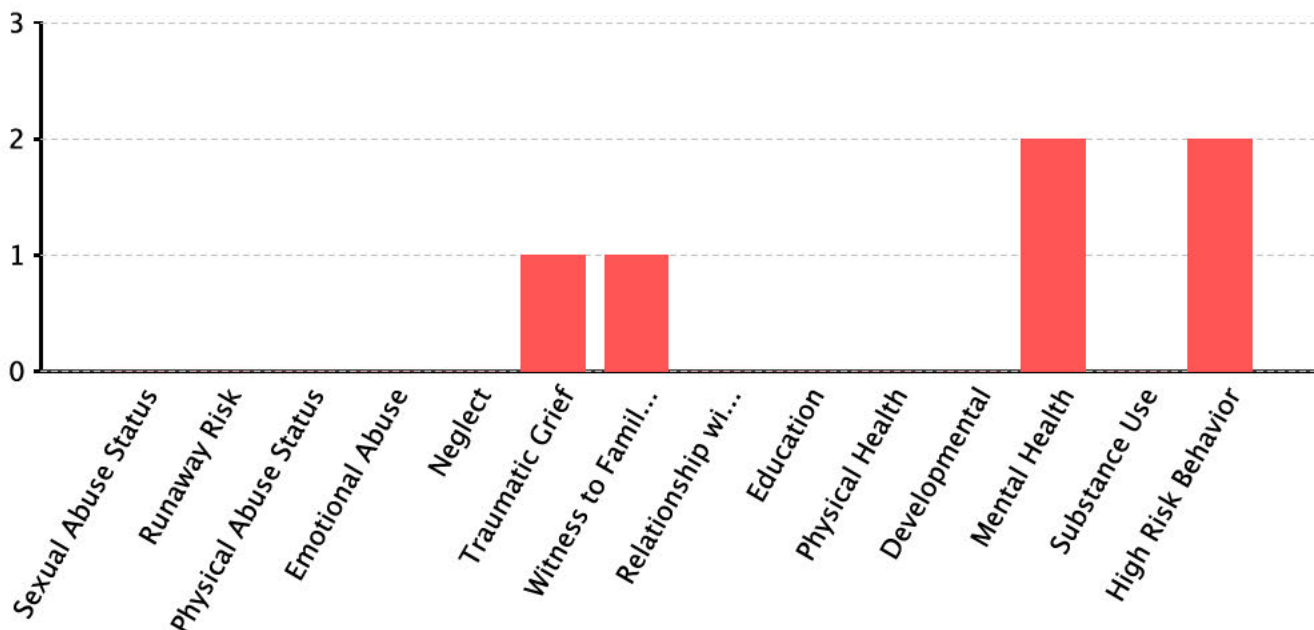
YOUTH

This section is used to describe the strengths and needs of all children and youth whose age, at the time of the assessment, is 0 to 18 years.

Participant: [REDACTED] (CSEM)

Person ID: [REDACTED]

Age: Deceased



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	Deceased
Runaway Risk	0	Deceased
Physical Abuse Status	0	Deceased
Emotional Abuse	0	Deceased
Neglect	0	Deceased
Traumatic Grief	1	Mother was not in child's life.
Witness to Family, School or Community Violence	1	Deceased/ It has been reported that there was bullying at his school
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	
Education	0	
Physical Health	0	
Developmental	0	



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Assessment Type: FAST	CPS Case ID: [REDACTED]

Mental Health	2	Child suffered from Depression and was going to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Child is deceased is is suspected from OD/Suicide
Substance Use	0	
High Risk Behavior	2	It was reported that the child was looking up ways to harm himself (attempted suicide)/ Child is deceased



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Assessment Type: FAST	CPS Case ID: [REDACTED]

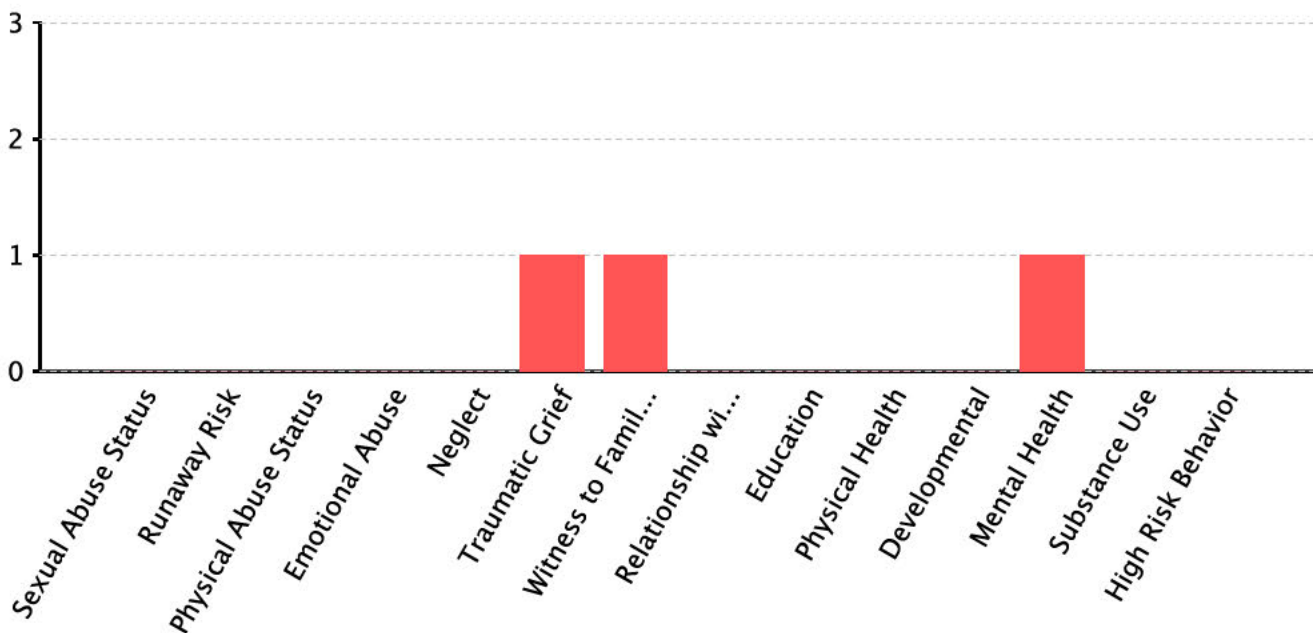
YOUTH

This section is used to describe the strengths and needs of all children and youth whose age, at the time of the assessment, is 0 to 18 years.

Participant: [REDACTED] (CSEM)

Person ID: [REDACTED]

Age: 16 Yrs



Item	Score	Justification/Narrative
Sexual Abuse Status	0	
Runaway Risk	0	
Physical Abuse Status	0	
Emotional Abuse	0	
Neglect	0	
Traumatic Grief	1	Brother is deceased/ she hasn't seen her mother since she was 9 years old.
Witness to Family, School or Community Violence	1	There is a history of her brother hitting her when he becomes angry.
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	
Education	0	[REDACTED] Academy
Physical Health	0	
Developmental	0	



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Mental Health	1	ADHD: Vyvance
Substance Use	0	
High Risk Behavior	0	