

Public Notification of a Child Death, Serious Injury or Egregious Incident

Case Tracking Number: 100816DSP-PN-45

Date of Public Notification: 9/8/10

The Division of Safety and Permanence (DSP) has received notification that a child death, serious injury or egregious incident has occurred and maltreatment is suspected, or that a child placed in out-of-home care has died and suicide is suspected.

Date of Incident: 8/16/10

Incident Description:

A woman gave birth in a restaurant and disposed of the baby in the garbage outside of the restaurant. While seeking medical care reportedly for a miscarriage, it was learned that there was a child birth. The baby was found deceased in the trash bin. The mother has been charged with First Degree Reckless Homicide and Concealing the Death of a Child.

Child Information: Age: 0 Gender: Female Male
Age: _____ Gender: Female Male
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Child's Residence: In-home Out-of-home care placement by agency

Scope of DSP Review of Incident

- eWiSACWIS records review only
- Abbreviated review to gather more information about the case
- Full records and on-site review by DSP
- Other (describe):

Agencies cooperating with the DSP in the review at this time:

Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare

Additional Information (optional):

This family was unknown to the child welfare system prior to this report.