

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

Case Tracking Number: 100821DSP-PN-44

Date of Public Notification: 9/1/10

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: 8/21/10

Incident Description:

The child was taken to the hospital by his mother with injuries reportedly received from falling down the stairs. The child has a fractured tibia and petecchia around her eyes, cheeks and earlobes. The medical examination determined that the injuries did not match the explanation, and maltreatment is suspected. Mother's boyfriend confessed to choking and throwing the child.

Child Information: Age: 2 1/2 yrs 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:

Polk County Human Services Department

Additional Information (optional):