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

Case Tracking Number: 101002DSP-PN-53

Date of Public Notification: 10/7/10

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: 10/2/10

Incident Description:
The baby was taken to the hospital for seizure activity, and a CT scan detected an acute left side subdural hematoma. He was transferred to Children’s Hospital in Rochester, MN. Further examination and testing revealed healed rib fractures and two subdural hematomas, which physicians are treating as nonaccidental injuries. The child remains hospitalized.

Child Information:

Age: 2 months 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:
Trempealeau County Dept. of Human Services

Additional Information (optional):