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

Case Tracking Number: 101007DSP-PN-57

Date of Public Notification: 10/14/10

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: 10/7/10

Incident Description:
On October 12, 2010 the agency received a report that an autopsy on the deceased baby found her to have a healing skull fracture, which was determined not to have caused the child's death. Reportedly, the child died at the day care on October 7 and the autopsy found that the baby's death was not caused by trauma or abuse. Law enforcement is continuing its investigation into the child's death.

Child Information:
- Age: 2 months
- Gender: Female

Child’s Residence: In-home

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:
Dane County Department of Human Services

Additional Information (optional):
The family was not known to the child welfare system prior to this incident.