

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

Case Tracking Number: 101221DSP-PN-69

Date of Public Notification: 12/22/10

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: 12/21/10

Incident Description:

The child is hospitalized in critical condition with severe head injuries at Children's Hospital in Milwaukee. The child was home with the mother's significant other when she became injured. Reportedly, the mother's boyfriend found the child laying at the bottom of the stairs in the basement where he was taking care of the laundry. He reported that she was limp, her stomach was swollen and she had blood in her mouth. The boyfriend contacted his parents for assistance and then called 911. The reported incident does not seem to match the child's injuries and is under investigation by law enforcement.

Child Information: Age: 1 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:

Fond du Lac County Department of Social Services

Additional Information (optional):

Prior to this incident, the family was unknown to the child welfare system.