

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

Case Tracking Number: 110415DSP-Rock-98

Date of Public Notification: 4/19/11

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: 4/15/11

Incident Description:

The child was found deceased on a couch at a neighbor's home where the mother and her two children spent the evening. The neighbor found the child when she awoke, and the child's mother was not in the home. The mother is not able to recall any events from the prior evening. The cause of death is unknown.

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:

Rock County Human Services Department

Additional Information (optional):

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