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

Case Tracking Number: 110509DSP-Outag-107

Date of Public Notification: 5/11/11

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: 5/9/11

Incident Description:
A newborn baby was found alive behind a church wrapped in a wet towel with the umbilical cord still attached. The child was very cold, but there were no presenting or significant injuries. The baby was discovered by a person walking his dog, who called 911 for assistance. Local hospitals have been alerted that the mother may be seeking medical attention.

Child Information:
- Age: 1 day
- 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:
Outagamie County Dept. of Health and Human Services

Additional Information (optional):
No additional information is known about the child or family.