



Tennessee Department of Children's Services
Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline Summary

Intake

Intake ID: [REDACTED]
Intake Taken By: [REDACTED] Intake Date/Time: 05/13/2013 03:11 PM CT
Track Assigned: Investigation Priority Assigned: 1
Screened By: [REDACTED]
Date Screened: 05/13/2013

Investigation

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]
First County/Region: [REDACTED]
Date/Time Assigned : 05/14/2013 09:18 AM
First Team Leader Assigned: [REDACTED] Date/Time 05/13/2013 12:00 AM
First Case Manager [REDACTED] Date/Time 05/13/2013 12:00 AM

Allegations

Alleged Victim	Age	Allegation	Severe ?	Alleged Perpetrator	Relationship to Alleged Victim
[REDACTED]	13 Yrs	Psychological Harm	No	[REDACTED]	Grandmother
[REDACTED]	16 Yrs	Psychological Harm	No	[REDACTED]	Grandmother
[REDACTED]	15 Yrs	Neglect Death	Yes	[REDACTED]	Grandmother
[REDACTED]	8 Yrs	Psychological Harm	No	[REDACTED]	Grandmother

Referent(s)

Referent Name: [REDACTED] Role to Alleged Victim(s): [REDACTED]

Referent Address: [REDACTED]

Referent Phone Number: [REDACTED]

Type of Contact: I-3 Phone

Notification: Letter

Narrative: TFACTS: Yes - case id is [REDACTED]

Open Court Custody/FSS/FCIP: No
Closed Court Custody: Yes (12/16/10)

Prior INV/ASMT of Abuse: Yes (2)
Prior INV/ASMT of Neglect: Yes (6)
Prior INV/ASMT for both Abuse/Neglect: Yes (1)
Screen Outs: Yes (2 - # [REDACTED] and # [REDACTED])

Indicated: # [REDACTED] (SEE) 1/13/11 (perp: [REDACTED])
[REDACTED] (DEI) 2/4/05 (perp: [REDACTED])
[REDACTED] (ABD) 4/3/02 (perp: [REDACTED])



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[REDACTED] (ABD) 4/3/02 (perp: [REDACTED])
[REDACTED] (ABD) 4/3/02 (perp: [REDACTED])

DUPLICATE REFERRAL: No

County: [REDACTED] (Recon [REDACTED])

Notification: letter

School/ Daycare: [REDACTED] Elementary School, [REDACTED] Middle School and [REDACTED] High School

Native American Descent: Yes (tribe not provided)

Directions: none given

Reporters name/relationship [REDACTED]

Reporter states:

[REDACTED] (16), [REDACTED] (13), [REDACTED] (8), and [REDACTED] (15) live with their paternal grandparents [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. The biological mother is [REDACTED] and the biological father is [REDACTED]. The grandparents have had temporary legal custody of the children for about 3 years due to DCS and court involvement. The parents have completed parenting classes and counseling but the judge refused to return the children to their care because the parents lost their home.

[REDACTED] passed away on 05-09-13 at 10:12pm at [REDACTED] Hospital. [REDACTED] was seen at the doctor the Monday before she passed away regarding her having lupus. [REDACTED] also had diabetes, cerebral palsy, shingles, and nephrotic syndrome. After leaving the doctor on 03-06-13, [REDACTED] was coughing up blood and was complaining about her throat hurting and that she was out of breath. [REDACTED] had an appointment scheduled for 05-10-13 and [REDACTED] was told to inform her doctor as to what was going on. [REDACTED] was often out of breath and could not walk. [REDACTED] feet would swell up due to the buildup of liquid. [REDACTED] was taken to the hospital on 05-09-13 by [REDACTED] although she needed medical attention days before.

The children are afraid to talk about what goes on in the home because [REDACTED] threatens the children and curses at them.

After [REDACTED] death, [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] would try to hit [REDACTED] with bricks. The reporter was informed that [REDACTED] hit [REDACTED] in the mouth. The reporter was informed that [REDACTED] drug [REDACTED] down the street while it was raining and that [REDACTED] stated if I get wet Im going to beat your ass when I get back into the house. The reporter had always suspected abuse as there would be marks on the children and they would not say what happened. About a year and a half ago, [REDACTED] had a bruise on the side of her head. [REDACTED] has also been seen with scratches and a busted lip.

About two to three weeks ago, [REDACTED] was found laying in her own throw up. [REDACTED] stated She can get up. Shes old enough to do for herself. She just wants a pity party. [REDACTED] was cursing at [REDACTED] during this time and refused to wash the cover.

About two years ago, [REDACTED] inappropriately touched [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] was removed from the home for a week but sent back to the home. [REDACTED] did not believe [REDACTED]. Nothing was done regarding this and the case was closed. It was stated that it was [REDACTED] word against [REDACTED] word. The reporter is concerned that [REDACTED] might touch on [REDACTED] or the other children in the home. [REDACTED] is always drunk.

Concerns have been reported in the past. The children were never questioned. The case manger just spoke to the grandmother who lied about everything. The case manager was [REDACTED] and the reporter does not want her assigned to this case.



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The biological parents of the children are kept out of everything related to the children. This included [REDACTED] medical information and appointments. The reporter attempted to get [REDACTED] medical records but could not as [REDACTED] has custody of the children. On the day that [REDACTED] passed, [REDACTED] told the reporter that there was a lot more going on with [REDACTED] than what was being told. The reporter stated it was obviously enough concerns to call CPS. The reporter believes that someone by the name of [REDACTED] from DCS was called to the hospital.

The reporter wants the children removed from the home today. The reporter is concerned that the children in the home are at risk. The reporter would like for the case manager to talk to the children. [REDACTED] can tell what goes on the in home better than anybody. No special needs or disabilities are known. This is all the information that the reporter would like to add.

Per SDM: Investigative Track, P1 (Child Fatality)
[REDACTED], Interim TC, on 5/13/13 @ 4:58pm

Notified Fatality/Near Fatality Notification Group via Email:

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] replied at 5:21PM

Recon requested by [REDACTED] @ 6:44pm: This is a [REDACTED] Co. Case.

Recon was initially discussed @ 6:05pm and it was verified on usps.com that the address provided is [REDACTED] County. TL [REDACTED] was notified @ 6:15pm resubmitted to [REDACTED] County - [REDACTED], Team Leader @ 6:51pm on 05/13/13



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Participant(s)

Name: [REDACTED]

Gender: Female

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN: [REDACTED] Race: [REDACTED] Age: 13 Yrs

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:

Name: [REDACTED]

Gender: Female

Date of Birth [REDACTED]

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN: [REDACTED] Race: Black/African Age: 16 Yrs

Address: [REDACTED]

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:



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Name: [REDACTED]

Gender: Female

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN: [REDACTED] Race: [REDACTED] Age: 15 Yrs

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:

Name: [REDACTED]

Gender: Male

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN: [REDACTED] Race: [REDACTED] Age: 41 Yrs

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:



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Name: [REDACTED]

Gender: Female

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN: Race: Age: 8 Yrs

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:

Name: [REDACTED]

Gender: Female

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Participant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN: Race: Age: 50 Yrs

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: Yes

DCS Foster Child: No

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:



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Name: [REDACTED]

Gender: Male

Date of Birth:

Partipant ID: [REDACTED]

SSN:

Race:

Age:

Address:

Deceased Date:

School/ ChildCare Comments:

Alleged Perpetrator: No

DCS Foster Child: No

External History Search Results:

DCS History Search Results:

DCS Intake Search Results:



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Child Protective Service Investigation Summary
and Classification Decision of Child Abuse/Neglect Referral

A. Investigation

Case Name: [REDACTED]

Investigation ID: [REDACTED]

Referral Date: 05/13/2013

Assignment Date: 05/13/2013

Street Address: [REDACTED]

City/State/Zip: [REDACTED]

B. Allegation

#	Children's Name	DOB	Specific Allegation for Each Child	Alleged Perpetrator's Name	DOB	Classification	Severe Abuse	Classified By
		SSN			SSN			
1	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Neglect Death	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Allegation Unfounded / Perpetrator Unfounded	Yes	[REDACTED]
		[REDACTED]			[REDACTED]			05/17/2013
2	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Psychological Harm	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Allegation Unfounded / Perpetrator Unfounded	No	[REDACTED]
		[REDACTED]			[REDACTED]			05/17/2013
3	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Psychological Harm	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Allegation Unfounded / Perpetrator Unfounded	No	[REDACTED]
		[REDACTED]			[REDACTED]			05/17/2013
4	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Psychological Harm	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Allegation Unfounded / Perpetrator Unfounded	No	[REDACTED]
		[REDACTED]			[REDACTED]			05/17/2013

C. Disposition Decision

Disposition Decision: Refer for Other Services and Close

Comments: This case has been referred for other services (grief counseling) and submitted for closure at this time. There is no medical proof to support the allegations of neglect death and psychological harm against [REDACTED]. The cause of death for [REDACTED] was deemed to be cardiac arrest on 05/09/2013 at 11:07PM at [REDACTED] Hospital.

D. Case Workers

Case Worker: [REDACTED]

Date: 05/17/2013

Team Leader: [REDACTED]

Date: 05/20/2013

E. Investigation Summary

Instruction: Condense the finding rationale for each allegation relative to the child victim(s). Be sure to identify the facts that provided for the classification decision.

Summarize the key points and dates of the child or children's statements and/or the observation of the child or children's physical state or home environment:

On 05/31/2013, forensic interviews were completed on the children. CPSI [REDACTED] and Lt. [REDACTED] observed the forensic interview of the children on this date. [REDACTED] was the first child to be interviewed. [REDACTED] did not make any disclosure of any kind. Next, [REDACTED] had her forensic interview. [REDACTED] also did not make any new disclosure of abuse. [REDACTED] reported that she had been raped prior to this interview,



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but that she had already been for a forensic interview and that the allegation had already been investigated. The classification of allegation was AIPI for SEE against [REDACTED]. Lastly, [REDACTED] had her forensic interview at 1:05PM. [REDACTED] disclosed sexual abuse by her grandfather, [REDACTED], but that it had already been investigated and she had already had a FI on 07/21/11. The classification of the allegation was AUPU due to the child's previous forensic interview and her manipulative behaviors in the past. There were no disclosures of the paternal grandmother, [REDACTED], doing any act or neglect [REDACTED] to cause her death. The children did report that their grandmother had told them that they might be taken away from her and split up into different homes.

Summarize professional, medical or psychological findings or opinions: What is the collateral's oral or written finding/opinion of the incident(s)/allegation(s)?

On 05/31/2013, CPSI [REDACTED] and Lt. [REDACTED] observed the forensic interview of the children on this date. [REDACTED] was the first child to be interviewed. [REDACTED] did not make any disclosure of any kind. Next, [REDACTED] had her forensic interview. [REDACTED] also did not make any new disclosure of abuse [REDACTED] reported that she had been raped prior to this interview, but that she had already been for a forensic interview and that the allegation had already been investigated. The classification of allegation was AIPI for SEE against [REDACTED]. Lastly, [REDACTED] had her forensic interview at 1:05PM. [REDACTED] disclosed sexual abuse by her grandfather, [REDACTED], but that it had already been investigated and she had already had a FI on 07/21/11. The classification of the allegation was AUPU due to the child's previous forensic interview and her manipulative behaviors in the past. There were no disclosures of the paternal grandmother, [REDACTED], doing any act or neglect [REDACTED] to cause her death. The children did report that their grandmother had told them that they might be taken away from her and split up into different homes.

On 07/29/2013, CPSI [REDACTED] received the medical records requested from [REDACTED] Hospital on this date. The medical records reflected that [REDACTED] Cause of Death was Cardiac Arrest. The child was having multiple issues with her medical diagnoses at the time of death. The child's expiration date/time was 05/09/2013 at 11:07PM at [REDACTED] Hospital. The medical records were placed into the family case file for documentation purposes.

Summarize alleged perpetrator's statement or admission: What is the perpetrator's explanation of the incident(s)/allegation(s)?

On 05/14/2013, CPSA [REDACTED] spoke with [REDACTED] about the referral. [REDACTED] stated she love the children very much and will never hurt or harm them. [REDACTED] stated child fell getting off the bus on 5-8-13 around 3:45pm and [REDACTED] had to help her up. [REDACTED] asked child is she okay and child stated yes. [REDACTED] stated the next morning she asked child to get up and get ready for school. Child stated she didn't feel good and [REDACTED] gave her some medicine. [REDACTED] stated later that night around 9:00pm child was taken to [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] passed away on 5-9-13 at 10:12pm. [REDACTED] stated child had lupus, diabetes, cerebral palsy, shingles, and nephrotic syndrome.

Summarize witnesses' descriptions of what they saw and what they believe indicates child abuse/neglect:

[REDACTED] reported that he had to help the child get up from her fall off of the school bus, which does not substantiate the allegations.

Summarize any other evidence or factors that support the investigative finding(s) for the allegation(s) of abuse/neglect:



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There is extensive DCS history for this family. The children were removed from their mother and father due to drug use years ago. The parents were allowed to work services via FSS (in order to regain legal custody of their children), however, they have yet to fulfill the needs for the Court to allow the change of custody back to the mother and father.

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Case Recording Summary

Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 08/13/2013 Contact Method:
 Contact Time: 04:56 PM Contact Duration: Less than 05
 Entered By: [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: DCS Office Created Date: 08/13/2013
 Completed date: 08/13/2013 Completed By: [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being
 Contact Type(s): Case Summary
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/13/2013 04:59 PM Entered By: [REDACTED]

Case Summary:

This case has been prepared and submitted for closure at this time. The children are deemed to be safe in the home with [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] as of 08/01/2013. The birth parents of the children, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED], still have some reservations about their children being in the legal custody of [REDACTED]. The last court order from the previous FSS case states that both parents have supervised visits only until further changes from the Court. Both the parents and the grandparents of the children have been advised to not speak of adult (death of [REDACTED], money, legal custody matters) topics in front of the children. The children had forensic interviews, which were not substantial in nature to prove the allegation of Neglect Death against [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] medical records prove that the child was taken to the hospital prior to her passing and that her cause of death was cardiac arrest. No autopsy was completed on the child's body at the time of death. [REDACTED] did seek grief services for the other three children in the home, since the passing of their sister. No other services are needed at this time.



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Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 08/01/2013 Contact Method: Face To Face
 Contact Time: 04:30 PM Contact Duration: Less than 02 Hour
 Entered By: [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: Family Home Created Date: 08/02/2013
 Completed date: 08/12/2013 Completed By: [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being
 Contact Type(s): ACV Interview/Observation,Alleged Perpetrator Interview,Parent/Caretaker Interview
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

[REDACTED]; [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]

Participant(s)

[REDACTED]; [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/12/2013 09:09 AM Entered By: [REDACTED]

CPSI [REDACTED] and CPSI [REDACTED] made a home visit at [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] to follow up on the investigation with the family/children on this date.

CPSI [REDACTED], CPSI [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] were present during these visits.

In order to engage the family, CPSI [REDACTED] explained the current report made to the Tennessee Department of Children's Services and the MRS/Assessment process. CPSI [REDACTED] also provided the family with a brochure describing the Multiple Response Approach. CPSI [REDACTED] explained all forms and engaged the family during the paperwork process. The custodian signed the Clients Rights Handbook Signature Page, Native American Heritage Veto Verification, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Acknowledgement form, Notice of Equal Access to Programs and Services, and the Release of Information. CPSI [REDACTED] obtained signed acknowledgements of such and copies have been placed into the file.

***Section I: Interview/Observation of ACV**

CPSI [REDACTED] met with [REDACTED] (age 8) was the first to be interviewed in the living room of the residence. [REDACTED] appeared to be a very social young lady who was excited to be starting school back (05Aug2013). [REDACTED] did report that she will be going into the 3rd grade at [REDACTED] Elementary School and expressed concern that she was a grade behind. [REDACTED] reported that everything was looking good at home and that she had fun spending time with her Grandmother and Auntie for a few weekends this summer. When asked about how the visitations were going with both her mother and father, [REDACTED] reported that everything was going really well. [REDACTED] father was at the house upon our arrival but she had not seen her mother since she came to visit on both Monday and Tuesday. [REDACTED] did seem a little upset when she mentioned that her dad has no problem coming in the house to visit but her mother will not come inside the home. When asked if [REDACTED] had been to the doctor she did state that she went on July 8th for a physical and went to the dentist but could not remember when that was. The dentist did tell her and her Grandparents that she had cavities on her teeth. [REDACTED] is currently not seeing any professional care services.



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Organization: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (age 10) was our second interview. We did interview [REDACTED] in the living room of the residence. When asked how her summer was going [REDACTED] stated that it was going alright and she just went to the [REDACTED] Back to School Fair. [REDACTED] even reported that at the fair the workers needed help and she volunteered her efforts to better assist the factuality at the event. When asked if she was excited for school she stated that she was not excited because she liked the summer and having a lot of free time. When asked about the visitation with her parents and how things were going she did let us know that she had not seen mom and dad (excluded that day) since [REDACTED] (28 July 2013). She did report that both mother and father normally do come together but expressed her feelings that she wished the visitations could be longer than just a few hours at a time. [REDACTED] did inform us that like her sister she went to the doctors office for a physical on 08 July 2013 and everything was okay except for her vision which was 20/40. The doctor did give her some glasses but she does not like them because after a while they give her headaches. [REDACTED] was asked about going to classes to help her cope with her sisters passing and she informed us that she is not going to classes anymore but did go to a few classes to help her deal with her anger. [REDACTED] reported that the best way she has found to deal with her anger is to just not say anything and excuse herself from the situation.

[REDACTED] (age 13) was the third interview but she was visiting a relative at [REDACTED]. Upon arriving at the residence where [REDACTED] was located the child appeared to be very happy and social. [REDACTED] reported that she is going into the 7th grade at [REDACTED] Junior High School and was going to go school shopping on 02 August 2013 in [REDACTED]. When asked about how the visitations were going with her mother and father she did state she had just seen them the past Monday (29 July 2013) but they and the grandparents are constantly arguing especially when her mother comes to visit, which is once a week. [REDACTED] did report that her grandmother is always talking about my mom in front of me and that it does bother her. [REDACTED] does like living with grandparents but is upset they argue a lot. When asked what she likes best about living with her grandparents she stated that her cousin [REDACTED] comes to visit as well as her boyfriend. We asked if she had been to the doctor and [REDACTED] stated she went to the doctor on Monday (29 July 2013) for a shot for her allergies and her physical. [REDACTED] has been visiting the [REDACTED] Center in [REDACTED] and the month of August is her last month for counseling in regards to the death of her sister [REDACTED].

*Section II and III: Interview with the grandparents in the living room.

CPSI [REDACTED] interviewed the grandparents, [REDACTED].

When the grandmother was asked how things were going with both children she did express concern that after visitation with the mother and father the children seem to act out for the next 2 to 3 days until she can get them to act normal again. She did express concern over the household finances and the difficulty they are having trying to provide what they can for the kids. When asked about the cars out front the grandmother said the cars belonged to the girls father and she wished him and the mother would just come and get the cars along with the rest of their belongings that are on the back porch. The grandfather did state that all of the belongings on the back porch are ruined because they refused to cover them properly after not coming to pick it up after a days like they had promised. Grandmother did report that she just wished that the parents would get their act together and stop blaming her for the death of [REDACTED]. She reported that the mother and father are continuously saying that she is to blame, it is their fault, and that she killed their child.

The grandparents were informed of the Child Only Grant that the state provides to help better assist with their finances.

*Section III: Above

*Section IV: None

Section V: CPSI observed: [REDACTED] was observed to be hyperactive at the interview. [REDACTED] was very quiet at the interview. [REDACTED] was very forthcoming with information at the interview. Upon arriving at the residence CPSI [REDACTED] and CPSI [REDACTED] noticed that there were several abandoned vehicles located throughout the yard. The house structure did appear stable.

*Required: Section VI: Next Steps: CPSI [REDACTED] will submit this case for closure.

*Section VII: None



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Strengths:

Needs:

Action Steps:

Decisions:

Section VIII: IPA: None



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Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	[REDACTED]	Status:	Completed
Contact Date:	07/29/2013	Contact Method:	Correspondence
Contact Time:	12:30 PM	Contact Duration:	Less than 05
Entered By:	[REDACTED]	Recorded For:	
Location:	DCS Office	Created Date:	08/12/2013
Completed date:	08/12/2013	Completed By:	[REDACTED]
Purpose(s):	Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Collateral Contact		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning**Participant(s)**

[REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 08/12/2013 02:35 PM Entered By: [REDACTED]

Purpose: Medical Records received via Mail

CPSI [REDACTED] received the medical records requested from [REDACTED] Hospital on this date. The medical records reflected that [REDACTED] Cause of Death was Cardiac Arrest. The child was having multiple issues with her medical daignoses at the time of death. The child's expiration date/time was 05/09/2013 at 11:07PM at [REDACTED] Hospital. The medical records were placed into the family case file for documentation purposes.

Next Steps: CPSI [REDACTED] will prepare the case for closure and complete a follow up face to face with the other three children prior to closure.



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Organization: [REDACTED]

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Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 06/14/2013

Contact Method: Face To Face

Contact Time: 05:00 PM

Contact Duration: Less than 02 Hour

Entered By: [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: DCS Office

Created Date: 06/26/2013

Completed date: 06/26/2013

Completed By: [REDACTED]

Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being

Contact Type(s): Parent/Caretaker Interview

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 06/26/2013 10:48 AM Entered By: [REDACTED]

Purpose: Walk-in interview/meeting with birth mother of the children, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] walked into the [REDACTED] CAC to speak with CPSI [REDACTED] on this date. [REDACTED] reported that she had concerns about the death of her child, [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] reported that she "blames" [REDACTED] for the lack of proper health care close to the end of her child's life on 05/09/2013. [REDACTED] reported that she had just come from the [REDACTED] Clerk's Office, where she requested the latest court order that allegedly states that "she and [REDACTED] currently have unsupervised visitation with their children." [REDACTED] did not have the latest court order with the specified "unsupervised visitation for her and [REDACTED]." CPSI [REDACTED] stated that she had staffed this case with TL [REDACTED] (who also spoke with [REDACTED] on 06/10/2013- walk-in meeting) and that he advised CPSI [REDACTED] that i [REDACTED] produces the court order that specifies "unsupervised visitation" that a change will be made in the current visitation with the children (supervised as listed on the last Court order dated March 2008.) CPSI [REDACTED] thanked [REDACTED] for her concerns and CPSI [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] that she is currently waiting on the medical records from [REDACTED] Hospital to determine the Cause of Death for [REDACTED].

Next Steps: CPSI [REDACTED] will monitor mental health services for the ACV's and obtain the medical records for [REDACTED].



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Case Recording Summary

Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 05/31/2013 Contact Method: Face To Face
 Contact Time: 11:30 AM Contact Duration: Less than 03 Hour
 Entered By: [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: Other Community Site Created Date: 06/04/2013
 Completed date: 06/04/2013 Completed By: [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being
 Contact Type(s): ACV Interview/Observation,Alleged Perpetrator Interview
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

[REDACTED]; [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]

Participant(s)

[REDACTED]; [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 06/04/2013 09:05 AM Entered By: [REDACTED]

Purpose: Forensic interview for the ACVs

CPSI [REDACTED] and Lt. [REDACTED] observed the forensic interview of the children on this date. [REDACTED] was the first child to be interviewed. [REDACTED] did not make any disclosure of any kind. Next, [REDACTED] had her forensic interview. [REDACTED] also did not make any new disclosure of abuse [REDACTED] reported that she had been raped prior to this interview, but that she had already been for a forensic interview and that the allegation had already been investigated. The classification of allegation was AIPI for SEE against [REDACTED]. Lastly, [REDACTED] had her forensic interview at 1:05PM. [REDACTED] disclosed sexual abuse by her grandfather, [REDACTED], but that it had already been investigated and she had already had a FI on 07/21/11. The classification of the allegation was AUPU due to the child's previous forensic interview and her manipulative behaviors in the past. There were no disclosures of the paternal grandmother [REDACTED], doing any act or neglect [REDACTED] to cause her death. The children did report that their grandmother had told them that they might be taken away from her and split up into different homes.

CPSI [REDACTED] staffed the FI disclosures with TL [REDACTED] and they decided to have a discussion with the legal custodians regarding the findings of the interviews. CPSI [REDACTED] and TL [REDACTED] advised the [REDACTED] that the children should not be subjected to adult conversations in the home or around their parents [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] agreed to keep their adult conversations about the death of [REDACTED] and thoughts about the children's parents between themselves and not in front of the children. Discussion about the counseling sessions was also initiated by CPSI [REDACTED] and TL [REDACTED] and the legal custodians reported that they had already taken the children for their initial appts. CPSI [REDACTED] advised the legal custodians that she would have to obtain the medical records from the mental health facility prior to submitting the case for closure.

Next Steps: CPSI [REDACTED] will obtain the medical records for all four children prior to submitting this case for closure.



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Case Recording Summary

Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 05/29/2013

Contact Method:

Contact Time: 03:25 PM

Contact Duration: Less than 05

Entered By: [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location:

Created Date: 05/29/2013

Completed date: 05/29/2013

Completed By: [REDACTED]

Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being

Contact Type(s): Administrative Review

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)****Narrative Details**

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/29/2013 03:26 PM Entered By: [REDACTED]

Compliance is being checked and case deficits acknowledged based on when the review was conducted.



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Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 05/23/2013 Contact Method: Face To Face
 Contact Time: 11:00 AM Contact Duration: Less than 02 Hour
 Entered By: [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: Other Community Site Created Date: 05/28/2013
 Completed date: 05/28/2013 Completed By: [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being
 Contact Type(s): ACV Interview/Observation,Alleged Perpetrator Interview
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

[REDACTED]; [REDACTED]

Participant(s)

[REDACTED]; [REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/28/2013 11:47 AM Entered By: [REDACTED]

Follow up interview with [REDACTED] at the [REDACTED] CAC

CPSI [REDACTED] made phone contact on this date to set up a time/location for a follow up visit with the family. [REDACTED] reported that she, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were in town currently and that they would meet with CPSI [REDACTED] at 11AM today.

At 11AM, [REDACTED] and the two children met with CPSI [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] asked the girls to stay in the playroom at the [REDACTED] CAC while [REDACTED] and CPSI [REDACTED] talked. [REDACTED] came into CPSI [REDACTED] office to complete the intake case file documents.

In order to engage the family, CPSI [REDACTED] explained the current report made to the Tennessee Department of Children's Services and the MRS/Assessment process. CPSI [REDACTED] also provided the family with a brochure describing the Multiple Response Approach. CPSI [REDACTED] explained all forms and engaged the family during the paperwork process. The custodian signed the Clients Rights Handbook Signature Page, Native American Heritage Veto Verification, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Acknowledgement form, Notice of Equal Access to Programs and Services, and the Release of Information. CPSI [REDACTED] obtained signed acknowledgements of such and copies have been placed into the file.

*Section IV: Interview with [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] reported that she had gained legal custody of the four children due to past DCS involvement with the mother/father of the children. [REDACTED] reported that the birth mother and father had some drug issues in the past, which involved crack cocaine as their drug of choice. [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] was instructed by the court to have a home, be sober and have employment for two years and then she would be considered for reunification with her children. [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] had multiple physical ailments: Nephrotic Syndrome, Lupus, Diabetes Mellitus, Cerebral Palsy and Shingles. [REDACTED] also reported that [REDACTED] was considered cognitively impaired and had a diagnosis of ADHD. [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] was diagnosed with diabetes on 05/06/2013. [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] had fell getting off of the school bus on 05/08/2013 due to her "losing her footing." [REDACTED] reported that she was not at the family home at the time



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Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

when [REDACTED] fell off of the school bus [REDACTED] reported that her husband was at the home at the time of the fall and that he came to her and helped her to get up on her feet. [REDACTED] reported that in March of this year, [REDACTED] had been to the ER in [REDACTED] for being heavily constipated; [REDACTED] for a CT Scan; she had a surgery to check her lymph nodes on 03/12/2013 and a check up from the surgery on 03/14/2013; another CT Scan at [REDACTED] Hospital on 03/15/2013. After the CT Scan on 03/15/2013, [REDACTED] was hospitalized for 11 days (until 03/26/2013). [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] had told her that she had a life insurance policy on her four children, but once [REDACTED] passed away, there was no policy found. [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] took the following medications every day: Multi-vitamin, water pill, high blood pressure, Vitamin D, Calcium and ADHD medication. [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] had been diagnosed with diabetes at [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] Primary Care Physician is [REDACTED] in [REDACTED].

CPS [REDACTED] informed [REDACTED] that forensic interviews would need to be completed in this investigation for the other three children in the home. [REDACTED] agreed to allow the interviews to take place. CPSI [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] that the three girls would also need a mental health evaluation in the near future to help with the grieving process. [REDACTED] advised CPSI [REDACTED] that she had already had the children enrolled at [REDACTED] for mental health help. [REDACTED] reported that she had previously made a family grief counseling session for May 28, 2013 at 10AM. CPSI [REDACTED] ensured that the authorization of releases of information were completed on all of the children, in order to request medial records, if necessary.

CPSI [REDACTED] ended the interview process with [REDACTED] and met with the girls in the playroom of the [REDACTED] CAC. Photos of the children's faces were taken for the case file documentation purposes. Both children did not appear to be in any stress and agreed to come and complete an interview at the CAC in the future. The children were well-groomed and appeared to be healthy.

Next Steps: CPSI [REDACTED] will complete the forensic interviews on 05/31/2013 at 11AM, 12PM, and 1PM.



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Case Status:	Close	Organization:	████████████████████

Case Recording Details

Recording ID:	██████████	Status:	System Completed
Contact Date:	05/13/2013	Contact Method:	
Contact Time:	10:00 PM	Contact Duration:	Less than 05
Entered By:	████████████████████	Recorded For:	
Location:	Family Home	Created Date:	05/17/2013
Completed date:	06/13/2013	Completed By:	System Completed
Purpose(s):	Well Being		
Contact Type(s):	Initial ACV Face To Face		
Contact Sub Type:			

Children Concerning

██████████; ██████████; ██████████; ██████████

Participant(s)

██████████

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: Entered By:



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Case Recording Summary

Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED] Status: Completed
 Contact Date: 05/13/2013 Contact Method:
 Contact Time: 03:11 PM Contact Duration: Less than 05
 Entered By: [REDACTED] Recorded For:
 Location: DCS Office Created Date: 06/04/2013
 Completed date: 06/04/2013 Completed By: [REDACTED]
 Purpose(s): Permanency,Safety - Child/Community,Service Planning,Well Being
 Contact Type(s): Case Summary
 Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning**Participant(s)**

[REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 06/04/2013 08:43 AM Entered By: [REDACTED]

Case Summary:

On 05/13/2013, a P-1 referral was called into Central Intake. The referral was screened into [REDACTED] County with an allegation of Psychological Harm and Neglect Death against [REDACTED] (Legal Custodian/ Paternal Grandmother to ACV). The alleged child victims are [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. The referral was assessed and assigned by TL [REDACTED] to CPSI [REDACTED]. Response is due on 05/14/2013 at 03:11 p.m. CST. It is unknown at this time if the child is of Native American descent. The referent letter was mailed on 05/20/2013. Juvenile Court and the District Attorney are notified of referrals and classification on a monthly basis per local protocol and policy.

Next Steps: The response time will be met by 05/14/2013 at 03:11 PM CST.



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Case Recording Summary

Case Id: [REDACTED]

Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

Case Recording Details

Recording ID: [REDACTED]

Status: Completed

Contact Date: 05/13/2013

Contact Method: Face To Face

Contact Time: 08:00 AM

Contact Duration: Less than 30

Entered By: [REDACTED]

Recorded For:

Location: Family Home

Created Date: 05/17/2013

Completed date: 05/17/2013

Completed By: [REDACTED]

Purpose(s): Well Being

Contact Type(s): Initial ACV Face To Face

Contact Sub Type:

Children Concerning

[REDACTED]; [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]

Participant(s)

[REDACTED]

Narrative Details

Narrative Type: Original Entry Date/Time: 05/17/2013 09:27 AM Entered By: [REDACTED]

- Home visit face to face

- Present for the were: [REDACTED] - grandmother, [REDACTED] - child, [REDACTED] - child, [REDACTED] - child, and [REDACTED] - case manager.

- Interview with children- Case manager asked [REDACTED] is it okay for case manager to come into her home. [REDACTED] stated yes. Case manager asked the children how things are going. The children stated things are going well but it's hard because the death of there sister. Case manager asked the children do they need counseling to help them deal with the death of there sister. The children stated they are in counseling. Case manager asked the child do they feel safe living with there grandparents. The children stated yes but they would like to live with there mother. Case manager asked the children are there any concerns at this time. The children stated no.

- concerns of child- N/A

- children feelings in general about school and services- The children stated they are okay with school and services.

- discussion of case planning process in age-appropriate manner- Case manager stated to the children to be strong and very supportive of each other.

- Interview with the mother- N/A

- Interview with dad- N/A

- Interview with other children in the household- Case manager spoke with [REDACTED] about the referral. [REDACTED] stated she love the children very much and will never hurt or harm them. [REDACTED] stated child fell getting off the bus on 5-8-13 around 3:45pm and [REDACTED] had to help her up. [REDACTED] asked child is she okay and child stated yes. [REDACTED] stated the next morning she asked child to get up and get ready for school. Child stated she didn't feel good and [REDACTED] gave her some medicine. [REDACTED] stated later that night around 9:00pm child was taken to [REDACTED] Hospital. [REDACTED] passed away on 5-9-13 at 10:12pm. [REDACTED] stated child had lupus, diabetes, cerebral palsy, shingles, and nephrotic syndrome.

- Interaction with children and grandmother- The children interacted very well with grandmother during the visit.

- Interaction with children and case manager- The children interacted very well with case manager during the visit.



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Case Name: [REDACTED]

Case Status: Close

Organization: [REDACTED]

-Observation and presentation- The children was very respectful neat, and clean during the visit. The children did not have any bruises or injuries during the visit.



Notice of Child Fatality/Near Fatality

Investigation #:	[REDACTED]	Date of Notification:	5/13/13	Date of Death/ Incident:	5-9-13
Type: (Please check one)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAT ALITY		<input type="checkbox"/> NEAR FATALITY		
Child Name:	[REDACTED]	DOB:	[REDACTED]	TFACTS #	[REDACTED]
Gender: Male:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Female:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Race/Ethnicity:	Black or A
County/Region:	[REDACTED]				
Parent's Name(s):	Mother:	[REDACTED]	Father:	[REDACTED]	
Was child in custody at time of incident?	Yes:	<input type="checkbox"/>	No:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Adjudication:
If child is in DCS custody, list placement type and name:					
Describe (in detail) cause or circumstance regarding the death/injury: [REDACTED] passed away on 5-9-13 at 10:12pm and DCS received a referral on this case on 5-13-13. [REDACTED] was seen at the doctor Monday before she passed away regarding her lupus.					
Describe (in detail) interview with family: Case manager interviewed the children on 5-13-13. The children stated they are safe living with their grandmother but want to be with their mother, [REDACTED]. The children didn't disclose any abuse during the interview. The children did not have any bruises or injuries during the visit. Ms. [REDACTED] stated that the child, [REDACTED] fell getting off the bus on 5-8-13 around 3:45pm and Mr. [REDACTED] had to help her up. Mr. [REDACTED] asked child is she okay and child stated yes. Ms. [REDACTED] stated the next morning she asked child to get ready for school. Child stated she didn't feel good and Ms. [REDACTED] gave her some medicine to help with her pain. Ms. [REDACTED] stated later that night around 9:00pm child was taken to [REDACTED] Hospital, due to her swelling and she was hurting all over her body.. [REDACTED] passed away on 5-9-13 at 10:12pm a [REDACTED] Hospital. [REDACTED] was seen at the doctor Monday before she passed away regarding her having lupus. Ms. [REDACTED] stated child also had diabetes, cerebral palsy, shingles, and nephrotic syndrome.					
If child was hospitalized, describe (in detail) DCS involvement during hospitalization: N/A					
Describe disposition of body (Fatality): N /A					
Name of Medical Examiner or Coroner:	N/A		Was autopsy requested?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Did CPS open an investigation on this Fatality/Near Fatality?	Open <input type="checkbox"/>	Clo	sed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Was there an open investigation at the time of Fatality/Near Fatality?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
If so, describe (in detail) law enforcement or court involvement:					
Alleged perpetrator and relationship to child:	Paternal Grandmother				
Describe (in detail) action taken to ensure safety of other children (list names and ages of children) and or victim (Near Fatality) (attach safety plan, if applicable):					
Prior DCS involvement, include dates, findings, and/or adjudications:					

Check the "Forms" Webpage for the current version and disregard previous versions. This form may not be altered without prior approval.

[REDACTED]
 07/12/2011 [REDACTED]
 Investigation AUPU
 [REDACTED]
 10/26/2010 [REDACTED]
 Investigation AUPU
 [REDACTED]
 09/23/2010 [REDACTED]
 Assessment AUPU
 [REDACTED]
 02/01/2010 [REDACTED]
 Assessment Service Recommended and Accepted
 [REDACTED]
 05/23/2007 [REDACTED]
 Investigation AUPU
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 01/27/2005 [REDACTED]
 Investigation AUPU
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 Investigation AIPI
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 10/09/2001 [REDACTED]
 Investigation AUPU

Has there been any media inquiry or is attention expected?

Yes No

Contact Person/Phone Number(s) (include CM, TL, and TC):

[REDACTED] (CM3)

ATTACH a copy of the TFACTS Incident Report or Form CS-0496, Serious Incident Report to this notice if TFACTS is inoperable:

Yes No

FAX TO OFFICE OF CHILD SAFETY @ [REDACTED]