

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

Case Tracking Number: 110121DSP-Milw-75

Date of Public Notification: 1/24/11

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: 1/21/11

Incident Description:

The agency received a report on 1/21/11 about a comatose child with a large, left side hematoma to her head. The father explained that the child was asleep on the bed when he went to take a shower, and he returned to find her unresponsive. The hospital characterized the child's injury to her head as suspicious. The child remains comatose, and the father has been arrested.

Child Information: Age: 1 ½ 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:

Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare

Additional Information (optional):

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