

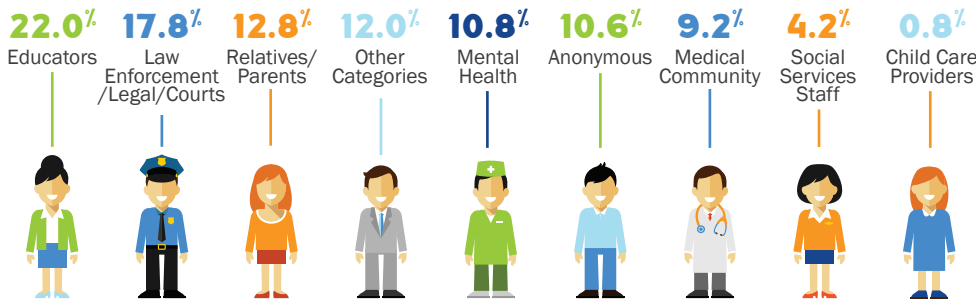
REPORTS IN VIRGINIA

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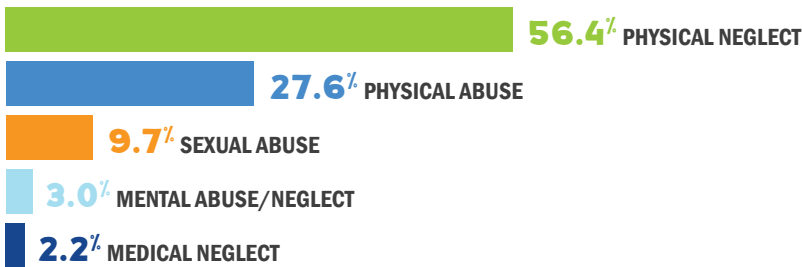
children were reported as possible victims of abuse or neglect in Virginia during State Fiscal Year 2018

They were participants in **36,857** completed reports that were accepted by Virginia's city and county departments of social services. There were **1,954** reports of substance-exposed newborns.

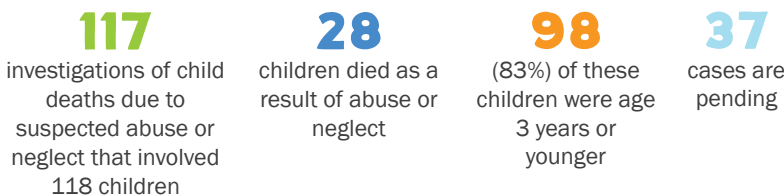
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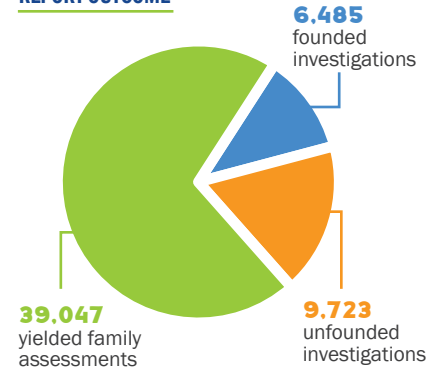
TYPES OF MALTREATMENT IN FOUNDED INVESTIGATIONS



DEATHS as of 10/30/2018



REPORT OUTCOME

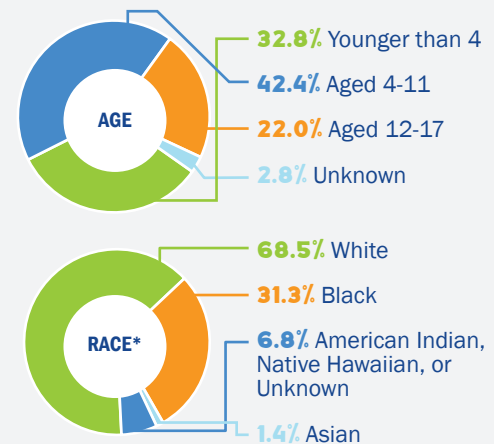


"Founded" means that a review of the facts gathered during an investigation met the "preponderance of the evidence" standard.

"Unfounded" means that a review of the facts gathered during an investigation did not meet the "preponderance of the evidence" standard.

Yielding family assessments means that Family Services Specialists engaged these families through the process of assessing their strengths and needs and developing and operationalizing a safety plan with each, as well as by ensuring the provision of supportive services, as appropriate.

DEMOGRAPHICS OF VICTIMS



*This category allows for multiple responses per child and thus may exceed 100%.

CHILD FATALITIES SFY 2014 - SFY 2018¹

| Fiscal Year | Founded Fatalities | Unfounded Fatalities | Other (pending or approved) | Total |
|-------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-------|
| 2018 | 28 | 53 | 37 | 118 |
| 2017 | 47* | 71* | 5* | 123* |
| 2016 | 46 | 80 | 3 | 129 |
| 2015 | 52 | 74 | 5 | 131 |
| 2014 | 47 | 74 | 3 | 124 |

COMPLETED REPORTS SFY 2014 - SFY 2018

| Fiscal Year | Founded Investigations | Unfounded Investigations | Family Assessments | Total Completed CPS Reports |
|-------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2018 | 4,154 | 6,836 | 25,867 | 36,857 |
| 2017 | 4,230 | 6,817 | 25,847 | 36,894 |
| 2016 | 4,113 | 6,482 | 23,282 | 33,877 |
| 2015 | 4,173 | 6,733 | 22,114 | 33,020 |
| 2014 | 4,312 | 6,728 | 21,867 | 32,907 |

CHILDREN IN COMPLETED REPORTS SFY 2014 - SFY 2018

| Fiscal Year | Founded | Unfounded | Family Assessments | Total |
|-------------|---------|-----------|--------------------|--------|
| 2018 | 6,485 | 9,723 | 39,047 | 55,255 |
| 2017 | 6,947 | 9,796 | 38,515 | 55,258 |
| 2016 | 6,459 | 9,255 | 35,613 | 51,327 |
| 2015 | 6,592 | 9,467 | 33,809 | 49,868 |
| 2014 | 6,792 | 9,608 | 33,736 | 50,136 |

AGES OF CHILDREN IN FOUNDED INVESTIGATIONS SFY 2014 - SFY 2018

| Fiscal Year | Younger than 4 years of age | Ages 4 to 11 | Ages 12 to 17 | Unknown |
|-------------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------|
| 2018 | 33% | 42% | 22% | 3% |
| 2017 | 32% | 42% | 22% | 4% |
| 2016 | 34% | 43% | 21% | 3% |
| 2015 | 32% | 43% | 21% | 4% |
| 2014 | 30% | 43% | 22% | 5% |

¹Data collected from Local Departments of Social Services as of 10-30-2018; *previous years updated.