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Case Number	Categorization	Family Characteristics	Family Characteristics Comments	Panel Determination	Other Qualifiers
F-024-24-C	Neglect; SUDI/near-SUDI/apparent life-threatening event	Bystander issues/opportunities; Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Domestic Violence; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Housing instability; In-Home Service Provider Issues; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Medical neglect; Mental health issues (caregiver); Out of State CPS History; Overwhelmed Caregiver; Serial relationships; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Unsafe sleep (bed sharing); Other	Lack of transportation.	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (unsafe sleep)	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
F-029-24-C	Neglect; Other	DCBS history; DCBS issues; Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); Substitute caregiver at time of event ; Supervisional neglect; Financial issues; Unsafe sleep (cosleeping on a non-bed surface); Other	Rock n Play used for child was recalled almost 4 years prior	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (unsafe sleep); Supervisory neglect	Potentially preventable; Apparently accidental

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F-030-24-C	Neglect; SUDI/near-SUDI/apparent life-threatening event	Bystander issues/opportunities; Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Financial issues; Impaired caregiver; MAT involvement; Mental health issues (caregiver); Overwhelmed Caregiver; Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Substance abuse (in home); Supervisional neglect; Unsafe sleep (bed sharing); Medical issues/management; Medically fragile child; Coroner issues; Statutory Issues		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (impaired caregiver); Neglect (unsafe sleep); Supervisory neglect	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable

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F-033-24-C	Natural causes/medical diagnosis; Neglect; SUDI/near-SUDI/apparent life-threatening event	Bystander issues/opportunities; DCBS history; DCBS issues; Environmental neglect; Evidence of poor bonding; Financial issues; Housing instability; Lack of family support system ; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Medically fragile child; Mental health issues (caregiver); Other; Overwhelmed Caregiver; Serial relationships; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Supervisional neglect; Unsafe sleep (other); Statutory Issues; Coroner issues	Transportation issues	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (unsafe sleep)	Potentially preventable

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F-037-24-C	Burn; Neglect; Smoke inhalation/fire	Bystander issues/opportunities; Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; Domestic Violence; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Impaired caregiver; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); MAT involvement; Mental health issues (caregiver); Serial relationships; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Supervisional neglect; Unsafe sleep (cosleeping on a non-bed surface); DCBS issues; Coroner issues; Family violence; Medically fragile child; Neglectful entrustment; Statutory Issues		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (impaired caregiver); Supervisory neglect	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable

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F-038-24-C	Burn; Neglect; Smoke inhalation/fire	Bystander issues/opportunities; Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS issues; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Impaired caregiver; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); DCBS history; Domestic Violence; Family violence; MAT involvement; Mental health issues (caregiver); Overwhelmed Caregiver; Serial relationships; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Supervisional neglect; Unsafe sleep (cosleeping on a non-bed surface); Coroner issues; Medically fragile child; Neglectful entrustment; Statutory Issues		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (impaired caregiver); Supervisory neglect	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable

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NF-030-24-C	Abusive head trauma; Neglect; Physical abuse; Overdose/ingestion	Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS issues; DCBS history; Domestic Violence; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Medical neglect; Mental health issues (caregiver); Neglectful entrustment; Overwhelmed Caregiver; Supervisional neglect; Serial relationships; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Housing instability; Law enforcement issues		Abusive head trauma; Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (medical); Physical abuse; Supervisory neglect	Potentially preventable
NF-033-24-C	Neglect; Abusive head trauma; Physical abuse	DCBS issues; Criminal history (caregiver); Lack of regular child care; Mental health issues (caregiver); Neglectful entrustment; Out of State CPS History; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Substitute caregiver at time of event ; Financial issues; Bystander issues/opportunities; DCBS history; Domestic Violence; Medical issues/management		Abusive head trauma; Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Physical abuse	Potentially preventable; Apparently accidental

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NF-045-24-C	Abusive head trauma; Neglect; Physical abuse	Bystander issues/opportunities; Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; Impaired caregiver; Language/cultural issues; Medical neglect; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Supervisional neglect; Financial issues; Judicial process issues		Abusive head trauma; Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (impaired caregiver); Neglect (medical); Physical abuse; Supervisory neglect	Potentially preventable
NF-047-24-C	Blunt force trauma - not inflicted (farm machinery, ATV, fall); Neglect	Commonwealth/County Attorneys; DCBS history; DCBS issues; Impaired caregiver; Law enforcement issues; Mental health issues (caregiver); Mental health issues (child); Supervisional neglect; Domestic Violence; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current)		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (impaired caregiver)	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-049-24-C	Abusive head trauma; Physical abuse; Neglect	DCBS history; DCBS issues; Medical neglect; Substitute caregiver at time of event ; Other	Additional daycare concerns were not addressed. It appears the PPS report was not reviewed by OIG during the	Abusive head trauma; Neglect (medical); Physical abuse	Potentially preventable

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NF-052-24-NC	Abusive head trauma; Physical abuse; Overdose/ingestion; Neglect	Cognitive disability (caregiver); Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS issues; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Serial relationships; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Unsafe access to deadly means; Bystander issues/opportunities		Abusive head trauma; Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means; Physical abuse	Potentially preventable

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NF-060-24-C	Neglect; Other; Sexual abuse/human trafficking	Bystander issues/opportunities; Cognitive disability (child); Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Domestic Violence; Education/child care issues; Environmental neglect; Evidence of poor bonding; Financial issues; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Mental health issues (caregiver); Other; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Supervisional neglect; Medical issues/management; Impaired caregiver	NUtritional neglect	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (impaired caregiver); Neglect (medical); Sexual abuse	Potentially preventable

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NF-064-24-C	Neglect; Other	Cognitive disability (caregiver); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Financial issues; Housing instability; In-Home Service Provider Issues; Lack of family support system ; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Mental health issues (caregiver); Other; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Supervisional neglect	Malnutrition	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (medical); Other; Supervisory neglect	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-067-24-NC	Abusive head trauma; Neglect; Physical abuse	Bystander issues/opportunities; DCBS history; DCBS issues; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Education/child care issues; Law enforcement issues; Medical neglect		Abusive head trauma; Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (medical); Physical abuse	Potentially preventable

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NF-070-24-C	Neglect	DCBS issues; Education/child care issues; Financial issues; Lack of family support system ; Other; Medical issues/management; Medical neglect; Mental health issues (child); Supervisional neglect	Lack of transportation	Neglect (medical); Supervisory neglect	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-076-24-C	Neglect; Overdose/ingestion	Commonwealth/County Attorneys; Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Domestic Violence; Education/child care issues; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Housing instability; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Law enforcement issues; Serial relationships; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Unsafe access to deadly means; Other; Mental health issues (child)	Lack of transportation; Mental health (sibling)	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable

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NF-078-24-NC	Neglect; Overdose/ingestion	DCBS issues; Environmental neglect; Impaired caregiver; Medical issues/management; Medical neglect; Mental health issues (caregiver); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Supervisional neglect; Unsafe access to deadly means; Substance abuse (in home); Financial issues		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (impaired caregiver); Neglect (medical); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means; Supervisory neglect	Potentially preventable; Apparently accidental
NF-090-24-NC	Neglect; Overdose/ingestion	Environmental neglect; Supervisional neglect; Unsafe access to deadly means; Mental health issues (caregiver); Mental health issues (child)		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means; Supervisory neglect	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-102-24-NC	Drowning/near-drowning; Neglect	DCBS issues; Law enforcement issues; Medical issues/management; Supervisional neglect		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means; Supervisory neglect	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable

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NF-128-24-NC	Neglect; Overdose/ingestion	Environmental neglect; Supervisional neglect; Unsafe access to deadly means; Mental health issues (caregiver)		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means; Supervisory neglect	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable