

Child Fatality and Near Fatality External Review Panel
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Case Number	Family Characteristics	Categorization	Categorization Comments	Other Qualifiers	Panel Determination	Missed Opportunities	Case Notes
F-006-16-C	DCBS history; Impaired caregiver; Serial relationships; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Unsafe sleep (cosleeping on a non-bed surface); Neglectful entrustment; Medical issues/management;Criminal history (caregiver);Criminal history (in the home); Law enforcement issues	SUDI/near-SUDI/apparent life-threatening event		Potentially preventable; Apparently accidental	Neglect (impaired caregiver); Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver);Neglect (unsafe sleep)		
F-025-16-C	Law enforcement issues	Traumatic asphyxia		Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable	No abuse or neglect	LE should have made further attempts to contact DCBS.	
F-026-16-C	DCBS history; DCBS issues; Unsafe sleep (other); Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Medical issues/management	Physical abuse		Manner undetermined/foul play not ruled out	Neglect (medical); Neglect (unsafe sleep); Physical abuse	Medical examiner did not review birthing records to determine if the rib fractures were attributed to birth or physical abuse.	KSP will reach out to local SO for further investigation due to conflicting medical finding.
F-029-16-C	Criminal history (in the home); Criminal history (caregiver); DCBS history; Medically fragile child; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Unsafe sleep (bed sharing); Mental health issues (caregiver); DCBS issues	SUDI/near-SUDI/apparent life-threatening event		Potentially preventable; Apparently accidental	Neglect (unsafe sleep)	MAT's failure to release failed drug screens on parents.	
F-051-16-PH	Medically fragile child; Unsafe sleep (cosleeping on a non-bed surface)	Undetermined (cause of death or near-death event); SUDI/near-SUDI/apparent life-threatening event; Natural		Apparently accidental			
NF-029-16-C	Bystander issues/opportunities; Criminal history (caregiver); DCBS history; Medically fragile child; Lack of family support system ; Lack of regular child care; Medical issues/management; Substance abuse by caregiver (current)	Abusive head trauma; Physical abuse		Potentially preventable	Physical abuse; Abusive head trauma; Neglect (medical)		Medical neglect - Lack of seeking immediate care for the child and failure to give an accurate detail of events.
NF-030-16-C	Criminal history (caregiver); DCBS history; Substance abuse (child); Law enforcement issues; Mental health issues (child); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Other; Medical issues/management	Overdose/ingestion		Potentially preventable	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Supervisory neglect	Local law enforcement should have contacted KSP to pursue further charges outside their jurisdiction.	Maternal Uncle provided 15 yr old with heroin.

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NF-048-16-C	DCBS history; Family violence; Medically fragile child; Mental health issues (caregiver); Financial issues; Housing instability; Lack of family support system ; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Substance abuse (in home)	Abusive head trauma		Potentially preventable	Abusive head trauma	
NF-053-16-NC	Bystander issues/opportunities; Cognitive disability (caregiver); Failure to thrive; Financial issues; Medical neglect	Failure to thrive/malnutrition		Potentially preventable	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (medical)	
NF-055-16-C	DCBS history; Financial issues; Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Medical issues/management; Medically fragile child; Mental health issues (caregiver); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); DCBS issues	Other	Medical - child in critical condition	Potentially preventable	No abuse or neglect	
NF-068-16-NC	Lack of treatment (mental health or substance abuse); Medical neglect; Medical issues/management; Lack of family support system ; Medically fragile child	Neglect		Potentially preventable	Neglect (medical)	Several medical and family services failed to report mother's lack of compliance.
NF-091-16-C	Bystander issues/opportunities; Criminal history (caregiver); DCBS history; Education/child care issues; Family violence; Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Mental health issues (caregiver); Mental health issues (child); Cognitive disability (caregiver); Cognitive disability (child)	Physical abuse			Neglect (medical); Physical abuse	