

Child Fatality and Near Fatality External Review Panel

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Case Number	Categorization	Family Characteristics	Family Characteristics Comments	Panel Determination	Other Qualifiers
NF-016-22-C	Neglect; Overdose/ingestion	Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); 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); Law enforcement issues; Medically fragile child; Other; Overwhelmed Caregiver; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Unsafe access to deadly means	COVID restriction resulted contributed to gaps in services	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-072-22-C	Neglect	Cognitive disability (child); Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Impaired caregiver; Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Mental health issues (caregiver); Other; Overwhelmed Caregiver; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current)	COVID	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (impaired caregiver); Neglect (medical)	Potentially preventable
NF-085-22-NC	Neglect; Overdose/ingestion	Environmental neglect; MAT involvement; Unsafe access to deadly means		Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly	Apparently accidental; Potentially

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NF-088-22-C	Neglect	Cognitive disability (child); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Domestic Violence; Financial issues; Lack of regular child care; Medical neglect; Other; Overwhelmed Caregiver	COVID	Neglect (medical)	Potentially preventable
NF-095-22-C	Abusive head trauma; Neglect	Bystander issues/opportunities; DCBS history; DCBS issues; Domestic Violence; Evidence of poor bonding; Financial issues; Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Other; Substitute caregiver at time of event ; Medical issues/management	Covid impacted index child's health and mother claimed it impacted her employment.	Abusive head trauma; Neglect (medical)	Potentially preventable
NF-097-22-C	Natural causes/medical diagnosis; Neglect	Bystander issues/opportunities; Commonwealth/County Attorneys; Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Education/child care issues; Evidence of poor bonding; Financial issues; Housing instability; Lack of regular child care; Medical issues/management; Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Mental health issues (caregiver); Other; Substance abuse (in home)	COVID - Lack of transportation	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (medical)	Potentially preventable

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NF-101-22-C	Abusive head trauma; Physical abuse	Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Domestic Violence; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Impaired caregiver; Mental health issues (caregiver); Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current)		Abusive head trauma	Potentially preventable
NF-102-22-C	Gunshot (accidental); Neglect	DCBS history; DCBS issues; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Mental health issues (caregiver); Statutory Issues; Unsafe access to deadly means		include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-104-22-C	Neglect	Bystander issues/opportunities; Financial issues; Medical issues/management; Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Other; Overwhelmed Caregiver	Nutritional neglect	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (medical)	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-107-22-C	Overdose/ingestion; Neglect	DCBS history; DCBS issues; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; MAT involvement; Mental health issues (caregiver); Other; Overwhelmed Caregiver; Unsafe access to deadly means	Need for statewide alternative response system	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-118-22-C	Neglect	Cognitive disability (child); DCBS issues; Domestic Violence; Financial issues; Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Mental health issues (caregiver); Mental health issues (child)		Neglect (medical)	Potentially preventable

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NF-119-22-C	Neglect	Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Impaired caregiver; Medical issues/management; Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current)		Neglect (medical)	Potentially preventable
NF-120-22-C	Neglect; Overdose/ingestion	DCBS issues; Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Substitute caregiver at time of event ; Unsafe access to deadly means		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-124-22-C	Neglect; Overdose/ingestion	Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS issues; Domestic Violence; Environmental neglect; Family violence; Financial issues; Housing instability; Impaired caregiver; Law enforcement issues; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Unsafe access to deadly means		Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (impaired caregiver); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-125-22-C	Abusive head trauma	DCBS history; DCBS issues; Financial issues		Abusive head trauma	Potentially preventable

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NF-132-22-C	Neglect; Overdose/ingestion	Criminal history (caregiver); Criminal history (in the home); DCBS history; DCBS issues; Domestic Violence; Family violence; Financial issues; Housing instability; Cognitive disability (child); Environmental neglect; Law enforcement issues; Medical issues/management; Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Substance abuse (in home); Substance abuse by caregiver (current); Unsafe access to deadly means		Neglect (medical); Neglect due to unsafe access to deadly/potentially deadly means; Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver)	Apparently accidental; Potentially preventable
NF-142-22-C	Neglect	DCBS history; DCBS issues; Bystander issues/opportunities; Cognitive disability (child); Environmental neglect; Financial issues; Housing instability; Lack of family support system ; Lack of regular child care; Medical neglect; Medically fragile child; Other; Overwhelmed Caregiver; Law enforcement issues	COVID complicated mother's ability to get to medical appointments – could not bring siblings, transportation	Neglect (general - can include leaving child with unsafe caregiver); Neglect (medical)	Potentially preventable