

## Child Welfare Services April 1997

	April 97	% Change in 1 Year
<b>Emergency Response referrals received</b>	2,234	+ 50.84%
<b>Emergency Response referrals investigated</b>	1,998	+ 115.38%
<b>Linkage Referrals</b>	80	N/A
<b>Breakdown of ER case dispositions</b>	1,845	+ 30.85%
Sexual Abuse	296	+ 19.35%
Physical Abuse	555	+ 161.81%
Severe Neglect	44	+ 131.58%
General Neglect	725	+ 11.20%
Emotional Abuse	46	+ 253.85%
Exploitation	1	- 83.33%
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	164	+ 27.13%
<b>Children Admitted to Jamison</b>	196	+ 44.12%
Protective Custody	160	+ 48.15%
Change of placement	36	+ 7.41%
<b>Average day stay in Jamison</b>	7.8	+ 16.42%
<b>Breakdown of Jamison admissions by age</b>		
Newborn - 5 years	92	+ 100.00%
6 - 12 years	55	+ 17.02%
13 - 18 years	49	+ 13.95%
<b>Court Intake</b>		
Number of children referred for investigation	143	+ 18.18%
Number of petitions filed	68	+ 106.06%
<b>Number of children receiving Family Maintenance</b>	392	+ 25.24%
<b>Number of children on out of home placements (FR&amp;PP)</b>	1996	+ 87.42%
<b>Number of children reunified with parents</b>	15	+ 87.50%
<b>Number of children referred for adoptive study by FR &amp; PP</b>	9	+ 125.00%
<b>Adoption</b>		
Number of families under study	152	+ 43.40%
Number of adoptions	6	+ 50.00%
<b>Licensing</b>		
Number of licensed homes	419	- 4.12%
Number of foster care applications pending	25	- 35.90%

