Child Welfare Services August 1997

	August 97	% Change in 1 Year
Emergency Response referrals received	1,617	+ 6.10%
Emergency Response referrals investigated	1,631	+ 63.43%
Linkage Referrals	97	N/A
Breakdown of ER case dispositions	1,477	- 4.46%
Sexual Abuse	216	- 4.00%
Physical Abuse	460	+ 98.92%
Severe Neglect	5	+ 66.67%
General Neglect	560	- 8.50%
Emotional Abuse	17	- 29.17%
Exploitation	0	0.00%
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	219	+0.92%
Children Admitted to Jamison	196	+ 55.56%
Protective Custody	176	+ 60.00%
Change of placement	20	+ 3.64%
Average day stay in Jamison	6.2	+ 26.53%
Breakdown of Jamison admissions by age		
Newborn - 5 years	96	+ 62.71%
6 - 12 years	56	+ 47.37%
13 - 18 years	44	+ 51.72%
Court Intake		
Number of children referred for investigation	173	+ 33.08%
Number of petitions filed	112	+ 187.18%
Number of children receiving Family Maintenance	404	+ 79.56%
Number of children on out of home placements (FR&PP)	1,973	+ 4.72%
Number of children reunified with parents	30	+57.89%
Number of children referred for adoptive study by FR & PP	11	- 31.25%
Adoption		
Number of families under study	165	- 4.07%
Number of children in adoptive study/supervision	161	+ 57.84%
Licensing		
Number of licensed homes	424	- 0.93%
Number of foster care applications pending	41	- 18.00%

