

## Child Care Data for FFY 2018 (10-1-17 through 9-30-18)

| FFY 2018- Capacity, Serious Injuries, Substantiated Instances of Child Abuse, and Child Deaths by Provider Type |                                  |                 |             |              |                                |                      |                         |
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|                                                                                                                 | DHS Licensed Child Care Agencies |                 |             |              | DHS Exempt Child Care Agencies |                      | DOE Child Care Agencies |
| Program Type                                                                                                    | Centers                          | Drop-in Centers | Group Homes | Family Homes | Authorized Homes               | Boys and Girls Clubs | Centers*                |
| Capacity                                                                                                        | 149821                           | 781             | 4131        | 1699         | 28                             | 1480                 | 43911                   |
| Serious Injuries                                                                                                | 400                              | 2               | 17          | 2            | 0                              | 0                    | 3                       |
| Substantiated Instances of Child Abuse                                                                          | 2                                | 0               | 0           | 0            | 0                              | 0                    | 0                       |
| Child Deaths                                                                                                    | 1                                | 0               | 0           | 0            | 0                              | 0                    | 0                       |
| *Agencies participating in the Child Care Certificate Program                                                   |                                  |                 |             |              |                                |                      |                         |

**Serious Injuries** – Child care agencies are required to report any incidents involving a child in its care (including on and off-site activities) where treatment by a medical professional was necessary. It does not include instances where a medical professional examines the child but determines that no injury occurred or treatment is not necessary.

**Substantiated Instances of Child Abuse** - There were two instances of child abuse substantiated by the Department of Children’s Services in child care centers during the reporting period:

- Lack of Supervision – In this instance the perpetrator was unknown. Safety Plans were implemented at the agency until classroom staff completed additional training requirements.
- Physical Abuse – In this instance the perpetrator was identified and their employment at the agency was terminated.

**Child Deaths** - One (1) fatality occurred in a licensed child care center during this period. A four month old child died from Asphyxia due to an airway obstruction caused by bedding. The child was on his back on a thin blanket on the floor and rolled to his tummy.