

Child Maltreatment Reports:

- 2005: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/cb/pubs/cm05/index.htm>
 - During Federal fiscal year (FFY) 2005, an estimated 3.3 million referrals, involving the alleged maltreatment of approximately 6.0 million children, were made to CPS agencies.
 - An estimated 3.6 million children in the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico received investigations by CPS agencies.
 - A majority (62.1%) of referrals were screened in for investigation or assessment by CPS agencies.
 - Approximately 30 percent (28.5%) of the reports included at least one child who was found to be a victim of abuse or neglect.
 - About 60 percent (60.3%) of the reports were found to be unsubstantiated; about 25 percent (25.2%) of the reports were substantiated.
 - During FFY 2005, an estimated 899,000 children in the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico were determined to be victims of abuse or neglect.
 - Children in the age group of birth to 3 years had the highest rate of victimization at 16.5 per 1,000 children of the same age group in the national population;
 - More than one-half of the victims were 7 years old or younger (54.5%);
 - More than one-half of the child victims were girls (50.7%) and 47.3 percent were boys; and
 - Approximately one-half of all victims were White (49.7%); one-quarter (23.1%) were African-American; and 17.4 percent were Hispanic.
 - More than 60 percent (62.8%) of victims suffered neglect;
 - More than 15 percent (16.6%) of the victims suffered physical abuse;
 - Less than 10 percent (9.3%) of the victims suffered sexual abuse; and
 - Less than 10 percent (7.1%) of the victims suffered from emotional maltreatment.
 - How many children died from abuse or neglect? ...data provided
 - Who is responsible for the abuse and neglect? ...data provided
 - Who received services? ...data provided
 - ...no info in summary re. children with disability...see info in file for more info, **but did provide a table of related info...**
 - **See table 3-14 for “Victims with a Reported Disabilities”**
- Index of previous reports – Child Abuse and Neglect Research – 1995-2005: http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/cb/stats_research/index.htm