



Review of Child Fatality Screen Outs, 2nd Quarter of 2022

Intake Number	Report Sequence	Intake Date	Child ID	Child First Name	Child Last Name	DOB	DOD	Screen In/Out	Primary Screen Out Reason	Secondary Screen Out Reason	Reporter	Allegation Narrative	Other Notes from Intake:
2022101808	01	04/04/2022	109608651				04/04/2022	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect			On 04/04/2022, Law enforcement responded to the home due to [REDACTED] not breathing. There are no current concerns that [REDACTED] death was the result of neglect or abuse. The mother called emergency services after she found [REDACTED] to not be breathing. [REDACTED] was last seen breathing by the father at 5:30 A.M. on 04/04/2022, before the father left the home for work. [REDACTED] was pronounced deceased at the home. [REDACTED] was suffering from Failure to Thrive due to not gaining any weight and had two doctors appointments this week with Children's Medical Center in Baker County. The medical examiner has yet to go over the body. The mother was upset about [REDACTED] passing. Information regarding any birth defects [REDACTED] may have had has not yet been provided.	
2022101477	01	04/04/2022	10229678				04/03/2022	Screen Out	Caregiver Statutory Guidelines not Met			On April 3, 2022, [REDACTED] was a victim of a gunshot wound and later died at the hospital. [REDACTED] was shot in the chest by another juvenile [REDACTED], and another juvenile were believed to be playing with guns in the home. They were wearing a bulletproof vest to see if it "worked." The gun used cannot be found at this point. The incident occurred at 7:09 p.m. One of the residents called 9-1-1. An off duty officer heard the shot and saw a vehicle take off from the home. The off duty officer ran over and found [REDACTED] laying in the living room. The officer then notified law enforcement.	
2022112302	01	04/12/2022	12076798				04/12/2022	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect			Today (4/12/2022), [REDACTED] committed suicide. He hung himself with a rope from a tree in the yard. It is unknown of how long he was hanging from the tree. It is believed that his guardian/stepmother found him. Approximately at 17:40 (5:40pm), law enforcement got the call. It is believed that [REDACTED] was found maybe a couple of minutes before that. [REDACTED] was pronounced deceased at 5:50pm by one of the three medics that was on the scene. It is unknown if [REDACTED] has been suicidal before. It is believed that he hasn't mentioned anything about being suicidal. [REDACTED] didn't appear to have any marks or bruises. It is unknown of where [REDACTED] is going to be transported to. Law enforcement is still investigating the reason for [REDACTED] death. Recently, he was found with marijuana at school today or yesterday. It is unknown of how or who [REDACTED] got the drugs from. It is believed that this is still an open case with his SRO at the school. His girlfriend recently broke up with him. It is believed that he was struggling with things at school and having bad friends. Law enforcement doesn't believe that there was any foul play. They have a major crime detective on the way and a medical examiner and is waiting to determine. There weren't any prior law enforcement calls at this location. Law enforcement doesn't believe that the parents did anything. It is unknown if [REDACTED] had any mental issues. It is unknown if his school said anything about [REDACTED] needing counseling or any services. There are two other children in the home. It is believed that one of them saw [REDACTED] deceased hanging from the tree. They are grieving. They are dealing with this as people normally would. It appears that the stepmother is extremely emotional and wasn't expecting it. She is having a very difficult time. The father wasn't originally on the scene because he was at work.	
2022120045	01	04/19/2022	109638490				04/18/2022	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect			On 4/18/22, FHP and SLCFR responded to Florida Turnpike NB around mile marker 152 in reference to a motor vehicle crash. Per Corp, William Fenton, the decedents and the father had just arrived from Fort Lauderdale from Texas and were taking a Taxi minivan to Live Oak, Florida. The parents were immigrants from Haiti. They went from Haiti to Mexico to Texas where the mother had the baby last week and arrived to Fort Lauderdale on the evening of 4/17/2022 via plane. While traveling NB on turnpike, a commercial box truck driver ran rear ended the minivan. The minivan ran off the roadway to the right and came to a final stop in the grass facing east. The rear end of the vehicle was severely damaged. The decedent was in the rear facing car seat and strapped in. It was the family's personal car seat because it still had a Delta luggage tag on it. Per Corp Fenton, the base of the car seat was unlocked but the taxi driver had said he did that after the accident for an unknown reason. The taxi driver, father, mother and baby were all transported to the LRMIC where the infant was pronounced dead at 0358 hours and the mother passed away shortly after. There are no criminal charges at the time and an investigation is ongoing.	
2022124259	01	04/22/2022	100426890				08/31/2020	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect	Duplicate to prior investigation 2020-246241.		The father accidentally shot and killed [REDACTED] with a gun. The father is currently out on bond for the murder of his son.	
2022134991	01	05/01/2022	107855867				04/16/2022	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect			The school staff did not take [REDACTED] severe behavior seriously. A school staff member requested a more restrictive placement when [REDACTED] start removing her mickey button which a required feeding tube. The school nurse would program the feeding device at a faster rate than what the mother used at home. This has occurred for over several months. The district suddenly decided that they were not going to allow the nurse to reinsert the mickey button immediately as she was doing for several months. Rather, the district decided to call the mother to reinsert the mickey button and she would have to get dressed and ready to leave her home to come to the school to reinsert, which could take up to two hours. "It was their decision to withhold medically necessary treatment." More complications can arise the longer the mickey button is left out. Complications such as the hole will start to close, running the risk of infection, and more. The last time the mother reinserted the mickey button there was a complication. [REDACTED] was admitted to the hospital the following day where she remained and passed away days later.	

2022135389	01	05/02/2022	105363736			04/20/2022	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect			On Saturday, 04/30/22, [REDACTED] and his mother were caught in a house fire and were found deceased after the fire was put out. The cause of death and the cause of the fire are currently unknown. There was soot found under their nose which indicates that they were breathing the smoke in. They were pronounced deceased at 10:35AM. According to the father, who was also in the home, he smelled smoke and ran out of the home. He went to the back of the house to turn the breakers off and when he came back, [REDACTED] had gone inside to let the dogs out of the cage. The home, which is a trailer, quickly became engulfed in flames and the father was unable to go back inside. There are concerns about the father's explanation of the event given the fact that after the flames were extinguished, it was determined that the breakers were still on. The father's demeanor was also concerning because he was calm and spoke of [REDACTED] and the mother in past tense before the flames were put out. The arson and fatality investigation are currently ongoing, and the origin of the fire and official cause of death are unknown. It is unknown if there was any foul play or if [REDACTED] had any other signs of physical injury. The father recently left his job as a fire watch for Space SEC about a week ago. There are no other concerns about issues within the family.	
2022136251	01	05/02/2022	10966411			05/02/2022	Screen Out	Victim Statutory Guidelines not Met			Today, 05/02/22, the mother gave birth to the infant at home which resulted in his death. The mother was full term and supposed to be induced tomorrow. She was in bed laying down when she felt the baby coming out. She pushed him out and went back to bed without checking to see if the baby was okay. The mother was aware that she had just given birth. Possibly a couple of hours later, the grandmother arrived home, went to check on the mother and noticed the baby, who was already getting cold and blue. The mother did not wake up again until the grandmother got home. The grandmother then called law enforcement and the baby was pronounced deceased at 5:47PM. It is unknown if the baby took a breath or not and the official cause of death is unknown. It is also unknown if the mother was having any complications or if there are any concerns for drug use. It is unknown if there was any physical trauma or signs of abuse. Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office and the Special Victim's Unit is investigating the incident and an autopsy will be performed. The mother has been reported as a missing person several times in the past and she may be bipolar and on medication. There have also been past incidents of domestic violence in the home.	
2022143663	01	05/09/2022	103162444			05/06/2022	Screen Out	Caregiver Statutory Guidelines not Met			[REDACTED] was murdered over the weekend. [REDACTED] was shot by men that she was being human trafficking by. She was being messaged on social media by the men and being asked to have sex for money. She has had sex for money before. She was meeting the adult for sex. The person is not a caregiver in any way. [REDACTED] was running away from home. The child was killed because she was being trafficked. It is unknown if the mother is aware that [REDACTED] was involved in human trafficking. The mother has let men in and out of the house and the mother can be heard having sex with the men.	
2022155002	01	05/18/2022	101056690			N/A	Screen Out	Caregiver Statutory Guidelines not Met			On 5/11/2022 at 2304 hours, a Deputy observed the listed vehicle traveling south on Cleveland Rd approaching the stop sign at the intersection of Cleveland Rd and 30th St W. The listed vehicle failed to come to a complete stop at the listed intersection and proceeded East on 30th St W. A traffic stop was conducted on the listed vehicle at 2300 30th St W and contact was with the occupants of the listed vehicle. While speaking to the rear left passenger/suspect ([REDACTED]), what appeared to be loose marijuana bud was observed sitting in his lap. He was removed from the vehicle and detained without incident. When he was removed from the vehicle, there was also more loose marijuana sitting in the middle of the rear seat in plain view. The left rear passenger/witness #3 ([REDACTED]) was removed from the listed vehicle and detained without incident. The driver/witness #1 ([REDACTED]) and the front passenger/witness #2 ([REDACTED]) were detained without incident. A probable cause search of the rear of the vehicle located a sum of loose marijuana on the rear seat. While Ofc J. Bridgeman #64272 was collecting the loose marijuana, he observed the rear back strap of a black handgun underneath the front passenger seat. The handgun's barrel was facing towards the front of the vehicle as if it had just been placed there. Post Miranda, the left rear passenger/witness #3 stated that the listed firearm was not hers. The left rear passenger/witness #3 stated that [REDACTED] (suspect) placed the firearm underneath the seat when he saw the blue lights. The left rear passenger/witness #3 stated she never touched the firearm at any point. Post Miranda the suspect stated that the firearm belonged to him and he placed it under the seat when he saw the blue lights turn on. The suspect stated that he found the firearm a couple of days ago by some railroad tracks. The suspect stated that he has never shot the firearm. It is to be noted that when [REDACTED] was removed from the vehicle, the corner of a sandwich baggie was observed at his feet that is consistent with street level narcotics packaging.	Reviewer's Note: Despite the presence of the death maltreatment, there are no actual allegations of death regarding either of the two juveniles contained in this screened out intake.
2022161551	01	05/24/2022	109109716			00/00/0000	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect	Duplicate to prior investigation 2022-091352		The mother reported that [REDACTED] had informed school staff that his mother [REDACTED] had killed his little sister and buried her in the backyard.	
2022161555	01	05/24/2022	109709701			00/00/0000	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect	Duplicate to prior investigation 2022-091352		[REDACTED] has been telling people that the mother killed his little sister and buried her in the backyard.	
2022161248	01	05/24/2022	101075385			05/23/2022	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect			On 5/23/22, [REDACTED] was seated in the rear right passenger seat of a Toyota Camry driven by his adopted sister, [REDACTED], while the mother was in the front passenger seat. They were traveling southbound on Johnson Rd. in Ft. Pierce, FL, and used a left turn lane to head East on Indrio Rd. At that time, a Ford Mercury driver was fleeing from a hit-and-run in which she side-swiped another vehicle. She ran through the red light and T-boned the Camry on the driver side, causing airbags to deploy and Samuel to be ejected from the vehicle. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were pronounced on scene by EMS at 19:20 while the mother and the Mercury driver were taken to Lawnwood Hospital for their injuries. The Mercury Driver will be facing criminal charges for impaired driving as she had a blood-alcohol content of .2% at the time of the crash.	

2022179931	01	06/12/2022	106742309			06/11/2022	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect		<p>On 06/11/2022, at 4:49pm, [REDACTED] was pronounced deceased at the hospital. [REDACTED] had internal bleeding. At this time, it is unknown why [REDACTED] was bleeding internally. The medical team did not observe any trauma to [REDACTED] body. The medical team did not suspect any foul play. The medical examiner will perform an autopsy on [REDACTED] to determine his cause of death. On 06/10/2022, around 9pm, the mother made six ounces of formula for [REDACTED]. The mother fed [REDACTED] while he was in his crib. [REDACTED] only drank four ounces of the formula. [REDACTED] was crying as if his belly was in pain. The mother gave [REDACTED] an unknown amount of Infant Tylenol. [REDACTED] stopped crying and the mother returned him to his crib. On 06/11/2022, around 9am, the mother and the father realized that [REDACTED] was pale. The mother and the father took [REDACTED] temperature. [REDACTED] temperature was 99.4. The mother and the father took [REDACTED] to the hospital. While in the emergency room, [REDACTED] was assessed and treated for an acute infection. However, [REDACTED] health continued to decline. [REDACTED] was transferred to the pediatric intensive care unit. The medical team worked on [REDACTED]. However, [REDACTED] health continued to deteriorate. [REDACTED] remained pale despite receiving a blood transfusion after undergoing surgery. It was revealed that [REDACTED] was experiencing internal bleeding. The medical team could not locate the source of the bleeding. However, it was determined that [REDACTED] was bleeding from somewhere behind his stomach. After the medical team exhausted all life saving measures, [REDACTED] was pronounced dead. The mother's pregnancy was fine. There were no complications during the pregnancy. [REDACTED] was born at 39 weeks. When [REDACTED] was born, he was low on oxygen. [REDACTED] oxygen levels were low because the mother was in labor for too long. [REDACTED] was "brought back" due to the low oxygen levels. [REDACTED] condition was treated in the hospital for two days. The mother was informed that she could give [REDACTED] Infant Tylenol for pain "as needed". However, [REDACTED] did not have any medical conditions or issues that would cause him to be in pain. [REDACTED] did not have a prescription for Tylenol. The Tylenol that the mother gave [REDACTED], before his death, was over the counter. The mother gave [REDACTED] Enfamil Gentlease baby formula. [REDACTED] was on a three-hour feeding regimen. [REDACTED] last stool was normal and free of blood. [REDACTED] did not have any complaints when he was put in his car seat. According to the mother and the father, [REDACTED] did not suffer a fall. There were no concerns for the conditions of the home. The home is neat, organized, and clean. The home was well stocked with baby formula. There was a formula mixer and a bottle warmer in the home. The home had everything a baby would need. The mother and the father were visibly distraught. [REDACTED] was the first and only child of the mother and the father.</p>
2022190220	01	06/22/2022	106760487			08/09/2021	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect		<p>On 8/9/21, the mother gave birth to [REDACTED] while incarcerated. Jail staff did not do anything to assist the mother [REDACTED] was healthy when she was born. [REDACTED] passed away a few hours at the hospital. There were no concerns for abuse and/or neglect.</p>
2022193382	01	06/25/2022	106765976			00/00/0000	Screen Out	Victim Statutory Guidelines not Met	Fetal demise.	<p>On 06/25/2022, the mother gave birth to a still born. The mother and father were staying at Best Western Hotel when her water broke and she gave birth. 911 was called at 12:15 am and the baby was pronounced dead at 12:31am. When the body was examined, the head appeared deflated and the skin was deteriorating. The baby was deceased a few days before delivery. There is no foul play suspected and the appearance of the baby is consistent with Anencephaly, a condition that affects the proper development of the brain and skull. The mother was aware that the baby may die as a result of the condition.</p>
2022194410	01	06/26/2022	106767933			06/26/2022	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect		<p>Today (06/26/2022), the parents took [REDACTED] to Nicklaus Children Hospital and he was pronounced deceased by medical staff in the hospital at 3:12pm. Earlier in the day, the parents called rescue at 10:45am because [REDACTED] was lethargic and last had bowel movement on 06/24/2022. When Rescued personnel arrived at the residence, [REDACTED] had small bowel movement and opened his eyes, so rescue personnel did not take [REDACTED] to hospital. However, rescue personnel told the parents to massage [REDACTED] to help with his bowel movement. After rescue personnel left the residence, [REDACTED] became lethargic again. The father came home and observed that [REDACTED] was pale and [REDACTED] lips were dry, so the parents decided to take [REDACTED] to Nicklaus Children Hospital. At the hospital, medical staff observed that [REDACTED] had a soft spot on his head due to dehydration. Medical staff tried to insert an IV line but were unsuccessful because [REDACTED] had weak pulse. Medical staff continued to try to insert an IV line through the arms and even through the bone on the leg but were unsuccessful. While at the hospital, [REDACTED] suffered cardiac arrest at 1:18pm and medical staff resuscitated him. [REDACTED] suffered another cardiac arrest at 2:50pm and medical staff continued to try to resuscitate [REDACTED] for 20 minutes but were unsuccessful. Medical staff finally pronounced [REDACTED] deceased at 3:12pm. [REDACTED] has bruises on his arms and legs due to medical staff trying to insert an IV line. [REDACTED] body is at Nicklaus Children Hospital and would be picked up by the medical examiner. [REDACTED] had some health issues. At the second checkup with the primary care physician, it was learned that [REDACTED] was not growing, so the physician increased [REDACTED] formula from 2 ounces to 3 ounces. [REDACTED] was not growing, so the physician stopped the formula [REDACTED] was taking and changed it to another kind of formula. [REDACTED] was not growing and was not going to the bathroom, so the primary care physician referred [REDACTED] to a Gastroenterologist at Nicklaus Children Hospital. On Wednesday (06/22/2022), the Gastroenterologist recommended a different kind of formula for [REDACTED], and the Gastroenterologist prescribed some Pepcid for [REDACTED]. It was stated that no foul play is suspected. The home was described as "impeccable." There are different kinds of baby formula in the home. It was also stated that as far as is known, the parents followed all the recommendations made by medical professional.</p>
2022198062	01	06/29/2022	106774439			06/29/2022	Screen Out	Does Not Rise to the level of Reasonable Cause to Suspect		<p>On 6/29/22, [REDACTED] went into cardiac arrest. The nurse advised that [REDACTED] had prior medical history of brain cancer. She was diagnosed in August of 2021. The tumor could not be removed and she was receiving hospice care at the home. Medical professionals advised mom that [REDACTED] was not going to make it through the year. At 8:01pm, The nurse observed that she was having difficulty breathing and was gasping for air. The nurse performed CPR. [REDACTED] died at the home and was pronounced deceased at the hospital by medical professionals. There are no concerns of abuse or neglect.</p>