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The Honorable Bruce Caswell, Chair  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on DHS  
Michigan State Senate  
Lansing, MI 48933

The Honorable Dave Agema, Chair  
House Appropriations Subcommittee on DHS  
Michigan House of Representatives  
Lansing, MI 48933

Dear Senator Caswell and Representative Agema:

The enclosed addendum is provided pursuant to PA 63 of 2011 Section 514, the Department of Human Services (DHS) Fiscal Year 2011 Appropriations Act and Sections 722.629a and 722.628d (5) & (6) of 1975 PA 238, the Child Protection Law. These sections require that DHS provide information on Children's Protective Services (CPS) statistical data and a list of significant CPS policy changes and court decisions implemented in the preceding fiscal year.

If you have any questions, comments, or would like additional information, please contact Suzanne Stiles Burke, Child Welfare Bureau Director, at (517) 241-8606.

Sincerely,

  
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Enclosures

cc: Senate and House Appropriations Subcommittee on DHS  
Senate and House Fiscal Agencies  
Senate and House Policy Offices  
State Budget Office

## Children's Protective Services

### 2011 Comprehensive Report

#### Addendum

Statistical information for the Department of Human Services Children's Protective Services program is as follows:

#### **PA 63 of 2011 Sec. 514(a)(ii)**

Characteristics of perpetrators and victims are as follows:

Victims of Abuse and Neglect	
Relationship/Perpetrator Description	Total
Institutional Care Child	34
Non Relative	3065
Biological Child	40569
Friends or Neighbors	63
Adopted Child	886
Other	369
Grand Child	672
Step Child	2164
Putative Child	193
Adopted Sibling	15
Protectee (child of a Guardian)	268
Foster Child of Licensed Non Relative	121
Foster Child of Licensed Relative	104
Day Care Child	15
Unknown	158
Half Sibling	19
Step Sibling	24
Niece/Nephew	360
Subordinate Child of a Professional	4
Cousin	73
Other Relative	103
Sibling	105

Description by Age of Perpetrator	Total
0 to 10 years old	9
11 to 20 years old	1533
21 to 30 years old	11854
31 to 40 years old	9792
41 to 50 years old	4288
51 to 60 years old	1233
61 to 70 years old	282
71 to 80 years old	73
81 to 90 years old	7
91 or more years old	4

Description by Race of Perpetrator	Total
White	21191
African American	7322
American Indian/Alaskan Native	218
Asian	104
Nat Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	14
Unable to Determine	227

Children Victims Exposed to Drug Activity	
Type of Exposure	Total
Substance Abuse	6989
Drug Positive Infant	2206
Drug Residence	840
Methamphetamine	280
Other than Methamphetamine	375

**PA 63 of 2011 Sec. 514(a)(vi)**

For the reported complaints of abuse or neglect by teachers, school administrators, and school counselors, 206 cases resulted in separation of the child from the parent or guardian. This resulted in 487 children being separated from the parent or guardian. The period of time of that separation, up to and including termination of rights, is not captured through the Children's Protective Services program; however, the status of these separated children at the close of FY 2011 can be determined. Of the 487 children who were separated, 31 had their cases closed due to the termination of parental rights, 82 had their cases closed and either returned home or to another planned living arrangement, and 374 children were still active as a foster care case at the end of the fiscal year.