

**Public Children Services Association of Ohio
CHILD WELFARE WORKER SAFETY – CRITICAL INCIDENT FORM**

Agency Statewide Data, PCSAO Summary
Date of Report: **3rd Quarter 2005 Summary**

Number of Agencies that Reported **51**
Agencies that Reported incidents **23**
Agencies that Reported No Incidents **28**

COUNTIES THAT REPORTED FOR THE 3rd QUARTER 2005

Small Counties	Medium-Small	Medium Counties	Large Counties	Metros	Major Metros
Adams, Champaign, Coshocton, Fayette, Hocking, Meigs, Nobel, Paulding, Perry, Putnam, Van Wert, Wyandot	Auglaize, Fulton, Guernsey, Madison, Mercer, Ottawa	Ashland, Belmont, Erie, Geauga, Huron, Marion, Miami, Muskingum, Ross, Sandusky, Scioto, Tuscarawas, Washington	Allen, Ashtabula, Clark, Delaware, Greene, Medina, Portage, Richland, Warren, Wood	Lorain, Lucas, Mahoning, Montgomery, Stark, Summit, Trumbull	Cuyahoga, Franklin, Hamilton

Incident Description

31 Verbal Aggression (w/ sense of danger)
24 Verbal / Written Threats of Harm
2 Personal / Agency Property Damage (*personal-car*)
0 Sexual Harassment
0 Stalked by Client
1 Physical Assault - not injured
2 Physical Assault - injured
1 Use of Weapon (no detail)
5 Other (dog (2), and child bit CW, Inhaled Chemical fumes)

Alleged Offender

41 Client - Adult
5 Client Child/Youth
2 Caregiver's Relative
2 Client's Paramour
8 Other (*Foster employee, dogs, employee, Friend, of client, unknown*)

Location of Incident

12 Client Home
22 Agency
1 Provider Agency
1 Victim's Home
19 Phone / Email
1 Court
4 Other (*foster home, Prevention Unit, Client's community based incarceration placement, on street to court, Hospital*)

Incident "Trigger"

8 Visit as part of C/A,N investigation
6 Removal of Children
8 Routine Home Visit
8 Custody Discussion, Pending Action
7 Parent Visit with Child
9 Other (*Car vandalized, Counseling appointment, kinship home-study process, staffing, Job related, ongoing case work services, psychological assessment*)

Post Incident Responses

2 Victim Received Medical Attention
17 Law Enforcement of local jurisdiction contacted for Agency and Victim
59 Incident Reported to Agency
5 Employee Assistance Program Offered / Provided
2 Warning Letter Issued
4 Incoming Phone Calls to Victim Taped
4 Offender/s Picture Posted w/in Agency for Security Purposes
4 Law Enforcement Intervention
4 Charges Filed Against Alleged Offender
1 Offender Arrested
1 Post Incident Training Scheduled/Conducted
7 Other (*Report to prosecutor, review of situation by legal counsel, safety alert placed on computer, warning calls were made, notified supervisors and security officers, post on hot sheet and check for weapons upon client's presentation, terminated visitation, worker removed from case*)

Agencies That Reported a Safety Incident had Occurred during the 3rd Quarter of 2005

Small Counties	Medium-Small	Medium Counties	Large Counties	Metros	Major Metros
Adams (1), Putnam (1)	Guernsey (2)	Erie (1), Geauga (5), Marion(1), Sandusky(1), Scioto (1), Washington (1)	Greene(2), Portage(3), Richland(2), Wayne(2), Wood(1)	Lucas(6), Mahoning(2), Montgomery(4), Stark(2), Summit(4), Trumbull(3)	Cuyahoga(6), Franklin(5), Hamilton(3)
2 out of 59	2 out of 59	10 out of 59	10 out of 59	21 out of 59	14 out of 59