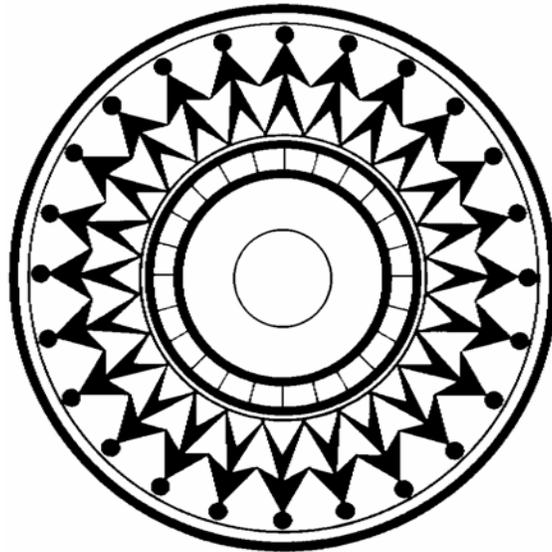


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ABSTRACT

The National Child Abuse and Neglect Data System (NCANDS) Child File dataset consists of child-specific data of all investigated reports of maltreatment to State child protective service agencies. The NCANDS is a federally-sponsored annual national data collection effort created for the purpose of tracking the volume and nature of child maltreatment reporting. The Child File is the case-level component of the NCANDS. There is also an NCANDS State-level component, known as the Agency File, but those data are not part of this collection. States participate on a voluntary basis and submit their data after going through a process in which the state's administrative system is mapped to the NCANDS data structure. Submitted data consist of all investigations or assessments of alleged child maltreatment that received a disposition in the reporting year. Records are provided at the level of each child on a report, also known as the report-child pair. Data elements include the demographics of children and their perpetrators, types of maltreatment, investigation or assessment dispositions, risk factors, and services provided as a result of the investigation or assessment.

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STUDY OVERVIEW

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Purpose of the Study

The NCANDS is a child abuse and neglect reporting program based on state participation. The NCANDS was designed in response to the Child Abuse Prevention, Adoption and Family Services Act of 1988 which created Section 6 of the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act (CAPTA), and required the National Center on Child Abuse and Neglect (NCCAN) to establish a national data collection and analysis program on child maltreatment. The Act stated in part that:

"The Secretary shall, through the Center--(1) as a part of research activities, establish a national data collection and analysis program which, to the extent practical, coordinates existing State child abuse and neglect reports and which shall include---(A) standardized data on false, unfounded, or unsubstantiated reports; and (B) information on the number of deaths due to child abuse and neglect."

CAPTA as amended in May 1992 retained these provisions and added requirements in Section 105, part 1(b) that NCCAN establish a program:

" ... which shall collect, compile, analyze and make available State child abuse and neglect reporting information which, to the extent practical, is universal and case specific, and integrated with other case-based foster care and adoption data collected by the Secretary."

As a result, NCANDS has become the primary source of national information on abused and neglected children reported to State child protective service agencies. Findings from the NCANDS data are published by the Children's Bureau each year in its Child Maltreatment report series.

Study Design

The NCANDS data submission protocol uses three formats. The Child File, which is released in this data collection, is the most comprehensive. It includes case-level data on all children who have received a disposition of an investigation or assessment of allegations of maltreatment during the reporting year (Calendar Year 2001 for Dataset #109). The Agency File collects aggregated, state-level, data on items that have been requested by the CAPTA legislation that are not able to be collected at the case level. States that

submit the Child File also submit the Agency File. The Summary Data Component is used by states that are unable to submit case-level data. The Summary Data Component consists of aggregated, state-level, statistics of key items in the Child File and the Agency File. Data from the Agency File and the Summary Data Component are included in the NCANDS Combined Aggregate File (CAF), which is also distributed by NDACAN. The CAF consists of aggregated data by state and by year.

Date(s) of Data Collection

Calendar year 2001

Geographic Area

Twenty-two states and the District of Columbia agreed to archive their NCANDS Child File data with NDACAN for 2001. The states are Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Maine, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, North Carolina, Nebraska, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington, and Wyoming.

Unit of Observation

The unit of observation in the Child File is the report-child pair. Each child on a report gets a separate data record.

Sample

The NCANDS Child File represents a census of all child protective services investigations or assessments conducted in the states that participated in the NCANDS. Investigations or assessments that reached a disposition between January 1, 2001 and December 31, 2001 are included. For 2001, the resulting dataset consists of 1,216,626 records, or report-child pairs, from 22 states and the District of Columbia.

Data Collection Procedures

State participation in the detailed case data collection consists of mapping each requested data element into the Child File record layout, extracting the State data into the Child File record layout, and submitting the case level data to NCANDS.

In the first process, the State Mapping Process, the state receives the "Guidelines and Procedures for Submitting Data to NCANDS" document. States may collect data under different programmatic methodologies, formats, and coding schemes. Thus, it is necessary for each state to map (convert) data, including codes, from the state's computer system into the standard record layout of NCANDS. Using the Guidelines, the state performs this State Mapping Process for the Child File. This activity, done during the Data Mapping Meetings, help to unify the coding structures of states and to enhance data consistency across states that are submitting NCANDS data. The Technical Assistance and Map Review process is provided by the NCANDS Technical Team to assist the state in its mapping activities. The goal of technical assistance is a state annual data submission, which passes all NCANDS validation checks.

Upon completion of the State Mapping Process, the state moves into the next three integrated processes: State Data Submission, NCANDS Validation of Data Submission, and the Technical Assistance Review of Data. In the State Mapping Process, the state uses the completed mapping forms as specifications and writes its data extraction computer program to transfer the data from the state's database into the Child File. The file is created by the state for the given year and is submitted to NCANDS. During the State Data Submission process, the NCANDS Technical Team continues to provide assistance to states regarding decisions about the use of unique identifiers, record construction, and quality of data, as needed.

When the data set is received by NCANDS, the NCANDS Validation of Data Submission and the Technical Assistance Review of Data processes begin. The NCANDS Technical Team validates and reviews the data, and provides the state with feedback about the data quality. This cycle of data submission, review, and assistance may go through several iterations before the final data set is ready.

Once the data submission and review activities are complete, the State Submission of Year's Final Data Set process occurs. The NCANDS Technical Team reviews and validates the final submission and then proceeds with the analysis activities for all of the States.

Response Rates

Not applicable.

Sources of Information

States extract case-level data from their child welfare information systems for submission to NCANDS. All reports reaching a disposition date in a given year are mapped to the NCANDS data elements and included in the submission.

Type of Data Collected

Extractions from state administrative records

Measures

Not applicable.

Related Publications & Reports

Users are strongly encouraged to obtain these references before doing analyses.

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on Children, Youth and Families. (2003). Child Maltreatment 2001. Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office.

Please note that states may have updated their data since the publication of Child Maltreatment. As a result, summaries of the Child File data in this collection may not agree with the tabular data presented in the published report.

Analytic Considerations

When conducting analyses with NCANDS data, it is important to keep in mind that state-to-state variation in child maltreatment laws and information systems may affect the interpretation of the data. Users are encouraged to refer to the state mapping documents included on the data CD for information about how the state's system codes its data.

REPORT AND CHILD IDENTIFICATION CODES

Records in the Child File are often referred to as report-child pairs, because each individual record in a state's Child File can be identified through reference to two identification variables, the report ID (RPTID) and the child ID (CHID). When there are multiple children in a report, each child in the report is assigned the same unique Report ID. Similarly, if a child appears in multiple reports, each report for that child contains the same unique Child ID.

There are, however, a few caveats to consider when using the child ID to match different reports within the Child file. A state's laws and data processing capabilities may sometimes limit the ability to match children to previous reports. This limitation is most commonly observed in unsubstantiated reports where a state's laws may prohibit the archiving of data that identifies these children or families. As a result, the use of the child ID to identify children in multiple reports should be limited to reports where the maltreatment was substantiated or indicated. The inability to identify the same child in multiple reports might also occur in states with county-based data collection systems if records cannot be referenced across counties.

AGGREGATING THE DATA BY REPORT OR CHILD

Although the data may include multiple entries for a given report or child, these data can be aggregated into a file that contains only one entry per report or one entry per child. For example, a file of unique reports that describe characteristics of the children in the reports can be created. Such characteristics might include the total number of children referenced in a report or the age of the youngest and oldest children. Conversely, a file of unique children can be created that contains a count of the number of reports in which a child was included or the type(s) of maltreatment associated with the respective reports. Please refer to the sample syntax on the CD for examples of how to aggregate the data.

STATE CLASSIFICATION OF THE DISPOSITION OF INVESTIGATIONS

The disposition of each investigation depends on the classification system used by the participating state. Most states use a two-tier system that categorizes an allegation as substantiated or unsubstantiated. Some states use a three-tier system that includes a third category, indicated. In these states, maltreatment is indicated if there is sufficient reason to suspect that the child may have been maltreated or is at risk of maltreatment, but the level of evidence required by state law to substantiate an allegation does not exist.

A small number of states have diversified systems that do not fit into the traditional two and three tier disposition categories. To accommodate these states, NCANDS uses two additional disposition codes, known as Alternative Response-Victim and Alternative Response-Nonvictim. Only states with a diversified system use these codes.

For analytic purposes, NCANDS considers children who have been assigned the Substantiated, Indicated, or Alternative Response-Victim codes to be victims of maltreatment.

MALTREATMENT DISPOSITION AND OVERALL REPORT DISPOSITION

On a Child File record, dispositions of substantiated, indicated, unsubstantiated, etc. can be assigned for up to four different allegations of maltreatment. For example, if physical abuse and neglect are alleged, either one, both, or neither one may be substantiated.

An overall disposition for the report is also assigned and applies to all children on the report, regardless of the disposition of the individual child's allegations. The disposition of a report will correspond to the highest level of any of the allegations for any of the children on the report. For example, if a report has three children, and only one allegation for one child was substantiated, then the report disposition is substantiated for all three children. If all the allegations for all the children on the report are unsubstantiated, the report disposition is unsubstantiated.

MALTREATMENT CODING

As mentioned above, up to four sets of maltreatment allegations and disposition levels can be assigned for each child on a report. There is no prescribed order in which the maltreatment elements appear on the data record and any maltreatment type can fall in any of the four sets. However, no maltreatment type can be repeated within a given record.

Confidentiality Protection

All ID variables submitted to the NCANDS have been encrypted by the states to prevent tracing a Child File record back to the record in the state's child welfare information system.

To further protect the confidentiality of the individuals in the Child File, the following targeted modifications were made to the data:

1. Four variables, the child's date of birth, the child's county of residence, Worker ID, and Supervisor ID, are dropped from the distributable Child File and are not available to the research community.
2. For records involving a fatality (MALDEATH = 1), the records are kept in the distributable file, but the values for state (STATERR), county of report (RPTCNTY), and the ID variables for the report (RPTID), the child (CHID), and the perpetrators (PER1ID, PER2ID, PER3ID) are recoded to mask the information.
3. If there are fewer than 1,000 records for a given county of report (RPTCNTY), the county code is recoded to mask the information.
4. The report date (RPTDT) variable has been rounded so that days 1-15 round to the 8th of the month and days 16-31 round to the 23rd. As a result, the dates in RPTDT all fall on either Day 8 or Day 23 of the month.
5. All other dates (INVDAT, RPDISPDT, SERVDATE, RMVDATE, and PETDATE) in the distributable Child File have been adjusted so that the interval between that date and the report date is preserved even after the report date has been rounded to either the 8th or the 23rd of the month, as described in item #4 above.

6. The child's age (CHAGE) is top-coded so that any value greater than or equal to 18 is assigned to an "18 or older" code. Similarly, perpetrator age (PER1AGE, PER2AGE, PER3AGE) is top-coded to "70 or older" and bottom-coded to "under 18."

7. If there are a very small number of records at the county level (RPTCNTY) with a particular race or Hispanic ethnicity, the race and ethnicity information for the individual is masked. For example, if there is only one Hawaiian or Pacific Islander child in Richland County, SC, all the race and ethnicity variables for that child will be recoded to Unknown.

Extent of Collection

This collection consists of the following items:

1. A single text data file with data import statements for SAS and SPSS
2. A User's Guide and Codebook produced by the Archive
3. The Child Maltreatment 2001 report produced by the Children's Bureau
4. Guidelines to the states for submitting NCANDS data, which contains valuable information for familiarizing oneself with the NCANDS
5. State data mapping forms, which document how states have converted the data from their information systems to conform to NCANDS data element standards (There are no maps for the District of Columbia, Delaware, Louisiana, Montana, and Ohio)
6. Sample syntax to illustrate common data management tasks that may need to be completed when working with the Child File data

Extent of Processing

NDACAN produced the User's Guide and Codebook and completed the modifications to the data necessary for protecting child and perpetrator confidentiality.

DATA FILE INFORMATION

File Specifications

No.	File Name	File Structure	Record Count	Variable Count
1	Child2001_v1.dat	Rectangular	1,216,626	141

Each record in the Child File consists of a child in a report. Therefore, if there are three children in a report, there will be three records in the data file.

Data File Notes

The perpetrator fields are populated for those records associated with a substantiated, indicated, or

alternative response-victim report. For reports where no victimization was determined, the perpetrator fields contain missing data.

Users should be aware of two important characteristics of Pennsylvania's data. First, Pennsylvania is not allowed by state law to provide any race or Hispanic ethnicity data in its NCANDS data submission. Second, the Pennsylvania reporting system is child-based, meaning that each report has only one child. In other states, children who are subjects of the same investigation share the same report ID, but in Pennsylvania, this is not the case.

CODEBOOK: Dataset #109 Variable Information

The Codebook consists of three sections. The first two sections list the variables in the file, first in the order in which they appear in the data file followed by an alphabetic listing. The third section contains a detailed description of the variables arranged in the order in which they appear in the file.

In the descriptive section the file's variable names, variable labels, and variable formats are provided on the first line. Variable definitions and notes are also provided. When appropriate, variable values and their corresponding labels are listed.

Variable List by Position

Position	Variable Name	Variable Label	Group
1	DataSrc	Data Source	Unassigned
2	SubYr	Submission Year	Report Data
3	StaTerr	State or Territory	Report Data
4	RptID	Report ID	Report Data
5	ChID	Child ID	Report Data
6	RptCnty	FIPS Code for State and County of Report	Report Data
7	RptDt	Report Date	Report Data
8	InvDate	Investigation Start Date	Report Data
9	RptSrc	Report Source	Report Data
10	RptDisp	Report Disposition	Report Data
11	RpDispDt	Report Disposition Date	Report Data
12	Notifs	Notifications	Report Data
13	ChAge	Child Age At Report	Child Data
14	ChSex	Child Sex	Child Data
15	ChRacAI	Child Race Amer Indian or Alaska Native	Child Data
16	ChRacAs	Child Race Asian	Child Data
17	ChRacBl	Child Race Black or African American	Child Data
18	ChRacNH	Child Race Pacific Islander	Child Data
19	ChRacWh	Child Race White	Child Data
20	ChRacUd	Child Race Undetermined	Child Data
21	CEthn	Child Hispanic Ethnicity	Child Data
22	ChLvng	Living Arrangement	Child Data
23	ChMil	Military Family Member	Child Data
24	ChPrior	Prior Victim	Child Data
25	ChMal1	Maltreatment-1 Type	Child Data
26	Mal1Lev	Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level	Child Data
27	ChMal2	Maltreatment-2 Type	Child Data
28	Mal2Lev	Maltreatment-2 Disposition Level	Child Data
29	ChMal3	Maltreatment-3 Type	Child Data
30	Mal3Lev	Maltreatment-3 Disposition Level	Child Data
31	ChMal4	Maltreatment-4 Type	Child Data
32	Mal4Lev	Maltreatment-4 Disposition Level	Child Data
33	MalDeath	Maltreatment Death	Child Data
34	CdAlc	Alcohol Abuse-Child	Child Risk Factors
35	CdDrug	Drug Abuse-Child	Child Risk Factors

Position	Variable Name	Variable Label	Group
36	CdRtrd	Mental Retardation-Child	Child Risk Factors
37	CdEmotnl	Emotionally Disturbed-Child	Child Risk Factors
38	CdVisual	Visually Or Hearing Impaired-Child	Child Risk Factors
39	CdLearn	Learning Disability-Child	Child Risk Factors
40	CdPhys	Physically Disabled-Child	Child Risk Factors
41	CdBehav	Behavior Problem-Child	Child Risk Factors
42	CdMedicl	Other Medical Condition-Child	Child Risk Factors
43	FcAlc	Alcohol Abuse-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
44	FcDrug	Drug Abuse-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
45	FcRtrd	Mental Retardation-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
46	FcEmotnl	Emotionally Disturbed-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
47	FcVisual	Visually or Hearing Impaired-Caretakers	Caretaker Risk Factors
48	FcLearn	Learning Disability-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
49	FcPhys	Physically Disabled-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
50	FcMedicl	Other Medical Condition-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
51	FcViol	Domestic Violence	Caretaker Risk Factors
52	FcHouse	Inadequate Housing	Caretaker Risk Factors
53	FcMoney	Financial Problem	Caretaker Risk Factors
54	FcPublic	Public Assistance	Caretaker Risk Factors
55	PostServ	Post Investigation Services	Services Provided
56	ServDate	Service Date	Services Provided
57	FamSup	Family Support Services	Services Provided
58	FamPres	Family Preservation Services	Services Provided
59	FosterCr	Foster Care Services	Services Provided
60	RmvDate	Removal Date	Services Provided
61	JuvPet	Juvenile Court Petition	Services Provided
62	PetDate	Petition Date	Services Provided
63	CoChRep	Court-Appointed Child Representative	Services Provided
64	Adopt	Adoption Services	Services Provided
65	CaseMang	Case Management Services	Services Provided
66	Counsel	Counseling Services	Services Provided
67	DayCare	Day Care Services-Child	Services Provided
68	Educatn	Educational and Training Services	Services Provided
69	Employ	Employment Services	Services Provided
70	FamPlan	Family Planning Services	Services Provided
71	Health	Health-Related and Home Health Services	Services Provided
72	HomeBase	Home-Based Services	Services Provided
73	Housing	Housing Services	Services Provided

Position	Variable Name	Variable Label	Group
74	TransLiv	Independent and Transitional Living Serv	Services Provided
75	InfoRef	Information and Referral Services	Services Provided
76	Legal	Legal Services	Services Provided
77	MentHlth	Mental Health Services	Services Provided
78	PregPar	Pregnancy and Parenting Services	Services Provided
79	Respite	Respite Care Services	Services Provided
80	SSDisabl	Special Services-Disabled	Services Provided
81	SSDelinq	Special Services-Juvenile Delinquent	Services Provided
82	SubAbuse	Substance Abuse Services	Services Provided
83	Transprt	Transportation Services	Services Provided
84	OtherSv	Other Services	Services Provided
85	Per1ID	Perpetrator-1 ID	Perpetrators Data
86	Per1Rel	Perpetrator-1 Relationship	Perpetrators Data
87	Per1Prnt	Perpetrator-1 As A Parent	Perpetrators Data
88	Per1Cr	Perpetrator-1 As A Caretaker	Perpetrators Data
89	Per1Age	Perpetrator-1 Age at Report	Perpetrators Data
90	Per1Sex	Perpetrator-1 Sex	Perpetrators Data
91	P1RacAI	Perp-1 Race Amer Indian or Alaska Native	Perpetrators Data
92	P1RacAs	Perpetrator-1 Race Asian	Perpetrators Data
93	P1RacBI	Perp-1 Race Black or African American	Perpetrators Data
94	P1RacNH	Perp-1 Race Pacific Islander	Perpetrators Data
95	P1RacWh	Perpetrator-1 Race White	Perpetrators Data
96	P1RacUd	Perpetrator-1 Race Undetermined	Perpetrators Data
97	Per1Ethn	Perpetrator-1 Hispanic Ethnicity	Perpetrators Data
98	Per1Mil	Perpetrator-1 Military Member	Perpetrators Data
99	Per1Pior	Perpetrator-1 Prior Abuser	Perpetrators Data
100	Per1Mal1	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-1	Perpetrators Data
101	Per1Mal2	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-2	Perpetrators Data
102	Per1Mal3	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-3	Perpetrators Data
103	Per1Mal4	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-4	Perpetrators Data
104	Per2ID	Perpetrator-2 ID	Perpetrators Data
105	Per2Rel	Perpetrator-2 Relationship	Perpetrators Data
106	Per2Prnt	Perpetrator-2 As A Parent	Perpetrators Data
107	Per2Cr	Perpetrator-2 As A Caretaker	Perpetrators Data
108	Per2Age	Perpetrator-2 Age At Report	Perpetrators Data
109	Per2Sex	Perpetrator-2 Sex	Perpetrators Data
110	P2RacAI	Perp-2 Race Amer Indian or Alaska Native	Perpetrators Data
111	P2RacAs	Perpetrator-2 Race Asian	Perpetrators Data

Position	Variable Name	Variable Label	Group
112	P2RacBl	Perp-2 Race Black or African American	Perpetrators Data
113	P2RacNH	Perp-2 Race Pacific Islander	Perpetrators Data
114	P2RacWh	Perpetrator-2 Race White	Perpetrators Data
115	P2RacUd	Perpetrator-2 Race Undetermined	Perpetrators Data
116	Per2Ethn	Perpetrator-2 Hispanic Ethnicity	Perpetrators Data
117	Per2Mil	Perpetrator-2 Military Member	Perpetrators Data
118	Per2Pior	Perpetrator-2 Prior Abuser	Perpetrators Data
119	Per2Mal1	Perpetrator-2 Maltreatment-1	Perpetrators Data
120	Per2Mal2	Perpetrator-2 Maltreatment-2	Perpetrators Data
121	Per2Mal3	Perpetrator-2 Maltreatment-3	Perpetrators Data
122	Per2Mal4	Perpetrator-2 Maltreatment-4	Perpetrators Data
123	Per3ID	Perpetrator-3 ID	Perpetrators Data
124	Per3Rel	Perpetrator-3 Relationship	Perpetrators Data
125	Per3Prnt	Perpetrator-3 As A Parent	Perpetrators Data
126	Per3Cr	Perpetrator-3 As A Caretaker	Perpetrators Data
127	Per3Age	Perpetrator-3 Age At Report	Perpetrators Data
128	Per3Sex	Perpetrator-3 Sex	Perpetrators Data
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130	P3RacAs	Perpetrator-3 Race Asian	Perpetrators Data
131	P3RacBl	Perp-3 Race Black or African American	Perpetrators Data
132	P3RacNH	Perp-3 Race Pacific Islander	Perpetrators Data
133	P3RacWh	Perpetrator-3 Race White	Perpetrators Data
134	P3RacUd	Perpetrator-3 Race Undetermined	Perpetrators Data
135	Per3Ethn	Perpetrator-3 Hispanic Ethnicity	Perpetrators Data
136	Per3Mil	Perpetrator-3 Military Member	Perpetrators Data
137	Per3Pior	Perpetrator-3 Prior Abuser	Perpetrators Data
138	Per3Mal1	Perpetrator-3 Maltreatment-1	Perpetrators Data
139	Per3Mal2	Perpetrator-3 Maltreatment-2	Perpetrators Data
140	Per3Mal3	Perpetrator-3 Maltreatment-3	Perpetrators Data
141	Per3Mal4	Perpetrator-3 Maltreatment-4	Perpetrators Data

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64	Adopt	Adoption Services	Services Provided
65	CaseMang	Case Management Services	Services Provided
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41	CdBehav	Behavior Problem-Child	Child Risk Factors
35	CdDrug	Drug Abuse-Child	Child Risk Factors
37	CdEmotnl	Emotionally Disturbed-Child	Child Risk Factors
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42	CdMedicl	Other Medical Condition-Child	Child Risk Factors
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20	ChRacUd	Child Race Undetermined	Child Data
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14	ChSex	Child Sex	Child Data
63	CoChRep	Court-Appointed Child Representative	Services Provided
66	Counsel	Counseling Services	Services Provided
1	DataSrc	Data Source	Unassigned
67	DayCare	Day Care Services-Child	Services Provided
68	Educatn	Educational and Training Services	Services Provided
69	Employ	Employment Services	Services Provided
70	FamPlan	Family Planning Services	Services Provided

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58	FamPres	Family Preservation Services	Services Provided
57	FamSup	Family Support Services	Services Provided
43	FcAlc	Alcohol Abuse-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
44	FcDrug	Drug Abuse-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
46	FcEmotnl	Emotionally Disturbed-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
52	FcHouse	Inadequate Housing	Caretaker Risk Factors
48	FcLearn	Learning Disability-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
50	FcMedicl	Other Medical Condition-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
53	FcMoney	Financial Problem	Caretaker Risk Factors
49	FcPhys	Physically Disabled-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
54	FcPublic	Public Assistance	Caretaker Risk Factors
45	FcRtrd	Mental Retardation-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors
51	FcViol	Domestic Violence	Caretaker Risk Factors
47	FcVisual	Visually or Hearing Impaired-Caretakers	Caretaker Risk Factors
59	FosterCr	Foster Care Services	Services Provided
71	Health	Health-Related and Home Health Services	Services Provided
72	HomeBase	Home-Based Services	Services Provided
73	Housing	Housing Services	Services Provided
75	InfoRef	Information and Referral Services	Services Provided
8	InvDate	Investigation Start Date	Report Data
61	JuvPet	Juvenile Court Petition	Services Provided
76	Legal	Legal Services	Services Provided
26	Mal1Lev	Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level	Child Data
28	Mal2Lev	Maltreatment-2 Disposition Level	Child Data
30	Mal3Lev	Maltreatment-3 Disposition Level	Child Data
32	Mal4Lev	Maltreatment-4 Disposition Level	Child Data
33	MalDeath	Maltreatment Death	Child Data
77	MentHlth	Mental Health Services	Services Provided
12	Notifs	Notifications	Report Data
84	OtherSv	Other Services	Services Provided
91	P1RacAI	Perp-1 Race Amer Indian or Alaska Native	Perpetrators Data
92	P1RacAs	Perpetrator-1 Race Asian	Perpetrators Data
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96	P1RacUd	Perpetrator-1 Race Undetermined	Perpetrators Data
95	P1RacWh	Perpetrator-1 Race White	Perpetrators Data
110	P2RacAI	Perp-2 Race Amer Indian or Alaska Native	Perpetrators Data
111	P2RacAs	Perpetrator-2 Race Asian	Perpetrators Data

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114	P2RacWh	Perpetrator-2 Race White	Perpetrators Data
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130	P3RacAs	Perpetrator-3 Race Asian	Perpetrators Data
131	P3RacBl	Perp-3 Race Black or African American	Perpetrators Data
132	P3RacNH	Perp-3 Race Pacific Islander	Perpetrators Data
134	P3RacUd	Perpetrator-3 Race Undetermined	Perpetrators Data
133	P3RacWh	Perpetrator-3 Race White	Perpetrators Data
89	Per1Age	Perpetrator-1 Age at Report	Perpetrators Data
88	Per1Cr	Perpetrator-1 As A Caretaker	Perpetrators Data
97	Per1Ethn	Perpetrator-1 Hispanic Ethnicity	Perpetrators Data
85	Per1ID	Perpetrator-1 ID	Perpetrators Data
100	Per1Mal1	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-1	Perpetrators Data
101	Per1Mal2	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-2	Perpetrators Data
102	Per1Mal3	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-3	Perpetrators Data
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98	Per1Mil	Perpetrator-1 Military Member	Perpetrators Data
99	Per1Pior	Perpetrator-1 Prior Abuser	Perpetrators Data
87	Per1Prnt	Perpetrator-1 As A Parent	Perpetrators Data
86	Per1Rel	Perpetrator-1 Relationship	Perpetrators Data
90	Per1Sex	Perpetrator-1 Sex	Perpetrators Data
108	Per2Age	Perpetrator-2 Age At Report	Perpetrators Data
107	Per2Cr	Perpetrator-2 As A Caretaker	Perpetrators Data
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104	Per2ID	Perpetrator-2 ID	Perpetrators Data
119	Per2Mal1	Perpetrator-2 Maltreatment-1	Perpetrators Data
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126	Per3Cr	Perpetrator-3 As A Caretaker	Perpetrators Data

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62	PetDate	Petition Date	Services Provided
55	PostServ	Post Investigation Services	Services Provided
78	PregPar	Pregnancy and Parenting Services	Services Provided
79	Respite	Respite Care Services	Services Provided
60	RmvDate	Removal Date	Services Provided
11	RpDispDt	Report Disposition Date	Report Data
6	RptCnty	FIPS Code for State and County of Report	Report Data
10	RptDisp	Report Disposition	Report Data
7	RptDt	Report Date	Report Data
4	RptID	Report ID	Report Data
9	RptSrc	Report Source	Report Data
56	ServDate	Service Date	Services Provided
81	SSDelinq	Special Services-Juvenile Delinquent	Services Provided
80	SSDisabl	Special Services-Disabled	Services Provided
3	StaTerr	State or Territory	Report Data
82	SubAbuse	Substance Abuse Services	Services Provided
2	SubYr	Submission Year	Report Data
74	TransLiv	Independent and Transitional Living Serv	Services Provided
83	Transprt	Transportation Services	Services Provided

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1	DataSrc	Data Source	Unassigned	A8	1-8
		<p>The version number of the NCANDS mapping form that the State used to submit its data.</p> <p><i>Records in the Child File format, which was adopted with the 2000 data year, have values of "CHILD_V4" or "CHILD_V5." Records in the pre-2000 DCDC format have the value 2.00.</i></p> <p><i>If MalDeath = 1 (Child Died), then this variable is recoded to "XXX" (Not Provided for Confidentiality Reasons)</i></p>			
2	SubYr	Submission Year	Report Data	F4	9-12
		<p>The submission year is defined as including all reports whose dispositions occurred within the specified year. Reports received, but whose dispositions did not occur during the specified year, should not be included in the NCANDS data submission. Reports received in a prior year, but whose disposition was made within the reporting year, should be included in the NCANDS data submission.</p> <p><i>* Only reports with completed investigations in the current submission year are subject to inclusion. Pending investigations should not be included.</i></p>			
3	StaTerr	State or Territory	Report Data	A2	13-14
		<p>The State/Territory submitting child abuse and neglect data for the NCANDS</p> <p><i>If MalDeath = 1 (Child Died), then this variable is recoded to "XX" (Not Provided for Confidentiality Reasons)</i></p>			
4	RptID	Report ID	Report Data	A10	15-24
		<p>A unique identification assigned to each report of child maltreatment. This identification is not the actual State report identification but is an encrypted identification assigned by the State for the purposes of the NCANDS data collection.</p> <p><i>If MalDeath = 1 (Child Died), then this variable is suppressed (recoded to "XXXXXXXX")</i></p>			

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	12115	Sarasota, FL		
	12117	Seminole, FL		
	12127	Volusia, FL		
	20173	Sedgwick, KS		
	21059	Daviess, KY		
	21067	Fayette, KY		
	21093	Hardin, KY		
	21111	Jefferson, KY		
	21117	Kenton, KY		
	21193	Perry, KY		
	21227	Warren, KY		
	22017	Caddo, LA		
	22019	Calcasieu, LA		
	22033	East Baton Rouge, LA		
	22051	Jefferson, LA		
	22055	Lafayette, LA		
	22063	Livingston, LA		
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	22079	Rapides, LA		
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	30093	Silver Bow, MT		
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	37001	Alamance, NC		
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	42003	Allegheny, PA		
	42101	Philadelphia, PA		
	44007	Providence, RI		
	48027	Bell, TX		
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	48037	Bowie, TX		
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7	RptDt	Report Date	Report Data	DATE11	40-50
<p>The month, day, and year that the responsible agency was notified of the suspected child maltreatment.</p> <p><i>In the Contributed File, this var is continuous. On output, it is rounded to the 1st or the 15th in this manner:</i></p> <p><i>Days 1-15 rounds to 8th of month</i></p> <p><i>Days 16-31 round to 23rd</i></p> <p><i>Code: Format(DateRounder([RptDt]),"dd-mmm-yyyy")</i></p>					

8	InvDate	Investigation Start Date	Report Data	DATE11	51-61
<p>The date when CPS initially contacted or attempted to have face-to-face contact with the alleged victim.</p> <p><i>If this face-to-face contact is not possible, the date would be when CPS initially contacted any party who could provide information essential to the investigation or assessment.</i></p> <p><i>The date has been adjusted from the contributed file so that the interval in days between InvDate and RptDt (Report Date) is preserved even after RptDt has been rounded to either the 8th or the 23rd of the month.</i></p>					

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12	Alleged Perpetrator																														

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		13 Anonymous Reporter			
		88 Other			
		99 Unknown or Missing			
10	RptDisp	Report Disposition	Report Data	F2	64-65
		<p>The conclusion reached by the responsible agency regarding the report of maltreatment pertaining to the child in the record.</p> <p><i>This is the final finding or disposition of the report. If at least one maltreatment for any child in the report is "substantiated", all records (children) with this same Report ID should have this Report Disposition set to "substantiated". If all maltreatments for all children in the report are "unsubstantiated", all records (children) with this same Report ID should have the Report Disposition set to "unsubstantiated".</i></p>			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Substantiated		
		2	Indicated or Reason to Suspect		
		3	Alternative Response Disposition-Victim		
		4	Alt Response Disposition-Not a Victim		
		5	Unsubstantiated		
		6	Unsub due to Intentionally False Report		
		7	Closed-No Finding		
		88	Other		
		99	Unknown or Missing		
11	RpDispDt	Report Disposition Date	Report Data	DATE11	66-76
		<p>The month, day, and year that a decision was made by the child protective services agency or court regarding the disposition of a report or investigation of alleged child maltreatment.</p> <p><i>This date determines if the report is to be included in the data submission for this year.</i></p> <p><i>The date has been adjusted from the contributed file so that the interval in days between RpDispDt and RptDt (Report Date) is preserved even after RptDt has been rounded to either the 8th or the 23rd of the month. As a result of this adjustment, some disposition dates may fall out of the legitimate range between January 1 and December 31. These dates do not need to be cleaned out as errors; they are merely a consequence of the rounding adjustment.</i></p>			
12	Notifs	Notifications	Report Data	F1	77-77
		<p>Mandated or courtesy contacting of other agencies with overlapping or potentially overlapping jurisdiction concerning a report of child maltreatment.</p>			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	None		
		2	Police/Prosecutor		
		3	Licensing Agency		
		4	Both		
		8	Other		
		9	Unknown or Missing		

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>										
13	ChAge	Child Age At Report Age, calculated in years, as of the date of the report of alleged child maltreatment. <i>In the Contributed File, this var is continuous. On output, it is top-coded to "18 or older".</i>	Child Data	F2	78-79										
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14	ChSex	Child Sex The gender of the child at the time of the report.	Child Data	F1	80-80										
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15	ChRacAI	Child Race Amer Indian or Alaska Native A child having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment. <i>If there are a very small number of records at the county level (RPTCNTY) with a particular race or Hispanic ethnicity, the race and ethnicity information for the individual is masked.</i>	Child Data	F1	81-81										
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16	ChRacAs	Child Race Asian A child having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian sub continent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam. <i>If there are a very small number of records at the county level (RPTCNTY) with a particular race or Hispanic ethnicity, the race and ethnicity information for the individual is masked.</i>	Child Data	F1	82-82										
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17	ChRacBI	Child Race Black or African American A child having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa. <i>If there are a very small number of records at the county level (RPTCNTY) with a particular race or Hispanic ethnicity, the race and ethnicity information for the individual is masked.</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing	Child Data	F1	83-83
18	ChRacNH	Child Race Pacific Islander A child having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands. <i>If there are a very small number of records at the county level (RPTCNTY) with a particular race or Hispanic ethnicity, the race and ethnicity information for the individual is masked.</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing	Child Data	F1	84-84
19	ChRacWh	Child Race White A child having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa. <i>If there are a very small number of records at the county level (RPTCNTY) with a particular race or Hispanic ethnicity, the race and ethnicity information for the individual is masked.</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing	Child Data	F1	85-85
20	ChRacUd	Child Race Undetermined The investigation has been unable to determine the race of the child. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Child Data	F1	86-86
21	CEthn	Child Hispanic Ethnicity A child of Hispanic or Latino Ethnicity is a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race. <i>Value Value Label</i>	Child Data	F1	87-87

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
		1 Yes, Hispanic or Latino 2 Not Hispanic or Latino 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing			
22	ChLvng	Living Arrangement The home environment, e.g., family or foster care, in which the child was residing at the time of the alleged incident of maltreatment. "Other" living arrangement includes substitute care homes/facilities. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 With Family, Not in Foster Care 2 Foster Care, Relative 3 Foster Care, Non-Relative 4 Group or Inst Care Under CWS Supervision 5 Non-CWS Institution 8 Other 9 Unknown or Missing	Child Data	F1	88-88
23	ChMil	Military Family Member A person who is the legal dependent of an individual on active duty in the Armed Services of the United States. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Child Data	F1	89-89
24	ChPrior	Prior Victim The existence of previous substantiated or indicated incidents of maltreatment of the child victim. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Child Data	F1	90-90
25	ChMal1	Maltreatment-1 Type A particular form of child maltreatment that is determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law such as physical abuse, neglect or deprivation of necessities, sexual abuse, psychological or emotional maltreatment, and other forms included in State law. <i>This is the first type of maltreatment reported on the child victim's record. If a maltreatment is reported in this field then a maltreatment level should be provided in the corresponding maltreatment disposition level field.</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Physical Abuse 2 Neglect or Deprivation of Necessities 3 Medical Neglect 4 Sexual Abuse 5 Psychological or Emotional Maltreatment	Child Data	F1	91-91

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
		8 Other 9 Unknown or Missing			
26	Mal1Lev	Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level The disposition of alleged Maltreatment-1 Type.	Child Data	F2	92-93
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Substantiated 2 Indicated or Reason to Suspect 3 Alternative Response Disposition-Victim 4 Alt Response Disposition-Not a Victim 5 Unsubstantiated 6 Unsub due to Intentionally False Report 7 Closed-No Finding 88 Other 99 Unknown or Missing			
27	ChMal2	Maltreatment-2 Type A particular form of child maltreatment that is determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law such as physical abuse, neglect or deprivation of necessities, sexual abuse, psychological or emotional maltreatment, and other forms included in State law.	Child Data	F1	94-94
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Physical Abuse 2 Neglect or Deprivation of Necessities 3 Medical Neglect 4 Sexual Abuse 5 Psychological or Emotional Maltreatment 8 Other 9 Unknown or Missing			
28	Mal2Lev	Maltreatment-2 Disposition Level The disposition of alleged Maltreatment-2 Type.	Child Data	F2	95-96
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Substantiated 2 Indicated or Reason to Suspect 3 Alternative Response Disposition-Victim 4 Alt Response Disposition-Not a Victim 5 Unsubstantiated 6 Unsub due to Intentionally False Report 7 Closed-No Finding 88 Other 99 Unknown or Missing			

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29	ChMal3	Maltreatment-3 Type	Child Data	F1	97-97
		A particular form of child maltreatment that is determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law such as physical abuse, neglect or deprivation of necessities, sexual abuse, psychological or emotional maltreatment, and other forms included in State law.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Physical Abuse		
		2	Neglect or Deprivation of Necessities		
		3	Medical Neglect		
		4	Sexual Abuse		
		5	Psychological or Emotional Maltreatment		
		8	Other		
		9	Unknown or Missing		
30	Mal3Lev	Maltreatment-3 Disposition Level	Child Data	F2	98-99
		The disposition of alleged Maltreatment-3 Type.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Substantiated		
		2	Indicated or Reason to Suspect		
		3	Alternative Response Disposition-Victim		
		4	Alt Response Disposition-Not a Victim		
		5	Unsubstantiated		
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		7	Closed-No Finding		
		88	Other		
		99	Unknown or Missing		
31	ChMal4	Maltreatment-4 Type	Child Data	F1	100-100
		A particular form of child maltreatment that is determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law such as physical abuse, neglect or deprivation of necessities, sexual abuse, psychological or emotional maltreatment, and other forms included in State law.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Physical Abuse		
		2	Neglect or Deprivation of Necessities		
		3	Medical Neglect		
		4	Sexual Abuse		
		5	Psychological or Emotional Maltreatment		
		8	Other		
		9	Unknown or Missing		
32	Mal4Lev	Maltreatment-4 Disposition Level	Child Data	F2	101-102
		The disposition of alleged Maltreatment-4 Type.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Substantiated		
		2	Indicated or Reason to Suspect		
		3	Alternative Response Disposition-Victim		

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
		4 Alt Response Disposition-Not a Victim 5 Unsubstantiated 6 Unsub due to Intentionally False Report 7 Closed-No Finding 88 Other 99 Unknown or Missing			
33	MalDeath	Maltreatment Death	Child Data	F1	103-103
		The child died as a result of abuse or neglect, because either: (a) an injury resulting from the abuse or neglect was the cause of death; or (b) abuse and/or neglect were contributing factors to the cause of death. <i>If this variable is coded 1 (Child Death), then the following variables are suppressed to protect confidentiality:</i> <i>StaTerr (State or Territory)</i> <i>RptCnty (County of Report)</i> <i>ChID (Child Identifier)</i> <i>RptID (Report Identifier)</i> <i>Per*ID (Perpetrator 1-3 Identifier)</i> <i>DataSrc (Data Source)</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
34	CdAlc	Alcohol Abuse-Child	Child Risk Factors	F1	104-104
		A compulsive use of or need for alcohol by the child. This element should include infants addicted at birth, or who are victims of Fetal Alcohol Syndrome, or who may suffer other disabilities due to the use of alcohol during pregnancy. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
35	CdDrug	Drug Abuse-Child	Child Risk Factors	F1	105-105
		The compulsive use of or need for narcotics by the child. This element should include infants addicted at birth. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
36	CdRtrd	Mental Retardation-Child	Child Risk Factors	F1	106-106
		Significantly subaverage general cognitive and motor functioning existing concurrently with deficits in adaptive behavior manifested during the developmental period that adversely affect a child's/youth's socialization and learning. This condition must be clinically diagnosed. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No			

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		9 Unknown or Missing			
37	CdEmotnl	Emotionally Disturbed-Child	Child Risk Factors	F1	107-107
		<p>A condition exhibiting one or more of the following characteristics over a long period of time and to a marked degree: an inability to build or maintain satisfactory interpersonal relationships; inappropriate types of behavior or feelings under normal circumstances; a general pervasive mood of unhappiness or depression; or a tendency to develop physical symptoms or fears associated with personal problems. The term includes persons who are schizophrenic or autistic. The term does not include persons who are socially maladjusted, unless it is determined that they are also seriously emotionally disturbed. This condition must be clinically diagnosed. The diagnosis is based on the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (the most recent edition of DSM).</p>			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
		9	Unknown or Missing		
38	CdVisual	Visually Or Hearing Impaired-Child	Child Risk Factors	F1	108-108
		<p>A clinically diagnosed handicapping condition of the child related to a visual impairment or permanent or fluctuating hearing or speech impairment that may significantly affect functioning or development.</p>			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
		9	Unknown or Missing		
39	CdLearn	Learning Disability-Child	Child Risk Factors	F1	109-109
		<p>A disorder in one or more of the child's basic psychological processes involved in understanding or using language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself in an imperfect ability to listen, think, speak, read, write, spell or to use mathematical calculations. The term includes conditions such as perceptual disability, brain injury, minimal brain dysfunction, dyslexia, and developmental aphasia.</p>			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
		9	Unknown or Missing		
40	CdPhys	Physically Disabled-Child	Child Risk Factors	F1	110-110
		<p>A physical condition that adversely affects the child's day to day motor functioning, such as cerebral palsy, spina bifida, multiple sclerosis, orthopedic impairments, and other physical disabilities.</p>			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
		9	Unknown or Missing		

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
41	CdBehav	Behavior Problem-Child Behavior in the school and/or community that adversely affects socialization, learning, growth, and moral development. These may include adjudicated or non-adjudicated child behavior problems. This would include the child's running away from home or a placement. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Child Risk Factors	F1	111-111
42	CdMedicl	Other Medical Condition-Child A medical condition other than mental retardation, visual or hearing impairment, physical disability, or being emotionally disturbed, that significantly affects the functioning or development of the child or requires special medical care such as chronic illnesses. Included are children diagnosed as HIV positive or with AIDS. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Child Risk Factors	F1	112-112
43	FcAlc	Alcohol Abuse-Caretaker(s) The principal caretaker(s)' compulsive use of alcohol that is not of a temporary nature. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	113-113
44	FcDrug	Drug Abuse-Caretaker(s) The principal caretaker(s)' compulsive use of drugs that is not of a temporary nature. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	114-114
45	FcRtrd	Mental Retardation-Caretaker(s) Significantly subaverage general cognitive and motor functioning existing concurrently with deficits in adaptive behavior that adversely affect socialization and learning. This condition must be clinically diagnosed. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	115-115

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46	FcEmotnl	Emotionally Disturbed-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	116-116
		<p>A condition exhibiting one or more of the following characteristics over a long period of time and to a marked degree: an inability to build or maintain satisfactory interpersonal relationships; inappropriate types of behavior or feelings under normal circumstances; a general pervasive mood of unhappiness or depression; or a tendency to develop physical symptoms or fears associated with personal problems. The term includes persons who are schizophrenic or autistic. The term does not include persons who are socially maladjusted, unless it is determined that they are also seriously emotionally disturbed. This condition must be clinically diagnosed. The diagnosis is based on the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (the most recent edition of DSM).</p> <p><i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p> <p>9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
47	FcVisual	Visually or Hearing Impaired-Caretakers	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	117-117
		<p>A clinically diagnosed handicapping condition of the principal caretaker(s) related to a visual impairment or permanent or fluctuating hearing or speech impairment that may significantly affect functioning or development.</p> <p><i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p> <p>9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
48	FcLearn	Learning Disability-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	118-118
		<p>A disorder in one or more of the principal caretaker(s)'s basic psychological processes involved in understanding or using language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself in an imperfect ability to listen, think, speak, read, write, spell or to use mathematical calculations. The term includes conditions such as perceptual disability, brain injury, minimal brain dysfunction, dyslexia, and developmental aphasia.</p> <p><i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p> <p>9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
49	FcPhys	Physically Disabled-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	119-119
		<p>A physical condition that adversely affects the caretaker(s)' day to day motor functioning, such as cerebral palsy, spina bifida, multiple sclerosis, orthopedic impairments, and other physical disabilities.</p> <p><i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p> <p>9 Unknown or Missing</p>			

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
50	FcMedicl	Other Medical Condition-Caretaker(s)	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	120-120
		A medical condition other than mental retardation, visual or hearing impairment, physical disability, or being emotionally disturbed, that significantly affects the functioning or development of the primary caretaker(s) and their ability to provide a suitable child care environment.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
		9	Unknown or Missing		
51	FcViol	Domestic Violence	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	121-121
		Incidents of inter-spousal physical or emotional abuse perpetrated by one of the spouses or parent figures upon the other spouse or parent figure in the child victim's home environment.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
		9	Unknown or Missing		
52	FcHouse	Inadequate Housing	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	122-122
		A risk factor related to substandard, overcrowded, unsafe, or otherwise inadequate housing conditions, including homelessness.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
		9	Unknown or Missing		
53	FcMoney	Financial Problem	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	123-123
		A risk factor related to the family's inability to provide sufficient financial resources to meet minimum needs.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
		9	Unknown or Missing		
54	FcPublic	Public Assistance	Caretaker Risk Factors	F1	124-124
		Any one or combination of the following welfare or social services programs: AFDC, General Assistance, Medicaid, SSI, Food Stamps, etc.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
		9	Unknown or Missing		

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55	PostServ	Post Investigation Services	Services Provided	F1	125-125
		<p>The child protective services agency, social services agency, and/or the child welfare agency provides or arranges post investigation services for the child/family as a result of needs discovered during the course of the investigation. If services were being provided prior to or as a result of the report of alleged child maltreatment, the continuation of the service provisions after the disposition of the investigation would constitute post investigation services. Post investigation services are delivered within the first 90 days after the disposition of the report and would include: Family Preservation, Family Support, Foster Care and other services listed in the NCANDS record layout.</p>			
		<p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p> <p>9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
56	ServDate	Service Date	Services Provided	DATE11	126-136
		<p>The service date for post investigation services provided as a result of needs discovered during the course of the investigation should be the date of the report disposition or a date decided by the State to be more appropriate than the report disposition date. The service date for cases for which services were continued (or changed) as a result of the investigation disposition should be the date of the most recent case opening prior to the receipt of the report of alleged child maltreatment.</p> <p><i>The date has been adjusted from the contributed file so that the interval in days between ServDate and RptDt (Report Date) is preserved even after RptDt has been rounded to either the 8th or the 23rd of the month.</i></p>			
57	FamSup	Family Support Services	Services Provided	F1	137-137
		<p>Family support services are primarily community-based preventative activities designed to alleviate stress and promote parental competencies and behaviors that will increase the ability of families to successfully nurture their children; enable families to use other resources and opportunities available in the community; and create supportive networks to enhance child-rearing abilities of parents and help compensate for the increased social isolation and vulnerability of families.</p>			
		<p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p> <p>9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
58	FamPres	Family Preservation Services	Services Provided	F1	138-138
		<p>Family preservation services typically are services designed to help families alleviate crises that might lead to out-of-home placement of children; maintain the safety of children in their own homes; support families preparing to reunify or adopt; and assist families in obtaining services and other supports necessary to address their multiple needs in a culturally sensitive manner. (If a child cannot be protected from harm without placement or the family does not have adequate strengths on which to build, family preservation services are not appropriate.</p>			
		<p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p>			

<i>Position Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>	
	2 No 9 Unknown or Missing				
59	FosterCr	Foster Care Services	Services Provided	F1	139-139
	Services or activities associated with 24 hour substitute care for all children placed away from their parents or guardians and for whom the State agency has placement and care responsibility.				
	<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>			
	1	Yes			
	2	No			
	9	Unknown or Missing			
60	RmvDate	Removal Date	Services Provided	DATE11	140-150
	The month, day, and year that the child was removed from the care and supervision of his or her parents or parental substitutes, during or as a result of the investigation, by the child protective services or social services agency. If a child has been removed more than once, the removal date is the first removal in concert with the investigation.				
	<i>The date has been adjusted from the contributed file so that the interval in days between RmvDate and RptDt (Report Date) is preserved even after RptDt has been rounded to either the 8th or the 23rd of the month.</i>				
61	JuvPet	Juvenile Court Petition	Services Provided	F1	151-151
	A legal document filed with the court of original jurisdiction overseeing matters affecting children, requesting that the court take action regarding the child's status as a result of the investigation; usually a petition requesting the child be declared a dependent or delinquent child, or that the child be placed in an out of home setting.				
	<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>			
	1	Yes			
	2	No			
	9	Unknown or Missing			
62	PetDate	Petition Date	Services Provided	DATE11	152-162
	The month, day, and year that the juvenile court petition was filed.				
	<i>The date has been adjusted from the contributed file so that the interval in days between PetDate and RptDt (Report Date) is preserved even after RptDt has been rounded to either the 8th or the 23rd of the month.</i>				
63	CoChRep	Court-Appointed Child Representative	Services Provided	F1	163-163
	A person required to be appointed by the court to represent a child in a neglect or abuse proceeding. May be an attorney or a court-appointed special advocate (or both) and is often referred to as a guardian ad litem. Makes recommendations to the court concerning the best interests of the child.				
	<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>			
	1	Yes			

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
		2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
64	Adopt	Adoption Services Services or activities provided to assist in bringing about the adoption of a child.	Services Provided	F1	164-164
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
65	CaseMang	Case Management Services Services or activities for the arrangement, coordination, and monitoring of services to meet the needs of children and their families.	Services Provided	F1	165-165
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
66	Counsel	Counseling Services Services or activities that apply the therapeutic processes to personal, family, situational or occupational problems in order to bring about a positive resolution of the problem or improved individual or family functioning or circumstances.	Services Provided	F1	166-166
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
67	DayCare	Day Care Services-Child Services or activities provided in a setting that meets applicable standards of State and local law, in a center or in a home, for a portion of a 24-hour day.	Services Provided	F1	167-167
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
68	Educatn	Educational and Training Services Services provided to the victim and/or the family to improve knowledge or daily living skills and to enhance cultural opportunities.	Services Provided	F1	168-168
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
69	Employ	Employment Services Services or activities provided to assist individuals in securing employment or acquiring of learning skills that promote opportunities for employment.	Services Provided	F1	169-169
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i>			

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
		1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
70	FamPlan	Family Planning Services Educational, comprehensive medical or social services or activities which enable individuals, including minors, to determine freely the number and spacing of their children and to select the means by which this may be achieved.	Services Provided	F1	170-170
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
71	Health	Health-Related and Home Health Services Services to attain and maintain a favorable condition of health.	Services Provided	F1	171-171
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
72	HomeBase	Home-Based Services In-home services or activities provided to individuals or families to assist with household or personal care activities that improve or maintain adequate family well-being. Includes homemaker services, chore services, home maintenance services and household management services.	Services Provided	F1	172-172
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
73	Housing	Housing Services Services or activities designed to assist individuals or families in locating, obtaining or retaining suitable housing.	Services Provided	F1	173-173
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
74	TransLiv	Independent and Transitional Living Serv Services and activities designed to help older youth in foster care or homeless youth make the transition to independent living.	Services Provided	F1	174-174
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
75	InfoRef	Information and Referral Services Services or activities designed to provide information about services provided by public and private service providers and a brief assessment of client needs (but not a diagnosis and evaluation) to facilitate appropriate referral to these community resources. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Services Provided	F1	175-175
76	Legal	Legal Services Services or activities provided by a lawyer, or other person(s) under the supervision of a lawyer, to assist individuals in seeking or obtaining legal help in civil matters such as housing, divorce, child support, guardianship, paternity and legal separation. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Services Provided	F1	176-176
77	MentHlth	Mental Health Services Services to overcome issues involving emotional disturbance or maladaptive behavior adversely affecting socialization, learning, or development. Usually provided by public or private mental health agencies and includes residential services (inpatient hospitalization, residential treatment, and supported independent living) and non-residential services (partial day treatment, outpatient services, home-based services, emergency services, intensive case management and assessment). <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Services Provided	F1	177-177
78	PregPar	Pregnancy and Parenting Services Services or activities for married or unmarried adolescent parents and their families to assist them in coping with social, emotional, and economic problems related to pregnancy and in planning for the future. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Services Provided	F1	178-178
79	Respite	Respite Care Services Services involving temporary care of the child(ren) to provide relief to the caretaker. May involve care of the children outside of their own home for a brief period of time, such as overnight or for a weekend. Not considered by the State to be foster care or other placement. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No	Services Provided	F1	179-179

<i>Position Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
	9 Unknown or Missing			
80	SSDisabl Special Services-Disabled Services for persons with developmental or physical disabilities, or persons with visual or auditory, impairments, or services or activities to maximize the potential of persons with disabilities, help alleviate the effects of physical, mental or emotional disabilities, and to enable these persons to live in the least restrictive environment possible. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Services Provided	F1	180-180
81	SSDelinq Special Services-Juvenile Delinquent Services or activities for youth (and their families) who are, or who may become, involved with the juvenile justice system. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Services Provided	F1	181-181
82	SubAbuse Substance Abuse Services Services or activities designed to deter, reduce, or eliminate substance abuse or chemical dependency. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Services Provided	F1	182-182
83	Transprt Transportation Services Services or activities that provide or arrange for travel, including travel costs of individuals, in order to access services, or obtain medical care or employment. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Services Provided	F1	183-183
84	OtherSv Other Services Services or activities that have been provided to the child victim or family of the child victim, but which are not included in the services listed in the NCANDS record layout. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Services Provided	F1	184-184

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
85	Per1ID	Perpetrator-1 ID	Perpetrators Data	A10	185-194
<p>A unique identification assigned to each perpetrator. This identification is not the actual State perpetrator identification but is an encrypted identification assigned by the State for purposes of the NCANDS data collection.</p> <p><i>If MalDeath = 1 (Child Died), then this variable is suppressed (recoded to "XXXXXXXX")</i></p>					
86	Per1Rel	Perpetrator-1 Relationship	Perpetrators Data	F2	195-196
<p>Refers to the primary role of the perpetrator with the child victim of maltreatment.</p> <p><i>This is the relationship of the perpetrator to the child victim. If the perpetrator is a parent, the code for this field should be set to "01=parent". The detailed parent codes (i.e., biological parent, step-parent, or adoptive parent) are recorded in the Perpetrator As Parent field. It is possible for the same perpetrator to appear in record(s) of other children with a different relationship to those children.</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Parent 2 Other Relative 3 Foster Parent 4 Residential Facility Staff 5 Child Day Care Provider 6 Unmarried Partner of Parent 7 Legal Guardian 88 Other 99 Unknown or Missing 					
87	Per1Prnt	Perpetrator-1 As A Parent	Perpetrators Data	F1	197-197
<p>The perpetrator's detailed parent role to the child at the time of the alleged maltreatment.</p> <p><i>If Per1Rel = 1, then this variable should have a value other than 9.</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Biological Parent 2 Step-Parent 3 Adoptive Parent 8 Other Parent 9 Unknown or Missing 					
88	Per1Cr	Perpetrator-1 As A Caretaker	Perpetrators Data	F1	198-198
<p>The person who has been determined to have caused or knowingly allowed the maltreatment of the child was also responsible for the care and supervision of the child at the time of the maltreatment.</p> <p><i>Null if not collected.</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing 					

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
89	Per1Age	Perpetrator-1 Age at Report Age of an individual determined to have caused or knowingly allowed the maltreatment of a child. Age is calculated in years at the time of the report of child maltreatment. <i>In the Contributed File, this var is continuous. On output, it is bottom-coded to "17 or younger" and top-coded to "70 or older".</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 17 17 Years Old or Younger 70 70 Years Old or Older 99 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F2	199-200
90	Per1Sex	Perpetrator-1 Sex The gender of the perpetrator at the time of the report. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Male 2 Female 9 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F1	201-201
91	P1RacAI	Perp-1 Race Amer Indian or Alaska Native A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F1	202-202
92	P1RacAs	Perpetrator-1 Race Asian A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian sub continent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F1	203-203

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93	P1RacBI	Perp-1 Race Black or African American A perpetrator having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i>	Perpetrators Data	F1	204-204										
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94	P1RacNH	Perp-1 Race Pacific Islander Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander: A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i>	Perpetrators Data	F1	205-205										
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95	P1RacWh	Perpetrator-1 Race White A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i>	Perpetrators Data	F1	206-206										
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96	P1RacUd	Perpetrator-1 Race Undetermined The investigation has been unable to determine the race of the perpetrator.	Perpetrators Data	F1	207-207										
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	2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
97	Per1Ethn	Perpetrator-1 Hispanic Ethnicity	Perpetrators Data	F1 208-208
	<p>A perpetrator of Hispanic or Latino Ethnicity is a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.</p> <p><i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i></p> <p><i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same ethnicity are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes, Hispanic or Latino 2 Not Hispanic or Latino 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
98	Per1Mil	Perpetrator-1 Military Member	Perpetrators Data	F1 209-209
	<p>A person on active duty in the Armed Services of the United States. This term includes active duty in the Army, Navy, Air Force, or Marine Corps. Excluded are members of the Inactive Reserve or National Guard or retired military members.</p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
99	Per1Pior	Perpetrator-1 Prior Abuser	Perpetrators Data	F1 210-210
	<p>The recording in the State information system of previous substantiated or indicated incidents of child maltreatment by the perpetrator.</p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
100	Per1Mal1	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-1	Perpetrators Data	F1 211-211
	<p>The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-1 Type and Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level.</p> <p><i>Should correspond to Maltreatment-1 Type (field 26) and Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level (field 27).</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>			

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
101	Per1Mal2	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-2 The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-2 Type and Maltreatment-2 Disposition Level. <i>Should correspond to Maltreatment-2 Type (field 28) and Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level (field 29).</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No	Perpetrators Data	F1	212-212
102	Per1Mal3	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-3 The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-3 Type and Maltreatment-3 Disposition Level. <i>Should correspond to Maltreatment-3 Type (field 30) and Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level (field 31).</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No	Perpetrators Data	F1	213-213
103	Per1Mal4	Perpetrator-1 Maltreatment-4 The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-4 Type and Maltreatment-4 Disposition Level. <i>Should correspond to Maltreatment-4 Type (field 32) and Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level (field 33).</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No	Perpetrators Data	F1	214-214
104	Per2ID	Perpetrator-2 ID A unique identification assigned to each perpetrator. This identification is not the actual State perpetrator identification but is an encrypted identification assigned by the State for purposes of the NCANDS DCDC data collection. <i>If MalDeath = 1 (Child Died), then this variable is suppressed (recoded to "XXXXXXXX")</i>	Perpetrators Data	A10	215-224
105	Per2Rel	Perpetrator-2 Relationship Primary role of the perpetrator with a child victim of maltreatment. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Parent 2 Other Relative 3 Foster Parent	Perpetrators Data	F2	225-226

<i>Position Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
	4 Residential Facility Staff 5 Child Day Care Provider 6 Unmarried Partner of Parent 7 Legal Guardian 88 Other 99 Unknown or Missing			
106	Per2Prnt Perpetrator-2 As A Parent	Perpetrators Data	F1	227-227
	This field indicates the perpetrator's detailed parent role to the child at the time of the alleged maltreatment.			
	<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i>			
	1 Biological Parent			
	2 Step-Parent			
	3 Adoptive Parent			
	8 Other Parent			
	9 Unknown or Missing			
107	Per2Cr Perpetrator-2 As A Caretaker	Perpetrators Data	F1	228-228
	The person who has been determined to have caused or knowingly allowed the maltreatment of the child was also responsible for the care and supervision of the child at the time of the maltreatment.			
	<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i>			
	1 Yes			
	2 No			
	9 Unknown or Missing			
108	Per2Age Perpetrator-2 Age At Report	Perpetrators Data	F2	229-230
	Age of an individual determined to have caused or knowingly allowed the maltreatment of a child. Age is calculated in years at the time of the report of child maltreatment.			
	<i>In the Contributed File, this var is continuous. On output, it is bottom-coded to "17 or younger" and top-coded to "70 or older".</i>			
	<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i>			
	17 17 Years Old or Younger			
	70 70 Years or Older			
	99 Unknown or Missing			
109	Per2Sex Perpetrator-2 Sex	Perpetrators Data	F1	231-231
	The gender of the perpetrator at the time of the report.			
	<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i>			
	1 Male			
	2 Female			
	9 Unknown or Missing			

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
110	P2RacAI	Perp-2 Race Amer Indian or Alaska Native	Perpetrators Data	F1	232-232
		<p>A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.</p> <p><i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i></p> <p><i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p> <p>3 Unable to Determine</p> <p>9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
111	P2RacAs	Perpetrator-2 Race Asian	Perpetrators Data	F1	233-233
		<p>A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian sub continent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.</p> <p><i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i></p> <p><i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p> <p>3 Unable to Determine</p> <p>9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
112	P2RacBI	Perp-2 Race Black or African American	Perpetrators Data	F1	234-234
		<p>A perpetrator having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.</p> <p><i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i></p> <p><i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p> <p>3 Unable to Determine</p> <p>9 Unknown or Missing</p>			

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113	P2RacNH	Perp-2 Race Pacific Islander A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F1	235-235
114	P2RacWh	Perpetrator-2 Race White A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North African. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F1	236-236
115	P2RacUd	Perpetrator-2 Race Undetermined The investigation has been unable to determine the race of the perpetrator. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F1	237-237
116	Per2Ethn	Perpetrator-2 Hispanic Ethnicity A perpetrator of Hispanic or Latino Ethnicity is a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same ethnicity are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i> <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes, Hispanic or Latino	Perpetrators Data	F1	238-238

<i>Position Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
	2 Not Hispanic or Latino 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing			
117	Per2Mil Perpetrator-2 Military Member A person on active duty in the Armed Services of the United States. This term includes active duty in the Army, Navy, Air Force, or Marine Corps. Excluded are members of the Inactive Reserve or National Guard or retired military members. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F1	239-239
118	Per2Pior Perpetrator-2 Prior Abuser The recording in the State information system of previous substantiated or indicated incidents of child maltreatment by the perpetrator. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F1	240-240
119	Per2Mal1 Perpetrator-2 Maltreatment-1 The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-1 Type and Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No	Perpetrators Data	F1	241-241
120	Per2Mal2 Perpetrator-2 Maltreatment-2 The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-2 Type and Maltreatment-2 Disposition Level. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No	Perpetrators Data	F1	242-242
121	Per2Mal3 Perpetrator-2 Maltreatment-3 The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-3 Type and Maltreatment-3 Disposition Level. <i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No	Perpetrators Data	F1	243-243

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
122	Per2Mal4	Perpetrator-2 Maltreatment-4 The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-4 Type and Maltreatment-4 Disposition Level. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No	Perpetrators Data	F1	244-244
123	Per3ID	Perpetrator-3 ID A unique identification assigned to each perpetrator. This identification is not the actual State perpetrator identification but is an encrypted identification assigned by the State for purposes of the NCANDS data collection. <i>If MalDeath = 1 (Child Died), then this variable is suppressed (recoded to "XXXXXXXX")</i>	Perpetrators Data	A10	245-254
124	Per3Rel	Perpetrator-3 Relationship Primary role of the perpetrator with a child victim of maltreatment. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Parent 2 Other Relative 3 Foster Parent 4 Residential Facility Staff 5 Child Day Care Provider 6 Unmarried Partner of Parent 7 Legal Guardian 88 Other 99 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F2	255-256
125	Per3Prnt	Perpetrator-3 As A Parent This field indicates the perpetrator's detailed parent role to the child at the time of the alleged maltreatment. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Biological Parent 2 Step-Parent 3 Adoptive Parent 8 Other Parent 9 Unknown or Missing	Perpetrators Data	F1	257-257
126	Per3Cr	Perpetrator-3 As A Caretaker The person who has been determined to have caused or knowingly allowed the maltreatment of the child was also responsible for the care and supervision of the child at the time of the maltreatment. <i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes	Perpetrators Data	F1	258-258

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
		2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
127	Per3Age	Perpetrator-3 Age At Report	Perpetrators Data	F2	259-260
		Age of an individual determined to have caused or knowingly allowed the maltreatment of a child. Age is calculated in years at the time of the report of child maltreatment. <i>In the Contributed File, this var is continuous. On output, it is bottom-coded to "17 or younger" and top-coded to "70 or older".</i>			
		<i>Value Value Label</i> 17 17 Years Old or Younger 70 70 Years or Older 99 Unknown or Missing			
128	Per3Sex	Perpetrator-3 Sex	Perpetrators Data	F1	261-261
		The gender of the perpetrator at the time of the report.			
		<i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Male 2 Female 9 Unknown or Missing			
129	P3RacAI	Perp-3 Race Amer Indian or Alaska Native	Perpetrators Data	F1	262-262
		A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i>			
		<i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing			
130	P3RacAs	Perpetrator-3 Race Asian	Perpetrators Data	F1	263-263
		A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian sub continent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i>			
		<i>Value Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No			

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
		3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing			
131	P3RacBI	Perp-3 Race Black or African American	Perpetrators Data	F1	264-264
		<p>A perpetrator having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.</p> <p><i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i></p> <p><i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
132	P3RacNH	Perp-3 Race Pacific Islander	Perpetrators Data	F1	265-265
		<p>A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.</p> <p><i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i></p> <p><i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing</p>			
133	P3RacWh	Perpetrator-3 Race White	Perpetrators Data	F1	266-266
		<p>A perpetrator having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.</p> <p><i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i></p> <p><i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same race are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i></p> <p><i>Value Value Label</i></p> <p>1 Yes 2 No 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing</p>			

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
134	P3RacUd	Perpetrator-3 Race Undetermined The investigation has been unable to determine the race of the perpetrator.	Perpetrators Data	F1	267-267
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
135	Per3Ethn	Perpetrator-3 Hispanic Ethnicity A perpetrator of Hispanic or Latino Ethnicity is a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race. <i>Race should match on records (perpetrators) with the same Perpetrator ID (repeat perpetrators).</i> <i>If a very small number of perpetrators of the same ethnicity are located in the same county of report, all the race and ethnicity variables for that perpetrator are recoded to "Unknown."</i>	Perpetrators Data	F1	268-268
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes, Hispanic or Latino 2 Not Hispanic or Latino 3 Unable to Determine 9 Unknown or Missing			
136	Per3Mil	Perpetrator-3 Military Member A person on active duty in the Armed Services of the United States. This term includes active duty in the Army, Navy, Air Force, or Marine Corps. Excluded are members of the Inactive Reserve or National Guard or retired military members.	Perpetrators Data	F1	269-269
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
137	Per3Pior	Perpetrator-3 Prior Abuser The recording in the State information system of previous substantiated or indicated incidents of child maltreatment by the perpetrator.	Perpetrators Data	F1	270-270
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown or Missing			
138	Per3Mal1	Perpetrator-3 Maltreatment-1 The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-1 Type and Maltreatment-1 Disposition Level.	Perpetrators Data	F1	271-271
		<i>Value</i> <i>Value Label</i> 1 Yes 2 No			

<i>Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Variable Label</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>Columns</i>
139	Per3MaI2	Perpetrator-3 Maltreatment-2	Perpetrators Data	F1	272-272
		The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-2 Type and Maltreatment-2 Disposition Level.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
140	Per3MaI3	Perpetrator-3 Maltreatment-3	Perpetrators Data	F1	273-273
		The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-3 Type and Maltreatment-3 Disposition Level.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
141	Per3MaI4	Perpetrator-3 Maltreatment-4	Perpetrators Data	F1	274-274
		The perpetrator was involved in the corresponding maltreatment type on the record for a specific child, and this maltreatment was determined by investigation to be substantiated or indicated under State law. Also see Maltreatment-4 Type and Maltreatment-4 Disposition Level.			
		<i>Value</i>	<i>Value Label</i>		
		1	Yes		
		2	No		