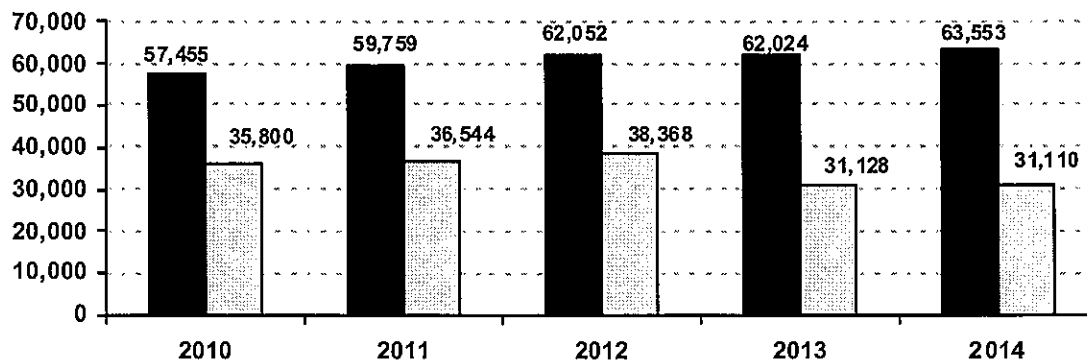




ARKANSAS STATE POLICE CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN DIVISION

ANNUAL REPORT 2014

Child Abuse Hot Line operators in the Crimes Against Children Division (CACD) of the Arkansas State Police received 63,553 report in the year 2014. Of these reports, 31,110 were accepted as legally valid allegations of abuse or neglect. They were assigned for investigation to CACD investigators or to the Arkansas Department of Human Services' (DHS) Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS).

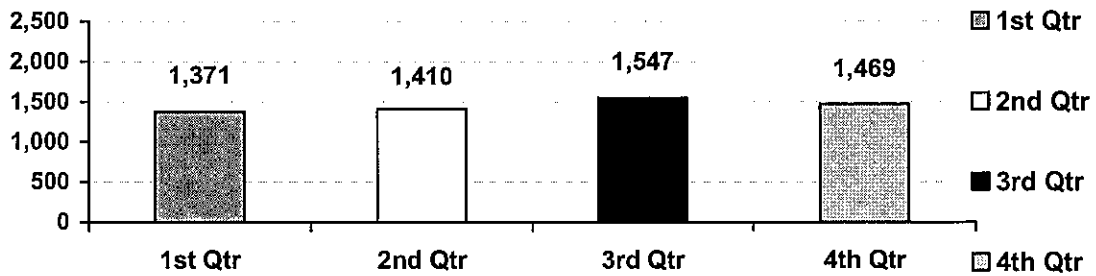
The Hot Line Section – which operates 24-hours a day, 7-days a week – is authorized one (1) Division Commander, one (1) Administrator four (4) Supervisors and twenty seven (27) Hotline Operators. This section operated with an average of 24 operators during the year.



	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
 Calls Received	57,455	59,759	62,052	62,024	63,553
 Accepted Reports for Investigation	35,800	36,544	38,368	31,128	31,110

The reports accepted by the Hot Line are divided into categories for investigation, pursuant to an agreement with DHS. This resulted in **5,797** cases being investigated by the CACD's Investigation section in 2014. Each report may contain multiple allegations.

Number of Investigations Assigned



The types and number of Priority I allegations were:

- Abandonment – 152
- Abuse w/a Deadly Weapon – 49
- Bone Fracture – 111
- Brain Damage/Skull Fracture – 45
- Burns/Scalding – 281
- Cuts, Bruises, Welts – 272
- Death - 28
- Failure to Protect – 209
- Failure to Thrive – 7
- Immersion – 19
- Indecent Exposure – 232
- Internal Injuries – 7
- Juvenile Aggressor - 208
- Malnutrition – 9
- Medical Neglect of Disabled Infant – 0
- Mental Injury- 15
- Oral sex – 433
- Poison/Noxious Substance – 83
- Pornography – 207
- Sexual Contact – 3,131
- Sexual Exploitation – 238
- Sexual Penetration – 1,181
- Sexual Solicitation- 53
- Voyeurism- 26
- Subdural Hematoma – 20
- Suffocation – 305
- Threat of Harm – 228

Of the total number of Priority I allegations, 5,422 (72%) involved sexual related offenses.

CACD investigators closed 5,496 cases in 2014. Of the closed cases, 2,241 (41%) were found to be 'true'.

The investigative determination of 'true' means there was a preponderance of evidence that indicated the allegation(s) was true. An 'unsubstantiated' finding means the evidence was insufficient to support the allegation(s). Investigations closed with a determination of 'true' were reported to the appropriate prosecuting attorney.

The Investigations Section is authorized one (1) Division Commander, one (1) Investigations Administrator, ten (10) Area Supervisors and sixty-three (63) Investigators. This section operated with an average of sixty-three (63) investigators during the year.

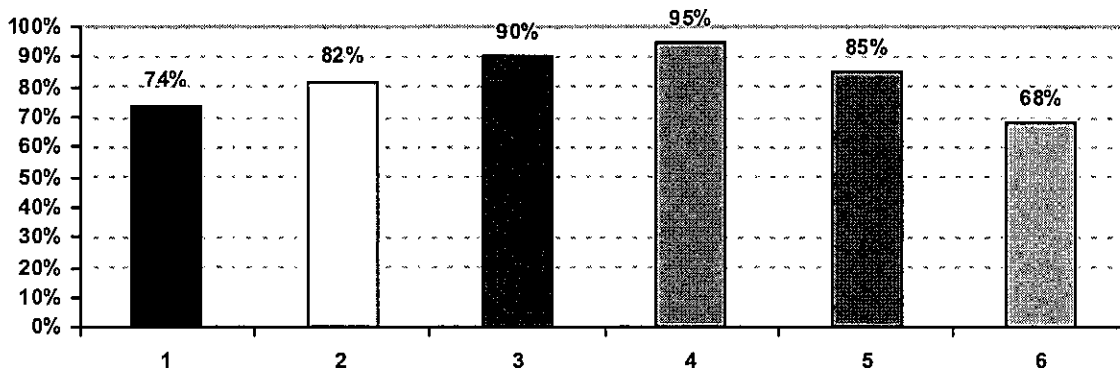
The CACD Investigations Section is evaluated on six performance indicators of compliance with Angela R. requirements, which were spelled out in a consent decree in the 1990s during federal court proceedings. They also are a part of an agreement between CACD and DHS.

The indicators are:

1. The alleged victim(s) in Priority I reports is seen by the investigator within 24 hours.
2. The alleged victim(s) in Priority II reports is seen by the investigator within 72 hours.
3. All children in the home are seen during the investigation.
4. The alleged victim(s) is interviewed (or observed) outside the presence of the alleged offender.
5. Parents/caretakers are interviewed in all investigations.
6. Investigations are concluded within 45 days of receipt of the allegation.

By agreement with DHS, CACD is required to meet a minimum of 85% compliance in each performance indicator. The following chart shows the average compliance for the year 2014. The line numbers above are used as identifiers.

INDICATORS





Oversight Report Crimes Against Children Division

(JAN – MARCH 2015)

Introduction

This report shows the performance of the Arkansas State Police's Crimes Against Children Division (CACD) in the *third quarter* of the Fiscal year 2015.

The CACD is evaluated on six (6) performance indicators of compliance, which were developed during the Angela R. lawsuit in Federal Court in the 1990's. Also, the indicators are a part of the oversight of the agreement with the Arkansas Department of Human Services – Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS).

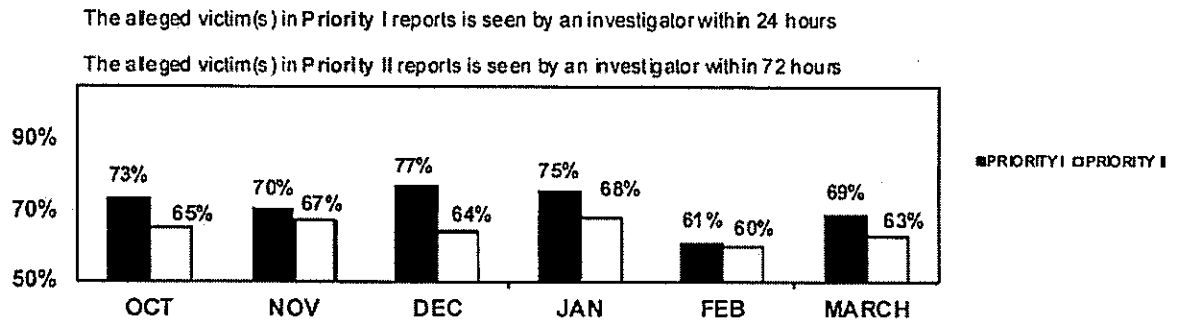
- ✓ Indicator 01b - The alleged victim(s) in Priority I reports is seen by an investigator within 24 hours.
- ✓ Indicator 02b - The alleged victim(s) in Priority II reports is seen by an investigator within 72 hours.
- ✓ Indicator 03b - All children in the home are seen during the investigation.
- ✓ Indicator 04b - The victim is interviewed/observed outside the presence of the offender.
- ✓ Indicator 05b - Parents/Caretakers are interviewed in all investigations.
- ✓ Indicator 06b - Investigations are concluded within 45 days of receipt of the allegation.

This report presents the Crimes Against Children Division's compliance rate with each of the performance indicators, followed by the individual sections' activity. The self-monitored areas are included in the appropriate section; if not previously presented in the performance indicator information.

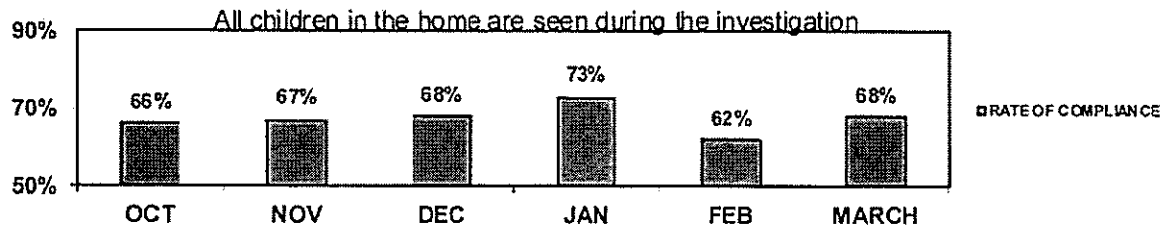
Compliance Rates

By agreement with the Department of Human Services, the Crimes Against Children Division is required to meet a minimum of 85% compliance in each Performance Indicator. The compliance rates reported here are from the monthly Compliance Outcome Report (COR) published by the Division of Children and Family Services.

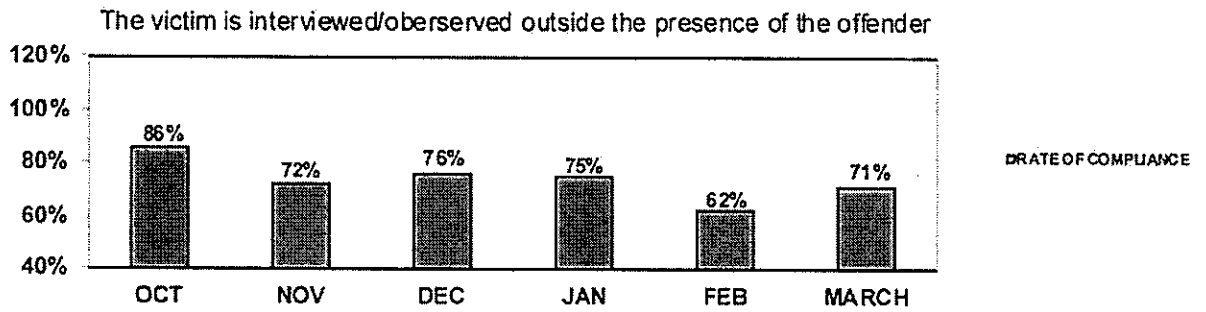
Performance Indicators 1b and 2b require that victim children are seen within 24 hours in a Priority I and 72 hours in a Priority II allegation, respectively.



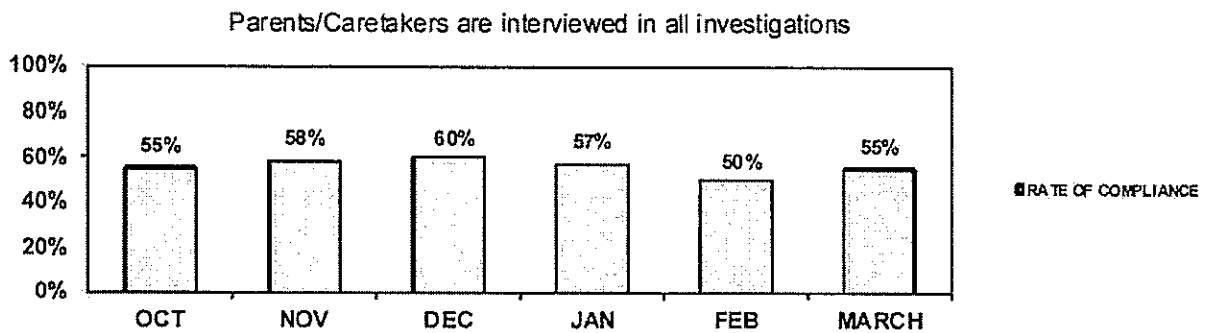
Performance indicators 3b – All children in the home are seen during the investigation.



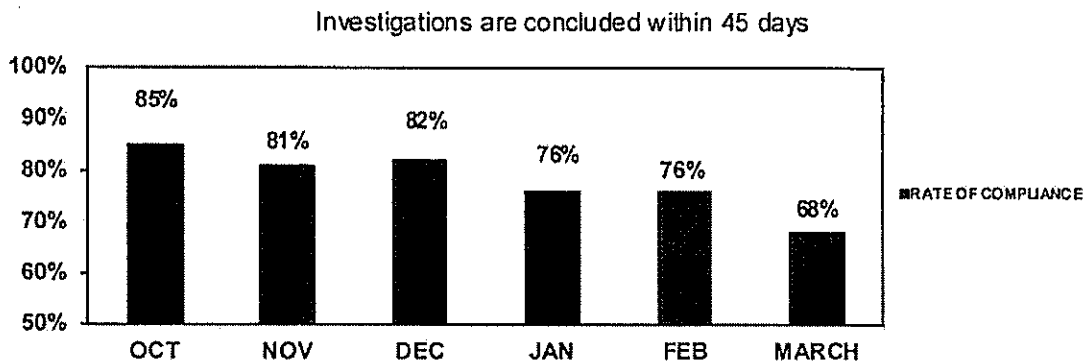
Performance indicator 4b – The child is interviewed (non-verbal children observed) outside the presence of the alleged offender.



Performance indicators 5b – Parents/Caretakers are interviewed in all cases.



Performance indicator 6b – Investigations completed within 45 days of receipt.



Investigation Section

As demonstrated in the chart, the '*true*' rate averaged 38% for the months of **January, February and March.**

<u>Month</u>	<u>Opened</u>	<u>Closed</u>	<u>True</u>	<u>Sub Rate</u>	<u>Total Active</u>	<u>Active >30</u>
January	527	477	171	36%	852	211
February	463	413	168	41%	905	200
March	497	498	184	37%	876	274
Total	1,487	1,388	523	38%	2,633	685

When a Priority I allegation is received, local law enforcement is notified. The local agency has the option of conducting the investigation independently or jointly with CACD, or declining involvement at that point. If local authorities decline to investigate and if the CACD investigator finds sufficient information to suspect that a serious crime has occurred, the investigator shall contact the State Police Criminal Investigation Division (CID) and request that a criminal investigation be conducted.

Child Abuse Hotline

Hotline activity during the *three* (3) months:

	<u>Calls</u> <u>Received</u>	<u>Reports</u> <u>Accepted</u>
January	5,322	2,699
February	4,559	2,289
March	<u>5,126</u>	<u>2,626</u>
Total	15,007	7,614

The following chart demonstrates the relationship of the “Sexual & Physical Abuse” Priority I & II reports to the total number of cases accepted by the Hotline for investigation. The Hotline dispatched 1,560 Priority I cases for investigation by the CACD during the three-month period, while DCFS was assigned 6,054 Priority II cases.

	<u>Total</u> <u>Reports</u>	<u># Sexual &</u> <u>Physical</u> <u>Abuse</u>	<u>% Total = Sexual &</u> <u>Physical Abuse</u>
January	2,699	561	21%
February	2,289	475	21%
March	<u>2,626</u>	<u>524</u>	<u>20%</u>
Total	7,614	1,560	21%

**MANDATED REPORTER CALLS TO THE ARKANSAS STATE POLICE CHILD ABUSE HOTLINE
JANUARY - MARCH 2015**

Attorney Ad Litem	9
CACD Employee	47
CASA/Volunteer	6
Child Advocacy/Child Safety Center Employee	23
Child Care Worker or Foster Care Worker	6
Clergy	16
Contracted DHS Employee	0
Counselor/Therapist	599
Court Personnel	9
Day Care Provider	73
Dentist	1
DHS Employee	222
Domestic Abuse Advocate	8
Domestic Violence Shelter Employee/Volunteer	1
FINS Officer	14
Foster Parent	7
Hospital Personnel	142
Judge	0
Juvenile Probation Officer	52
Law Enforcement	960
Mental Health Professional	136
Nurse/Other Medical Professional	361
Physician	54
Prosecuting Attorney	1
Rape Crisis Advocate	1
Resident Intern	4
School	324
School Counselor	513
School Official	119
Teacher	352
Social Worker	298
Surgeon	0
Victim Assistance Professional	8
Victim/Witness Coordinator	2
MANDATED REPORTERS	4,368

SECTION II

**CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN
DIVISION**

**SEVERE PHYSICAL & SEXUAL
ABUSE ALLEGATIONS REPORTED
BY TYPE
&
CIVILIAN INVESTIGATORS' ACTIVITIES**

QUARTERLY REPORT

JANUARY - MARCH 2015

ABUSE ALLEGATIONS REPORTED BY TYPE

JANUARY 2015		FEBRUARY 2015		MARCH 2015	
<u>Allegation Title</u>	<u># Reported</u>	<u>Allegation Title</u>	<u># Reported</u>	<u>Allegation Title</u>	<u># Reported</u>
Bruises, Cuts & Welts	21	Bruises, Cuts & Welts	12	Bruises, Cuts & Welts	23
Abuse with a Deadly Weapon	4	Abuse with a Deadly Weapon	4	Abuse with a Deadly Weapon	4
Bone Fractures	8	Bone Fractures	12	Bone Fractures	12
Brain Damage/Skull Fracture	2	Brain Damage/Skull Fracture	6	Brain Damage/Skull Fracture	4
Burns/Scalding	17	Burns/Scalding	18	Burns/Scalding	16
Failure to Protect/Thrive	20/0	Failure to Protect/Thrive	11/0	Failure to Protect/Thrive	18/0
Immersion/DEATH	2/7	Immersion/DEATH	1/3	Immersion/DEATH	0/4
Indecent Exposure	14	Indecent Exposure	10	Indecent Exposure	11
Internal Injuries	0	Internal Injuries	0	Internal Injuries	0
Juvenile Aggressor	34	Juvenile Aggressor	26	Juvenile Aggressor	48
Malnutrition	1	Malnutrition	1	Malnutrition	0
Medical Neglect of Dis. Infant	0	Medical Neglect of Dis. Infant	0	Medical Neglect of Dis. Infant	0
Oral Sex/Mental Injury	27/0	Oral Sex/Mental Injury	23/1	Oral Sex/Mental Injury	30/1
Poison/Noxious	7	Poison/Noxious	8	Poison/Noxious	7
Pornography	16	Pornography	16	Pornography	20
Sexual Contact	221	Sexual Contact	207	Sexual Contact	222
Sexual Exploitation	19	Sexual Exploitation	7	Sexual Exploitation	13
Sexual Penetration	81	Sexual Penetration	103	Sexual Penetration	73
Sexual Solicitation/Voyeurism	2/2	Sexual Solicitation/Voyeurism	2/2	Sexual Solicitation/Voyeurism	4/6
Subdural Hematoma	0	Subdural Hematoma	0	Subdural Hematoma	3
Suffocation	35	Suffocation	17	Suffocation	28
Threat of Harm	24	Threat of Harm	14	Threat of Harm	20
Total for Month	564	Total for Month	504	Total for Month	567

ASP-CACD
JANUARY - MARCH 2015

COUNTY	CASES ASSIGNED	ESTIMATED POPULATION (US Census Bureau 2014)
Arkansas	9	18,594
Ashley	9	20,948
Barter	18	40,657
Benton	110	242,321
Boone	27	37,196
Bradley	4	11,148
Calhoun	0	5,202
Carroll	21	27,744
Chicot	5	11,180
Clark	8	22,576
Clay	4	15,118
Cleburne	11	25,634
Cleveland	2	8,449
Columbia	11	23,933
Conway	18	21,093
Craighead	58	102,618
Crawford	32	61,697
Crittenden	32	49,548
Cross	7	17,227
Dallas	9	7,755
Desha	6	12,264
Drew	12	18,622
Faulkner	45	120,768
Franklin	9	17,805
Fulton	9	12,125
Garland	56	97,322
Grant	8	18,144
Greene	38	43,694
Hempstead	18	22,327
Hot Spring	32	33,368
Howard	7	13,500
Independence	17	36,959
Izard	13	13,488
Jackson	5	17,534
Jefferson	35	72,297
Johnson	11	28,005
Lafayette	3	7,111
Lawrence	13	16,931
Lee	5	9,860
Lincoln	4	13,970
Little River	5	12,532

ASP-CACD
JANUARY - MARCH 2015

COUNTY	CASES ASSIGNED	ESTIMATED POPULATION (US Census 2014)
Logan	15	21,958
Lonoke	35	71,557
Madison	7	15,740
Marion	5	16,367
Miller	22	43,428
Mississippi	28	44,235
Monroe	2	7,582
Montgomery	3	9,082
Nevada	5	8,723
Newton	3	7,904
Ouachita	17	24,828
Perry	2	10,245
Phillips	13	19,930
Pike	6	11,024
Poinsett	15	24,245
Polk	5	20,225
Pope	28	63,201
Prairie	6	8,304
Pulaski	158	392,702
Randolph	14	17,571
St. Francis	52	26,899
Saline	8	115,719
Scott	5	10,693
Searcy	74	7,929
Sebastian	11	126,776
Sevier	11	17,426
Sharp	18	16,906
Stone	4	12,494
Union	12	40,227
Van Buren	10	16,851
Washington	98	220,792
White	37	78,592
Woodruff	2	6,910
Yell	12	21,951
TOTAL	1,487	

SECTION III

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CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN DIVISION

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ALLEGATION TYPES AND ALLEGED VICTIM CHILDREN

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**IDENTIFIED ALLEGED OFFENDER RELATIONSHIPS
WITH ALLEGED VICTIM CHILDREN**

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JANUARY - MARCH 2015

**CACD Breakdown of the Allegation Types and Alleged Victim Children that were Cited in All Referrals that were Accepted for Investigation
JANUARY-MARCH 2015**

ALLEGATION TYPE	Number of Referrals in which Allegation was Cited	Percentage (%) of All Referrals in which Allegation was Cited	Total Alleged Victim Children Involved in Allegation	0 to 1 Years		2 to 5 Years		6 to 9 Years		10 to 13 Years		14 Years and Older		Age Unknown	
					%		%		%		%		%		%
Sexual Contact	615	56.4	676	7	0.01	132	0.19	127	0.19	159	0.23	207	0.31	44	0.06
Sexual Penetration	276	25.3	294	1	0.003	43	0.15	46	0.16	66	0.22	126	0.43	12	0.04
Oral Sex	95	8.7	102	0	0	26	0.25	24	0.23	23	0.22	28	0.27	1	0.01
Sexual Exploitation	40	3.7	46	0	0	6	0.13	10	0.22	11	0.24	17	0.37	2	0.04
Indecent Exposure	46	4.2	54	0	0	11	0.2	23	0.42	12	0.22	7	0.13	1	0.018
Voyeurism	9	0.8	11	0	0	1	0.09	4	0.36	2	0.18	4	0.36	0	0.08
Live Sex Acts/Fornography (Forced)	3	0.3	3	0	0	2	0.7	1	0.3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Live Sex Acts/Fornography (Facilitating or Encouraging)	2	0.2	3	0	0	2	0.7	1	0.3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total of Victim's by Age				8		223		236		273		389		60	

*Multiple Allegations Can Be Cited for Each Referral

**Breakdown of the Identified Relationships that Alleged Offenders have with Alleged Victim Children, by Allegation Type
JANUARY - MARCH 2015**

ALLEGATION TYPE	Total Number of Relationship Types Cited for Allegation	Type of Relationship that Offender Has with Alleged Victim(s)	Number of Referrals in which Relationship Type was Identified	0 to 9 Years	10 to 19 Years	20 to 29 Years	30 to 39 Years	40 to 49 Years	50 to 59 Years	60 to 69 Years	70 and Older	Unknown	
Sexual Contact	674	Mother	17	0	1	4	4	3	0	0	0	5	
		Father	112	0	1	17	41	27	5	0	0	21	
		No Relation	177	1	53	28	17	15	14	3	1	45	
		Brother	45	0	24	3	0	0	0	0	0	8	
		Sister	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		Unknown	43	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	38	
		Cousin	47	0	17	7	4	0	0	0	0	19	
		Grandparent	29	0	0	0	0	3	10	6	4	6	
		No Selection	10	0	2	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	5
		Live-in/Significant Other	36	0	8	10	9	3	0	0	0	0	6
		Other Relative	9	0	1	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
		Friend	15	0	10	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3
		Great Aunt/Uncle	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
		Aunt/Uncle	41	0	7	5	9	3	1	0	0	0	16
		Foster Father	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1
		Guardian	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
		StepFather	62	0	0	12	20	18	3	1	0	0	8
StepMother	4	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Staff Person	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2		
Neighbor	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Teacher	7	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	4		
Student	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Principle	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		

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Sexual Penetration	298	Mother	6	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	1
		Father	34	0	1	6	11	9	2	0	0	5
		No Relation	92	0	29	19	9	6	3	1	1	24
		Brother	26	0	18	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
		Sister	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Unknown	25	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	22
		Cousin	21	0	9	5	2	0	0	0	0	5
		Grandparent	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
		No Selection	5	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
		Live-in/Significant Other	19	0	7	6	2	1	0	0	0	3
		Other Relative	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Friend	11	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Aunt/Uncle	16	0	4	1	6	3	0	0	0	2
		Foster Father	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
		Guardian	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		StepFather	25	0	0	4	10	7	1	1	0	2
		StepMother	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
		Student	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Neighbor	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Teacher	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Staff Person	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

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Sex (Oral)	100	Mother	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
		Father	17	0	0	7	8	0	0	0	0	0	2
		No Relation	24	0	7	3	3	3	3	3	1	0	4
		Brother	14	0	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Unknown	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
		Cousin	11	0	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
		Grandparent	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
		No Selection	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
		Live-In/Significant Other	6	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Stepfather	9	0	0	2	3	2	1	0	0	0	1
		Friend	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Aunt/Uncle	6	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Guardian	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Teacher	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Sexual Exploitation	48	Mother	9	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	4	
		Father	9	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	3
		No Relation	14	0	4	2	0	2	2	2	1	0	3
		Aunt/Uncle	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Unknown	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Cousin	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Grandparent	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0
		StepMother	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Live-In/Significant Other	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Stepfather	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
		Friend	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Student	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		

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Indecent Exposure	47	Father	10	0	0	1	6	2	1	0	0	0	
		No Relation	10	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
		Brother	6	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Cousin	6	0	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Stepfather	6	0	0	1	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
		Aunt/Uncle	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Other Relative	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Live in/Significant Other	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Friend	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Grandparent	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Neighbor	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Voyeurism	9	Father	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	
		No Relation	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	
		Stepfather	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	
		Brother	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

**Breakdown of the Identified Relationships that Alleged Offenders have with Alleged Victim Children, by Allegation Type
JANUARY - MARCH 2015**

ALLEGATION TYPE	Total Number of Relationship Types Cited for Allegation	Type of Relationship that Offender Has with Alleged Victim(s)	Number of Referrals in which Relationship Type was Identified	0 to 9 Years	10 to 19 Years	20 to 29 Years	30 to 39 Years	40 to 49 Years	50 to 59 Years	60 to 69 Years	70 and Older	Unknown
Pornography/Exposure to Live Sex Act	67	Mother	16	0	0	8	3	2	0	0	0	3
		Father	13	0	1	1	7	1	1	0	0	2
		No Relation	5	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	1
		Brother	6	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Aunt/Uncle	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Unknown	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Cousin	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Grandparent	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
		No Selection	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Live-in/Significant Other	7	0	1	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
		Friend	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Stepfather	8	0	0	1	5	2	0	0	0	0
		StepMother	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Encouraging Pornography/Live Sex Acts	3	Mother	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Father	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
		Grandparent	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Permitting Pornography/Live Sex Acts	2	Mother	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Grandparent	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

SECTION IV

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CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN DIVISION

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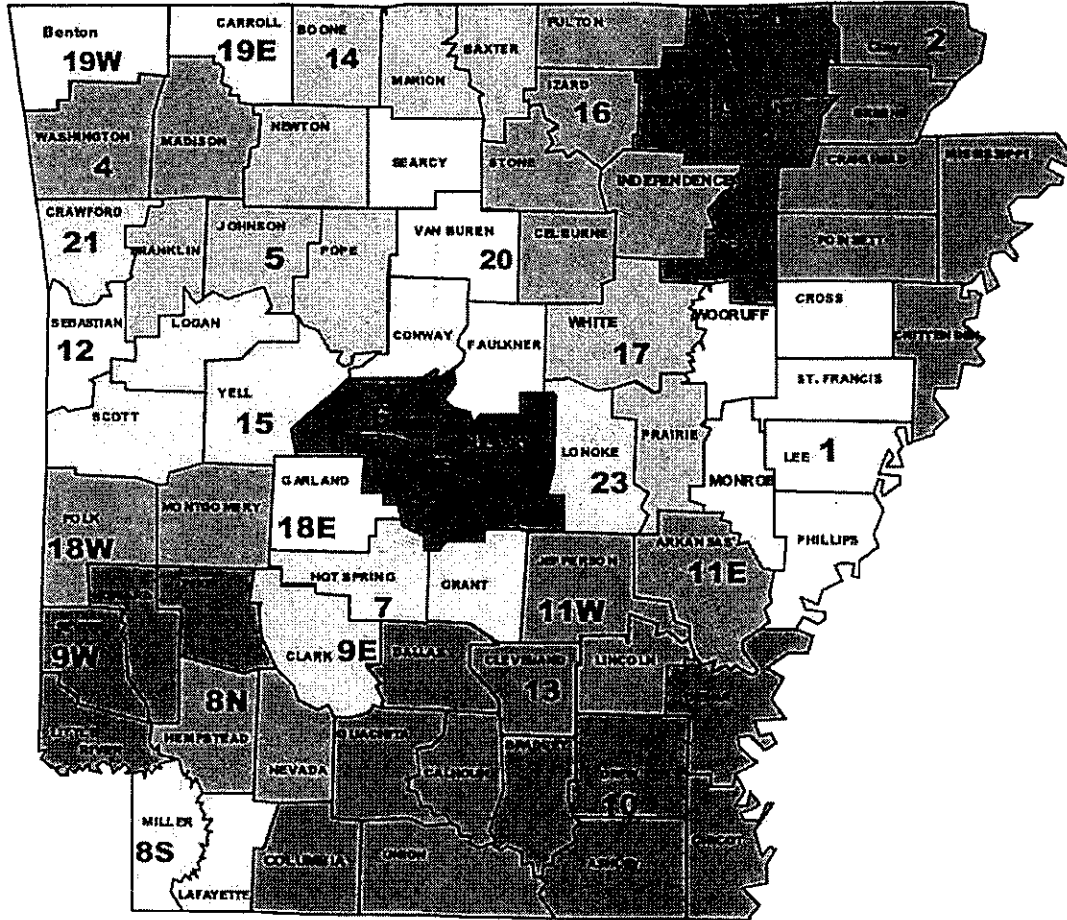
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Arkansas Judicial Districts 2015



Judicial District 1			
Cases Submitted to PA (11)	Declined by PA (7)	Charges Filed (1)	Pending (3)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (7)		Child Endangerment	
Abuse (4)			
Judicial District 2			
Cases Submitted to PA (58)	Declined by PA (41)	Charges Filed (17)	Pending (0)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (41)		Rape (9 Charges)	
Abuse (17)		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree (3 Charges)	
		Domestic Battery 2nd Degree (5 Charges)	
Judicial District 3			
Cases Submitted to PA (7)	Declined by PA (2)	Charges Filed (4)	Pending (1)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (5)		Rape (3 Charges)	
Abuse (2)		Endangering the Welfare of a Minor	
Judicial District 4			
Cases Submitted to PA (21)	Declined by PA (12)	Charges Filed (8)	Pending (1)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (15)		Rape	
Abuse (6)		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree (4 Charges)	
		Domestic Battery 2nd Degree	
		Domestic Battery 3rd Degree (2 Charges)	
		Endangering the Welfare of a Minor	
Judicial District 5			
Cases Submitted to PA (17)	Declined by PA (8)	Charges Filed (4)	Pending (5)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (11)		Rape (3 Charges)	
Abuse (6)		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree	
Judicial District 6			
Cases Submitted to PA (54)	Declined by PA (23)	Charges Filed (15)	Pending (16)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (37)		Rape (7 Charges)	
Physical Abuse (17)		Child Pornography (2 Charges)	
		Human Trafficking	
		Domestic Battery (3 Charges)	
		Endangering the Welfare of a Minor (2 Charges)	

Judicial District 7			
Cases Submitted to PA (6)	Declined by PA (0)	Charges Filed (1)	Pending (5)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (5)		Rape	
Physical Abuse (1)			
Judicial District 8 S			
Cases Submitted to PA (5)	Declined by PA (1)	Charges Filed (0)	Pending (4)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (2)			
Abuse (3)			
Judicial District 8 N			
Cases Submitted to PA (2)	Declined by PA (1)	Charges Filed (1)	Pending (0)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (2)		Rape	
Judicial District 9 W			
Cases Submitted to PA (7)	Declined by PA (4)	Charges Filed (2)	Pending (1)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (6)		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree (2 Charges)	
Physical Abuse (1)			
Judicial District 9 E			
Cases Submitted to PA (1)	Declined by PA (1)	Charges Filed (0)	Pending (0)
Abuse/Neglect (1)			
Judicial District 10			
Cases Submitted to PA (11)	Declined by PA (7)	Charges Filed (3)	Pending (1)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (8)		Sexual Indecency with a Child	
Physical Abuse (3)		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree	
		Domestic Battery 2nd Degree	
Judicial District 11 W			
Cases Submitted to PA (14)	Declined by PA (4)	Charges Filed (6)	Pending (4)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (11)		Rape (2 Charges)	
Abuse/Neglect (3)		Sexual Assault 1st Degree	
		Video Voyeurism	
		Sexual Indecency with a Child	
		Domestic Battery 1st Degree	
Judicial District 11 E			
Cases Submitted to PA (2)	Declined by PA (0)	Charges Filed (1)	Pending (1)
Sexual Abuse (2)		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree	

Judicial District 12			
Cases Submitted to PA (19)	Declined by PA (7)	Charges Filed (5)	Pending (7)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (15)		Rape (2 Charges)	
Physical Abuse (4)		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree (2 Charges)	
		Sexual Assault 4th Degree	
Judicial District 13			
Cases Submitted to PA (18)	Declined by PA (13)	Charges Filed (2)	Pending (3)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (11)		Sexual Assault	
Physical Abuse (7)		Domestic Battery 3rd Degree	
Judicial District 14			
Cases Submitted to PA (11)	Declined by PA (6)	Charges Filed (3)	Pending (2)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (7)		Sexual Assault (2 Charges)	
Physical Abuse (4)		Domestic Battery 3rd Degree	
Judicial District 15			
Cases Submitted to PA (8)	Declined by PA (2)	Charges Filed (3)	Pending (3)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (8)		Rape	
		Sexual Indecency with a Child	
		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree	
Judicial District 16			
Cases Submitted to PA (9)	Declined by PA (3)	Charges Filed (4)	Pending (2)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (6)		Rape (2 Charges)	
Physical Abuse (3)		Sexual Assault 4th Degree (2 Charges)	
Judicial District 17			
Cases Submitted to PA (9)	Declined by PA (5)	Charges Filed (2)	Pending (2)
Sexual Abuse (7)		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree	
Abuse (2)		1st Degree Murder	
Judicial District 18 E			
Cases Submitted to PA (14)	Declined by PA (13)	Charges Filed (1)	Pending (0)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (14)		Rape	
Judicial District 18 W			
Cases Submitted to PA (4)	Declined by PA (3)	Charges Filed (1)	Pending (0)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (4)		Sexual Assault	
Judicial District 19 W			
Cases Submitted to PA (10)	Declined by PA (5)	Charges Filed (3)	Pending (2)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (10)		Rape (2 Charges)	
		Sexual Assault 4th Degree	

Judicial District 19 E			
Cases Submitted to PA (6)	Declined by PA (3)	Charges Filed (2)	Pending (1)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (6)		Rape	
		Sexual Indecency with a Child	
Judicial District 20			
Cases Submitted to PA (13)	Declined by PA (7)	Charges Filed (6)	Pending (0)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (8)		Sexual Assault (2 Charges)	
Abuse (5)		Drugs (2 Charges)	
		Domestic Battery (2 Charges)	
Judicial District 21			
Cases Submitted to PA (2)	Declined by PA (2)	Charges Filed (0)	Pending (0)
Sexual Abuse (2)			
Judicial District 22			
Cases Submitted to PA (13)	Declined by PA (11)	Charges Filed (2)	Pending (0)
Sexual Abuse (13)		Sexual Assault 2nd Degree	
		Sexual Assault 4th Degree	
Judicial District 23			
Cases Submitted to PA (19)	Declined by PA (3)	Charges Filed (14)	Pending (2)
Sexual Abuse/Rape (12)		Rape	
Abuse (7)		Sexual Assault (6 Charges)	
		Domestic Battery (7 Charges)	

Total Cases Submitted: 371
Total Charges Filed: 111 30%
Total Charges Declined: 194 52%
Total Cases Pending: 66 18%

NOTE: The standard for submitting cases to Prosecuting Attorneys is different than the standard used to determine what cases will actually be prosecuted. The decision to submit a case is made using a preponderance of the evidence standard, the same as is used in civil cases. The decision to actually charge criminally is made using a beyond a reasonable doubt standard; an evaluation which requires significantly more probative evidence than any other standard of proof used in the law.