

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Burgoyne to the Minister for Territory Families:

Child Protection Data

In relation to the above:

1. How many child protection notifications were received for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
 - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
 - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
 - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

2. How many child abuse notifications were received for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
 - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
 - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
 - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

3. How many child neglect notifications were received for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
 - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
 - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
 - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

4. How many child protection investigations were commenced for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
 - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
 - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
 - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

5. How many child abuse investigations were commenced for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
 - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
 - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
 - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

6. How many child neglect investigations were commenced for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
 - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
 - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
 - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

7. How many child protection notifications were substantiated for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
 - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
 - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
 - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

8. How many child abuse notifications were substantiated for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
 - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
 - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
 - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

9. How many child neglect notifications were substantiated for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
 - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
 - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
 - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

Notifications received during financial year by Primary Reported Harm 19/07/2021 – 25/07/2021

DCM Region	Primary Reported Harm	A Notifications Received		Proceed to New CP Investigation	Substantiated
Alice Springs	Sexual Exploitation	7	6.09%	0	0
	Physical	10	8.70%	9	4
	Emotional	43	37.39%	1	0
	Neglect	55	47.83%	9	4
Total:		115		19	8
Barkly	Physical	10	25.00%	0	0
	Emotional	5	12.50%	2	0
	Neglect	25	62.50%	10	0
Total:		40		12	0
East Arnhem	Sexual Exploitation	15	31.91%	5	1
	Physical	10	21.28%	4	0
	Emotional	6	12.77%	1	1
	Neglect	16	34.04%	0	0
Total:		47		10	2
Greater Darwin	Sexual Exploitation	31	16.40%	4	4
	Physical	38	20.11%	18	7
	Emotional	40	21.16%	0	0
	Neglect	80	42.33%	8	4
Total:		189		30	15
Katherine	Sexual Exploitation	5	5.32%	0	0
	Physical	11	11.70%	3	1
	Emotional	26	27.66%	8	3
	Neglect	52	55.32%	3	0
Total:		94		14	4
Top End	Sexual Exploitation	3	9.09%	0	0
	Physical	6	18.18%	3	2
	Emotional	8	24.24%	0	0
	Neglect	16	48.48%	0	0
Total:		33		3	2
Grand Total:		518		88	31

Notifications received during financial year by Primary Reported Harm 04/07/2022 – 10/07/2022

DCM Region	Primary Reported Harm	A Notifications Received		Proceed to New CP Investigation	Substantiated
Alice Springs	Sexual Exploitation	6	6.06%	0	0
	Physical	17	17.17%	7	2
	Emotional	40	40.40%	7	0
	Neglect	36	36.36%	9	2
Total:		99		23	4
Barkly	Sexual Exploitation	7	11.48%	7	0
	Physical	6	9.84%	4	0
	Emotional	19	31.15%	10	9
	Neglect	29	47.54%	6	0
Total:		61		27	9
East Arnhem	Sexual Exploitation	2	4.88%	0	0
	Physical	1	2.44%	0	0
	Emotional	15	36.59%	2	0
	Neglect	23	56.10%	4	0
Total:		41		6	0
Greater Darwin	Sexual Exploitation	22	13.75%	11	0
	Physical	32	20.00%	10	2
	Emotional	36	22.50%	12	0
	Neglect	70	43.75%	12	0
Total:		160		45	2
Katherine	Sexual Exploitation	11	15.07%	3	0
	Physical	9	12.33%	5	0
	Emotional	25	34.25%	3	0
	Neglect	28	38.36%	7	0
Total:		73		18	0
Top End	Sexual Exploitation	3	6.12%	0	0
	Physical	10	20.41%	5	0
	Emotional	15	30.61%	4	0
	Neglect	21	42.86%	10	0
Total:		49		19	0
Grand Total:		483		138	15

Notifications received during financial year by Primary Reported Harm 18/07/2022 – 24/07/2022

DCM Region	Primary Reported Harm	A Notifications Received		Proceed to New CP Investigation	Substantiated
Alice Springs	Sexual Exploitation	7	4.19%	0	0
	Physical	36	21.56%	10	3
	Emotional	42	25.15%	9	3
	Neglect	82	49.10%	10	1
Total:		167		29	7
Barkly	Sexual Exploitation	4	8.16%	4	0
	Physical	8	16.33%	2	2
	Emotional	18	36.73%	2	0
	Neglect	19	38.78%	9	4
Total:		49		17	6
East Arnhem	Sexual Exploitation	1	4.00%	1	0
	Physical	8	32.00%	0	0
	Emotional	7	28.00%	0	0
	Neglect	9	36.00%	0	0
Total:		25		1	0
Greater Darwin	Sexual Exploitation	25	13.02%	3	1
	Physical	53	27.60%	10	0
	Emotional	44	22.92%	11	0
	Neglect	70	36.46%	16	1
Total:		192		40	2
Katherine	Sexual Exploitation	12	19.05%	2	0
	Physical	19	30.16%	1	0
	Emotional	13	20.63%	0	0
	Neglect	19	30.16%	1	0
Total:		63		4	0
Top End	Physical	8	21.62%	7	0
	Emotional	8	21.62%	0	0
	Neglect	21	56.76%	0	0
Total:		37		7	0
Grand Total:		533		98	15