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Central Office	Total	0	0.00	2	0.81	2	0.81	62	25.10	4	1.62	75	30.36	32	12.96	70	28.34	38	15.38	209	84.62
	Institutional Unit	0	0.00	2	0.81	2	0.81	62	25.10	4	1.62	75	30.36	32	12.96	70	28.34	38	15.38	209	84.62
Region 1	Total	3	0.11	15	0.53	37	1.30	212	7.46	22	0.77	388	13.66	321	11.30	1842	64.86	383	13.49	2457	86.51
	Benton	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	4.55	0	0.00	2	9.09	1	4.55	18	81.82	1	4.55	21	95.45
	Carroll	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	8.70	0	0.00	3	13.04	4	17.39	14	60.87	4	17.39	19	82.61
	Cass	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	3.45	8	9.20	1	1.15	20	22.99	11	12.64	44	50.57	15	17.24	72	82.76
	Clinton	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.45	10	14.49	0	0.00	10	14.49	16	23.19	32	46.38	17	24.64	52	75.36
	Fountain	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	4.00	0	0.00	8	32.00		0.00	16	64.00	0	0.00	25	100.00
	Fulton	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	4.76	0	0.00	2	4.76	4	9.52	34	80.95	4	9.52	38	90.48
	Howard	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	1.72	15	6.44	1	0.43	17	7.30	18	7.73	178	76.39	23	9.87	210	90.13
	Jasper	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.78	6	16.67	0	0.00	7	19.44	1	2.78	21	58.33	2	5.56	34	94.44
	Lake	0	0.00	5	0.69	4	0.55	46	6.36	12	1.66	111	15.35	99	13.69	446	61.69	115	15.91	608	84.09
	Laporte	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.45	7	3.15	0	0.00	29	13.06	22	9.91	163	73.42	23	10.36	199	89.64
	Marshall	0	0.00	1	1.61	1	1.61	8	12.90	0	0.00	11	17.74	5	8.06	36	58.06	6	9.68	56	90.32
	Montgomery	0	0.00	1	1.06	6	6.38	6	6.38	1	1.06	6	6.38	12	12.77	62	65.96	19	20.21	75	79.79



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Region 1	Newton	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	4.35	1	4.35	3	13.04	3	13.04	15	65.22	4	17.39	19	82.61
	Porter	1	0.64	1	0.64	1	0.64	12	7.69	1	0.64	24	15.38	24	15.38	92	58.97	27	17.31	129	82.69
	Pulaski	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	33.33	2	22.22	0	0.00	1	11.11	0	0.00	3	33.33	3	33.33	6	66.67
	Saint Joseph	2	0.33	5	0.81	10	1.63	47	7.64	3	0.49	72	11.71	59	9.59	417	67.80	74	12.03	541	87.97
	Starke	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	9	14.75	0	0.00	6	9.84	10	16.39	36	59.02	10	16.39	51	83.61
	Tippecanoe	0	0.00	2	0.74	1	0.37	24	8.92	2	0.74	39	14.50	22	8.18	179	66.54	25	9.29	244	90.71
	Warren	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	7.41	0	0.00	3	11.11	7	25.93	15	55.56	7	25.93	20	74.07
	White	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.38	3	7.14	0	0.00	14	33.33	3	7.14	21	50.00	4	9.52	38	90.48
Region 2	Total	0	0.00	7	0.27	37	1.43	196	7.58	20	0.77	403	15.58	297	11.48	1626	62.88	354	13.69	2232	86.31
	Adams	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	10.71	0	0.00	1	3.57	4	14.29	20	71.43	4	14.29	24	85.71
	Allen	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	0.61	45	6.86	4	0.61	108	16.46	56	8.54	439	66.92	64	9.76	592	90.24
	Blackford	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	16.67	1	5.56	1	5.56	2	11.11	11	61.11	3	16.67	15	83.33
	Dekalb	0	0.00	0	0.00	5	5.43	6	6.52	2	2.17	17	18.48	6	6.52	56	60.87	13	14.13	79	85.87
	Delaware	0	0.00	1	0.34	1	0.34	21	7.14	4	1.36	40	13.61	31	10.54	196	66.67	36	12.24	258	87.76
	Elkhart	0	0.00	5	1.46	6	1.75	25	7.31	0	0.00	47	13.74	27	7.89	232	67.84	33	9.65	309	90.35



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Region 2	Grant	0	0.00	1	0.63	5	3.14	18	11.32	5	3.14	31	19.50	35	22.01	64	40.25	45	28.30	114	71.70
	Huntington	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	6.15	10	15.38	0	0.00	8	12.31	6	9.23	37	56.92	10	15.38	55	84.62
	Jay	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.00	3	6.00	0	0.00	4	8.00	4	8.00	38	76.00	5	10.00	45	90.00
	Kosciusko	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.11	5	5.56	1	1.11	10	11.11	8	8.89	65	72.22	10	11.11	80	88.89
	LaGrange	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	3.03	1	3.03	4	12.12	5	15.15	22	66.67	6	18.18	27	81.82
	Madison	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	1.24	14	4.33	2	0.62	71	21.98	56	17.34	176	54.49	62	19.20	261	80.80
	Miami	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	4.48	4	5.97	0	0.00	7	10.45	12	17.91	41	61.19	15	22.39	52	77.61
	Noble	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.20	10	12.05	0	0.00	6	7.23	7	8.43	59	71.08	8	9.64	75	90.36
	Randolph	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	7	8.75	0	0.00	11	13.75		0.00	62	77.50	0	0.00	80	100.00
	Steuben	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.13	8	17.02	0	0.00	10	21.28	7	14.89	21	44.68	8	17.02	39	82.98
	Tipton	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	16.67	2	33.33	3	50.00	2	33.33	4	66.67
	Wabash	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.17	4	8.70	0	0.00	6	13.04	6	13.04	29	63.04	7	15.22	39	84.78
	Wells	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	7.69	0	0.00	14	26.92	8	15.38	26	50.00	8	15.38	44	84.62
	Whitley	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	5	9.09	0	0.00	6	10.91	15	27.27	29	52.73	15	27.27	40	72.73
Region 3	Total	3	0.10	11	0.38	38	1.31	201	6.95	28	0.97	438	15.15	330	11.41	1842	63.71	399	13.80	2492	86.20
	Boone	0	0.00	1	1.69	2	3.39	2	3.39	0	0.00	9	15.25	3	5.08	42	71.19	5	8.47	54	91.53



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Region 3	Hamilton	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	2.94	19	13.97	0	0.00	21	15.44	15	11.03	77	56.62	19	13.97	117	86.03
	Hancock	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.20	4	4.82	1	1.20	17	20.48	10	12.05	50	60.24	12	14.46	71	85.54
	Hendricks	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	2.83	17	8.02	8	3.77	37	17.45	29	13.68	115	54.25	43	20.28	169	79.72
	Johnson	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	18	8.41	1	0.47	40	18.69	26	12.15	129	60.28	27	12.62	187	87.38
	Marion	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00		0.00	1	100.00	0	0.00	1	100.00
	Marion East	1	0.21	2	0.42	2	0.42	33	6.92	5	1.05	62	13.00	52	10.90	320	67.09	60	12.58	417	87.42
	Marion North	0	0.00	1	0.30	1	0.30	18	5.36	4	1.19	43	12.80	56	16.67	213	63.39	61	18.15	275	81.85
	Marion South	2	0.37	0	0.00	3	0.55	40	7.33	1	0.18	85	15.57	41	7.51	374	68.50	47	8.61	499	91.39
	Marion West	0	0.00	7	1.19	11	1.87	27	4.59	2	0.34	87	14.80	80	13.61	374	63.61	93	15.82	495	84.18
	Morgan	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	3.26	5	5.43	1	1.09	11	11.96	11	11.96	61	66.30	15	16.30	77	83.70
	Shelby	0	0.00	0	0.00	5	3.40	18	12.24	5	3.40	26	17.69	7	4.76	86	58.50	17	11.56	130	88.44
Region 4	Total	4	0.20	5	0.25	34	1.72	136	6.89	22	1.11	242	12.26	368	18.64	1163	58.92	428	21.68	1546	78.32
	Brown	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	30.77	0	0.00	1	7.69	1	7.69	7	53.85	1	7.69	12	92.31
	Clay	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	3.13	0	0.00	7	7.29	22	22.92	64	66.67	22	22.92	74	77.08
	Crawford	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	9.09	1	9.09	1	9.09	2	18.18	6	54.55	3	27.27	8	72.73
	Daviess	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.54	1	1.54	0	0.00	10	15.38	12	18.46	41	63.08	13	20.00	52	80.00



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Region 4	Dubois	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	10.91	7	12.73	0	0.00	4	7.27	5	9.09	33	60.00	11	20.00	44	80.00
	Gibson	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	5.26	0	0.00	1	2.63	8	21.05	7	18.42	20	52.63	10	26.32	28	73.68
	Greene	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	8	16.67	0	0.00	5	10.42	6	12.50	29	60.42	6	12.50	42	87.50
	Knox	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	1.92	9	8.65	1	0.96	11	10.58	14	13.46	67	64.42	17	16.35	87	83.65
	Lawrence	1	1.67	0	0.00	1	1.67	7	11.67	1	1.67	7	11.67	15	25.00	28	46.67	18	30.00	42	70.00
	Martin	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	7.14	3	21.43	10	71.43	3	21.43	11	78.57
	Monroe	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	1.25	16	10.00	1	0.63	12	7.50	18	11.25	111	69.38	21	13.13	139	86.88
	Orange	0	0.00	1	2.17	0	0.00	2	4.35	0	0.00	3	6.52	11	23.91	29	63.04	11	23.91	35	76.09
	Owen	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	10.91	4	7.27	0	0.00	4	7.27	9	16.36	32	58.18	15	27.27	40	72.73
	Parke	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	4.00	1	4.00	4	16.00	2	8.00	17	68.00	3	12.00	22	88.00
	Perry	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.70	1	2.70	1	2.70	5	13.51	4	10.81	25	67.57	6	16.22	31	83.78
	Pike	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	6.25	3	18.75	12	75.00	3	18.75	13	81.25
	Posey	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	3.45	15	51.72	2	6.90	11	37.93	3	10.34	26	89.66
	Putnam	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	2.02	6	6.06	0	0.00	12	12.12	11	11.11	68	68.69	13	13.13	86	86.87
	Spencer	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.78	0	0.00	8	22.22	5	13.89	22	61.11	5	13.89	31	86.11



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	Vanderburgh	1	0.21	3	0.63	1	0.21	33	6.95	11	2.32	63	13.26	112	23.58	251	52.84	125	26.32	350	73.68
	Vermillion	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	4.44	0	0.00	4	8.89	8	17.78	31	68.89	8	17.78	37	82.22
	Vigo	1	0.30	1	0.30	6	1.80	20	5.99	1	0.30	45	13.47	70	20.96	190	56.89	78	23.35	256	76.65
	Warrick	1	1.28	0	0.00	4	5.13	10	12.82	2	2.56	9	11.54	17	21.79	35	44.87	24	30.77	54	69.23
Region 5	Total	1	0.08	4	0.31	19	1.48	83	6.48	14	1.09	158	12.33	153	11.94	849	66.28	187	14.60	1094	85.40
	Bartholomew	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	5.45	0	0.00	19	17.27	16	14.55	69	62.73	16	14.55	94	85.45
	Clark	1	0.56	2	1.12	2	1.12	15	8.43	0	0.00	23	12.92	17	9.55	118	66.29	20	11.24	158	88.76
	Dearborn	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	2.94	0	0.00	12	17.65	5	7.35	49	72.06	5	7.35	63	92.65
	Decatur	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	3.85	3	5.77	2	3.85	6	11.54	9	17.31	30	57.69	13	25.00	39	75.00
	Fayette	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	1.96	14	13.73	1	0.98	6	5.88	13	12.75	66	64.71	16	15.69	86	84.31
	Floyd	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	7.41	2	2.47	11	13.58	9	11.11	53	65.43	11	13.58	70	86.42
	Franklin	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	3.03	2	6.06	1	3.03	2	6.06	6	18.18	21	63.64	8	24.24	25	75.76
	Harrison	0	0.00	1	1.56	4	6.25	4	6.25	0	0.00	8	12.50	6	9.38	41	64.06	10	15.63	54	84.38
	Henry	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.45	2	2.90	1	1.45	6	8.70	4	5.80	55	79.71	6	8.70	63	91.30
	Jackson	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	2.02	8	8.08	0	0.00	8	8.08	11	11.11	70	70.71	13	13.13	86	86.87



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Region 5	Jefferson	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	5	9.80	0	0.00	10	19.61	13	25.49	23	45.10	13	25.49	38	74.51
	Jennings	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	7.27	0	0.00	3	5.45	4	7.27	44	80.00	4	7.27	51	92.73
	Ohio	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	20.00	3	60.00	1	20.00	3	60.00	2	40.00
	Ripley	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	5.26	2	5.26	8	21.05	4	10.53	22	57.89	6	15.79	32	84.21
	Rush	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.78	2	5.56	1	2.78	8	22.22	5	13.89	19	52.78	7	19.44	29	80.56
	Scott	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	3.57	1	1.79	13	23.21	12	21.43	28	50.00	13	23.21	43	76.79
	Switzerland	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	4.76	0	0.00	1	4.76	2	9.52	17	80.95	2	9.52	19	90.48
	Union	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	20.00	1	20.00	3	60.00	1	20.00	4	80.00
	Washington	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.08	1	2.08	2	4.17	5	10.42	39	81.25	6	12.50	42	87.50
	Wayne	0	0.00	1	0.91	4	3.64	4	3.64	2	1.82	10	9.09	8	7.27	81	73.64	14	12.73	96	87.27



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Report Description

Modifications to report

Report Date of change: 10/16/2020.

Change: Human Trafficking Counts take precedence over other allegation type.

Why change is necessary: The hierarchy of maltreatment types (Human Trafficking, Sexual Abuse, Physical Abuse, or Neglect) assist in determining where a child would be safest, whether that be in home, or an out of home placement.

This report present counts of the different open assessments of substantiated and unsubstantiated cases at a statewide, Region and County level. The types of abuses are as follows:

Human Trafficking

Sexual Abuse

Physical Abuse

Neglected Abuse