

CHILD ABUSE ROUNDTABLE

The Kansas City **Child Abuse Round**table Coalition

is a collaboration of more than 30 community agencies that promote awareness of child abuse and the prevention, training and treatment services available in the greater Kansas City area.

> Kansas Department for Children & Families Kansas State Child Death Review Board **Missouri Department of Social Services** Prevent Child Abuse America SOURCES

CHILD ABUSE FACTS FOR KANSAS & MISSOURI

2015 Cases of Abuse (June - July)

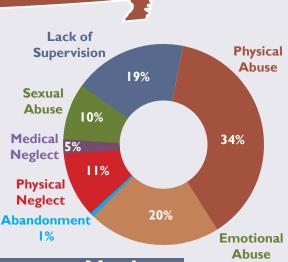
25,431 reports of child abuse & neglect in the Kansas City metro area

65,631 reports of child abuse & neglect 68,623

Types of Abuse

Physical abuse accounts for the largest percentage of the cases of abuse, after which the most common types are emotional abuse, lack of supervision, and sexual abuse. Physical and medical neglect and abandonment are lesser, but also significant forms of abuse to which children are subjected.

(From Kansas Department for Children and Families)



Child Fatalities Due to Abuse or Neglect

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	
Missouri	65	86	68	60	64	
Kansas	8	6	8	10	n/a	

Child fatalities that have resulted from abuse or neglect have fluctuated over the past five years. These numbers only reflect the deaths that were reported.

Abuse & Neglect by Age

Children under the age of four	16-17 yr	129 447	
are most likely to	12-15 yr	435	1,270
be victims of child	8-II yr	435	1,299
abuse in 2015.	4-7 yr	573	1,56
Missouri	0-3 yr	532	1,667



A child is abused or neglected every 47 seconds in the U.S.

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