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Report/ Allegation	Provider	Approximate Date Abuse Occurred	Did physical injury, sexual abuse or death result?
CCA230031/ Neglect	St. Mary's Home for Boys	2022	No
Nature of Abuse and Brief Narrative: St. Mary's Home for Boys staff had an inappropriate relationship with two youth, crossing professional boundaries, which resulted in the regression of treatment for youth. The respondent provided youth with nicotine and vaping products.		**Corrective Actions Taken or Ordered by the Department, and Outcome:** The identified employee was terminated by St Mary's Home for Boys due to poor work performance five months prior to the abuse report that led to the substantiation of neglect by the employee. The specific information that was reported to the abuse hotline was not known to St. Mary's until after the employee had been terminated.	
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CCA230044/Wrongful Restraint	Trillium – Children's Farm Home	06/2023	No
Nature of Abuse and Brief Narrative: One staff member engaged in a Wrongful Restraint when he pushed and grabbed the youth's arm. The staff pulled the youth's arm for convenience and did not employ the least amount of physical force and contact as possible.		**Corrective Actions Taken or Ordered by the Department, and Outcome:** Trillium terminated the identified staff person's employment when the investigation substantiated the report of wrongful restraint.	
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CCA230045/Wrongful Restraint	Jasper Mountain	05/2023	Yes
Nature of Abuse and Brief Narrative: One staff member engaged in a Wrongful Restraint by placing her knee in the youth's back, and using her body weight and hands to push the youth's body into the ground. This created a risk of breathing and placed pressure on the child's back.		**Corrective Actions Taken or Ordered by the Department, and Outcome:** The identified staff person was placed on administrative leave at the time of the initial report of wrongful restraint, and she remained on leave until the investigation substantiated the report. Her employment was terminated following the substantiation.	

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CCA230050/Neglect	Youth Progress Association	06/2023	No
Nature of Abuse and Brief Narrative: Proctor foster parent left two youth alone in the home for five days without making a plan for the youth while the provider went on vacation.		**Corrective Actions Taken or Ordered by the Department, and Outcome:** When Youth Progress Association became aware of the identified foster parent's absence from the home, they moved the two youths to another YPA certified foster home. Before the move, the two youths had independently maintained their daily routines, including attending school. The foster parent believed he had made respite arrangements via the established process, as he had always done previously, before going on vacation. YPA ended the foster parent's certification following the incident and made changes to their respite care process to make incidents of this kind less likely to occur in the future.	

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Restraint and Involuntary Seclusion Report

Reporting time frame (indicate which quarter in months and year):	Quarter 3, 2023
The total number of restraints used in programs that quarter.	1764
The total number of programs that reported the use of restraints of children in care that quarter.	29
The total number of individual children in care who were placed in restraints by programs that quarter.	137
The number of reportable injuries to children in care that resulted from those restraints.	308
The number of incidents in which an individual who was not appropriately trained in the use of restraint performed a restraint on a child in care in a program.	0
The number of incidents that were reported for potential inappropriate use of restraint.	217