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Central Office	Total	0	0.00	8	2.62	11	3.61	114	37.38	7	2.30	90	29.51	8	2.62	67	21.97	26	8.52	279	91.48
	Institutional Unit	0	0.00	8	2.62	11	3.61	114	37.38	7	2.30	90	29.51	8	2.62	67	21.97	26	8.52	279	91.48
Region 1	Total	1	0.03	4	0.13	43	1.37	231	7.38	36	1.15	467	14.92	347	11.09	2000	63.92	427	13.65	2702	86.35
	Benton	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	3.33	1	3.33	2	6.67	8	26.67	18	60.00	9	30.00	21	70.00
	Carroll	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	5.88	3	17.65	0	0.00	4	23.53	0	0.00	9	52.94	1	5.88	16	94.12
	Cass	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	1.56	8	6.25	0	0.00	22	17.19	11	8.59	85	66.41	13	10.16	115	89.84
	Clinton	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	3.23	6	9.68	1	1.61	12	19.35	6	9.68	35	56.45	9	14.52	53	85.48
	Fountain	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	3.03	0	0.00	1	3.03	2	6.06	3	9.09	26	78.79	5	15.15	28	84.85
	Fulton	0	0.00	0	0.00	7	11.11	4	6.35	1	1.59	7	11.11	7	11.11	37	58.73	15	23.81	48	76.19
	Howard	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	3.03	21	10.61	1	0.51	33	16.67	14	7.07	123	62.12	21	10.61	177	89.39
	Jasper	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	3.70	1	1.85	11	20.37	6	11.11	34	62.96	7	12.96	47	87.04
	Lake	0	0.00	1	0.13	4	0.51	61	7.72	15	1.90	140	17.72	121	15.32	448	56.71	140	17.72	650	82.28
	Laporte	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	15	6.00	2	0.80	18	7.20	10	4.00	205	82.00	12	4.80	238	95.20
	Marshall	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	7.50	0	0.00	15	18.75	7	8.75	52	65.00	7	8.75	73	91.25
	Montgomery	0	0.00	1	0.82	4	3.28	5	4.10	0	0.00	13	10.66	8	6.56	91	74.59	12	9.84	110	90.16



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Region 1	Newton	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	16.67	0	0.00	2	11.11	3	16.67	10	55.56	3	16.67	15	83.33
	Porter	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	0.93	14	6.54	1	0.47	27	12.62	17	7.94	153	71.50	20	9.35	194	90.65
	Pulaski	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	12.50	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	12.50	6	75.00	1	12.50	7	87.50
	Saint Joseph	0	0.00	1	0.17	4	0.70	46	8.00	6	1.04	75	13.04	52	9.04	391	68.00	62	10.78	513	89.22
	Starke	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.78	4	11.11	1	2.78	6	16.67	3	8.33	21	58.33	5	13.89	31	86.11
	Tippecanoe	1	0.29	1	0.29	9	2.58	26	7.45	3	0.86	67	19.20	50	14.33	192	55.01	63	18.05	286	81.95
	Warren	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	14.29	0	0.00	1	4.76	6	28.57	11	52.38	6	28.57	15	71.43
	White	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	2.47	2	2.47	10	12.35	14	17.28	53	65.43	16	19.75	65	80.25
Region 2	Total	2	0.07	8	0.27	32	1.07	225	7.51	32	1.07	450	15.02	356	11.88	1892	63.13	422	14.08	2575	85.92
	Adams	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.17	3	6.52	1	2.17	4	8.70	5	10.87	32	69.57	7	15.22	39	84.78
	Allen	0	0.00	2	0.25	10	1.23	71	8.77	9	1.11	137	16.91	69	8.52	512	63.21	88	10.86	722	89.14
	Blackford	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	14.29	0	0.00	5	17.86	4	14.29	15	53.57	4	14.29	24	85.71
	Dekalb	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	3.48	1	0.87	17	14.78	23	20.00	70	60.87	24	20.87	91	79.13
	Delaware	0	0.00	3	0.98	1	0.33	22	7.17	5	1.63	47	15.31	30	9.77	199	64.82	36	11.73	271	88.27
	Elkhart	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	0.52	26	6.74	5	1.30	56	14.51	34	8.81	263	68.13	41	10.62	345	89.38



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Region 2	Grant	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	1.85	8	3.70	4	1.85	21	9.72	44	20.37	135	62.50	52	24.07	164	75.93
	Huntington	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	4.35	0	0.00	19	20.65	2	2.17	67	72.83	2	2.17	90	97.83
	Jay	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	8	13.33	0	0.00	5	8.33		0.00	47	78.33	0	0.00	60	100.00
	Kosciusko	1	0.77	0	0.00	1	0.77	12	9.23	2	1.54	17	13.08	18	13.85	79	60.77	22	16.92	108	83.08
	LaGrange	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	4.44	5	11.11	0	0.00	3	6.67	6	13.33	29	64.44	8	17.78	37	82.22
	Madison	0	0.00	2	0.74	1	0.37	19	7.06	2	0.74	37	13.75	60	22.30	148	55.02	63	23.42	206	76.58
	Miami	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	2.13	8	8.51	2	2.13	16	17.02	3	3.19	63	67.02	7	7.45	87	92.55
	Noble	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.41	6	8.45	0	0.00	10	14.08	8	11.27	46	64.79	9	12.68	62	87.32
	Randolph	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	9.23	0	0.00	14	21.54	15	23.08	30	46.15	15	23.08	50	76.92
	Steuben	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.47	6	8.82	0	0.00	14	20.59	11	16.18	36	52.94	12	17.65	56	82.35
	Tipton	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	5.00	0	0.00	1	5.00	1	5.00	7	35.00	10	50.00	9	45.00	11	55.00
	Wabash	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	3.92	5	9.80	0	0.00	7	13.73	3	5.88	34	66.67	5	9.80	46	90.20
	Wells	0	0.00	1	1.96	2	3.92	1	1.96	0	0.00	9	17.65	6	11.76	32	62.75	8	15.69	43	84.31
	Whitley	1	1.37	0	0.00	1	1.37	7	9.59	0	0.00	11	15.07	8	10.96	45	61.64	10	13.70	63	86.30
Region 3	Total	3	0.10	14	0.44	30	0.95	216	6.85	30	0.95	601	19.06	356	11.29	1903	60.36	419	13.29	2734	86.71
	Boone	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	2.44	3	3.66	0	0.00	26	31.71	6	7.32	45	54.88	8	9.76	74	90.24



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Region 3	Hamilton	0	0.00	1	0.41	4	1.66	24	9.96	2	0.83	63	26.14	20	8.30	127	52.70	26	10.79	215	89.21
	Hancock	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	8	6.84	1	0.85	27	23.08	20	17.09	61	52.14	21	17.95	96	82.05
	Hendricks	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.66	8	5.30	3	1.99	40	26.49	7	4.64	92	60.93	11	7.28	140	92.72
	Johnson	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	1.22	26	7.95	1	0.31	68	20.80	12	3.67	216	66.06	17	5.20	310	94.80
	Marion East	2	0.56	2	0.56	4	1.12	27	7.58	4	1.12	56	15.73	55	15.45	206	57.87	65	18.26	291	81.74
	Marion North	0	0.00	1	0.26	7	1.81	19	4.91	2	0.52	59	15.25	50	12.92	249	64.34	59	15.25	328	84.75
	Marion South	0	0.00	1	0.17	2	0.33	35	5.81	7	1.16	112	18.60	49	8.14	396	65.78	58	9.63	544	90.37
	Marion West	1	0.18	7	1.25	4	0.72	40	7.16	8	1.43	85	15.21	99	17.71	315	56.35	112	20.04	447	79.96
	Morgan	0	0.00	2	1.02	1	0.51	18	9.14	0	0.00	41	20.81	20	10.15	115	58.38	21	10.66	176	89.34
	Shelby	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.75	8	5.97	2	1.49	24	17.91	18	13.43	81	60.45	21	15.67	113	84.33
Region 4	Total	0	0.00	6	0.28	22	1.03	136	6.36	27	1.26	332	15.53	389	18.19	1226	57.34	438	20.49	1700	79.51
	Brown	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	6.67	0	0.00	3	20.00	5	33.33	6	40.00	5	33.33	10	66.67
	Clay	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	1.87	10	9.35	0	0.00	12	11.21	20	18.69	63	58.88	22	20.56	85	79.44
	Crawford	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.63	1	2.63	10	26.32	3	7.89	23	60.53	4	10.53	34	89.47
	Daviess	0	0.00	2	2.67	1	1.33	9	12.00	0	0.00	6	8.00	5	6.67	52	69.33	6	8.00	69	92.00
	Dubois	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.43	2	2.86	12	17.14	17	24.29	38	54.29	19	27.14	51	72.86
	Gibson	0	0.00	1	1.69	1	1.69	4	6.78	2	3.39	10	16.95	10	16.95	31	52.54	13	22.03	46	77.97



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Region 4	Greene	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	3.45	1	0.86	11	9.48	14	12.07	86	74.14	15	12.93	101	87.07
	Knox	0	0.00	1	0.94	2	1.89	5	4.72	0	0.00	11	10.38	33	31.13	54	50.94	35	33.02	71	66.98
	Lawrence	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	12	16.90	2	2.82	9	12.68	3	4.23	45	63.38	5	7.04	66	92.96
	Martin	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	3.23	3	9.68	0	0.00	1	3.23	4	12.90	22	70.97	5	16.13	26	83.87
	Monroe	0	0.00	1	0.48	3	1.43	17	8.10	1	0.48	42	20.00	40	19.05	106	50.48	44	20.95	166	79.05
	Orange	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.75	8	14.04	0	0.00	7	12.28	11	19.30	30	52.63	12	21.05	45	78.95
	Owen	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	6.25	1	1.56	16	25.00	12	18.75	31	48.44	13	20.31	51	79.69
	Parke	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	21.05	0	0.00	5	26.32		0.00	10	52.63	0	0.00	19	100.00
	Perry	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.50	0	0.00	3	7.50	15	37.50	21	52.50	15	37.50	25	62.50
	Pike	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	5.56	0	0.00	7	19.44	4	11.11	23	63.89	4	11.11	32	88.89
	Posey	0	0.00	1	2.94	0	0.00	1	2.94	0	0.00	3	8.82	16	47.06	13	38.24	16	47.06	18	52.94
	Putnam	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.56	3	4.69	1	1.56	13	20.31	8	12.50	38	59.38	10	15.63	54	84.38
	Spencer	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	3.92	0	0.00	11	21.57	9	17.65	29	56.86	9	17.65	42	82.35
	Sullivan	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	3.23	3	4.84	2	3.23	5	8.06	5	8.06	45	72.58	9	14.52	53	85.48
	Vanderburgh	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.24	18	4.31	7	1.67	68	16.27	70	16.75	254	60.77	78	18.66	340	81.34
	Vermillion	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	23.08	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	15.38	2	15.38	6	46.15	5	38.46	8	61.54



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	Warrick	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	1.98	4	3.96	1	0.99	13	12.87	29	28.71	52	51.49	32	31.68	69	68.32
Region 5	Total	1	0.05	1	0.05	16	0.83	133	6.93	25	1.30	312	16.26	195	10.16	1236	64.41	237	12.35	1682	87.65
	Bartholomew	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.30	19	5.65	1	0.30	52	15.48	21	6.25	242	72.02	23	6.85	313	93.15
	Clark	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	8	4.68	2	1.17	32	18.71	24	14.04	105	61.40	26	15.20	145	84.80
	Dearborn	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	2.08	8	8.33	2	2.08	11	11.46	13	13.54	60	62.50	17	17.71	79	82.29
	Decatur	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	5.08	1	1.69	6	10.17	11	18.64	38	64.41	12	20.34	47	79.66
	Fayette	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	8	11.43	0	0.00	13	18.57	5	7.14	44	62.86	5	7.14	65	92.86
	Floyd	1	0.56	1	0.56	4	2.25	4	2.25	4	2.25	29	16.29	13	7.30	122	68.54	22	12.36	156	87.64
	Franklin	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	7	15.56	3	6.67	7	15.56	7	15.56	21	46.67	10	22.22	35	77.78
	Harrison	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.72	6	10.34	0	0.00	13	22.41	6	10.34	32	55.17	7	12.07	51	87.93
	Henry	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	10	8.62	3	2.59	20	17.24	11	9.48	72	62.07	14	12.07	102	87.93
	Jackson	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.83	16	13.33	0	0.00	22	18.33	7	5.83	74	61.67	8	6.67	112	93.33
	Jefferson	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	5	5.32	1	1.06	9	9.57	10	10.64	69	73.40	11	11.70	83	88.30
	Jennings	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.95	8	7.62	4	3.81	15	14.29	21	20.00	56	53.33	26	24.76	79	75.24
	Ohio	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	25.00		0.00	6	75.00	0	0.00	8	100.00



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	Rush	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	4.35	0	0.00	9	19.57	6	13.04	29	63.04	6	13.04	40	86.96
	Scott	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.86	8	6.90	1	0.86	23	19.83	8	6.90	75	64.66	10	8.62	106	91.38
	Switzerland	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	10.71	0	0.00	5	17.86	2	7.14	18	64.29	2	7.14	26	92.86
	Union	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	22.22	1	11.11	1	11.11	0	0.00	5	55.56	1	11.11	8	88.89
	Washington	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.69	5	8.47	1	1.69	9	15.25	4	6.78	39	66.10	6	10.17	53	89.83
	Wayne	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	2.04	7	4.76	1	0.68	21	14.29	14	9.52	101	68.71	18	12.24	129	87.76



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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