

Preliminary Report	Fatality	03/01/2023
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- 1. Victim:** Liam Figueroa – 1-year-old male
- 2. Date of notification to DCS:** 07/22/20
- 3. Date of fatality:** 07/22/20
- 4. Date of determination that the fatality was the result of abuse or neglect*:** 02/09/22
- 5. County and general location of the residence of the victim:** Maricopa County – Arlington, AZ
- 6. Alleged perpetrator(s) name, age and city, town or general location:**

Sandra Randall – age 33 – Arlington, AZ
Angel Figueroa – age 34 – Arlington, AZ

7. Circumstances of the fatality that indicate it was the result of abuse or neglect:

On July 22, 2020, the Department of Child Safety received a report regarding 1-year-old Liam Figueroa who had drowned in a bathtub at his home. The child was transported to the hospital, where he was pronounced deceased. On February 09, 2022, the Department substantiated the allegations of neglect towards Liam Figueroa by his parents, Sandra Randall and Angel Figueroa.

8. Whether DCS has received any reports or past cases, of child abuse, abandonment or neglect involving the child or the current alleged perpetrator(s):**

DCS received the following prior reports involving Sandra Randall and Angel Figueroa:

On February 16, 2008, a report was received alleging neglect to a child by Sandra Randall. The allegation was unsubstantiated. The family declined services offered by the Department. The case was closed on December 9, 2008.

On March 2, 2012, a report was received alleging neglect to a child by their mother and father, Angel Figueroa. Following an assessment of child safety, the child was taken into custody and placed in a licensed foster home. A dependency petition was filed with the Maricopa County Superior Court on March 7, 2012. The family was provided with services. The allegation was substantiated against Angel Figueroa. Ultimately, the child was reunified with the mother and the dependency matter was dismissed on June 7, 2013 and the case was closed on July 15, 2013.

On April 11, 2019, a report was received alleging neglect to Liam Figueroa by his mother, Sandra Randall. The family was referred for in-home services however the family refused to participate. The allegation as to Sandra Randall was unsubstantiated and the case was closed on August 27, 2019.

9. Actions taken by DCS in response to the fatality:

A joint investigation was conducted with the Maricopa County Sheriff's Office.

10. Actions taken regarding the child and/or other children in the home:

There were no other children in the home.

11. Whether the agency is or intends to provide direct services or service referrals to the family:

There were no services provided by the Department.

*The determination that a fatality or near fatality is the result of abuse, abandonment or neglect is based one or more of the following criteria: (1) The perpetrator(s) arrest related to the incident, (2) Substantiated finding(s) linking the alleged perpetrator(s) action(s) to the fatality or near fatality and/or (3) Results of the Medical Examiner's report.

** Information released after July 3, 2015 provides reports, or any current or past cases, of abuse, abandonment or neglect involving the child or the alleged perpetrator pursuant to A.R.S. § 8-807.01(A)(1)(e).
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