



<b>Preliminary Report</b>	<b>Near Fatality</b>	<b>3/17/2020</b>
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- 1. Near Fatality Victim:** 2-year-old male
- 2. Date of notification to DCS:** 3/4/19
- 3. Date of near fatality:** 3/4/19
- 4. Date of determination that the near fatality was the result of abuse or neglect\*:** 11/12/19
- 5. County and general location of the residence of the victim:** Maricopa County – Mesa, AZ
- 6. Alleged perpetrator(s) name, age and city, town or general location:**

Kaitlyn Corolis – age 28 – Mesa, AZ

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

On March 4, 2019, the Department of Child Safety received a report regarding a two-year-old male who was severely injured while in the care of his mother. The investigation determined that the mother, Kaitlyn Corolis, did not follow the advice of medical professionals regarding proper treatment for his injuries which placed him at unreasonable risk of harm for additional injuries, permanent impairment and death. The Department substantiated the allegation of neglect pertaining to the mother.

**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 has received no prior reports involving Kaitlyn Corolis and/or the near fatality victim.

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

A joint investigation was conducted with the Mesa Police Department.

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

The other children in the home were initially assessed as safe with the other parent and were later determined to be safe with both parents. Upon release from the hospital, the near fatality victim was also assessed as safe with the other parent and was later determined to be safe with both parents.

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

The Department provided services to the family.

\*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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