



<b>Preliminary Report</b>	<b>Near Fatality</b>	<b>08/03/2022</b>
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- 1. Near Fatality Victim:** 8-year-old female
- 2. Date of notification to DCS:** 4/25/2020
- 3. Date of near fatality:** 4/25/2020
- 4. Date of determination that the near fatality was the result of abuse or neglect\*:** 07/13/2022
- 5. County and general location of the residence of the victim:** Maricopa County – Phoenix, AZ
- 6. Alleged perpetrator(s) name, age and city, town or general location:**

Sabrina Dockery AKA Ayers – age 49 – Phoenix, AZ

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

On April 25, 2020, the Department of Child Safety received a report regarding an 8-year-old child being transported to the hospital after a motor vehicle accident. Upon examination, the child was determined to be in critical condition. On July 13, 2022, the Department substantiated the allegation of neglect against the child’s grandmother, Sabrina Dockery AKA Ayers.

**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 report involving Sabrina Dockery AKA Ayers:

On September 12, 2001, report was received alleging neglect to a child by their mother, Sabrina Dockery AKA Ayers. The investigation assessed the child as safe with their mother and the allegation was unsubstantiated. No services or community resources were offered and the case was closed on September 24, 2001.

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

A joint investigation was conducted with the Phoenix Police Department.

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

There are no other children in the home. Upon release from the hospital, the near fatality victim was assessed as safe with her mother.

**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.



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Mike Faust, Director  
Douglas A. Ducey, Governor

\*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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