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Information for Release: This was originally posted as a near fatality on October 18, 2011 and the posting is amended because the child died on October 15, 2011.

Information for Release		10/19/2011
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Date of the notification to CPS: 10/13/2011

Fatality

The date the child suffered the fatality: On or about 10/13/11

Child's name: Jordan Marino

Age at time of incident: 2 Years

Perpetrator(s): Gregg Amador

Age: 20

City, town or general location of residence of the child and perpetrator(s): At the time of the incident, the child and perpetrator were living in El Mirage, Arizona.

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

On October 13, 2011, a 9-1-1 call was made when Gregg Amador reported checking on Jordan Marino in his bedroom and found Jordan to be unresponsive. Jordan was transported to the hospital where he was found to have a subdural hematoma and massive bruising all over his body that is suspected to be non-accidental trauma.

B. Whether CPS has received any reports or past cases of child abuse, abandonment or neglect involving the child and the current alleged abusive or neglectful parent, guardian or custodian* :

CPS has not received any prior reports alleging abuse or neglect of Jordan Marino by Gregg Amador.

1. Actions taken by CPS in response to the fatality or near fatality of the child including:

CPS is conducting a joint investigation with the El Mirage Police Department.

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

There are no other children in the home.

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

The investigation is ongoing.

*Posted information provides whether there have been reports or any current or past cases of child abuse, abandonment or neglect involving the child who has died or suffered a near fatality and the current alleged abusive or neglectful parent, guardian or custodian pursuant to A.R.S. § 8-807(F)(2)(a)(iv).