



ARKANSAS STATE POLICE CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN DIVISION

ANNUAL REPORT 2025

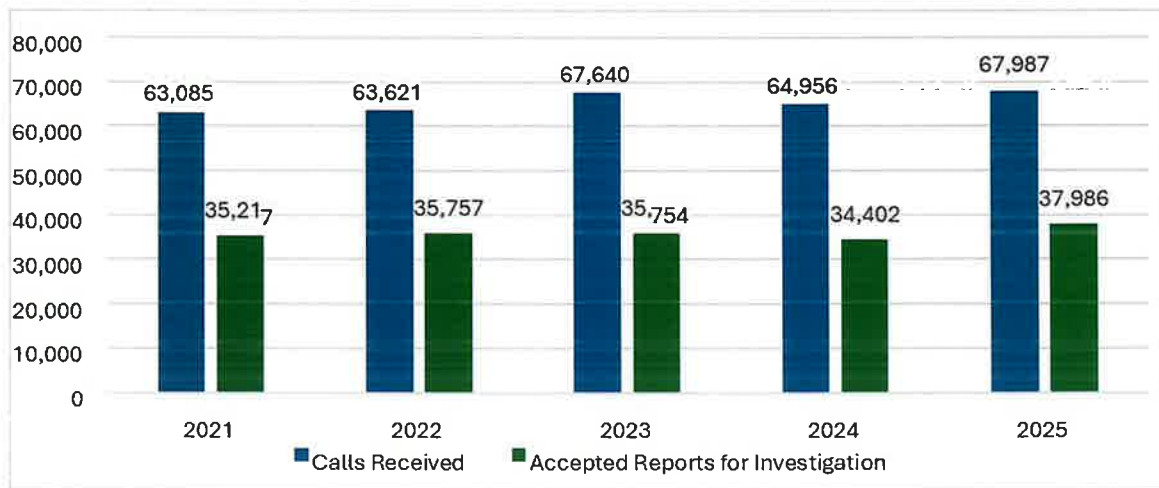
The Crimes Against Children Division operates with one (1) Major, one (1) Investigations Administrator, one (1) Admin Analyst, three (3) Admin Specialist II, eleven (11) Area Managers, seventy-One (71) Investigators, one (1) Hotline Administrator, five (5) Hotline Supervisors and Twenty - seven (27) Hotline Operators.

Child Abuse Hot Line operators in the Crimes Against Children Division (CACD) of the Arkansas State Police received 67,987 referrals in the year 2025. Of these referrals, 37,986 were accepted as legally valid allegations of abuse or neglect. They were assigned for investigation to CACD investigators or to the Arkansas Department of Human Services' (DHS) Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS).



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In 2025, the Hotline received 67,987 calls, which were 3,031 more than 2024.



In 2025, the number of accepted reports for investigations increased by 3,584.

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Calls Received	63,085	63,621	67,640	64,956	67,987
Accepted Reports for Investigation	35,217	35,757	35,754	34,402	37,986

SECTION I

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HOTLINE

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ANNUAL STATS**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
TOT 800	2599	2547	2680	2997	2754	2664	2871	2993	2867	2952	2377	2370	32671
TOT OTHER	2868	2724	3062	3650	2911	1633	1878	2913	3813	3809	3116	2939	35316
TOTAL CONTACTS	5467	5271	5742	6647	5665	4297	4749	5906	6680	6761	5493	5309	67987
ACC	2296	2226	2494	2896	2508	1975	2146	2529	2972	3120	2431	2435	30028
DOC	1828	1730	2027	2289	1848	1323	1503	2056	2431	2280	1932	1816	23063
DR	684	707	635	784	655	401	434	696	782	855	685	640	7958
DA's	29	14	6	6	21	15	13	8	14	14	7	22	169
FASD/RA	1	2	0	1	3	1	0	1	2	1	1	2	15
Misc/Other	629	592	580	671	630	582	653	616	479	491	437	394	6754
TOTAL CONTACTS	5467	5271	5742	6647	5665	4297	4749	5906	6680	6761	5493	5309	67987
Child Death Inv.	2	2	4	2	5	3	3	4	6	1	2	6	40
DA's	27	13	6	6	19	15	13	8	12	14	7	19	159
DOC	3	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	8
Spanish Intakes	0	3	4	5	9	2	5	1	5	4	2	5	45

Total Others - Includes Referrals received by Fax, E-Mail, MRP, etc.

MISC CALLS - 2025

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	Totals
HANG UP/WRONG NUMBER (HWN)	123	83	90	103	92	84	106	112	84	83	91	87	1138
REFERRED TO DHHS/CACD (REF)	157	146	140	176	167	152	217	182	128	156	139	132	1892
MISC INFO CALLS (MIS)	295	303	303	338	305	281	276	249	194	193	143	138	3018
CALLS FOR ON-CALL CONTACTS (OCC)	22	36	27	30	38	31	28	41	36	32	31	19	371
WCB (ON-CALL CALL BACKS, etc.)	12	7	3	5	1	6	3	2	18	6	9	6	78
TRANSFER CALLS (TC)	19	16	16	18	24	27	20	30	18	21	20	12	241
FOR/R FROM HOTLINE SUPADMIN (HLS)	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	0	1	0	4	0	16
TOTAL OTHER CALLS	629	592	580	671	630	582	653	616	479	491	437	394	6754



MEMORANDUM



TO: Major Jeffrey L. Drew, Division Commander

FROM: Dan Mack, Hotline Administrator

RE: 2025 Annual Hotline Statistics

DATE: January 1, 2026

Attached you will find the CACD Child Abuse Hotline Referral Statistics Report for 2025. There was a total of 6804 Child Abuse Hotline Referrals which contained 7612 maltreatment allegations – 4052 priority one allegations and 3560 priority two allegations.

CACD CHILD ABUSE HOTLINE REFERRAL ANNUAL STATISTICS FOR 2025

PRTY 1 ALLEGATIONS	JAN	FEB	MAR	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	Totals
Abandonment	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	3	3	0	0	10
Abuse	91	99	94	112	95	73	123	115	116	111	93	86	1208
Neglect	35	30	47	45	46	31	50	56	46	56	20	42	504
Sexual Abuse	175	164	182	201	155	151	177	197	215	221	188	163	2189
Sexual Exploitation	13	5	12	11	16	7	7	8	13	10	7	11	120
Death	1	0	3	1	2	2	1	4	3	0	2	2	21
Total Prty. One Allegations	315	299	338	370	315	265	359	380	396	401	310	304	4052

PRTY 2 ALLEGATIONS													Totals	
Abandonment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Abuse	26	30	30	43	42	45	33	32	26	31	27	50	415	
Neglect	13	15	16	16	16	8	19	18	20	20	20	27	208	
Sexual Abuse	220	221	247	287	243	212	236	210	244	272	191	225	2808	
Sexual Exploitation	6	13	8	13	13	13	14	16	10	9	9	4	128	
Total Prty. Two Allegations	265	279	301	359	314	278	302	276	300	332	247	307	3560	
Total All CACD Allegations	580	578	639	729	629	543	661	656	696	733	557	611	7612	
Total CACD Child Abuse Hotline Referrals	518	524	551	649	574	492	575	568	623	654	513	563	6804	

SECTION II

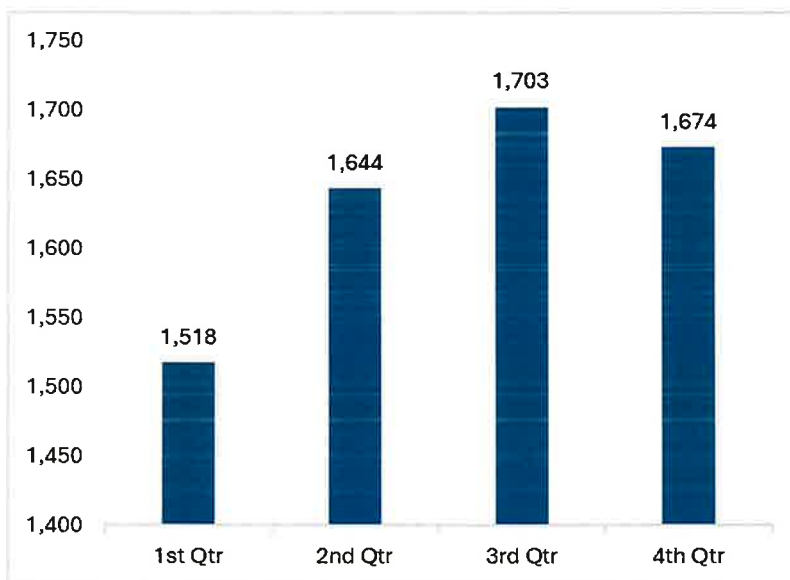
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INVESTIGATIONS

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The referrals accepted by the Hotline are divided into categories for investigation, pursuant to an agreement with DHS. This resulted in **6,539** referrals being investigated by the Investigation Unit of CACD in 2025. Each referral may contain multiple allegations.

Number of Investigations Assigned



Total Priority 1 Allegations by type for 2025

- Abandonment - 11
- Abuse - 1208
- Neglect - 504
- Sexual Abuse - 2189
- Sexual Exploitation - 120
- Death – 21

Of the total number of Priority 1 allegations, **4,053** (57%) involved sexual related offenses. CACD investigators closed **5,933** referrals in 2025. Of the closed referrals, **1,641** (28%) were found to be 'true'.

The investigative determination of 'true' means there was a preponderance of evidence that indicated the allegation(s) was true. An 'unsubstantiated' finding means the evidence was insufficient to support the allegation(s). Investigations closed with a determination of 'true' were reported to the appropriate prosecuting attorney.