

SUMMARY: FILE REVIEW

Of the Critical Injury of a Youth in the Care of the Director in 2019

Circumstances of the Critical Injury

The review examined the case files of a youth who was critically injured while in the care of the director. The director was providing services to the youth and their family at the time of the critical injury in relation to health concerns and permanency planning.

Findings

The youth was brought into the director's care due to abuse by their parent. Although extended family members were unable to care for them, the youth was supported to maintain positive connections to their family and community. Collaborative practices were utilized to promote shared decision-making with the youth and their care team. Following a professional assessment, a comprehensive plan was developed to address the youth's specific needs, particularly in relation to their health concerns. Support services were provided to meet the youth's needs, while ongoing permanency planning occurred with their family.

Actions

No actions were required to address the findings of the review.

The review was completed in January 2020.