



# **H.E.A.R.T**

# **Huntingdon**

# **COUNTY**

## **Endangered & At-Risk**

## **Youth Response Team**

**Charles T. Streightiff**  
Huntingdon Borough Police Department  
Chief of Police



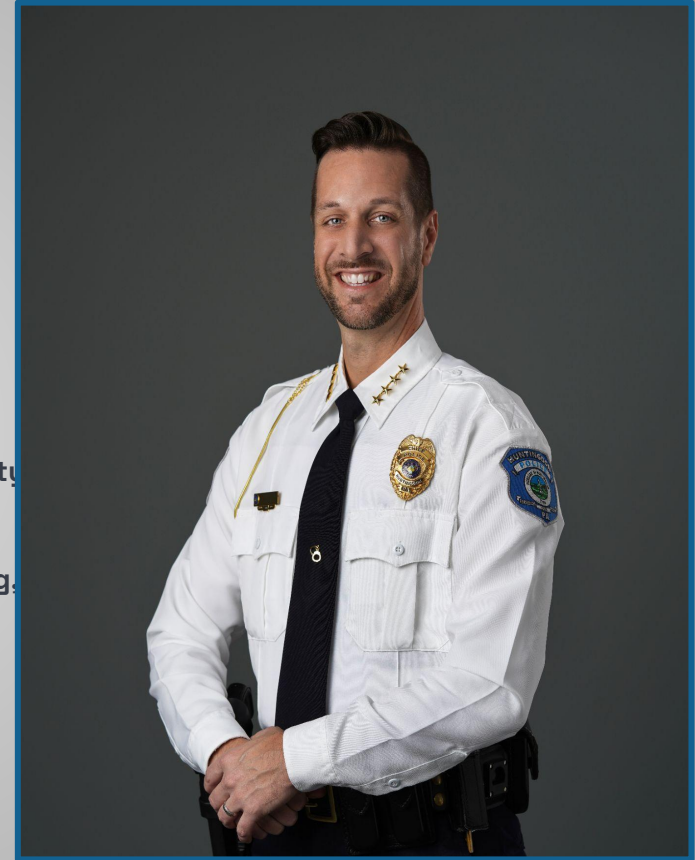
**Kristen C. Streightiff**  
Mount Union Area School District  
Director of CIA 6-12



# Chief Charles T. Streightiff

## Huntingdon Borough Police Department

- Huntingdon Area School District - Graduate
- Penn State University - B.A. Administration of Justice
- University of Maryland - Maryland Police Corps
- 23 year career in Law Enforcement
- 2001-2007 Hagerstown City Police Department
  - Patrol
  - Bike Unit
  - Street Crimes Unit (Narcotics, Prostitution & Gangs)
- 2007-Present Huntingdon Borough Police Department
  - Took over as Criminal Investigator in 2011
  - Established Sexual Assault Response Protocol for Huntingdon County (S.A.R.T)
  - Child Forensic Interviewer
  - Community Outreach (Coffee with a Cop, National Night Out, training, etc.)
  - Named Chief of Police in 2021
  - SCA: Juniata Valley Tri-County Drug & Alcohol Commission Board of Directors
  - Criminal Justice Training Center - IUP: Advisory Board
  - 2023 Recipient: Blue Ribbon Champion for Safe Kids
  - 2024 John A. Zottola Mental Health and Justice Award
  - HEALPA - Police and Community Subcommittee
  - The Abuse Network - Board of Directors



**H.E.A.R.T** Co-Founder

# Kristen C. Streightiff

## Mount Union Area School District

- Huntingdon Area School District - Graduate
- Shippensburg University - B.S. Elementary Education
  - Concentration: Reading
- Penn State University - M. Ed. Curriculum & Instruction
  - Concentration: Literacy & Language Education
- Shippensburg University - M. Ed. Leadership
- 26 year career in Public Education
- 1998 - 2023: Huntingdon Area School District
  - Elementary Teacher (1998 - 2009)
    - Grades 1, 2, & 3
  - Middle School Teacher (2009 - 2021)
    - 6th Grade ELA, Reading & Social Studies
  - High School Assistant Principal (2021- 2023)
    - Truancy Officer
    - Disciplinarian
    - SAP Team Member/PBIS/MTSS
- 2023 - Present: Mount Union Area School District
  - Director of Curriculum, Instruction & Assessment
  - District Safety & Security Coordinator



**H.E.A.R.T** Co-Founder

# **Kelvin Abrashoff**

## **Huntingdon County Children's Services**

- Mount Union Area School District – Graduate
- Juniata College – B.A. Environmental Studies and Economics
- 9-year career in Social Work
- 2016-2022 Raystown Developmental Services
  - Family Group Decision Making Coordinator
  - Family Services Supervisor (FGDM, IL, Parenting)
  - 2020 Social Worker of the Year
- 2022-Present Huntingdon County Children's Services
  - Administrator
  - SCA: Tri-County Drug and Alcohol Commission Board of Directors
  - Vice Chair Huntingdon County CJAB
  - Huntingdon County Opioid Council Advisory Member
  - Pennsylvania Aging and Youth Committee Senate Testifier- April 2024
  - Foundations of Leadership



**H.E.A.R.T** Advisory Board

# Huntingdon County Endangered & At-Risk Youth Response Team

## H.E.A.R.T

### Learning Objectives



- Identify key stakeholders and partners needed to develop Huntingdon Endangered/At-Risk Youth Response Team
- Describe how to engage stakeholders and partners in sharing valuable information and data in a collaborative effort to reduce barriers and increase services to children and families
- Explain how working in conjunction with local partners can better assist and provide resources to children and families, while also addressing concerns of key stakeholders.
- Explain how youth identified by **H.E.A.R.T** would normally slip through the system of SAP, CYS Referral, school threat assessments, and support services.

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# ***VISION STATEMENT***



# VISION STATEMENT

**H.E.A.R.T**

Every child in Huntingdon County should have the opportunity to experience a safe and healthy childhood free from exposures to illegal substance abuse and influence, child abuse and neglect, and unnecessary trauma; while also being supported in areas of trauma- informed care, mental health, and other environmental influences.



# ***MISSION STATEMENT***

***H . E . A . R . T***

HUNTINGDON COUNTY  
ENDANGERED AND AT-RISK  
YOUTH RESPONSE TEAM

ESTD 2023



# MISSION STATEMENT

**H.E.A.R.T**

Create an early warning “handle with care” alert between Law Enforcement, Children and Youth Services, and local school districts to provide timely and valuable information about concerned youth that otherwise would go undetected and unreported.



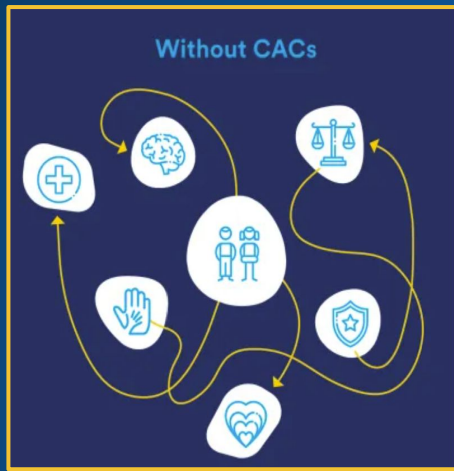
## Multidisciplinary Approach

No single entity can effectively or efficiently address the dilemma of endangered/at-risk children.



### **HANDLE WITH CARE “HWC”**

**“Our goal is to collaboratively combine the expertise and resources of multiple professionals, agencies, and communities to improve interventions for children and families.”**



## Using the CAC/MDT FORMAT

### “A CAC is a place...and a process”

- CACs intervene to stop abuse when it happens. This is why the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services considers CACs to be Level 1 emergency responders. The priority of any CAC is the immediate safety of children, as well as their ongoing health and well-being.
- A Children’s Advocacy Center (CAC) is a **child-friendly place** where a multidisciplinary team (MDT) of professionals—including child protective services caseworkers, police, forensic interviewers, victim or family advocates, prosecutors, and medical and mental health professionals—work together to provide a child-focused, trauma-informed response to allegations of child sexual and physical abuse.

# **STAKEHOLDERS**

## **Law Enforcement**

Police  
Juvenile Probation  
District Attorney

## **Children's Services**

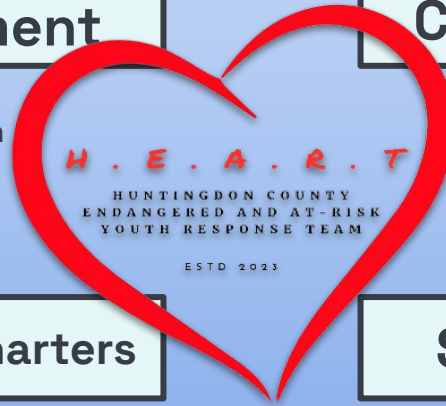
County Agency

## **School Districts/Charters**

Local School Districts  
Charters  
Private/Religious Based

## **Service Providers**

Mental Health  
Victim/Family Advocate  
Drug & Alcohol Preventionist

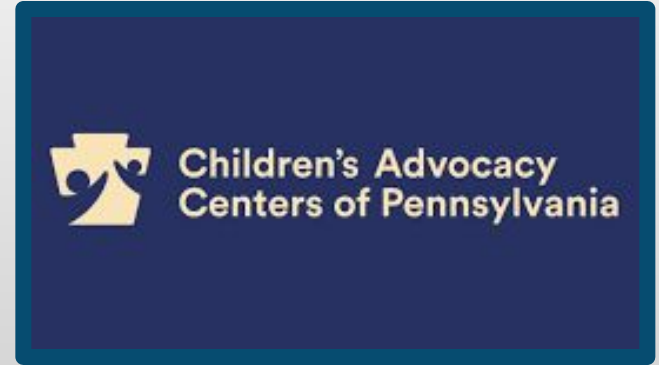


# Why are we here.....

- The KIDS!
- Provide a safe and supportive environment, while providing the opportunity for the children to succeed both academically and in life.
- Reducing trauma (Trauma-Informed)
- Diversion from Criminal Justice System “Turning the tide” and breaking the cycle
- Provide treatment/services sooner
- Being Proactive - Not Reactive
- Continuing Education & Awareness



# Supporters & Partners



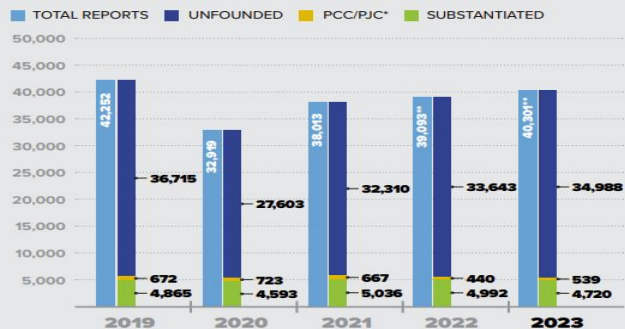


# STATEWIDE CHILD ABUSE

**STATE POPULATION • 12,989,208 // POPULATION UNDER 18 • 2,664,562**

NOTE: U.S. Census Bureau, 2018-2022 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, extracted 01/03/24.

## 2023 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE



**TOTAL REPORTS  
PER 1,000 CHILDREN**  
**15.1 IN 2023**  
**14.5 IN 2022**

**SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS  
PER 1,000 CHILDREN**  
**1.8 IN 2023**  
**1.8 IN 2022**

**BY SEX OF VICTIM**  
**2,892 6.1% FEMALE**  
**1,838 38.9% MALE**

**2023 FATALITIES**  
**57**

**2023 NEAR FATALITIES**  
**119**

\*PCC/PJC : Pending Criminal Court/Pending Juvenile Court.

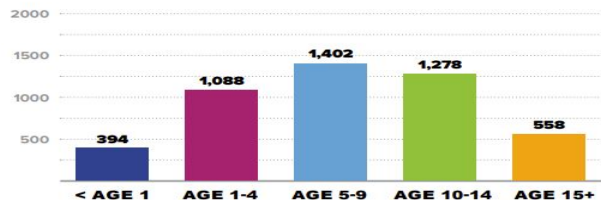
\*\*2022 and 2023 include referrals which did not yet have outcomes. There were 18 in 2022 (all from Blair county) and 54 in 2023 (34 from Blair, 16 from Clearfield, three from Delaware, and one from Montgomery counties).

NOTE: Total and Substantiated Reports for 2019 were extracted on 3/23/20. Data for 2020 was extracted on 03/22/21. Data for 2021 was extracted 03/21/22. Date for 2022 was extracted 03/27/23. Data for 2023 was extracted on 03/18/24. Outcomes are reported by the CCYA or OCYF Regional Office at the conclusion of the investigation and are subject to change based on appeal or court outcome.

## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- There were a total of 40,301 reports of suspected child abuse received in 2023, as opposed to 39,093 reports received in 2022. This increase was anticipated, as OCYF has been observing these increases following the significant decrease in the total suspected reports attributed to the COVID-19 pandemic, and the reduced contact between children and mandated reporters during that time.
- The percent of reports of suspected child abuse that were substantiated decreased from 12.8% in 2022 to 11.7% in 2023.
- Statewide substantiated reports of child abuse remained the same in 2023 as in 2022, with 1.8 substantiated reports per thousand children in both years.
- Sexual abuse remains the leading category of substantiated abuse, followed by physical abuse.
- Parents continue to be the persons most responsible for abuse of their children.

## VICTIM AGE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS



## CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES

(CPS) reports are those that allege a child might have been a victim of child abuse. Reports alleging that a child under 18 years of age may have been abused are accepted for investigation when reported prior to the victim's 20th birthday.

These reports are made by mandated and permissive reporters. Mandated reporters are adults who work or volunteer with children and youth and are required to report suspected child abuse if they have reasonable cause to suspect that child abuse has occurred under any of the following circumstances:

- The mandated reporter comes into contact with the child in the course of employment, occupation and practice of a profession, or through a regularly scheduled program, activity or service;
- The mandated reporter is directly responsible for the care, supervision, guidance or training of the child, or is affiliated with an agency, institution, organization, school, regularly established church or religious organization, or other entity that is directly responsible for the care, supervision, guidance, or training of the child;

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## STATEWIDE CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES

### SOURCES OF CHILD ABUSE REPORTS



**41,360**

TOTAL REPORTERS

**33,890**

MANDATED REPORTERS

**7,470**

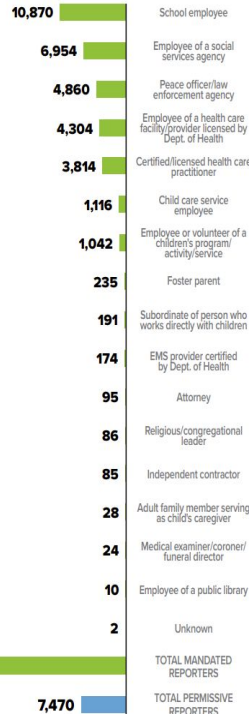
PERMISSIVE REPORTERS

NOTES: A report may have more than one reporter; therefore, the total number of reporters will be greater than the total number of reports. Mandated reporter types reported prior to 2018 were reported using different categories.

The 'Unknown' classification includes instances in which the reporting source reported they were a Mandated Reporter, but their Mandated Reporter Type was not able to be identified.

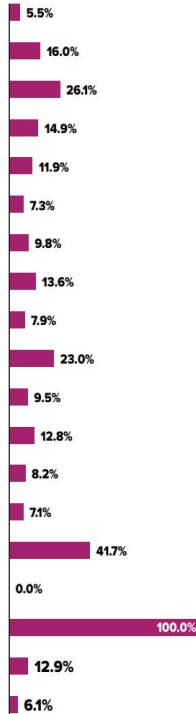
#### BREAKDOWN

TOTAL MANDATED REPORTERS BY REPORTER TYPE



#### BREAKDOWN

PERCENT OF REPORTS SUBSTANTIATED BY REPORTER TYPE



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multidisciplinary team investigation with the CCYA and a health care professional when there are child abuse allegations that also include certain criminal offenses such as aggravated assault, kidnapping, sexual abuse, sex trafficking, or serious bodily injury by any perpetrator.

A child abuse investigation must determine within 30 days whether the report is:

- **FOUNDED** – there is court action including:
  - > A judicial adjudication that the child was abused;
  - > Acceptance into an accelerated rehabilitative disposition program;
  - > Consent decree entered in a juvenile proceeding; or
  - > Granting of a final protection from abuse order.

- **INDICATED** – CCYA or OCFY Regional Office staff find substantial evidence that abuse has occurred based on medical evidence, the child protective service investigation, or an admission by the perpetrator;

- **UNFOUNDED** – the alleged abuse did not meet the definition or criteria for abuse; or

- **PENDING** – status assigned to a report when the CCYA cannot complete the investigation within 60 calendar days because criminal or juvenile court action, to include an active criminal investigation, has been initiated.

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# MANDATED REPORTERS IN SCHOOL SETTING #1 SOURCE



### COUNTY CHILDREN AND YOUTH AGENCY INVESTIGATIONS

County	Green Square	Blue Circle
ERIE	123	1,240
CRAWFORD	53	459
WARREN	7	146
McKEAN	32	216
POTTER	5	51
TIOGA	32	205
BRADFORD	86	356
SUSQUEHANNA	12	117
WAYNE	12	149
LYCOMING	68	484
CLINTON	27	191
MONTOUR	7	55
WYOMING	4	71
LACKA WANNA	84	777
PIKE	58	192
LUZERNE	107	1,091
MONROE	83	462
COLUMBIA	26	199
CARBON	25	237
LEHIGH	90	1,324
NORTHAMPTON	104	817
BUCKS	85	997
MONTGOMERY	114	1,501
PHILADELPHIA	511	4,743
DELAWARE	95	1,429
LANCASTER	213	1,620
CHESTER	98	980
BERKS	145	1,160
SCHUYLKILL	57	502
LEBANON	70	459
DAUPHIN	242	1,167
PERRY	23	168
CUMBERLAND	93	740
ADAMS	54	329
YORK	270	1,901
FRANKLIN	42	576
FULTON	9	53
BEDFORD	14	158
SOMERSET	38	232
FAYETTE	63	579
GREENE	44	222
WASHINGTON	59	677
ALLEGHENY	248	3,025
BEAVER	146	619
BUTLER	42	441
LAWRENCE	58	311
MERCER	109	550
VENANGO	64	289
FOREST	2	10
ELK	29	103
CAMERON	1	13
CLEARFIELD	25	310
JEFFERSON	20	136
CLARION	24	160
ARMSTRONG	50	255
INDIANA	27	271
CAMBRIA	25	488
BLAIR	45	585
HUNTINGDON	12	134
MIFFLIN	16	183
JUNIATA	17	118
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LANCASTER		

Map of the United States showing the four regions and their respective counts for the 2019-2020 season:

- WESTERN REGION**: 24 (green), 434 (blue)
- NORTH-EAST REGION**: 23 (green), 144 (blue)
- CENTRAL REGION**: 25 (green), 219 (blue)
- SOUTHEAST REGION**: 23 (green), 394 (blue)

■ Substantiated Reports    ● Total Suspected Reports

NOTE: CCYAs conduct child abuse investigations unless the alleged perpetrator is an agent of the CCYA. If the alleged perpetrator is an agent of the CCYA, OCYF Regional Offices conduct the child abuse investigation due to a conflict of interest. These maps show reports by the investigating agency.

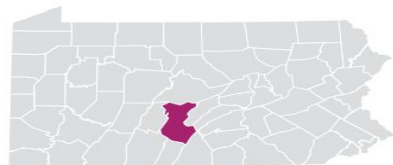






# HUNTINGDON COUNTY

**RURAL** // POPULATION • 44,123 / POPULATION UNDER 18 • 7,824



## 2023 REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE

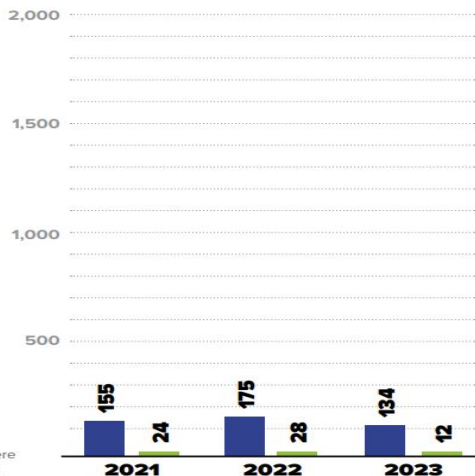
**134**

■ TOTAL REPORTS

**12**

■ SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

▲ NOTE: CPS and GPS data reported were investigated and substantiated by the CCYA and may vary from statewide data which include both CCYA and OCYF Regional Office investigations.



▲ NOTE: 2021 totals above will not align with the 2021 totals in this same table in the 2021 report, as regional investigations were included for that year in error in the 2021 report.

**SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS BY SEX OF VICTIM**

**FEMALE**

**6**

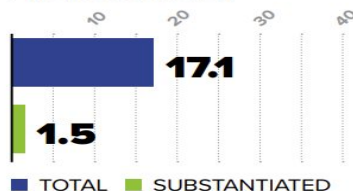
**50.0%**

**MALE**

**6**

**50.0%**

## CHILD ABUSE REPORTS PER 1,000 CHILDREN



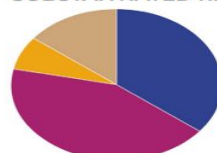
## CASES OF REPEAT ABUSE SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS

**8** SUSPECTED

**0** SUBSTANTIATED



## TYPES OF ALLEGATIONS SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS



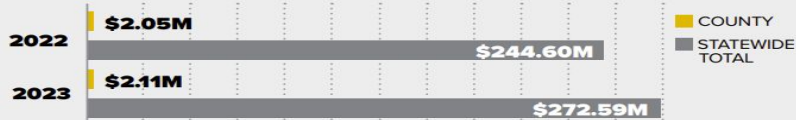
**14** TOTAL ALLEGATIONS

- **5** (35.7%) Sexual Abuse
- **6** (42.9%) Physical Abuse/Bodily Injury
- **1** (7.1%) Reasonable Likelihood of Bodily Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Serious Physical Neglect
- **2** (14.3%) Engaging in Per Se Acts
- **0** (0.0%) Likelihood of Sexual Abuse/Exploitation
- **0** (0.0%) Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons or Sex Trafficking
- **0** (0.0%) Serious Mental Injury
- **0** (0.0%) Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy/Medical Abuse

▲ NOTE: A report may have more than one allegation for each report; therefore, the total number of allegations will be greater than the total number of reports.

**\$2,109,943**

**EXPENDITURES** CHILD ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS AND GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES ASSESSMENTS



## 2023 SUBSTANTIATED FATALITIES

**0/57**

MALE

FEMALE

## 2023 SUBSTANTIATED NEAR FATALITIES

**0/119**

MALE

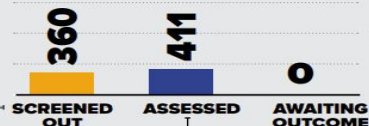
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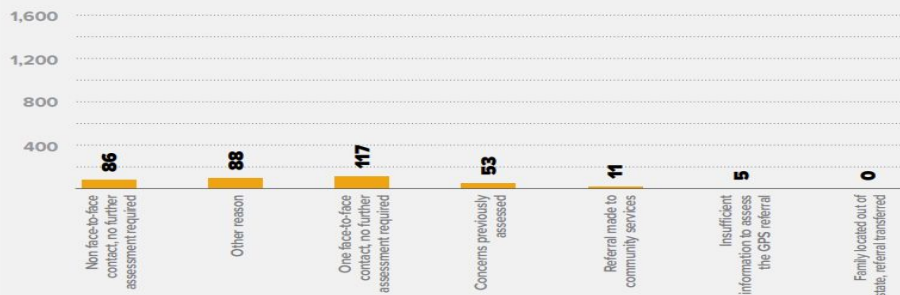
## 2023 REPORTS OF GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES

# 771

TOTAL REPORTS

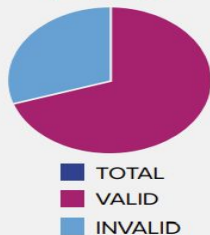


### BREAKDOWN REPORTS SCREENED OUT BY REASON



### BREAKDOWN VALID ASSESSED REPORTS

## 289



### NUMBER OF CHILDREN ASSESSED

## 633

TOTAL

## 430

VALID

CHILDREN  
ASSESSED  
PER 1,000  
CHILDREN

## 80.9

TOTAL

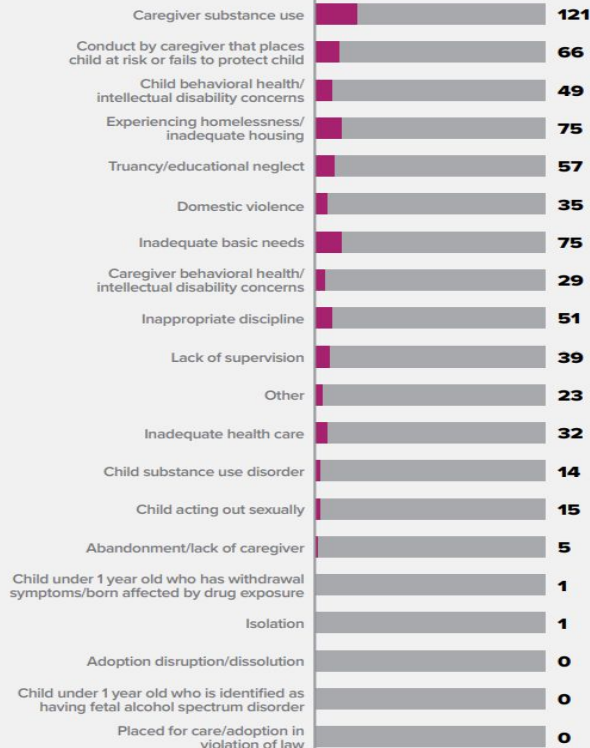
## 55.0

VALID

### VALID GPS CONCERNS BY TYPE

# 688

TOTAL CONCERNS



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NOTE: A report may have more than one concern for each report; therefore, the total number of concerns will be greater than the total number of reports. In some reports, more than one child was assessed with valid concerns; therefore, the number of children assessed exceeds the number of valid assessed reports.



# **THE PREVIOUS STATISTICS WERE REPRESENTATIVE OF PENNSYLVANIA ONLY**

HOW MANY ARE NOT REPORTED???

**H.E.A.R.T** can help identify  
those that choose  
not to talk  
“nonverbal behaviors”



# Why **H.E.A.R.T**

## CURRENT SITUATION

Only youth identified by MTSS, SAP, and/or school staff are receiving additional supports and/or care.



## Addition of “Handle with Care” Alert

**Law  
Enforcement**

**ALERT Issued**

**HCCS/  
Juv. Prob**

**ALERT Issued**

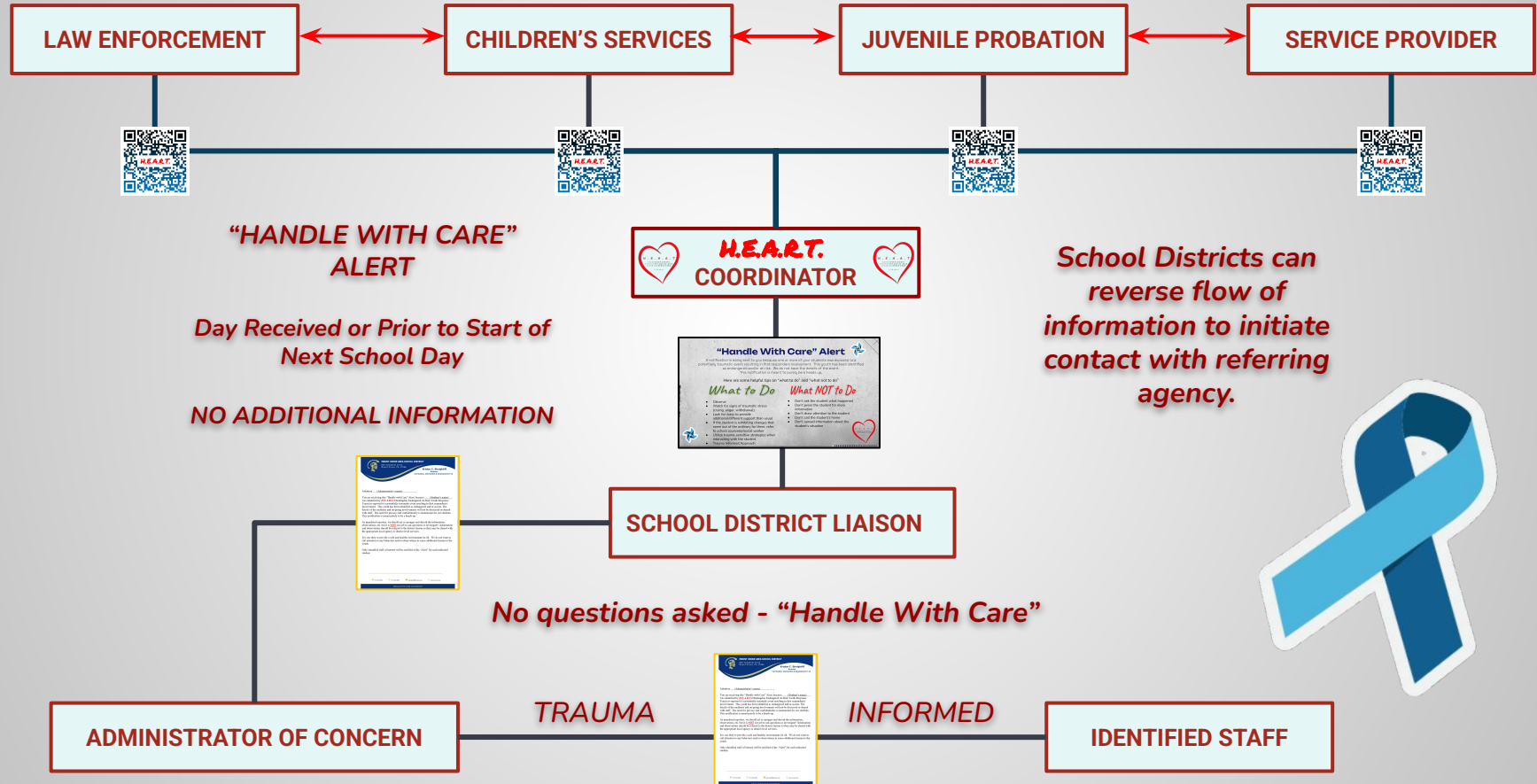
**School Districts**

**“Handle with Care”  
Received**

School Districts do not readily receive information from outside sources concerning their students. Information that may help identify endangered/at-risk youth, and lead to further assistance and services.

**H.E.A.R.T** would address the large demographic of students that should be “handled with care” and provide school staff valuable information in explaining behavior, discipline and academic changes.

# H.E.A.R.T Process Chart



# “Handle with Care” Alert



Notification from law enforcement arrives at the school prior to start of the next school day



A school will create a process to “triage” a “Handle with Care” Alert



The process will involve a designated staffer (liaison) who, on an as needed basis, will notify building administrator(s)/staff with educational interest to observe the student’s behavior/learning and be prepared to provide trauma sensitive support as needed.

# H.E.A.R.T

## Notifications



## QR Code for







# H.E.A.R.T. QR Referral

## H.E.A.R.T

Huntingdon Endangered/At-Risk Youth Response Team

huntingdonpdcreightiff@gmail.com [Switch account](#)



\* Indicates required question

Email \*

Your email

Officer/Case Worker \*

Your answer

Email \*

Your answer

Law  
Enforcement/  
Juv. Probation



School District of Youth \*

Choose

Reason for Referral \*

Your answer

Does Referral Require Childline Report \*

☐ Yes

☐ No

Page 1 of 2

Next

Clear form

Children  
Services/  
Mental Health



## Section 2 of 2

Child Line Referral

Description (optional)

Was Childline Report filed \*

☐ Yes

☐ No

Childline Report Number

Short answer text

Is this referral under Law Enforcement or HCCYS Investigation \*

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unknown



**MOUNT UNION AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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Mount Union, PA 17066

**Kristen C. Streightiff**

Director

Curriculum, Instruction & Assessment 6-12

Attention \_\_\_\_ (Administrator's name) \_\_\_\_\_,

You are receiving this "Handle with Care" Alert, because \_\_\_\_ (Student's name) \_\_\_\_ was identified by **H.E.A.R.T** (Huntingdon Endangered At-Risk Youth Response Team) as exposed to a potentially traumatic event resulting in first responder(s) involvement. This youth has been identified as endangered and/or at-risk. The details of the incidents and on-going involvements will not be discussed or shared with staff. The need for privacy and confidentiality is tantamount for our students. This notification is meant purely to be a heads-up.

As mandated reporters, we should act as sponges and absorb the information, observations, etc. but it is **NOT** our job to ask questions or investigate! Information and observations should be relayed to the district liaison so they may be shared with the appropriate local agency or district level services.

It is our duty to provide a safe and healthy environment for all. We do not want to call attention to any behaviors and/or observations to cause additional trauma to the youth.

Only identified staff of interest will be notified of the "Alert" for each indicated student.

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🌐 www.muasd.org

*PROACTIVE FOR STUDENTS*

# Mount Union Area School District "Handle With Care" Alert



# “Handle With Care” Alert



A notification is being sent to you because one or more of your students was exposed to a potentially traumatic event resulting in first responders involvement. This youth has been identified as endangered and/or at-risk. We do not have the details of the event.

This notification is meant to purely be a heads up.

Here are some helpful tips on “what to do” and “what not to do”

## *What to Do*

- Observe
- Watch for signs of traumatic stress (crying, anger, withdrawal)
- Look for ways to provide additional/different support than usual
- If the student is exhibiting changes that seem out of the ordinary for them, refer to school counselor/social worker
- Utilize trauma-sensitive strategies when interacting with the student
- Trauma Informed Approach

## *What NOT to Do*

- Don't ask the student what happened
- Don't press the student for more information
- Don't draw attention to the student
- Don't call the student's home
- Don't spread information about the student's situation



# Reducing Trauma

Notification does not  
go in child's student  
record

IT DOES NOT MEAN  
YOU APPROACH  
THE CHILD!!



H.E.A.R.T

Huntingdon County  
Endangered & At-Risk Youth Response Team



# H.E.A.R.T

Huntingdon County Endangered & At-Risk Youth Response Team



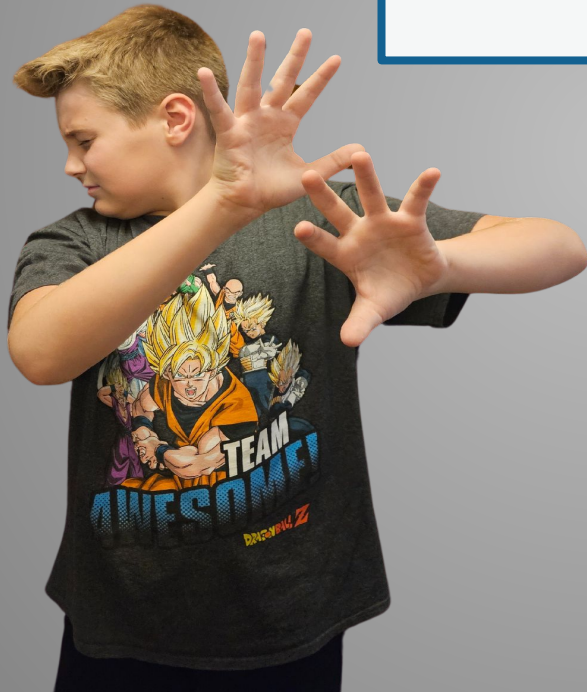
Putting the pieces of the puzzle together to create  
the  
“whole picture”

Together we have the potential to prevent these  
situations and provide intervention services earlier  
for a greater demographic of youth.





**A PICTURE IS WORTH A  
THOUSAND WORDS...**  
**Look for the cues!!!**





# Labeled “Problem Child”

## Academic Performance

- Drop in grades
- Truancy

## Lack of Control

- Outburst
- Difficulty in managing emotions
- “Retreating”
- Change in personal appearance/character

## Social/Community Interaction

- Withdrawn
- Change in “group”
- Relationship issues

These could be “Clues” and/or “Keys” to understanding what is happening with our children.

We need to look through a different set of lenses, and acknowledge that a child’s behavior may require something other than discipline. These behaviors may be a cry for help!



# H.E.A.R.T ADVISORY BOARD



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## Potential Future Partners

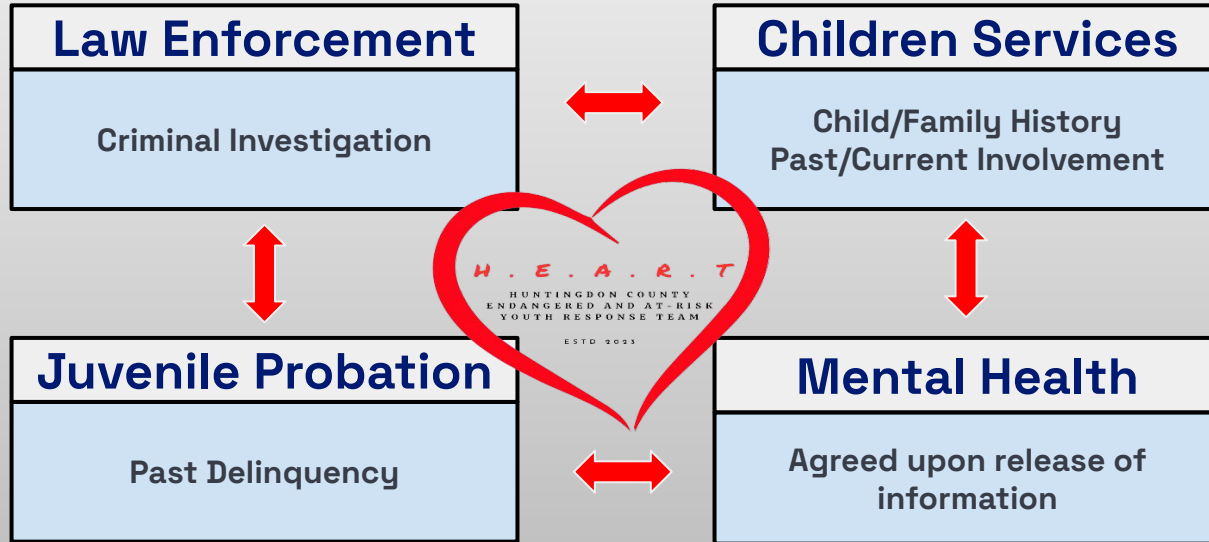




# **H.E.A.R.T ECHO UNIT**

ECHO: Endangered Children of Huntingdon Options

A Multi-Disciplinary Team (MDT) to apply all resources in a single deployment for diversion  
(when possible) from the Juvenile Justice System



In the process of formulating and planning  
This would be for youth identified in criminal acts



# FUTURE PROJECTS.....

## MOU AGREEMENTS

Agreements to be signed between:  
H.E.A.R.T  
Law Enforcement  
Schools  
Service Providers



## INCORPORATION

Beginning stages of 501(c)3

- Grant Funding
- Expansion
- Training
- Promotional Material
- State Acceptance - Standard

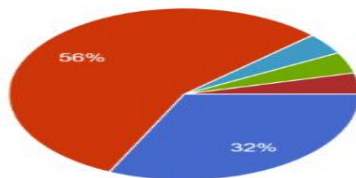
## Youth Resource Portal

- Center and App Based -  
Youth can elect to connect with a stakeholder and/or peer resource



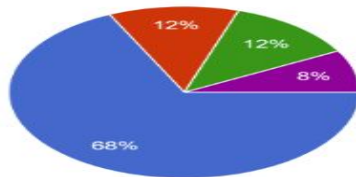
## Huntingdon County Endangered and At-Risk Youth Response Team Data

Agency  
25 responses



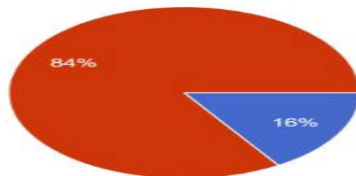
- Huntingdon Borough Police Department
- Huntingdon County Children Youth Services
- HPD Mental Health Co-Responder
- PSP
- Mount Union Police Department
- Huntingdon County Probation
- Huntingdon County Sheriff Department
- Service Provider (Medical, Mental Health)
- Huntingdon Borough Police

School District of Youth  
25 responses



- Huntingdon
- Mount Union
- Southern Huntingdon
- Juniata Valley
- New Day
- Stone Valley Charter
- Calvary
- Huntingdon Christian Academy

Does Referral Require Childline Report  
25 responses

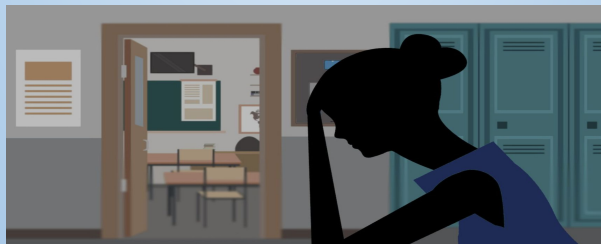


- Yes
- No

**H.E.A.R.T**  
**DATA**  
**2023/2024**



# **SECONDARY TRAUMATIC STRESS & VICARIOUS TRAUMA**



# THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

**01**

## STATISTICS

According to the CDC, half of the children in US have suffered trauma

**02**

## WHAT IS STS/VT

It is “Indirect” Trauma that can occur when we are exposed to difficult or disturbing images and stories second-hand.

**03**

## RISK FACTORS

Anyone is at risk, based on exposure to individuals who have had sustained a “direct” traumatic event(s)

**04**

## TREATMENTS

There is no one method works for all approach

**05**

## WHY MANDATED REPORTERS

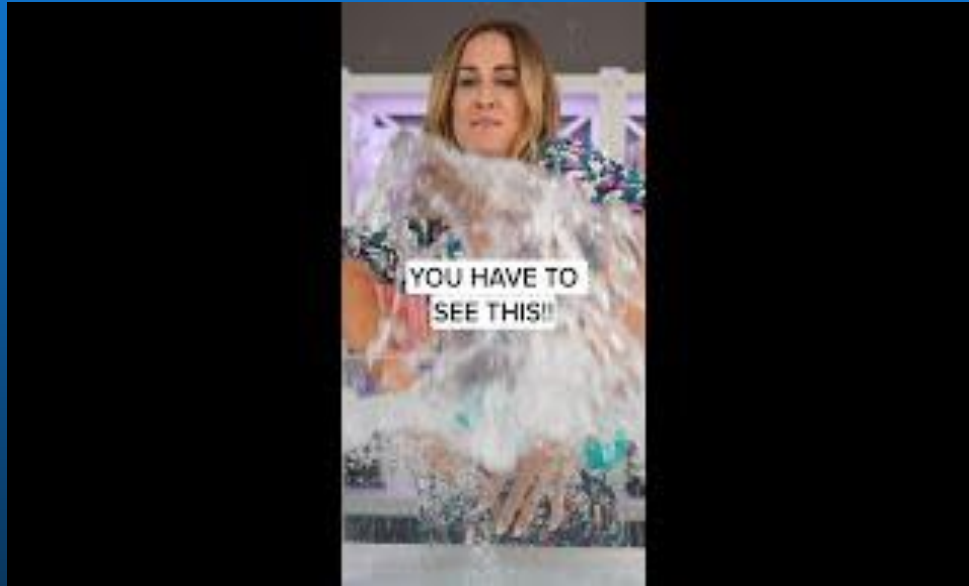
Front line responders for crimes against children.

**06**

## HOW TO HELP

Know the signs in yourself and others.  
Be supportive and “Check In”

# TIME TO **UNDERSTAND**





**Let's Get  
Personal!**

*MY STORY.....*

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## Q/A



*Together we can make an impact*



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## FOUNDERS



Dedicated to the youth of Huntingdon County

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