

CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICE REPORT

Case Name Chavez, Laura		Worker Safety Concerns <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Report Number 9028382
Date and Time Report Received 6/22/22 1:30 AM	CPS Report Type Primary		County State
Name - Worker Worker, State		Name - Supervisor Worker, State	

I. Family Information

Name - Family Chavez, Laura			Telephone Number - Home (608) 867-5309	
Address - Street 1234 Areas of Assessment Dr	Apt. No. 181	City / Town WiLearn	State WI	Zip Code
Primary Language: English		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Interpreter needed?		
Address Instructions				

A. Household Members

Name	Role	Relationship	DOB	Age	Gender	Race
Jennae Chavez	AV-HM	Biological Child	10/04/2014	8	Female	U
Laura Chavez	HM-PR-RN	Reference Person	09/14/1985	37	Female	U

AV = Alleged Victim
 HM = Household Member
 NM = Non-Household Member
 PR = Parent / Parental Role
 RP = Reporter
 RN = Report Name

A = Asian or Pacific Islander
 B = Black
 I = American Indian / Alaskan Native
 P = Native Hawaiian / Other Pacific Islander
 U = Unable to Determine
 W = White

Information that the child(ren) and/or family may have American Indian heritage, including names of tribe(s) if known.
 The Reporter did not have any knowledge of American Indian heritage regarding the child, nor is there any previous CPS history on this case that would provide prior information about American Indian heritage.

B. Parent(s) Not in Home / Other Non-Household Members

Name	Relationship	Address	Telephone No.	DOB	Gender	Race

C. Alleged Maltreatment

Alleged Victim and Estimated Date of Alleged Maltreatment	Relationship to Victim	A/N Code	Description	Fatality
Jennae Chavez 06/22/2022	Biological Parent(s)	Neglect	Lack of Necessary Care, Lack of Supervision	No

D. Location of Incident

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E. Contacts / Others with Information About Family

Christine Dupree, Laura Chavez's sister: Christine lives in town and seems to be involved with Jannae and Laura. The reporter does not have Christine's address but believes that Jannae and the maternal grandparents do. Maternal grandparents: There is no information available regarding the names or contact information at the time of the report.

II. Narrative

a. Describe alleged maltreatment: current and past; the surrounding circumstances; and the frequency; or intervention or services needed for the child.

Today, 8 year old Jennae was found wandering through the apartment complex distraught and asking for help for her mother Ms. Chavez who was "really sick". A neighbor who is familiar with the family helped Jannae in the family's apartment and identified the need for medical attention for Ms. Chavez who was found barely coherent. Ms. Chavez was found minimally responsive (breathing and moving when prodded but not able to communicate). There were bottles of medication as well as wine, beer and liquor in the apartment. The neighbor called 911. The neighbor stayed until first responders arrived and then left so as not to be too involved. Before leaving the neighbor shared that Ms. Chavez is "always" using drugs or alcohol and "needs some serious help". Due to the need for Ms. Chavez to receive acute medical attention, Jennae was transported to Mercy Regional Medical Center with Ms. Chavez. Responding officers are currently with Jennae at the hospital.

According to the reporter, Ms. Chavez's sister, Christine Dupree was identified on her hospital records as an emergency contact and she was possibly contacted should CPS respond.

b. Describe the child(ren)'s injury or conditions as a result of the alleged maltreatment or services needed.

Eight-year-old Jennae was at home alone with her mother who is said to be a habitual drug and alcohol user. Ms. Chavez is believed to have overdosed on her prescription medication and alcohol while caring for Jennae. At the time of the incident, Ms. Chavez's level of intoxication was such that she was unable to supervise Jennae adequately. In fact, Jenna eat eight, was placed in the position to have to find help and medical attention for Ms. Chavez. Additionally, the reporter learned from the neighbor that Jennae has been in the position to find help for Ms. Chavez before.

There was no information provided by the reporter at this time that Jennae had received any injury as a result of the lack of supervision or care tonight, due to this incident of intoxication or others that are alleged. The neighbor told the reporter that extended family has been extra vigilant regarding Ms. Chavez's drug and alcohol issues and the family members often stop by to ensure that both Jennae's and Ms. Chavez's needs are met and they are safe.

c. Describe the child(ren)'s current location, school / daycare including dismissal time, functioning, including special needs, if any, and highlighting current vulnerability.

Jennae is currently at Mercy Regional Medical Center as she was transported there with her mother. The neighbor left due the "family drama" and wishing to remain uninvolved. Reporter does not have any information regarding the school that Jennae attends or information that describes Jennae's current functioning. It is noted that Jannae was up at this time of the morning, which is atypical for a child of this age and development, she left the apartment to get help for Ms. Chavez when she became unresponsive. During the time, Ms. Chavez was passed out, Jennae was unsupervised, not cared for, or protected by Ms. Chavez leaving her vulnerable to the conditions.

d. Document relevant information from CPS history, CCAP and Sex Offender Registry-Reverse Address checks (if no relevant information found, document that checks were completed).

There is no CPS history in eWISACWIS, CCAP for Ms. Chavez includes small claims cases for eviction and traffic entries .SOR- reverse address checks-nothing returns.

e. Describe when the alleged maltreater will have access to the child.

Jennae is reportedly at the hospital with Ms. Chavez. Aside from sharing that the mother and child live to get her and there is no other caregiver in the home to provide care and supervision for Jennae.

f. Describe any changes in circumstances that may make it difficult to fulfill CPS responsibilities.

The reporter did not know of any circumstances that might make it difficult to fulfill CPS responsibilities at this time. However, Jennae is currently in the hospital due to an overdose of drugs and alcohol. Though her current state is unknown she was described as being "barely coherent" at the time of the incident and required emergency medical care. She might not be participate in CPS interviews given her level of incapacitation.

g. Describe presence of domestic violence, if applicable, including the demonstration of power and control and entitlement within the home environment.

The Reporter did not have any knowledge of the presence of domestic violence at the time of the report. At the present time, there are no other adults in the home aside from Ms. Chavez.

There is not a known history of domestic violence in Ms. Chavez's relationships.

h. Describe how the family may respond to intervention by the agency, including the parental protective capacities.

The reporter does not know anything about Ms. Chavez's protective capacities or how she might respond to intervention. Ms. Chavez and Jennae have extended family according to both the neighbor and Ms. Chavez's medical records. Ms. Chavez's sister, Christine Dupree is named as Ms. Chavez's emergency contact in the medical records and the reporter contacted her to respond to the hospital for interview and possible assistance with Jenna.

The neighbor also shared that Ms. Chavez's parents have been intermittently active and they might be available to provide care for Jennae, if it is necessary. Ms. Chavez's sister, Christine is also willing to help but they are all concerned about how any intervention will impact their relationships with Ms. Chavez. They are also concerned with their involvement and what it means for her stability and access to resources.

The reporter shared that Ms. Chavez and Jennae are bonded and they have a very close relationship. Ms. Chavez is able to put Jennae first in many situations and she has a history of decent parenting it just seems that more recently her use of alcohol affects her ability to consistently meet Jennae's needs

DESCRIBE ANY PRESENT DANGER THREATS, INCLUDING A DESCRIPTION OF POSSIBLE OR LIKELY EMERGENCY (EXIGENT) CIRCUMSTANCES.

i. The child is currently being maltreated at the time of the report or contact.

At the time of the report, Ms. Chavez is described to be incapacitated and under the influence of substances.

j. Child is unsupervised and unable to care for self.

Jennae was found by a neighbor when she left the apartment looking for help for her mother who was incapacitated due to her substance use. The amount of time she was unsupervised is not known; however, it was 1:30am that Jennae was unsupervised seeking help.

k. Parent's/Caregiver's intoxicated behavior (alcohol or other drugs), which is occurring now or consistently over time, is impacting their ability to provide basic, necessary care and supervision.

Ms. Chavez is always using substances and her ability to provide care and supervision is questionable. Tonight Janna was left to find care for Ms. Chavez rather than the other way around.

l. Parent/Caregiver is not providing basic, necessary care and supervision based on the child's individual developmental needs.

Ms. Chavez is always using substances and when she is using, Jennae has to fend for herself

THE FOLLOWING SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED FOR ALLEGED MALTREATMENT BY PRIMARY CAREGIVER OR PARENTAL CONTRIBUTION TO THE MALTREATMENT:

m. Describe the parents or adults in the parental role: current location, functioning, and parenting practices and views of child(ren).

Ms.Chavez is currently in the hospital for medical treatment due to an overdose. The Reporter did not have much knowledge of Ms. Chavez ' functioning other that she was barely coherent at the time of the report. Ms. Chavez's sister expressed concern for Jennae as she explained that the use of alcohol and drugs affects the ability of her sister to care for and provide supervision for Jennae. The Reporter did not have information as to how the Ms. Chavez views her daughter, their relationship or her parental role.

n. Describe the family functioning, strengths and current stresses.

Ms. Chavez lives with her daughter, Jennae. There are no other caregivers reported to be living in the home; however, it is reported that the maternal family is involved and some of the time this relationship is strained.

Presently, Ms. Chavez has child neglect charges pending for this incident. The Reporter did not have any additional information about family functioning, strengths or stressors within the family.

o. Document the name of the alleged maltreater and relationship to child.

Laura Chavez is the mother to Jennae.

DESCRIBE THE POSSIBLE OR LIKELY IMPENDING THREATS TO CHILD SAFETY.

p. One or both parents/caregivers has impulsive behavior that they cannot/will not control.

Jennae has a substance use problem that impacts her ability to parent.

III. Agency Response

A. Supervisor Screening Decision

Decision	Date / Time Decision was Made
Screen In	6/22/22 1:45 AM
Response Time	Reason
Same Day	Screen In - CA/N Primary

Explain

There are present danger threats and CPS assessment in necessary to ensure that Jennae is cared for and safe. Information is known about the probability of Ms. Chavez's substance use issues. Law enforcement responded to the call and rendered aid and there are pending child neglect charges.

B. Other Information

☒ Yes ☐ No Law Enforcement Was Notified / Will Be
Notified of All Allegations as Required

☒ Yes ☐ No After Hours Report

IV. Signatures

SIGNATURE - Worker

Date Signed

SIGNATURE - Supervisor

Date Signed