



child advocacy center
Where small voices can be heard.

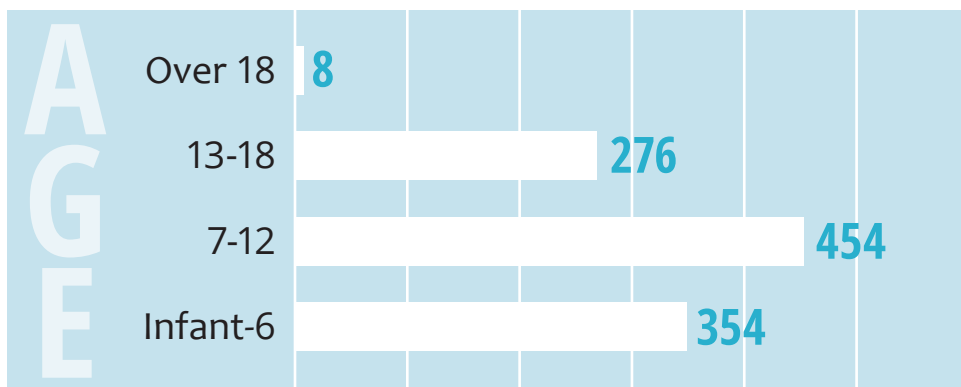
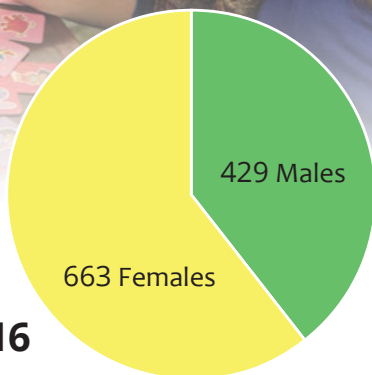
Annual Review 2016

Helping children thrive, not just survive.

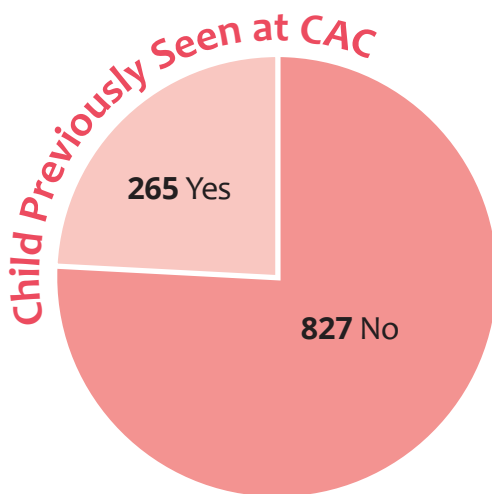
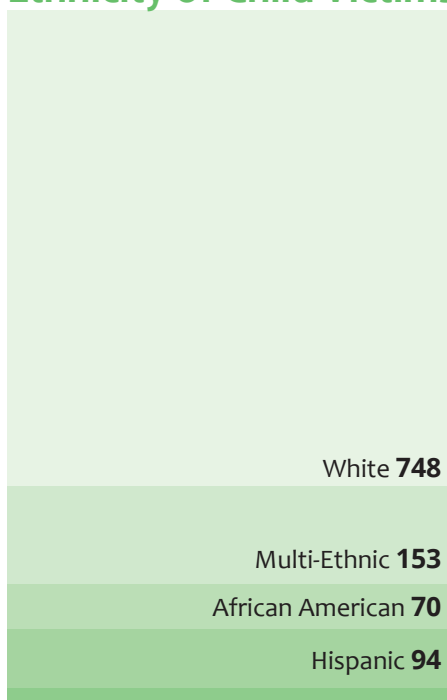




1092 Total Number of Unduplicated Child Victims Seen in 2016

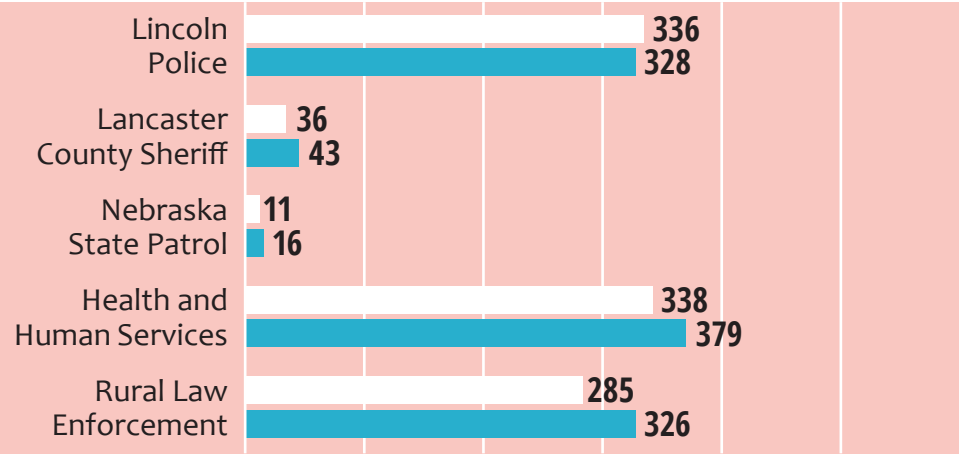


Ethnicity of Child Victims

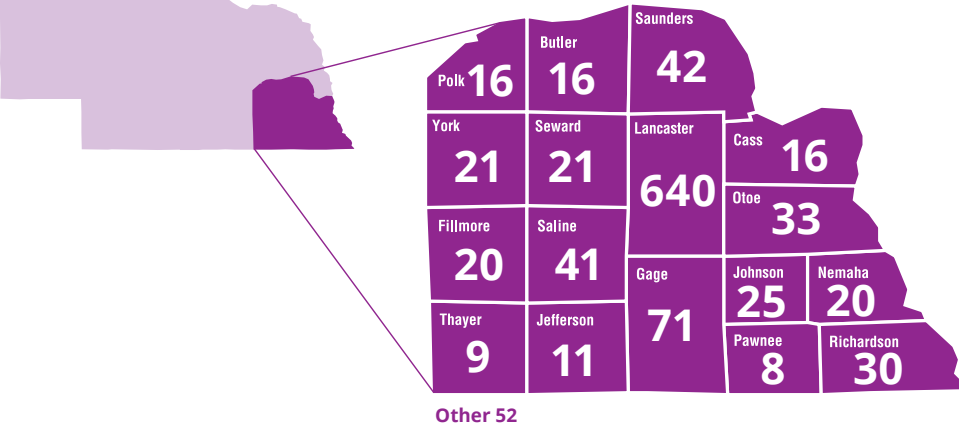


Native American 22
Asian 5

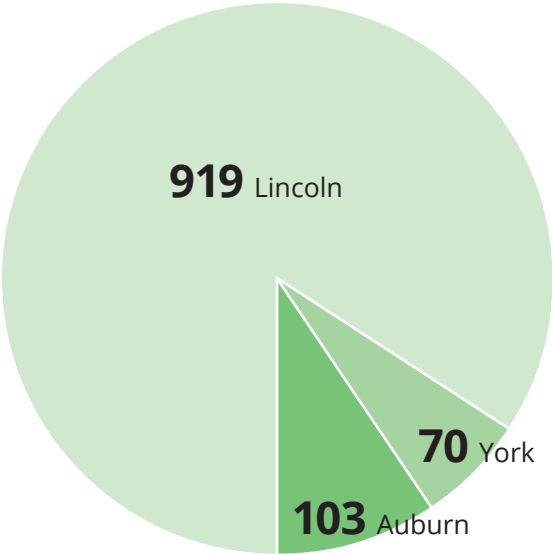
Referring Agency Comparison



County of Jurisdiction



Utilization of Satellite Offices *Children Seen by Location*

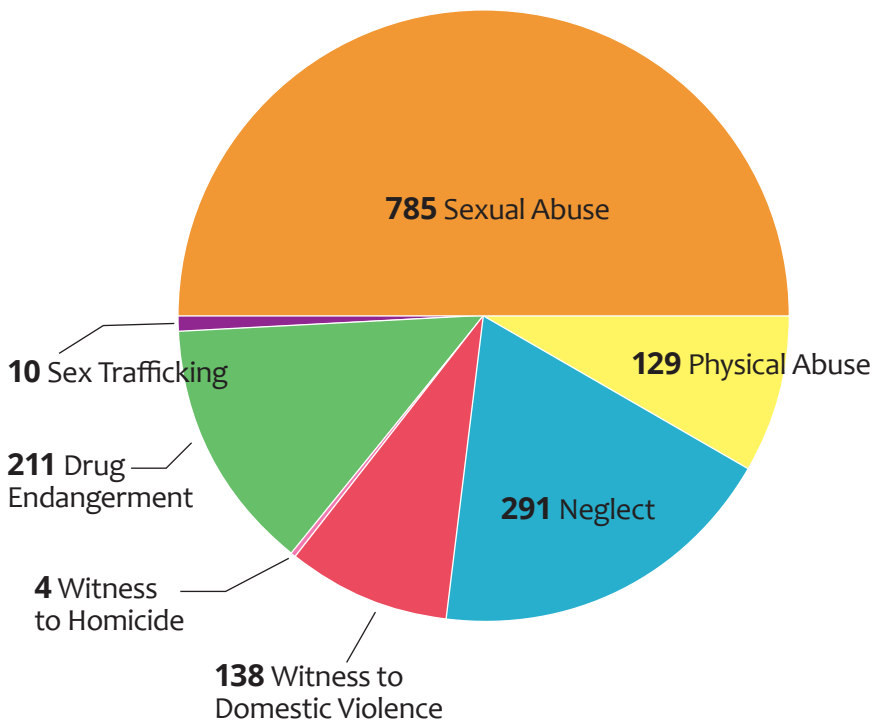




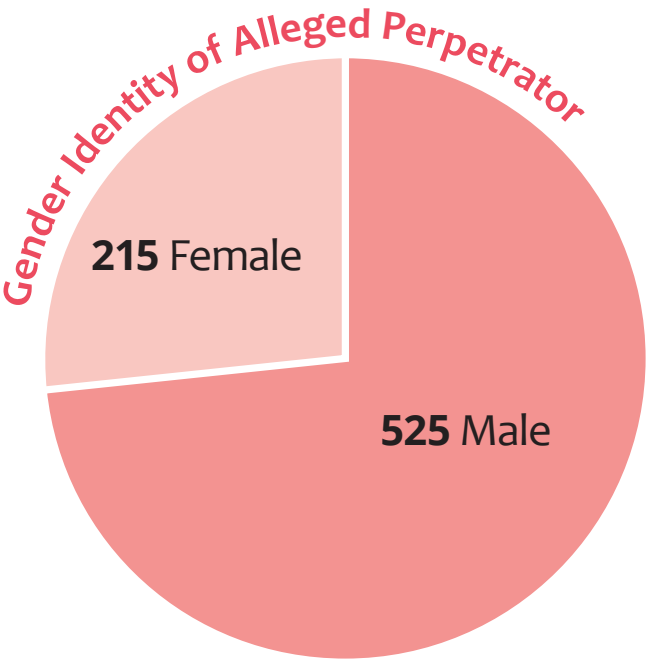
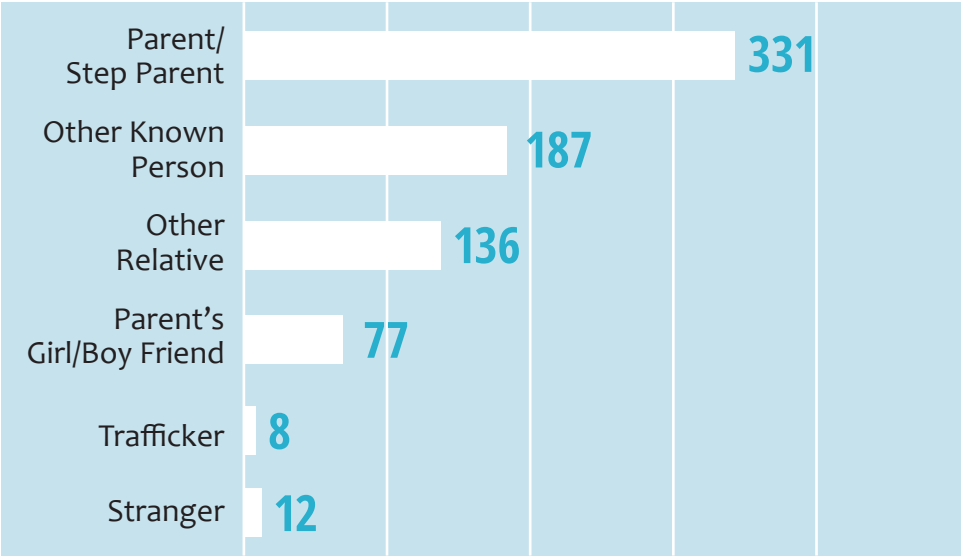
“The kids enjoyed the interviewers. They felt safe and were allowed to express themselves.”

– Caregiver

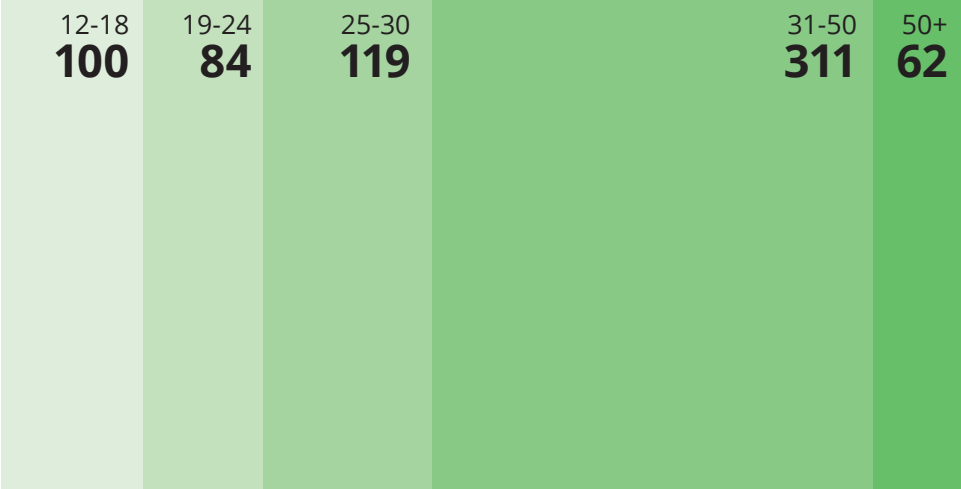
Reason for Referral



Alleged Perpetrator



Age of Alleged Perpetrator

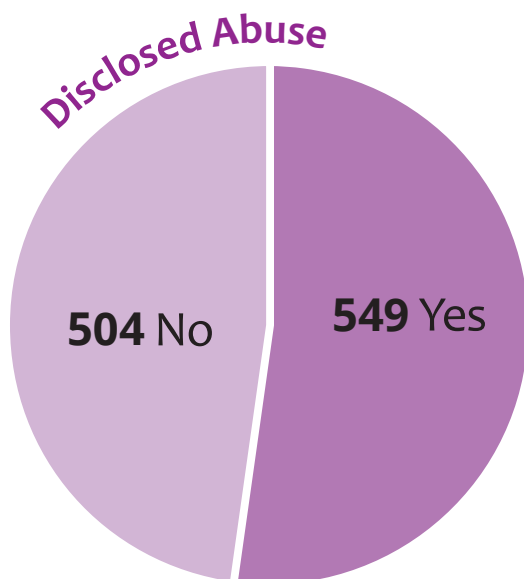




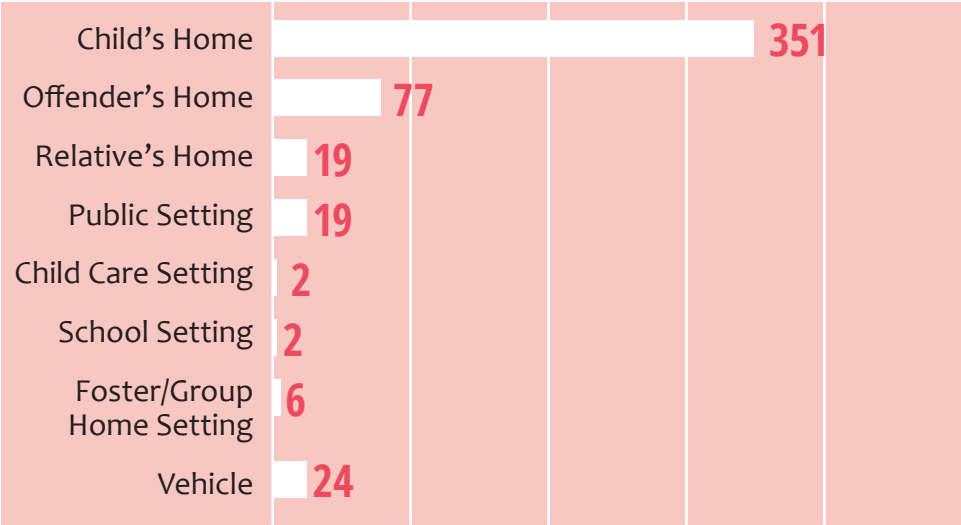
1053 Total Number of Forensic Interviews Conducted in 2016

“The Lincoln CAC restored a sense of hope after a very tragic situation. Our visit to the center served as a turning point towards a positive end to the situation.”

– Caregiver



Location of Abuse



“The CAC is awesome–no one in city or county government has ever questioned funding or the value of this agency. They simply fund it. That says a lot about the leadership and the cause for which they respond to every day.”

– Multidisciplinary Team Member

110

Total Number
of Medical
Evaluations
Conducted
in 2016



Take A Stand for Kids:

Attend a training

One of the best ways for you to engage with the CAC is to become educated on the issue of child abuse. Check out our Event Calendar at www.smallvoices.org to find a training to attend.

Trainings include:

- **Darkness to Light: Stewards of Children** – learn about child sexual abuse and the steps you can take to prevent, recognize and react responsibly.
- **Child Abuse and Neglect 101** – learn about your role as a mandatory reporter and gain the knowledge and skills to recognize and report child abuse and neglect.
- **Child Abuse and Neglect 201** – learn about the roles and responsibilities of the multidisciplinary team members when they respond to child abuse and neglect.

Volunteer

Volunteers help at the CAC in a multitude of ways, ranging from aiding in day-to-day tasks to assisting with awareness and fundraising events.

Potential volunteer activities could include:

- Serving on an event planning committee/aiding day of the event
- Landscaping/building maintenance
- Helping with clerical projects
- Providing office support in the lobby by answering phones, playing board games, and/or reading to children

Donate

Donations from individuals and corporate partners provide us with the resources we need to help child victims and their families. Donations of any amount are welcome.

Here's how far your donation can go:

- On-going advocacy and support for one child = \$3,000
- Medical evaluation for one child = \$600
- Forensic interview for one child = \$500
- Court School for one child = \$100

Contribute to our Wish List Items

Here are a list of items we need to help families we serve on a daily basis. Consider sharing this list with an organization you are involved with as a fundraising activity!

- Juice boxes
- Individually packaged snack foods (peanut free)
- Target or Walmart gift cards for items listed above
- Coffee K-Cups
- \$10 gas station gift cards to help families who struggle with getting to and from counseling and court appointments
- Birthday cards for our advocates to mail to kids



OUR MISSION

The mission of the Child Advocacy Center is to respond to child abuse through a team approach designed to reduce trauma, seek justice, and provide hope and healing for children and their families.

OUR GOALS

- Reduce trauma suffered by child victims
- Strengthen families to provide safe homes
- Increase the successful prosecution of their abusers

WHAT WE PROVIDE

- Forensic interviews
- Medical evaluations
- Immediate and ongoing advocacy and support
- Referral to mental health support services
- Court school
- Case coordination
- Professional training
- Hair testing for drug exposure





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