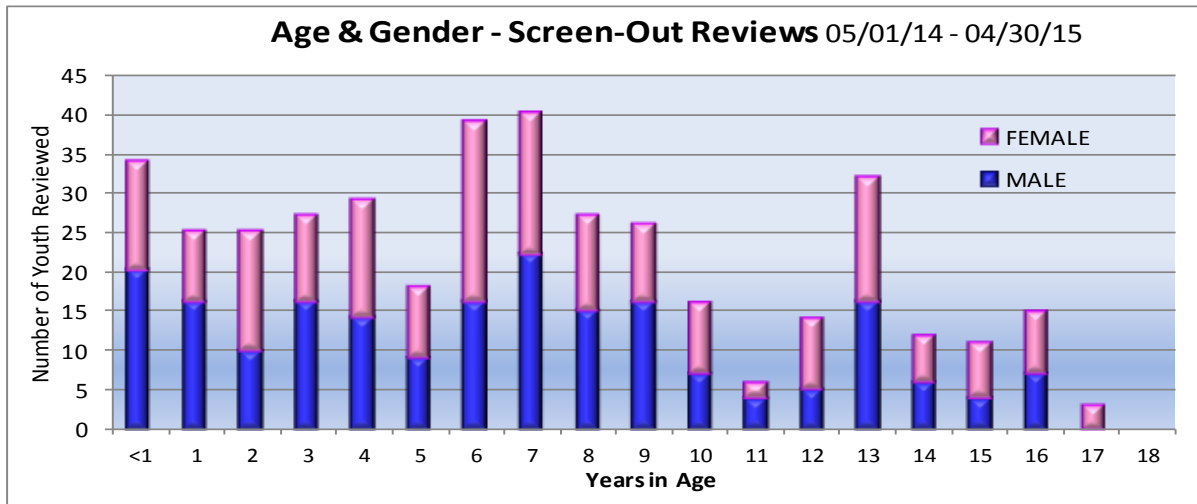


Alliance Committee cases reviewed: 421

Committee Meetings: 2 per month



Reference Child

Gender:

Female: 48%

Male: 49%

Unknown: 2%

Age (years):

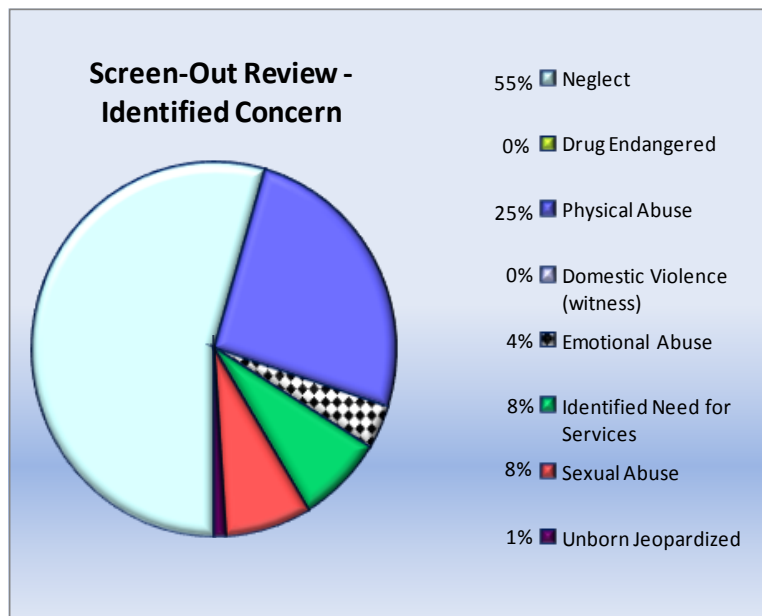
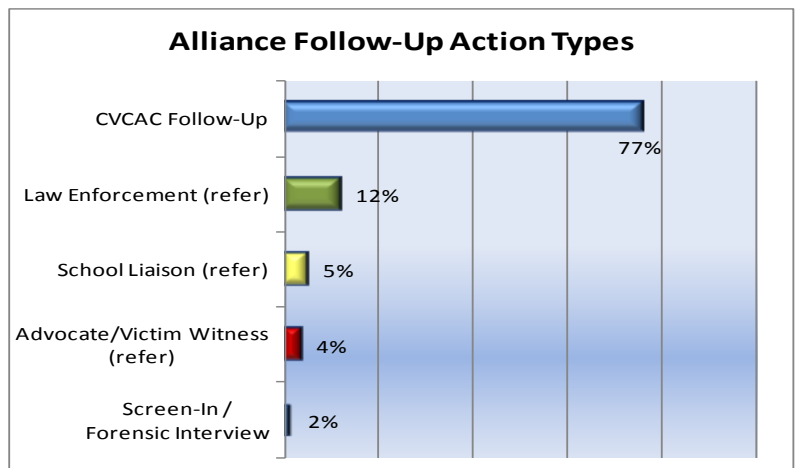
Average: 7

Range: <1-17

Action Taken:

The multi-disciplinary review of each case compares collaborating information (previous reviews or investigations and current circumstances). The committee then determines if follow-up action is needed, and if so, the appropriate action to take. Actions include: a follow-up telephone contact from the Chippewa Valley Child Advocacy Center, a referral to Law Enforcement, School Liaison or Advocate for information or in-person contact.

During this reporting period 67% were identified to potentially benefit from follow-up action. Of that group of 282, the graph identifies the actions taken.



Areas of Need:

Referrals of child abuse or neglect that do not meet the legal requirements for the county Department of Human Service's investigation by the Child Protective Services department (per WI Statute 48.981) are "screened out." Of these screened out referrals, those that require police investigation are immediately referred (including forensic interview as needed). The rest are referred to the Alliance Screen Out committee for the benefit of a second review to assess potential risks and identify benefits of any additional follow-up as appropriate.

The types of maltreatment alleged in the referrals include child neglect, physical abuse, drug endangerment, witness to domestic violence, emotional abuse, request for services, sexual abuse, and/or jeopardy of an unborn child. The frequencies of each type are identified in the corresponding pie chart.

Performance Goals:

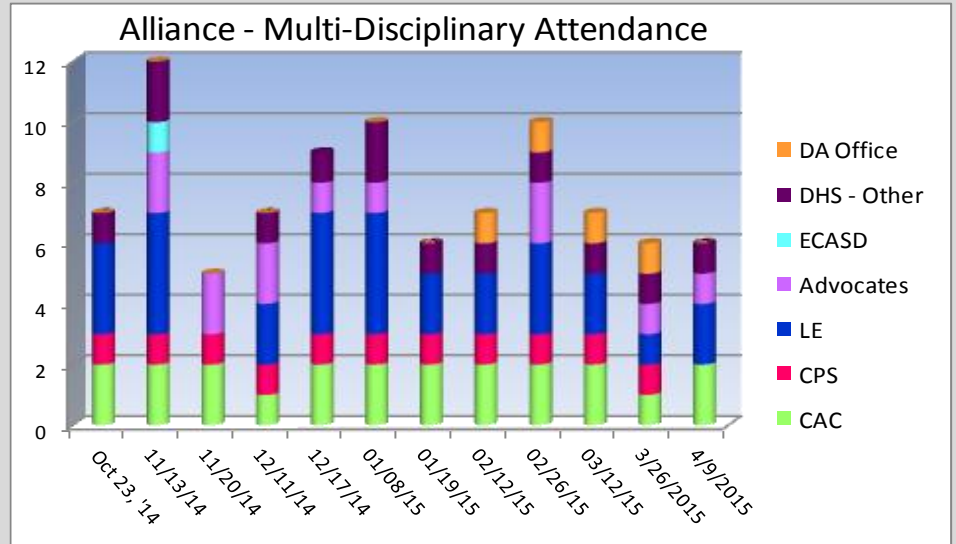
1. 100% of cases referred by Eau Claire County Child Protective Services (CPS) are reviewed in the Eau Claire Alliance Screen Out Review

Outcome: 100%

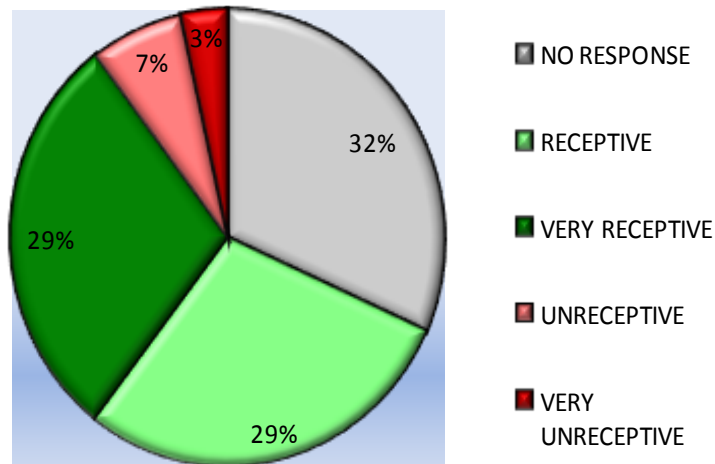
2. Eau Claire Alliance screen-out review committee provides opportunities to collaborate on cases, which improves services to families. Committee meetings include representation from at least 2 entities beyond the Child Advocacy Center.

[Data collected since 10/23/14]

Outcome: 100%



Client Reaction to Follow-Up Contact



3. For the cases in which a follow-up contact from the CAC is recommended, there is an identified "positive response".

"Positive response" is determined by the contacted person being receptive to CAC follow-up; i.e. engaged communication, acceptance of referrals and/or resources.

[Data collected since 10/23/14]

Outcome:

58% of all cases recommended for follow-up demonstrated a positive response

85% of cases with whom contact was accomplished demonstrated a positive response

Benchmark: 65% of all cases recommended for follow-up are receptive

Plan of Action:

Reduce the numbers of people who are unresponsive to contact attempts