

# APS

## Adult Protective Services MH and MR Investigations Overview

The Adult Protective Services MH & MR Investigations Program investigates reports of abuse, neglect, and exploitation of persons with disabilities (children and adults) receiving services in state operated and/or contracted settings that serve adults and children with mental illness or mental retardation. Investigation results are sent to the facility or program administrator for appropriate action.

### Expenditures and Total Average Filled Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Staff

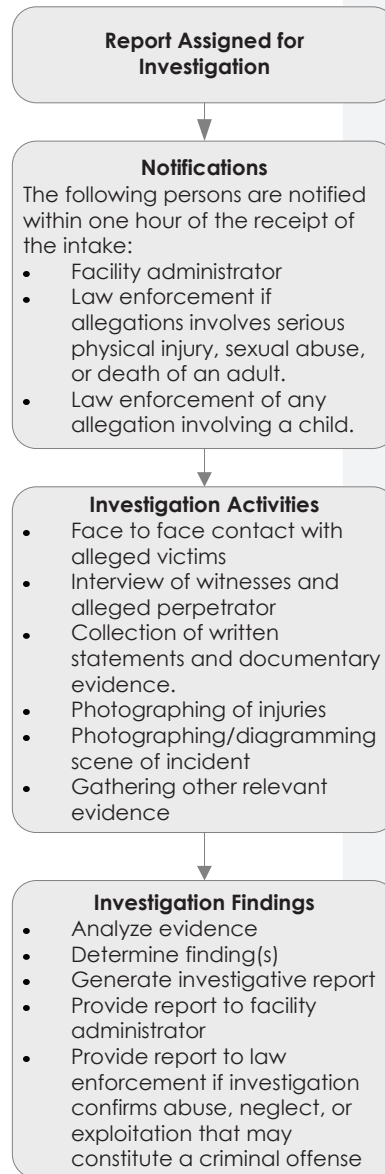
Total Staff	109.6
Direct Delivery Total	103.2
Direct Delivery Workers	78.2
Direct Delivery Supervisors	14.3
Direct Delivery Other	10.7
Staff Cost	\$5,793,267.42

### Worker Demographics

Turnover Rate	18.1%
Tenure:	
Less Than 1 Year	21.5%
1 - 3 Years	31.6%
Greater than 3 Years	46.8%
Entry Salary	\$29,881.44
Average Age	42.9
Race/Ethnicity:	
African-American	12.7%
Anglo	65.8%
Hispanic	21.5%
Other	0.0%

### Supervisor Demographics

Turnover Rate	4.0%
Tenure:	
Less Than 1 Year	0.0%
1 - 3 Years	13.3%
Greater than 3 Years	86.7%
Entry Salary	\$38,351.00
Average Age	45.6
Race/Ethnicity:	
African-American	13.3%
Anglo	60.0%
Hispanic	20.0%
Other	6.7%



*Note: This chart is for reference only and does not necessarily represent the flow of a case.*

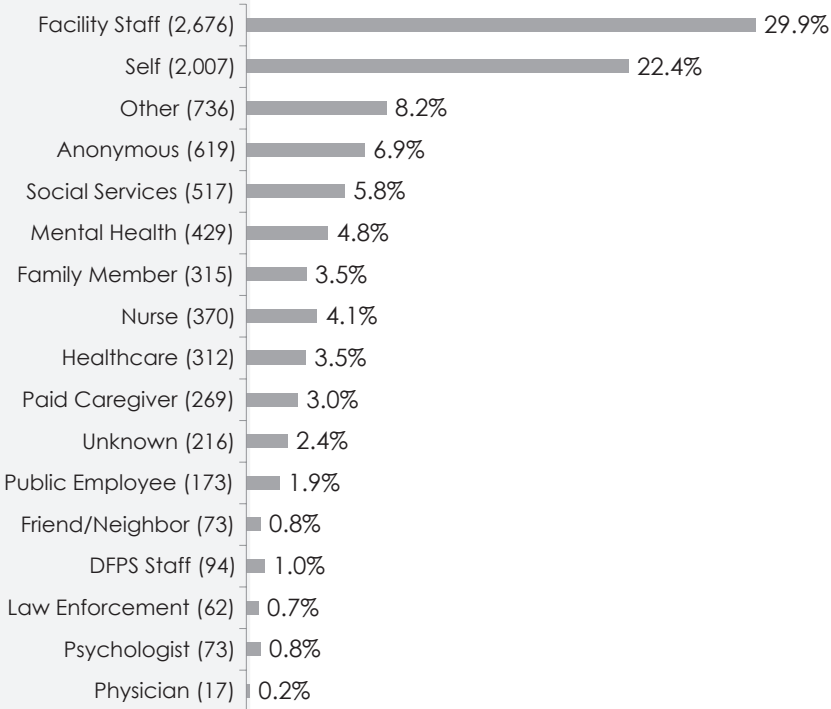
### Statistics FY 2008

Completed MH & MR Investigations	8,870
Confirmed MH & MR Investigations	879

### Most Common...

- **Person reporting abuse/neglect/exploitation**  
Facility Staff (29.9%)
- **Allegation confirmed**  
Neglect (36.5%)
- **MH & MR setting investigated**  
State School (47.2%)

**Completed Investigations in MH & MR Settings by Source of Report Fiscal Year 2008**



*Note: A report of abuse/neglect may come from multiple sources.*

**Number of MH & MR Investigations Referred to Law Enforcement by Setting for Fiscal Year 2008**

Setting	Law Enforcement Provided	
	Notification of Investigation*	Investigation Report**
State Schools	982	236
State Hospitals	464	110
HCS Homes	335	69
Community MHMR Centers	95	17
State Centers	24	0
Other	3	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,903</b>	<b>432</b>

\* Notification sent on investigations which involve a child or serious physical injury, sexual abuse, or death of an adult person served.

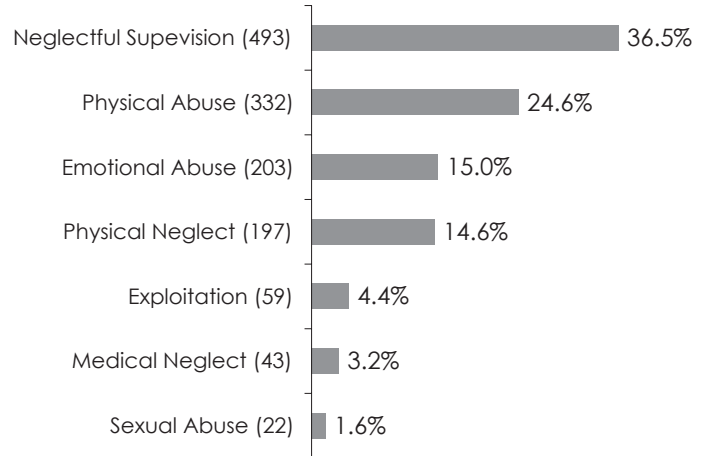
\*\* This data includes all cases in which a final investigation report was sent regardless of investigation disposition.

**Average Length of Completed MH & MR Investigations by Region Fiscal Year 2008**

Region	Investigations	Average Days
1 Lubbock	375	10.7
2 Abilene	1,082	12.7
3 Arlington	1,277	6.5
4 Tyler	427	9.1
5 Beaumont	267	9.9
6 Houston	519	17.9
7 Austin	2,037	12.2
8 San Antonio	730	15.4
9 Midland	1,077	10.0
10 El Paso	199	9.3
11 Edinburg	873	13.5
Unknown*	7	10.0
<b>State</b>	<b>8,870</b>	<b>11.6</b>

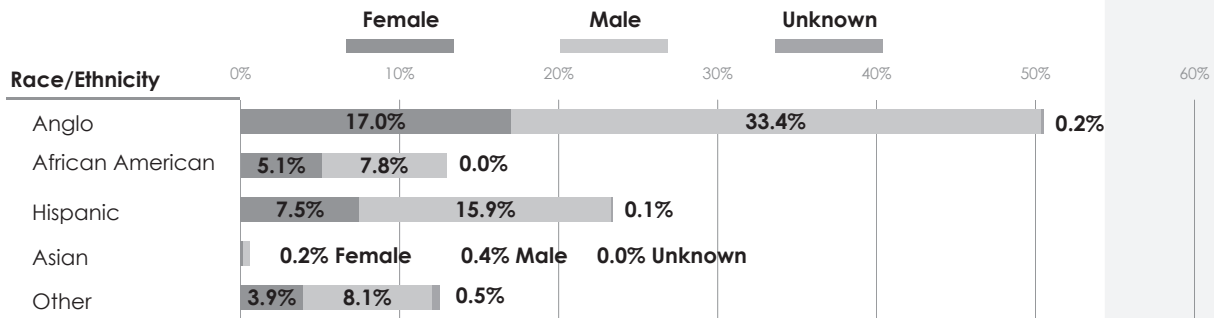
\*Unknown not included in calculation of state average.

**Types of Abuse Confirmed in MH & MR Settings Fiscal Year 2008**



### Characteristics of Victims in Confirmed Investigations in MHMR Facilities Fiscal Year 2008

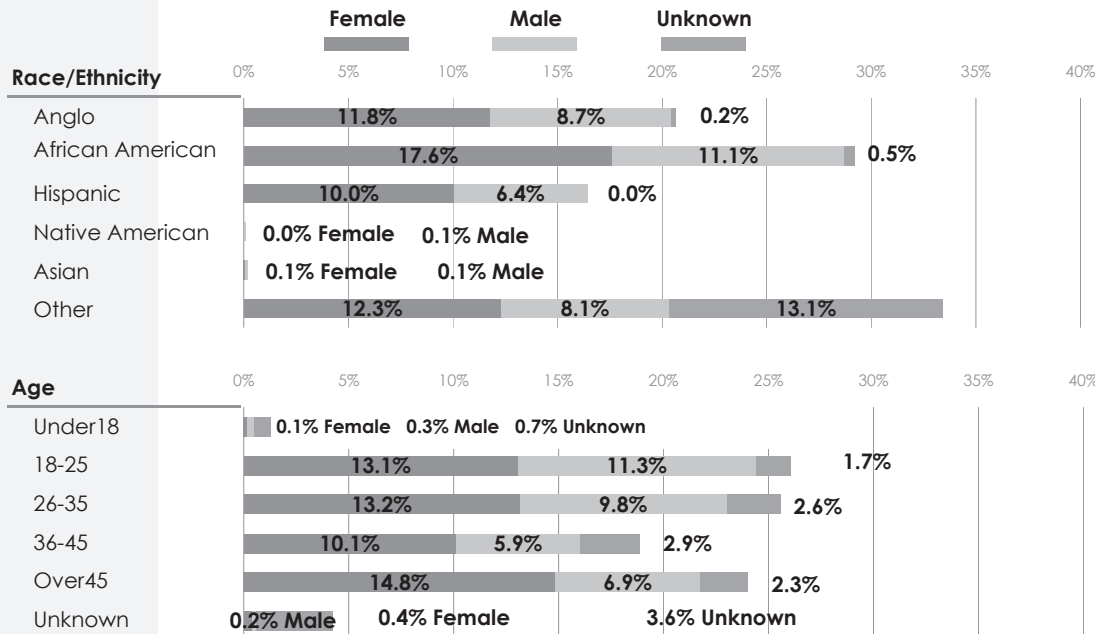
Race/Ethnicity	Female		Male		Unknown		Subtotal	
	N	% of Total	N	% of Total	N	% of Total	N	% of Total
Anglo	182	17.0%	358	33.4%	2	0.2%	542	50.6%
African American	55	5.1%	84	7.8%	0	0.0%	139	13.0%
Hispanic	80	7.5%	170	15.9%	1	0.1%	251	23.4%
Asian	2	0.2%	4	0.4%	0	0.0%	6	0.6%
Other	42	3.9%	87	8.1%	5	0.5%	134	12.5%
<b>Total Victims</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>33.7%</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>65.6%</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>1,072</b>	<b>100.0%</b>



*Note: A completed investigation may have more than one victim.*

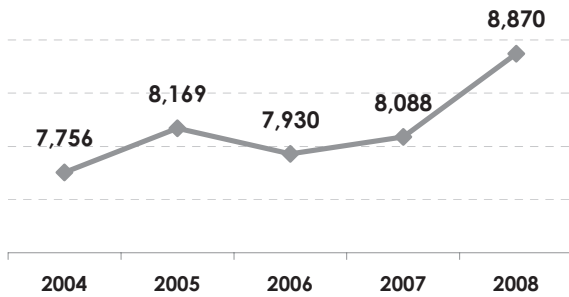
### Characteristics of Perpetrators in Confirmed Investigations in MHMR Facilities Fiscal Year 2008

	Female		Male		Unknown		Subtotal	
	N	% of Total	N	% of Total	N	% of Total	N	% of Total
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
Anglo	120	11.8%	88	8.7%	2	0.2%	210	20.6%
African American	179	17.6%	113	11.1%	5	0.5%	297	29.2%
Hispanic	102	10.0%	65	6.4%	0	0.0%	167	16.4%
Native American	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%
Asian	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	2	0.2%
Other	125	12.3%	82	8.1%	133	13.1%	340	33.4%
<b>Age</b>								
Under18	2	0.2%	3	0.3%	8	0.8%	13	1.3%
18-25	133	13.1%	115	11.3%	17	1.7%	265	26.1%
26-35	134	13.2%	100	9.8%	26	2.6%	260	25.6%
36-45	103	10.1%	60	5.9%	29	2.9%	192	18.9%
Over45	151	14.8%	70	6.9%	23	2.3%	244	24.0%
Unknown	4	0.4%	2	0.2%	37	3.6%	43	4.2%
<b>Total Perpetrators</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>51.8%</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>34.4%</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>13.8%</b>	<b>1,017</b>	<b>100.0%</b>



*Note: Each victim may have more than one perpetrator.  
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**Completed Investigations in MH & MR Settings by Fiscal Year**



**Completed Investigations by MH & MR Setting Fiscal Year 2008**

Setting	Completed Investigations
State Schools	4,188
State Hospitals	2,004
HCS Homes	1,806
Community MHMR Centers	614
State Centers	258
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,870</b>

**Disposition of Completed MH and MR Investigations Fiscal Year 2008**

Setting	Confirmed		Unconfirmed		Inconclusive		Unfounded		Other		Blank		Subtotal	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Community	90	1.0%	232	2.6%	71	0.8%	9	0.1%	48	0.5%	164	1.8%	614	6.9%
HCS Homes	265	3.0%	750	8.5%	169	1.9%	25	0.3%	168	1.9%	429	4.8%	1,806	20.4%
State Centers	20	0.2%	134	1.5%	25	0.3%	11	0.1%	17	0.2%	51	0.6%	258	2.9%
State Hospitals	140	1.6%	1,010	11.4%	107	1.2%	85	1.0%	199	2.2%	463	5.2%	2,004	22.6%
State Schools	364	4.1%	2,098	23.7%	275	3.1%	428	4.8%	343	3.9%	680	7.7%	4,188	47.2%
<b>State Total</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>9.9%</b>	<b>4,224</b>	<b>47.6%</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>7.3%</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>8.7%</b>	<b>1,787</b>	<b>20.1%</b>	<b>8,870</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1 Lubbock	65	0.7%	174	2.0%	42	0.5%	12	0.1%	51	0.6%	40	0.5%	384	4.3%
2 Abilene	127	1.4%	626	7.1%	81	0.9%	14	0.2%	32	0.4%	163	1.8%	1,043	11.8%
3 Arlington	125	1.4%	479	5.4%	87	1.0%	64	0.7%	88	1.0%	409	4.6%	1,252	14.1%
4 Tyler	22	0.2%	168	1.9%	16	0.2%	14	0.2%	1	0.0%	220	2.5%	441	5.0%
5 Beaumont	46	0.5%	88	1.0%	37	0.4%	5	0.1%	36	0.4%	47	0.5%	259	2.9%
6 Houston	43	0.5%	354	4.0%	68	0.8%	24	0.3%	50	0.6%	129	1.5%	668	7.5%
7 Austin	136	1.5%	623	7.0%	65	0.7%	183	2.1%	382	4.3%	331	3.7%	1,720	19.4%
8 San Antonio	92	1.0%	401	4.5%	52	0.6%	9	0.1%	1	0.0%	118	1.3%	673	7.6%
9 Midland	69	0.8%	526	5.9%	68	0.8%	182	2.1%	58	0.7%	170	1.9%	1,073	12.1%
10 El Paso	34	0.4%	89	1.0%	16	0.2%	19	0.2%	43	0.5%	6	0.1%	207	2.3%
11 Edinburg	80	0.9%	550	6.2%	96	1.1%	21	0.2%	0	0.0%	112	1.3%	859	9.7%
Other	40	0.5%	146	1.6%	19	0.2%	11	0.1%	33	0.4%	42	0.5%	291	3.3%
<b>State Total</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>9.9%</b>	<b>4,224</b>	<b>47.6%</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>7.3%</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>8.7%</b>	<b>1,787</b>	<b>20.1%</b>	<b>8,870</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

\* "Other" and "Blank" include cases referred back to the facility or closed at intake because they do not meet the definitions of abuse and neglect and therefore are not investigated.

