



Strong Families Make a Strong Kansas

## Investigative Findings FY 2019 (July 2018 - March 2019)

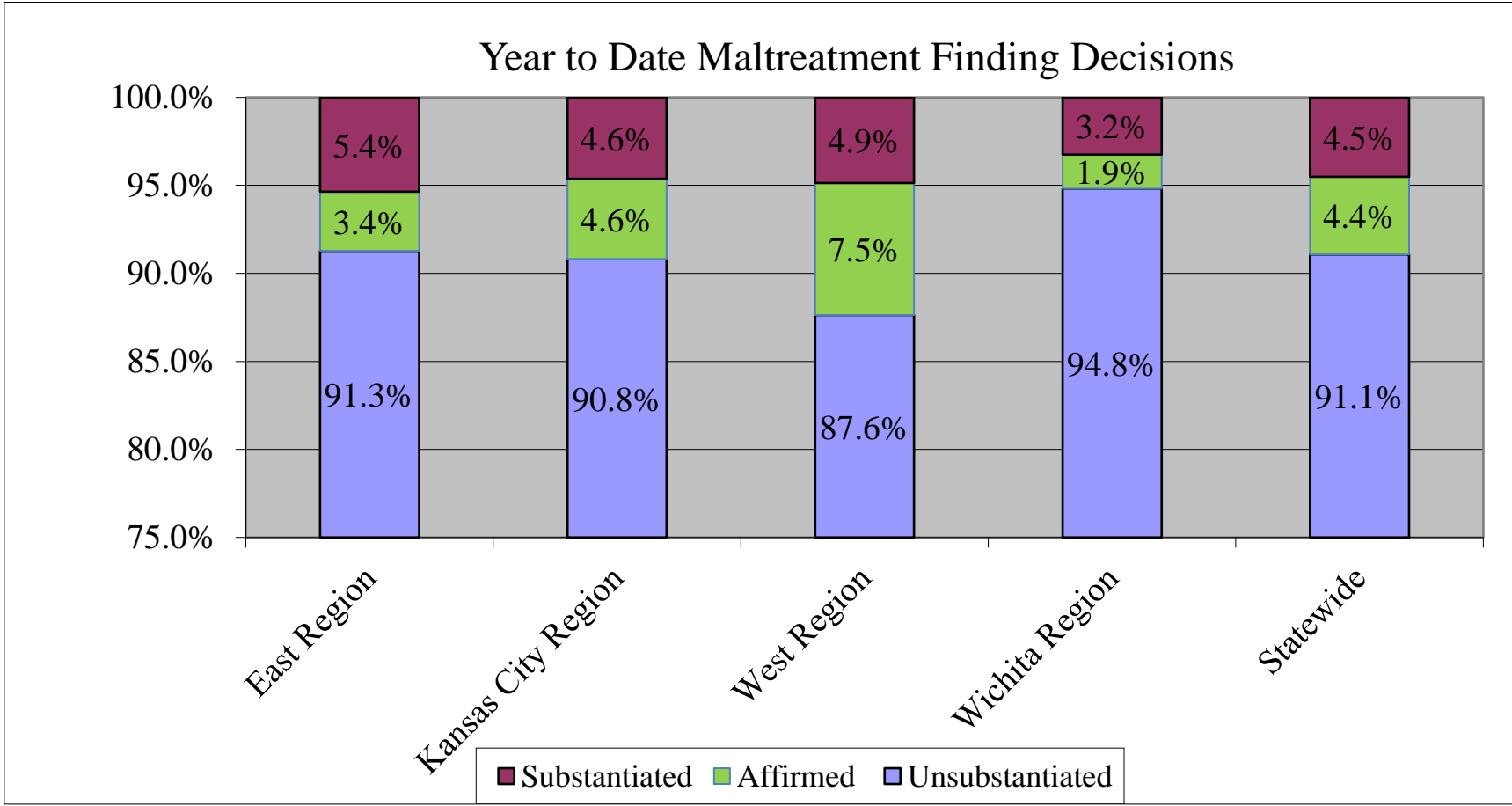
<b>East Region</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Oct</b>	<b>Nov</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>Mar</b>				<b>YTD</b>
Unsubstantiated Findings	775	525	475	657	576	594	570	602	724				5,498
Affirmed Findings	33	17	16	31	16	21	16	26	26				202
Substantiated Findings	63	42	32	40	21	39	28	18	40				323

<b>Kansas City Region</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Oct</b>	<b>Nov</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>Mar</b>				<b>YTD</b>
Unsubstantiated Findings	756	710	560	828	560	533	692	357	233				5,229
Affirmed Findings	52	52	27	28	28	17	19	17	23				263
Substantiated Findings	45	56	37	32	22	12	17	27	18				266

<b>West Region</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Oct</b>	<b>Nov</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>Mar</b>				<b>YTD</b>
Unsubstantiated Findings	761	852	491	744	666	619	711	572	696				6,112
Affirmed Findings	74	83	45	62	47	55	35	43	79				523
Substantiated Findings	56	51	23	30	43	20	39	19	58				339

<b>Wichita Region</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Oct</b>	<b>Nov</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>Mar</b>				<b>YTD</b>
Unsubstantiated Findings	598	646	471	823	708	749	940	734	434				6,103
Affirmed Findings	22	12	3	17	10	13	33	6	9				125
Substantiated Findings	19	27	18	28	28	17	33	18	21				209

<b>Statewide</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Oct</b>	<b>Nov</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>Mar</b>				<b>YTD</b>
Unsubstantiated Findings	2,890	2,733	1,997	3,052	2,510	2,495	2,913	2,265	2,087				22,942
Affirmed Findings	181	164	91	138	101	106	103	92	137				1,113
Substantiated Findings	183	176	110	130	114	88	117	82	137				1,137
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,254</b>	<b>3,073</b>	<b>2,198</b>	<b>3,320</b>	<b>2,725</b>	<b>2,689</b>	<b>3,133</b>	<b>2,439</b>	<b>2,361</b>				<b>25,192</b>
<b>% of Unsubstantiated Findings</b>	<b>88.8%</b>	<b>88.9%</b>	<b>90.9%</b>	<b>91.9%</b>	<b>92.1%</b>	<b>92.8%</b>	<b>93.0%</b>	<b>92.9%</b>	<b>88.4%</b>				<b>91.1%</b>
<b>% of Affirmed Findings</b>	<b>5.6%</b>	<b>5.3%</b>	<b>4.1%</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>5.8%</b>				<b>4.4%</b>
<b>% of Substantiated Findings</b>	<b>5.6%</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>5.0%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>5.8%</b>				<b>4.5%</b>



\*The total number of investigative findings in one year do not match the number of assigned reports in that same year due to the time between date of assignment and dates of findings. A worker has 30 work days within which to complete the investigative finding, thus it is possible to have an assigned report in one year that does not have a finding completed until the following fiscal year.

**Substantiated:** A reasonable person weighing the facts and circumstances would conclude it is more likely than not (preponderance of the evidence) the alleged perpetrator's actions or inactions meet the abuse and/or neglect definition per applicable K.S.A. and K.A.R., and meet criteria indicating the alleged perpetrator should not be permitted to reside, work or regularly volunteer in a child care facility regulated by KDHE or DCF Foster Care and Residential Facility Licensing.

**Affirmed:** A reasonable person weighing the facts and circumstances would conclude it is more likely than not (preponderance of the evidence) the alleged perpetrator's actions or inactions meet the abuse and/or neglect definition per applicable K.S.A. and K.A.R.

**Unsubstantiated:** A reasonable person weighing the facts or circumstances would conclude it is more likely than not (preponderance of the evidence) the alleged perpetrator's actions or inactions do not meet the abuse and/or neglect definitions per applicable K.S.A. and K.A.R.