

2022

ZEBRA CHILD & YOUTH  
ADVOCACY CENTRE

# IMPACT REPORT

SAFETY STRENGTH SUPPORT



# 2022 AT A GLANCE

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**4,272**

CHILDREN & YOUTH  
SUPPORTED

11% increase over 2021

**1,498**

NEW CASES  
OPENED

**1,879**

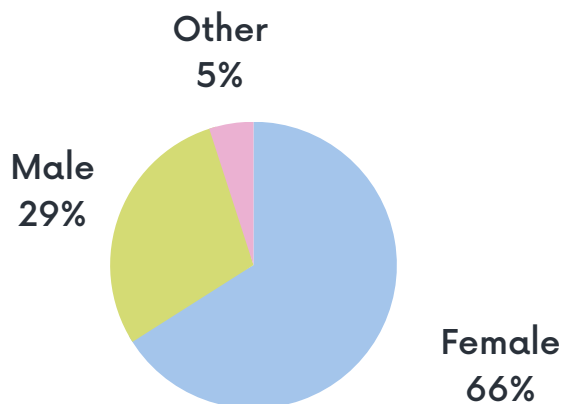
FORENSIC INTERVIEWS  
CONDUCTED

**555**

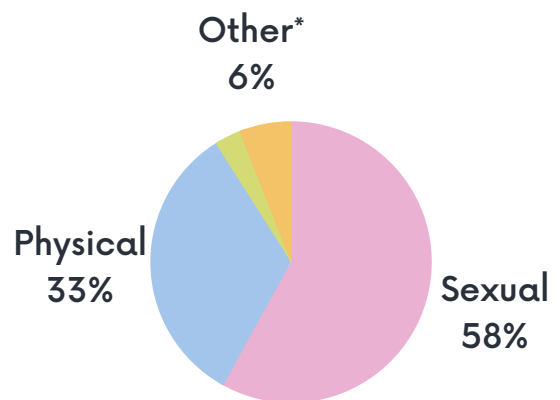
SUPPORTS WITH  
OUR VIP DOGS

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## GENDER DEMOGRAPHIC



## REASON FOR REFERRAL



\*internet crime, abduction & other forms of harm

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"The staff at the Centre are very empathetic to the needs of everyone involved. I think the Zebra Centre is a very needed service for our kids."



# YEAR IN REVIEW

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## FILES DISCUSSED AT INTAKE

**1,583** files discussed

- 95% police referrals
- 5% other sources

## FORENSIC INTERVIEWS

\*Children's Services Special Assessors conducted **776** Interviews last year

- 889 EPS - Child
- 5 EPS - Adult
- 967 RCMP - Child
- 5 Children's Services
- 13 Other Police

## COURT PREPARTION

\*Court closure from January 4 - February 7, 2022

**275** court preps

## COURT ACCOMPANIMENT

**237** children accompanied on **187** court dates

## COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

**1160** referrals

## TRAUMA TREATMENT SERVICE

Mental health treatment referrals

**131** children, youth & caregivers

New referrals were paused until June 2022 due to limited AHS staffing

## VOLUNTEERS

**128** active volunteers total

- 86 child advocates
- 15 court accompaniments
- 33 board & committees
- 2 administrative volunteers
- 1 research volunteer

## VOLUNTEER HOURS

**6,332** hours total

- 4,507 were directly supporting children & families
- 1,825 were administrative-committees, training, file tasks, events.

## ZEBRA CENTRE STAFF

**20** staff members

Zebra Centre staff & volunteers are dedicated to supporting the Mutli-Disciplinary Team in their specialized work relating to investigations, justice & healing.



## CLIENT FEEDBACK

### Outcome Measurement System Initial Survey

- 94.3% of caregivers believed their child felt safe at the Centre.
- 90.9% of caregivers said their questions were answered to their satisfaction.
- 97.1% of caregivers said they received timely attention & care.

## CLIENT FEEDBACK

### Outcome Measurement System Follow-up Survey

- 98.7% of caregivers said staff members at the Centre were friendly & pleasant.
- 88.6% of caregivers said the services they received were helpful to the child & family.
- 96.2% of caregivers said the Centre has been available to answer questions.

# THANK YOU

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