

# Stanly County 2008

## MRS Evaluation Fact Sheet

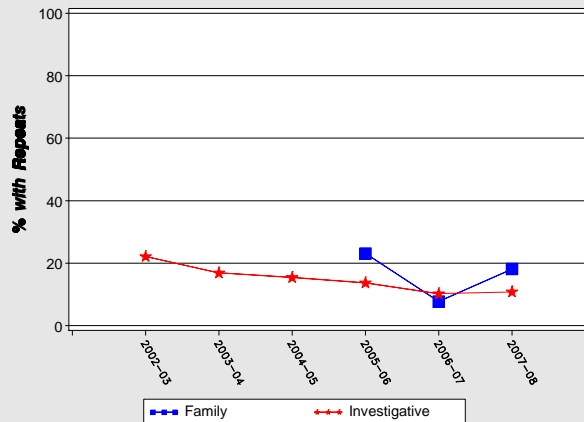
### Child Safety

	Fiscal Year				Mean Pre-MRS 02-03 thru 04-05		Mean MRS 06-07 thru 07-08		% Change	
	02-03	04-05	06-07	07-08	County	Comp Grp <sup>1</sup>	County	Comp Grp	County	Comp Grp
Rate of Assessments <sup>2</sup>	53.6	56.1	56.6	59.9	53.4	51.8	58.2	51.6	9.0	-0.5
Rate of Substantiations <sup>3</sup>	16.6	17.3	15.9	12.2	15.7	14.3	14.1	10.0	-10.2	-30.1
Rate of Substantiated Abuse <sup>4</sup>	3.0	2.8	1.8	2.2	2.6	1.4	2.0	1.1	-21.3	-18.9
6 Month Repeat Assessment Rate <sup>5</sup>	20.3	15.7	9.2	14.4	16.9	13.1	11.8	11.5	-30.0	-12.2
6 Month Repeat Substantiation Rate <sup>6</sup>	15.8	6.0	4.4	7.5	9.5	6.7	6.0	6.3	-37.5	-7.1

Note: MRS was initiated in January 2006.

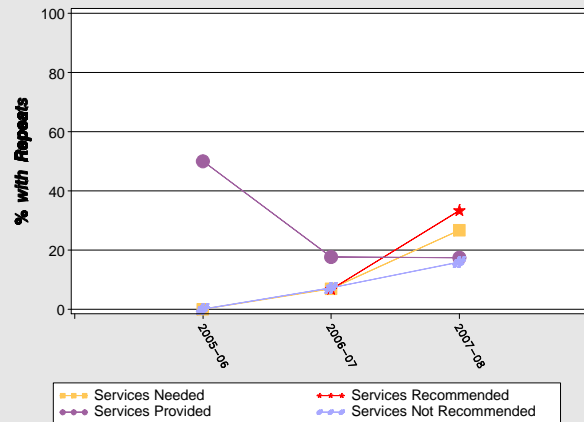
### Six-Month Repeat Assessments

**Family vs. Investigative Assessments**



Graph compares the likelihood of a 6-month repeat assessment for the Family and Investigative Tracks. Numbers include all assessments each year (may include multiple assessments for one child in the same year).

**Family Assessment Track, by Finding**



Graph compares the likelihood of a 6-month repeat assessment for each case finding. Numbers include all assessments handled in the Family Track (may include multiple assessments for one child in the same year).

<sup>1</sup> County comparison groups were chosen based on county rates of assessments and child population. Counties in comparison group: Columbus, Forsyth, Pitt, Randolph, Rockingham, Stanly, Stokes, and Surry.

<sup>2</sup> Rates are per 1,000 children residing in county.

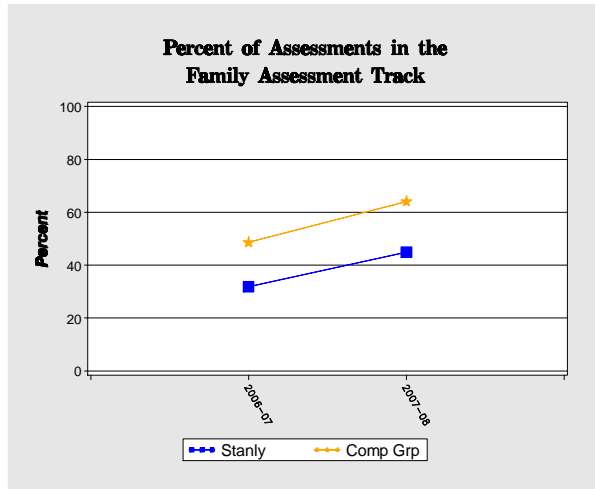
<sup>3</sup> Substantiations include findings of Services Needed.

<sup>4</sup> Abuse always includes substantiations of "Abuse and Neglect."

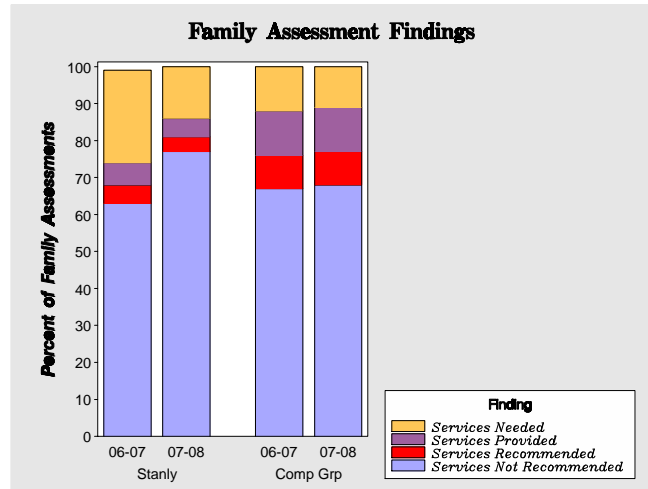
<sup>5</sup> Repeat Assessment is defined as a child who is involved in more than one accepted report within 6 months.

<sup>6</sup> Repeat Substantiation is defined as a child who has a substantiated report within 6 months of another substantiated report.

## Family Assessment Track



Percentage of assessments assigned to the Family Assessment Track. Graph compares select county to the average of the comparison counties from fiscal year 2006-2007 to 2007-2008.



Breakdown of findings within the Family Assessment Track for fiscal years 2006-2007 and 2007-2008 as compared to the average of the comparison counties.

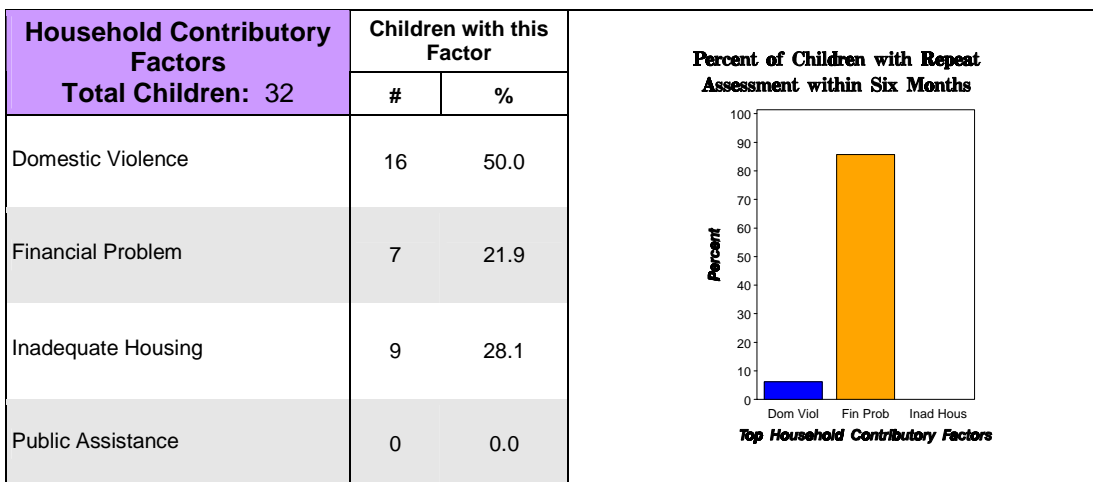
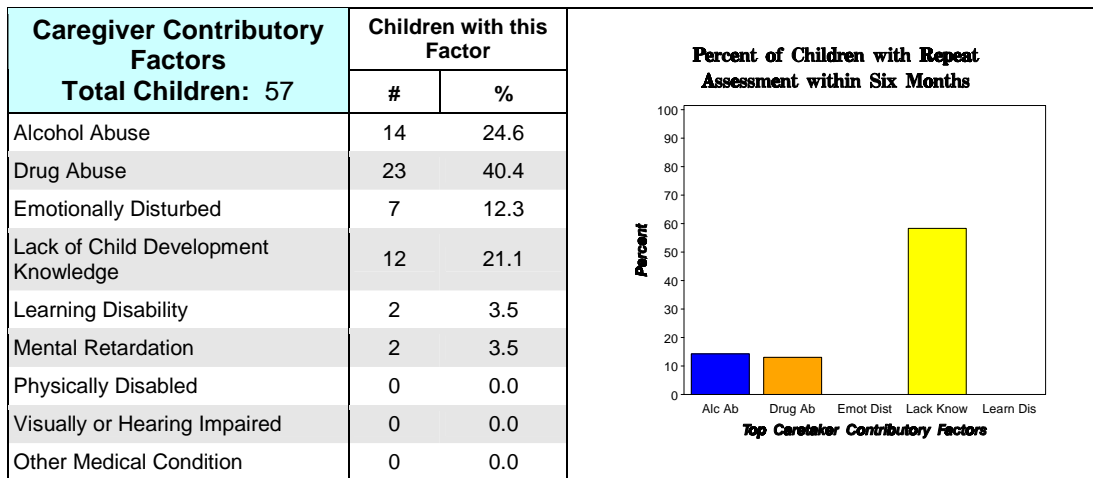
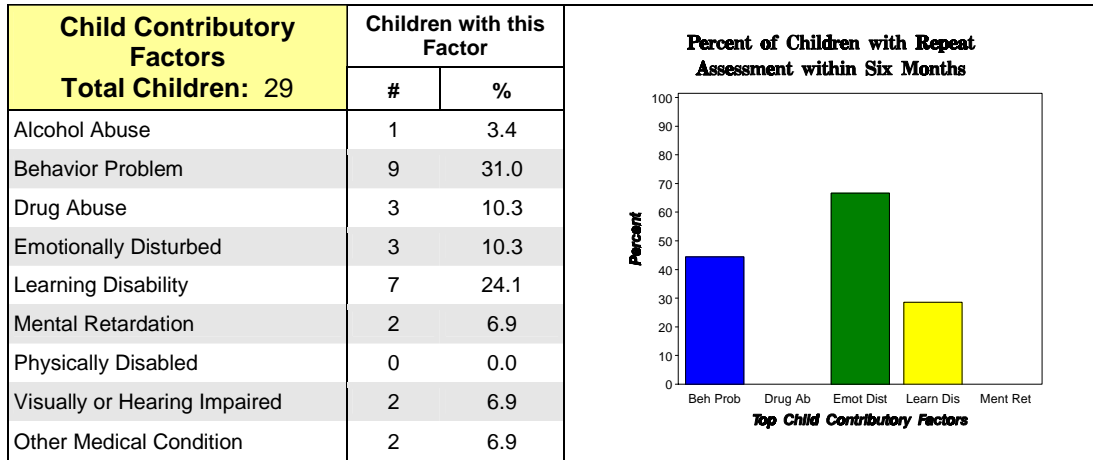
## Timeliness of Response and Time to Case Decision

	Fiscal Year				Mean Pre-MRS 02-03 thru 04-05		Mean MRS 06-07 thru 07-08		% Change	
	02-03	04-05	06-07	07-08	County	Comp Grp	County	Comp Grp	County	Comp Grp
<b>% On-time Response<sup>7</sup></b>										
Overall	92.9	90.3	91.9	90.0	91.6	91.6	90.9	93.1	-0.8	1.6
Reports of Neglect	93.2	91.5	92.4	92.1	92.5	91.8	92.2	93.7	-0.3	2.1
Reports of Abuse	91.5	84.6	89.3	81.8	87.4	89.7	85.6	89.5	-2.1	-0.2
<b>% On-time Case Decision<sup>8</sup></b>										
Overall	60.0	30.5	47.0	32.8	42.0	51.4	39.9	54.3	-4.9	5.6
Family Assessment Track	-	-	63.6	37.9	-	-	50.7	67.3	-	-
Investigative Track	-	-	39.4	28.7	-	-	34.1	38.2	-	-

<sup>7</sup> On-time Response is calculated as response within 24 hours for reports of Abuse, and within 72 hours for reports of Neglect.

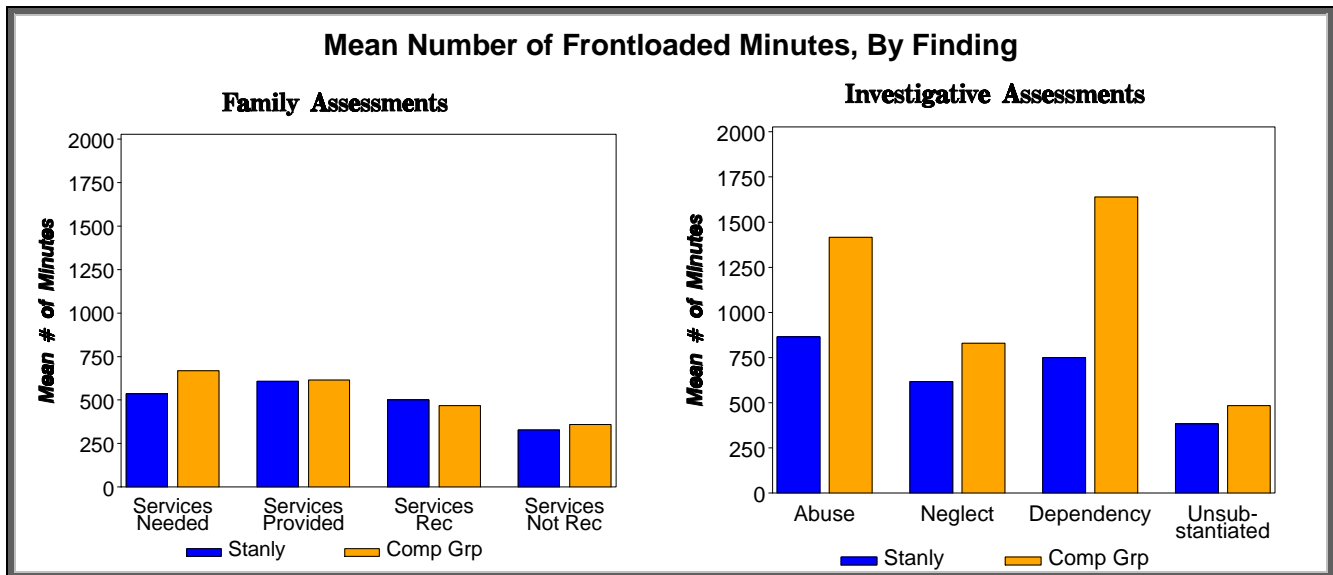
<sup>8</sup> On-time Case Decision is calculated as decision made within 30 days for pre-MRS and Investigative Track assessments, and within 45 days for Family Track assessments.

## Primary Contributory Factors for Fiscal Year 2007-2008



Tables highlight the percentage of children with a finding of Substantiated or Services Needed with a Primary Contributory Factor recorded in 2007-2008. Contributory Factors are separated into categories depending on whether the factor is specific to the child, caregiver or household. **Note that 62.0% of assessments with findings of Substantiated or Services Needed were NOT assigned any Primary Contributory Factors.** Therefore, the data above may not be representative of the entire population. Repeat Assessment is defined as a child who received a finding of Substantiated or Services Needed with an identified Contributory Factor during fiscal year 2007-2008 and who was involved in another accepted report within 6 months of the substantiated report. The % reflects percentage of children with a given Contributory Factor who had a Repeat Assessment.

## Frontloading Services and Other Information for Fiscal Year 2007-2008



### Status of Data Collection and Reporting

- ➔ A total of **967** assessments were reported to the Central Registry.
- ➔ Of these, **769** assessments (**79.5%**) were reported through the web-based Multiple Response Database.
- ➔ So, **198** assessments (**20.5%**) reported to the Central Registry were NOT registered in the Multiple Response Database.
- ➔ Of the 769 assessments reported to both the Central Registry and the Multiple Response Database, **36.0%** included some information about MRS services that were needed, referred or provided.
- ➔ For the assessments with some MRS services information, **38.3%** of the reported services were referred and/or provided with no indication of the service being needed.

#### MRS Services Needed, Referred, and Provided

➔ Of the assessments with reported services, the top 5 identified service needs in the select county accounted for 63.6% of all identified service needs.

Top 5 needs, and how successfully they were referred or provided:

	#	% Referred	% Provided
Individual Counseling	68	52.9	33.8
Mental Health	63	57.1	20.6
Case Planning/Case Management	60	43.3	20.0
Parenting Skills	55	41.8	5.5
Substance Abuse Treatment	49	49.0	16.3

#### Comparison of Blended v. Not Blended 210/215 Cases

	% of Children With a Repeat Assessment	Mean # of Minutes of Frontloaded Services
Blended	11.3	709.3
Team Blended	22.8	579.8
Not Blended	10.4	652.2

Data combined for all counties in the comparison group. Includes all assessments with transfer information.