EVALUATION OF THE SERIOUS INJURY (SI) REVIEWS AND INVESTIGATIONS PROGRAM

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WHAT IS THE MANITOBA ADVOCATE FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH (MACY)?

MACY is an independent office of the Manitoba Legislative Assembly and is empowered by *The Advocate for Children and Youth Act*.

MACY supports and advises children, youth, young adults, and their families of their rights and the services to which they are entitled.

Serious Injuries (SI) include:

1. A life-threatening injury
2. An injury requiring hospital admission
3. Sexual assault

WHAT IS THE SERIOUS INJURY REVIEWS AND INVESTIGATIONS PROGRAM?

1. MACY investigators review SI referrals and circumstances surrounding the event
2. MACY investigators review public services history prior to the SI event
3. Information is analyzed for recurring trends and themes and recommendations may be made to the government to improve public services

RESEARCH OBJECTIVES

A record review of the SI investigative reviews to examine trends in the types of injuries sustained and circumstances surrounding the injuries.

Develop a survey to examine reviewable service providers` knowledge of the SI reporting regulations and their experiences with the program.

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