

STATISTICS

Child Deaths Reviewed by the Child Death Review Team Compared to All Santa Clara County Child Deaths, 2001-2007
(Child Deaths are defined as deaths age < 18 years)

Year	Child Deaths Reviewed	Santa Clara County Child Deaths	%
2001	42	193	22%
2002	42	166	25%
2003	41	189	22%
2004	55	187	29%
2005	51	175	29%
2006	39	203	19%
2007	45	n/a	
Total	315		

Figure 1.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2001-2007; Santa Clara County Mortality Records

Santa Clara County Child Death Review Team Classifications, 2006-2007

	Frequency		Percent	
	2006	2007	2006	2007
Natural Medical	13	9	33%	20%
Accident	6	7	15%	16%
Inadequate Caretaking Skills	6	9	15%	20%
Homicide	4	10	10%	22%
Neglect	4	2	10%	4%
Adolescent High-Risk Behavior	3	5	7%	11%
SIDS	1	0	2%	
Suicide	1	3	2%	7%
Undetermined	1	0	2%	
Suspicious/Questionable Factors	0	0		
Total	39	45	100%	100%

Figure 2.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007

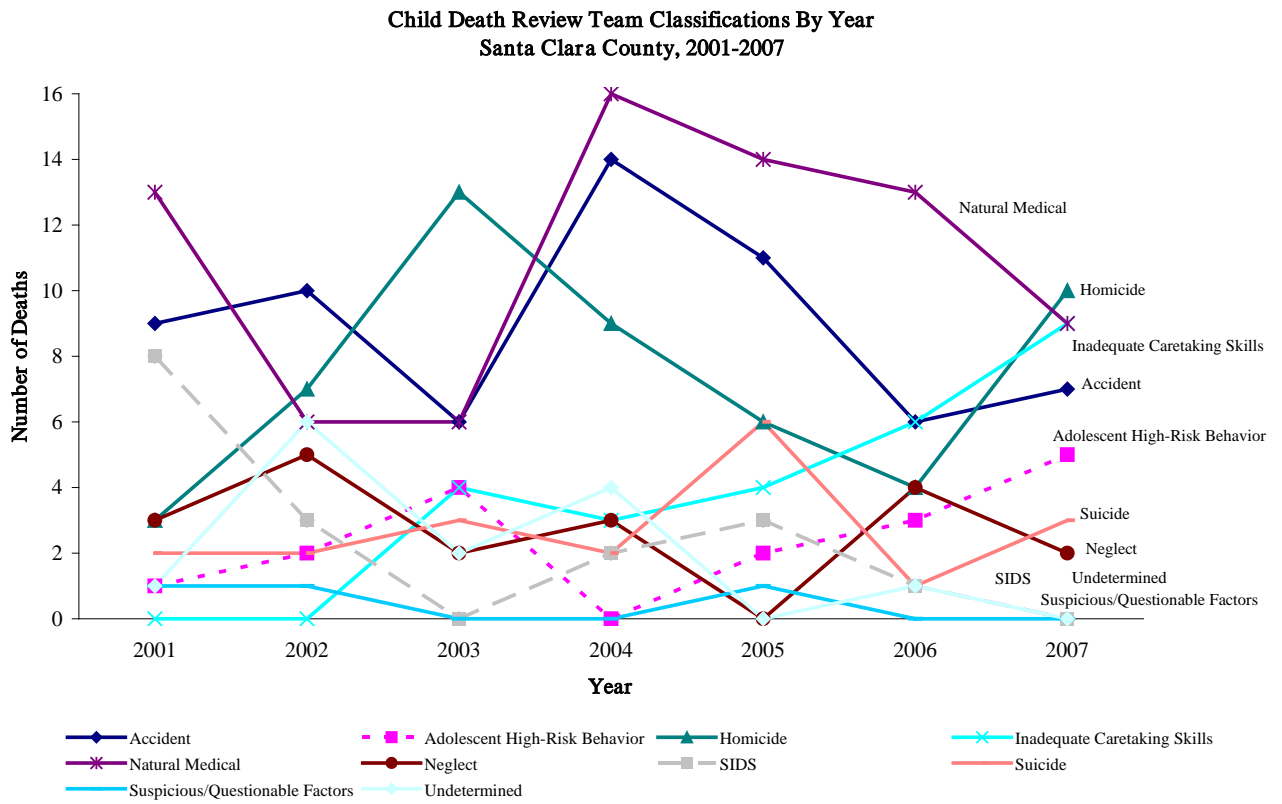


Figure 3.

**Child Death Review Classifications by Gender
Santa Clara County, Child Death Review, 2006-2007**

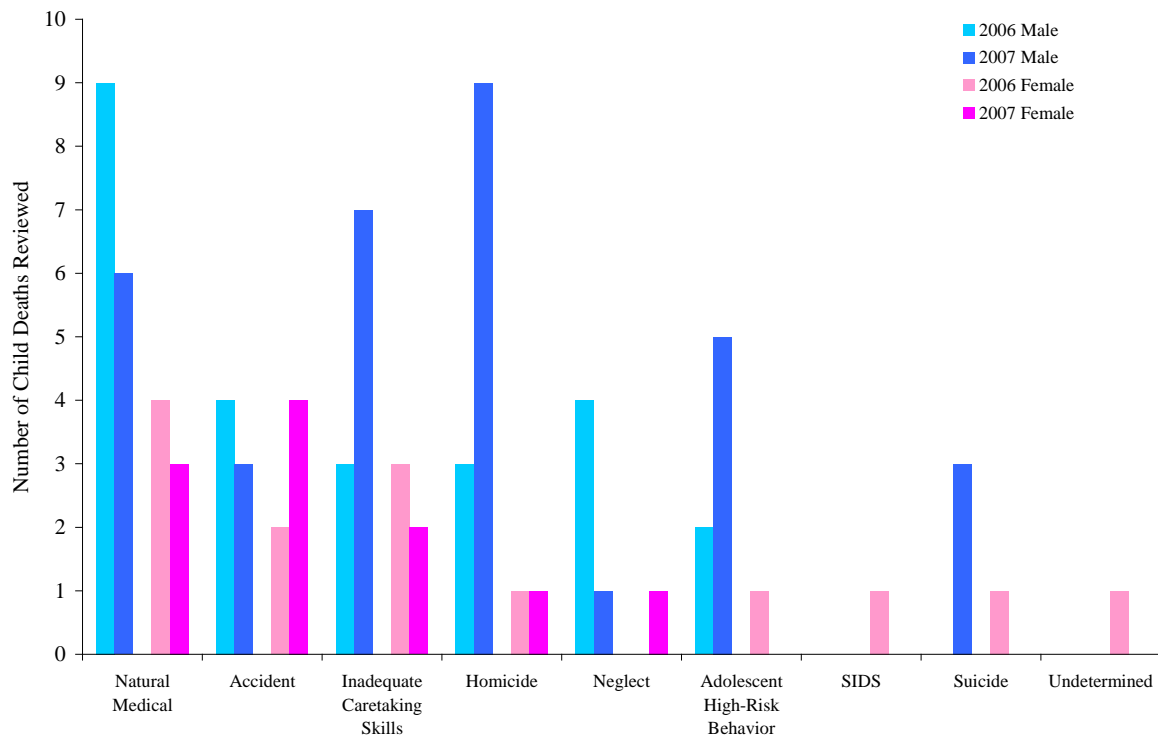


Figure 4a.

Child Death Review Classifications by Gender, 2006-2007

	Male 2006	Male 2007	Female 2006	Female 2007	Total
Natural Medical	9	6	4	3	22
Accident	4	3	2	4	13
Inadequate Caretaking Skills	3	7	3	2	15
Homicide	3	9	1	1	14
Neglect	4	1	0	1	6
Adolescent High-Risk Behavior	2	5	1	0	8
SIDS	0	0	1	0	1
Suicide	0	3	1	0	4
Undetermined	0	0	1	0	1
Total	25	34	14	11	84

Figure 4b.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007

**Child Death Review Classifications by Age
Santa Clara County, Child Death Review, 2006-2007**

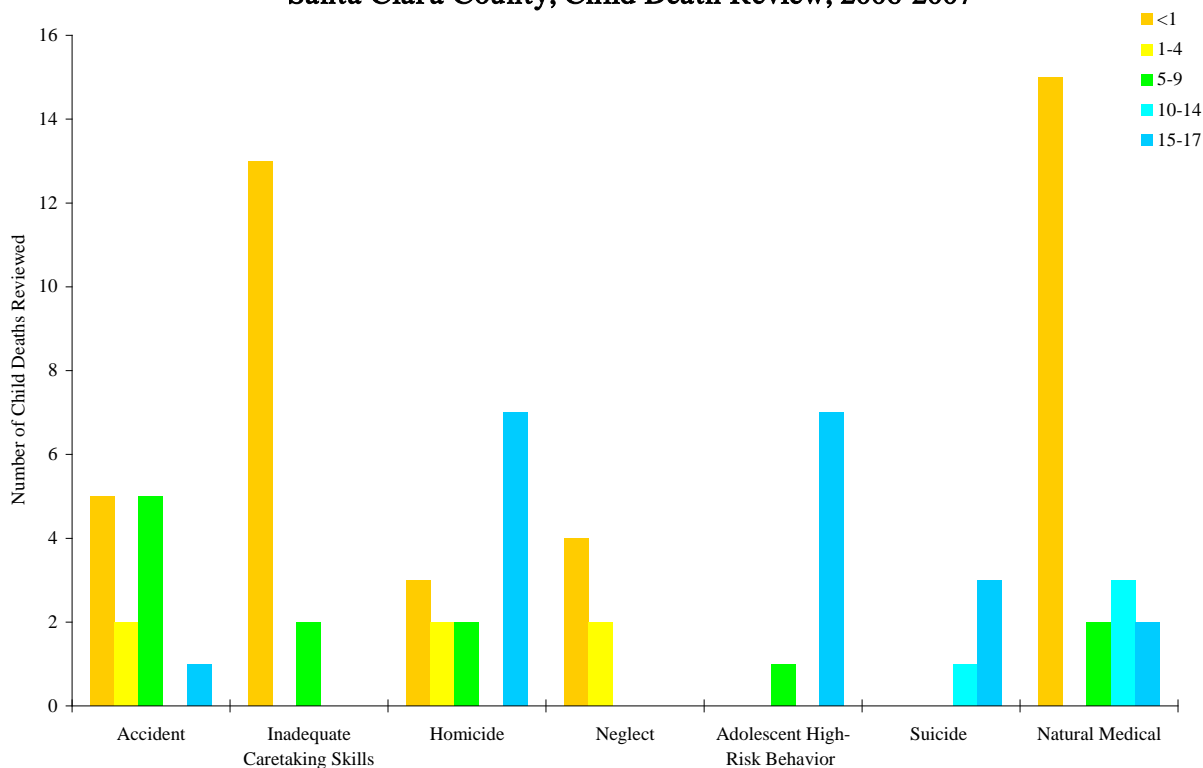


Figure 5a.

Child Death Review Classifications by Age, 2006-2007

	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-17	Total
Natural Medical	15	0	2	3	2	22
Accident	5	2	5	0	1	13
Inadequate Caretaking Skills	13	0	2	0	0	15
Homicide	3	2	2	0	7	14
Neglect	4	2	0	0	0	6
Adolescent High-Risk Behavior	0	0	1	0	7	8
SIDS	1	0	0	0	0	1
Suicide	0	0	0	1	3	4
Undetermined	0	0	0	1	0	1
Total	41	6	12	5	20	84

Figure 5b.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007

**Child Death Classifications by Race/Ethnicity
Santa Clara County, Child Death Review, 2006-2007**

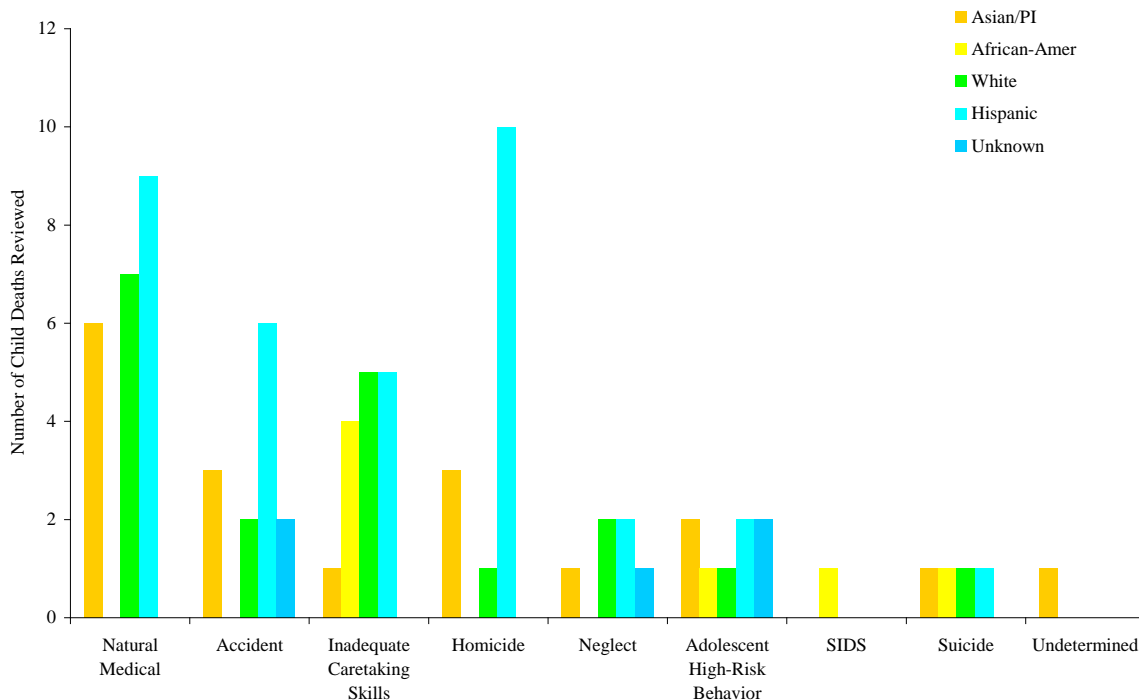


Figure 6a.

Child Death Review Classifications by Race/Ethnicity, 2006-2007

	Asian/PI	African-Amer	White	Hispanic	Unknown	Total
Natural Medical	6	0	7	9	0	22
Accident	3	0	2	6	2	13
Inadequate Caretaking Skills	1	4	5	5	0	15
Homicide	3	0	1	10	0	14
Neglect	1	0	2	2	1	6
Adolescent High-Risk Behavior	2	1	1	2	2	8
SIDS	0	1	0	0	0	1
Suicide	1	1	1	1	0	4
Undetermined	1	0	0	0	0	1
Total	18	7	19	35	5	84

Figure 6b.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007

Residence City of Child Deaths Reviewed, 2006-2007

	Frequency	Percent	Frequency	Percent
	2006		2007	
San Jose	23	59%	39	87%
Santa Clara	6	15%	4	9%
Palo Alto	3	8%		
Gilroy	3	8%		
Saratoga	2	5%		
Sunnyvale			1	2%
Milpitas	1	3%	1	2%
Morgan Hill	1	3%		
Total	39	100%	45	100%

Figure 7.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007

Place of Incident, 2006-2007

	Frequency	Percent	Frequency	Percent
	2006		2007	
Child's home	19	48%	23	48%
Roadway	9	23%	5	11%
Relative's home	3	8%	1	2%
Hospital	3	8%	2	4%
Friend's home	3	8%	2	4%
Licensed daycare center/home	1	3%		
Driveway	1	3%	1	2%
Sidewalk			1	2%
Other parking area			1	2%
<i>Other</i>			10	22%

Figure 8.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007

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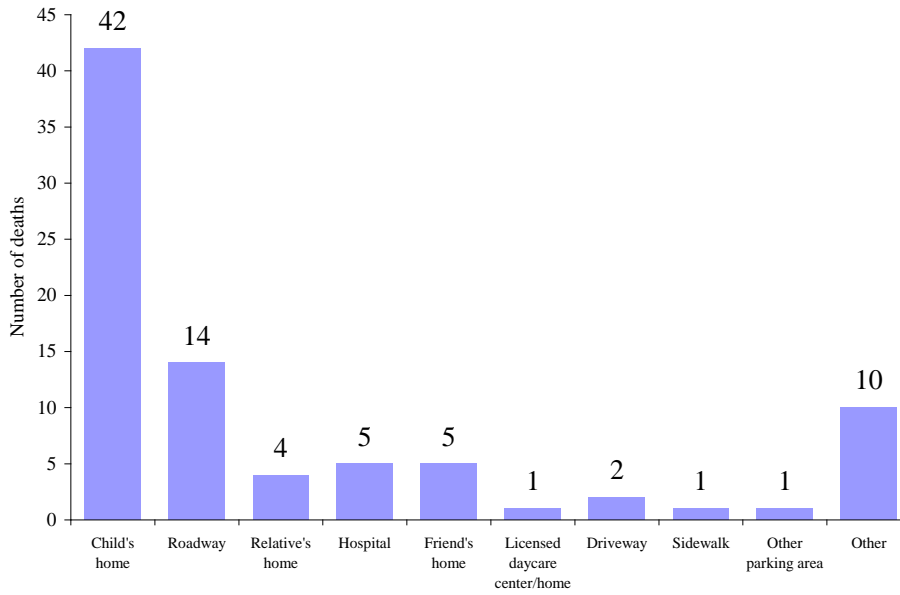
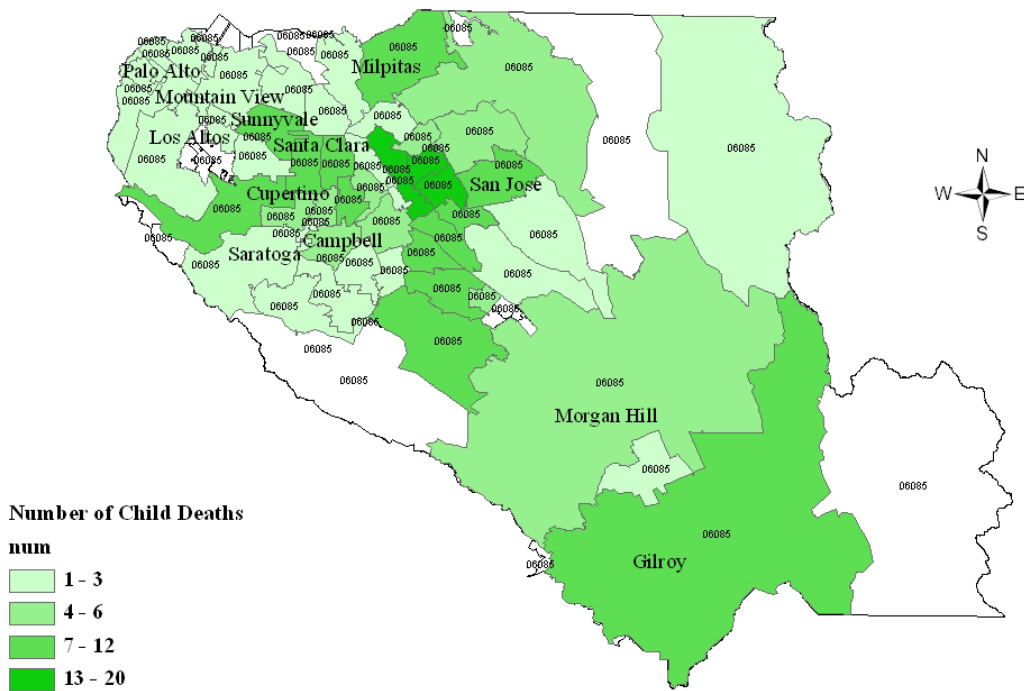


Figure 9.

Child Deaths Reviewed Santa Clara County, Child Death Review, 2001-2007



Notes: There were a total of 315 child deaths reviewed between 2001 and 2007. Twenty-three child deaths were not mapped due to missing information or out of county zip codes. Areas with no color indicate that the Child Death Review Team did not review child deaths from these zip codes.
Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review Team, 2001-2007

Figure 10.

Medical Examiner/Coroner's Manner of Death of Child Deaths from Autopsy Report, 2006-2007

	Frequency	Percent	Frequency	Percent
	2006		2007	
Natural	12	31%	11	24%
Accident	12	31%	19	42%
Undetermined	11	28%	3	7%
Homicide	3	8%	9	20%
Suicide	1	3%	3	7%
Total	39	100%	45	100%

Figure 11.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007

Santa Clara County Child Death Review Team (CDRT) Classification as Compared to the Medical Examiner/Coroner's Manner of Death, 2006-2007

CDRT Classifications	Official Manner of Death					Total
	Natural	Accident	Suicide	Homicide	Undetermined	
Natural Medical	19	1	0	0	3	23
Accident	0	13	0	0	0	13
Inadequate Caretaking Skills	1	6	0	0	8	15
Homicide	0	2	0	12	0	14
Neglect	2	2	0	0	2	6
Adolescent High-Risk Behavior	0	7	0	0	0	7
SIDS	1	0	0	0	0	1
Suicide	0	0	4	0	0	4
Undetermined	0	0	0	0	1	1
Total	23	31	4	12	14	84

Figure 12.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007

Child Deaths Resulting from Injuries, 2006-2007

	Frequency		Percent	
	2006		2007	
Motor vehicle and other transport	9	23%	5	11%
Drowning	3	8%	2	4%
Suffocation or strangulation	1	3%	2	4%
Weapon, including body part	1	3%	6	13%
Poisoning	1	3%		
Animal bite or attack			1	2%
Fall or crush			1	2%
Fire, burn, or electrocution			1	2%
Undetermined	3	8%	1	2%
Other	3	8%	11	24%
Total	21	100%		

Figure 13.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007

Child Deaths from a Medical Condition, 2006-2007

	Frequency		Percent	
	2006		2007	
Other medical condition	7	18%	8	18%
Pneumonia	2	5%		
Prematurity			2	4%
SIDS	1	3%		
Cardiovascular	1	3%		
Congenital anomaly	1	3%	1	2%
Other infection	1	3%		
Other perinatal condition	1	3%	2	4%
Undetermined medical cause	1	3%		
Unknown	2	5%		
Total	17	100%	13	100%

Figure 14.

Source: Santa Clara County Child Death Review, 2006-2007