

Examples of Children Services Cases

A sibling group of four, whose mother would not protect them from sexual abuse, are multi need due to abuse and neglect. One suffers from developmental delays due to not being fed. Drug use and poor pre-natal care are thought to have contributed to birth defects in the baby. The six year old feels responsible for the younger siblings and sees herself as the parent.

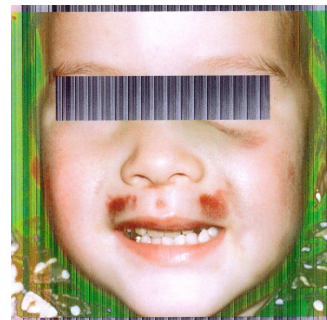
Cost of care and treatment for one month for this sibling group averages \$5,200.00

A developmentally delayed child was so severely neglected that she suffered permanent physical harm. Parents did not supervise the child or meet her needs. Consequently she was sexually abused and suffered permanent hearing loss because her constant ear infections went untreated. She is now emotionally disturbed and residential treatment has been recommended.

Cost of care and treatment for one month for this child would average \$4,800.00

A child was removed from his home due to physical abuse and poor supervision. He was beaten by his father and not protected by his mother. He has suffered and has severe behavior issues. This child is 11 years of age and has tried several times to commit suicide. He has self-injurious behaviors and is very aggressive towards others. He has been aggressive with several of his previous foster families' children and currently is in a facility where he is monitored 24 hours a day. He has made progress but is not yet ready for a regular or therapeutic foster home.

Cost of care and treatment for one month for this child averages \$11,900.00



**If we don't care for these children,
who will?**

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