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## Newborn/Infant Abductions

The following list includes all USA cases *documented* by NCMEC, IAHSS and FBI-NCAVC concerning the **Abductions by Non-Family Members from healthcare facilities, homes, and "other places" of Newborns/Infants (birth to 6 months)**. *Definition*: Non-Family members = not parents nor legal guardians. *Comparison data*: approximately 4.3 million births in USA yearly at more than 3,500 birthing facilities.

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<b>TOTAL - Abductions of Infants from 1983-2009:</b>	<b>267</b>	<u>2009</u> 11
TOTAL - <i>Still Missing</i> :	12	-

<u>Abductions from:</u>	<u>1983-2009:</u>	<u>Case Status:</u>	
<b>HEALTHCARE FACILITIES:</b>	<b>127 (48%)</b>	Located = 121	3
		Missing = 6	-
From Mother's room:	73 (58%)		2
From Nursery:	17 (13%)		-
From Pediatrics:	17 (13%)		-
From "On premises":	20 (16%)		1
With violence to Mother/care-giver:	10 (8%)		
(8 "On premises"; 2 Nursery to RN)			
<b>HOMES:</b>	<b>105 (39%)</b>	Located = 101	6
		Missing = 4	-
With violence to Mother:	31 (30%)	(1 baby deceased)	
<b>"OTHER PLACES":</b>	<b>35 (13%)</b>	Located = 33	2
		Missing = 2	-
With violence to Mother:	9 (26%)		

Notes:

1991 = 17 abductions (all recovered unharmed).  
**(11 from Healthcare facilities) [baseline]**

1995 = 8 abductions (all recovered unharmed).  
**(2 from Healthcare facilities - 82% reduction)**

1999 = 3 abductions (all recovered unharmed).  
**(ZERO from Healthcare facilities period for 17 months - 100% reduction)**

2000 = 13 abductions (12 recovered unharmed, 1 deceased).  
**(5 from Healthcare facilities; 4 recovered unharmed, 1 deceased)**

2001 = 13 abductions (12 recovered unharmed, 1 missing).  
**(2 from Healthcare facilities, both recovered unharmed)**

2002 = **2<sup>nd</sup> ZERO from Healthcare facilities period for 17 months.**

2003 = 6 abductions (5 recovered unharmed, 1 deceased)  
**(1 from Healthcare facility, recovered unharmed)**

2004 = 6 abductions (all recovered unharmed).  
**(2 from Healthcare facility, recovered unharmed)**

2005 = 5 abductions (all recovered unharmed).  
**(3<sup>rd</sup> ZERO from Healthcare facilities period for 20 months)**

2006 = 12 abductions (11 recovered unharmed, 1 missing).  
**(4 from Healthcare facilities: 3 recovered unharmed, 1 missing)**

2007 = 4 abductions (all recovered unharmed).  
**(2 from Healthcare facilities: recovered unharmed)**

2008 = 5 abductions (all recovered unharmed).  
**(2 from Healthcare facilities: recovered unharmed)**

2009 = 11 abductions (all recovered unharmed).  
**(3 from Healthcare facilities: recovered unharmed)**

Other Offices  
 California  
 Florida  
 Kansas City  
 New York  
 South Carolina  
 Texas

INFANT ABDUCTION BY STATE, FROM 1983 TO 2009

AS OF 01/01/2010

STATE	# CASES	HOSP	HOME	OTHER	STATE	# CASES	HOSP	HOME	OTHER
AL	3	1	1	1	MT	1	-	1	-
AR	3	2	1		NV	1	1	-	-
AZ	4	1	2	1	NH	1	1	-	-
CA	34	15	14	5	NJ	6	3	2	1
CO	6	2	3	1	NM	4	2	2	-
CT	2	2	-	-	NY	10	7	2	1
DC	6	1	4	1	NC	4	2	1	1
DE	1	-	1	-	OH	10	4	6	-
FL	20	10	9	1	OK	4	2	1	1
GA	9	8	1	-	OR	3	-	1	2
IL	16	9	7	-	PA	8	3	3	2
IN	2	1	1	-	PR	4	2	1	1
IA	1	-	-	1	RI	1	1	-	-
KS	3	2	1	-	SC	7	-	4	3
KY	3	2	1	-	SD	1	-	1	-
ME	1	1	-	-	TN	6	5	1	-
MD	10	4	4	2	TX	35	15	14	6
MA	3	-	2	1	UT	2	1	-	1
MI	6	4	2	-	VA	8	4	4	-
MN	1	-	-	1	WA	4	2	1	1
MS	3	2	1	-	WV	1	1	-	-
MO	7	3	4	-	WI	2	1	1	-

[re: Total **Abducted Newborns**: 66-Hispanic, 111-Black, 80-White, 3-Asian, 2-American Indian, 5-Biracial]

[re: Total Newborns *Still Missing*: 4-Hispanic, 7-Black, 1 White]

[re: Total **Abductors**: 50-Hispanic, 110-Black, 99-White, 7-Unknown, 1-Asian]