Table 4.08-- CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT REPORTS: 1975 TO 2023

[Number of reports accepted for investigation. A child is counted each time he/she was found to be a victim. There may be several reports for one child or several children in one report. Data prior to 2000 were based on report date, while data from 2000 onward were based on disposition date. The disposition date is the date the report was confirmed]

Year	Reported	Confirmed	Year	Reported	Confirmed
1975	914	423	2000	6,184	3,533
1976	1,325	634	2001	7,210	3,930
1977	1,794	841	2002	7,318	3,744
1978	1,845	1,110	2003	7,835	3,868
1979	2,290	1,109	2004	6,823	3,396
1980	2,106	1,059	2005	5,207	2,645
1981	2,360	1,137	2006	3,974	1,928
1982	2,685	1,379	2007	4,690	2,082
1983	3,635	1,621	2008	4,628	1,850
1984	4,388	2,180	2009	5,939	2,174
1985	4,359	2,391	2010	4,199	1,575
1986	4,900	2,629	2011	3,751	1,424
1987	4,741	2,555	2012	3,948	1,392
1988	3,893	2,315	2013	3,752	1,329
1989	4,054	2,386	2014	3,681	1,406
1990	4,407	2,392	2015	3,747	1,568
1991	4,365	2,318	2016	3,626	1,355
1992	4,568	2,485	2017	3,702	1,297
1993	4,753	2,411	2018	4,231	1,296
1994	5,186	2,334	2019	4,697	1,387
1995	4,984	2,317	2020	5,389	1,276
1996	4,775	2,268	2021	5,820	1,495
1997	5,235	2,531	2022	5,848	1,270
1998	4,762	2,242	2023	4,269	788
1999	5,962	2,935			

Source: Hawaii State Department of Human Services, Audit, Quality Control and Research Office, *A Statistical Report on Child Abuse and Neglect in Hawaii* (annual) https://humanservices.hawaii.gov/reports/child-abuse-neglect-reports/ accessed May 20, 2025.