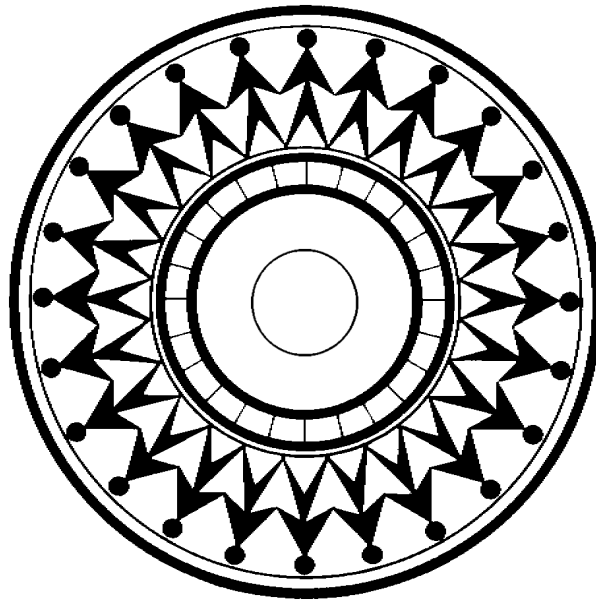


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Purpose of the 1999 User's Guide Supplement

The *NCANDS DCDC User's Guide Annual Supplement, 1999* is intended for use with the *National Child Abuse and Neglect Data System (NCANDS) Detailed Case Data Component User's Guide and Codebook*. The *User's Guide* contains a general overview of the NCANDS project and detailed descriptions of the variables contained in the J and K files. This *Supplement* contains information specific to the 1999 NCANDS files, *DCDC99_J* and *DCDC99_K*. There are four sections presented in the following order:

- a table indicating whether a state archived data in the years 1995 through 1999
- a table of the total number of records in the *DCDC99_J* and *DCDC99_K* files by state
- counts of the *DCDC99_J* and *DCDC99_K* variables by state
- additional data considerations, if any, conclude the document

History of State Submissions to NCANDS

States began submitting Summary Data Components in 1990 and Detailed Case Data Components in 1995. Black squares in the table cells below indicate years in which individual states submitted DCDCs and gave permission for the data to be contributed to NDACAN.

Table 1. DCDC Archiving States, 1995-1999

STATE	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
<i>Arkansas</i>					■
<i>Colorado</i>	■	■	■	■	
<i>Delaware</i>	■	■		■	■
<i>Florida</i>	■	■	■	■	■
<i>Kentucky</i>	■		■	■	■
<i>Louisiana</i>				■	■
<i>Massachusetts</i>	■	■	■		
<i>Missouri</i>	■				■
<i>North Carolina</i>	■	■		■	■
<i>Oklahoma</i>		■	■	■	■
<i>Rhode Island</i>			■	■	■
<i>Texas</i>	■			■	■
<i>Utah</i>	■	■	■	■	■
<i>Vermont</i>	■	■	■	■	■
<i>Washington</i>					■
<i>Wyoming</i>			■	■	■
TOTAL	10 states	8 states	9 states	12 states	14 states

Please note that some states submit DCDC data, but do not permit these data to be archived with NDACAN. Therefore, these states are not included in the datasets.

1999 File Names and Record Counts

Fourteen states submitted J and K files in 1999. The combined *DCDC99_J* file contains 14 variables and includes information about all reports of *alleged* maltreatment and all the children involved in these reports. All child fatalities have been excluded from the file. The unit of observation in the file is a report/child pair. There may be, therefore, more than one report per child in the file or more than one child per report. See the *Report and Child Identification Codes* in the *NCANDS User's Guide and Codebook* for more information.

The *DCDC99_K* file contains 62 variables and includes information about all reports of *substantiated* or *indicated* maltreatment, and descriptive information about all the child victims in these reports. All child fatalities have been excluded from the file. The unit of observation consists of a report/child pair.

Table 2. Details of the 1999 NCANDS DCDC

State	J File Record Count		K File Record Count
<i>Arkansas</i>	24,674		7,445
<i>Delaware</i>	9,492		2,200
<i>Florida</i>	151,885		70,102
<i>Kentucky</i>	59,836		17,251
<i>Louisiana</i>	37,077		10,029
<i>Missouri</i>	63,578		8,435
<i>North Carolina</i>	114,278		31,236
<i>Oklahoma</i>	57,871		14,808
<i>Rhode Island</i>	12,439		3,932
<i>Texas</i>	180,145		42,466
<i>Utah</i>	26,429		8,658
<i>Vermont</i>	2,902		1,175
<i>Washington</i>	39,563		8,127
<i>Wyoming</i>	3,298		1,200
<i>TOTAL</i>	783,467		227,064

1999 J File Variable Counts By State

The first column in the following table contains the names of the variables in the J file. Please refer to the *NCANDS User's Guide and Codebook* for more information about specific variables. Subsequent columns contain the number of records with non-missing values for the variable in the state identified in the column heading. The first row, which appears in bold italic, indicates the maximum number of records for the state. Reviewing the table before attempting an NCANDS analysis can be useful. For example, looking down Louisiana's column, it is apparent that the state did not submit information about the child's race (CHRRACE) in 1999.

DCDC99_J Variable Counts By State

	AR	DE	FL	KY	LA	MO	NC	OK	RI	TX	UT	VT	WA	WY
<i>No. of Records</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,278	57,871	12,439	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>YSRPTID</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,278	57,871	12,439	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>YSCHID</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,278	57,871	12,439	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>RPTDT</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,278	57,871	12,439	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>RPDISPDT</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,278	57,871	12,439	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>RPTDISP</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	59,836	37,068	63,578	114,278	57,871	12,439	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>RPTSRC</i>	24,674	8,491	151,885	47,792	37,077	63,570	114,278	57,871	12,144	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,296
<i>CHAGE</i>	24,674	9,492	151,186	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,278	57,871	12,417	179,898	26,320	2,902	38,202	3,294
<i>CHSEX</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,277	57,871	12,426	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>CHRRACE</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	56,946	0	63,578	114,278	57,748	592	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>CHISP</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,278	57,871	10,383	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>CHPRIOR</i>	24,674	9,492	0	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,278	57,871	12,439	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298
<i>NOTIFS</i>	24,674	745	151,885	59,836	0	0	114,278	0	12,439	180,145	26,429	2,902	0	3,298
<i>FLVICTIM</i>	24,674	9,492	151,885	59,836	37,077	63,578	114,278	57,871	12,439	180,145	26,429	2,902	39,563	3,298

1999 K File Variable Counts By State

The first column in the following table contains the names of the variables in the K file. Please refer to the *NCANDS User's Guide and Codebook* for more information about specific variables. Subsequent columns contain the number of records with non-missing values for the variable in the state identified in the column heading. The first row, which appears in bold italic, indicates the maximum number of records for the state. Reviewing the table before attempting an NCANDS analysis can be useful. For example, looking down Florida's column, it is apparent that the state did not submit a number of variables in 1999.

DCDC99_K Variable Counts By State

<i>No. of Records</i>	AR	DE	FL	KY	LA	MO	NC	OK	RI	TX	UT	VT	WA	WY
7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200	
YSRPTID	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
YSCHID	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
RPTDT	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
RPTDISPDT	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
RPTDISP	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
RPTSRC	7,445	2,033	70,102	13,659	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,822	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
CHAGE	7,445	2,200	70,026	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,928	42,428	8,648	1,175	7,950	1,198
CHSEX	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,235	14,808	3,930	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
CHRACE	7,445	2,200	70,102	16,727	0	8,435	31,236	14,781	153	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
CHISP	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,411	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
CHPRIOR	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
POSTSERV	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	994	1,200
SERVDATE	2,385	1,150	70,056	9,334	5,516	4,508	17,878	6,180	2,182	16,443	0	439	994	317
FAMSUP	0	938	70,102	17,251	10,029	0	31,236	0	3,932	42,466	8,658	0	363	1,200
FAMPRES	0	938	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	359	1,200
FOSTERCR	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	807	1,200
RMVDATE	702	77	0	2,999	2,443	1,829	0	5,597	654	6,383	1,123	335	807	393
JUVPET	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	8,369	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	360	1,200
PETDATE	496	48	0	56	778	0	0	1,956	1,340	1,064	0	0	360	115
C_MAL_CN	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
FL_CVPHY	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
C_PHYDIS	1,811	451	16,723	5,293	2,654	2,003	1,044	5,033	1,081	15,741	1,793	246	2,242	357
FL_CVNEG	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
C_NEGDIS	3,820	894	32,666	11,486	7,864	4,317	28,242	12,007	2,931	26,743	3,286	478	5,865	773
FL_CVMED	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
C_MEDDIS	342	48	2,282	0	0	203	709	711	105	2,966	135	20	449	25
FL_CVSEX	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
C_SEXDIS	2,111	246	5,278	1,419	812	2,086	1,033	1,296	328	7,764	1,839	488	765	100
FL_CVPSY	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
C_PSYDIS	71	433	3,082	1,003	583	144	93	2,050	14	2,098	4,061	11	845	13

1999 K File Variable Counts by State (cont.)

	AR	DE	FL	KY	LA	MO	NC	OK	RI	TX	UT	VT	WA	WY
<i>FL_CVOTH</i>	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
<i>C_OTHDIS</i>	112	317	43,357	0	6	519	115	0	292	995	3	0	39	14
<i>FL_CVUNK</i>	7,445	2,200	70,102	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	8,127	1,200
<i>C_UNKDIS</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	394	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>CDPROBFL</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	8,435	31,236	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	1,175	32	1,200
<i>CDALCDRU</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	8,435	0	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>CDPHYSME</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	31,236	14,808	2,398	42,466	8,658	1,175	32	1,200
<i>CDALC</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>CDDRUG</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	8,435	0	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>CDRTRD</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	2,246	42,466	8,658	1,175	8	1,200
<i>CDEMOTNL</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	31,236	14,808	2,246	42,466	8,658	1,175	3	1,200
<i>CDVISUAL</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	31,236	14,808	2,246	42,466	8,658	1,175	2	1,200
<i>CDLEARN</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	31,236	14,808	2,246	42,466	8,658	1,175	3	1,200
<i>CDPHYS</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	31,236	14,808	2,246	42,466	8,658	1,175	9	1,200
<i>CDBEHAV</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	31,236	14,808	1,309	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>CDMEDICL</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	31,236	0	2,246	42,466	8,658	1,175	13	1,200
<i>FCPROBFL</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	8,435	0	14,808	3,932	42,466	8,658	0	851	1,200
<i>FCALCDRU</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	3,317	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCPHYSME</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	0	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCALC</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	3,317	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCDRUG</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	1,309	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCRTRD</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	0	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCEMOTNL</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	0	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCVISUAL</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	0	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCLLEARN</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	0	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCPHYS</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	14,808	0	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCMEDICL</i>	7,445	0	0	17,251	10,029	0	0	0	0	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCYIOL</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	0	8,435	0	0	3,932	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCHOUSE</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	0	8,435	0	0	1,309	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCMONEY</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	0	8,435	0	0	1,910	42,466	8,658	0	0	1,200
<i>FCPUBLIC</i>	7,445	2,200	0	17,251	10,023	8,435	0	14,808	2,232	42,466	8,658	0	851	1,200