



National Child Protection Authority

Child Abuse and Other child related complaints reported to NCPA by category - (Year 2023.01.01 to 2023.12.31)

No	Type of Abuse	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
1	353 - Abduction	19	17	27	16	20	21	16	11	14	10	24	22	217
2	288 - Begging	21	32	24	17	36	38	28	21	25	30	27	24	323
3	CYPO 35 - in need of Care & Protection	159	169	294	140	246	213	225	204	185	224	208	259	2526
4	Child Labor	8	11	18	9	23	17	19	14	15	15	19	13	181
5	Compulsory Education	120	82	184	100	161	196	209	147	183	181	202	157	1922
6	308A - Cruelty	130	149	252	142	220	197	202	185	170	182	217	192	2238
7	365B - Grave Sexual Abuse	37	27	47	22	31	40	37	31	24	31	39	37	403
8	311 - Grievous Hurt	22	26	26	21	23	22	23	18	19	28	21	17	266
9	360 B - Sexual Exploitation	1	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	8
10	360D - Offences related to Adoption	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
11	364A - Incest	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	7
12	363 - Rape	9	4	5	3	5	4	7	1	5	1	3	3	50
13	Juvenile Delinquency	15	18	29	32	35	34	34	33	12	25	27	16	310
14	352 - Kidnapping from lawful guardianship	2	3	2	5	7	4	3	7	8	6	1	10	58
15	360C - Trafficking	1	2	1	3	2	4	5	2	5	1	5	1	32
16	360A - Procreation	0	3	0	0	2	1	1	2	1	2	3	5	20
17	288B - Restricted Articles/Drugs	5	4	1	2	0	3	2	3	0	2	1	4	27
18	345 - Sexual Harassment	44	32	38	22	52	42	46	30	33	43	39	48	469
19	288A - Hiring or employing children to act as procures for sexual intercourse.	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	9
20	310 - Cause hurt	9	7	29	17	16	23	19	7	15	6	7	11	166
21	351 - Kidnapping from Sri Lanka	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
22	356 - Kidnapping or abducting with intent secretly and wrongfully to confine a person	1	0	2	0	1	5	0	0	1	0	1	0	11
23	CYPO 71 – Neglect of children,Crualty	51	31	79	21	23	19	17	8	34	47	32	21	383
24	CYPO 20 – Prohibition of publication of certain matters	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
25	CYPO 72- seduction or prostitution of girl under 16y	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	1	9
26	CYPO 76 - sale of tobacco to person under 16 years	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	4
27	CYPO 77 - preventing children from receiving education	1	0	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	8
28	286 - A- Obscene Publications	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	6

29	358A - Serfdom, Slavery, Child Soldiers	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
30	365 A - Gross Indecency	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
31	286 - C- Duty to inform of use of premises for child abuse	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
32	360E – Soliciting a Child	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
33	365 C - Publication of Sexual Abuse	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
34	CYPO 11 - Restrictions on reports of proceedings in juvenile courts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Total		663	620	1068	575	914	888	899	728	753	839	880	846	9673

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Child Abuse and Other child related offence wise (Miscellaneous Category) - (Year 2023.01.01 to 2023.12.31)

No	Type of Abuse	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
1	Child Marriages	4	4	3	1	7	6	0	3	5	2	1	3	39
2	Cyber Bulling (threatening using nude photos)	12	11	12	10	17	15	14	16	11	12	10	10	150
3	Domestic Violence	9	4	6	2	5	6	4	1	2	3	2	2	46
4	other (specify)	63	76	65	60	65	57	65	54	46	48	49	43	691
5	Abortion	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
6	Attempt to commit suicide	2	0	2	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	2	8	25
7	Need Counseling/psycho-social support	17	27	41	19	41	35	36	32	37	45	63	61	454
8	Access for children	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
9	Drug Abuse	9	7	5	8	12	11	14	14	6	10	16	13	125
10	Inability to send to school due to financial or other reasons	1	1	2	1	0	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	10
11	Migration Leaving Behind Bellow 5 Year old Children	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
12	Misbehavior	1	4	5	1	4	3	2	0	3	2	0	1	26
13	online education issues	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
14	Request Educational support	1	4	0	0	1	3	2	0	1	0	1	0	13
15	Teenage Pregnancy	1	1	5	2	2	5	4	5	7	6	9	6	53
16	Violent Behavior	1	2	9	2	4	3	0	0	3	0	2	1	27
17	No Birth Certificates	0	2	7	1	4	7	3	1	3	4	3	2	37
18	Refuse to go to school	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	6
19	Police Assult and detention	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	3
Total		125	144	164	109	165	156	145	132	128	136	160	150	1714

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Child Abuse and Other child related complaints reported to NCPA by Districts - (Year 2023.01.01 to 2023.12.31)

No	District	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
1	Ampara	20	17	22	11	21	22	16	13	18	29	23	25	237
2	Anuradapura	34	47	59	32	50	53	44	46	31	46	39	40	521
3	Badulla	16	21	28	16	23	18	22	18	24	19	23	18	246
4	Baticoloa	12	15	15	12	14	24	12	12	9	21	15	17	178
5	Colombo	112	100	143	75	111	112	97	78	86	98	87	75	1174
6	Galle	42	29	54	30	50	38	62	42	32	52	55	55	541
7	Gampaha	74	73	92	54	96	90	79	68	61	74	76	70	907
8	Hambanthota	24	30	40	16	36	34	43	31	32	30	40	37	18
9	Jaffna	10	13	6	7	18	14	13	5	10	14	18	10	138
10	Kaluthara	48	32	70	28	51	51	36	54	39	48	56	35	548
11	Kandy	39	24	53	33	37	38	36	28	30	28	43	35	424
12	Kagalle	23	32	29	15	24	13	25	17	25	27	32	31	293
13	Kilinochchi	2	3	6	4	4	8	4	3	3	7	6	2	52
14	Kurunagala	47	56	96	47	74	76	69	52	78	52	61	52	760
15	Mannar	1	3	8	4	4	2	4	6	2	6	4	6	50
16	Matale	15	14	25	10	16	16	16	16	15	17	18	15	193
17	Matara	39	15	25	17	28	28	34	23	27	24	27	28	315
18	Monaragala	12	23	37	20	24	18	33	33	28	29	14	20	291
19	Mulathivu	6	5	8	3	7	9	6	7	8	8	8	7	82
20	NuwaraEliya	9	12	23	10	15	24	20	16	14	10	18	13	184
21	Polonnaruwa	17	18	28	26	33	28	25	22	29	12	22	23	283
22	Puttalama	34	30	34	30	43	28	48	30	32	34	29	24	396
23	Rathnapura	43	44	67	50	51	57	50	53	37	48	53	45	598
24	Trncomali	13	13	6	13	11	8	15	7	10	4	16	17	133
25	Vavuniya	6	6	6	6	12	3	3	2	3	4	7	7	65
26	Unknown	63	28	46	25	45	48	26	28	20	26	20	59	434
Total		761	703	1026	594	898	860	838	710	703	767	810	766	9436

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