

**Table 4.17-- CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT REPORTS, BY DISTRICT,
HAWAII COUNTY: 1997 AND 1998**

Year and district	Reported	Confirmed	Rate (%)
1998			
Hawaii County	1,195	459	38.4
South Hilo	199	81	40.7
North Hilo	12	3	25.0
Hamakua	19	6	31.6
North Kohala	4	3	75.0
South Kohala	151	46	30.5
North Kona	262	129	49.2
South Kona	88	50	56.8
Kau	78	6	7.7
Puna	282	99	35.1
Unspecified	100	36	36.0
1997			
Hawaii County	1,659	760	45.8
South Hilo	404	206	51.0
North Hilo	-	-	-
Hamakua	36	15	41.7
North Kohala	29	15	51.7
South Kohala	170	60	35.3
North Kona	374	180	48.1
South Kona	100	42	42.0
Kau	42	13	31.0
Puna	382	180	47.1
Unspecified	122	49	40.2

Source: Hawaii State Department of Human Services, Management Services Office, A Statistical Report on Child Abuse and Neglect in Hawaii, 1998.