

Table 1) The absolute and relative frequency of children's demographic characteristics (numbers in parentheses are percentages)

Demographic variables	2015	2016	Total
Age			
Less than 36 months (less than 3 years)	4 (10.0)	3 (6.8)	7 (8.3)
37 to 72 months (3 to 6 years)	11 (27.5)	11 (25.0)	22 (26.2)
73 to 108 months (6 to 9 years)	6 (15.0)	14 (31.8)	20 (23.8)
109 to 144 months (9 to 12 years)	14 (35.0)	8 (18.2)	22 (26.2)
145 months and more (over 12 years)	5 (12.5)	8 (18.2)	13 (15.5)
Gender			
Girl	18 (45.0)	22 (50.0)	40 (47.6)
Boy	22 (55.0)	22 (50.0)	44 (52.4)
Total	40 (100)	44 (100)	84 (100)

Table 2) Absolute and relative frequency of information provided by the child or companion at the referral to the forensic medicine (numbers in parentheses are percentages)

Provided information	2015	2016	Total
Company			
Mother	13 (65.0)	22 (81.5)	35 (74.5)
Father	5 (25.0)	5 (18.5)	10 (21.3)
Others	2 (10.0)	0	2 (4.2)
Total	20 (100)	27 (100)	47 (100)
Not mentioned	20 (50.0)	17 (38.6)	37 (44.0)
Attacker			
Mother	1 (5.3)	3 (12.5)	4 (9.3)
Father	12 (63.1)	9 (37.5)	21 (48.8)
Stepmother or stepfather	3 (15.8)	10 (41.7)	13 (30.2)
Others	3 (15.8)	2 (8.3)	5 (11.6)
Total	19 (100)	24 (100)	43 (100)
Not mentioned	21 (52.5)	20 (45.5)	41 (48.8)
The time between the dispute and the referral			
24 hours and less	6 (20.0)	2 (6.5)	8 (13.1)
24 to 72 hours (1 to 3 days)	11 (36.7)	19 (61.3)	30 (49.2)
4-6 days	10 (33.3)	4 (12.9)	14 (23.0)
7-10 days	2 (6.7)	3 (9.7)	5 (8.2)
Over 10 days	1 (3.3)	3 (9.7)	4 (6.5)
Total	30 (100)	31 (100)	61 (100)
Not mentioned	10 (25.0)	13 (29.5)	23 (27.4)

Table 3) The absolute and relative frequency of injury characteristics according to the physician's examination (numbers in parentheses are percentages)

Characteristics of injuries	2015	2016	Total
Time of occurrence			
Last 1 to 2 days	6 (15.0)	4 (9.1)	10 (11.9)
Last 2 to 3 days	10 (25.0)	13 (29.6)	23 (27.4)
Last 3 to 5 days	12 (30.0)	13 (29.6)	25 (29.8)
Last 5 to 7 days	5 (12.5)	6 (13.6)	11 (13.1)
Last 7 to 10 days	3 (7.5)	3 (6.8)	6 (7.1)
Last 2-3 weeks	0	2 (4.5)	2 (2.4)
More than 3 weeks	4 (10.0)	3 (6.8)	7 (8.3)
Total	40 (100)	44 (100)	84 (100)
Cause of occurrence ¹			
Hard object	35 (83.3)	27 (61.4)	62 (72.1)
Edged/sharpened hard objects	4 (9.5)	6 (13.6)	10 (11.6)
Hot object/hot water	3 (7.1)	11 (25.0)	14 (16.3)
Total	42 (100)	44 (100)	86 (100)
Type of injury ²			
Bruising / bruising/redness/inflammation	33 (55.0)	29 (42.0)	62 (48.1)
Injuries (scratching/Harese/Damie)	21 (35.0)	22 (31.9)	43 (33.3)
Burns/blisters	4 (6.7)	11 (15.9)	15 (11.6)
Swelling	2 (3.3)	7 (10.1)	9 (7.0)
Total	60 (100)	69 (100)	129 (100)
Injured limb ²			
Face (ears, eyes, nose, lips, cheeks, chin, forehead)	30 (26.1)	30 (28.8)	60 (27.4)
Upper limbs	29 (25.2)	32 (30.8)	61 (27.8)
Lower limbs	26 (22.6)	17 (16.3)	43 (19.6)
Trunk (shoulders, chest, sides, abdomen, armpits)	20 (17.4)	21 (20.2)	41 (18.7)
Head and neck	9 (7.8)	4 (3.8)	13 (5.9)
Anus	1 (0.9)	0	1 (0.4)
Total	115 (100)	104 (100)	219 (100)

1) In some cases, the cause of occurrence was more than one case.

2) The number of cases of the type of injury and the injured limb is more than the number of cases each year, because each child may have several limbs and several injured parts.

Table 4) The absolute and relative frequency of the registered injured limb according to the examination by the physician by type of injury (numbers in parentheses are percentages)

Injured limb	Bruising	Scratching	Burns	Swelling	Pain	Total
Face (ears, eyes, nose, lips, cheeks, chin, forehead)	34 (41.5)	26 (31.7)	7 (8.5)	4 (4.9)	11 (13.4)	82 (100)
Trunk (shoulders, chest, sides, abdomen, armpits)	22 (47.8)	15 (32.6)	3 (6.5)	1 (2.2)	5 (10.9)	46 (100)
Upper limbs	28 (43.1)	23 (35.4)	10 (15.3)	2 (3.1)	2 (3.1)	65 (100)
Lower limbs	24 (52.3)	13 (28.3)	5 (10.8)	2 (4.3)	2 (4.3)	46 (100)
Total	108 (45.2)	77 (32.2)	25 (10.5)	9 (3.7)	20 (8.4)	239 (100)