



## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

### ADMINISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

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Case No. 23-F-0028

July 18, 2023

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The Data Liberation Project

via email: [jsvine@gmail.com](mailto:jsvine@gmail.com)

Dear Mr. Singer-Vine:

This is the response to your October 28, 2022, Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) to the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) where you initially sought “all non-PII records collected and/or generated through Forms A-9, A-10A, A-10B, A-10C, and A-10D, M-1, M-3A, M-3B, M-5A, and M-5B”.

In an email dated, March 17, 2023, you narrowed the scope of your request to Forms A-9, A-10B, A-10C, and A-10D.

The Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR) conducted a thorough search of their files and provided the enclosed spreadsheet responsive to your request.

We reasonably foresee that disclosure would harm an interest protected by one or more of the nine exemptions to the FOIA’s general rule of disclosure. Information has been withheld in part or in full pursuant to FOIA exemption 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(6).

The FOIA exemption (b)(6) permits the withholding of records which, if released, would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. In this case, the withheld information consists of UAC ID numbers and those facilities where only three or fewer events occurred. Public disclosure of this information would constitute an invasion of privacy of those individuals whose identifying information was disclosed. In withholding the information, the individual’s privacy interest was balanced against any public interest in disclosure. In each instance where information was withheld, it was determined that the individual’s privacy interests outweighed any public interest in disclosure of the withheld information. Disclosure of the withheld information would invade the privacy of the subject individuals but would reveal nothing about the operations or activities of the government.

You have the right to appeal this determination. By filing an appeal, you preserve your rights under FOIA and give the agency a chance to review and reconsider your request and the agency’s decision. Your appeal must be sent within 90 days from the date of this response to the following link: <https://requests.publiclink.hhs.gov/App/Index.aspx>.

If you would like to discuss our response before filing an appeal to attempt to resolve your dispute without going through the appeals process, please contact Tina Ennis at [Tina.Ennis@acf.hhs.gov](mailto:Tina.Ennis@acf.hhs.gov).

You may also contact the HHS ACF FOIA Public Liaison for assistance at:

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FOIA Public Liaison  
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
Administration for Children and Families  
Office of Communications, Room 4002A  
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If you are unable to resolve your FOIA dispute through our FOIA Public Liaison, the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS), the Federal FOIA Ombudsman's office, offers mediation services to help resolve disputes between FOIA requesters and Federal agencies. The contact information for OGIS is:

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Sincerely,

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