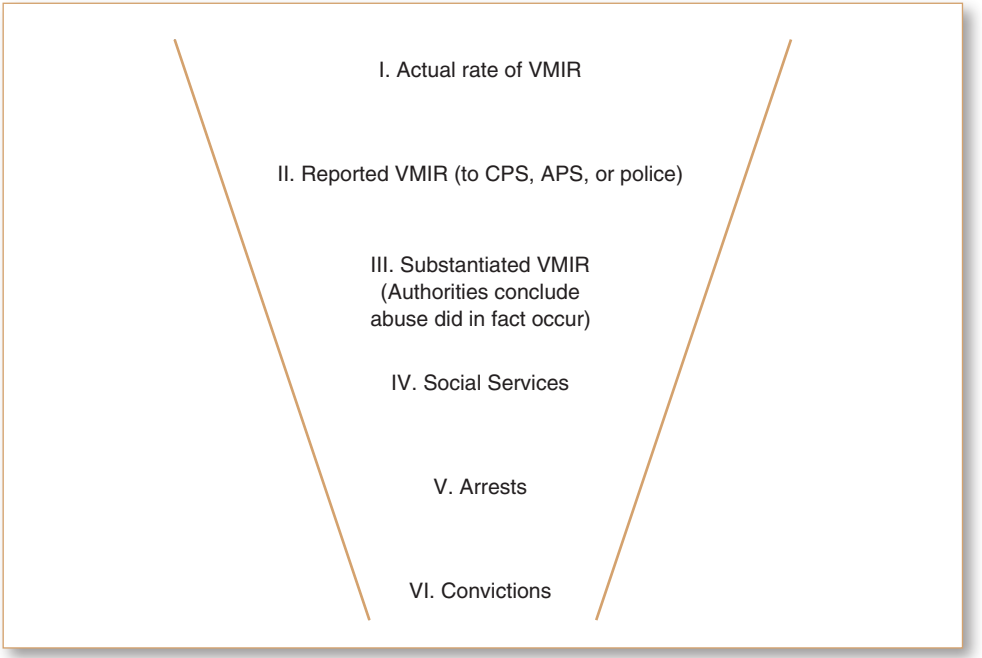Figure 2.1 Problems in Estimating the Amount of VMIR: The VMIR Funnel