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CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES (CPS)

Child maltreatment is a serious problem that has grave and costly consequences for the child, his or her family and the community at-large. A child who has experienced abuse and neglect is more likely to have social, emotional and physical health problems and perform poorly in school.

Indicator		2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		County % Change
indicator	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State	2018 to 2022*
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports Total reported incidents of suspected child abuse and neglect through the ChildLine Registry. (Number and rate per 1,000 children age 0-17)	273 16.0	7,317	44,063 16.6	312 18.3	7,095 29.2	42,252 15.9	263 15.5	5,924 24.3	32,919 12.4	290 17.0	6,701 27.5	38,013 14.3	271 15.9	9,677	39,093	-0.7%
Child Abuse and Neglect Substantiations Founded or indicated reports of child abuse and/or neglect.	7.7%	12.2%	11.6%	5.1%	12.1%	11.5%	14.1%	15.3%	14.0%	14.1%	15.3%	13.2%	12.2%	13.4%	12.8%	58.3%
Repeated Child Abuse and Neglect Children with another substantiated incident of abuse and/or neglect following the first reported incident. (Data may be overstated.)	0.0%	5.1% 1 in 20	5.2% 1 in 19	0.0%	6.3% 1 in 16	5.7% 1 in 18	2.7% 1 in 37	6.9% 1 in 14	6.2% 1 in 16	7.3% 1 in 14	8.6% 1 in 12	6.5% 1 in 15	9.1% 1 in 11	7.3% 1 in 14	6.4% 1 in 16	-
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GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES (GPS)

Reports not alleging abuse of a child are categorized as general protective services (GPS) reports. Addressing concerns related to child safety and well-being before allegations of child abuse or severe neglect are made enables children to remain safely in their own homes while services are provided to the family to mitigate the risk of potential maltreatment.

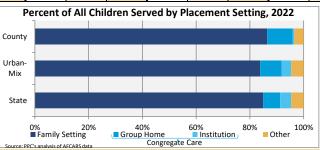
Indicator		2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		County % Change
indicator	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State	2018 to 2022*
GPS Reports Total reported concerns of general neglect, not alleging child abuse.	1,050	29,067	169,723	1,159	31,053	178,124	1,205	27,270	152,478	1,083	28,819	161,709	1,050	40,481	165,295	0.0%
Valid GPS Reports Reports in which the allegations were found to have merit. Includes reports accepted for in-home services and reports referred out to community agencies for services.	13.0%	28.9%	23.6%	17.0%	28.8%	23.5%	32.4%	33.5%	25.6%	38.5%	36.0%	27.1%	30.0%	26.1%	24.2%	129.9%
Children with Valid Allegations Number of children with a valid GPS allegation by valid report. Children may be counted more than once if more than one report was found to have merit.	197	12,422	58,982	315	13,178	60,755	565	13,492	56,999	586	15,143	63,801	463	15,164	57,876	135.0%
		2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		County % Change
	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State	2018 to 2022*
Unduplicated Number of Children Served Children who received in-home services along with parents to address concerns related to child safety and well-being.	226		194,761	385	40,247	187,280	,		>181,435	-		192,594	807		211,150	257.1%

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FOSTER CARE - SERVED

Foster care is meant to be a temporary intervention to assure the safety and well-being of a child. A child who spends long periods in foster care is more likely than other children to drop out of school, have mental health challenges, and experience unemployment and/or homeless as an adult. The following shows the past five years of data regarding children served in foster care during each federal fiscal year.

Indicator		2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		County % Change
Indicator	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State	2018 to 2022*
Unduplicated Number of Children Served																
All Children in Foster Care During the Year	228	3,492	25,441	NA	3,307	24,665	250	2,928	21,689	305	3,077	20,490	287	3,673	19,287	25.9%
(Rate per 1,000 children age 0-20)	11.4	11.9	8.0	10.1	11.3	7.7	12.4	10.0	6.8	15.2	10.5	6.4	14.3	5.3	6.0	
By Age							<u> </u>									
0-2	18.0%	22.1%	20.2%	20.2%	21.9%	20.2%	22.8%	23.6%	20.9%	26.2%	24.9%	21.5%	25.4%	23.8%	21.1%	41.4%
3-5	24.1%	19.6%	17.9%	18.9%	19.2%	17.8%	21.2%	19.9%	17.8%	22.6%	19.9%	18.2%	22.6%	17.9%	18.2%	-6.1%
6-8	14.0%	14.1%	13.4%	13.7%	14.5%	13.8%	13.2%	12.9%	13.5%	16.4%	13.6%	13.7%	16.7%	13.7%	13.7%	19.2%
9-11	10.5%	10.8%	11.8%	9.4%	10.9%	11.7%	7.6%	10.7%	11.7%	7.5%	10.2%	11.3%	<10.2%	10.4%	11.2%	<-3.1%
12-14	11.0%	10.9%	11.8%	12.9%	11.8%	12.3%	<14.1%	11.6%	12.6%	10.5%	11.8%	12.6%	8.7%	12.9%	12.8%	-20.6%
15-17	15.8%	17.7%	18.7%	18.9%	17.7%	18.5%	20.0%	17.5%	17.9%	13.1%	15.3%	16.4%	14.6%	17.4%	18.1%	-7.3%
18-20	6.6%	5.0%	6.3%	6.0%	4.0%	5.6%	S	3.8%	5.6%	3.6%	4.4%	6.4%	S	3.9%	4.9%	_
Infants (age 0-1)	11.4%	13.9%	12.7%	11.6%	13.6%	12.9%	14.0%	15.4%	13.2%	16.7%	16.4%	13.7%	12.9%	15.5%	13.3%	13.1%
Youth (age 13+)	28.1%	30.0%	33.1%	34.3%	29.8%	32.6%	30.8%	29.3%	32.3%	22.6%	27.8%	31.3%	22.6%	30.5%	32.0%	-19.3%
By Race and Ethnicity							ı						l			
Non-Hispanic White	68.9%	73.8%	43.7%	72.1%	73.9%	43.7%	64.0%	74.0%	44.2%	<57.5%	71.7%	44.3%	52.6%	58.0%	45.0%	-23.6%
Non-Hispanic Black or African American	18.4%	9.6%	33.9%	12.4%	8.7%	33.0%	13.2%	8.1%	32.0%	20.0%	9.2%	30.7%	19.9%	12.2%	29.8%	7.8%
Non-Hispanic Other Race	S	1.6%	2.3%	0.9%	1.9%	2.6%	S	3.0%	3.6%	4.9%	3.6%	4.2%	6.3%	4.5%	4.8%	-
Non-Hispanic Two or More Races	11.0%	8.2%	7.1%	11.6%	8.3%	7.7%	16.0%	8.6%	8.0%	15.7%	9.4%	8.4%	<18.9%	12.9%	8.2%	<72.4%
Hispanic or Latino	S	6.7%	13.0%	3.0%	7.1%	12.9%	S	6.4%	12.3%	S	6.1%	12.3%	S	12.5%	12.2%	-
By Sex							ı									
Male	44.7%	52.9%	50.8%	44.6%	52.5%	50.8%	51.6%	53.3%	50.6%	51.1%	52.0%	50.5%	49.5%	51.5%	50.3%	10.6%
Female	55.3%	47.1%	49.2%	55.4%	47.5%	49.2%	48.4%	46.7%	49.4%	48.9%	48.0%	49.5%	50.5%	48.5%	49.7%	-8.6%
By Latest Placement Setting							T									
Family Setting	78.5%	80.9%	81.6%	76.4%	81.4%	82.7%	79.2%	82.9%	83.8%	>82.5%	85.7%	84.8%	>86.1%	83.8%	84.9%	>9.7%
Pre-adoptive Home	0.0%	1.0%	4.5%	0.0%	1.0%	3.8%	0.0%	0.9%	2.9%	0.0%	1.8%	2.3%	S	1.3%	3.5%	- 0.170
Foster Family Home – Relative	23.2%	28.6%	37.1%	24.5%	30.0%	38.7%	29.6%	33.5%	40.8%	>37.3%	37.4%	42.0%	36.2%	35.4%	42.1%	55.9%
Foster Family Home – Non-Relative	55.3%	51.3%	40.1%	51.9%	50.4%	40.3%	49.6%	48.5%	40.1%	45.2%	46.5%	40.5%	49.8%	47.1%	39.3%	-9.8%
Congregate Care Setting	>14.9%	14.0%	14.0%	19.7%	14.2%	12.7%	>17.2%	13.1%	11.5%	>8.9%	10.2%	10.5%	>9.4%	11.5%	10.4%	-
Group Home	14.9%	8.8%	8.5%	15.5%	8.6%	7.7%	17.2%	8.2%	6.7%	8.9%	6.8%	6.4%	9.4%	8.0%	6.3%	-36.9%
Institution	S	5.2%	5.6%	4.3%	5.7%	5.0%	S	4.9%	4.8%	S	3.4%	4.2%	S	3.6%	4.1%	-
Supervised Independent Living	S	0.8%	1.5%	2.6%	0.9%	1.6%	s	<0.7%	1.3%	0.0%	0.5%	1.2%	0.0%	1.1%	1.4%	-
Runaway	0.0%	0.5%	1.4%	0.0%	0.4%	1.4%	0.0%	S	1.9%	0.0%	0.4%	1.7%	S	0.8%	1.5%	-
Trial Home Visit	S	3.8%	1.4%	1.3%	3.0%	1.5%	S	3.1%	1.6%	6.2%	3.3%	1.8%	S	2.8%	1.7%	-
Children Entering Foster Care																
All Entries into Foster Care During the Year	80	1,575	10,095	NA	1,381	9,448	122	1,208	7,286	147	1,386	7,316	66	1,432	7,307	-17.5%
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S = rate suppressed due to count less than 11 persons * County classifications changed with the 2022 data.

2018

Source: PPC's analysis of AFCARS data

2019

2020

2021

2022*

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FOSTER CARE - FIRST TIME ENTRIES

Data on first time entries provides information on children who have just begun their foster care experience during the past federal fiscal year. How the child welfare system is serving them may say something about current system practice and decision making.

By Age	ndicator			2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		County % Change
First Time Entiries During the Year 7			County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State	2018 to 2022*
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Real per 1,000 children as Percent of Al Ethrise 17.00 children as P	First Time Entries	s During the Year	70	1,252	7,626	NA	1,101	7,266	99	979	5,540	130	1,121	5,635	59	1,188	5,394	15 7%
By Age 0-2 31.4% 33.1% 34.4% 31.8% 35.1% 35.1% 35.1% 38.4% 38.3% 38.2% 43.1% 37.5% 38.5% 45.6% 36.3% 30.2% 44.5% 5.2.6% 50.2% 11.4% 15.6% 14.5% 14.6% 19.2% 16.6% 14.5% 19.2% 16.6% 14.7% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% S 14.2% S 14.0% 14.2% S 14.0% S 14.2% S	(Rate per 1,000 cl	hildren age 0-20)	3.5	4.3	2.4	3.8	3.7	2.3	4.9	3.3	1.7	6.5	3.8	1.8	2.9	1.7	1.7	-13.7 70
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By Race and Ethnicity Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic Other Race Non-Hispanic Two or More Races Non-Hispanic Transpare Non	In	nfants (age 0-1)	24.3%		28.0%	23.9%	28.1%	29.1%	29.3%	32.3%		32.3%	30.1%		39.0%	30.6%	29.7%	60.5%
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Pre-adoptive Home Foster Family Home – Relative Foster Family Home – Relative Congregate Care Setting Group Home Institution Supervised Independent Living Runaway Trial Home Visit Children Entering Foster Care Children Entering Foster Care Re-Entries	By First Reported Placeme	ent Setting																
Foster Family Home – Relative Foster Family Home – Non-Relative Store Family Home – Non-Relative Congregate Care Setting Group Home Institution Supervised Independent Living Runaway Trial Home Visit Trial Home Visit Store Store Store Family Home – Non-Relative Store Sto		Family Setting	74.3%	83.4%	83.8%	72.7%	81.4%	85.7%	>76.7%	85.5%	>87.5%	90.0%	>88.7%	>87.5%	>88.0%	>86.8%	86.9%	>18.5%
Foster Family Home – Non-Relative Congregate Care Setting Group Home Institution Supervised Independent Living Runaway Trial Home Visit Children Entering Foster Care First Time Entries First Time Entries First Time Entries First Time Entries Say 43.7% 85.0% 83.4% 85% 85% 81% 88% 89% First Time Entries First Time Entries First Time Entries Say 45.6% 41.7% >66.0% 48.5% 40.1% >66.0% 48.5% 40.1% >84.8% 40.1% >66.0% 48.5% 40.0% 36.0% 3	Pre-	adoptive Home	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	S	S	0.0%	S	0.2%	-
Congregate Care Setting Group Home Institution Supervised Independent Living Runaway Trial Home Visit Children Entering Foster Care Children Entering Foster Care Re-Entries Re-Entrie	Foster Family H	lome – Relative	38.6%	32.3%	39.9%		30.6%	41.6%	31.3%	38.3%	44.3%	51.5%	43.1%	45.8%	22.0%	38.3%	46.6%	-42.9%
Group Home Institution Supervised Independent Living Runaway Trial Home Visit Children Entering Foster Care Children Entering Foster Care Re-Entries Re-Entries Re-Entries Re-Entries Res-Entries Res-Entries	Foster Family Home	 Non-Relative 	35.7%	51.0%	43.7%	46.6%	50.8%	43.7%	>45.4%	47.2%	43.1%	38.5%	45.6%	41.7%	>66.0%	48.5%	40.1%	>84.8%
Institution S	Congrega	ate Care Setting		14.1%	14.3%	27.3%	17.2%	12.7%	>22.2%	13.2%	10.6%	>0.0%	9.5%	10.4%	>0.0%	12.0%	11.1%	-
Supervised Independent Living Runaway Trial Home Visit 0.0%		Group Home	22.9%	9.7%	9.4%	23.9%	10.3%		22.2%	8.7%	7.2%	S	7.3%	7.4%	S	9.6%	7.2%	-
Runaway Trial Home Visit S < 2.3% 1.1% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0		Institution	S	4.4%	4.9%	3.4%	6.9%	4.2%	S	4.5%	3.4%	0.0%	2.2%	3.0%	0.0%	2.4%	4.0%	-
Trial Home Visit S <2.3% 1.1% 0.0% <1.4% 0.6% 0.0% 1.3% 0.9% S 1.5% <1.2% 0.0% S 0.9% NA = Data not current by Age Group and Year of Entry Children Entering Foster Care 80%	Supervised Inde																	-
Children Entering Foster Care 100%				_														-
by Age Group and Year of Entry S = rate suppressed to count less than 11 persons		Trial nome visit	3	<2.3%	1.1%	0.0%	<1.4%	0.6%	0.0%	1.3%	0.9%						0.9%	NA = Data not curren
50% 45% 40% 35% 30% 2019 2020 40% 20% 20% 20% 20% 20% 20% 20% 20% 20% 2			Children	ո Enterinį	g Foster (Care										е		
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Source: PPC's analysis of AFCARS data

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FOSTER CARE - RE-ENTRIES

Data on re-entries provides information on children who come back into foster care because of new or continuing challenges at home. Some children experience numerous foster care episodes or cycle in and out of the system. Others can experience large spans of time between foster care episodes, which is why the age of children who re-enter is typically older.

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Indicator			2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		County % Change
		County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State	2018 to 2022*
Children Re-Entering Fost	er Care																
Re-Enti	ries During the Year	S	323	2,469	NA	280	2,182	23	229	1,746	17	265	1,681	S	244	1,913	-
Re-Entries as P	Percent of All Entries	S	20.5%	24.5%	14.6%	20.3%	23.1%	18.9%	19.0%	24.0%	11.6%	19.1%	23.0%	S	17.0%	26.2%	-
						•									•		
By Age																	
	0-2	0.0%	9.6%	10.8%	6.7%	8.6%	11.9%	0.0%	11.4%	10.5%	S	14.3%	12.3%	S	9.4%	11.9%	-
	3-5	0.0%	13.0%	12.6%	26.7%	19.3%	12.7%	S	10.0%	10.9%	S	15.1%	12.8%	0.0%	11.9%	12.3%	-
	6-8	0.0%	14.9%	12.1%	6.7%	13.6%	11.9%	S	17.0%	11.0%	s	13.6%	10.9%	s	13.1%	12.2%	-
	9-11	0.0%	12.4%	11.5%	6.7%	10.7%	10.4%	S	12.2%	12.0%	s	10.9%	11.0%	s	13.9%	11.0%	_
	12-14	S	18.3%	17.7%	33.3%	20.7%	18.7%	S	16.6%	17.7%	S	17.7%	20.2%	S	26.2%	19.9%	_
	15-20	S	31.9%	35.4%	20.0%	27.1%	34.4%	S	32.8%	37.9%	S	28.3%	32.7%	S	25.4%	32.6%	_
	Infants (age 0-1)	0.0%	5.0%	6.4%	6.7%	5.7%	6.9%	0.0%	8.7%	7.3%	S	S	9.2%	S	8.6%	8.3%	-
	Youth (age 13+)	S	44.3%	48.6%	40.0%	43.2%	48.7%	52.2%	44.1%	51.1%	s	35.5%	47.7%	s	45.1%	47.4%	_
	roun (ugo 101)	<u> </u>	11.070	10.070	10.070	10.270	10.170	OZ.Z70	11.170	01.170		00.070	17.770		10.170	17.170	
By Race and Ethnicity																	
-	on-Hispanic White	S	74.9%	39.6%	46.7%	75.4%	52.7%	65.2%	74.7%	31.3%	s	72.1%	42.8%	s	57.0%	35.7%	_
Non-Hispanic Black or		s	8.0%	40.5%	33.3%	9.3%	49.0%	S	7.4%	31.0%	S	9.1%	35.2%	S	17.6%	42.6%	
·	spanic Other Race	0.0%	S.070	1.8%	0.0%	3.570 S	2.0%	0.0%	S S	2.7%	0.0%	S.170	3.9%	0.0%	S S	3.9%	-
	wo or More Races	S S	<9.2%	7.1%	13.3%	9.3%	11.2%	0.076 S	9.2%	5.4%	0.076 S	<9.3%	6.5%	0.076 S	<13.7%	7.8%	-
•	Hispanic or Latino	S	7.1%	11.1%	6.7%	9.3% S	15.0%	0.0%	9.2% S	9.6%	0.0%	7.9%	11.6%	0.0%	10.2%	10.1%	-
	nispanic or Laurio		7.170	11.170	0.7 70	3	13.0%	0.076	3	9.070	0.076	7.970	11.070	0.076	10.270	10.170	-
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By Sex	NA-1-	s	EO E0/	40.40/	60.0%	49.3%	51.2%	- FC 40/	53.7%	49.0%	s	40.40/	40.40/	s	49.6%	40.40/	
	Male	S	50.5%	49.1%				>56.4% S			S	49.4%	48.4%	S	49.6% 50.4%	46.1%	-
	Female	5	49.5%	50.9%	40.0%	50.7%	48.8%	8	46.3%	51.0%	8	50.6%	51.6%	8	50.4%	53.9%	-
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5	Family Setting	>0.0%	70.0%	66.7%	40.0%	68.2%	68.5%	>43.4%	71.6%	>65.0%	70.6%	77.0%	>71.1%	>0.0%	>71.7%	74.4%	-
	re-adoptive Home	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	S	0.6%	-
-	y Home – Relative	0.0%	18.3%	28.3%	6.7%	26.4%	32.5%	S	32.8%	34.8%	S	31.3%	36.4%	0.0%	26.6%	37.1%	-
•	ne – Non-Relative	S	51.7%	37.9%	33.3%	41.8%	35.3%	S	38.9%	30.1%	S	45.7%	34.7%	S	45.1%	36.8%	-
Congr	egate Care Setting	>0.0%	26.9%	28.0%	60.0%	27.5%	25.8%	>52.2%	25.3%	27.1%	>23.4%	20.4%	21.2%	>0.0%	25.0%	19.2%	-
	Group Home	S	18.6%	18.4%	46.7%	17.9%	16.6%	52.2%	18.3%	16.5%	S	14.7%	13.9%	S	18.4%	12.1%	-
	Institution	0.0%	8.4%	9.6%	13.3%	9.6%	9.2%	S	7.0%	10.6%	S	5.7%	7.3%	0.0%	6.6%	7.2%	-
Supervised I	ndependent Living	0.0%	S	1.8%	0.0%	S	1.6%	0.0%	S	1.4%	0.0%	S	2.2%	0.0%	S	<1.2%	-
	Runaway	0.0%	S	2.7%	0.0%	S	3.6%	0.0%	S	5.4%	0.0%	S	4.2%	0.0%	S	4.8%	-
	Trial Home Visit	0.0%	S	0.8%	0.0%	S	0.6%	0.0%	S	<1.0%	S	S	<1.3%	0.0%	S	S	-
		Re-Er	ntries into	Foster (Care					Per	cent of C	hildren h	v Placen	nent Sett	ing		NA = Data not currently
		by Age Gi										ntry to Fo	•		8		available S = rate suppressed due
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	60%																persons
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	Source: PPC's analysis of AFCARS of	iata							Source: PPC's a	nalysis of AFCAR	S data		Congreg	ate Care			

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FOSTER CARE - PLACEMENT REASONS

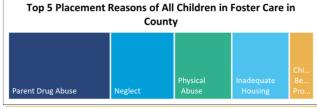
County child welfare agencies are required to report the reasons in which a child experiences a placement episode. There are 15 factors defined by the Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System (AFCARS) technical bulletin issued by the Administration for Children and Families which are federally required data elements that the state must track and report.

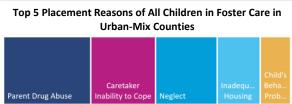
A child can have more than one placement reason.

Indicator

Top Five Placement Reasons Of All Children in Foster Care During the Year

	2022	
County	Urban-Mix	State
33.4% Parent Drug Abuse	43.9% Parent Drug Abuse	34.9% Parent Drug Abuse
20.9% Neglect	32.5% Caretaker Inability to Cope	25.6% Neglect
18.8% Physical Abuse	31.0% Neglect	22.5% Caretaker Inability to Cope
18.8% Inadequate Housing	21.7% Inadequate Housing	16.2% Inadequate Housing
8.0% Child's Behavior Problem	15.2% Child's Behavior Problem	13.6% Child's Behavior Problem

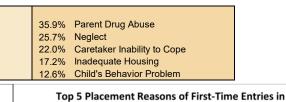


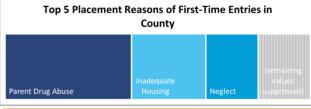


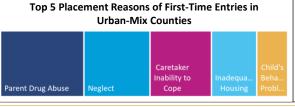




49.2%	Parent Drug Abuse	39.9%	Parent Drug Abuse
28.8%	Inadequate Housing		Neglect
20.3%	Neglect	29.4%	Caretaker Inability to Cope
S	(remaining values suppressed)	21.6%	Inadequate Housing
S	(remaining values suppressed)	14.7%	Child's Behavior Problem
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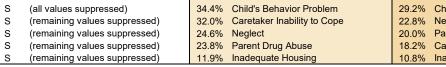


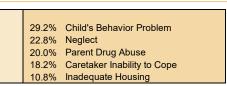


















Placement reasons include abandonment, caretaker inability to cope due to illness or other reasons, child alcohol abuse, child disability, child drug abuse, child's behavior problem, death of parent(s), incarceration of parent(s), inadequate housing, neglect, parent alcohol abuse, parent drug abuse, physical abuse, relinquishment, sexual abuse.

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FOSTER CARE - GOALS

All children in foster care have a court-ordered permanency goal, which directs the efforts of the child welfare agency toward a certain family outcome for each child. In addition to the court-ordered 'primary' goal, a 'concurrent' goal is put in place to ensure permanency is achieved if for some reason the primary goal cannot be met. This data provides information on the most recent primary goal for every child served in foster care during the federal fiscal year.

La dia atau	3	2018 2019 2020								2021			2022*		County % Change		
Indicator		County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State	2018 to 2022*
Percent of Children by Case P	lan Goal																
Family-Based Pern	nanency Goals	>96.4%	98.2%	95.1%	96.6%	98.1%	95.5%	100.0%	99.0%	96.4%	98.7%	99.2%	96.8%	98.3%	94.1%	92.1%	<1.9%
Reunify With Parent(s) or Principa	l Caretaker(s)	80.3%	73.0%	65.3%	73.0%	66.8%	63.7%	86.8%	68.3%	65.8%	90.8%	70.4%	65.6%	89.5%	67.5%	65.1%	11.6%
	Adoption	11.4%	18.2%	23.6%	19.3%	23.6%	24.5%	10.0%	24.0%	23.7%	7.9%	21.8%	25.0%	8.7%	25.5%	25.0%	-23.6%
	Guardianship	S	5.5%	5.1%	3.0%	6.4%	5.9%	S	5.9%	5.4%	S	6.1%	5.3%	0.0%	S	0.5%	-
Live w	ith Relative(s)	S	1.6%	1.2%	1.3%	1.3%	1.5%	S	0.9%	1.4%	S	0.9%	1.0%	0.0%	1.1%	1.4%	-
Another Planned Permanent Living	g Arrangement																
	(APPLA)	>0.0%	>1.6%	4.9%	3.4%	1.9%	4.5%	0.0%	1.0%	3.6%	0.0%	0.8%	3.2%	0.0%	5.9%	7.9%	-
Long Terr	n Foster Care	0.0%	S	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	S	1.9%	2.5%	-
	Emancipation	S	1.6%	4.3%	3.4%	1.9%	4.4%	0.0%	1.0%	3.1%	0.0%	0.8%	2.7%	S	4.0%	5.4%	-
APPLA By Age as % of Age G	roup Served				I			I			I						
All LA by Age as 70 of Age of	0-15	0.0%	s	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%	s	0.0%	S	s	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	S	0.1%	_
	16-20	S.070	12.2%	25.1%	16.7%	1.9%	23.5%	0.0%	5.9%	19.6%	0.0%	5.2%	17.5%	S.070	20.4%	17.5%	_
	10-20		12.270	20.170	10.770	1.070	20.070	0.070	0.070	10.070	0.070	0.270	17.070		20.470	17.070	
APPLA By Discharge Reason																	
Exit to Permanent	_	0.0%	>0.0%	19.5%	0.0%	>0.0%	16.4%	0.0%	>0.0%	24.1%	0.0%	>0.0%	19.6%	0.0%	12.0%	21.3%	-
	Reunification	0.0%	0.0%	16.9%	0.0%	0.0%	15.0%	0.0%	S	23.0%	0.0%	S	18.5%	0.0%	S	18.3%	-
(number of months un		0.0	0.0	18.6	0.0	0.0	19.2	0.0	22.3	25.1	0.0	15.7	34.1	0.0	12.3	42.9	-
	Adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	-
(number of months		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-
	Guardianship	0.0%	0.0%	2.3%	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	S	S	-
(number of month unti		0.0	0.0	25.6	0.0	0.0	23.8	0.0	0.0	32.5	0.0	0.0	42.9	0.0	42.1	24.0	-
	Other Relatives	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	0.0%	S	0.0%	0.0%	S	-
(number of months until living		0.0	0.0	32.9	0.0	0.0	49.6	0.0	0.0	61.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.0	- 0.00/
Exit to Non-Permanent	-	100.0%	>97.7%	80.5%	100.0%	>97.8%	83.5%	0.0%	93.8%	75.6%	0.0%	91.7%	80.4%	100.0%	88.0%	78.8%	0.0%
(Emancipation	S 20.7	97.7%	72.1%	100.0%	97.8%	74.3%	0.0% 0.0	93.8%	68.0%	0.0%	91.7%	68.2%	S	88.0%	70.8%	- 14.9%
(number of months until			35.3	27.6	49.4	38.6	30.7		31.8	26.1	0.0	36.2	30.9	23.8	37.5 0.0%	34.1	14.9%
	nother Agency	0.0%	S	5.3%	0.0%	S 74.7	7.1%	0.0%	0.0%	6.1%	0.0%	0.0%	7.5%	0.0%		5.8%	-
(number of month		0.0%	33.4 0.0%	19.4 3.0%	0.0%	74.7	17.9 2.1%	0.0%	0.0%	16.0 S	0.0	0.0%	22.4 4.7%	0.0	0.0%	7.2 S	-
(ttt	Runaway																-
(number of months until		0.0 0.0%	0.0 0.0%	22.4 0.0%	0.0 0.0%	0.0 0.0%	26.9 S	0.0 0.0%	0.0 0.0%	22.8 S	0.0 0.0%	0.0 0.0%	36.1 0.0%	0.0 0.0%	0.0 0.0%	10.4 0.0 %	-
(number of months until	Death of Child death of a child)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	5.7	0.0%	0.0%	115.9	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	-
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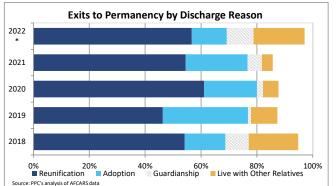
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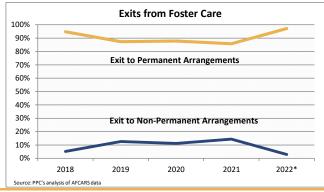
FOSTER CARE - EXITS

Data on foster care exits provides information on children who left foster care during the federal fiscal year, where they went when they left and how long their most recent episode of foster care was. A paramount goal of the foster care system is to ensure every child has the lifelong support of a permanent family.

Indicator		2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		County % Change
indicator	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State	2018 to 2022*
Children Exiting Foster Care																
Total Children Leaving Foster Care	96	1,585	10,694	NA	1,608	10,801	90	1,201	8,712	77	1,361	8,439	104	1,548	8,850	8.3%
Percent of Children Leaving Foster Care	42.1%	45.4%	42.0%	40.8%	52.3%	43.8%	36.0%	41.0%	40.2%	25.2%	44.2%	41.2%	36.2%	42.1%	45.9%	-13.9%
(number of months until leaving)	14.3	9.3	13.0	18.7	11.3	15.9	7.3	12.2	15.4	20.8	10.5	33.2	17.7	15.8	15.7	23.9%

By Discharge Reason																
Exit to Permanent Arrangements	>86.5%	92.6%	88.6%	87.4%	90.8%	86.6%	87.8%	89.9%	86.2%	85.7%	92.9%	87.1%	>87.5%	90.6%	86.3%	-
Reunification	54.2%	56.0%	52.5%	46.3%	53.3%	49.8%	61.1%	51.7%	50.8%	54.5%	54.7%	49.8%	56.7%	47.0%	50.8%	4.7%
(number of months until reunification)	8.9	6.2	6.4	5.2	6.6	7.4	1.6	6.6	8.4	16.2	6.6	9.0	14.5	8.0	8.3	62.1%
Adoption	14.6%	16.5%	23.9%	30.5%	21.9%	25.2%	18.9%	24.7%	23.5%	22.1%	22.0%	25.4%	12.5%	30.6%	23.0%	-14.3%
(number of months until adoption)	38.8	27.1	30.5	28.1	30.9	31.0	29.9	32.0	29.8	35.3	31.0	32.2	32.7	29.9	32.7	-15.7%
Guardianship	S	10.2%	7.5%	1.1%	8.1%	7.6%	S	7.9%	7.7%	S	8.5%	7.6%	S	7.1%	7.8%	-
(number of month until guardianship)	20.9	16.1	19.4	24.5	18.3	22.8	29.6	20.3	22.3	23.0	20.4	23.5	18.3	20.8	23.7	-12.5%
Live with Other Relatives	17.7%	9.9%	4.6%	9.5%	7.5%	4.1%	S	5.6%	4.1%	S	7.6%	4.3%	18.3%	5.9%	4.6%	3.2%
(number of months until living with relatives)	12.3	3.1	2.1	12.9	3.4	2.5	14.5	15.1	2.4	17.8	6.7	2.0	11.7	4.4	4.0	-4.5%
Exit to Non-Permanent Arrangements	>0.0%	>7.1%	11.4%	12.6%	9.1%	13.2%	11.1%	9.7%	13.7%	14.3%	>7.1%	12.8%	>0.0%	>9.2%	13.5%	-
Emancipation	S	5.8%	7.3%	12.6%	8.3%	9.3%	S	8.5%	9.5%	S	6.2%	7.9%	S	8.0%	7.6%	-
(number of months until emancipation)	29.1	25.2	23.7	45.5	23.2	26.2	25.2	18.0	22.9	24.8	24.8	24.3	18.2	25.9	24.1	-37.5%
Transfer to Another Agency	0.0%	1.3%	3.5%	0.0%	0.9%	3.5%	S	1.2%	3.7%	S	0.8%	4.1%	0.0%	1.2%	5.3%	-
(number of months until transfer)	0.0	13.3	7.9	0.0	4.7	5.5	15.7	10.8	6.6	0.2	5.6	8.0	0.0	4.1	4.2	-
Runaway	0.0%	S	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	S	0.8%	0.0%	S	0.6%	-
(number of months until running away)	0.0	9.7	14.0	0.0	0.0	14.1	0.0	0.0	11.4	0.0	9.1	17.8	0.0	54.3	10.4	-
Death of Child	0.0%	S	S	0.0%	S	0.1%	1.1%	S	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	S	0.2%	-
(number of months until death of a child)	0.0	3.8	5.5	0.0	0.2	12.6	5.9	4.6	6.1	0.0	0.0	5.9	0.0	20.1	15.3	-





NA = Data not currently available

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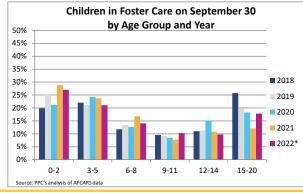
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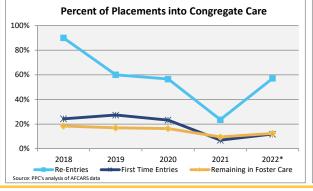
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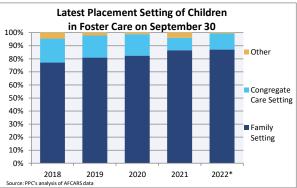
FOSTER CARE - REMAINING IN CARE

Data on children remaining in foster care provides information on children who did not leave foster care during the year but are still in foster care on the last day of the federal fiscal year. This data includes all children in foster care on September 30. Some of these children may have just entered foster care days prior to the end of the fiscal year and others may have been in foster care for many years.

	2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		County % Change
County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State	2018 to 2022*
136	2,038	16,074	NA	1,805	15,082	165	1,793	13,949	232	1,820	13,033	185	2,215	11,866	36.0%
17.9	11.0	14.2	12.0	11.4	14.0	12.2	11.7	16.4	10.2	11.3	16.8	17.8	12.8	15.2	-0.3%
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33.1%	28.3%	31.9%	31.0%	31.0%	34.8%	27.3%	26.0%	29.9%	18.5%	27.0%	29.7%	25.9%	29.5%	30.8%	-21.6%
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58.1%	47.3%	49.1%	51.4%	47.3%	49.4%	47.3%	45.7%	49.2%	49.1%	47.9%	49.8%	46.5%	48.4%	49.3%	-20.0%
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DISPROPORTIONALITY

Disproportionality shows the level at which groups of children are present in the child welfare system at higher or lower rates than in the general population. The index is calculated by taking the proportion of children in foster care for a given race and dividing it by the proportion of the same race group in the child population (age 0-20).

Indicator

CPS/GPS Race and Ethnicity

Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic Black or African American Non-Hispanic Other Race Non-Hispanic Two or More Races Hispanic or Latino

		2022		
CPS Referrals	Valid CPS Referrals	GPS Reports	Valid GPS Reports	Children with Valid Allegations
75.9%	54.8%	-	-	68.9%
11.6%	35.5%	-	-	14.6%
0.0%	0.0%	-	-	0.0%
10.0%	3.2%	-	-	14.3%
2.4%	6.5%	-	-	2.2%

General Population Age 0-17					
78.6%					
6.1%					
1.1%					
10.6%					
3.7%					

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100%			■ CPS Referrals	
80%	.De Eles es sancioni		Substantiated C	PS Referrals
			■ Children with Va	alid GPS Allegations
60%			Expected Rate (General Population)
40%		ba	rs above the expected	rate
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20%				
		120.000 110.000		
0%	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black	Non-Hispanic Two	Hispanic
		or African American	or more races	
Source: P	A DHS			

Racial Disproportionality Index, 2022

Indicator

Foster Care Race and Ethnicity

Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic Black or African American Non-Hispanic Other Race Non-Hispanic Two or More Races Hispanic or Latino

2022								
	First							
Total	Time		Re-	In Care				
Served	Entries	Exits	entries	9/30				
52.6%	54.2%	57.7%	S	<50.4%				
19.9%	S	14.4%	S	22.7%				
6.3%	S	0.0%	0.0%	9.7%				
<18.9%	S	27.9%	S	13.5%				
S	S	0.0%	0.0%	S				

General Population Age 0-20					
79.3%					
6.0% 1.0%					
10.1% 3.5%					

Racial Disproportionality Index

Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic Black or African American Non-Hispanic Other Race Non-Hispanic Two or More Races Hispanic or Latino

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Scores less than 1.0 are
indicative of
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Source: Decennial census, PPC analysis of AFCARS data Scores less than 1.0 are indicative of underrepresentation, scores of 1.0 indicate no disproportionality and scores of 1.1 and greater indicate overrepresentation.											

Children Remaining in Care By Specific Latest Placement Settings

Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic Black or African American Non-Hispanic Other Race Non-Hispanic Two or More Races Hispanic or Latino

2022								
Pre- Relative Family		re Family Family C		Institution				
Home	потпе	потпе	Home	msutution				
0.0%	66.0%	46.9%	33.3%	50.0%				
100.0%	10.6%	23.9%	38.1%	50.0%				
0.0%	8.5%	10.6%	9.5%	0.0%				
0.0%	12.8%	14.2%	14.3%	0.0%				
0.0%	2.1%	4.4%	4.8%	0.0%				

In Care 9/30
<50.4%
22.7% 9.7%
13.5% S

100%	Disprop	ortionality by	Placement Ty	pe, 2022	
80%			Pre-Adoptive H		
			■ Non-Relative Fa ■ Group Home	imily Home	
60%			■ Institution ■ Expected Rate (In Care 9/30)	
40%			Expected Nate (in care 3/30/	
20%					
0%			Non-Hispanic Other	Non-Hispanic Two	Hispanic or Latino
Source: PPC	analysis of AFCARS data	or African American	Race	or More Races	

DISPARITY

Disparity demonstrates the lack of equality between two racial groups in the child welfare system. The index is expressed as the ratio of one racial group's disproportionality index by another racial group's disproportionality metric. The computed value represents whether children of different racial groups are in the child welfare system at the same rate.

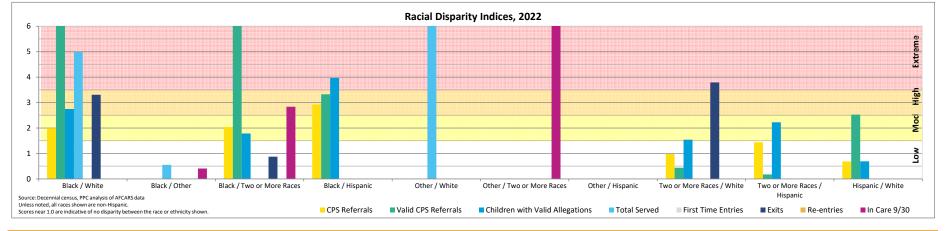
Indicator

Racial Disparity Index

Non-Hispanic Black / Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic Black / Non-Hispanic Other Non-Hispanic Black / Non-Hispanic Two or More Non-Hispanic Black / Hispanic Non-Hispanic Other / Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic Other / Non-Hispanic Two or More Non-Hispanic Other / Hispanic Non-Hispanic Two or More / Non-Hispanic White Non-Hispanic Two or More / Hispanic Hispanic / Non-Hispanic White

CPS Referrals	Valid CPS Referrals	GPS Reports	Valid GPS Reports	Children with Valid Allega- tions	
2.0 2.0 2.9 - - 1.0 1.4 0.7	8.4 - 19.3 3.3 - - 0.4 0.2 2.5			2.7 - 1.8 4.0 1.5 2.2 0.7	Scores near 1.0 are indicative of no disparity between the race or ethnicity shown.

	2022							
Total Served	First Time Entries	Exits	Re- entries	In Care 9/30				
5.0	S	3.3	S	-				
0.6	S	-	-	0.4				
-	S	0.9	S	2.8				
S	S	-	-	S				
9.0	S S	-	-	-				
-	S	-	-	7.0				
S	S	-	-	S				
-	S	3.8	S	-				
S	S	-	-	S				
S	S	-	-	S				



Lawrence (Urban-Mix)

FOSTER CARE - STABILITY

Every time a child moves, the trauma caused by separation and lack of continuity grows. A child who faces multiple placements may struggle to build and maintain healthy relationships and confront academic challenges due to school changes.

Indicator

Foster Care Placement Stability

Children who were in foster care for 12 to 23 months and had three or more placement settings.

2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		
County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State									
48.6%	30.3%	31.8%	35.2%	27.5%	31.1%	31.6%	27.2%	28.4%	37.7%	25.8%	25.6%	41.4%	28.7%	25.2%

County % Change 2018 to 2022* -14.8%

County % Change

2018 to 2022*

12.8%

FOSTER CARE - TIMELY REUNIFICATION

A child's separation from his or her parents or relatives is traumatic for all involved. Minimizing the time a child spends in foster care without compromising safety is key to healthy child development.

Indicator

Timely Reunification with Parents or Relatives

Children who entered foster care for the first time who were reunified with their parents or discharged to relatives within the next 12 months.

2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		
County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State									
23.7%	41.0%	37.3%	33.3%	47.5%	38.7%	41.0%	42.0%	36.8%	33.3%	41.7%	36.6%	26.8%	35.0%	37.8%

FOSTER CARE - FAILED REUNIFICATION

A child re-entering foster care following a return to his or her family signals a breakdown in the family and a potential failure on the part of the child welfare system to appropriately address family needs.

Indicator

Failed 1-Year Reunification (Re-entry)

Children who re-entered foster care in fewer than 12 months following reunification with parents or relatives. (Data may be overstated.)

2018			2019			2020			2021			2022*		
County	Rural-Mix	State	County	Urban-Mix	State									
9.1%	20.0%	21.4%	7.2%	14.0%	22.3%	<20.5%	16.0%	20.2%	<17.3%	14.9%	18.1%	<22.3%	13.1%	19.1%

County % Change 2018 to 2022*

S = rate suppressed due to count less than 11 persons * County classifications changed with the 2022 data.



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