



**County of Los Angeles  
Department of Children and Family Services  
CHILD WELFARE SERVICES DATA  
MONTHLY FACT SHEET  
March - 2017**



EMERGENCY RESPONSE REFERRALS		
Evaluated Out		3,270
In-Person Response	Referral Children With Allegation Disposed	2,285
	Referral Children With Allegation Disposition Pending - Referrals Still Under Investigation	10,956
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>13,241</b>
<b>Total Referral Children Received during Month</b>		<b>16,511</b>

REFERRAL CHILDREN RECEIVED BY ALLEGATION TYPE			
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity		187	1.1%
Severe Neglect		177	1.1%
At Risk, Sibling Abused		4,150	25.1%
Emotional Abuse		2,176	13.2%
General Neglect		4,885	29.6%
Sexual Abuse		1,642	9.9%
Exploitation		30	0.2%
Physical Abuse		3,264	19.8%
<b>Total</b>		<b>16,511</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

IN-HOME AND OUT-OF-HOME SERVICES CASELOAD (CHILDREN) AS OF MARCH 2017			
		FM and FR Services Caseload	* Adoption Services Caseload
Emergency Response (Open Services Cases)		1,026	6
Family Maintenance	Under 12 Months	9,871	
	Over 12 Months	1,589	
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>11,460</b>	<b>29</b>
Family Reunification	Under 18 Months	8,940	
	Over 18 Months	1,670	
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>10,610</b>	<b>1,111</b>
Permanent Placement		9,456	4,670
Supportive Transition		1,801	9
<b>Total Children Receiving Child Welfare</b>		<b>34,353</b>	<b>5,825</b>

\* Adoption services caseload represents children in in-home and out-of-home services caseload receiving adoption services.

CHILD CHARACTERISTICS				CHILDREN IN OUT-OF-HOME PLACEMENT	
Age	Birth - 2 Years	7,247	21.1%	Relative/Non-Relative Extended Family Member Home	9,427
	3 - 4 Years	4,217	12.3%	Foster Family Home	1,429
	5 - 9 Years	9,025	26.3%	Foster Family Agency Certified Home	4,931
	10 - 13 Years	5,779	16.8%	Foster Family Agency Certified Resource Family Home	4
	14 - 15 Years	2,623	7.6%	Small Family Home	35
	16 - 17 Years	2,908	8.5%	Group Home	1,017
	18 Years & Older	2,554	7.4%	Supervised Independent Living Placement	944
	<b>Age Total</b>	<b>34,353</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	Resource Family Approved Home	287
Ethnicity	White	3,862	11.2%	Other (County Shelter, Tribal, and Court Specified Homes)	31
	Hispanic	20,710	60.3%	<b>Total Out-of-Home Placement</b>	<b>18,105</b>
	Black	8,689	25.3%	Non Foster Care (NFC) Placement	135
	Asian/Pacific Islander	636	1.9%	Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized	1,024
	American Indian/Alaskan Native	163	0.5%	Guardian Home	1,653
	Other	293	0.9%	<b>Total Placement (Includes NFC Placement, Adoptive Home, and Guardian Home)</b>	<b>20,917</b>
	<b>Ethnicity Total</b>	<b>34,353</b>	<b>100.0%</b>		
Gender	Male	17,080	49.7%		
	Female	17,273	50.3%		
	<b>Gender Total</b>	<b>34,353</b>	<b>100.0%</b>		

NOTE: In the above, 1,171 children received D Rate and 380 received F Rate care.

FOSTER CARE RESOURCES			
		Homes	Beds
Foster Homes		867	2,334
Foster Family Agency Homes (self-report)	In Los Angeles County	2,140	4,645
	Out-of-County	1,019	2,378
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>3,159</b>	<b>7,023</b>
Small Family Homes		56	41
Group Homes	In Los Angeles County	126	1,579
	Out-of-County	41	478
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>2,057</b>

\* Data are being tracked by DCFS Group Home Resource Development and Support Section

\*\* Foster Homes and Small Family Homes: Excluded licensed homes on hold.

Source: Data are from the Child Welfare Services/Case Management System (CWS/CMS) Datamart History Table.