

FACT SHEET
CHILD WELFARE SERVICES - APRIL 2014
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EMERGENCY RESPONSE REFERRALS

Evaluated Out	2,643
In-Person Response	13,228
Referral Children With Allegation Disposed	2,457
Referral Children With Allegation Disposition Pending - Referrals Still Under Investigation	10,771
Total Referral Children Received during Month	15,871

REFERRAL CHILDREN RECEIVED BY ALLEGATION TYPE

Sexual Abuse	1,521	9.6%	Exploitation	10	0.1%
Physical Abuse	3,605	22.7%	Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	201	1.3%
Severe Neglect	284	1.8%	At Risk, Sibling Abuse	3,727	23.5%
General Neglect	4,600	29.0%	Total	15,871	100.0%
Emotional Abuse	1,923	12.1%			

IN-HOME AND OUT-OF-HOME SERVICES CASELOAD (CHILDREN) AS OF APRIL 30, 2014

<u>FM and FR Services Caseload</u>	<u>* Adoption Services Caseload</u>
Emergency Response (Open Services Cases)	1,160
Family Maintenance	13,811
Under 12 Months	12,040
Over 12 Months	1,771
Family Reunification	10,896
Under 18 Months	9,448
Over 18 Months	1,448
Permanent Placement	9,068
Supportive Transition	1,799
Total Children Receiving Child Welfare Services	36,734
	5,221

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

CHILD CHARACTERISTICS

Age		
Birth - 2 Years	7,174	19.5%
3 - 4 Years	4,487	12.2%
5 - 9 Years	9,681	26.4%
10 - 13 Years	6,158	16.8%
14 - 15 Years	3,231	8.8%
16 - 17 Years	3,454	9.4%
18 Years & Older	2,549	6.9%
Age Total	36,734	100.0%
Gender		
Male	18,265	49.7%
Female	18,469	50.3%
Gender Total	36,734	100.0%

CHILDREN IN OUT-OF-HOME PLACEMENT

Relative/Non-Relative Extended Family Member Home	9,198
Foster Family Home	1,385
Foster Family Agency Certified Home	5,085
Small Family Home	37
Group Home	1,093
Supervised Independent Living Placement	877
Other (County Shelter, Tribal, and Court Specified Homes)	34
Total Out-of-Home Placement	17,709
Non Foster Care (NFC) Placement	194
Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized	819
Guardian Home	2,020
Total Placement (Includes NFC Placement, Adoptive Home, and Guardian Home)	20,742

NOTE: In the above, 1,207 children received D Rate and 408 received F Rate care.

Ethnicity

White	4,097	11.2%
Hispanic	21,928	59.7%
African American	9,449	25.7%
Asian/Pacific Islander	550	1.5%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	175	0.5%
Filipino	257	0.7%
Other	278	0.8%
Ethnicity Total	36,734	100.0%

FOSTER CARE RESOURCES

	Homes	Beds
Foster Homes **	585	1,726
Foster Family Agency Homes (self-report)	3,094	7,167
In Los Angeles County	2,180	5,053
Out-of-County	914	2,114
Small Family Homes **	57	46
Group Homes *	180	2,372
In Los Angeles County	145	1,789
Out-of-County	35	583

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

** Excluded licensed homes on hold.