

FACT SHEET
CHILD WELFARE SERVICES - AUGUST 2015
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EMERGENCY RESPONSE REFERRALS

Evaluated Out	2,165
In-Person Response	11,210
Referral Children With Allegation Disposed	2,073
Referral Children With Allegation Disposition Pending - Referrals Still Under Investigation	9,137
Total Referral Children Received during Month	13,375

REFERRAL CHILDREN RECEIVED BY ALLEGATION TYPE

Sexual Abuse	1,346	10.1%	Exploitation	5	0.0%
Physical Abuse	2,673	20.0%	Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	153	1.1%
Severe Neglect	274	2.0%	At Risk, Sibling Abuse	2,620	19.6%
General Neglect	4,626	34.6%	Total	13,375	100.0%
Emotional Abuse	1,678	12.5%			

IN-HOME AND OUT-OF-HOME SERVICES CASELOAD (CHILDREN) AS OF AUGUST 31, 2015

FM and FR Services Caseload

*** Adoption Services Caseload**

Emergency Response (Open Services Cases)	967			4
Family Maintenance	12,247			34
Under 12 Months	10,772			
Over 12 Months	1,475			
Family Reunification		11,021		994
Under 18 Months		9,508		
Over 18 Months		1,513		
Permanent Placement		8,760		3,808
Supportive Transition		2,148		13
Total Children Receiving Child Welfare Services		35,143		4,853

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

CHILD CHARACTERISTICS

Age		
Birth - 2 Years	7,142	20.3%
3 - 4 Years	4,306	12.3%
5 - 9 Years	9,155	26.1%
10 - 13 Years	5,723	16.3%
14 - 15 Years	2,971	8.5%
16 - 17 Years	3,173	9.0%
18 Years & Older	2,673	7.6%
Age Total	35,143	100.0%
Gender		
Male	17,396	49.5%
Female	17,747	50.5%
Gender Total	35,143	100.0%

CHILDREN IN OUT-OF-HOME PLACEMENT

Relative/Non-Relative Extended Family Member Home	9,347
Foster Family Home	1,360
Foster Family Agency Certified Home	5,104
Small Family Home	35
Group Home	1,104
Supervised Independent Living Placement	1,013
Other (County Shelter, Tribal, and Court Specified Homes)	39
Total Out-of-Home Placement	18,002
Non Foster Care (NFC) Placement	184
Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized	733
Guardian Home	1,789
Total Placement (Includes NFC Placement, Adoptive Home, and Guardian Home)	20,708

NOTE: In the above, 1,163 children received D Rate and 431 received F Rate care.

FOSTER CARE RESOURCES

	Homes	Beds
Foster Homes **	689	1,940
Foster Family Agency Homes (self-report)	3,138	7,056
In Los Angeles County	2,198	4,913
Out-of-County	940	2,143
Small Family Homes **	55	39
Group Homes *	163	2,225
In Los Angeles County	129	1,654
Out-of-County	34	571

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

** Excluded licensed homes on hold.