



County of Los Angeles
Department of Children and Family Services
CHILD WELFARE SERVICES DATA
MONTHLY FACT SHEET
March - 2019



EMERGENCY RESPONSE REFERRALS		
	No. of Referrals	No. of Referred Children
Evaluated Out	2,151	3,408
In-Person Response	5,411	11,041
Total Referral Children Received during Month	7,562	14,449

REFERRAL CHILDREN RECEIVED BY ALLEGATION TYPE		
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	116	0.8%
Severe Neglect	138	1.0%
At Risk, Sibling Abused	3,300	22.8%
Emotional Abuse	2,398	16.6%
General Neglect	4,335	30.0%
Sexual Abuse	1,456	10.1%
Exploitation	14	0.1%
Physical Abuse	2,692	18.6%
Total	14,449	100.0%

IN-HOME AND OUT-OF-HOME SERVICES CASELOAD (CHILDREN) AS OF MARCH 2019			
		FM and FR Services Caseload	* Adoption Services Caseload
Emergency Response (Open Services Cases)		1,261	9
Family Maintenance	Under 12 Months	9,965	
	Over 12 Months	1,308	
	Sub Total	11,273	82
Family Reunification	Under 18 Months	8,652	
	Over 18 Months	1,486	
	Sub Total	10,138	1,524
Permanent Placement		10,028	5,990
Supportive Transition		2,044	14
Total Children Receiving Child Welfare		34,744	7,619

* 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	7,201	20.7%	Relative/Non-Relative Extended Family Member Home	1,589
	3 - 4 Years	4,374	12.6%	Foster Family Home	811
	5 - 9 Years	8,842	25.4%	Foster Family Agency Certified Home	1,597
	10 - 13 Years	6,131	17.6%	Foster Family Agency Certified Resource Family Home	2,695
	14 - 15 Years	2,852	8.2%	Small Family Home	29
	16 - 17 Years	2,744	7.9%	Group Home	370
	18 Years & Older	2,600	7.5%	Supervised Independent Living Placement	1,002
	Age Total	34,744	100.0%	Resource Family Home (RFH): Non-Relative RFH	1,831
Ethnicity	White	3,783	10.9%	Resource Family Home (RFH): Relative RFH	7,738
	Hispanic	20,071	57.8%	Short Term Residential Therapeutic Program	406
	Black	8,328	24.0%	Other (County Shelter, Tribal, and Court Specified Homes)	150
	Asian/Pacific Islander	610	1.8%	Total Out-of-Home Placement	18,218
	American Indian/Alaskan Native	88	0.3%	Non Foster Care (NFC) Placement	124
	Other	1,864	5.4%	Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized	1,442
	Ethnicity Total	34,744	100.0%	Guardian Home	1,427
Gender	Male	17,369	50.0%	Total Placement (Includes NFC Placement, Adoptive Home, and Guardian Home)	21,211
	Female	17,375	50.0%		
	Gender Total	34,744	100.0%		

NOTE: In the above, 1,048 children received D Rate and 418 received F Rate care.

FOSTER CARE RESOURCES			
		Homes	Beds
**Foster Homes		560	1,652
*Foster Family Agency Homes (self-report)	In Los Angeles County	2,071	4,517
	Out-of-County	1,279	3,313
	Sub Total	3,350	7,830
**Small Family Homes		54	37
*Group Homes/STRTP (self-report) Includes STRTP, GH, PROBATION, and CTF	In Los Angeles County	95	1,255
	Out-of-County	33	528
	Sub Total	128	1,783

* Self-report data are being tracked by DCFS Out-of-Home Care Management Division.

** Foster Homes and Small Family Homes excludes licensed homes on hold.

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