



County of Los Angeles
Department of Children and Family Services
CHILD WELFARE SERVICES DATA
MONTHLY FACT SHEET
August - 2020



EMERGENCY RESPONSE REFERRALS		
	No. of Referrals	No. of Referred Children
Evaluated Out	1,511	2,352
In-Person Response	3,647	7,274
Total Referral Children Received during Month	5,158	9,626

REFERRAL CHILDREN RECEIVED BY ALLEGATION TYPE		
Severe Neglect	140	1.5%
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	96	1.0%
At Risk, Sibling Abused	1,701	17.7%
Emotional Abuse	1,688	17.5%
General Neglect	3,547	36.8%
Sexual Abuse	1,011	10.5%
Exploitation	18	0.2%
Physical Abuse	1,425	14.8%
Total	9,626	100.0%

IN-HOME AND OUT-OF-HOME SERVICES CASELOAD (CHILDREN) AS OF AUGUST 2020			
		FM and FR Services Caseload	* Adoption Services Caseload
Emergency Response (Open Services Cases)		886	8
Family Maintenance	Under 12 Months	10,625	
	Over 12 Months	3,113	
	Sub Total	13,738	77
Family Reunification	Under 18 Months	9,049	
	Over 18 Months	2,257	
	Sub Total	11,306	2,580
Permanent Placement		9,679	6,011
Supportive Transition		2,326	14
Total Children Receiving Child Welfare		37,935	8,690

* 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	7,435	19.6%	Relative/Non-Relative Extended Family Member Home	311
	3 - 4 Years	4,835	12.7%	Foster Family Home	363
	5 - 9 Years	9,916	26.1%	Foster Family Agency Certified Home	703
	10 - 13 Years	6,621	17.5%	Foster Family Agency Certified Resource Family Home	3,342
	14 - 15 Years	3,050	8.0%	Small Family Home	23
	16 - 17 Years	3,084	8.1%	Group Home	62
	18 Years & Older	2,994	7.9%	Supervised Independent Living Placement	1,317
	Age Total	37,935	100.0%	Resource Family Home (RFH): Non-Relative RFH	2,521
Ethnicity	White	4,585	12.1%	Resource Family Home (RFH): Relative RFH	9,200
	Hispanic	21,884	57.7%	Short Term Residential Therapeutic Program	548
	Black	8,896	23.5%	Other (County Shelter, Tribal, and Court Specified Homes)	209
	Asian/Pacific Islander	688	1.8%	Total Out-of-Home Placement	18,599
	American Indian/Alaskan Native	100	0.3%	Non Foster Care (NFC) Placement	100
	Other	1,782	4.7%	Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized	2,091
	Ethnicity Total	37,935	100.0%	Guardian Home	1,292
Gender	Male	18,873	49.8%	Total Placement (Includes NFC Placement, Adoptive Home, and Guardian Home)	22,082
	Female	19,062	50.2%		
	Gender Total	37,935	100.0%		

NOTE: In the above, 1,275 children received D Rate and 400 received F Rate care.

FOSTER CARE RESOURCES		
	Homes	Beds
**Foster Homes	336	1,021
**Small Family Homes	54	37

* 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.