



County of Los Angeles
Department of Children and Family Services
CHILD WELFARE SERVICES DATA
MONTHLY FACT SHEET
December - 2022



EMERGENCY RESPONSE REFERRALS		
	No. of Referrals	No. of Referred Children
Evaluated Out	1,683	2,603
In-Person Response	3,357	6,686
Total Referral Children Received during Month	5,040	9,289

REFERRAL CHILDREN RECEIVED BY ALLEGATION TYPE		
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	112	1.2%
Emotional Abuse	1,684	18.1%
Severe Neglect	114	1.2%
General Neglect	3,144	33.8%
At Risk, Sibling Abused	1,759	18.9%
Physical Abuse	1,458	15.7%
Exploitation	13	0.1%
Sexual Abuse	1,005	10.8%
Total	9,289	100.0%

IN-HOME AND OUT-OF-HOME SERVICES CASELOAD (CHILDREN) AS OF DECEMBER 2022			
		FM and FR Services Caseload	* Adoption Services Caseload
Emergency Response (Open Services Cases)		734	1
Family Maintenance	Under 12 Months	6,509	
	Over 12 Months	858	
	Sub Total	7,367	9
Family Reunification	Under 18 Months	5,603	
	Over 18 Months	1,074	
	Sub Total	6,677	618
Permanent Placement		10,545	7,070
Supportive Transition		2,057	26
Total Children Receiving Child Welfare		27,380	7,724

* 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	4,996	18.2%	Relative/Non-Relative Extended Family Member Home	26
	3 - 4 Years	3,482	12.7%	Foster Family Home	10
	5 - 9 Years	6,826	24.9%	Foster Family Agency Certified Home	422
	10 - 13 Years	4,604	16.8%	Foster Family Agency Certified Resource Family Home	2,396
	14 - 15 Years	2,403	8.8%	Small Family Home	13
	16 - 17 Years	2,498	9.1%	Group Home	36
	18 Years & Older	2,571	9.4%	Supervised Independent Living Placement	1,175
	Age Total	27,380	100.0%	Resource Family Home (RFH): Non-Relative RFH	3,058
Ethnicity	White	2,968	10.8%	Resource Family Home (RFH): Relative RFH	8,082
	Hispanic	16,558	60.5%	Short Term Residential Therapeutic Program	283
	Black	6,482	23.7%	Other (County Shelter, Tribal, and Court Specified Homes)	256
	Asian/Pacific Islander	502	1.8%	Total Out-of-Home Placement	15,757
	American Indian/Alaskan Native	65	0.2%	Non Foster Care (NFC) Placement	168
	Other	805	2.9%	Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized: Non-Relative	379
	Ethnicity Total	27,380	100.0%	Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized: Relative	791
Gender	Male	13,580	49.6%	Guardian Home: Non-Relative	843
	Female	13,790	50.4%	Guardian Home: Relative	120
	Intersex	1	0.0%	Total Placement (Includes NFC Placement, Adoptive Home, and Guardian Home)	18,058
	Unknown	9	0.0%	<i>NOTE: In the above, 140 children received D Rate and 70 received F Rate care.</i>	
	Gender Total	27,380	100.0%		

FOSTER CARE RESOURCES			
		Homes	Beds
**Foster Homes		2	2
**Small Family Homes		54	40

* 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.