



County of Los Angeles
Department of Children and Family Services
CHILD WELFARE SERVICES DATA
MONTHLY FACT SHEET
February - 2023



EMERGENCY RESPONSE REFERRALS		
	No. of Referrals	No. of Referred Children
Evaluated Out	2,106	3,304
In-Person Response	3,870	7,833
Total Referral Children Received during Month	5,976	11,137

REFERRAL CHILDREN RECEIVED BY ALLEGATION TYPE		
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	118	1.1%
General Neglect	3,736	33.5%
Exploitation	8	0.1%
Sexual Abuse	1,139	10.2%
At Risk, Sibling Abused	2,285	20.5%
Emotional Abuse	1,876	16.8%
Physical Abuse	1,876	16.8%
Severe Neglect	99	0.9%
Total	11,137	100.0%

IN-HOME AND OUT-OF-HOME SERVICES CASELOAD (CHILDREN) AS OF FEBRUARY 2023			
		FM and FR Services Caseload	* Adoption Services Caseload
Emergency Response (Open Services Cases)		660	1
Family Maintenance	Under 12 Months	6,614	
	Over 12 Months	741	
	Sub Total	7,355	5
Family Reunification	Under 18 Months	5,242	
	Over 18 Months	989	
	Sub Total	6,231	517
Permanent Placement		10,453	7,099
Supportive Transition		2,065	29
Total Children Receiving Child Welfare		26,764	7,651

* 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	4,910	18.3%	Relative/Non-Relative Extended Family Member Home	19
	3 - 4 Years	3,357	12.5%	Foster Family Home	8
	5 - 9 Years	6,634	24.8%	Foster Family Agency Certified Home	428
	10 - 13 Years	4,501	16.8%	Foster Family Agency Certified Resource Family Home	2,308
	14 - 15 Years	2,341	8.7%	Small Family Home	13
	16 - 17 Years	2,457	9.2%	Group Home	42
	18 Years & Older	2,564	9.6%	Supervised Independent Living Placement	1,140
	Age Total	26,764	100.0%	Resource Family Home (RFH): Non-Relative RFH	3,018
Ethnicity	White	2,897	10.8%	Resource Family Home (RFH): Relative RFH	7,774
	Hispanic	16,247	60.7%	Short Term Residential Therapeutic Program	283
	Black	6,329	23.6%	Other (County Shelter, Tribal, and Court Specified Homes)	251
	Asian/Pacific Islander	495	1.8%	Total Out-of-Home Placement	15,284
	American Indian/Alaskan Native	59	0.2%	Non Foster Care (NFC) Placement	175
	Other	737	2.8%	Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized: Non-Relative	384
	Ethnicity Total	26,764	100.0%	Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized: Relative	862
Sex Assigned at Birth	Male	13,257	49.5%	Guardian Home: Non-Relative	851
	Female	13,496	50.4%	Guardian Home: Relative	117
	Intersex	1	0.0%	Total Placement (Includes NFC Placement, Adoptive Home, and Guardian Home)	17,673
	Unknown	10	0.0%	<i>NOTE: In the above, 131 children received D Rate and 55 received F Rate care.</i>	
	Sex Assigned at Birth Total	26,764	100.0%		

FOSTER CARE RESOURCES			
		Homes	Beds
**Foster Homes		2	2
**Small Family Homes		53	36

* 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.