

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



EMERGENCY RESPONSE REFERRALS							
	No. of Referrals	No. of Referred Children					
Evaluated Out	1,630	2,534					
In-Person Response	2,741	5,442					
Total Referral Children Received during Month	4,371	7,976					
REFERRAL CHILDREN RECEIVED BY ALLEGATION TYPE							
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	149	1.9%					
General Neglect	2,908	36.5%					
Exploitation	13	0.2%					
Sexual Abuse	833	10.4%					
At Risk, Sibling Abused	1,302	16.3%					
Emotional Abuse	1,565	19.6%					
Physical Abuse	1,081	13.6%					
Severe Neglect	125	1.6%					
Total	7,976	100.0%					

IN-HOME AND OUT-OF-HOME SERVICES CASELOAD (CHILDREN) AS OF JULY 2023					
		FM and FR Services Caseload	* Adoption Services Caseload		
Emergency Response (Open Services Cases)		637	3		
Family Maintenance	Under 12 Months	6,158			
	Over 12 Months	795			
	Sub Total	6,953	2		
Family Reunification	Under 18 Months	4,865			
	Over 18 Months	764			
	Sub Total	5,629	540		
Permanent Placement		10,059	7,048		
Supportive Transition		2,089	34		
Total Children Receiving Child Welfare		25,367	7,627		

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

CHILD CHARACTERISTICS			
Age	Birth - 2 Years	4,547	17.9%
	3 - 4 Years	3,094	12.2%
	5 - 9 Years	6,295	24.8%
	10 - 13 Years	4,202	16.6%
	14 - 15 Years	2,280	9.0%
	16 - 17 Years	2,352	9.3%
	18 Years & Older	2,597	10.2%
	Age Total	25,367	100.0%
Ethnicity	White	2,646	10.4%
	Hispanic	15,385	60.6%
	Black	6,084	24.0%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	487	1.9%
	American Indian/Alaskan Native	57	0.2%
	Other	708	2.8%
	Ethnicity Total	25,367	100.0%
Sex Assigned at Birth	Male	12,510	49.3%
	Female	12,843	50.6%
	Unknown	14	0.1%
	Sex Assigned at Birth Total	25,367	100.0%

CHILDREN IN OUT-OF-HOME PLACEMENT		
Relative/Non-Relative Extended Family Member Home	15	
Foster Family Home	5	
Foster Family Agency Certified Home	401	
Foster Family Agency Certified Resource Family Home	1,929	
Small Family Home	18	
Group Home	41	
Supervised Independent Living Placement	1,134	
Resource Family Home (RFH): Non-Relative RFH	2,946	
Resource Family Home (RFH): Relative RFH	7,033	
Short Term Residential Therapeutic Program	238	
Other (County Shelter, Tribal, and Court Specified Homes)	252	
Total Out-of-Home Placement	14,012	
Non Foster Care (NFC) Placement	158	
Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized: Non-Relative	501	
Adoptive Home - Adoption Not Finalized: Relative	1,053	
Guardian Home: Non-Relative	842	
Guardian Home: Relative	108	
Total Placement (Includes NFC Placement, Adoptive Home, and Guardian Home)	16,674	
NOTE: In the above, 105 children received D Rate and 30 received F Rate care.		

FOSTER CARE RESOURCES					
		Homes	Beds		
**Foster Homes		3	3		
**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.