

Jefferson Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on April 06, 2025 Source TWS-W058

Demographic Indicator	Number	Percent within Region	Number	Percent within State
Total Number of Children in OOHC with Active Placements	1108		8534	
Placed in PCP Foster Homes	290	26	2702	32
Placed in PCC Residential	54	5	469	5
Placed in Relative or Fictive Kin Placement (non-Foster Home)	351	32	1449	17
Total Number Placed in DCBS Foster Homes all Types (note A)	268	24	2815	33
Placed in DCBS Basic, Advanced, or Child Specific Foster Homes	230	21	2288	27
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Complex Homes	13	1	206	2
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Homes	25	2	321	4
...with a Relative or Fictive Kin (Note E)	90	8	795	9
Placed in Detention Center or DJJ	10	1	69	1
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	53	5	481	6
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	23	2	129	2
Placed Out of State (note B)	17	2	166	2
AWOL	22	2	68	1
Trial Home Visit	14	1	153	2
Home Placement	6	1	63	1
Placed in Medical, Skilled Care, or SCL	16	1	123	1
Age at First Entry into Foster Care				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	257	23	1577	18
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	124	11	1171	14
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	163	15	1350	16
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	286	26	2206	26
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	278	25	2230	26
Demographics				
Black/AA Children (includes multi-racial youth, note F)	610	55	1903	22
Children with a Goal of Adoption	275	25	2215	26
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	650	59	4825	57
Average Age of Entry into Foster Care	7		7	
Average Age Now	10		10	
Average Number of Months in Care at this Point in Time	22		24	
Average Percent of Life in Care	30		28	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	1153		1016	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	3		3	
Cost Data				
Number of Children with Per Diem Payments Listed	935		7035	
Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments	\$75.16		\$88.89	
Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)	\$49710.56		\$64586.56	

A. Includes DCBS adoptive homes, basic and advanced, child specific, and medically complex homes.

B. Includes relative placements, adoptive homes, treatment facilities, and homes just over the border.

C. Other goals include placement with relatives, planned permanent living or the goals have not been determined.

D. Total costs per child will be higher because children in this number have not exited care.

E. Includes children in DCBS Homes (all types) placed w/ a relative or fictive kin also approved as a foster parent

F. Includes only children with Black/AA identified as one of the races.