

Northern Bluegrass Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on February 02, 2025 Source TWS-W058

Demographic Indicator	Number	Percent within Region	Number	Percent within State
Total Number of Children in OOHC with Active Placements	1188		8262	
Placed in PCP Foster Homes	427	36	2659	32
Placed in PCC Residential	83	7	477	6
Placed in Relative or Fictive Kin Placement (non-Foster Home)	185	16	1403	17
Total Number Placed in DCBS Foster Homes all Types (note A)	334	28	2636	32
Placed in DCBS Basic, Advanced, or Child Specific Foster Homes	272	23	2160	26
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Complex Homes	46	4	211	3
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Homes	16	1	265	3
...with a Relative or Fictive Kin (Note E)	105	9	632	8
Placed in Detention Center or DJJ	7	1	48	1
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	87	7	475	6
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	16	1	128	2
Placed Out of State (note B)	35	3	158	2
AWOL	11	1	70	1
Trial Home Visit	16	1	184	2
Home Placement	2	0	50	1
Placed in Medical, Skilled Care, or SCL	19	2	122	1
Age at First Entry into Foster Care				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	206	17	1560	19
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	167	14	1155	14
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	180	15	1337	16
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	311	26	2088	25
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	324	27	2122	26
Demographics				
Black/AA Children (includes multi-racial youth, note F)	203	17	1805	22
Children with a Goal of Adoption	271	23	2167	26
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	714	60	4590	56
Average Age of Entry into Foster Care	7		7	
Average Age Now	11		10	
Average Number of Months in Care at this Point in Time	25		24	
Average Percent of Life in Care	28		28	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	867		1029	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	3		3	
Cost Data				
Number of Children with Per Diem Payments Listed	1021		6856	
Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments	\$95.58		\$89.50	
Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)	\$73642.58		\$65943.21	

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.