

The Lakes 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	763		8534	
Placed in PCP Foster Homes	142	19	2702	32
Placed in PCC Residential	60	8	469	5
Placed in Relative or Fictive Kin Placement (non-Foster Home)	125	16	1449	17
Total Number Placed in DCBS Foster Homes all Types (note A)	359	47	2815	33
Placed in DCBS Basic, Advanced, or Child Specific Foster Homes	298	39	2288	27
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Complex Homes	31	4	206	2
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Homes	30	4	321	4
...with a Relative or Fictive Kin (Note E)	133	17	795	9
Placed in Detention Center or DJJ	10	1	69	1
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	28	4	481	6
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	6	1	129	2
Placed Out of State (note B)	32	4	166	2
AWOL	1	0	68	1
Trial Home Visit	16	2	153	2
Home Placement	8	1	63	1
Placed in Medical, Skilled Care, or SCL	7	1	123	1
Age at First Entry into Foster Care				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	132	17	1577	18
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	116	15	1171	14
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	112	15	1350	16
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	225	29	2206	26
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	178	23	2230	26
Demographics				
Black/AA Children (includes multi-racial youth, note F)	182	24	1903	22
Children with a Goal of Adoption	190	25	2215	26
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	445	58	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	27		28	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	857		1016	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	4		3	
Cost Data				
Number of Children with Per Diem Payments Listed	624		7035	
Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments	\$81.09		\$88.89	
Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)	\$53411.39		\$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.