

Northeastern Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on April 06, 2014 Source TWS-W058

Statewide Total

Demographic Indicator	Number	Percent within Region	Number	Percent within State
Total Number of Children in OOHC with Active Placements (note E, F)	720		7,599	
Placed in PCC Foster Homes	297	41.3	3,015	39.7
Placed in PCC Residential	81	11.3	1,034	13.6
Placed in Relative Placement	19	2.6	222	2.9
Total Number placed in DCBS Foster Homes all types (note A)	300	41.7	3,057	40.2
Placed in DCBS Basic and Advanced Foster Homes	259	36.0	2,635	34.7
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Fragile Homes	15	2.1	221	2.9
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Home	26	3.6	201	2.6
Placed in Detention Center	1	0.1	17	0.2
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	12	1.7	98	1.3
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	7	1.0	105	1.4
Placed out of state (note B)	1	0.1	60	0.8
Age at First Entry into Foster Care				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	133	18.5	1,408	18.5
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	117	16.3	1,095	14.4
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	134	18.6	1,318	17.3
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	186	25.8	1,835	24.1
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	149	20.7	1,938	25.5
Demographics				
African American Children	38	5.3	1,327	17.5
Children with a Goal of Adoption	233	32.4	2,125	28.0
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	360	50.0	3,823	50.3
Children with a Goal of Emancipation	9	1.3	465	6.1
Average Age of Entry into foster care	6.5		7.0	
Average Age Now	9.6		9.9	
Average # Months in Care at this Point in Time	23.4		22.4	
Average Percent of Life in Care	30.5		29.1	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	622.8		763.9	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	3.1		3.1	
Cost Data				
Number of Children with Per Diem payments listed	650		6,881	
Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments	\$65.63		\$69.52	
Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)	\$46,825.36		\$47,494.59	

A. Includes DCBS adoptive homes, basic and advanced, medically fragile 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 35 Statewide duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.

F. Includes 4 Regional duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.