

# Northeastern Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on August 03, 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)	681		7,569	
Placed in PCC Foster Homes	300	44.1	3,081	40.7
Placed in PCC Residential	57	8.4	976	12.9
Placed in Relative Placement	18	2.6	274	3.6
Total Number placed in DCBS Foster Homes all types (note A)	294	43.2	3,008	39.7
Placed in DCBS Basic and Advanced Foster Homes	245	36.0	2,578	34.1
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Fragile Homes	18	2.6	229	3.0
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Home	31	4.6	201	2.7
Placed in Detention Center	1	0.1	15	0.2
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	9	1.3	85	1.1
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	1	0.1	94	1.2
Placed out of state (note B)	0	0.0	74	1.0
<b>Age at First Entry into Foster Care</b>				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	127	18.6	1,468	19.4
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	111	16.3	1,113	14.7
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	130	19.1	1,317	17.4
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	173	25.4	1,788	23.6
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	140	20.6	1,878	24.8
<b>Demographics</b>				
African American Children	34	5.0	1,378	18.2
Children with a Goal of Adoption	242	35.5	2,163	28.6
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	335	49.2	3,729	49.3
Children with a Goal of Emancipation	8	1.2	446	5.9
Average Age of Entry into foster care	6.5		6.9	
Average Age Now	9.7		9.8	
Average # Months in Care at this Point in Time	24.8		22.5	
Average Percent of Life in Care	31.5		29.5	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	669.1		747.4	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	3.2		3.1	
<b>Cost Data</b>				
Number of Children with Per Diem payments listed	620		6,829	
<b>Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments</b>	\$65.16		\$69.57	
<b>Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)</b>	\$49,265.10		\$47,704.06	

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 31 Statewide duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.

F. Includes 0 Regional duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.