

The Cumberland Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on March 06, 2016 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)	660		7,893	
Placed in PCC Foster Homes	117	17.7	3,370	42.7
Placed in PCC Residential	67	10.2	985	12.5
Placed in Relative Placement	57	8.6	295	3.7
Total Number placed in DCBS Foster Homes all types (note A)	405	61.4	2,941	37.3
Placed in DCBS Basic and Advanced Foster Homes	317	48.0	2,474	31.3
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Fragile Homes	60	9.1	220	2.8
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Home	28	4.2	247	3.1
Placed in Detention Center	2	0.3	24	0.3
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	3	0.5	96	1.2
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	8	1.2	133	1.7
Placed out of state (note B)	7	1.1	63	0.8
Age at First Entry into Foster Care				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	118	17.9	1,566	19.8
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	106	16.1	1,193	15.1
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	135	20.5	1,368	17.3
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	138	20.9	1,851	23.5
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	163	24.7	1,911	24.2
Demographics				
African American Children	27	4.1	1,452	18.4
Children with a Goal of Adoption	134	20.3	2,275	28.8
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	397	60.2	3,805	48.2
Children with a Goal of Emancipation	30	4.5	421	5.3
Average Age of Entry into foster care	6.8		6.7	
Average Age Now	10.0		9.8	
Average # Months in Care at this Point in Time	23.3		22.9	
Average Percent of Life in Care	29.7		30.6	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	748.6		802.8	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	3.0		3.1	
Cost Data				
Number of Children with Per Diem payments listed	560		7,006	
Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments	\$61.63		\$74.34	
Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)	\$43,737.08		\$51,751.51	

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 45 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.