

# Statewide Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on June 01, 2014 Source TWS-W058

Demographic Indicator	Number	Percent
Total Number of Children in OOHC with Active Placements (note E, F)	7,778	
Placed in PCC Foster Homes	3,104	39.9
Placed in PCC Residential	1,070	13.8
Placed in Relative Placement	243	3.1
Total Number placed in DCBS Foster Homes all types (note A)	3,076	39.5
Placed in DCBS Basic and Advanced Foster Homes	2,649	34.1
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Fragile Homes	231	3.0
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Home	196	2.5
Placed in Detention Center	26	0.3
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	95	1.2
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	126	1.6
Placed out of state (note B)	58	0.7
<b>Age at First Entry into Foster Care</b>		
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	1,426	18.3
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	1,111	14.3
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	1,340	17.2
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	1,876	24.1
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	2,022	26.0
<b>Demographics</b>		
African American Children	1,399	18.0
Children with a Goal of Adoption	2,125	27.3
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	3,863	49.7
Children with a Goal of Emancipation	478	6.1
Average Age of Entry into foster care	7.1	
Average Age Now	9.9	
Average # Months in Care at this Point in Time	22.3	
Average Percent of Life in Care	28.8	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	750.2	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	3.1	
<b>Cost Data</b>		
Number of Children with Per Diem payments listed	7,019	
<b>Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments</b>	\$70.14	
<b>Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)</b>	\$47,713.56	

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 39 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.