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Legislative Charge

Senate Bill 567 (Ch. 366 of the Acts of 2015)

Senate Bill 567 (cross filed with House Bill 643) was passed and signed into law in 2015. This bill requires the Department of Human Services (DHS) and its Social Services Administration (SSA) to provide a report to the General Assembly by December 1st of each year. The following eleven questions are required to be provided and broken out by jurisdiction, race, gender and age.

(1) The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations;
(2) The number of children receiving in-home services;
(3) The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type;
(4) The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type;
(5) The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit;
(6) The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit;
(7) The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes;
(8) The stability of school placements;
(9) The number who graduate from high school;
(10) The number who qualify for a Maryland high school diploma by examination; and
(11) The number who receive tuition waivers

The first 7 items listed above are all questions that can be measured using data and information available from the Maryland Department of Human Services and its Social Services Administration's (DHS/SSA) State Automated Child Welfare Information System known as MD CHESSIE. Questions 8 through 11 require data sharing between agencies. Question 8 and 9 requires data from the Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE) question 10 requires data from the Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR), and question 11 requires data from the Maryland Higher Education Commission (MHEC).

This report is the fourth annual report.

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Maryland State Census

Maryland is a diverse state consisting of 24 jurisdictions. The table below provides a comparison across jurisdictions of the overall population. The population of youth between the ages of 0 and 17, and 0 and 20, are used throughout this report and are presented here alongside the total population. As can be seen in the table, Montgomery County has the largest population and the largest number of youth. Alternatively, Kent County has the smallest population in general and smallest number of youth. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[1].
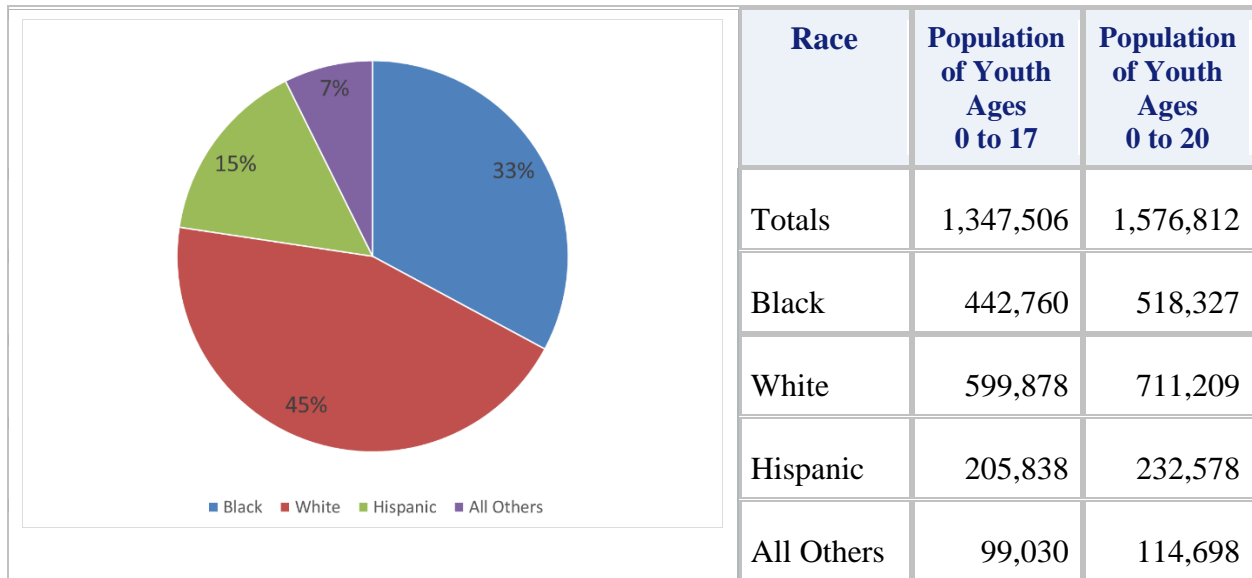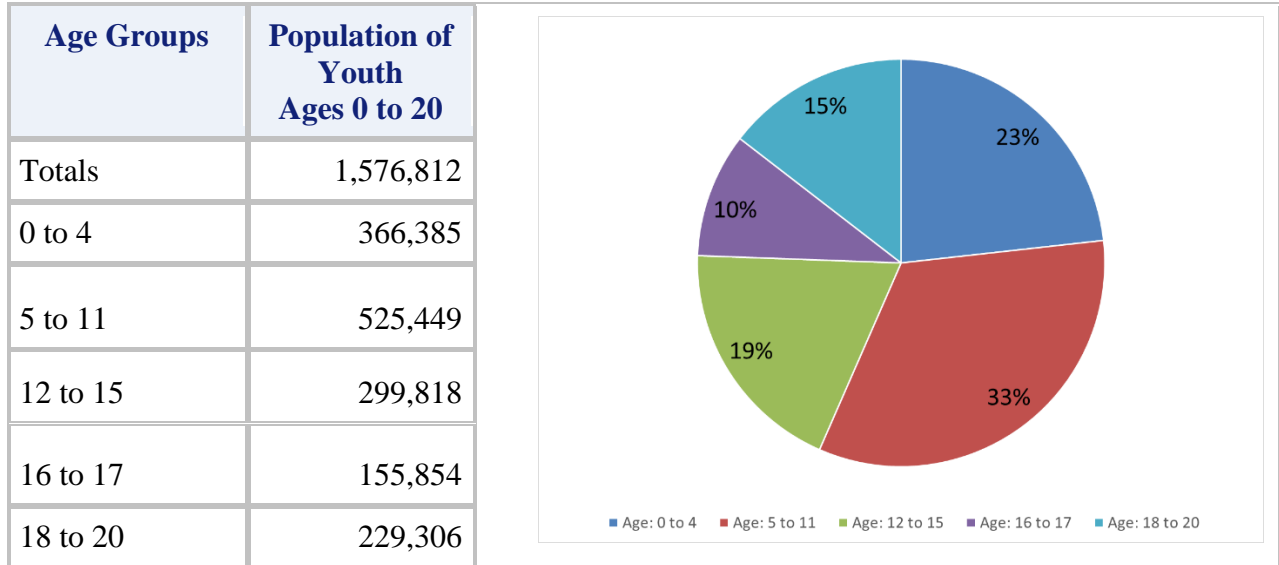
	Population of Youth 0 to 17	County Percent 0 to 17	Population of Youth 0 to 20	County Percent 0 to 20	Total Population	County Percent Total
Maryland	1,347,506	100.00%	1,576,812	100.00%	6,052,177	100.00%
Allegany	12,538	0.93%	16,630	1.05%	71,615	1.18%
Anne Arundel	127,512	9.46%	147,824	9.37%	573,235	9.47%
Baltimore City	126,316	9.37%	150,501	9.54%	611,648	10.11%
Baltimore County	180,026	13.36%	212,614	13.48%	832,468	13.75%
Calvert	21,405	1.59%	24,649	1.56%	91,502	1.51%
Caroline	7,857	0.58%	8,886	0.56%	33,193	0.55%
Carroll	36,659	2.72%	42,878	2.72%	167,781	2.77%
Cecil	23,470	1.74%	26,800	1.70%	102,746	1.70%
Charles	38,648	2.87%	44,520	2.82%	159,700	2.64%
Dorchester	6,802	0.50%	7,670	0.49%	32,162	0.53%
Frederick	58,661	4.35%	68,334	4.33%	252,022	4.16%
Garrett	5,503	0.41%	6,370	0.40%	29,233	0.48%
Harford	56,494	4.19%	65,158	4.13%	252,160	4.17%
Howard	78,588	5.83%	89,320	5.66%	321,113	5.31%
Kent	3,081	0.23%	4,333	0.27%	19,384	0.32%
Montgomery	246,303	18.28%	280,050	17.76%	1,058,810	17.49%
Prince George's	203,066	15.07%	242,798	15.40%	912,756	15.08%
Queen Anne's	10,741	0.80%	12,325	0.78%	49,770	0.82%
Somerset	4,445	0.33%	6,545	0.42%	25,918	0.43%
St. Mary's	27,607	2.05%	32,193	2.04%	112,667	1.86%
Talbot	6,781	0.50%	7,699	0.49%	37,103	0.61%
Washington	33,247	2.47%	37,995	2.41%	150,578	2.49%
Wicomico	22,741	1.69%	30,380	1.93%	102,923	1.70%
Worcester	9,015	0.67%	10,340	0.66%	51,690	0.85%

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Maryland

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Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	1,576,812
0 to 4	366,385
5 to 11	525,449
12 to 15	299,818
16 to 17	155,854
18 to 20	229,306

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	1,347,506	1,576,812
Black	442,760	518,327
White	599,878	711,209
Hispanic	205,838	232,578
All Others	99,030	114,698

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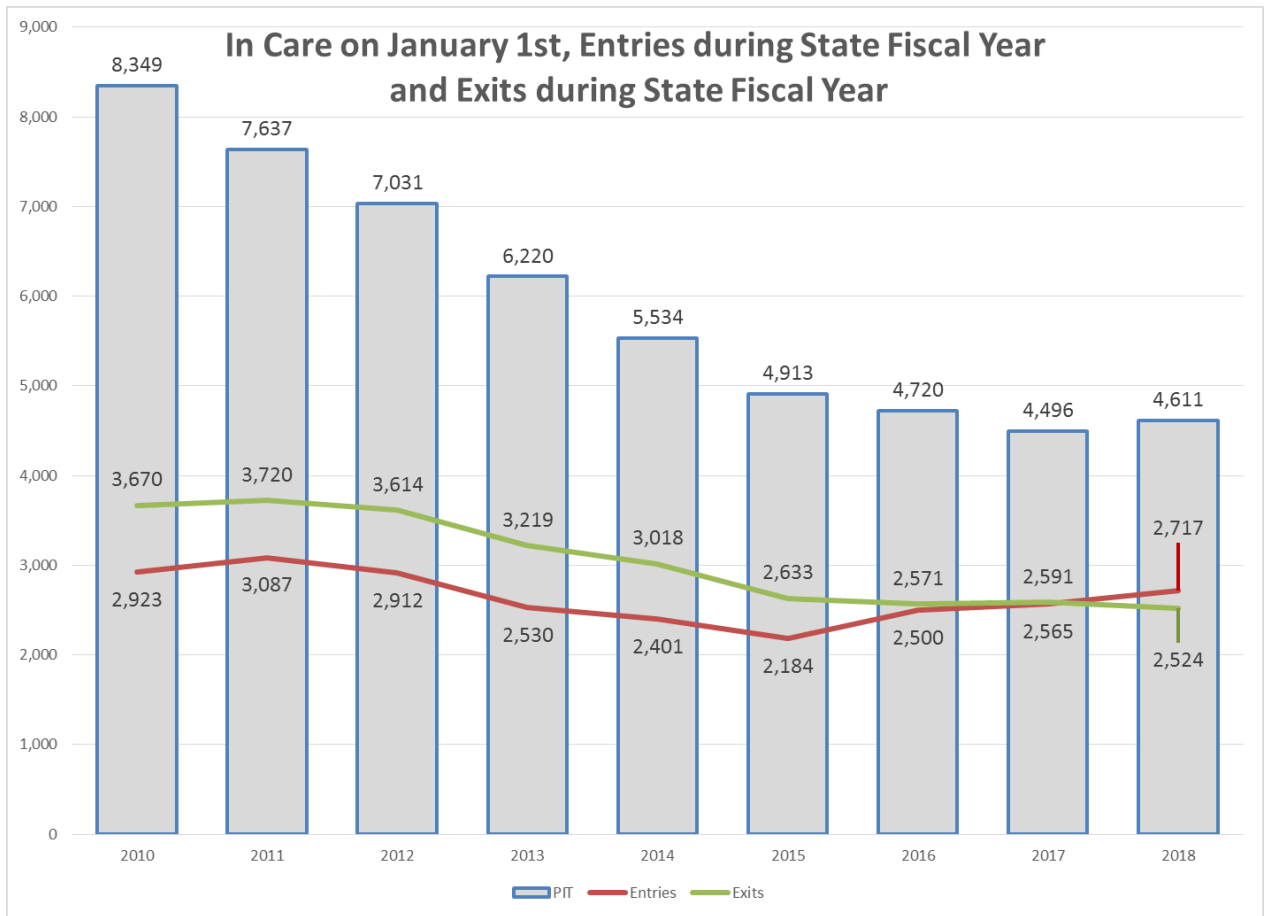NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

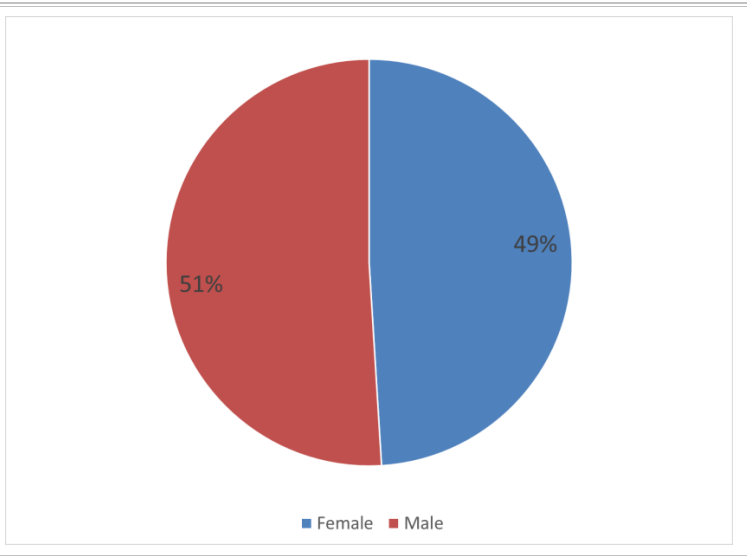| Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	1,347,506	1,576,812
Female	660,592	772,712
Male	686,914	804,100

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Maryland.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Maryland

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	32,007	10,661	33.31%	21,346	66.69%	6,696	31.37%	4,545	21.29%	10,105	47.34%
Ages 0 to 4	8,342	2,510	30.09%	5,832	69.91%	2,034	34.88%	1,232	21.12%	2,566	44.00%
Ages 5 to 11	14,202	5,158	36.32%	9,044	63.68%	2,645	29.25%	1,902	21.03%	4,497	49.72%
Ages 12 to 15	6,479	2,116	32.66%	4,363	67.34%	1,358	31.13%	923	21.16%	2,082	47.72%
Ages 16 to 18	2,870	871	30.35%	1,999	69.65%	634	31.72%	452	22.61%	913	45.67%
Age Invalid	113	***	5.31%	107	94.69%	***	22.43%	36	33.64%	47	43.93%
Age Missing	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	32,007	10,661	33.31%	21,346	66.69%	6,696	31.37%	4,545	21.29%	10,105	47.34%
Female	16,376	5,122	31.28%	11,254	68.72%	3,725	33.10%	2,404	21.36%	5,125	45.54%
Male	15,529	5,517	35.53%	10,012	64.47%	2,958	29.54%	2,126	21.23%	4,928	49.22%
Other/Unknown	102	22	21.57%	80	78.43%	13	16.25%	15	18.75%	52	65.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	32,007	10,661	33.31%	21,346	66.69%	6,696	31.37%	4,545	21.29%	10,105	47.34%
Hispanic	2,462	856	34.77%	1,606	65.23%	607	37.80%	331	20.61%	668	41.59%
Black	13,377	3,793	28.35%	9,584	71.65%	2,883	30.08%	2,047	21.36%	4,654	48.56%
White	9,919	3,467	34.95%	6,452	65.05%	2,083	32.28%	1,370	21.23%	2,999	46.48%
All Other	454	199	43.83%	255	56.17%	81	31.76%	49	19.22%	125	49.02%
Unable to Determine	5,795	2,346	40.48%	3,449	59.52%	1,042	30.21%	748	21.69%	1,659	48.10%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Maryland.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	4,767	10,104
Ages 0 to 4	.	4,048
Ages 5 to 11	.	3,622
Ages 12 to 15	.	1,708
Ages 16 to 17	.	640
Age Unknown	.	86
Gender		
Totals	4,767	10,104
Female	.	5,020
Male	.	5,071
Unknown	.	13
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	4,767	10,104
Black	.	4,485
White	.	3,155
Hispanic	.	471
All Others	.	89
Unable to Determine	.	1,904

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Maryland

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	**Children (A)**	**N (B)**	**% (B/A)**	**n (C)**	**% (C/A)**	**n (D)**	**% (D/A)**	**n (E)**	**% (E/A)**	**n (F)**	**% (F/A)**
Totals	2,094	115	5.49%	1,681	80.27%	246	11.74%	27	1.28%	17	0.81%
Ages 0 to 4	1,020	***	0.88%	809	79.31%	193	18.92%	***	0.00%	***	0.78%
Ages 5 to 11	551	***	1.63%	516	93.64%	19	3.44%	***	0.36%	***	0.72%
Ages 12 to 15	354	56	15.81%	258	72.88%	20	5.64%	15	4.23%	***	0.56%
Ages 16 to 17	169	41	24.26%	98	57.98%	14	8.28%	10	5.91%	***	1.77%
Gender											
Totals	2,094	115	5.49%	1,681	80.27%	246	11.74%	27	1.28%	17	0.81%
Female	1,009	63	6.24%	820	81.26%	101	10.00%	14	1.38%	***	0.69%
Male	1,085	52	4.79%	861	79.35%	145	13.36%	13	1.19%	10	0.92%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	2,094	115	5.49%	1,681	80.27%	246	11.74%	27	1.28%	17	0.81%
Hispanic	141	13	9.21%	108	76.59%	17	12.05%	***	0.70%	***	1.41%
Black	1,098	65	5.91%	912	83.06%	107	9.74%	***	0.63%	***	0.45%
White	572	33	5.76%	442	77.27%	70	12.23%	16	2.79%	***	1.04%
All other	15	***	13.33%	10	66.66%	***	6.66%	***	13.33%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	268	***	0.74%	209	77.98%	51	19.02%	***	0.37%	***	1.49%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Maryland

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type													
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
	Totals	2,524	1,105	43.77%	349	13.82%	443	17.55%	64	2.53%	393	15.57%	97	3.84%	73	2.89%
	Ages 0 to 4	905	445	49.17%	206	22.76%	196	21.65%	***	0.77%	***	0.11%	39	4.30%	11	1.21%
	Ages 5 to 11	706	345	48.86%	112	15.86%	170	24.07%	24	3.39%	***	0.00%	38	5.38%	17	2.40%
	Ages 12 to 15	292	178	60.95%	22	7.53%	50	17.12%	19	6.50%	***	0.00%	13	4.45%	10	3.42%
	Ages 16 to 18	255	125	49.01%	***	3.13%	27	10.58%	13	5.09%	51	20.00%	***	2.35%	25	9.80%
	Over 18	366	12	3.27%	***	0.27%	***	0.00%	***	0.27%	341	93.16%	***	0.27%	10	2.73%
Gender																
	Totals	2,524	1,105	43.77%	349	13.82%	443	17.55%	64	2.53%	393	15.57%	97	3.84%	73	2.89%
	Female	1,242	549	44.20%	158	12.72%	225	18.11%	33	2.65%	203	16.34%	47	3.78%	27	2.17%
	Male	1,281	556	43.40%	190	14.83%	218	17.01%	31	2.41%	190	14.83%	50	3.90%	46	3.59%
	Other/Unknown	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																
	Totals	2,524	1,105	43.77%	349	13.82%	443	17.55%	64	2.53%	393	15.57%	97	3.84%	73	2.89%
	Hispanic	160	76	47.50%	25	15.62%	17	10.62%	***	4.37%	22	13.75%	***	5.62%	***	2.50%
	Black	1,467	653	44.51%	124	8.45%	255	17.38%	41	2.79%	289	19.70%	64	4.36%	41	2.79%
	White	699	269	38.48%	162	23.17%	135	19.31%	14	2.00%	79	11.30%	16	2.28%	24	3.43%
	All other	16	10	62.50%	***	0.00%	***	6.25%	***	6.25%	***	6.25%	***	18.75%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	182	97	53.29%	38	20.87%	35	19.23%	***	0.54%	***	1.09%	***	2.74%	***	2.19%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Maryland

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification Children (A)	Reentries within 3 months n (B)	Reentries within 3 months % (B/A)	Reentries within 6 months n (C)	Reentries within 6 months % (C/A)	Reentries within 9 months n (D)	Reentries within 9 months % (D/A)	Reentries within 12 months n (E)	Reentries within 12 months % (E/A)
Totals	1,245	83	6.66%	123	9.87%	147	11.80%	159	12.77%
Ages 0 to 4	512	28	5.46%	48	9.37%	55	10.74%	56	10.93%
Ages 5 to 11	400	28	7.00%	38	9.50%	46	11.50%	52	13.00%
Ages 12 to 15	200	17	8.50%	23	11.50%	27	13.50%	30	15.00%
Ages 16 to 18	133	10	7.51%	14	10.52%	19	14.28%	21	15.78%
Gender									
Totals	1,245	83	6.66%	123	9.87%	147	11.80%	159	12.77%
Female	622	42	6.75%	65	10.45%	82	13.18%	87	13.98%
Male	623	41	6.58%	58	9.30%	65	10.43%	72	11.55%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	1,245	83	6.66%	123	9.87%	147	11.80%	159	12.77%
Hispanic	88	***	5.68%	***	5.68%	***	10.22%	***	10.22%
Black	750	58	7.73%	86	11.46%	97	12.93%	104	13.86%
White	289	15	5.19%	23	7.95%	31	10.72%	36	12.45%
All other	12	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	106	***	4.71%	***	8.49%	10	9.43%	10	9.43%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Maryland

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group	Exits to reunification Children (A)	Reentries within 3 months n (B)	Reentries within 3 months % (B/A)	Reentries within 6 months n (C)	Reentries within 6 months % (C/A)	Reentries within 9 months n (D)	Reentries within 9 months % (D/A)	Reentries within 12 months n (E)	Reentries within 12 months % (E/A)	Reentries within 15 months n (F)	Reentries within 15 months % (F/A)	Reentries within 18 months n (G)	Reentries within 18 months % (G/A)	Reentries within 21 months n (H)	Reentries within 21 months % (H/A)	Reentries within 24 months n (I)	Reentries within 24 months % (I/A)
Totals	1,252	100	7.98%	159	12.69%	193	15.41%	221	17.65%	243	19.40%	259	20.68%	276	22.04%	293	23.40%
Ages 0 to 4	464	31	6.68%	51	10.99%	63	13.57%	67	14.43%	73	15.73%	80	17.24%	84	18.10%	93	20.04%
Ages 5 to 11	383	27	7.04%	47	12.27%	58	15.14%	65	16.97%	76	19.84%	82	21.40%	92	24.02%	96	25.06%
Ages 12 to 15	248	27	10.88%	37	14.91%	45	18.14%	57	22.98%	62	25.00%	65	26.20%	68	27.41%	72	29.03%
Ages 16 to 18	157	15	9.55%	24	15.28%	27	17.19%	32	20.38%	32	20.38%	32	20.38%	32	20.38%	32	20.38%
Gender																	
Totals	1,252	100	7.98%	159	12.69%	193	15.41%	221	17.65%	243	19.40%	259	20.68%	276	22.04%	293	23.40%
Female	625	57	9.12%	90	14.40%	102	16.32%	121	19.36%	137	21.92%	146	23.36%	155	24.80%	164	26.24%
Male	627	43	6.85%	69	11.00%	91	14.51%	100	15.94%	106	16.90%	113	18.02%	121	19.29%	129	20.57%
Race/Ethnicity																	
Totals	1,252	100	7.98%	159	12.69%	193	15.41%	221	17.65%	243	19.40%	259	20.68%	276	22.04%	293	23.40%
Hispanic	76	10	13.15%	14	18.42%	16	21.05%	17	22.36%	17	22.36%	17	22.36%	17	22.36%	17	22.36%
Black	723	67	9.26%	104	14.38%	125	17.28%	143	19.77%	163	22.54%	174	24.06%	187	25.86%	199	27.52%
White	376	20	5.31%	33	8.77%	44	11.70%	52	13.82%	54	14.36%	59	15.69%	63	16.75%	67	17.81%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	69	***	4.34%	***	11.59%	***	11.59%	***	13.04%	***	13.04%	***	13.04%	***	13.04%	10	14.49%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Maryland

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
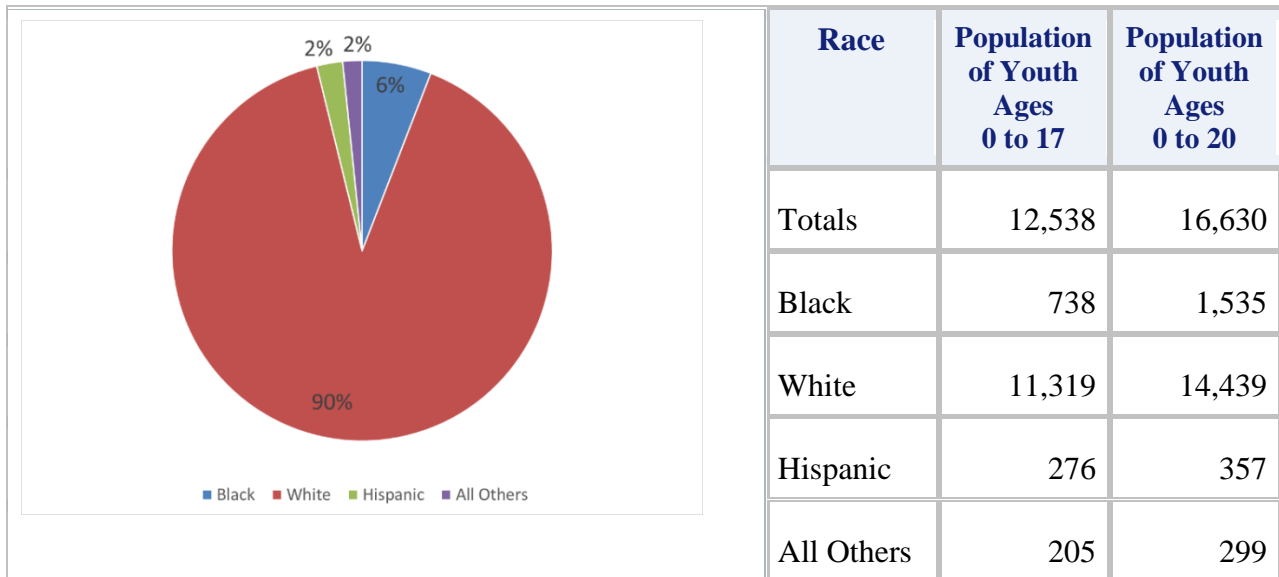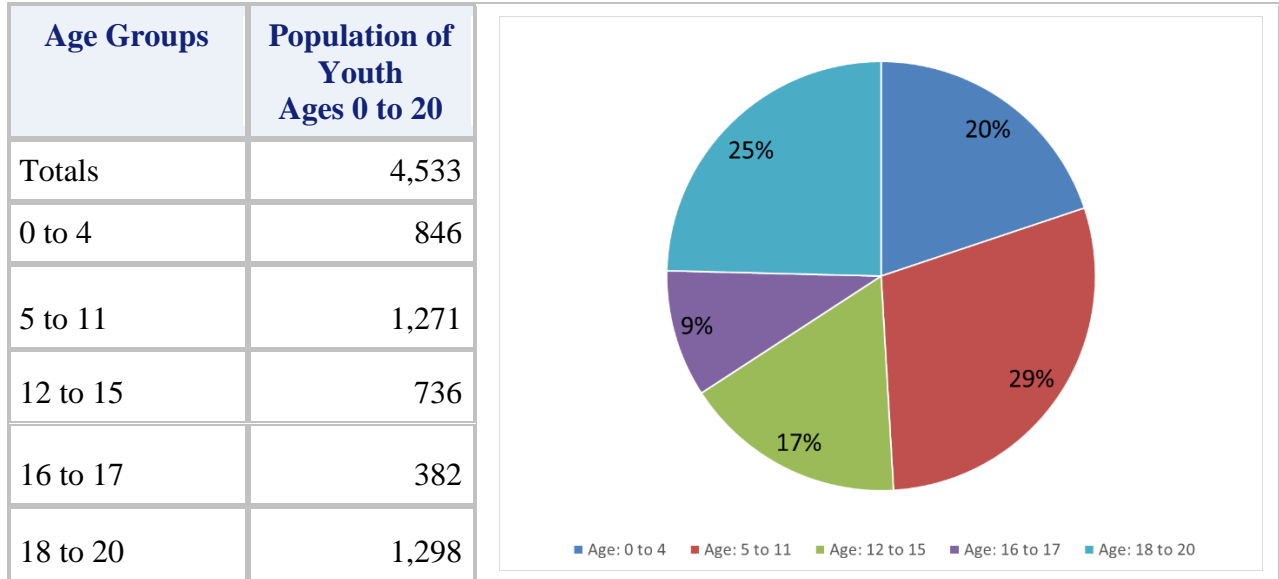**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	2,717	353,739	1,817	5.14
Ages 0 to 4	1,166	152,028	657	4.32
Ages 5 to 11	782	93,716	524	5.59
Ages 12 to 15	515	72,720	442	6.08
Ages 16 to 18	254	35,275	194	5.50
Gender				
Totals	2,717	353,739	1,817	5.14
Female	1,328	174,883	926	5.29
Male	1,389	178,856	891	4.98
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	2,717	353,739	1,817	5.14
Hispanic	168	23,456	139	5.93
Black	1,519	188,277	1,089	5.78
White	719	104,234	423	4.06
All other	17	2,429	15	6.18
Unable to determine	294	35,343	151	4.27

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Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	4,533
0 to 4	846
5 to 11	1,271
12 to 15	736
16 to 17	382
18 to 20	1,298

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	12,538	16,630
Black	738	1,535
White	11,319	14,439
Hispanic	276	357
All Others	205	299

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	12,538	16,630
Female	5,979	8,069
Male	6,559	8,561
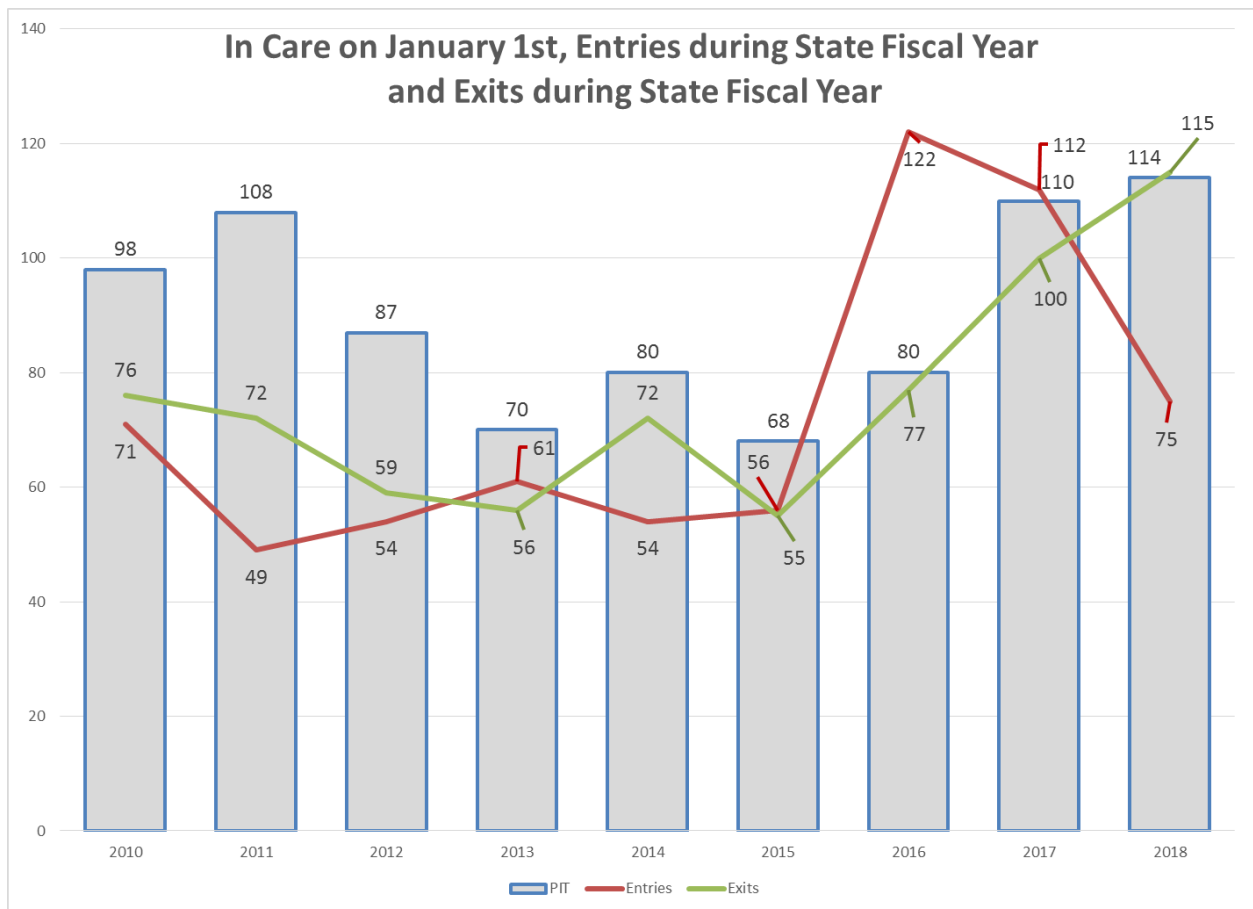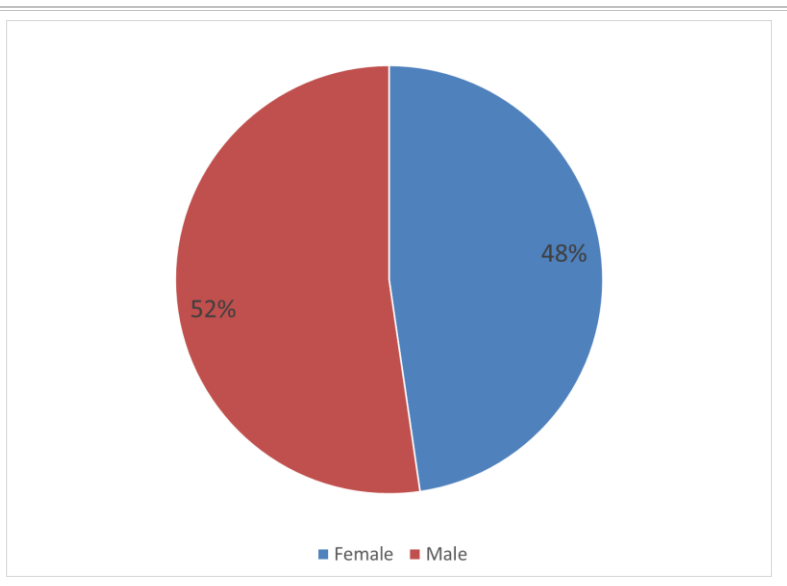
Female 48% Male 52%

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

PIT values: 2010: 98, 2011: 108, 2012: 87, 2013: 70, 2014: 80, 2015: 68, 2016: 80, 2017: 110, 2018: 114

Entries: 2010: 71, 2011: 49, 2012: 54, 2013: 61, 2014: 54, 2015: 56, 2016: 122, 2017: 112, 2018: 75

Exits: 2010: 76, 2011: 72, 2012: 59, 2013: 56, 2014: 72, 2015: 55, 2016: 77, 2017: 100, 2018: 115

Legend: PIT, Entries, Exits

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Allegany.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Allegany

						Investigative Response					
							Indicated		Unsubstantiated		Ruled Out	
Age Groups	Children	Alternative Response		Investigative Response								
	(A)	(B) n	(B/A) %	(C) n	(C/A) %	(D) n	(D/C) %	(I) n	(I/C) %	(O) n	(O/C) %
Totals	655	231	35.27%	424	64.73%	206	48.58%	61	14.39%	157	37.03%
Ages 0 to 4	226	83	36.73%	143	63.27%	83	58.04%	15	10.49%	45	31.47%
Ages 5 to 11	291	100	34.36%	191	65.64%	77	40.31%	36	18.85%	78	40.84%
Ages 12 to 15	101	34	33.66%	67	66.34%	32	47.76%	***	10.45%	***	41.79%
Ages 16 to 18	37	14	37.84%	23	62.16%	14	60.87%	***	13.04%	***	26.09%
Gender											
Totals	655	231	35.27%	424	64.73%	206	48.58%	61	14.39%	157	37.03%
Female	315	110	34.92%	205	65.08%	96	46.83%	32	15.61%	77	37.56%
Male	340	121	35.59%	219	64.41%	110	50.23%	29	13.24%	80	36.53%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	655	231	35.27%	424	64.73%	206	48.58%	61	14.39%	157	37.03%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	61	11	18.03%	50	81.97%	30	60.00%	***	12.00%	14	28.00%
White	555	203	36.58%	352	63.42%	166	47.16%	50	14.20%	136	38.64%
Unable to Determine	37	17	45.95%	20	54.05%	***	40.00%	***	25.00%	***	35.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Allegany.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	159	363
Ages 0 to 4	.	182
Ages 5 to 11	.	127
Ages 12 to 15	.	39
Ages 16 to 17	.	***
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	159	363
Female	.	180
Male	.	183
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	159	363
Black	.	39
White	.	300
Unable to Determine	.	24

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Allegany

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

	Children	Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	**Children (A)**	**N (B)**	**% (B/A)**	**n (C)**	**% (C/A)**	**n (D)**	**% (D/A)**	**n (E)**	**% (E/A)**	**n (F)**	**% (F/A)**
Totals	61	***	0.00%	55	90.16%	***	9.83%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	32	***	0.00%	26	81.25%	***	18.75%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	20	***	0.00%	20	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	61	***	0.00%	55	90.16%	***	9.83%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	24	***	0.00%	22	91.66%	***	8.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	37	***	0.00%	33	89.18%	***	10.81%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	61	***	0.00%	55	90.16%	***	9.83%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	11	***	0.00%	***	72.72%	***	27.27%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	47	***	0.00%	44	93.61%	***	6.38%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Allegany

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type														
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	115	54	46.95%	21	18.26%	33	28.69%	***	4.34%	***	0.86%	***	0.00%	***	0.86%
Ages 0 to 4	55	24	43.63%	14	25.45%	17	30.90%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	44	24	54.54%	***	15.90%	12	27.27%	***	2.27%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	12	***	41.66%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%
Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	115	54	46.95%	21	18.26%	33	28.69%	***	4.34%	***	0.86%	***	0.00%	***	0.86%
Female	60	26	43.33%	12	20.00%	19	31.66%	***	5.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	55	28	50.90%	***	16.36%	14	25.45%	***	3.63%	***	1.81%	***	0.00%	***	1.81%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	115	54	46.95%	21	18.26%	33	28.69%	***	4.34%	***	0.86%	***	0.00%	***	0.86%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	15	***	53.33%	***	6.66%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	89	40	44.94%	19	21.34%	26	29.21%	***	2.24%	***	1.12%	***	0.00%	***	1.12%
Unable to determine	***	***	75.00%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Allegany

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	55	***	1.81%	***	3.63%	***	9.09%	***	16.36%
Ages 0 to 4	25	***	0.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%
Ages 5 to 11	24	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	8.33%	***	20.83%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	40.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%
Gender									
Totals	55	***	1.81%	***	3.63%	***	9.09%	***	16.36%
Female	27	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	7.40%	***	11.11%
Male	28	***	3.57%	***	7.14%	***	10.71%	***	21.42%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	55	***	1.81%	***	3.63%	***	9.09%	***	16.36%
Black	***	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
White	41	***	0.00%	***	2.43%	***	9.75%	***	19.51%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Allegany

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group	**Children** **(A)**	**n** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**	**n** **(F)**	**%** **(F/A)**	**n** **(G)**	**%** **(G/A)**	**n** **(H)**	**%** **(H/A)**	**n** **(I)**	**%** **(I/A)**
Totals	48	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%	12	25.00%
Ages 0 to 4	19	***	10.52%	***	10.52%	***	10.52%	***	31.57%	***	31.57%	***	31.57%	***	31.57%	***	31.57%
Ages 5 to 11	20	***	15.00%	***	15.00%	***	15.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	25.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																	
Totals	48	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%	12	25.00%
Female	25	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
Male	23	***	21.73%	***	21.73%	***	21.73%	***	26.08%	***	26.08%	***	26.08%	***	26.08%	***	30.43%
Race/Ethnicity																	
Totals	48	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%	12	25.00%
Hispanic	***	***	60.00%	***	60.00%	***	60.00%	***	60.00%	***	60.00%	***	60.00%	***	60.00%	***	60.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%
White	39	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	15.38%	***	15.38%	***	15.38%	***	15.38%	***	17.94%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Allegany

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
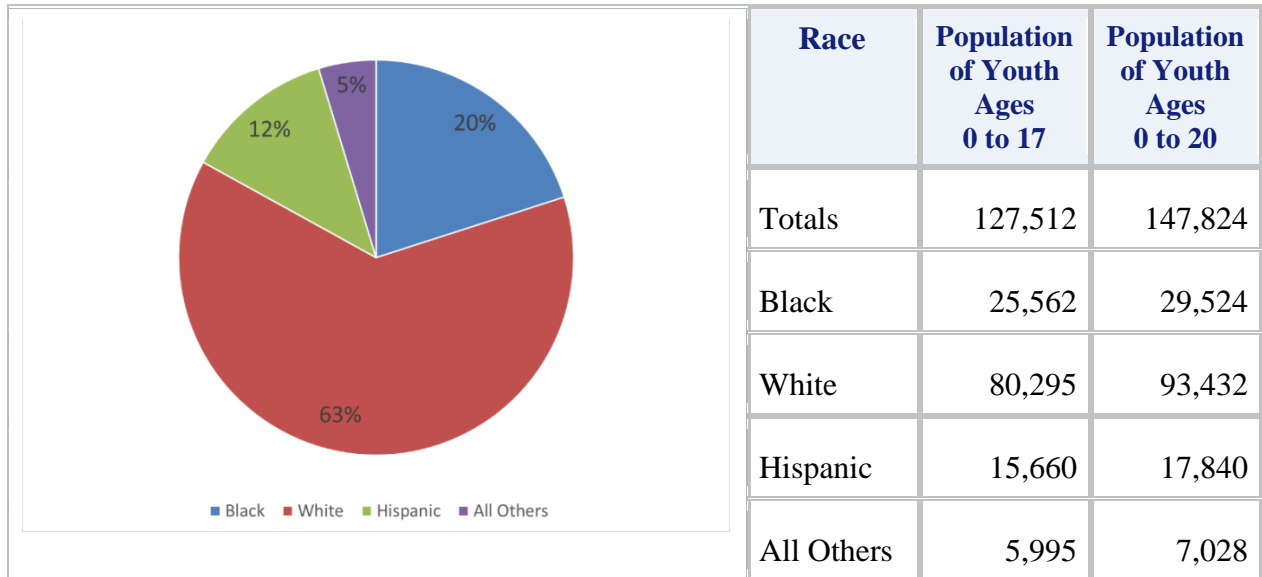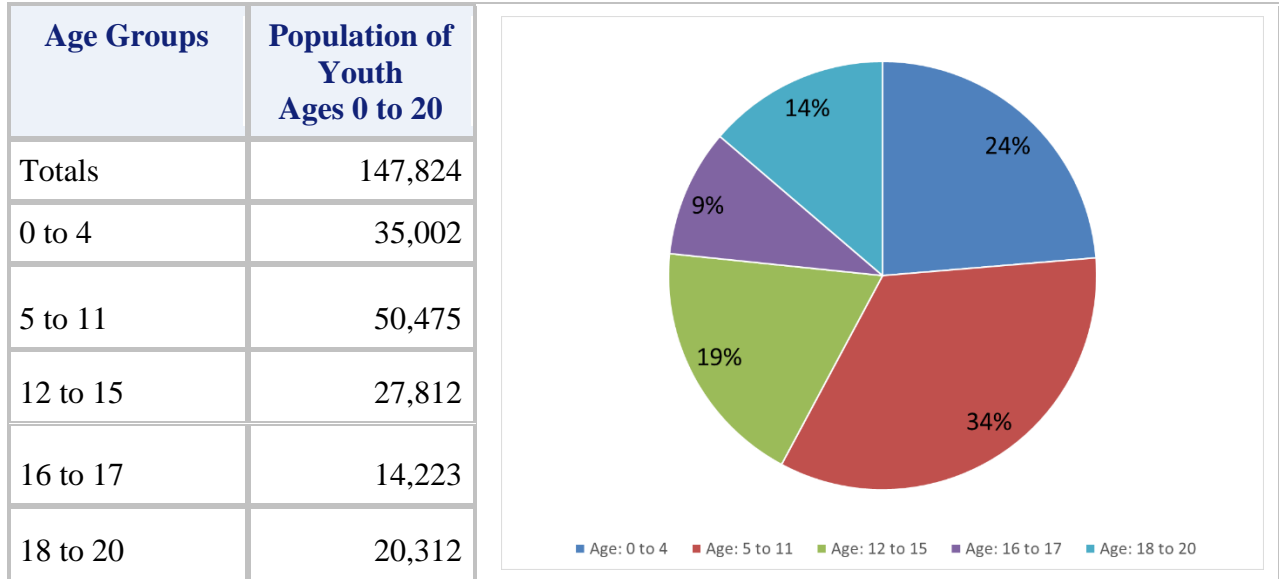**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	75	12,686	37	2.92
Ages 0 to 4	35	6,380	17	2.66
Ages 5 to 11	25	4,174	9	2.16
Ages 12 to 15	***	1,518	10	6.59
Ages 16 to 18	***	614	1	1.63
Gender				
Totals	75	12,686	37	2.92
Female	31	5,256	12	2.28
Male	44	7,430	25	3.36
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	75	12,686	37	2.92
Black	15	2,442	6	2.46
White	57	9,786	29	2.96
Unable to determine	***	458	2	4.37

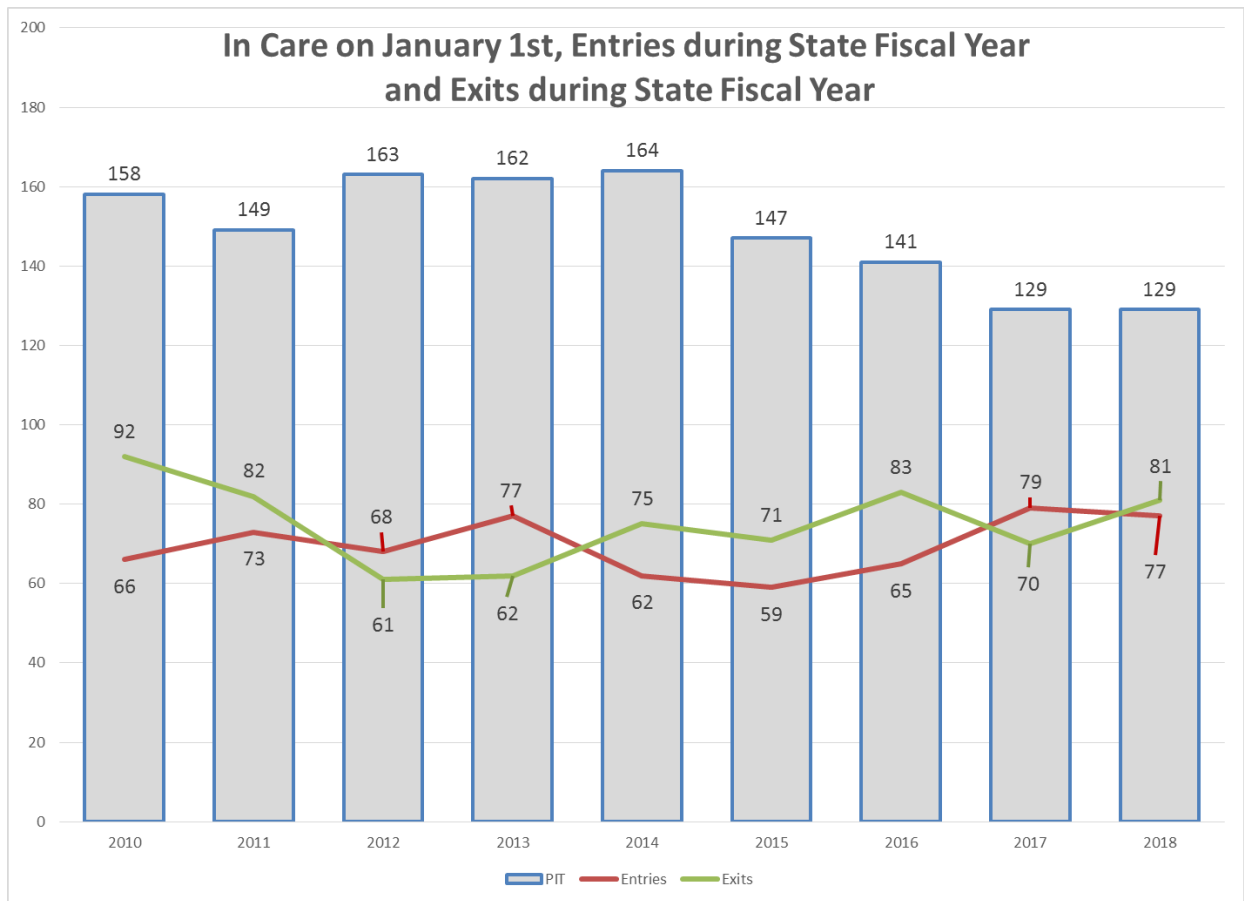NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Anne Arundel

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[4].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	147,824
0 to 4	35,002
5 to 11	50,475
12 to 15	27,812
16 to 17	14,223
18 to 20	20,312

Age: 0 to 4 ■ Age: 5 to 11 ■ Age: 12 to 15 ■ Age: 16 to 17 ■ Age: 18 to 20

■ Black ■ White ■ Hispanic ■ All Others

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	127,512	147,824
Black	25,562	29,524
White	80,295	93,432
Hispanic	15,660	17,840
All Others	5,995	7,028

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NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	127,512	147,824
Female	62,593	71,312
Male	64,919	76,512

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year
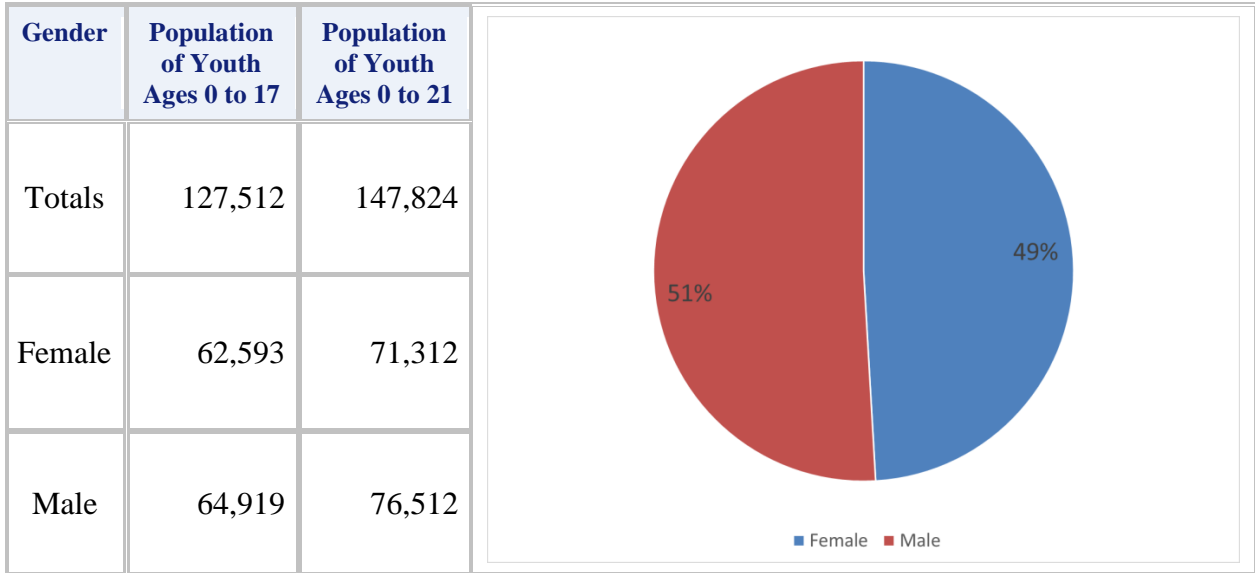
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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Anne Arundel.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Anne Arundel

Age Groups	Children	Alternative Response		Investigative Response		Investigative Response					
						Indicated		Unsubstantiated		Ruled Out	
	(A)	(B) n	(B/A) %	(C) n	(C/A) %	(D) n	(D/C) %	(I) n	(I/C) %	(O) n	(O/C) %
Totals	3,166	1,013	32.00%	2,153	68.00%	442	20.53%	360	16.72%	1,351	62.75%
Ages 0 to 4	779	199	25.55%	580	74.45%	147	25.34%	119	20.52%	314	54.14%
Ages 5 to 11	1,390	517	37.19%	873	62.81%	171	19.59%	118	13.52%	584	66.90%
Ages 12 to 15	696	210	30.17%	486	69.83%	80	16.46%	82	16.87%	324	66.67%
Ages 16 to 18	297	86	28.96%	211	71.04%	44	20.85%	40	18.96%	127	60.19%
Age Invalid	***	***	25.00%	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	66.67%
Gender											
Totals	3,166	1,013	32.00%	2,153	68.00%	442	20.53%	360	16.72%	1,351	62.75%
Female	1,617	488	30.18%	1,129	69.82%	260	23.03%	200	17.71%	669	59.26%
Male	1,545	525	33.98%	1,020	66.02%	182	17.84%	157	15.39%	681	66.76%
Other/Unknown	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	75.00%	***	25.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	3,166	1,013	32.00%	2,153	68.00%	442	20.53%	360	16.72%	1,351	62.75%
Hispanic	206	65	31.55%	141	68.45%	34	24.11%	18	12.77%	89	63.12%
Black	973	291	29.91%	682	70.09%	149	21.85%	110	16.13%	423	62.02%
White	1,342	393	29.28%	949	70.72%	180	18.97%	182	19.18%	587	61.85%
All Others	53	17	32.08%	36	67.92%	***	30.56%	***	16.67%	19	52.78%
Unable to Determine	592	247	41.72%	345	58.28%	68	19.71%	44	12.75%	233	67.54%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Anne Arundel.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	417	869
Ages 0 to 4	.	319
Ages 5 to 11	.	299
Ages 12 to 15	.	178
Ages 16 to 17	.	69
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	417	869
Female	.	441
Male	.	426
Unknown	.	***
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	417	869
Black	.	277
White	.	368
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	178

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Anne Arundel

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	Children (A)	N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
Totals	64	***	10.93%	52	81.25%	***	4.68%	***	3.12%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	26	***	0.00%	24	92.30%	***	7.69%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	18	***	0.00%	17	94.44%	***	5.55%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	16	***	37.50%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	25.00%	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	64	***	10.93%	52	81.25%	***	4.68%	***	3.12%	***	0.00%
Female	35	***	11.42%	27	77.14%	***	8.57%	***	2.85%	***	0.00%
Male	29	***	10.34%	25	86.20%	***	0.00%	***	3.44%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	64	***	10.93%	52	81.25%	***	4.68%	***	3.12%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	31	***	12.90%	26	83.87%	***	3.22%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	22	***	9.09%	17	77.27%	***	4.54%	***	9.09%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Anne Arundel

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type														
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	81	33	40.74%	15	18.51%	10	12.34%	***	2.46%	13	16.04%	***	6.17%	***	3.70%
Ages 0 to 4	25	11	44.00%	10	40.00%	***	12.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	4.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	17	***	35.29%	***	29.41%	***	23.52%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	11.76%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	66.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	22.22%	***	11.11%
Ages 16 to 18	20	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	15.00%	***	10.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.00%
Over 18	10	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	80.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	81	33	40.74%	15	18.51%	10	12.34%	***	2.46%	13	16.04%	***	6.17%	***	3.70%
Female	52	19	36.53%	10	19.23%	***	13.46%	***	1.92%	***	17.30%	***	7.69%	***	3.84%
Male	29	14	48.27%	***	17.24%	***	10.34%	***	3.44%	***	13.79%	***	3.44%	***	3.44%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	81	33	40.74%	15	18.51%	10	12.34%	***	2.46%	13	16.04%	***	6.17%	***	3.70%
Hispanic	***	***	12.50%	***	37.50%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%
Black	30	14	46.66%	***	3.33%	***	16.66%	***	3.33%	***	16.66%	***	10.00%	***	3.33%
White	37	14	37.83%	***	24.32%	***	10.81%	***	2.70%	***	18.91%	***	0.00%	***	5.40%
Unable to determine	***	***	66.66%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Anne Arundel

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	1,245	83	6.66%	123	9.87%	147	11.80%	159	12.77%
Ages 0 to 4	512	28	5.46%	48	9.37%	55	10.74%	56	10.93%
Ages 5 to 11	400	28	7.00%	38	9.50%	46	11.50%	52	13.00%
Ages 12 to 15	200	17	8.50%	23	11.50%	27	13.50%	30	15.00%
Ages 16 to 18	133	10	7.51%	14	10.52%	19	14.28%	21	15.78%
Gender									
Totals	1,245	83	6.66%	123	9.87%	147	11.80%	159	12.77%
Female	622	42	6.75%	65	10.45%	82	13.18%	87	13.98%
Male	623	41	6.58%	58	9.30%	65	10.43%	72	11.55%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	1,245	83	6.66%	123	9.87%	147	11.80%	159	12.77%
Hispanic	88	***	5.68%	***	5.68%	***	10.22%	***	10.22%
Black	750	58	7.73%	86	11.46%	97	12.93%	104	13.86%
White	289	15	5.19%	23	7.95%	31	10.72%	36	12.45%
All other	12	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	106	***	4.71%	***	8.49%	10	9.43%	10	9.43%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Anne Arundel

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
	Children **(A)**	**n** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**	**n** **(F)**	**%** **(F/A)**	**n** **(G)**	**%** **(G/A)**	**n** **(H)**	**%** **(H/A)**	**n** **(I)**	**%** **(I/A)**
Totals	27	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
Gender																	
Totals	27	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%
Female	13	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	14	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	21.42%	***	21.42%
Race/Ethnicity																	
Totals	27	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	12	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%
White	12	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Anne Arundel

**Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between
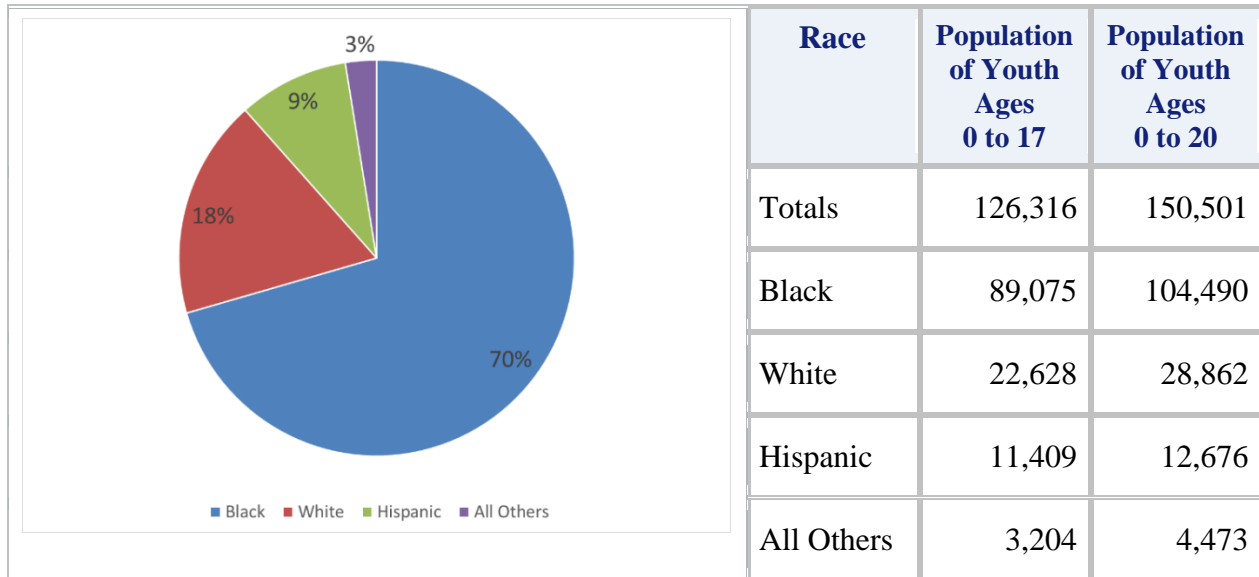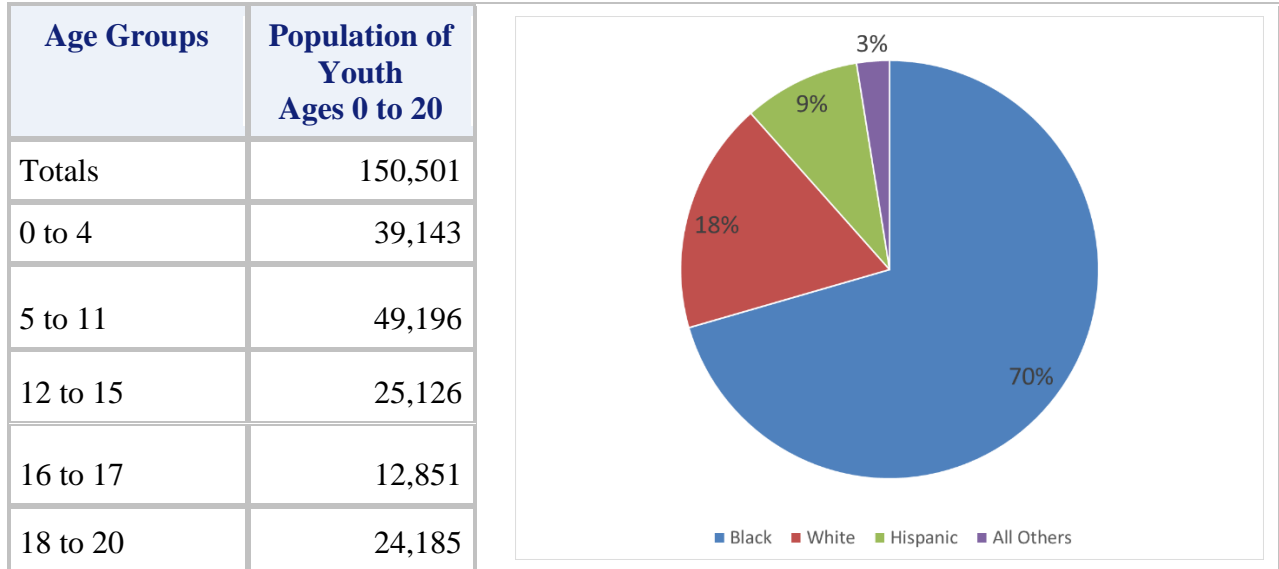July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	77	10,252	38	3.71
Ages 0 to 4	28	3,995	10	2.50
Ages 5 to 11	22	2,918	10	3.43
Ages 12 to 15	19	2,727	15	5.50
Ages 16 to 18	***	612	3	4.90
Gender				
Totals	77	10,252	38	3.71
Female	43	5,979	24	4.01
Male	34	4,273	14	3.28
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	77	10,252	38	3.71
Hispanic	***	1,109	4	3.61
Black	32	3,849	16	4.16
White	32	4,275	15	3.51
Unable to determine	***	1,019	3	2.94

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Baltimore City

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[5].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	150,501
0 to 4	39,143
5 to 11	49,196
12 to 15	25,126
16 to 17	12,851
18 to 20	24,185

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	126,316	150,501
Black	89,075	104,490
White	22,628	28,862
Hispanic	11,409	12,676
All Others	3,204	4,473

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[5]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	126,316	150,501
Female	62,463	75,098
Male	63,853	75,403

Pie chart (Female/Male):
- 49% Female
- 51% Male

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

Year	PIT	Entries	Exits
2010	4,901	1,446	2,053
2011	4,226	1,497	2,088
2012	3,626	1,317	1,989
2013	2,948	1,138	1,645
2014	2,532	1,141	1,527
2015	2,086	941	1,276
2016	1,923	1,131	1,169
2017	1,794	1,231	1,246
2018	1,841	1,383	1,217
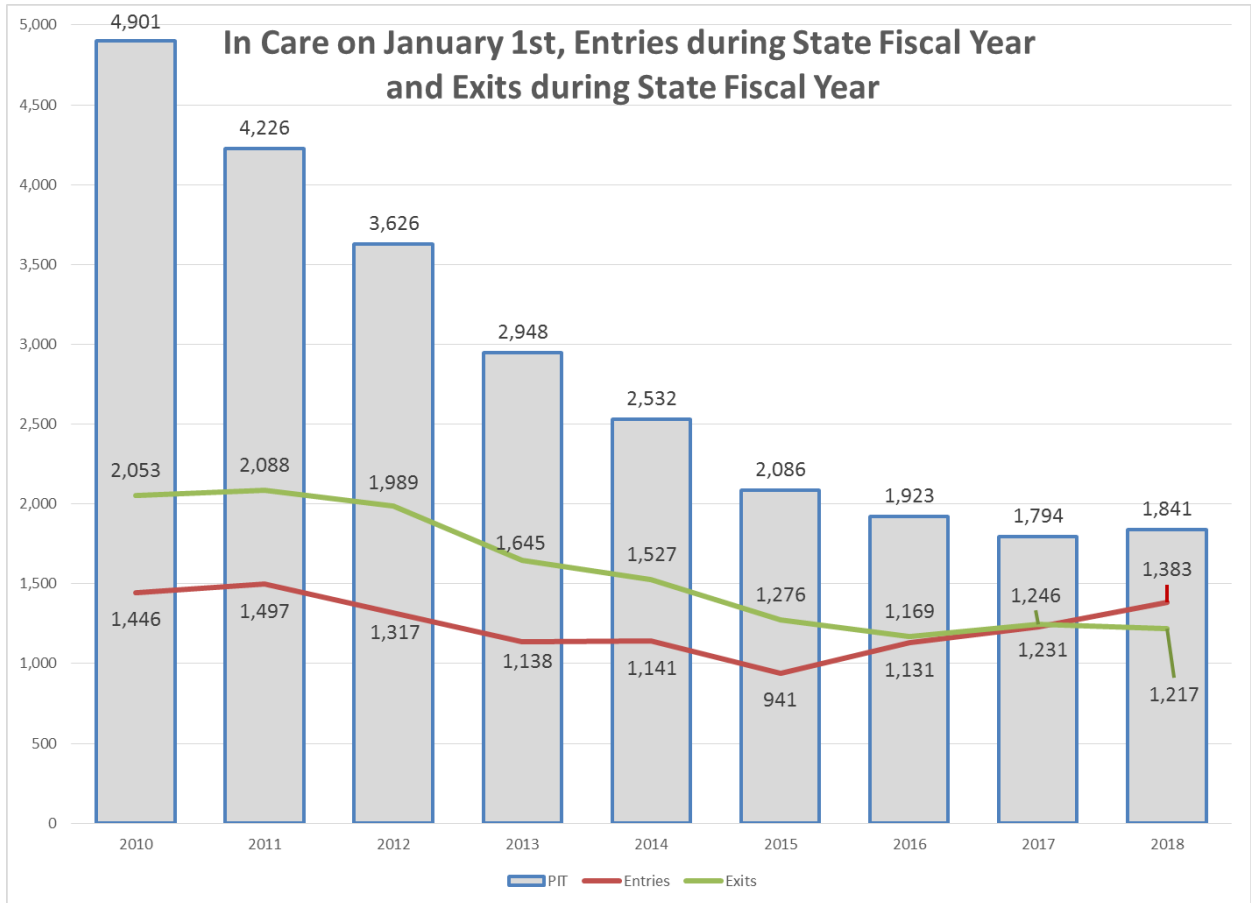
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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Baltimore City.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Baltimore City

					Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** **n**	**(B/A)** **%**	**(C)** **n**	**(C/A)** **%**	**(D)** **n**	**(D/C)** **%**	**(I)** **n**	**(I/C)** **%**	**(O)** **n**	**(O/C)** **%**
Totals	6,306	428	6.79%	5,878	93.21%	1,640	27.90%	812	13.81%	3,426	58.29%
Ages 0 to 4	1,780	16	0.90%	1,764	99.10%	576	32.65%	242	13.72%	946	53.63%
Ages 5 to 11	2,783	210	7.55%	2,573	92.45%	723	28.10%	341	13.25%	1,509	58.65%
Ages 12 to 15	1,171	126	10.76%	1,045	89.24%	237	22.68%	151	14.45%	657	62.87%
Ages 16 to 18	545	75	13.76%	470	86.24%	101	21.49%	69	14.68%	300	63.83%
Age Invalid	27	***	3.70%	26	96.30%	***	11.54%	***	34.62%	14	53.85%
Gender											
Totals	6,306	428	6.79%	5,878	93.21%	1,640	27.90%	812	13.81%	3,426	58.29%
Female	3,121	215	6.89%	2,906	93.11%	811	27.91%	443	15.24%	1,652	56.85%
Male	3,135	212	6.76%	2,923	93.24%	827	28.29%	363	12.42%	1,733	59.29%
Other/Unknown	50	***	2.00%	49	98.00%	***	4.08%	***	12.24%	41	83.67%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	6,306	428	6.79%	5,878	93.21%	1,640	27.90%	812	13.81%	3,426	58.29%
Hispanic	195	22	11.28%	173	88.72%	53	30.64%	22	12.72%	98	56.65%
Black	4,547	300	6.60%	4,247	93.40%	1,196	28.16%	573	13.49%	2,478	58.35%
White	709	39	5.50%	670	94.50%	187	27.91%	112	16.72%	371	55.37%
All Others	13	***	15.38%	***	84.62%	***	27.27%	***	18.18%	***	54.55%
Unable to Determine	842	65	7.72%	777	92.28%	201	25.87%	103	13.26%	473	60.88%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Baltimore City.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	1,196	2,517
Ages 0 to 4	.	932
Ages 5 to 11	.	960
Ages 12 to 15	.	411
Ages 16 to 17	.	183
Age Unknown	.	31
Gender		
Totals	1,196	2,517
Female	.	1,279
Male	.	1,236
Unknown	.	***
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	1,196	2,517
Black	.	1,946
White	.	197
Hispanic	.	61
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	309

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Baltimore City

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	Children (A)	N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
Totals	994	25	2.51%	819	82.39%	135	13.58%	***	0.20%	10	1.00%
Ages 0 to 4	552	***	0.18%	421	76.26%	124	22.46%	***	0.00%	***	1.08%
Ages 5 to 11	279	***	0.00%	269	96.41%	***	2.15%	***	0.35%	***	1.07%
Ages 12 to 15	118	10	8.47%	101	85.59%	***	2.54%	***	0.84%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	45	14	31.11%	28	62.22%	***	4.44%	***	0.00%	***	2.22%
Gender											
Totals	994	25	2.51%	819	82.39%	135	13.58%	***	0.20%	10	1.00%
Female	480	18	3.75%	400	83.33%	56	11.66%	***	0.20%	***	0.83%
Male	514	***	1.36%	419	81.51%	79	15.36%	***	0.19%	***	1.16%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	994	25	2.51%	819	82.39%	135	13.58%	***	0.20%	10	1.00%
Hispanic	19	***	0.00%	14	73.68%	***	26.31%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	693	23	3.31%	596	86.00%	66	9.52%	***	0.28%	***	0.57%
White	143	***	0.69%	108	75.52%	30	20.97%	***	0.00%	***	2.79%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	138	***	0.72%	100	72.46%	34	24.63%	***	0.00%	***	1.44%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Baltimore City

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

Age Group	Children (A)	Reunification n (B)	Reunification % (B/A)	Adoption n (C)	Adoption % (C/A)	Custody/ Guardianship Relative n (D)	Custody/ Guardianship Relative % (D/A)	Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative n (E)	Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative % (E/A)	Emancipation n (F)	Emancipation % (F/A)	Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation n (G)	Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation % (G/A)	Other n (H)	Other % (H/A)
Totals	1,217	617	50.69%	116	9.53%	194	15.94%	30	2.46%	173	14.21%	70	5.75%	17	1.39%
Ages 0 to 4	482	290	60.16%	69	14.31%	84	17.42%	***	1.03%	***	0.20%	28	5.80%	***	1.03%
Ages 5 to 11	355	191	53.80%	36	10.14%	77	21.69%	16	4.50%	***	0.00%	29	8.16%	***	1.69%
Ages 12 to 15	127	85	66.92%	***	5.51%	21	16.53%	***	3.93%	***	0.00%	***	7.08%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	75	48	64.00%	***	4.00%	12	16.00%	***	5.33%	***	1.33%	***	4.00%	***	5.33%
Over 18	178	***	1.68%	***	0.56%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	171	96.06%	***	0.56%	***	1.12%
Gender															
Totals	1,217	617	50.69%	116	9.53%	194	15.94%	30	2.46%	173	14.21%	70	5.75%	17	1.39%
Female	586	307	52.38%	46	7.84%	92	15.69%	16	2.73%	88	15.01%	33	5.63%	***	0.68%
Male	631	310	49.12%	70	11.09%	102	16.16%	14	2.21%	85	13.47%	37	5.86%	13	2.06%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	1,217	617	50.69%	116	9.53%	194	15.94%	30	2.46%	173	14.21%	70	5.75%	17	1.39%
Hispanic	24	14	58.33%	***	4.16%	***	12.50%	***	4.16%	***	4.16%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%
Black	956	470	49.16%	76	7.94%	150	15.69%	25	2.61%	166	17.36%	53	5.54%	16	1.67%
White	144	75	52.08%	25	17.36%	24	16.66%	***	2.77%	***	3.47%	10	6.94%	***	0.69%
All other	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	92	57	61.95%	14	15.21%	17	18.47%	***	0.00%	***	1.08%	***	3.26%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Baltimore City

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
Age Group	**Children** **(A)**	**n** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**
Totals	725	58	8.00%	95	13.10%	110	15.17%	114	15.72%
Ages 0 to 4	340	20	5.88%	39	11.47%	46	13.52%	47	13.82%
Ages 5 to 11	233	23	9.87%	33	14.16%	38	16.30%	38	16.30%
Ages 12 to 15	99	12	12.12%	17	17.17%	19	19.19%	20	20.20%
Ages 16 to 18	53	***	5.66%	***	11.32%	***	13.20%	***	16.98%
Gender									
Totals	725	58	8.00%	95	13.10%	110	15.17%	114	15.72%
Female	362	31	8.56%	53	14.64%	63	17.40%	65	17.95%
Male	363	27	7.43%	42	11.57%	47	12.94%	49	13.49%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	725	58	8.00%	95	13.10%	110	15.17%	114	15.72%
Hispanic	20	***	10.00%	***	10.00%	***	15.00%	***	15.00%
Black	550	47	8.54%	75	13.63%	84	15.27%	87	15.81%
White	92	***	7.60%	12	13.04%	16	17.39%	17	18.47%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	62	***	3.22%	***	9.67%	***	11.29%	***	11.29%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Baltimore City

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	670	69	10.29%	112	16.71%	127	18.95%	142	21.19%	154	22.98%	163	24.32%	173	25.82%	184	27.46%
	Ages 0 to 4	286	20	6.99%	33	11.53%	42	14.68%	42	14.68%	46	16.08%	51	17.83%	52	18.18%	60	20.97%
	Ages 5 to 11	200	19	9.50%	36	18.00%	41	20.50%	45	22.50%	52	26.00%	55	27.50%	61	30.50%	62	31.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	115	19	16.52%	27	23.47%	28	24.34%	35	30.43%	36	31.30%	37	32.17%	40	34.78%	42	36.52%
	Ages 16 to 18	69	11	15.94%	16	23.18%	16	23.18%	20	28.98%	20	28.98%	20	28.98%	20	28.98%	20	28.98%
Gender																		
	Totals	670	69	10.29%	112	16.71%	127	18.95%	142	21.19%	154	22.98%	163	24.32%	173	25.82%	184	27.46%
	Female	337	41	12.16%	66	19.58%	68	20.17%	78	23.14%	87	25.81%	95	28.18%	101	29.97%	108	32.04%
	Male	333	28	8.40%	46	13.81%	59	17.71%	64	19.21%	67	20.12%	68	20.42%	72	21.62%	76	22.82%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	670	69	10.29%	112	16.71%	127	18.95%	142	21.19%	154	22.98%	163	24.32%	173	25.82%	184	27.46%
	Hispanic	32	***	15.62%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
	Black	507	56	11.04%	88	17.35%	100	19.72%	114	22.48%	126	24.85%	135	26.62%	145	28.59%	155	30.57%
	White	98	***	7.14%	14	14.28%	17	17.34%	17	17.34%	17	17.34%	17	17.34%	17	17.34%	17	17.34%
	Unable to determine	33	***	3.03%	***	6.06%	***	6.06%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	12.12%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Baltimore City

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
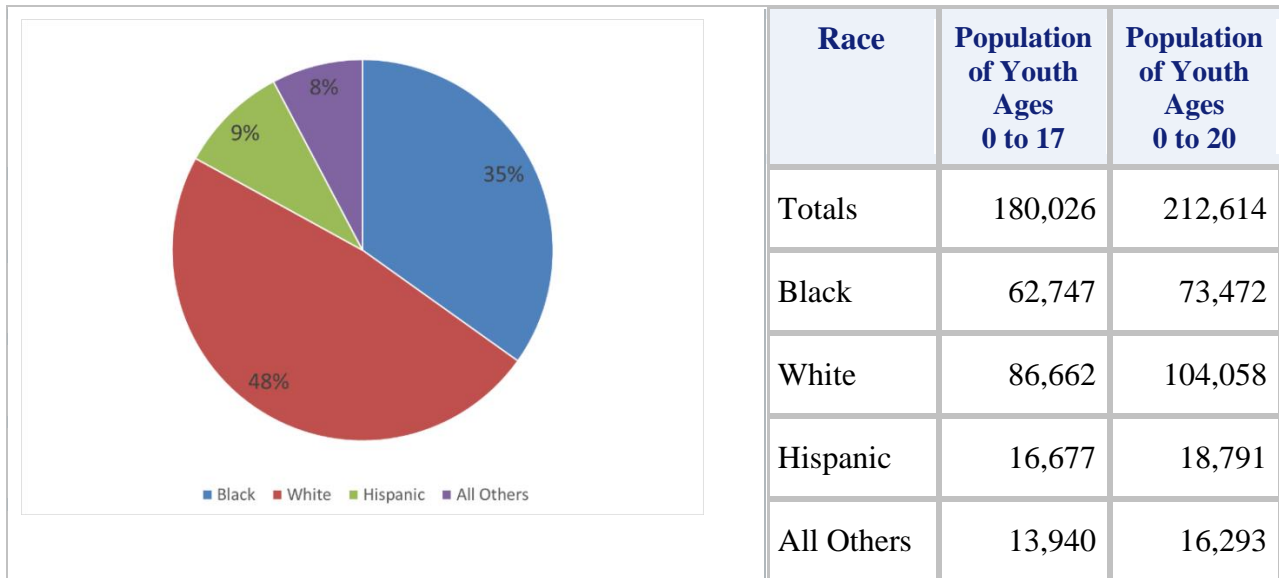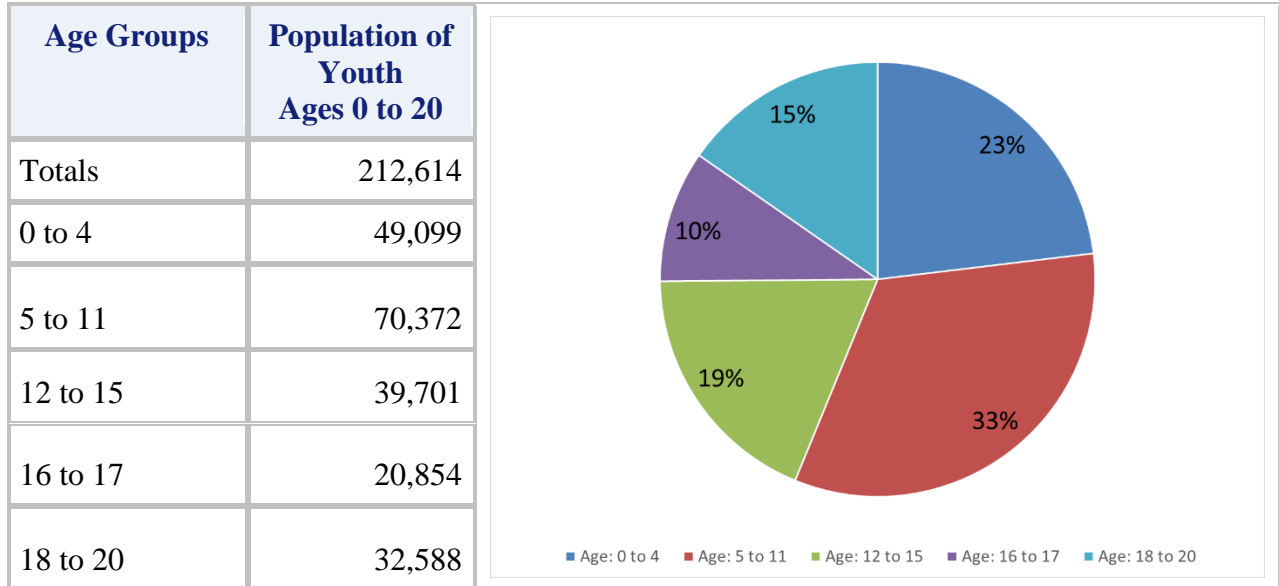**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	1,383	157,294	875	5.56
Ages 0 to 4	666	76,804	360	4.69
Ages 5 to 11	421	44,860	285	6.35
Ages 12 to 15	208	25,394	163	6.42
Ages 16 to 18	88	10,236	67	6.55
Gender				
Totals	1,383	157,294	875	5.56
Female	688	78,174	445	5.69
Male	695	79,120	430	5.43
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	1,383	157,294	875	5.56
Hispanic	32	4,065	16	3.94
Black	1,004	112,874	662	5.86
White	196	23,360	118	5.05
All other	***	75	0	0.00
Unable to determine	150	16,920	79	4.67

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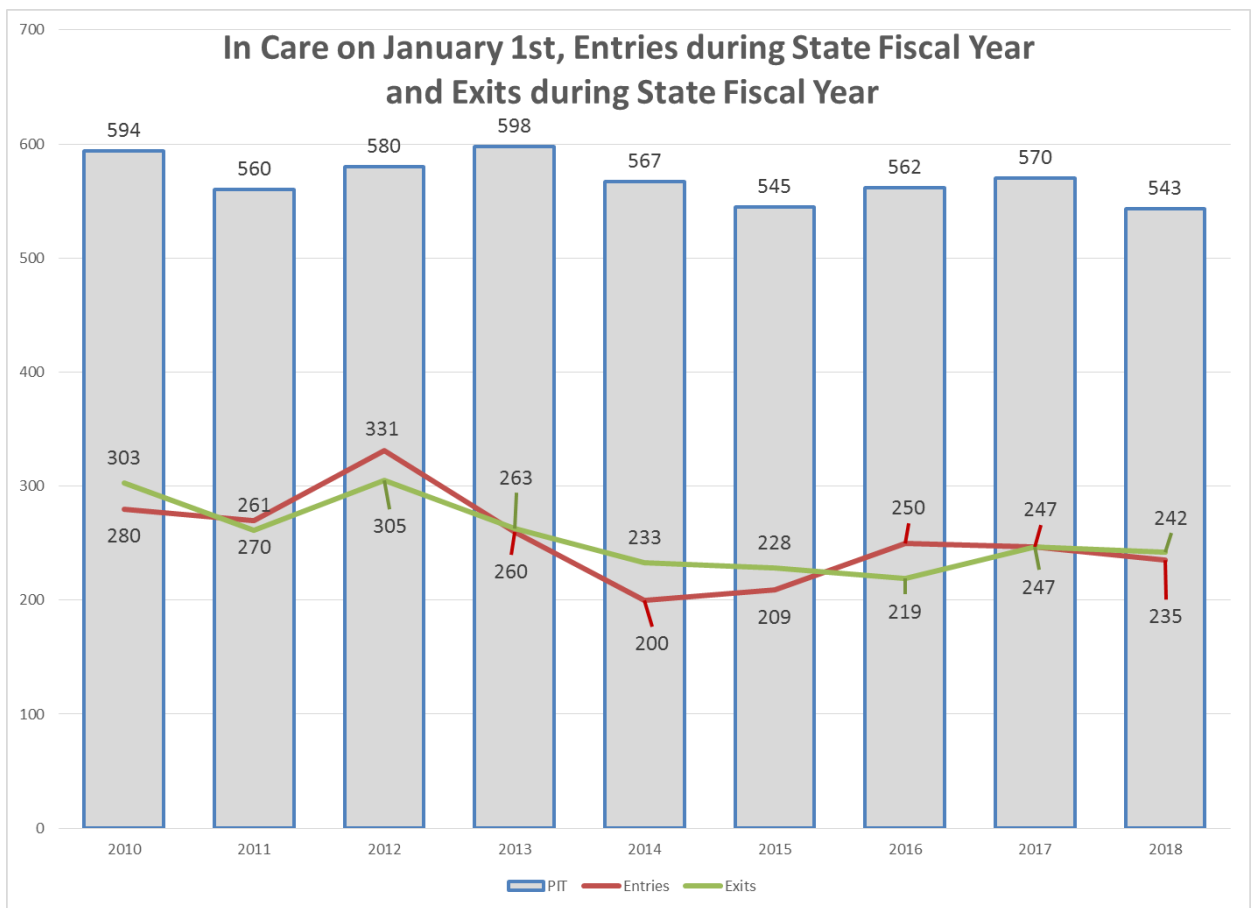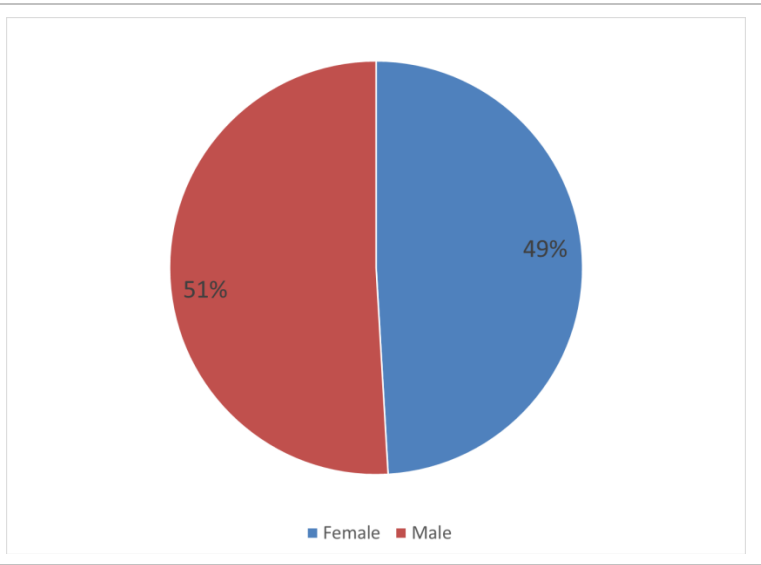
Baltimore County

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[6].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	212,614
0 to 4	49,099
5 to 11	70,372
12 to 15	39,701
16 to 17	20,854
18 to 20	32,588

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	180,026	212,614
Black	62,747	73,472
White	86,662	104,058
Hispanic	16,677	18,791
All Others	13,940	16,293

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[6]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	180,026	212,614
Female	88,346	104,955
Male	91,680	107,659

Female 49%
Male 51%

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

Year	PIT	Entries	Exits
2010	594	280	303
2011	560	270	261
2012	580	331	305
2013	598	260	263
2014	567	200	233
2015	545	209	228
2016	562	250	219
2017	570	247	247
2018	543	235	242

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Baltimore County.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Baltimore County

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	3,397	1,319	38.83%	2,078	61.17%	787	37.87%	587	28.25%	704	33.88%
Ages 0 to 4	930	343	36.88%	587	63.12%	234	39.86%	165	28.11%	188	32.03%
Ages 5 to 11	1,511	651	43.08%	860	56.92%	303	35.23%	252	29.30%	305	35.47%
Ages 12 to 15	671	246	36.66%	425	63.34%	172	40.47%	123	28.94%	130	30.59%
Ages 16 to 18	277	79	28.52%	198	71.48%	76	38.38%	47	23.74%	75	37.88%
Age Invalid	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	75.00%
Gender											
Totals	3,397	1,319	38.83%	2,078	61.17%	787	37.87%	587	28.25%	704	33.88%
Female	1,703	618	36.29%	1,085	63.71%	453	41.75%	282	25.99%	350	32.26%
Male	1,689	700	41.44%	989	58.56%	333	33.67%	305	30.84%	351	35.49%
Other/Unknown	***	***	20.00%	***	80.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	75.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	3,397	1,319	38.83%	2,078	61.17%	787	37.87%	587	28.25%	704	33.88%
Hispanic	136	56	41.18%	80	58.82%	36	45.00%	15	18.75%	29	36.25%
Black	1,403	570	40.63%	833	59.37%	305	36.61%	241	28.93%	287	34.45%
White	1,194	428	35.85%	766	64.15%	306	39.95%	211	27.55%	249	32.51%
All Others	83	35	42.17%	48	57.83%	***	35.42%	***	10.42%	26	54.17%
Unable to Determine	581	230	39.59%	351	60.41%	123	35.04%	115	32.76%	113	32.19%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Baltimore County.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	Cases	Children
All Ages	577	1,222
Ages 0 to 4	.	571
Ages 5 to 11	.	408
Ages 12 to 15	.	183
Ages 16 to 17	.	49
Age Unknown	.	11
Gender		
Totals	577	1,222
Female	.	614
Male	.	608
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	577	1,222
Black	.	420
White	.	430
Hispanic	.	37
All Others	.	34
Unable to Determine	.	301

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Baltimore County

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	Children (A)	N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
Totals	189	39	20.63%	128	67.72%	14	7.40%	***	3.17%	***	1.05%
Ages 0 to 4	75	***	0.00%	67	89.33%	***	10.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	39	***	10.25%	31	79.48%	***	5.12%	***	2.56%	***	2.56%
Ages 12 to 15	44	19	43.18%	19	43.18%	***	6.81%	***	4.54%	***	2.27%
Ages 16 to 17	31	16	51.61%	11	35.48%	***	3.22%	***	9.67%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	189	39	20.63%	128	67.72%	14	7.40%	***	3.17%	***	1.05%
Female	89	16	17.97%	62	69.66%	***	8.98%	***	2.24%	***	1.12%
Male	100	23	23.00%	66	66.00%	***	6.00%	***	4.00%	***	1.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	189	39	20.63%	128	67.72%	14	7.40%	***	3.17%	***	1.05%
Hispanic	14	***	28.57%	***	57.14%	***	0.00%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%
Black	62	22	35.48%	35	56.45%	***	4.83%	***	3.22%	***	0.00%
White	72	11	15.27%	53	73.61%	***	6.94%	***	2.77%	***	1.38%
All other	***	***	50.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	37	***	0.00%	31	83.78%	***	13.51%	***	2.70%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Baltimore County

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type														
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	242	80	33.05%	53	21.90%	41	16.94%	***	2.89%	42	17.35%	***	0.82%	17	7.02%
Ages 0 to 4	74	19	25.67%	32	43.24%	18	24.32%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	2.70%	***	4.05%
Ages 5 to 11	57	20	35.08%	15	26.31%	14	24.56%	***	3.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.52%
Ages 12 to 15	38	22	57.89%	***	10.52%	***	15.78%	***	10.52%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	5.26%
Ages 16 to 18	35	17	48.57%	***	5.71%	***	8.57%	***	2.85%	***	22.85%	***	0.00%	***	11.42%
Over 18	38	***	5.26%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	34	89.47%	***	0.00%	***	5.26%
Gender															
Totals	242	80	33.05%	53	21.90%	41	16.94%	***	2.89%	42	17.35%	***	0.82%	17	7.02%
Female	107	38	35.51%	25	23.36%	19	17.75%	***	2.80%	17	15.88%	***	0.00%	***	4.67%
Male	135	42	31.11%	28	20.74%	22	16.29%	***	2.96%	25	18.51%	***	1.48%	12	8.88%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	242	80	33.05%	53	21.90%	41	16.94%	***	2.89%	42	17.35%	***	0.82%	17	7.02%
Hispanic	13	***	38.46%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	23.07%	***	0.00%	***	15.38%
Black	94	32	34.04%	13	13.82%	14	14.89%	***	1.06%	24	25.53%	***	0.00%	10	10.63%
White	115	34	29.56%	39	33.91%	18	15.65%	***	3.47%	15	13.04%	***	0.00%	***	4.34%
All other	***	***	83.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	14	***	28.57%	***	0.00%	***	57.14%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	14.28%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Baltimore County

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	85	***	3.52%	***	4.70%	***	5.88%	***	5.88%
Ages 0 to 4	21	***	9.52%	***	9.52%	***	9.52%	***	9.52%
Ages 5 to 11	22	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	4.54%	***	4.54%
Ages 12 to 15	24	***	4.16%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%
Ages 16 to 18	18	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	85	***	3.52%	***	4.70%	***	5.88%	***	5.88%
Female	39	***	2.56%	***	2.56%	***	2.56%	***	2.56%
Male	46	***	4.34%	***	6.52%	***	8.69%	***	8.69%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	85	***	3.52%	***	4.70%	***	5.88%	***	5.88%
Hispanic	***	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Black	32	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	36	***	2.77%	***	5.55%	***	5.55%	***	5.55%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Baltimore County

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group	Exits to reunification Children (A)	Reentries within 3 months n (B)	Reentries within 3 months % (B/A)	Reentries within 6 months n (C)	Reentries within 6 months % (C/A)	Reentries within 9 months n (D)	Reentries within 9 months % (D/A)	Reentries within 12 months n (E)	Reentries within 12 months % (E/A)	Reentries within 15 months n (F)	Reentries within 15 months % (F/A)	Reentries within 18 months n (G)	Reentries within 18 months % (G/A)	Reentries within 21 months n (H)	Reentries within 21 months % (H/A)	Reentries within 24 months n (I)	Reentries within 24 months % (I/A)
Totals	85	***	5.88%	***	7.05%	10	11.76%	14	16.47%	16	18.82%	17	20.00%	17	20.00%	17	20.00%
Ages 0 to 4	30	***	3.33%	***	3.33%	***	10.00%	***	10.00%	***	16.66%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
Ages 5 to 11	25	***	8.00%	***	8.00%	***	12.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
Ages 12 to 15	19	***	5.26%	***	10.52%	***	15.78%	***	26.31%	***	26.31%	***	26.31%	***	26.31%	***	26.31%
Ages 16 to 18	11	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%
Gender																	
Totals	85	***	5.88%	***	7.05%	10	11.76%	14	16.47%	16	18.82%	17	20.00%	17	20.00%	17	20.00%
Female	37	***	8.10%	***	8.10%	***	13.51%	***	21.62%	10	27.02%	10	27.02%	10	27.02%	10	27.02%
Male	48	***	4.16%	***	6.25%	***	10.41%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	14.58%	***	14.58%	***	14.58%
Race/Ethnicity																	
Totals	85	***	5.88%	***	7.05%	10	11.76%	14	16.47%	16	18.82%	17	20.00%	17	20.00%	17	20.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	29	***	6.89%	***	10.34%	***	13.79%	***	13.79%	***	13.79%	***	13.79%	***	13.79%	***	13.79%
White	46	***	4.34%	***	4.34%	***	10.86%	***	19.56%	11	23.91%	12	26.08%	12	26.08%	12	26.08%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Baltimore County

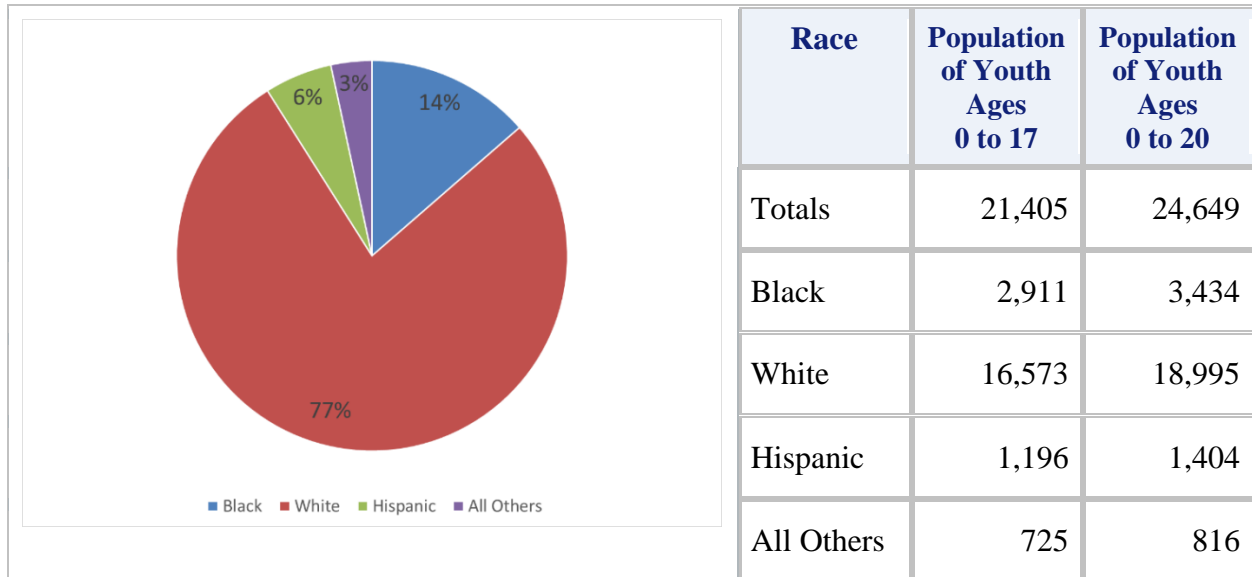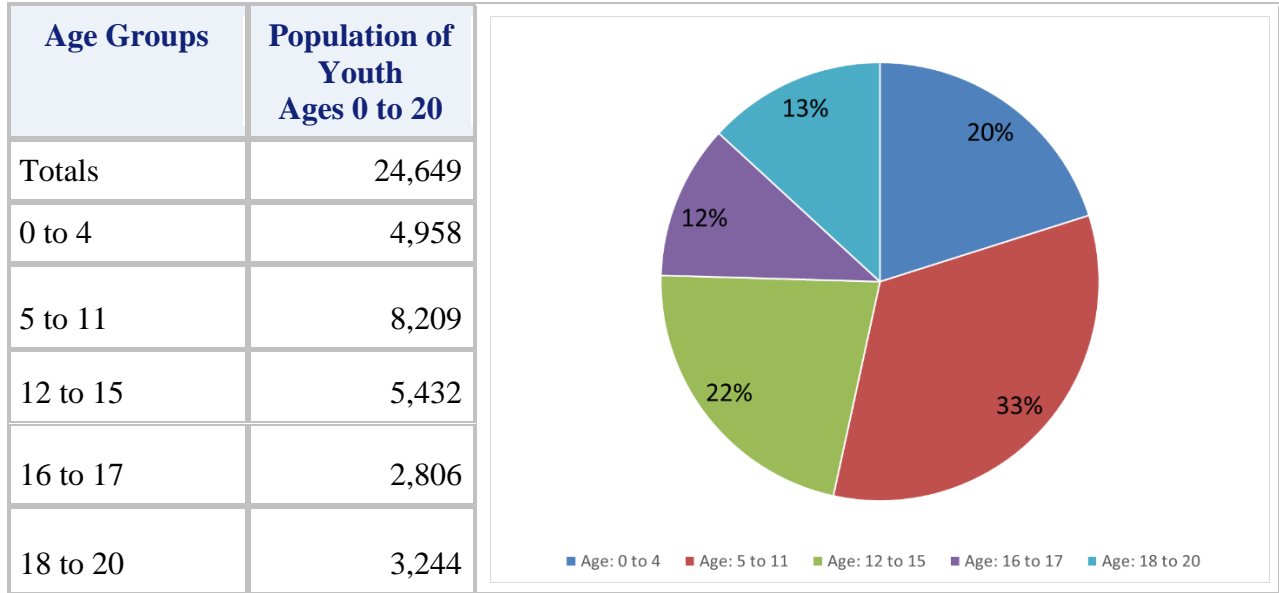**Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018**
Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	235	32,497	107	3.29
Ages 0 to 4	80	10,243	21	2.05
Ages 5 to 11	54	7,372	33	4.48
Ages 12 to 15	63	8,486	31	3.65
Ages 16 to 18	38	6,396	22	3.44
Gender				
Totals	235	32,497	107	3.29
Female	107	14,637	46	3.14
Male	128	17,860	61	3.42
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	235	32,497	107	3.29
Hispanic	18	1,970	4	2.03
Black	88	12,506	56	4.48
White	85	12,420	30	2.42
All other	***	542	2	3.69
Unable to determine	40	5,059	15	2.97

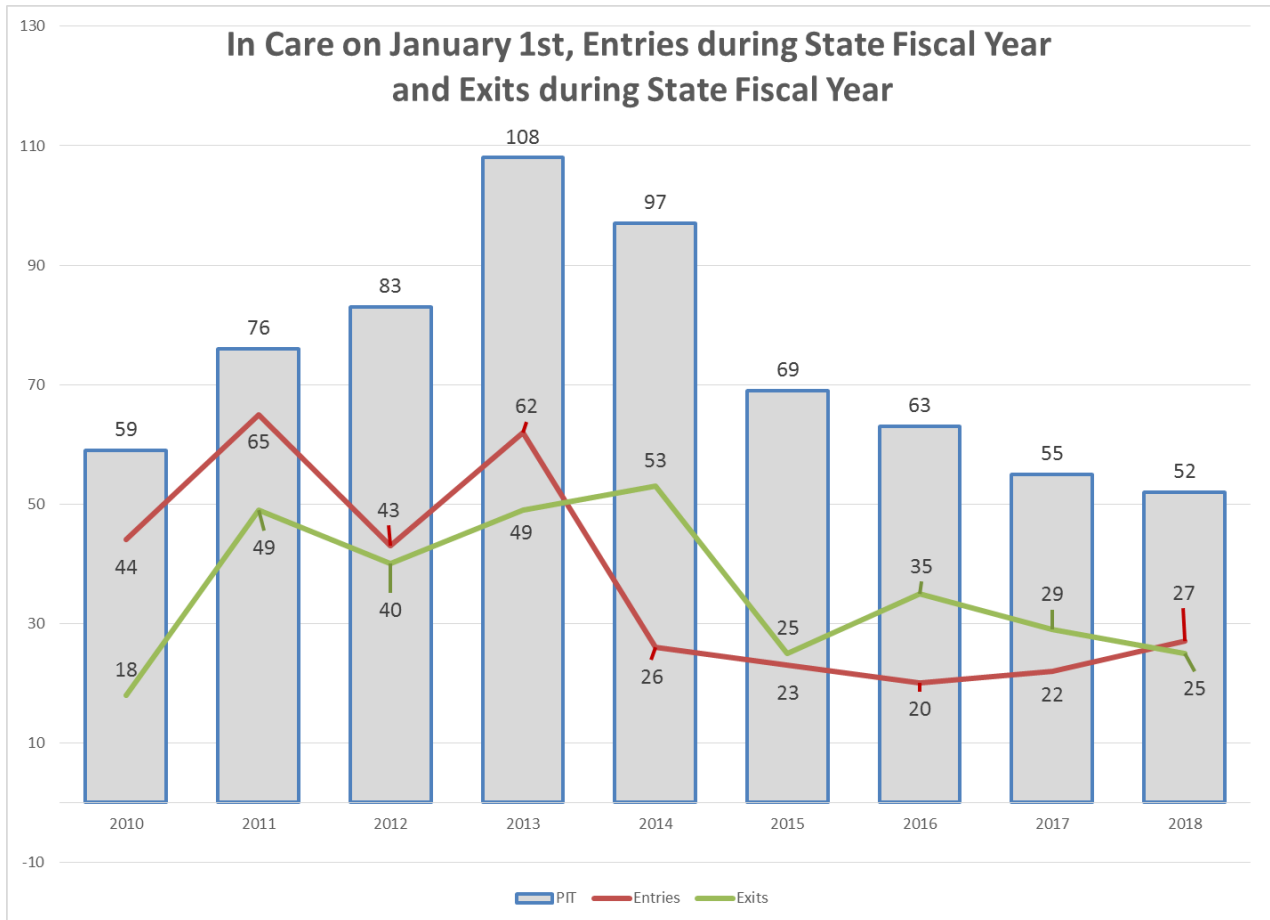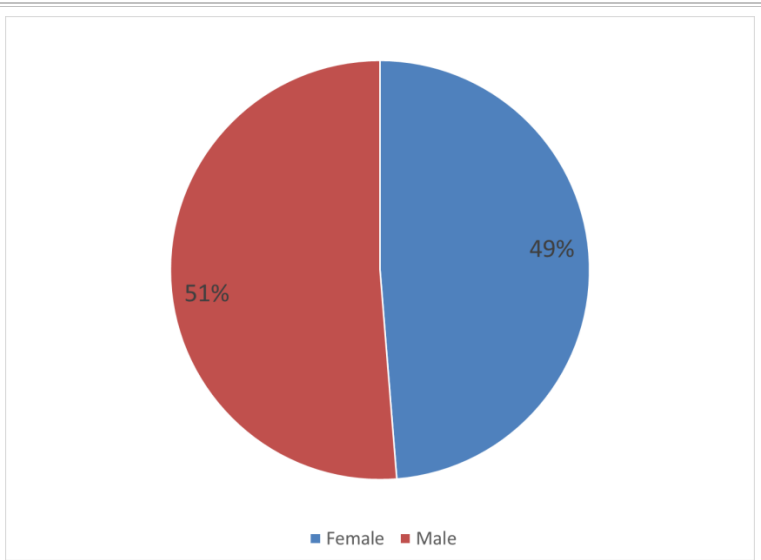NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Calvert

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Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	24,649
0 to 4	4,958
5 to 11	8,209
12 to 15	5,432
16 to 17	2,806
18 to 20	3,244

Age: 0 to 4 — 20% Age: 5 to 11 — 33% Age: 12 to 15 — 22% Age: 16 to 17 — 12% Age: 18 to 20 — 13%

Black — 14% White — 77% Hispanic — 6% All Others — 3%

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	21,405	24,649
Black	2,911	3,434
White	16,573	18,995
Hispanic	1,196	1,404
All Others	725	816

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	21,405	24,649
Female	10,430	12,005
Male	10,975	12,644

Pie chart: Female 49%, Male 51%

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

Year	PIT	Entries	Exits
2010	59	44	18
2011	76	65	49
2012	83	43	40
2013	108	62	49
2014	97	26	53
2015	69	23	25
2016	63	20	35
2017	55	22	29
2018	52	27	25

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Calvert.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Calvert

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	358	173	48.32%	185	51.68%	83	44.86%	34	18.38%	68	36.76%
Ages 0 to 4	92	40	43.48%	52	56.52%	28	53.85%	9	17.31%	15	28.85%
Ages 5 to 11	173	81	46.82%	92	53.18%	36	39.13%	19	20.65%	37	40.22%
Ages 12 to 15	58	37	63.79%	21	36.21%	10	47.62%	***	9.52%	***	42.86%
Ages 16 to 18	35	15	42.86%	20	57.14%	***	45.00%	***	20.00%	***	35.00%
Gender											
Totals	358	173	48.32%	185	51.68%	83	44.86%	34	18.38%	68	36.76%
Female	184	87	47.28%	97	52.72%	37	38.14%	15	15.46%	45	46.39%
Male	173	85	49.13%	88	50.87%	46	52.27%	19	21.59%	23	26.14%
Other/Unknown	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	358	173	48.32%	185	51.68%	83	44.86%	34	18.38%	68	36.76%
Hispanic	21	***	38.10%	***	61.90%	***	23.08%	***	0.00%	***	76.92%
Black	73	33	45.21%	40	54.79%	17	42.50%	10	25.00%	13	32.50%
White	223	110	49.33%	113	50.67%	57	50.44%	19	16.81%	37	32.74%
All Others	***	***	33.33%	***	66.67%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Unable to Determine	32	19	59.38%	13	40.63%	***	30.77%	***	23.08%	***	46.15%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Calvert.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	65	135
Ages 0 to 4	.	76
Ages 5 to 11	.	42
Ages 12 to 15	.	13
Ages 16 to 17	.	***
Gender		
Totals	65	135
Female	.	71
Male	.	64
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	65	135
Black	.	36
White	.	84
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	12

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Calvert

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

			Removals by placement type									
			Community-Based Residential Placement		**Family Home Settings**		**Hospitalization**		**Non-Community Based Residential Placement**		**Unknown**	
Age Group		**Children (A)**	**N (B)**	**% (B/A)**	**n (C)**	**% (C/A)**	**n (D)**	**% (D/A)**	**n (E)**	**% (E/A)**	**n (F)**	**% (F/A)**
	Totals	24	***	0.00%	20	83.33%	***	12.50%	***	4.16%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	12	***	0.00%	***	75.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 17	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%
Gender												
	Totals	24	***	0.00%	20	83.33%	***	12.50%	***	4.16%	***	0.00%
	Female	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	15	***	0.00%	11	73.33%	***	20.00%	***	6.66%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity												
	Totals	24	***	0.00%	20	83.33%	***	12.50%	***	4.16%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	87.50%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	16	***	0.00%	13	81.25%	***	12.50%	***	6.25%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Calvert

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

| | | Exits by return type | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Reunification | | Adoption | | Custody/ Guardianship Relative | | Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative | | Emancipation | | Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation | | Other | |
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	25	***	24.00%	***	16.00%	***	36.00%	***	0.00%	***	24.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	42.85%	***	57.14%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	25	***	24.00%	***	16.00%	***	36.00%	***	0.00%	***	24.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	14	***	28.57%	***	14.28%	***	28.57%	***	0.00%	***	28.57%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	11	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	45.45%	***	0.00%	***	18.18%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	25	***	24.00%	***	16.00%	***	36.00%	***	0.00%	***	24.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	13	***	23.07%	***	15.38%	***	46.15%	***	0.00%	***	15.38%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	10	***	30.00%	***	20.00%	***	10.00%	***	0.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Calvert

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
Age Group	**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4									
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Calvert

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)	n (I)	% (I/A)
	Totals	10	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11																	
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																		
	Totals	10	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	10	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Calvert

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
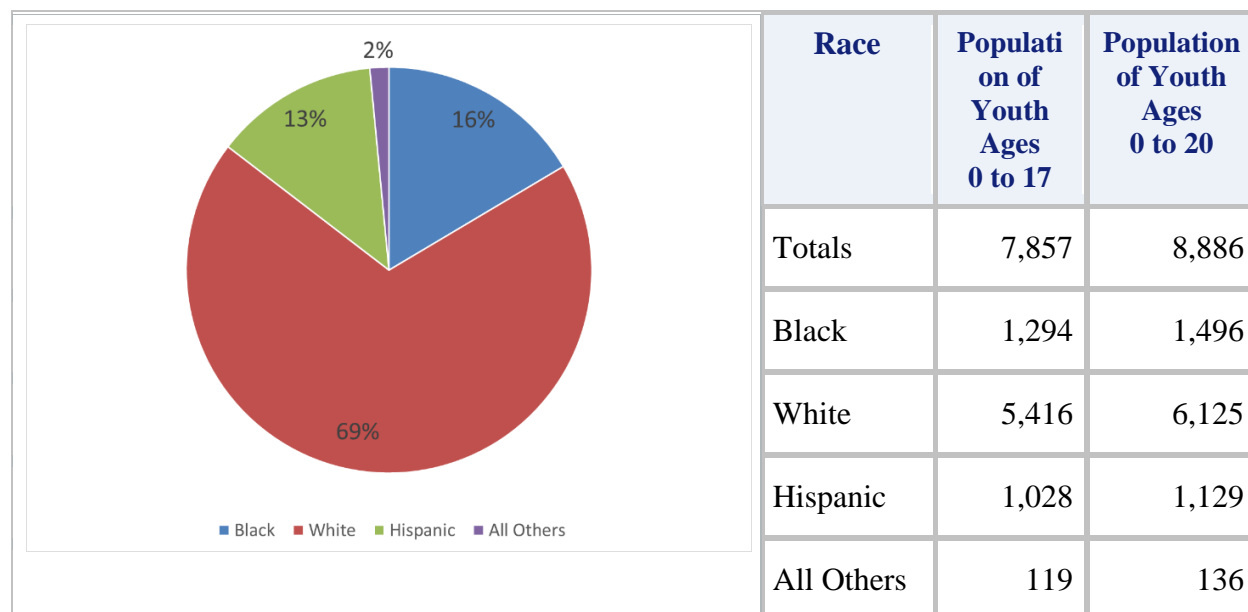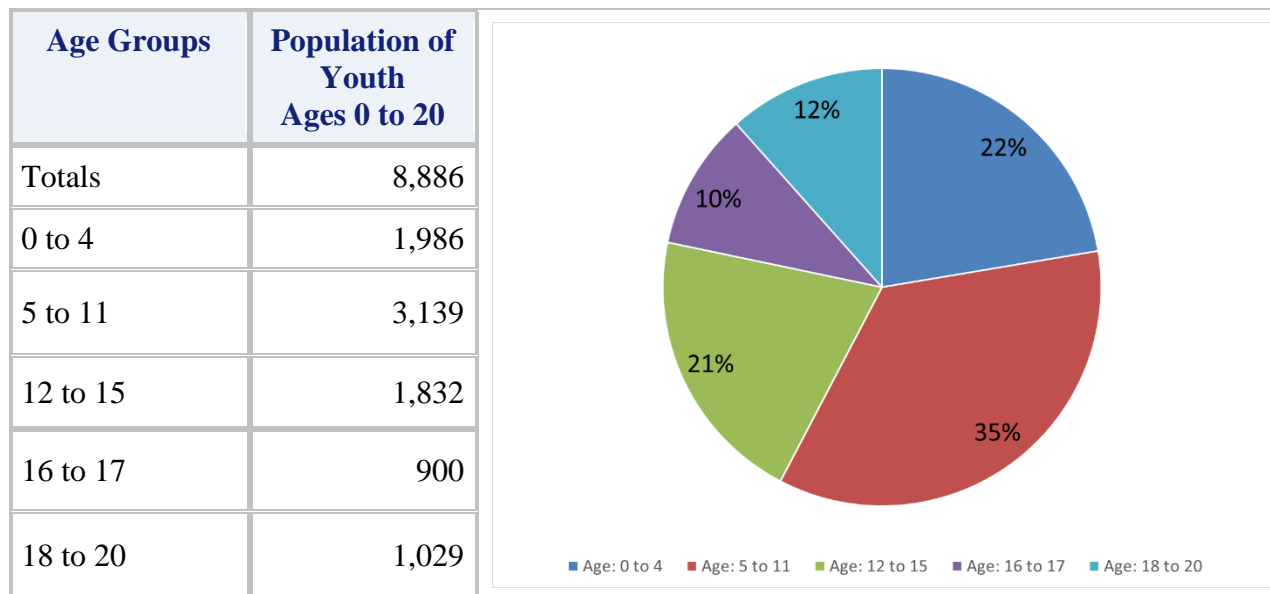**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	27	3,474	23	6.62
Ages 0 to 4	12	1,607	13	8.09
Ages 5 to 11	***	908	4	4.41
Ages 12 to 15	***	799	6	7.51
Ages 16 to 18	***	160	0	0.00
Gender				
Totals	27	3,474	23	6.62
Female	10	1,426	12	8.42
Male	17	2,048	11	5.37
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	27	3,474	23	6.62
Black	11	1,062	10	9.42
White	16	2,412	13	5.39

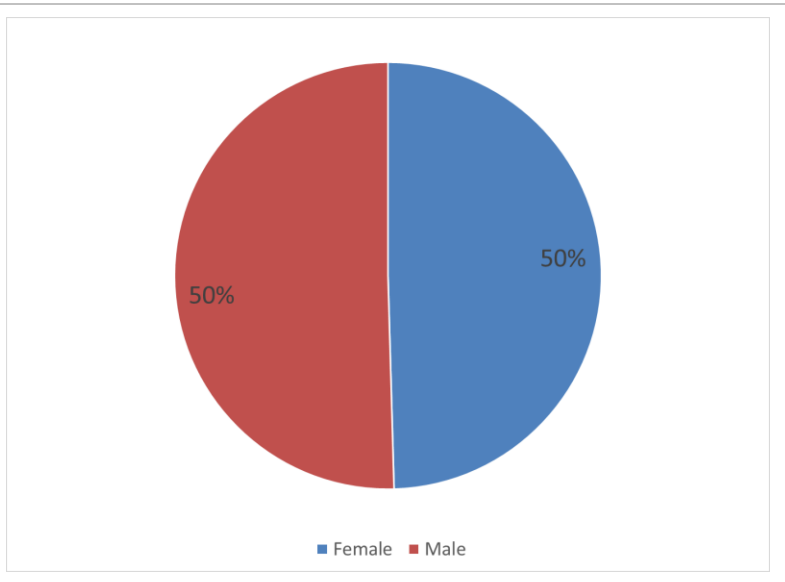NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Caroline

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[8].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	8,886
0 to 4	1,986
5 to 11	3,139
12 to 15	1,832
16 to 17	900
18 to 20	1,029

Age: 0 to 4   Age: 5 to 11   Age: 12 to 15   Age: 16 to 17   Age: 18 to 20

Black   White   Hispanic   All Others

| Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	7,857	8,886
Black	1,294	1,496
White	5,416	6,125
Hispanic	1,028	1,129
All Others	119	136

[8]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	7,857	8,886
Female	3,893	4,392
Male	3,964	4,494

Caroline Trend Chart
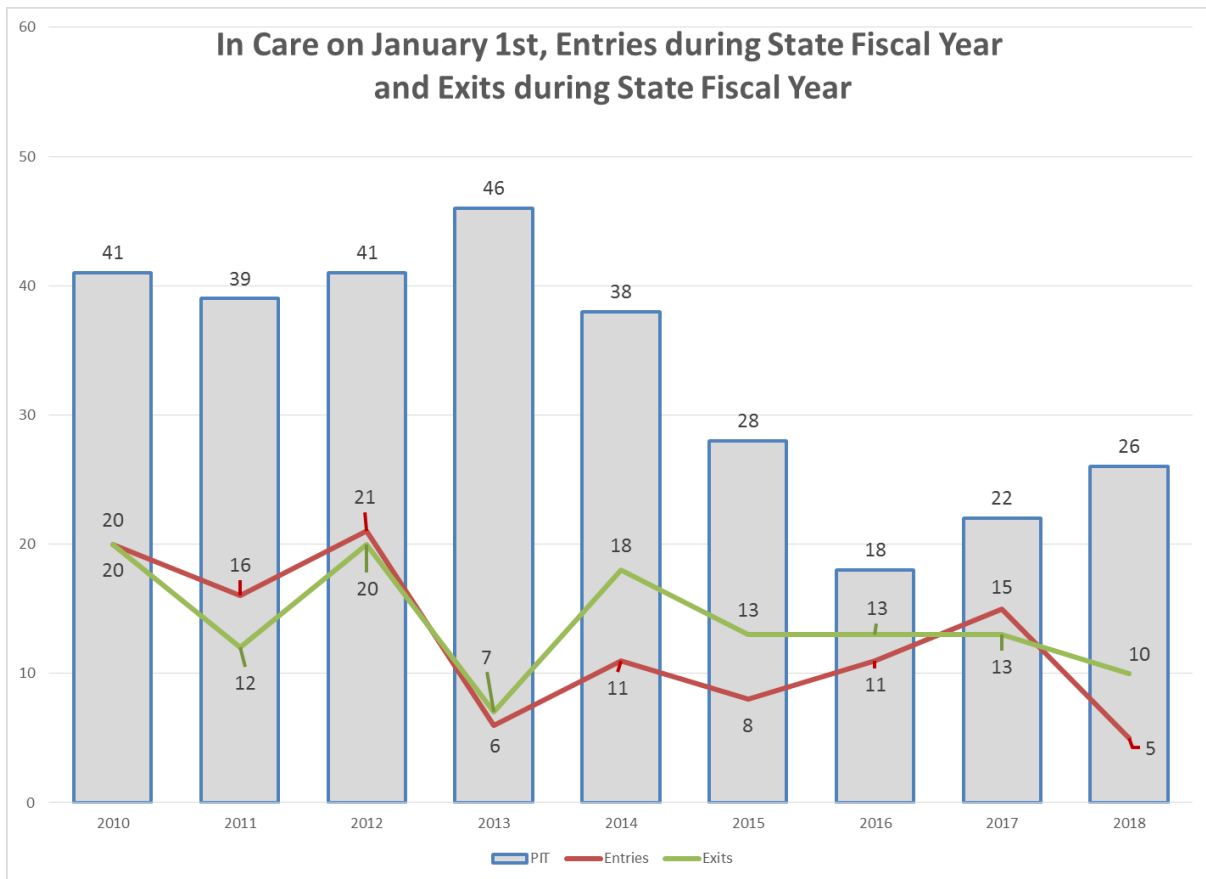
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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Caroline.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Caroline

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	173	51	29.48%	122	70.52%	39	31.97%	35	28.69%	48	39.34%
Ages 0 to 4	58	17	29.31%	41	70.69%	15	36.59%	12	29.27%	14	34.15%
Ages 5 to 11	74	25	33.78%	49	66.22%	***	16.33%	***	36.73%	23	46.94%
Ages 12 to 15	30	***	23.33%	23	76.67%	***	39.13%	***	21.74%	***	39.13%
Ages 16 to 18	10	***	20.00%	***	80.00%	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%
Age Invalid	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	173	51	29.48%	122	70.52%	39	31.97%	35	28.69%	48	39.34%
Female	89	20	22.47%	69	77.53%	26	37.68%	17	24.64%	26	37.68%
Male	84	31	36.90%	53	63.10%	13	24.53%	18	33.96%	22	41.51%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	173	51	29.48%	122	70.52%	39	31.97%	35	28.69%	48	39.34%
Hispanic	10	***	70.00%	***	30.00%	***	66.67%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%
Black	41	16	39.02%	25	60.98%	***	20.00%	***	40.00%	10	40.00%
White	107	23	21.50%	84	78.50%	29	34.52%	23	27.38%	32	38.10%
Unable to Determine	15	***	33.33%	***	66.67%	***	30.00%	***	20.00%	***	50.00%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Caroline.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	44	79
Ages 0 to 4	.	40
Ages 5 to 11	.	26
Ages 12 to 15	.	10
Ages 16 to 17	.	***
Gender		
Totals	44	79
Female	.	33
Male	.	46
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	44	79
Black	.	18
White	.	42
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	15

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Caroline

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	**Children**	**N**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**
	(A)	**(B)**	**(B/A)**	**(C)**	**(C/A)**	**(D)**	**(D/A)**	**(E)**	**(E/A)**	**(F)**	**(F/A)**
Totals	***	***	20.00%	***	80.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17											
Gender											
Totals	***	***	20.00%	***	80.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	***	***	20.00%	***	80.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Caroline

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

			Exits by return type														
			Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
	Totals	10	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.00%
	Ages 0 to 4															
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	25.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																
	Totals	10	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.00%
	Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	37.50%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%
Race/Ethnicity																
	Totals	10	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.00%
	Hispanic	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	66.66%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Caroline

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification Children (A)	Reentries within 3 months n (B)	Reentries within 3 months % (B/A)	Reentries within 6 months n (C)	Reentries within 6 months % (C/A)	Reentries within 9 months n (D)	Reentries within 9 months % (D/A)	Reentries within 12 months n (E)	Reentries within 12 months % (E/A)
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4									
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18									
Gender									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female									
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White									

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Caroline

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
	Children	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
	(A)	(B)	(B/A)	(C)	(C/A)	(D)	(D/A)	(E)	(E/A)	(F)	(F/A)	(G)	(G/A)	(H)	(H/A)	(I)	(I/A)
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4																	
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18																	
Gender																	
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																	
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
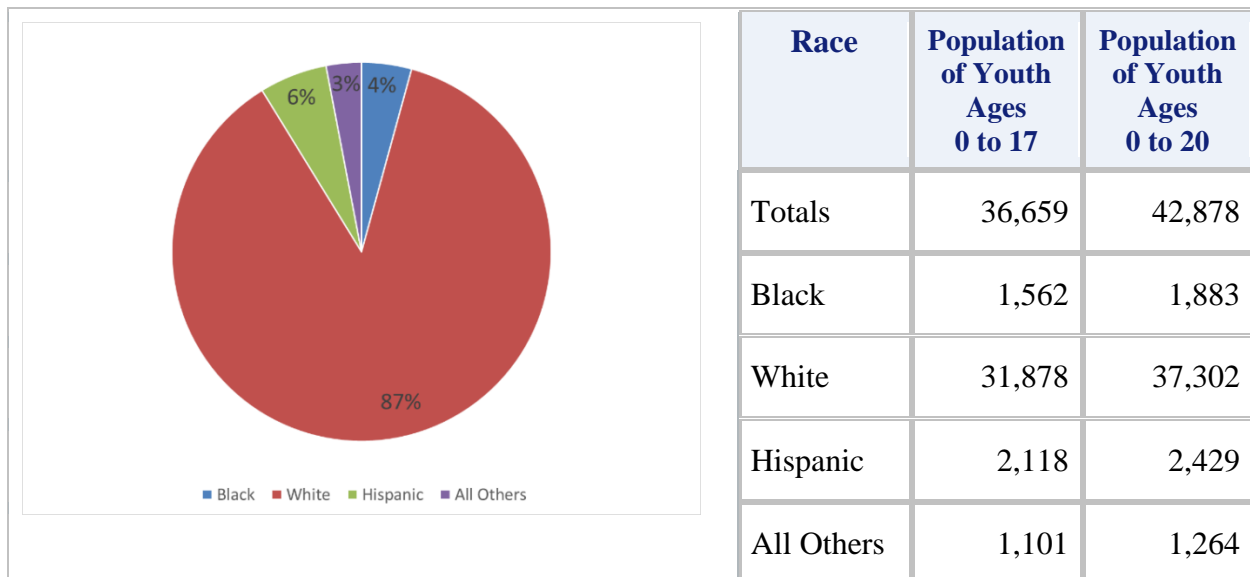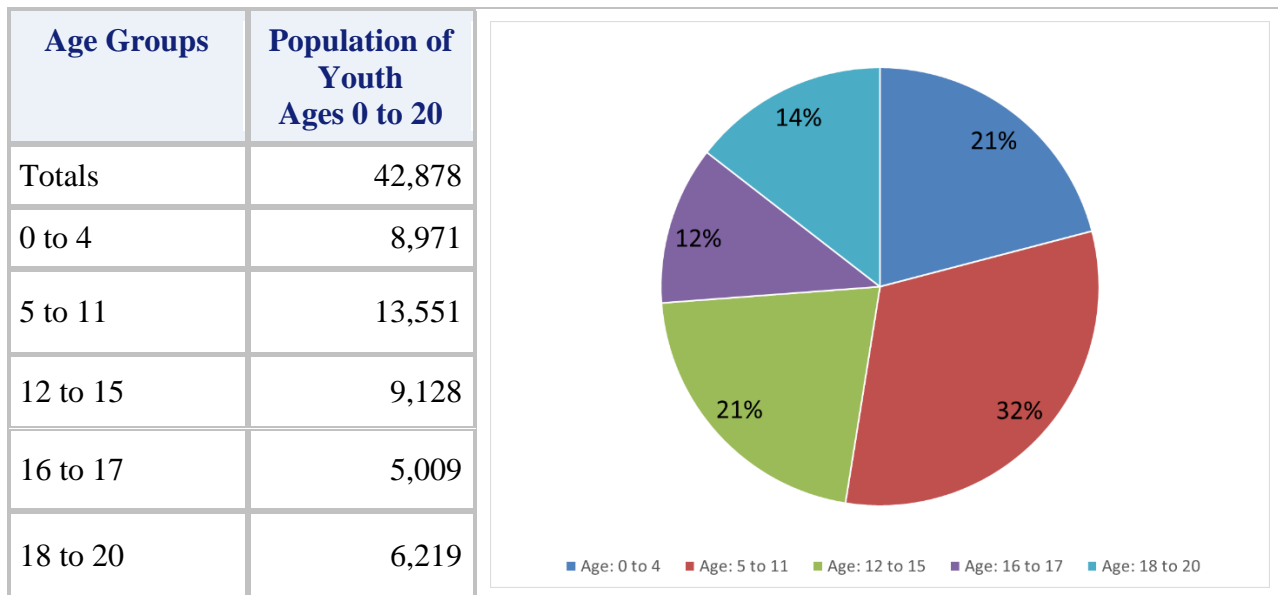**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	***	738	1	1.36
Ages 0 to 4	***	104	0	0.00
Ages 5 to 11	***	144	0	0.00
Ages 12 to 15	***	490	1	2.04
Ages 16 to 18				
Gender				
Totals	***	738	1	1.36
Female	***	399	1	2.51
Male	***	339	0	0.00
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	***	738	1	1.36
Hispanic	***	347	1	2.88
Black	***	104	0	0.00
White	***	287	0	0.00

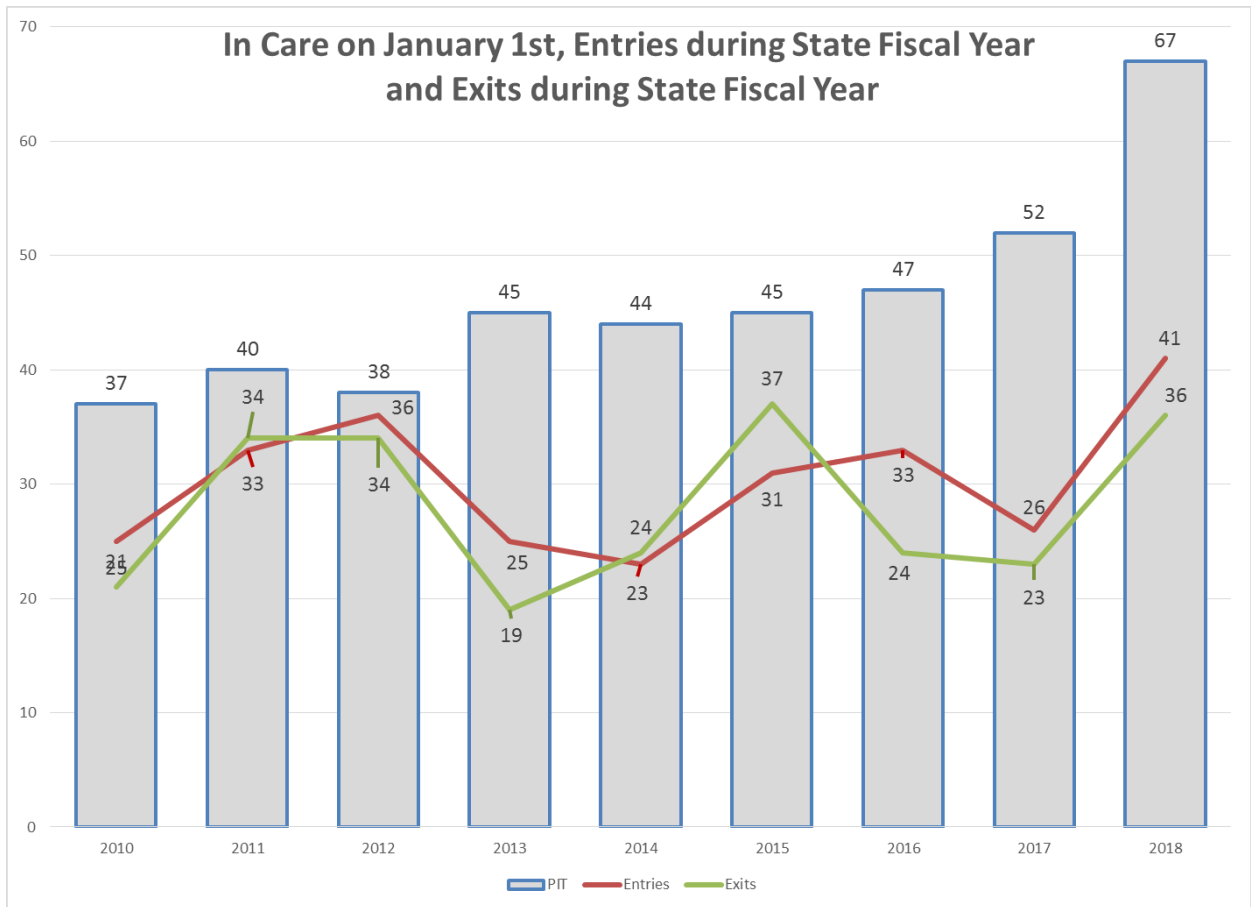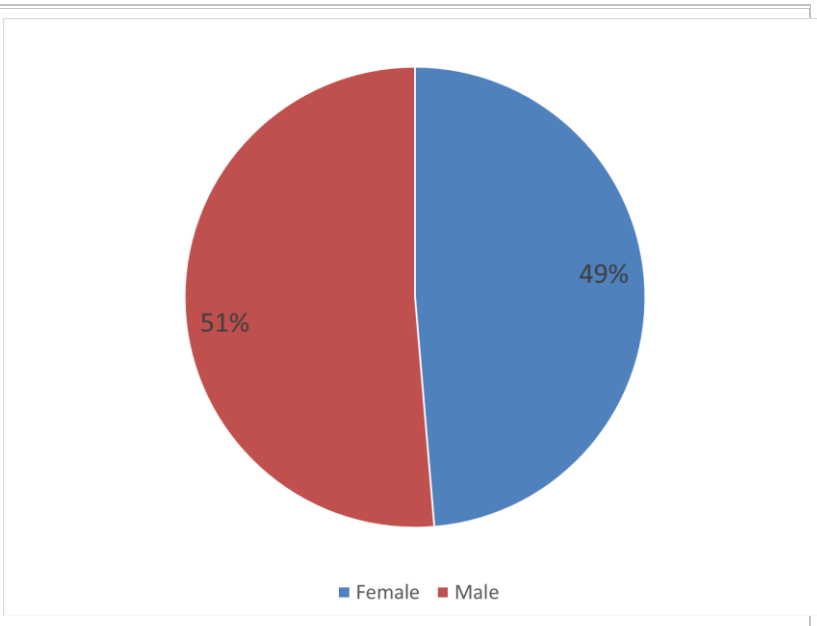NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Carroll

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[9].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	42,878
0 to 4	8,971
5 to 11	13,551
12 to 15	9,128
16 to 17	5,009
18 to 20	6,219

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	36,659	42,878
Black	1,562	1,883
White	31,878	37,302
Hispanic	2,118	2,429
All Others	1,101	1,264

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[9] Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	36,659	42,878
Female	17,840	20,836
Male	18,819	22,042

Female 49%
Male 51%

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

Year	PIT	Entries	Exits
2010	37	25	21
2011	40	33	34
2012	38	36	34
2013	45	25	19
2014	44	23	24
2015	45	31	37
2016	47	33	24
2017	52	26	23
2018	67	41	36

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Carroll.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Carroll

Age Groups	Children	Alternative Response		Investigative Response		Indicated		Unsubstantiated		Ruled Out	
	(A)	(B) n	(B/A) %	(C) n	(C/A) %	(D) n	(D/C) %	(I) n	(I/C) %	(O) n	(O/C) %
Totals	958	311	32.46%	647	67.54%	174	26.89%	35	5.41%	438	67.70%
Ages 0 to 4	233	66	28.33%	167	71.67%	40	23.95%	2	1.20%	125	74.85%
Ages 5 to 11	400	146	36.50%	254	63.50%	73	28.74%	13	5.12%	168	66.14%
Ages 12 to 15	220	65	29.55%	155	70.45%	41	26.45%	12	7.74%	102	65.81%
Ages 16 to 18	105	34	32.38%	71	67.62%	***	28.17%	***	11.27%	43	60.56%
Gender											
Totals	958	311	32.46%	647	67.54%	174	26.89%	35	5.41%	438	67.70%
Female	488	134	27.46%	354	72.54%	102	28.81%	21	5.93%	231	65.25%
Male	468	177	37.82%	291	62.18%	71	24.40%	14	4.81%	206	70.79%
Other/Unknown	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	958	311	32.46%	647	67.54%	174	26.89%	35	5.41%	438	67.70%
Hispanic	52	19	36.54%	33	63.46%	***	30.30%	***	3.03%	22	66.67%
Black	114	36	31.58%	78	68.42%	***	29.49%	***	11.54%	46	58.97%
White	708	216	30.51%	492	69.49%	129	26.22%	23	4.67%	340	69.11%
All Others	12	***	16.67%	***	83.33%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	80.00%
Unable to Determine	72	38	52.78%	34	47.22%	***	29.41%	***	5.88%	22	64.71%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Carroll.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	163	328
Ages 0 to 4	.	109
Ages 5 to 11	.	132
Ages 12 to 15	.	65
Ages 16 to 17	.	20
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	163	328
Female	.	165
Male	.	163
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	163	328
Black	.	36
White	.	230
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	49

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Carroll

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

	Removals by placement type											
		Community-Based Residential Placement		**Family Home Settings**		**Hospitalization**		**Non-Community Based Residential Placement**		**Unknown**	
Age Group	**Children** (A)	**N** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)
Totals	36	***	8.33%	25	69.44%	***	8.33%	***	5.55%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	13	***	15.38%	***	53.84%	***	15.38%	***	15.38%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	36	***	8.33%	25	69.44%	***	8.33%	***	5.55%	***	0.00%
Female	20	***	10.00%	10	50.00%	***	15.00%	***	10.00%	***	0.00%
Male	16	***	6.25%	15	93.75%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	36	***	8.33%	25	69.44%	***	8.33%	***	5.55%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	75.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	27	***	11.11%	18	66.66%	***	3.70%	***	7.40%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Carroll

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type												
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	36	11	30.55%	***	16.66%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	13.88%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	60.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	10	***	50.00%	***	10.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	10	***	40.00%	***	20.00%	***	10.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	30.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%
Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	80.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%
Gender															
Totals	36	11	30.55%	***	16.66%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	13.88%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%
Female	23	***	26.08%	***	17.39%	***	26.08%	***	0.00%	***	17.39%	***	0.00%	***	13.04%
Male	13	***	38.46%	***	15.38%	***	15.38%	***	0.00%	***	7.69%	***	0.00%	***	23.07%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	36	11	30.55%	***	16.66%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	13.88%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%
Hispanic	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	80.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	29	***	17.24%	***	20.68%	***	27.58%	***	0.00%	***	13.79%	***	0.00%	***	20.68%
Unable to determine	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Carroll

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	11	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	36.36%
Ages 0 to 4									
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	40.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
Gender									
Totals	11	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	36.36%
Female	***	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	50.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	11	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	36.36%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	100.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** **(A)**	**n** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**	**n** **(F)**	**%** **(F/A)**	**n** **(G)**	**%** **(G/A)**	**n** **(H)**	**%** **(H/A)**	**n** **(I)**	**%** **(I/A)**
	Totals	12	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Gender																		
	Totals	12	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%
	Female	***	***	0.00%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	12	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
	Unable to determine																	

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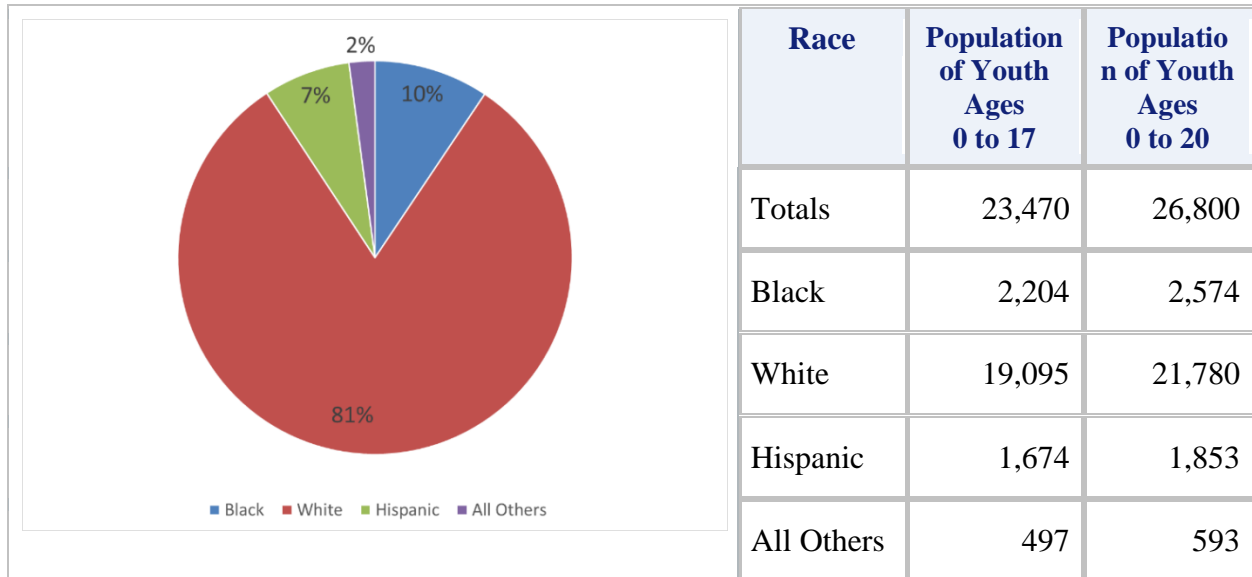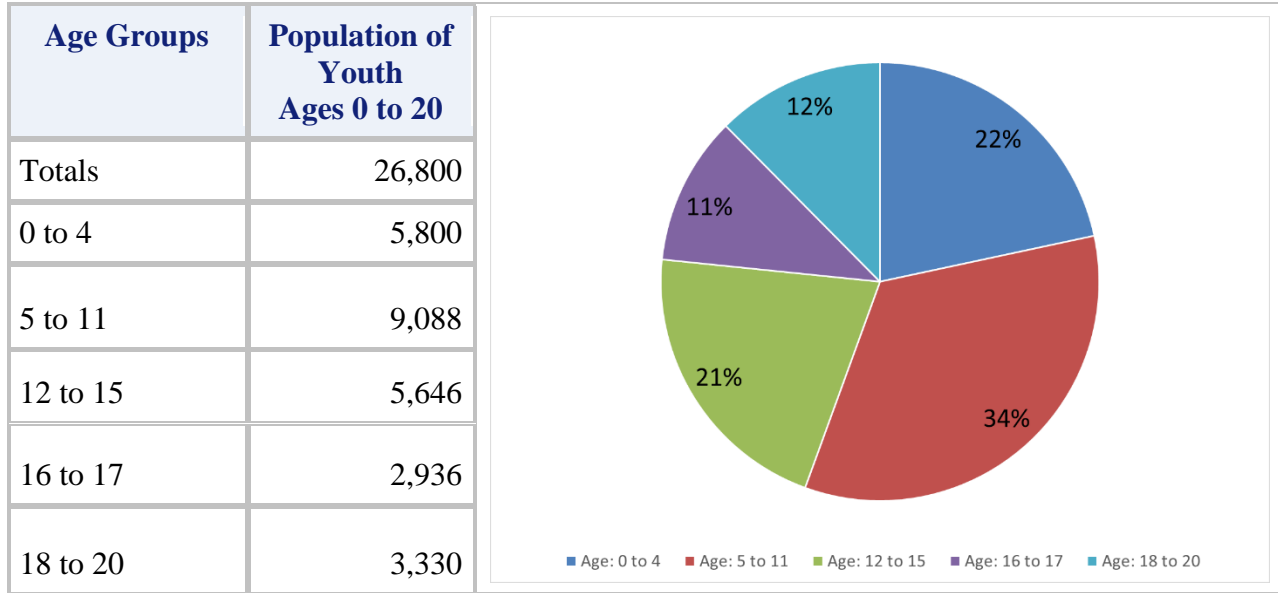**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	41	6,934	35	5.05
Ages 0 to 4	***	1,543	7	4.54
Ages 5 to 11	11	1,808	15	8.30
Ages 12 to 15	14	1,766	10	5.66
Ages 16 to 18	***	1,817	3	1.65
Gender				
Totals	41	6,934	35	5.05
Female	23	4,315	20	4.63
Male	18	2,619	15	5.73
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	41	6,934	35	5.05
Hispanic	***	350	3	8.57
Black	***	637	6	9.42
White	30	5,698	26	4.56
Unable to determine	***	249	0	0.00

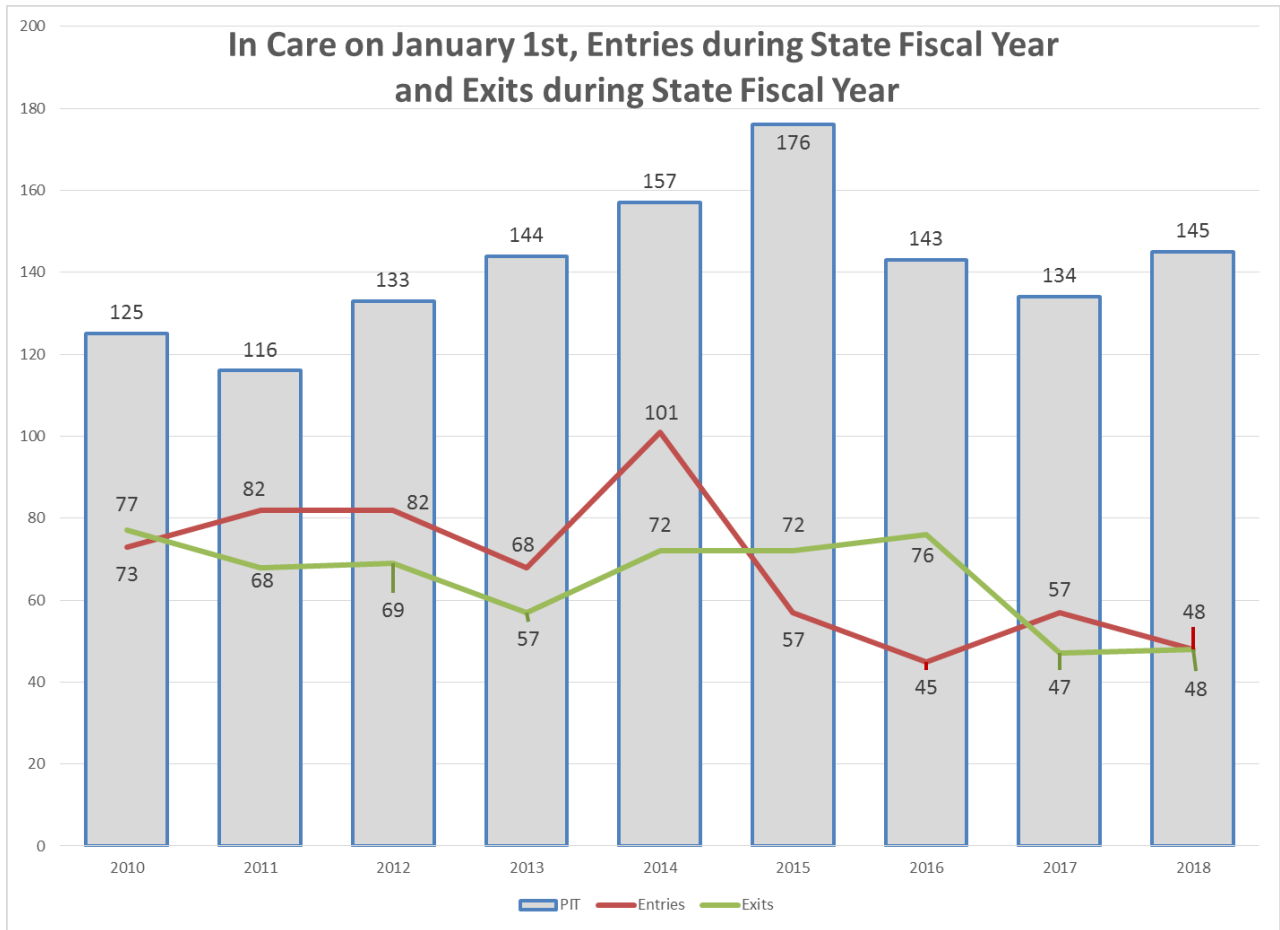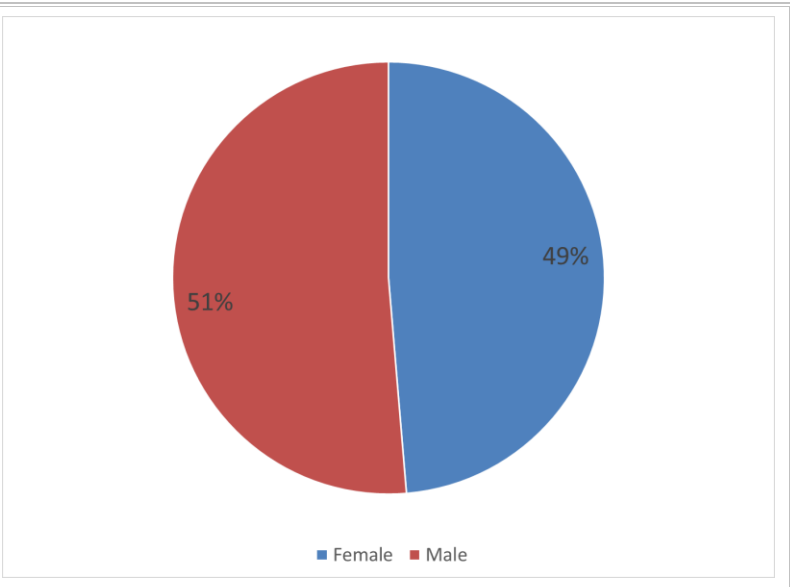NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

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Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	26,800
0 to 4	5,800
5 to 11	9,088
12 to 15	5,646
16 to 17	2,936
18 to 20	3,330

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	23,470	26,800
Black	2,204	2,574
White	19,095	21,780
Hispanic	1,674	1,853
All Others	497	593

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	23,470	26,800
Female	11,424	12,993
Male	12,046	13,807

Female 49%
Male 51%

■ Female ■ Male

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

PIT values: 2010: 125, 2011: 116, 2012: 133, 2013: 144, 2014: 157, 2015: 176, 2016: 143, 2017: 134, 2018: 145

Entries values: 2010: 73, 2011: 82, 2012: 82, 2013: 68, 2014: 101, 2015: 57, 2016: 45, 2017: 57, 2018: 48

Exits values: 2010: 77, 2011: 68, 2012: 69, 2013: 57, 2014: 72, 2015: 72, 2016: 76, 2017: 47, 2018: 48

■ PIT ■ Entries ■ Exits

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Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Cecil

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** **n**	**(B/A)** **%**	**(C)** **n**	**(C/A)** **%**	**(D)** **n**	**(D/C)** **%**	**(I)** **n**	**(I/C)** **%**	**(O)** **n**	**(O/C)** **%**
Totals	872	280	32.11%	592	67.89%	259	43.75%	171	28.89%	162	27.36%
Ages 0 to 4	312	93	29.81%	219	70.19%	111	50.68%	64	29.22%	44	20.09%
Ages 5 to 11	391	130	33.25%	261	66.75%	105	40.23%	79	30.27%	77	29.50%
Ages 12 to 15	123	44	35.77%	79	64.23%	33	41.77%	17	21.52%	29	36.71%
Ages 16 to 18	46	13	28.26%	33	71.74%	10	30.30%	11	33.33%	12	36.36%
Gender											
Totals	872	280	32.11%	592	67.89%	259	43.75%	171	28.89%	162	27.36%
Female	405	128	31.60%	277	68.40%	127	45.85%	78	28.16%	72	25.99%
Male	447	142	31.77%	305	68.23%	127	41.64%	91	29.84%	87	28.52%
Other/Unknown	20	10	50.00%	10	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	20.00%	***	30.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	872	280	32.11%	592	67.89%	259	43.75%	171	28.89%	162	27.36%
Hispanic	23	***	21.74%	***	78.26%	***	27.78%	***	33.33%	***	38.89%
Black	94	37	39.36%	57	60.64%	19	33.33%	13	22.81%	25	43.86%
White	498	166	33.33%	332	66.67%	150	45.18%	98	29.52%	84	25.30%
All Others	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%
Unable to Determine	253	70	27.67%	183	72.33%	84	45.90%	54	29.51%	45	24.59%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Cecil.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	186	372
Ages 0 to 4	.	168
Ages 5 to 11	.	131
Ages 12 to 15	.	56
Ages 16 to 17	.	16
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	186	372
Female	.	178
Male	.	190
Unknown	.	***
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	186	372
Black	.	29
White	.	191
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	141

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Cecil

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	**Children**	**N**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**
	(A)	**(B)**	**(B/A)**	**(C)**	**(C/A)**	**(D)**	**(D/A)**	**(E)**	**(E/A)**	**(F)**	**(F/A)**
Totals	41	***	0.00%	32	78.04%	***	9.75%	***	2.43%	***	4.87%
Ages 0 to 4	27	***	0.00%	21	77.77%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	7.40%
Ages 5 to 11	10	***	0.00%	***	90.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	41	***	0.00%	32	78.04%	***	9.75%	***	2.43%	***	4.87%
Female	13	***	0.00%	11	84.61%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	0.00%
Male	28	***	0.00%	21	75.00%	***	10.71%	***	0.00%	***	7.14%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	41	***	0.00%	32	78.04%	***	9.75%	***	2.43%	***	4.87%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	22	***	0.00%	19	86.36%	***	0.00%	***	4.54%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	15	***	0.00%	10	66.66%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	13.33%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Cecil

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type													
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	48	17	35.41%	***	18.75%	***	18.75%	***	2.08%	***	18.75%	***	0.00%	***	6.25%
Ages 0 to 4	14	***	35.71%	***	35.71%	***	28.57%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	12	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	33.33%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	71.42%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	28.57%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Over 18	***	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	77.77%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	48	17	35.41%	***	18.75%	***	18.75%	***	2.08%	***	18.75%	***	0.00%	***	6.25%
Female	20	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	15.00%	***	5.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.00%
Male	28	12	42.85%	***	14.28%	***	21.42%	***	0.00%	***	17.85%	***	0.00%	***	3.57%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	48	17	35.41%	***	18.75%	***	18.75%	***	2.08%	***	18.75%	***	0.00%	***	6.25%
Hispanic	***	***	66.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	37.50%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%
White	27	***	33.33%	***	11.11%	***	33.33%	***	3.70%	***	18.51%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	10	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Cecil

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
Age Group		**Children** **(A)**	**n** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**
	Totals	15	***	6.66%	***	6.66%	***	13.33%	***	13.33%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%
Gender										
	Totals	15	***	6.66%	***	6.66%	***	13.33%	***	13.33%
	Female	***	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%
	Male	10	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity										
	Totals	15	***	6.66%	***	6.66%	***	13.33%	***	13.33%
	Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%
	White	***	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Cecil

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	27	***	7.40%	***	11.11%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Gender																		
	Totals	27	***	7.40%	***	11.11%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%
	Female	11	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	16	***	12.50%	***	18.75%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	27	***	7.40%	***	11.11%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%	***	14.81%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	21	***	9.52%	***	14.28%	***	19.04%	***	19.04%	***	19.04%	***	19.04%	***	19.04%	***	19.04%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Cecil

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
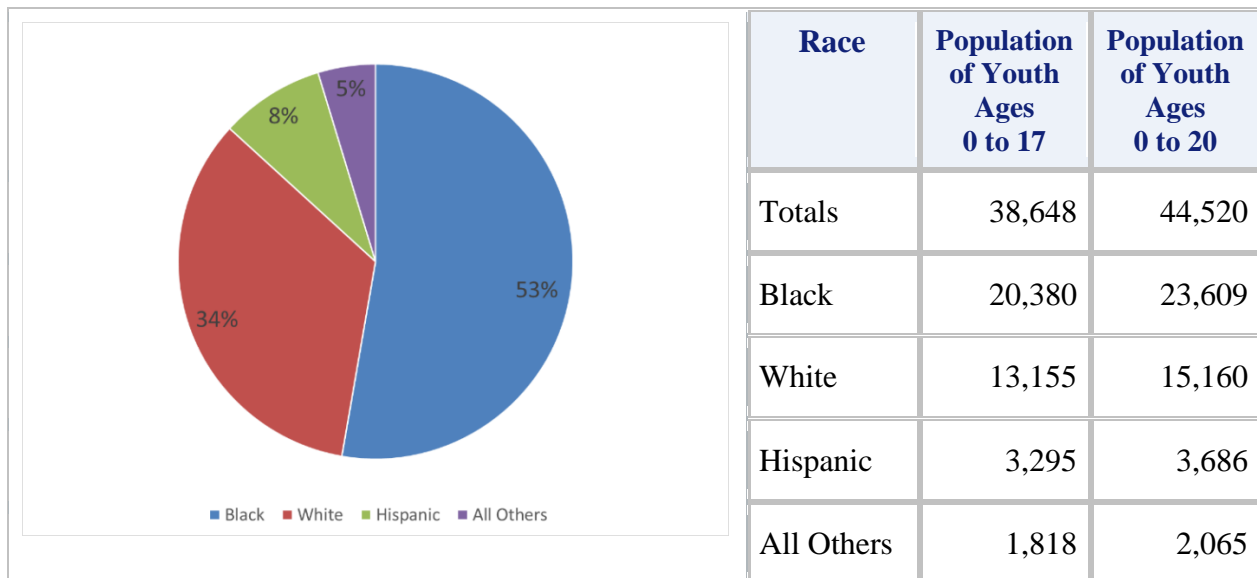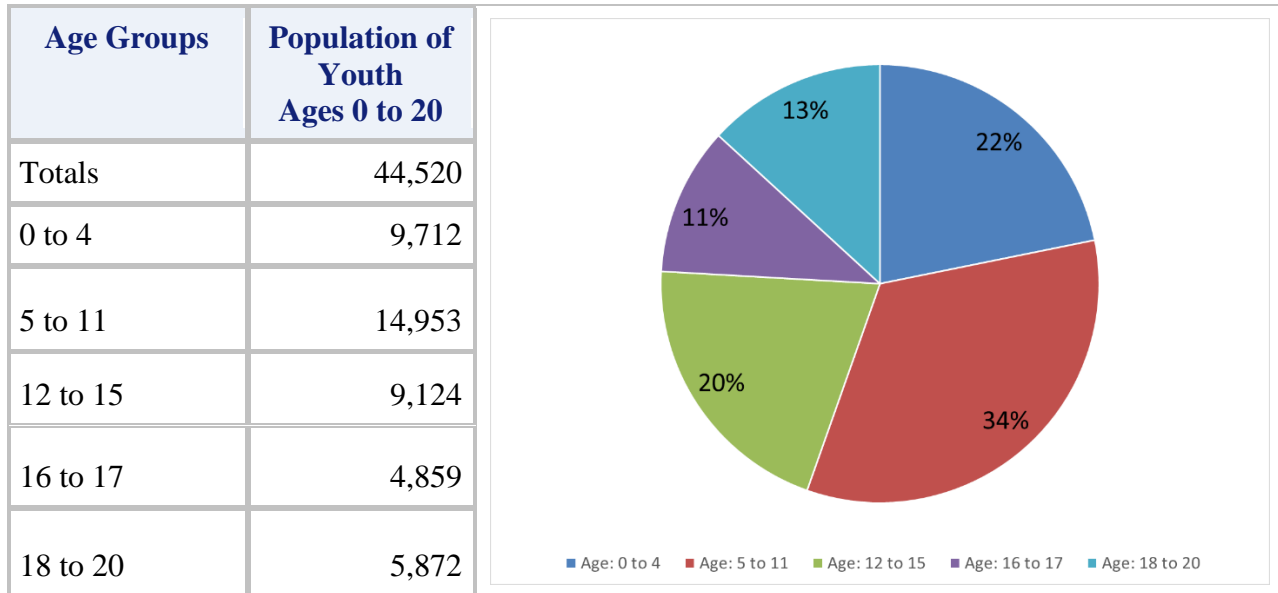**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	48	9,610	40	4.16
Ages 0 to 4	28	5,994	17	2.84
Ages 5 to 11	12	1,934	14	7.24
Ages 12 to 15	***	288	2	6.94
Ages 16 to 18	***	1,394	7	5.02
Gender				
Totals	48	9,610	40	4.16
Female	17	3,037	11	3.62
Male	31	6,573	29	4.41
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	48	9,610	40	4.16
Hispanic	***	916	5	5.46
Black	***	878	4	4.56
White	27	4,508	21	4.66
Unable to determine	15	3,308	10	3.02

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Charles

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[11].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	44,520
0 to 4	9,712
5 to 11	14,953
12 to 15	9,124
16 to 17	4,859
18 to 20	5,872

Age: 0 to 4   Age: 5 to 11   Age: 12 to 15   Age: 16 to 17   Age: 18 to 20

Black   White   Hispanic   All Others

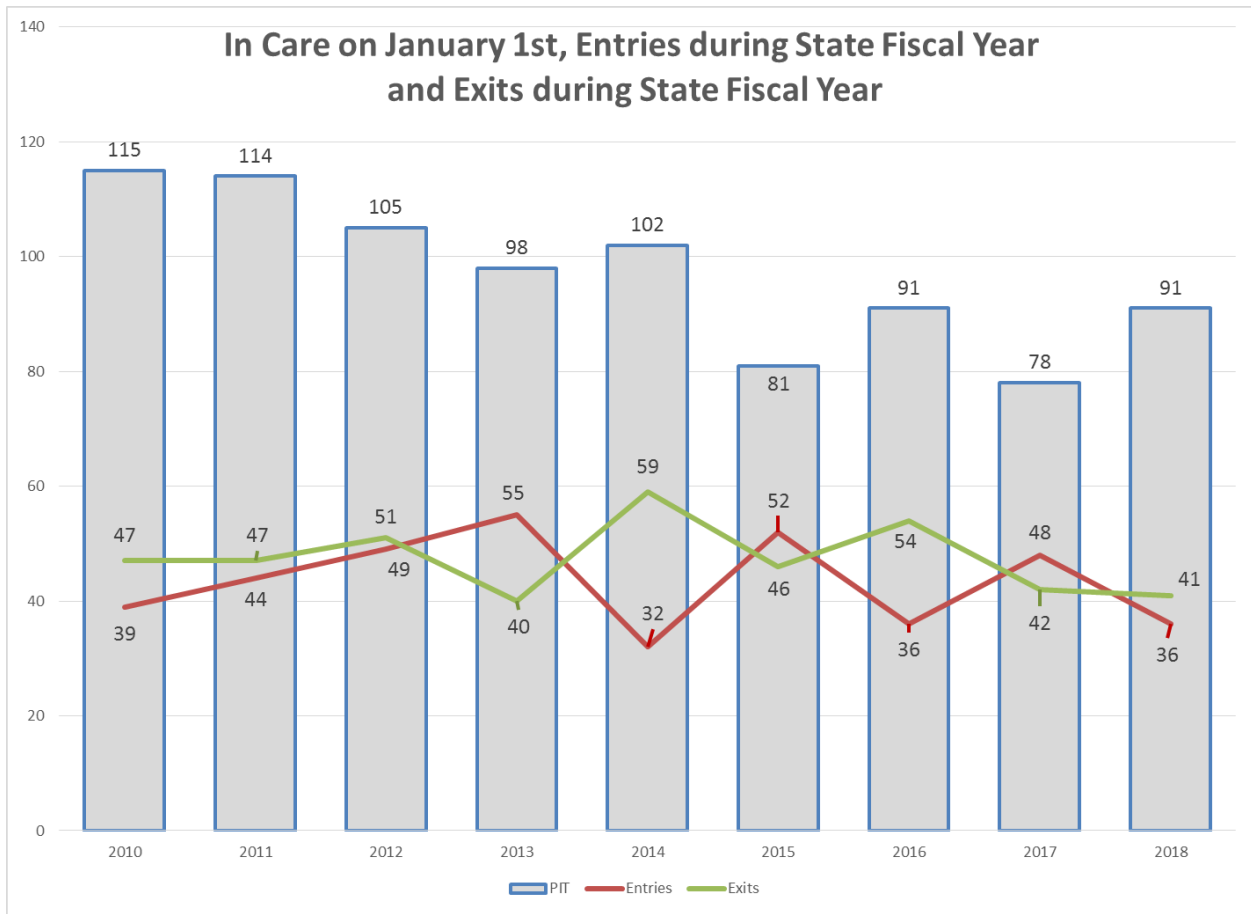| Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	38,648	44,520
Black	20,380	23,609
White	13,155	15,160
Hispanic	3,295	3,686
All Others	1,818	2,065

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[11]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	38,648	44,520
Female	18,894	21,687
Male	19,754	22,833

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Charles.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Charles

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	815	401	49.20%	414	50.80%	152	36.71%	151	36.47%	111	26.81%
Ages 0 to 4	185	97	52.43%	88	47.57%	43	48.86%	29	32.95%	16	18.18%
Ages 5 to 11	353	182	51.56%	171	48.44%	41	23.98%	69	40.35%	61	35.67%
Ages 12 to 15	174	80	45.98%	94	54.02%	36	38.30%	32	34.04%	26	27.66%
Ages 16 to 18	101	42	41.58%	59	58.42%	31	52.54%	***	33.90%	***	13.56%
Age Invalid	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	815	401	49.20%	414	50.80%	152	36.71%	151	36.47%	111	26.81%
Female	364	165	45.33%	199	54.67%	59	29.65%	77	38.69%	63	31.66%
Male	451	236	52.33%	215	47.67%	93	43.26%	74	34.42%	48	22.33%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	815	401	49.20%	414	50.80%	152	36.71%	151	36.47%	111	26.81%
Hispanic	49	20	40.82%	29	59.18%	15	51.72%	***	34.48%	***	13.79%
Black	466	231	49.57%	235	50.43%	84	35.74%	89	37.87%	62	26.38%
White	214	98	45.79%	116	54.21%	37	31.90%	41	35.34%	38	32.76%
All Others	10	***	30.00%	***	70.00%	***	28.57%	***	71.43%	***	0.00%
Unable to Determine	76	49	64.47%	27	35.53%	14	51.85%	***	22.22%	***	25.93%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Charles.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	144	314
Ages 0 to 4	.	105
Ages 5 to 11	.	112
Ages 12 to 15	.	68
Ages 16 to 17	.	27
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	144	314
Female	.	152
Male	.	161
Unknown	.	***
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	144	314
Black	.	154
White	.	96
Hispanic	.	22
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	35

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Charles

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	Children (A)	N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
Totals	34	***	26.47%	22	64.70%	***	5.88%	***	2.94%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	19	***	36.84%	10	52.63%	***	10.52%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	28.57%	***	71.42%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	34	***	26.47%	22	64.70%	***	5.88%	***	2.94%	***	0.00%
Female	14	***	14.28%	10	71.42%	***	14.28%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	20	***	35.00%	12	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	5.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	34	***	26.47%	22	64.70%	***	5.88%	***	2.94%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	19	***	36.84%	10	52.63%	***	10.52%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	12	***	16.66%	10	83.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Charles

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

						Exits by return type									
			Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other
Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
	Totals	41	18	43.90%	***	21.95%	10	24.39%	***	2.43%	***	7.31%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	18	***	50.00%	***	16.66%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	14	***	50.00%	***	35.71%	***	14.28%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	40.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																
	Totals	41	18	43.90%	***	21.95%	10	24.39%	***	2.43%	***	7.31%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female	19	***	31.57%	***	21.05%	***	36.84%	***	0.00%	***	10.52%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	22	12	54.54%	***	22.72%	***	13.63%	***	4.54%	***	4.54%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																
	Totals	41	18	43.90%	***	21.95%	10	24.39%	***	2.43%	***	7.31%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	26	***	34.61%	***	23.07%	***	30.76%	***	3.84%	***	7.69%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	13	***	61.53%	***	23.07%	***	15.38%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Charles

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	19	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	19	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	13	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	19	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%
Black	***	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Charles

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	12	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																			
	Totals	12	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																			
	Totals	12	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Charles

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
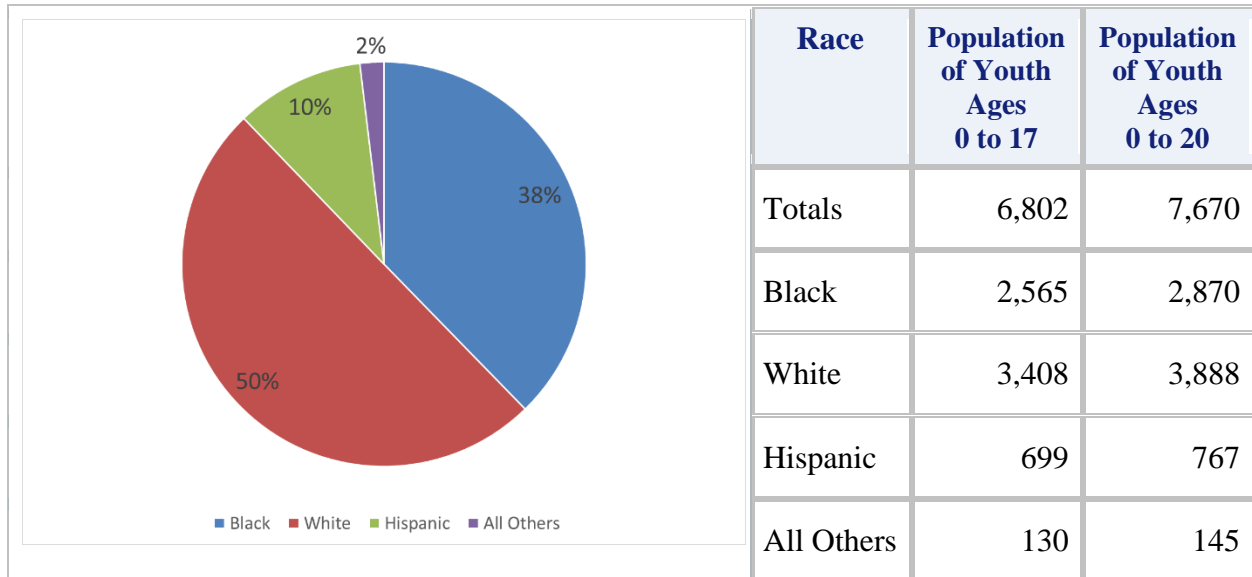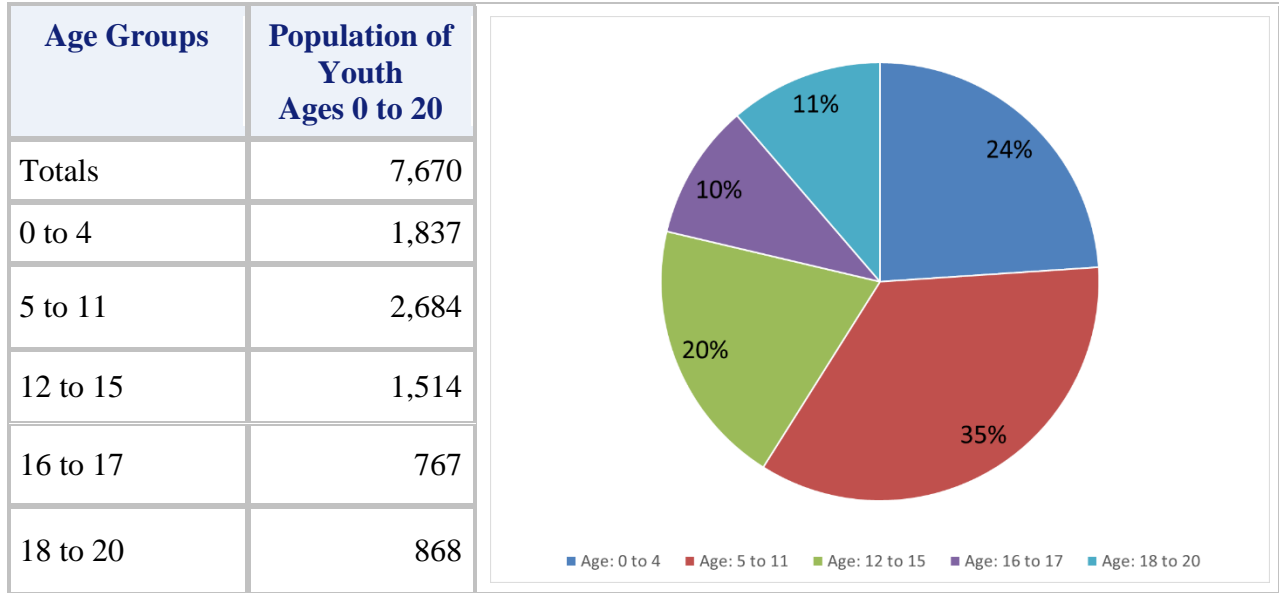**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

		Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group		**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
	Totals	36	5,423	16	2.95
	Ages 0 to 4	20	3,102	9	2.90
	Ages 5 to 11	***	666	2	3.00
	Ages 12 to 15	***	903	2	2.21
	Ages 16 to 18	***	752	3	3.99
Gender					
	Totals	36	5,423	16	2.95
	Female	15	2,108	9	4.27
	Male	21	3,315	7	2.11
Race/Ethnicity					
	Totals	36	5,423	16	2.95
	Hispanic	***	262	1	3.82
	Black	20	2,450	8	3.27
	White	12	2,181	5	2.29
	Unable to determine	***	530	2	3.77

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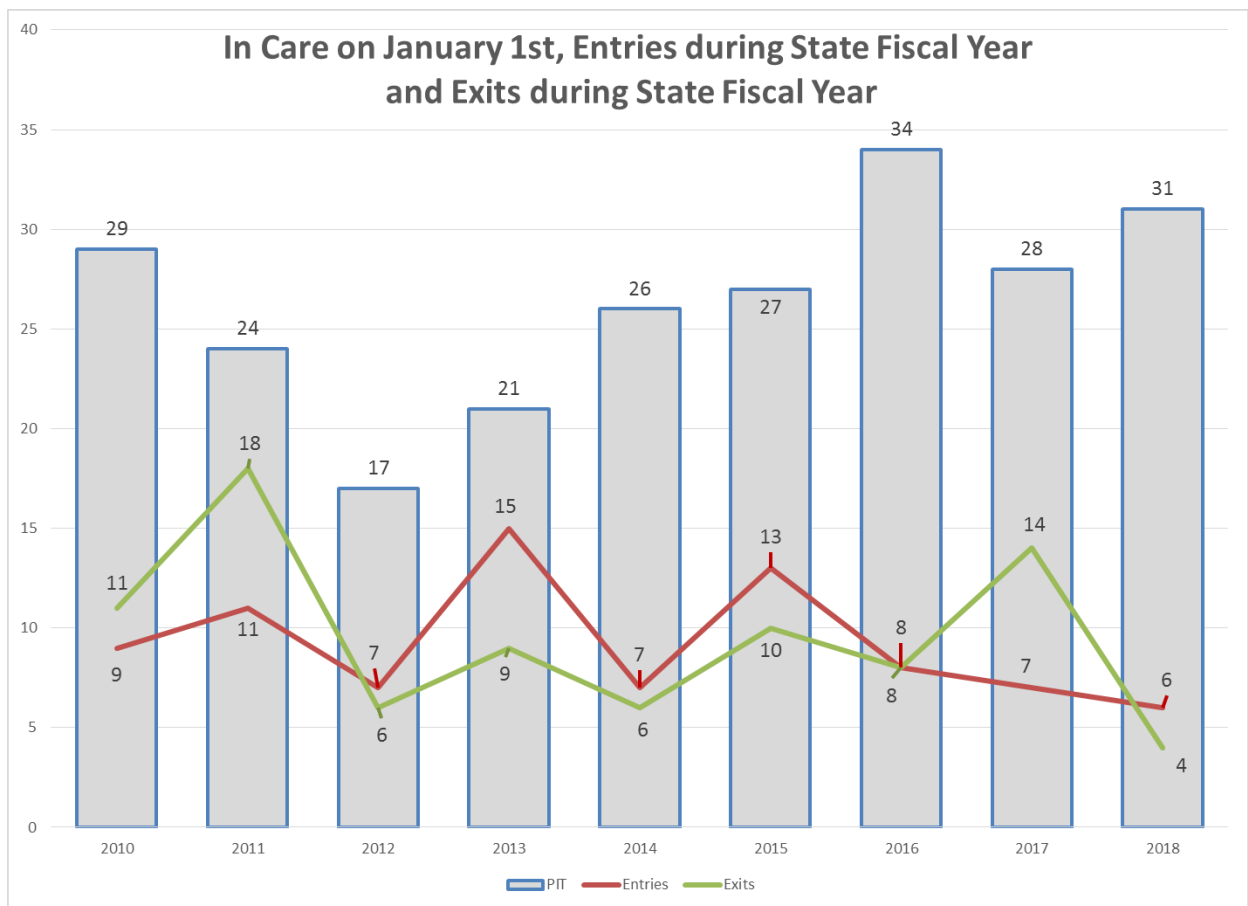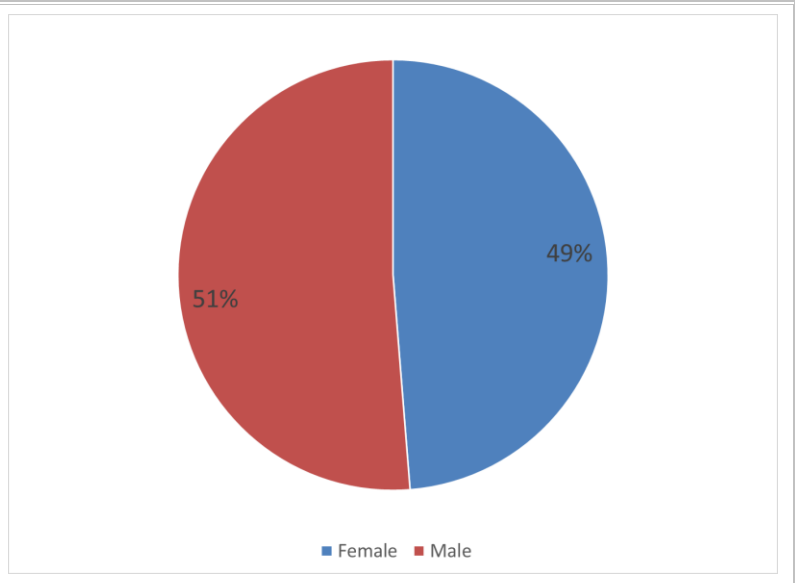
Dorchester

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[12].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	7,670
0 to 4	1,837
5 to 11	2,684
12 to 15	1,514
16 to 17	767
18 to 20	868

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	6,802	7,670
Black	2,565	2,870
White	3,408	3,888
Hispanic	699	767
All Others	130	145

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[12]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at:
http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	6,802	7,670
Female	3,315	3,713
Male	3,487	3,957

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Dorchester.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Dorchester

					Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	485	177	36.49%	308	63.51%	74	24.03%	83	26.95%	151	49.03%
Ages 0 to 4	147	57	38.78%	90	61.22%	29	32.22%	15	16.67%	46	51.11%
Ages 5 to 11	232	80	34.48%	152	65.52%	33	21.71%	41	26.97%	78	51.32%
Ages 12 to 15	83	34	40.96%	49	59.04%	***	14.29%	***	38.78%	23	46.94%
Ages 16 to 18	20	***	30.00%	***	70.00%	***	21.43%	***	50.00%	***	28.57%
Age Invalid	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	66.67%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	485	177	36.49%	308	63.51%	74	24.03%	83	26.95%	151	49.03%
Female	249	93	37.35%	156	62.65%	37	23.72%	43	27.56%	76	48.72%
Male	234	84	35.90%	150	64.10%	35	23.33%	40	26.67%	75	50.00%
Other/Unknown	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	485	177	36.49%	308	63.51%	74	24.03%	83	26.95%	151	49.03%
Hispanic	***	***	33.33%	***	66.67%	***	25.00%	***	50.00%	***	25.00%
Black	262	76	29.01%	186	70.99%	45	24.19%	50	26.88%	91	48.92%
White	150	66	44.00%	84	56.00%	18	21.43%	23	27.38%	43	51.19%
Unable to Determine	67	33	49.25%	34	50.75%	***	29.41%	***	23.53%	16	47.06%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Dorchester.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	63	166
Ages 0 to 4	.	57
Ages 5 to 11	.	61
Ages 12 to 15	.	29
Ages 16 to 17	.	16
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	63	166
Female	.	73
Male	.	93
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	63	166
Black	.	98
White	.	43
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	19

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Dorchester

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

				Removals by placement type							
		Community-Based Residential Placement		**Family Home Settings**		**Hospitalization**		**Non-Community Based Residential Placement**		**Unknown**	
Age Group	**Children** **(A)**	**N** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**	**n** **(F)**	**%** **(F/A)**
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	80.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4											
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17											
Gender											
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	80.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	80.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Dorchester

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type														
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	**Children (A)**	**n (B)**	**% (B/A)**	**n (C)**	**% (C/A)**	**n (D)**	**% (D/A)**	**n (E)**	**% (E/A)**	**n (F)**	**% (F/A)**	**n (G)**	**% (G/A)**	**n (H)**	**% (H/A)**
Totals	***	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4															
Ages 5 to 11															
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	***	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	***	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Dorchester

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification Children (A)	Reentries within 3 months n (B)	% (B/A)	Reentries within 6 months n (C)	% (C/A)	Reentries within 9 months n (D)	% (D/A)	Reentries within 12 months n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4									
Ages 5 to 11									
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Dorchester

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group	Exits to reunification Children (A)	Reentries within 3 months n (B)	% (B/A)	Reentries within 6 months n (C)	% (C/A)	Reentries within 9 months n (D)	% (D/A)	Reentries within 12 months n (E)	% (E/A)	Reentries within 15 months n (F)	% (F/A)	Reentries within 18 months n (G)	% (G/A)	Reentries within 21 months n (H)	% (H/A)	Reentries within 24 months n (I)	% (I/A)
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
Ages 0 to 4																	
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																	
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																	
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
Black																	
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Dorchester

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
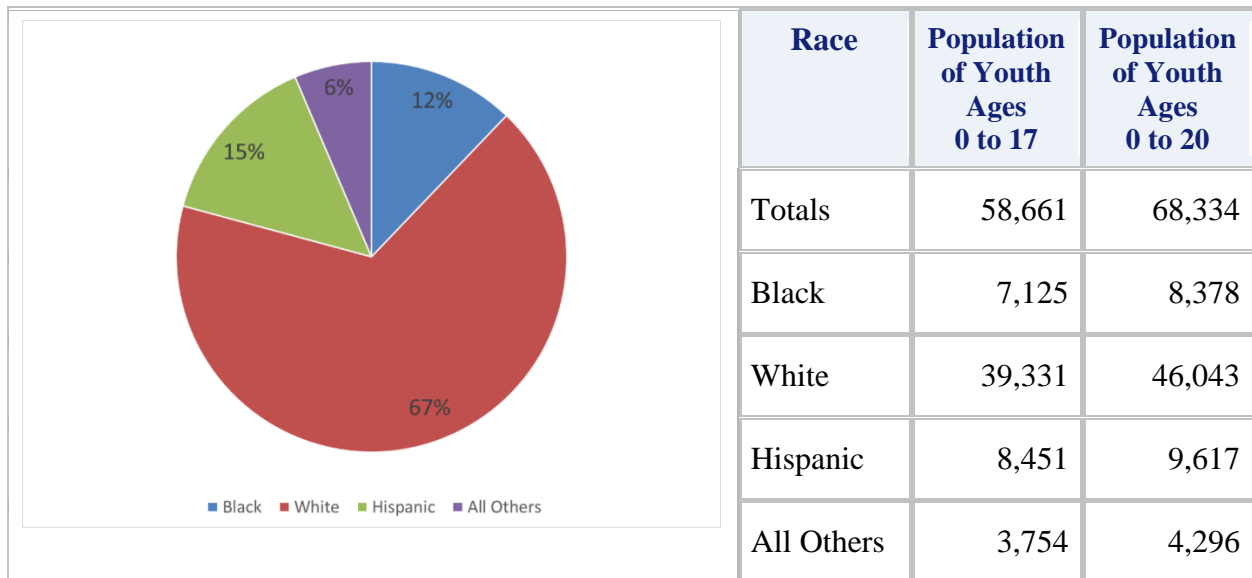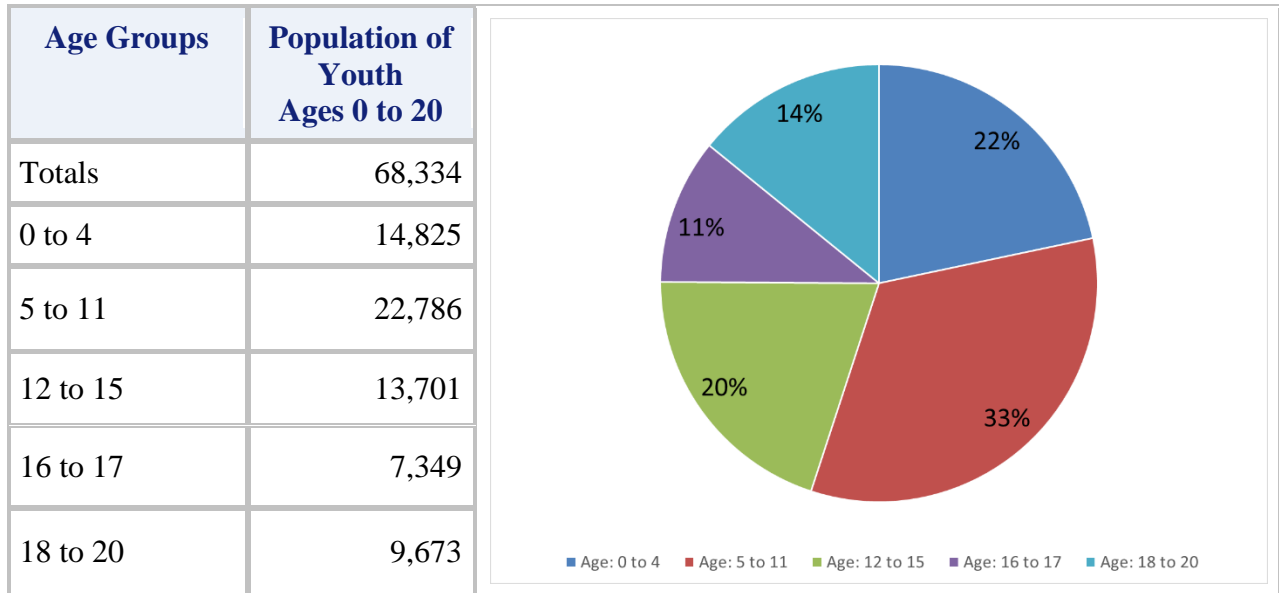**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	***	1,785	10	5.60
Ages 0 to 4				
Ages 5 to 11	***	1,271	6	4.72
Ages 12 to 15	***	514	4	7.78
Ages 16 to 18				
Gender				
Totals	***	1,785	10	5.60
Female	***	818	6	7.33
Male	***	967	4	4.14
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	***	1,785	10	5.60
Hispanic	***	191	2	10.47
Black	***	359	1	2.79
White	***	931	4	4.30
Unable to determine	***	304	3	9.87

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Frederick

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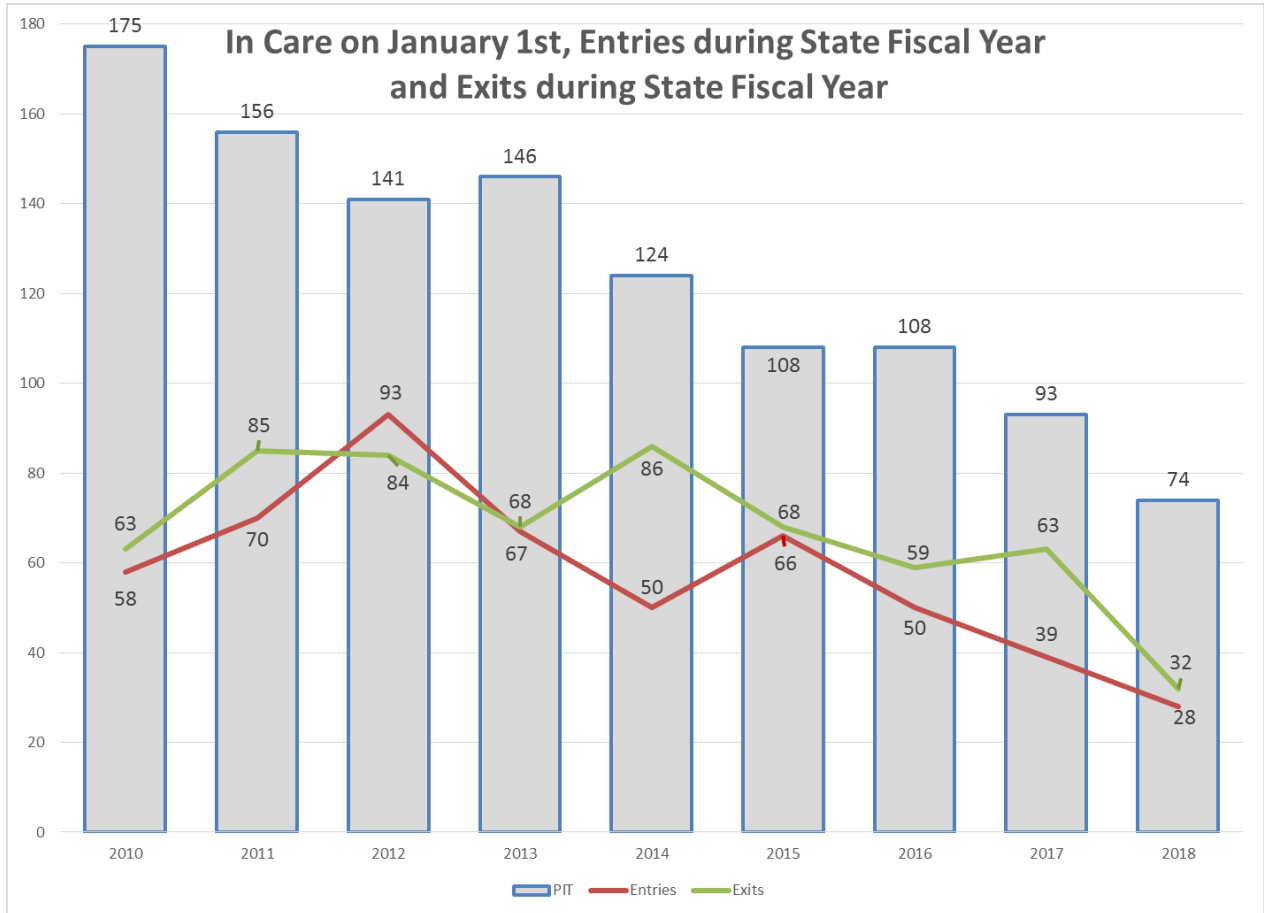
Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20	
Totals	68,334	
0 to 4	14,825	
5 to 11	22,786	
12 to 15	13,701	
16 to 17	7,349	
18 to 20	9,673	

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	58,661	68,334
Black	7,125	8,378
White	39,331	46,043
Hispanic	8,451	9,617
All Others	3,754	4,296

Gender	Population	Population	

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	of Youth Ages 0 to 17	of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	58,661	68,334
Female	28,603	33,328
Male	30,058	35,006

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

Year	PIT	Entries	Exits
2010	175	58	63
2011	156	70	85
2012	141	93	84
2013	146	67	68
2014	124	50	86
2015	108	66	68
2016	108	50	59
2017	93	39	63
2018	74	28	32

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Frederick.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Frederick

						Investigative Response					
	Children	Alternative Response		Investigative Response		Indicated		Unsubstantiated		Ruled Out	
Age Groups	(A)	(B) n	(B/A) %	(C) n	(C/A) %	(D) n	(D/C) %	(I) n	(I/C) %	(O) n	(O/C) %
Totals	1,076	552	51.30%	524	48.70%	180	34.35%	122	23.28%	222	42.37%
Ages 0 to 4	258	137	53.10%	121	46.90%	46	38.02%	27	22.31%	48	39.67%
Ages 5 to 11	493	271	54.97%	222	45.03%	60	27.03%	48	21.62%	114	51.35%
Ages 12 to 15	234	108	46.15%	126	53.85%	48	38.10%	35	27.78%	43	34.13%
Ages 16 to 18	91	36	39.56%	55	60.44%	26	47.27%	12	21.82%	17	30.91%
Gender											
Totals	1,076	552	51.30%	524	48.70%	180	34.35%	122	23.28%	222	42.37%
Female	559	234	41.86%	325	58.14%	117	36.00%	78	24.00%	130	40.00%
Male	516	317	61.43%	199	38.57%	63	31.66%	44	22.11%	92	46.23%
Other/Unknown	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	1,076	552	51.30%	524	48.70%	180	34.35%	122	23.28%	222	42.37%
Hispanic	102	44	43.14%	58	56.86%	22	37.93%	11	18.97%	25	43.10%
Black	223	125	56.05%	98	43.95%	47	47.96%	21	21.43%	30	30.61%
White	464	241	51.94%	223	48.06%	66	29.60%	62	27.80%	95	42.60%
All Others	16	***	37.50%	***	62.50%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	60.00%
Unable to Determine	271	136	50.18%	135	49.82%	43	31.85%	26	19.26%	66	48.89%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Frederick.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	Cases	Children
All Ages	259	575
Ages 0 to 4	.	219
Ages 5 to 11	.	215
Ages 12 to 15	.	99
Ages 16 to 17	.	36
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	259	575
Female	.	268
Male	.	305
Unknown	.	***
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	259	575
Black	.	133
White	.	235
Hispanic	.	57
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	143

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Frederick

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

			Removals by placement type								
			Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group		Children (A)	N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
	Totals	22	***	9.09%	12	54.54%	***	36.36%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	11	***	0.00%	***	72.72%	***	27.27%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	22.22%	***	44.44%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 17	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender												
	Totals	22	***	9.09%	12	54.54%	***	36.36%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female	14	***	7.14%	***	64.28%	***	28.57%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	***	***	12.50%	***	37.50%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity												
	Totals	22	***	9.09%	12	54.54%	***	36.36%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Hispanic	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	13	***	7.69%	***	53.84%	***	38.46%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	66.66%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Frederick

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

			Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
	Totals	32	13	40.62%	13	40.62%	***	6.25%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	11	***	54.54%	***	36.36%	***	9.09%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	10	***	30.00%	***	70.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	66.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																
	Totals	32	13	40.62%	13	40.62%	***	6.25%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female	14	***	50.00%	***	42.85%	***	7.14%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	18	***	33.33%	***	38.88%	***	5.55%	***	0.00%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																
	Totals	32	13	40.62%	13	40.62%	***	6.25%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Hispanic	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	37.50%	***	37.50%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	16	***	31.25%	***	43.75%	***	6.25%	***	0.00%	***	18.75%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	75.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Frederick

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	13	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	13	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	13	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	13	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Frederick

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group	Exits to reunification Children (A)	Reentries within 3 months n (B)	% (B/A)	Reentries within 6 months n (C)	% (C/A)	Reentries within 9 months n (D)	% (D/A)	Reentries within 12 months n (E)	% (E/A)	Reentries within 15 months n (F)	% (F/A)	Reentries within 18 months n (G)	% (G/A)	Reentries within 21 months n (H)	% (H/A)	Reentries within 24 months n (I)	% (I/A)
Totals	20	***	10.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
Ages 0 to 4	11	***	18.18%	***	27.27%	***	27.27%	***	27.27%	***	27.27%	***	27.27%	***	27.27%	***	27.27%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
Gender																	
Totals	20	***	10.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
Female	11	***	0.00%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%
Male	***	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%
Race/Ethnicity																	
Totals	20	***	10.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
Black	***	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Frederick

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
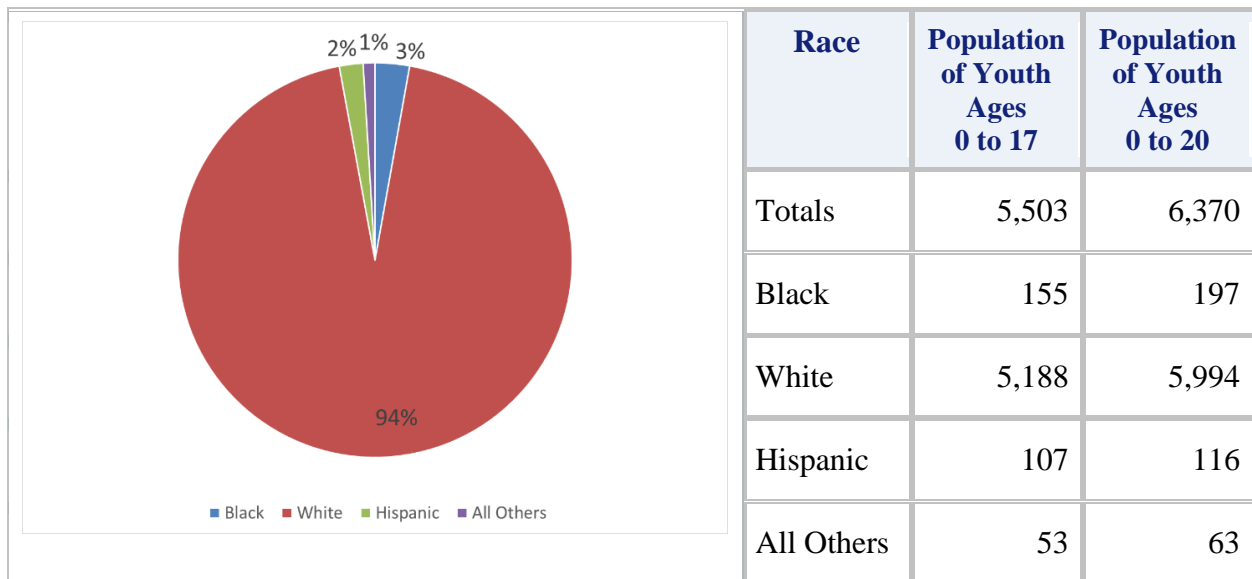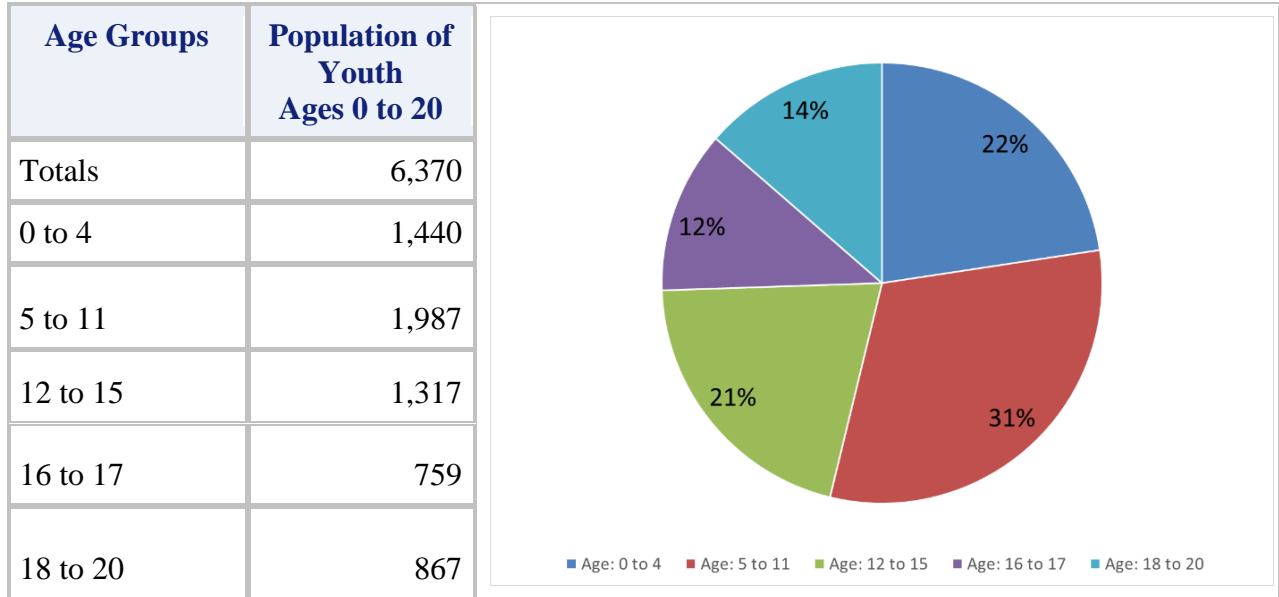**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	28	3,280	19	5.79
Ages 0 to 4	13	1,763	9	5.10
Ages 5 to 11	***	115	0	0.00
Ages 12 to 15	***	732	5	6.83
Ages 16 to 18	***	670	5	7.46
Gender				
Totals	28	3,280	19	5.79
Female	16	1,899	11	5.79
Male	12	1,381	8	5.79
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	28	3,280	19	5.79
Hispanic	***	524	2	3.82
Black	***	538	4	7.43
White	16	2,017	11	5.45
Unable to determine	***	201	2	9.95

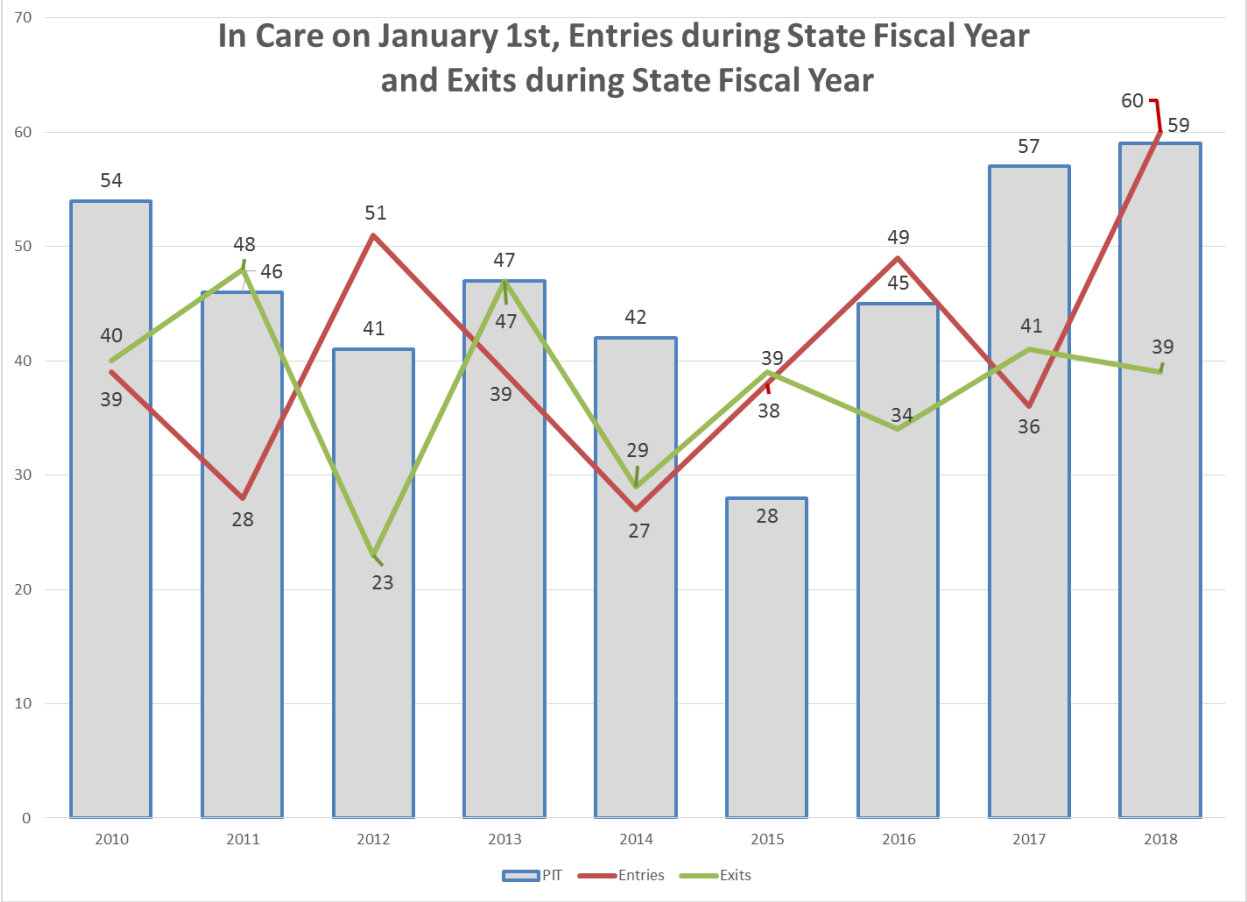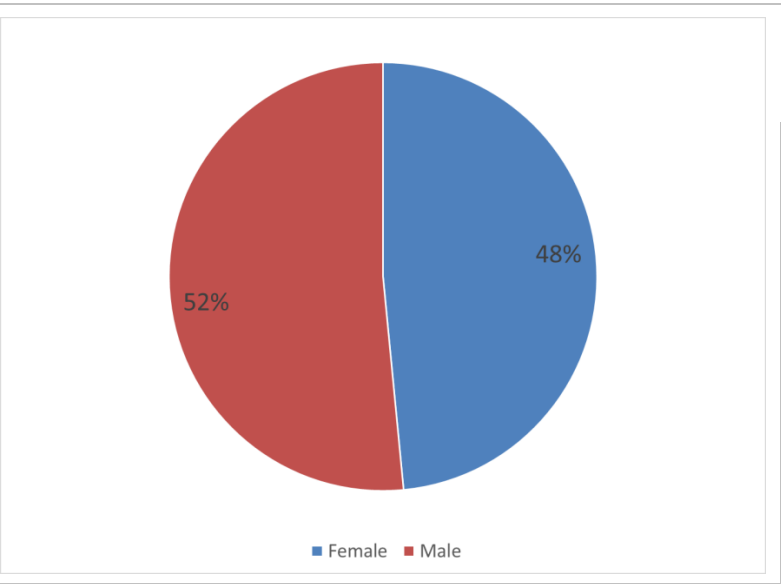NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Garrett

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[14].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	6,370
0 to 4	1,440
5 to 11	1,987
12 to 15	1,317
16 to 17	759
18 to 20	867

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	5,503	6,370
Black	155	197
White	5,188	5,994
Hispanic	107	116
All Others	53	63

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	5,503	6,370
Female	2,667	3,035
Male	2,836	3,335

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Garrett.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Garrett

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	318	89	27.99%	229	72.01%	134	58.52%	56	24.45%	39	17.03%
Ages 0 to 4	96	36	37.50%	60	62.50%	32	53.33%	20	33.33%	8	13.33%
Ages 5 to 11	145	31	21.38%	114	78.62%	70	61.40%	22	19.30%	22	19.30%
Ages 12 to 15	57	19	33.33%	38	66.67%	24	63.16%	***	18.42%	***	18.42%
Ages 16 to 18	20	***	15.00%	***	85.00%	***	47.06%	***	41.18%	***	11.76%
Gender											
Totals	318	89	27.99%	229	72.01%	134	58.52%	56	24.45%	39	17.03%
Female	161	46	28.57%	115	71.43%	69	60.00%	24	20.87%	22	19.13%
Male	157	43	27.39%	114	72.61%	65	57.02%	32	28.07%	17	14.91%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	318	89	27.99%	229	72.01%	134	58.52%	56	24.45%	39	17.03%
Black	14	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	42.86%	***	42.86%	***	14.29%
White	284	75	26.41%	209	73.59%	122	58.37%	51	24.40%	36	17.22%
All Others	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to Determine	19	***	36.84%	***	63.16%	***	66.67%	***	16.67%	***	16.67%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Garrett.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	Cases	Children
All Ages	64	123
Ages 0 to 4	.	41
Ages 5 to 11	.	46
Ages 12 to 15	.	29
Ages 16 to 17	.	***
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	64	123
Female	.	61
Male	.	62
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	64	123
Black	.	***
White	.	104
Unable to Determine	.	***

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Garrett

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

	Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	**Children (A)**	**N (B)**	**% (B/A)**	**n (C)**	**% (C/A)**	**n (D)**	**% (D/A)**	**n (E)**	**% (E/A)**	**n (F)**	**% (F/A)**
Totals	44	***	0.00%	38	86.36%	***	13.63%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	20	***	0.00%	15	75.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	14	***	0.00%	13	92.85%	***	7.14%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	10	***	0.00%	10	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17											
Gender											
Totals	44	***	0.00%	38	86.36%	***	13.63%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	21	***	0.00%	20	95.23%	***	4.76%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	23	***	0.00%	18	78.26%	***	21.73%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	44	***	0.00%	38	86.36%	***	13.63%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black											
White	42	***	0.00%	36	85.71%	***	14.28%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Garrett

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type														
			Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
	Totals	39	17	43.58%	***	12.82%	***	23.07%	***	2.56%	***	12.82%	***	5.12%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	11	***	54.54%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	9.09%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	16	***	50.00%	***	18.75%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	6.25%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																
	Totals	39	17	43.58%	***	12.82%	***	23.07%	***	2.56%	***	12.82%	***	5.12%	***	0.00%
	Female	12	***	58.33%	***	8.33%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	8.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	27	10	37.03%	***	14.81%	***	22.22%	***	3.70%	***	14.81%	***	7.40%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																
	Totals	39	17	43.58%	***	12.82%	***	23.07%	***	2.56%	***	12.82%	***	5.12%	***	0.00%
	Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%
	White	33	15	45.45%	***	15.15%	***	18.18%	***	3.03%	***	15.15%	***	3.03%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Garrett

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification Children (A)	Reentries within 3 months n (B)	Reentries within 3 months % (B/A)	Reentries within 6 months n (C)	Reentries within 6 months % (C/A)	Reentries within 9 months n (D)	Reentries within 9 months % (D/A)	Reentries within 12 months n (E)	Reentries within 12 months % (E/A)
Totals	23	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	4.34%	***	4.34%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	11	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	23	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	4.34%	***	4.34%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
Male	15	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	23	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	4.34%	***	4.34%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	17	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	5.88%	***	5.88%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Garrett

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	17	***	17.64%	***	17.64%	***	29.41%	***	29.41%	***	29.41%	***	41.17%	***	41.17%	***	41.17%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%
	Ages 16 to 18																	
Gender																		
	Totals	17	***	17.64%	***	17.64%	***	29.41%	***	29.41%	***	29.41%	***	41.17%	***	41.17%	***	41.17%
	Female	***	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
	Male	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	37.50%	***	37.50%	***	37.50%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	17	***	17.64%	***	17.64%	***	29.41%	***	29.41%	***	29.41%	***	41.17%	***	41.17%	***	41.17%
	Black																	
	White	17	***	17.64%	***	17.64%	***	29.41%	***	29.41%	***	29.41%	***	41.17%	***	41.17%	***	41.17%
	Unable to determine																	

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Garrett

**Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between
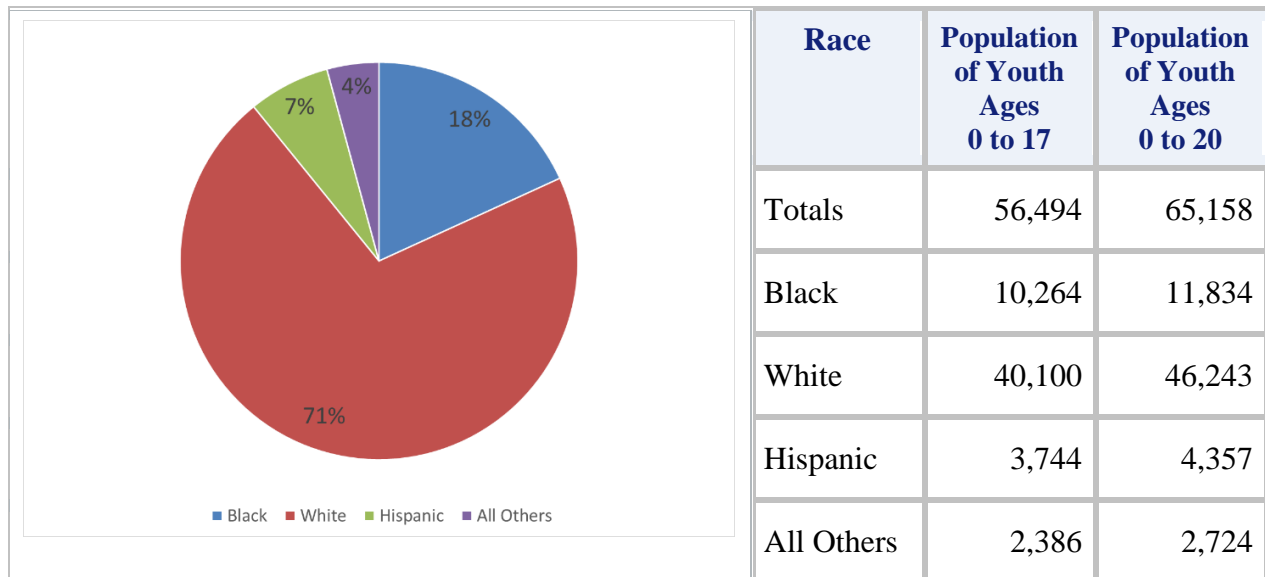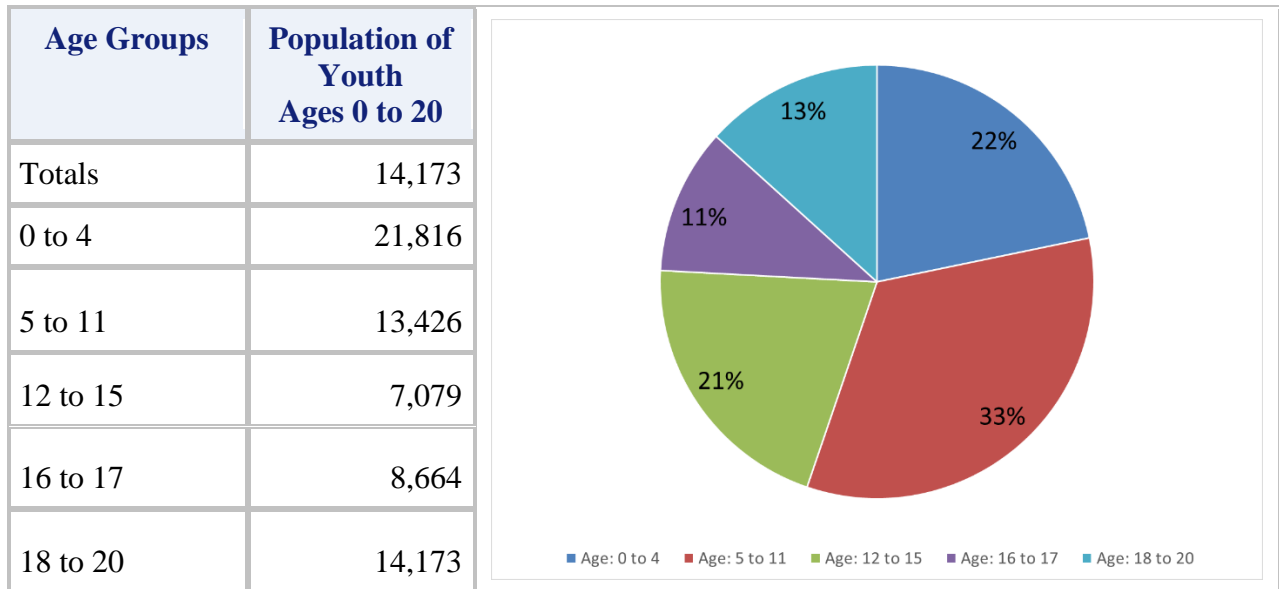July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves
and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	60	8,198	27	3.29
Ages 0 to 4	23	3,185	12	3.77
Ages 5 to 11	21	2,269	4	1.76
Ages 12 to 15	14	2,570	11	4.28
Ages 16 to 18	***	174	0	0.00
Gender				
Totals	60	8,198	27	3.29
Female	29	4,270	14	3.28
Male	31	3,928	13	3.31
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	60	8,198	27	3.29
Black	***	9	0	0.00
White	52	8,118	26	3.20
Unable to determine	***	71	1	14.08

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Harford

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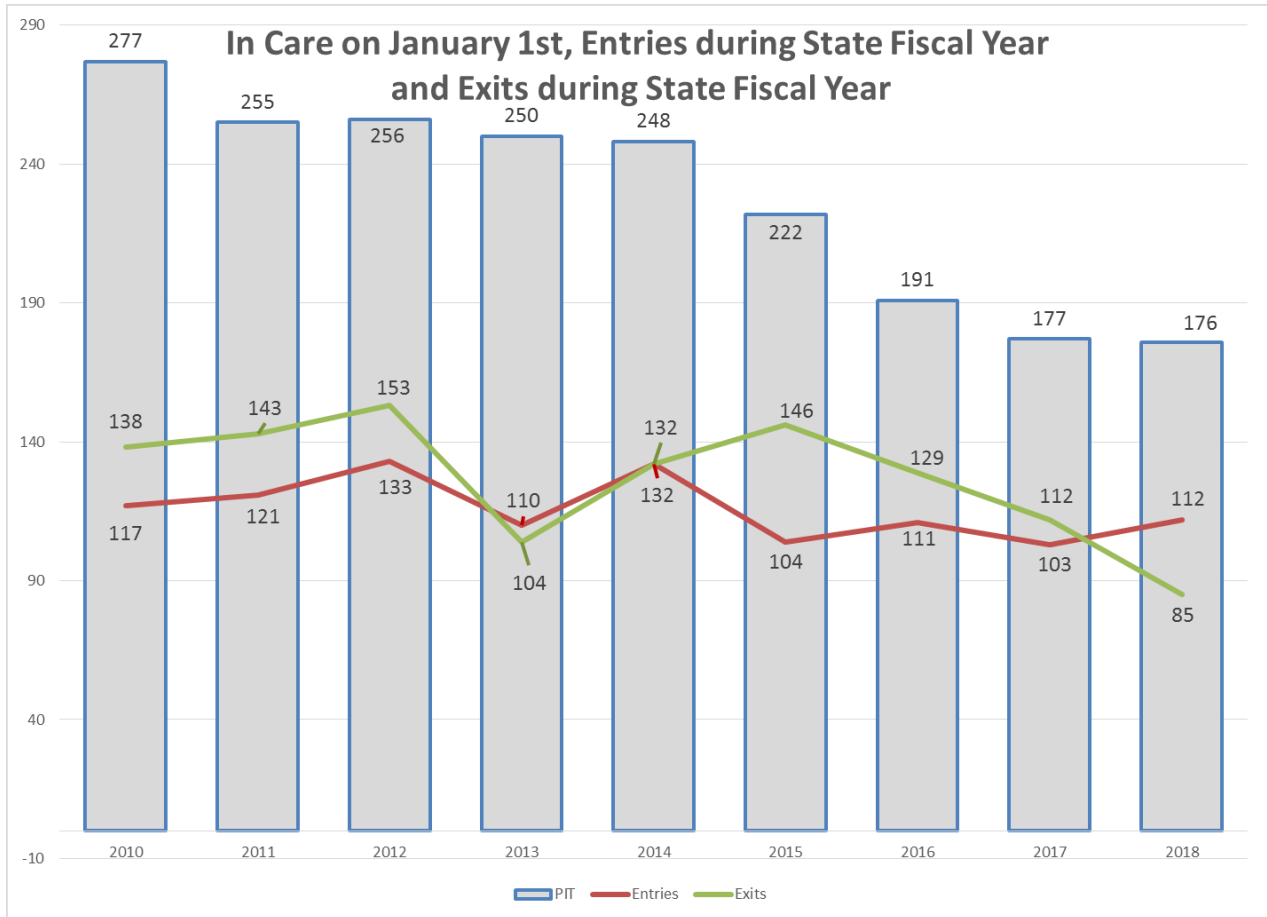
Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	14,173
0 to 4	21,816
5 to 11	13,426
12 to 15	7,079
16 to 17	8,664
18 to 20	14,173

Age: 0 to 4 ■ Age: 5 to 11 ■ Age: 12 to 15 ■ Age: 16 to 17 ■ Age: 18 to 20

■ Black ■ White ■ Hispanic ■ All Others

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	56,494	65,158
Black	10,264	11,834
White	40,100	46,243
Hispanic	3,744	4,357
All Others	2,386	2,724

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	56,494	65,158
Female	27,445	31,463
Male	29,049	33,695

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

PIT: 2010: 277, 2011: 255, 2012: 256, 2013: 250, 2014: 248, 2015: 222, 2016: 191, 2017: 177, 2018: 176

Entries: 2010: 117, 2011: 121, 2012: 133, 2013: 110, 2014: 132, 2015: 104, 2016: 111, 2017: 103, 2018: 112

Exits: 2010: 138, 2011: 143, 2012: 153, 2013: 104, 2014: 132, 2015: 146, 2016: 129, 2017: 112, 2018: 85

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Harford.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Harford

Age Groups	Children	Alternative Response		Investigative Response		Indicated		Unsubstantiated		Ruled Out	
		(B) n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
	(A)										
Totals	1,797	712	39.62%	1,085	60.38%	263	24.24%	332	30.60%	490	45.16%
Ages 0 to 4	480	211	43.96%	269	56.04%	60	22.30%	72	26.77%	137	50.93%
Ages 5 to 11	809	317	39.18%	492	60.82%	104	21.14%	161	32.72%	227	46.14%
Ages 12 to 15	359	135	37.60%	224	62.40%	66	29.46%	71	31.70%	87	38.84%
Ages 16 to 18	147	49	33.33%	98	66.67%	33	33.67%	28	28.57%	37	37.76%
Age Invalid	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%
Gender											
Totals	1,797	712	39.62%	1,085	60.38%	263	24.24%	332	30.60%	490	45.16%
Female	924	340	36.80%	584	63.20%	147	25.17%	181	30.99%	256	43.84%
Male	871	371	42.59%	500	57.41%	115	23.00%	151	30.20%	234	46.80%
Other/Unknown	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	1,797	712	39.62%	1,085	60.38%	263	24.24%	332	30.60%	490	45.16%
Hispanic	46	12	26.09%	34	73.91%	11	32.35%	10	29.41%	13	38.24%
Black	543	227	41.80%	316	58.20%	81	25.63%	105	33.23%	130	41.14%
White	898	326	36.30%	572	63.70%	134	23.43%	167	29.20%	271	47.38%
All Others	14	***	35.71%	***	64.29%	***	44.44%	***	11.11%	***	44.44%
Unable to Determine	296	142	47.97%	154	52.03%	33	21.43%	49	31.82%	72	46.75%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Harford.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	136	259
Ages 0 to 4	.	135
Ages 5 to 11	.	73
Ages 12 to 15	.	36
Ages 16 to 17	.	12
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	136	259
Female	.	106
Male	.	153
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	136	259
Black	.	77
White	.	121
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	49

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Harford

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		**Family Home Settings**		**Hospitalization**		**Non-Community Based Residential Placement**		**Unknown**	
Age Group	**Children (A)**	**N (B)**	**% (B/A)**	**n (C)**	**% (C/A)**	**n (D)**	**% (D/A)**	**n (E)**	**% (E/A)**	**n (F)**	**% (F/A)**
Totals	89	***	7.86%	65	73.03%	11	12.35%	***	6.74%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	30	***	3.33%	23	76.66%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	29	***	0.00%	27	93.10%	***	6.89%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	22	***	18.18%	12	54.54%	***	9.09%	***	18.18%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	25.00%	***	37.50%	***	12.50%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	89	***	7.86%	65	73.03%	11	12.35%	***	6.74%	***	0.00%
Female	44	***	11.36%	33	75.00%	***	6.81%	***	6.81%	***	0.00%
Male	45	***	4.44%	32	71.11%	***	17.77%	***	6.66%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	89	***	7.86%	65	73.03%	11	12.35%	***	6.74%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	25	***	12.00%	18	72.00%	***	12.00%	***	4.00%	***	0.00%
White	54	***	5.55%	38	70.37%	***	14.81%	***	9.25%	***	0.00%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	14.28%	***	85.71%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Harford

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type														
			Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
	Totals	85	31	36.47%	24	28.23%	15	17.64%	***	4.70%	***	9.41%	***	0.00%	***	3.52%
	Ages 0 to 4	38	***	21.05%	18	47.36%	11	28.94%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	2.63%
	Ages 5 to 11	21	14	66.66%	***	23.80%	***	4.76%	***	4.76%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	33.33%	***	11.11%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	11.11%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	55.55%	***	0.00%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Over 18	***	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%
Gender																
	Totals	85	31	36.47%	24	28.23%	15	17.64%	***	4.70%	***	9.41%	***	0.00%	***	3.52%
	Female	41	15	36.58%	10	24.39%	***	17.07%	***	7.31%	***	7.31%	***	0.00%	***	7.31%
	Male	44	16	36.36%	14	31.81%	***	18.18%	***	2.27%	***	11.36%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																
	Totals	85	31	36.47%	24	28.23%	15	17.64%	***	4.70%	***	9.41%	***	0.00%	***	3.52%
	Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	66.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	23	***	39.13%	***	4.34%	***	13.04%	***	17.39%	***	21.73%	***	0.00%	***	4.34%
	White	54	20	37.03%	19	35.18%	10	18.51%	***	0.00%	***	5.55%	***	0.00%	***	3.70%
	Unable to determine	***	***	40.00%	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Harford

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
Age Group	**Children** **(A)**	**n** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**
Totals	29	***	6.89%	***	6.89%	***	6.89%	***	6.89%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
Ages 5 to 11	13	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	29	***	6.89%	***	6.89%	***	6.89%	***	6.89%
Female	14	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%
Male	15	***	6.66%	***	6.66%	***	6.66%	***	6.66%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	29	***	6.89%	***	6.89%	***	6.89%	***	6.89%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	18	***	5.55%	***	5.55%	***	5.55%	***	5.55%
Unable to determine	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Harford

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)	n (I)	% (I/A)
	Totals	56	***	1.78%	***	1.78%	***	7.14%	***	8.92%	***	8.92%	***	12.50%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%
	Ages 0 to 4	20	***	5.00%	***	5.00%	***	10.00%	***	10.00%	***	10.00%	***	10.00%	***	10.00%	***	10.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	25	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	12.00%	***	16.00%	***	16.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																		
	Totals	56	***	1.78%	***	1.78%	***	7.14%	***	8.92%	***	8.92%	***	12.50%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%
	Female	25	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	8.00%	***	8.00%	***	8.00%	***	8.00%	***	8.00%	***	8.00%
	Male	31	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	6.45%	***	9.67%	***	9.67%	***	16.12%	***	19.35%	***	19.35%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	56	***	1.78%	***	1.78%	***	7.14%	***	8.92%	***	8.92%	***	12.50%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%
	Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	27	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%	***	11.11%
	White	24	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	4.16%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	16.66%	***	20.83%	***	20.83%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Harford

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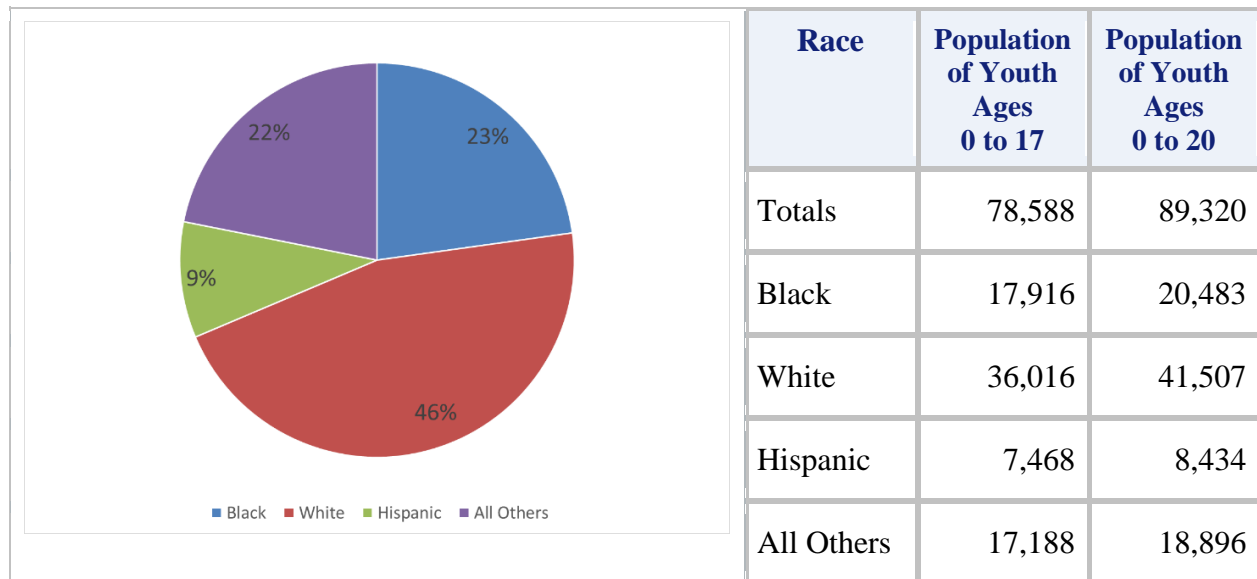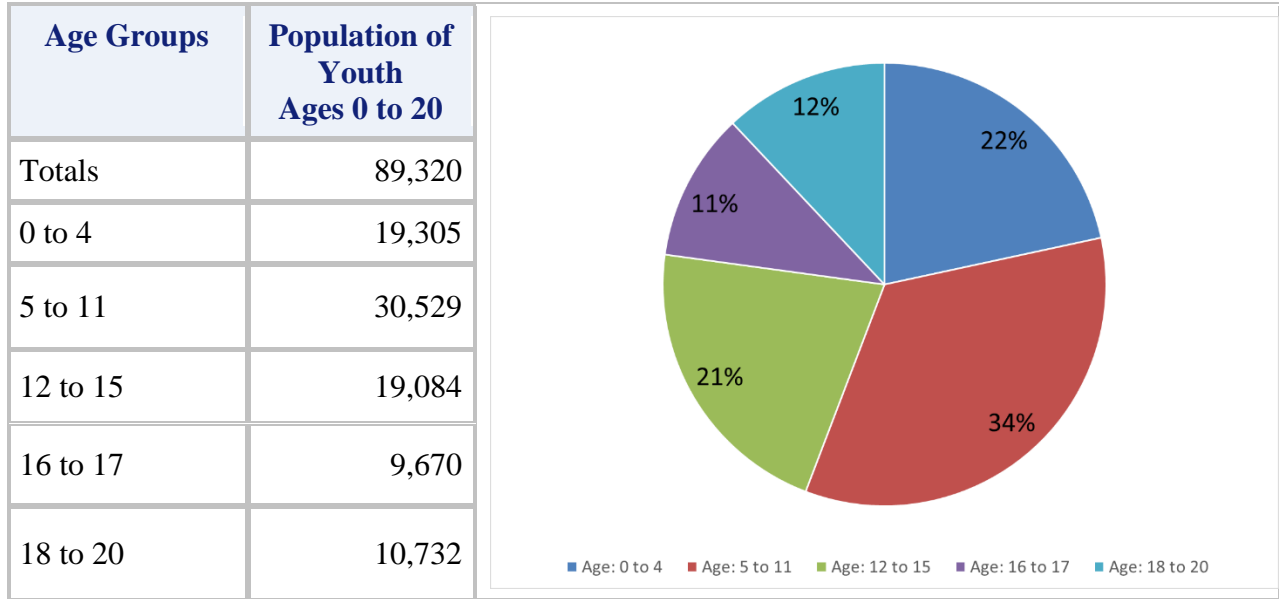**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placements moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	112	15,971	70	4.38
Ages 0 to 4	35	6,560	31	4.73
Ages 5 to 11	38	4,497	23	5.11
Ages 12 to 15	29	3,696	12	3.25
Ages 16 to 18	10	1,218	4	3.28
Gender				
Totals	112	15,971	70	4.38
Female	53	6,864	32	4.66
Male	59	9,107	38	4.17
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	112	15,971	70	4.38
Hispanic	***	458	0	0.00
Black	33	4,001	23	5.75
White	64	9,587	40	4.17
All other	***	247	2	8.10
Unable to determine	11	1,678	5	2.98

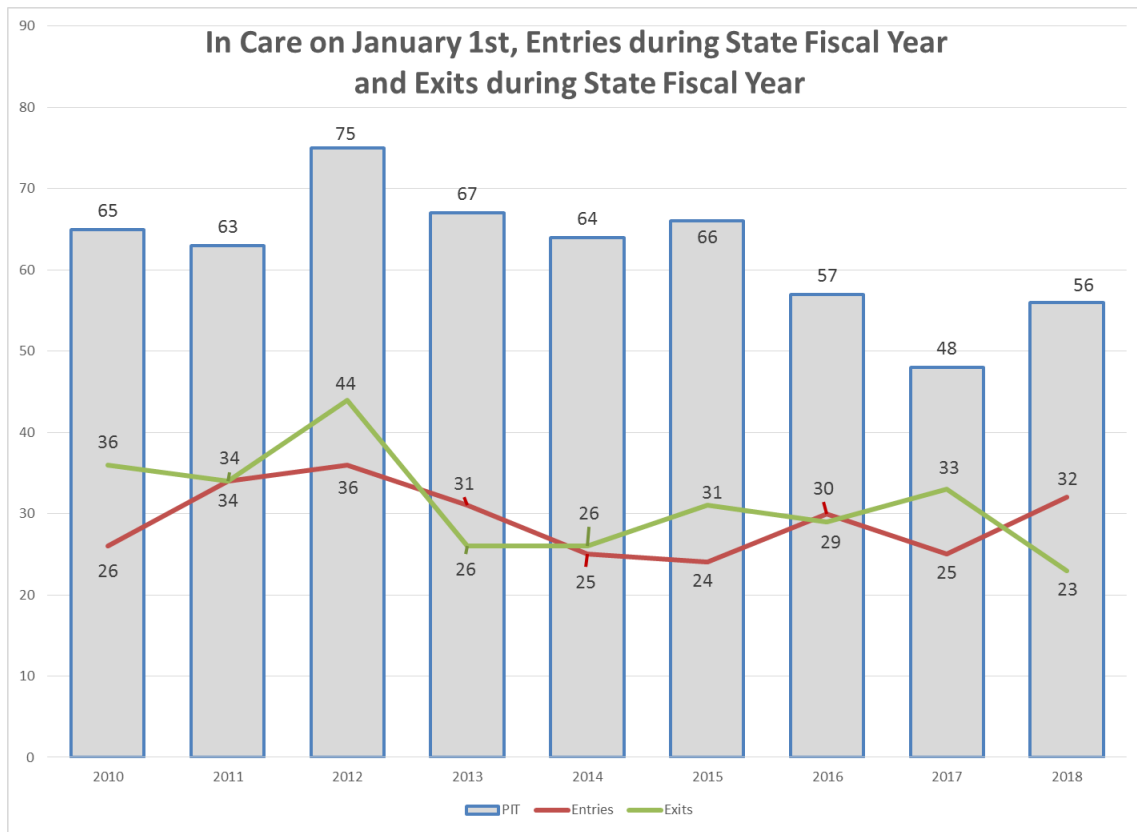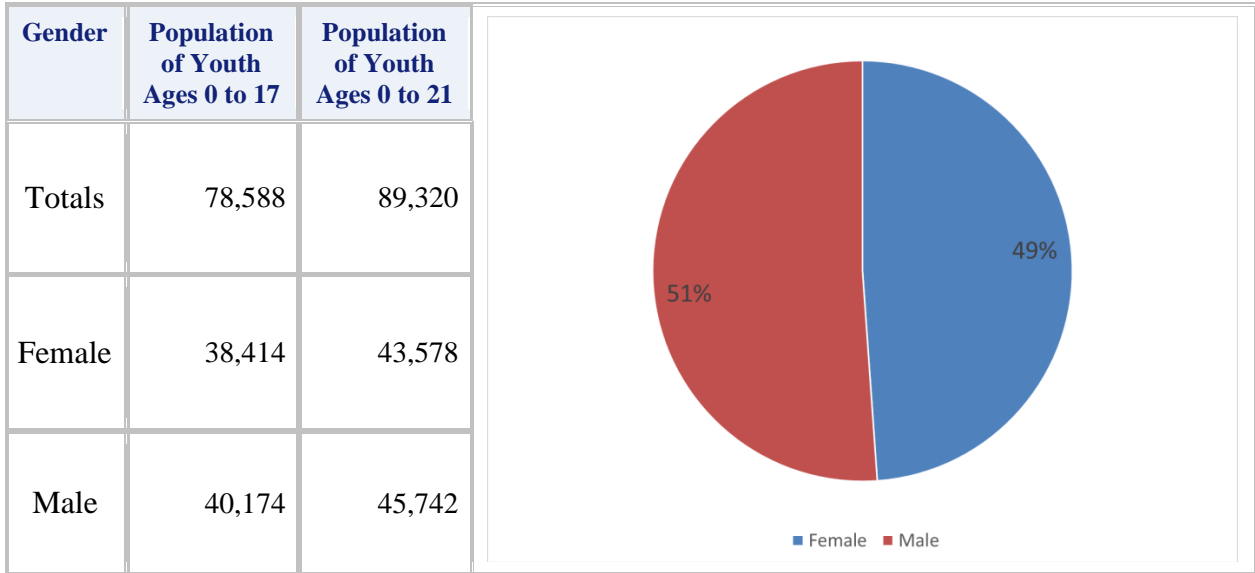NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

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Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	89,320
0 to 4	19,305
5 to 11	30,529
12 to 15	19,084
16 to 17	9,670
18 to 20	10,732

Age: 0 to 4   Age: 5 to 11   Age: 12 to 15   Age: 16 to 17   Age: 18 to 20

Black   White   Hispanic   All Others

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	78,588	89,320
Black	17,916	20,483
White	36,016	41,507
Hispanic	7,468	8,434
All Others	17,188	18,896

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[16]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	78,588	89,320
Female	38,414	43,578
Male	40,174	45,742

49%

51%

■ Female ■ Male

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

PIT values: 2010: 65, 2011: 63, 2012: 75, 2013: 67, 2014: 64, 2015: 66, 2016: 57, 2017: 48, 2018: 56

Entries values: 2010: 26, 2011: 34, 2012: 36, 2013: 31, 2014: 25, 2015: 24, 2016: 30, 2017: 25, 2018: 32

Exits values: 2010: 36, 2011: 34, 2012: 44, 2013: 26, 2014: 26, 2015: 31, 2016: 29, 2017: 33, 2018: 23

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Howard.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Howard

						Investigative Response				
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	820	348	42.44%	472	57.56%	131	27.75%	128	27.12%	213	45.13%
Ages 0 to 4	158	61	38.61%	97	61.39%	35	36.08%	25	25.77%	37	38.14%
Ages 5 to 11	358	183	51.12%	175	48.88%	40	22.86%	43	24.57%	92	52.57%
Ages 12 to 15	197	75	38.07%	122	61.93%	39	31.97%	28	22.95%	55	45.08%
Ages 16 to 18	77	28	36.36%	49	63.64%	14	28.57%	16	32.65%	19	38.78%
Age Invalid	29	***	3.45%	***	96.55%	***	7.14%	16	57.14%	***	35.71%
Age Missing	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	820	348	42.44%	472	57.56%	131	27.75%	128	27.12%	213	45.13%
Female	420	168	40.00%	252	60.00%	75	29.76%	60	23.81%	117	46.43%
Male	399	180	45.11%	219	54.89%	55	25.11%	68	31.05%	96	43.84%
Other/Unknown	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	820	348	42.44%	472	57.56%	131	27.75%	128	27.12%	213	45.13%
Hispanic	83	33	39.76%	50	60.24%	18	36.00%	13	26.00%	19	38.00%
Black	360	157	43.61%	203	56.39%	50	24.63%	57	28.08%	96	47.29%
White	178	71	39.89%	107	60.11%	32	29.91%	32	29.91%	43	40.19%
All Others	52	22	42.31%	30	57.69%	***	16.67%	***	20.00%	19	63.33%
Unable to Determine	147	65	44.22%	82	55.78%	26	31.71%	20	24.39%	36	43.90%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Howard.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	116	272
Ages 0 to 4	.	98
Ages 5 to 11	.	93
Ages 12 to 15	.	58
Ages 16 to 17	.	23
Gender		
Totals	116	272
Female	.	128
Male	.	144
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	116	272
Black	.	137
White	.	65
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	47

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Howard

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	Children (A)	N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
Totals	26	***	7.69%	21	80.76%	***	3.84%	***	7.69%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	11	***	0.00%	11	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	16.66%	***	50.00%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	26	***	7.69%	21	80.76%	***	3.84%	***	7.69%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	11.11%	***	88.88%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	17	***	5.88%	13	76.47%	***	5.88%	***	11.76%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	26	***	7.69%	21	80.76%	***	3.84%	***	7.69%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	25.00%	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	11	***	9.09%	***	72.72%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	87.50%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Howard

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type													
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	23	10	43.47%	***	4.34%	***	26.08%	***	0.00%	***	17.39%	***	0.00%	***	8.69%
Ages 0 to 4	10	***	40.00%	***	10.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%
Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	23	10	43.47%	***	4.34%	***	26.08%	***	0.00%	***	17.39%	***	0.00%	***	8.69%
Female	11	***	27.27%	***	9.09%	***	27.27%	***	0.00%	***	27.27%	***	0.00%	***	9.09%
Male	12	***	58.33%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	8.33%	***	0.00%	***	8.33%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	23	10	43.47%	***	4.34%	***	26.08%	***	0.00%	***	17.39%	***	0.00%	***	8.69%
Black	18	***	38.88%	***	5.55%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%	***	5.55%
White	***	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Howard

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
		Children	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**
		(A)	**(B)**	**(B/A)**	**(C)**	**(C/A)**	**(D)**	**(D/A)**	**(E)**	**(E/A)**
	Totals	14	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender										
	Totals	14	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%
	Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
Race/Ethnicity										
	Totals	14	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%
	Black	11	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Howard

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	15	***	6.66%	***	6.66%	***	26.66%	***	26.66%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	40.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	150.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Gender																			
	Totals	15	***	6.66%	***	6.66%	***	26.66%	***	26.66%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	40.00%
	Female	11	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	27.27%
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	75.00%	***	75.00%	***	75.00%	***	75.00%
Race/Ethnicity																			
	Totals	15	***	6.66%	***	6.66%	***	26.66%	***	26.66%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	40.00%
	Black	10	***	10.00%	***	10.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	60.00%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Howard

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
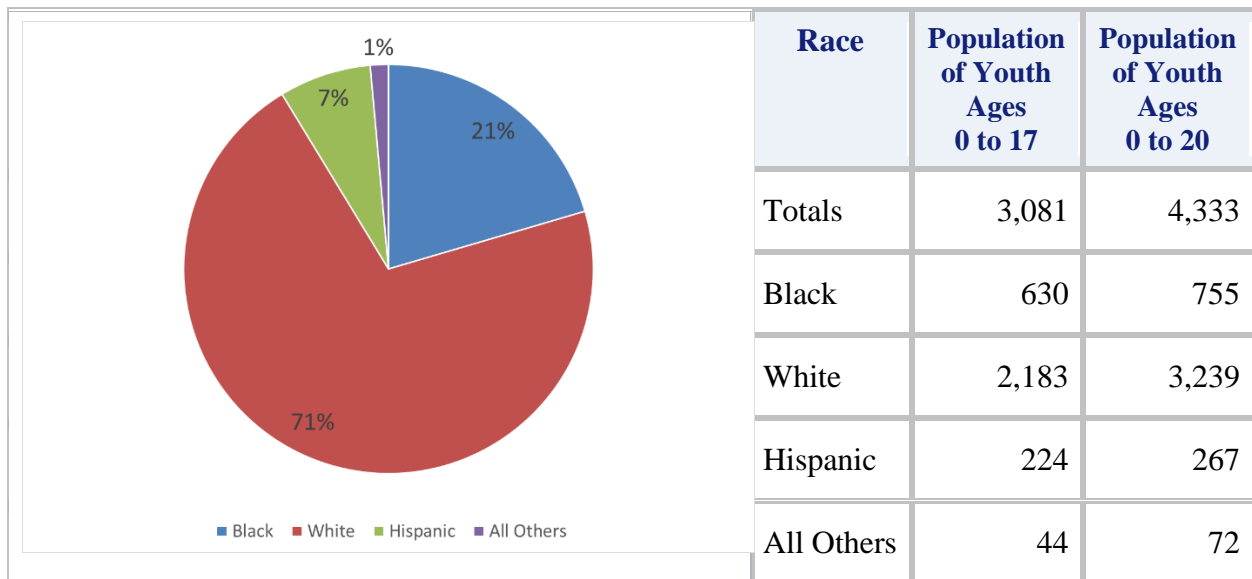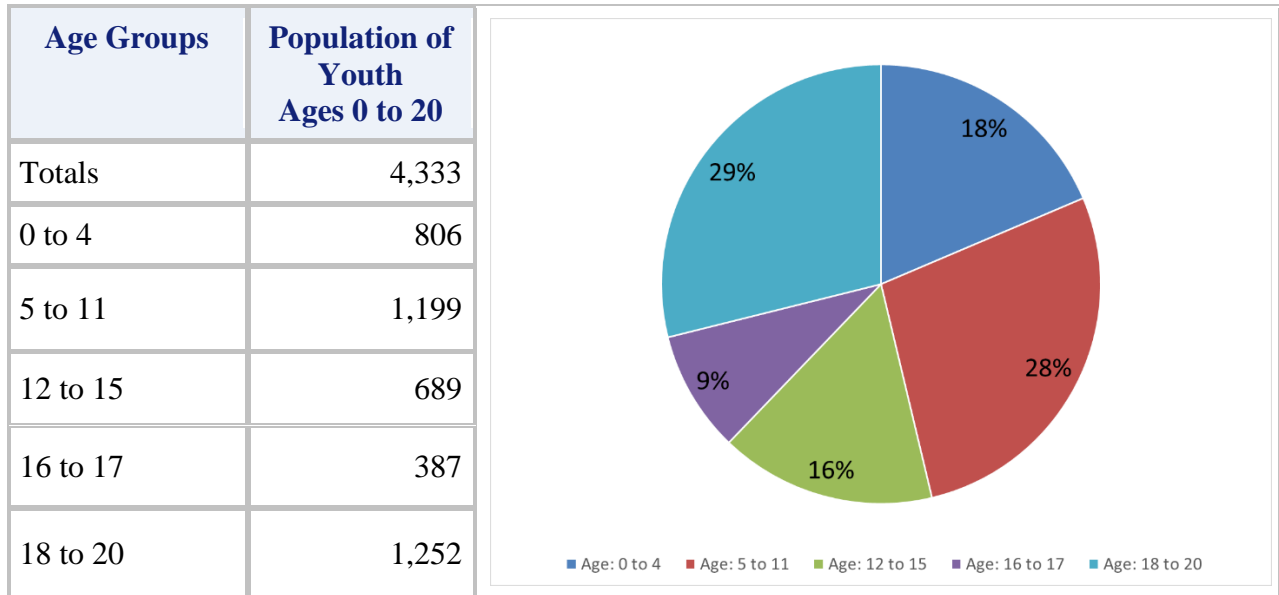**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	32	4,969	22	4.43
Ages 0 to 4	12	1,631	3	1.84
Ages 5 to 11	***	1,316	6	4.56
Ages 12 to 15	***	1,211	6	4.95
Ages 16 to 18	***	811	7	8.63
Gender				
Totals	32	4,969	22	4.43
Female	11	1,319	10	7.58
Male	21	3,650	12	3.29
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	32	4,969	22	4.43
Hispanic	***	551	4	7.26
Black	18	1,792	11	6.14
White	***	1,702	1	0.59
All other	***	218	6	27.52
Unable to determine	***	706	0	0.00

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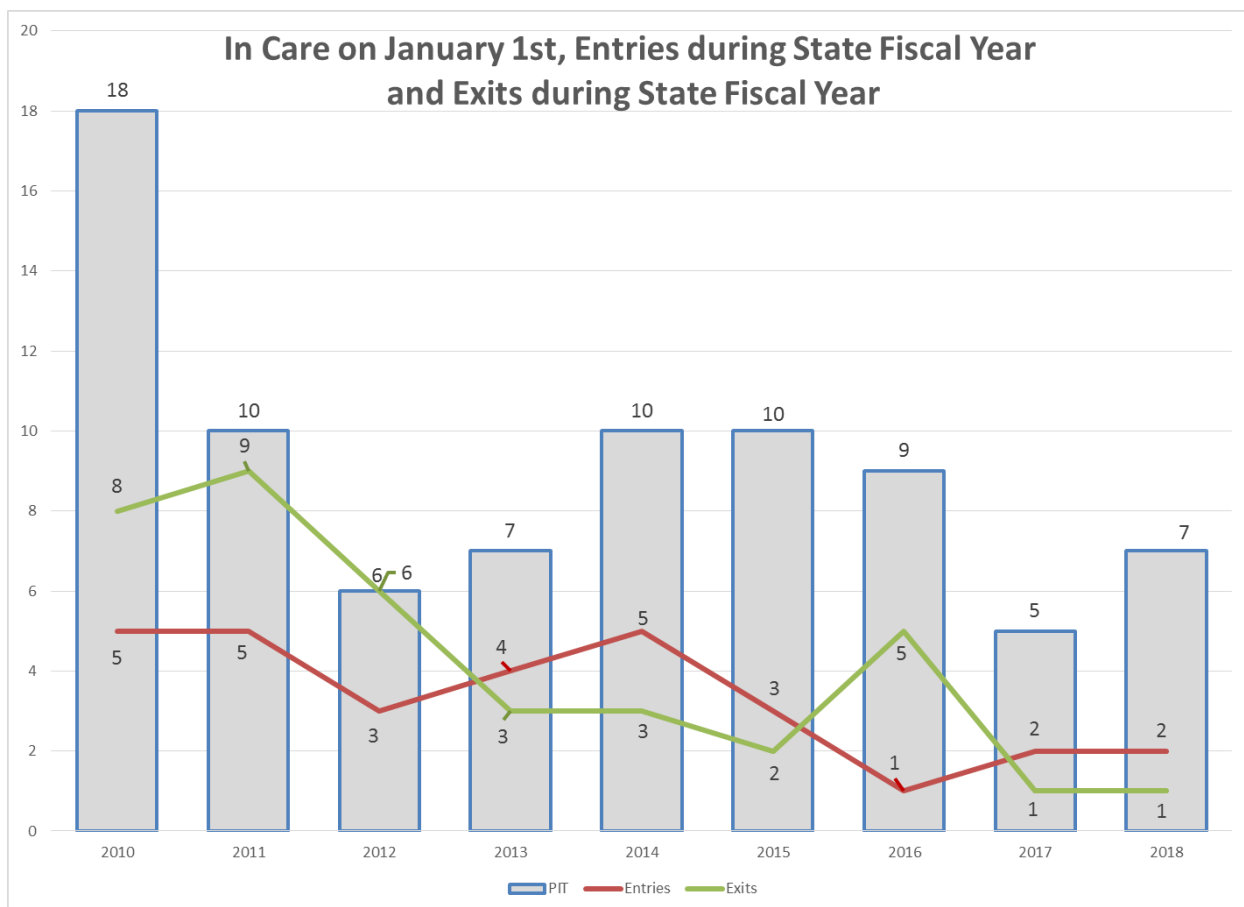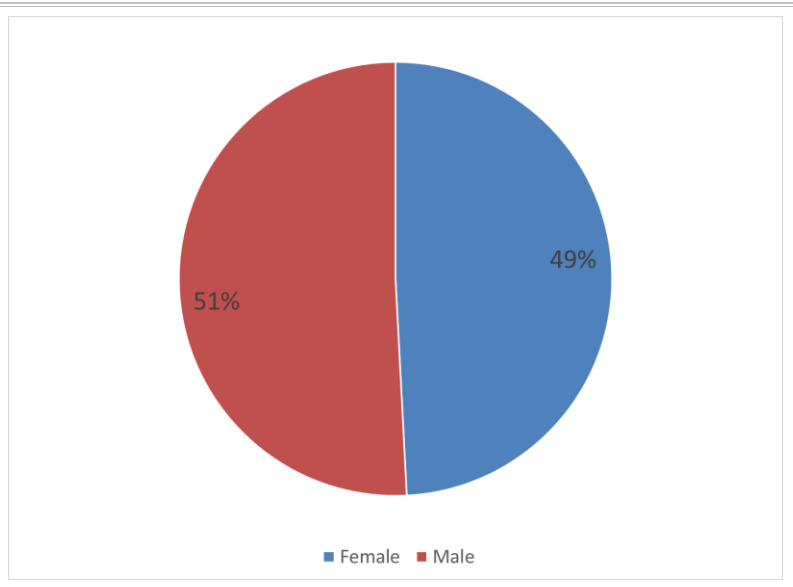
Kent

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[17].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	4,333
0 to 4	806
5 to 11	1,199
12 to 15	689
16 to 17	387
18 to 20	1,252

Age: 0 to 4 ■ Age: 5 to 11 ■ Age: 12 to 15 ■ Age: 16 to 17 ■ Age: 18 to 20

■ Black ■ White ■ Hispanic ■ All Others

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	3,081	4,333
Black	630	755
White	2,183	3,239
Hispanic	224	267
All Others	44	72

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[17]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	3,081	4,333
Female	1,515	2,217
Male	1,566	2,116

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						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	104	30	28.85%	74	71.15%	19	25.68%	20	27.03%	35	47.30%
Ages 0 to 4	19	***	31.58%	***	68.42%	***	30.77%	***	23.08%	***	46.15%
Ages 5 to 11	50	12	24.00%	38	76.00%	10	26.32%	13	34.21%	15	39.47%
Ages 12 to 15	22	***	36.36%	***	63.64%	***	21.43%	***	7.14%	10	71.43%
Ages 16 to 18	13	***	30.77%	***	69.23%	***	22.22%	***	33.33%	***	44.44%
Gender											
Totals	104	30	28.85%	74	71.15%	19	25.68%	20	27.03%	35	47.30%
Female	56	15	26.79%	41	73.21%	***	17.07%	***	36.59%	19	46.34%
Male	48	15	31.25%	33	68.75%	***	36.36%	***	15.15%	16	48.48%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	104	30	28.85%	74	71.15%	19	25.68%	20	27.03%	35	47.30%
Hispanic	3	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	66.67%	***	33.33%
Black	34	10	29.41%	24	70.59%	***	37.50%	***	25.00%	***	37.50%
White	52	11	21.15%	41	78.85%	***	24.39%	***	19.51%	23	56.10%
Unable to Determine	15	***	60.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	66.67%	***	33.33%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Kent.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	Cases	Children
All Ages	22	38
Ages 0 to 4	.	24
Ages 5 to 11	.	***
Ages 12 to 15	.	***
Ages 16 to 17	.	***
Gender		
Totals	22	38
Female	.	18
Male	.	20
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	22	38
Black	.	***
White	.	21
Unable to Determine	.	***

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Kent

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

	Removals by placement type										
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	Children (A)	N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
Totals	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11											
Ages 12 to 15											
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black											
White	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Kent

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

			Exits by return type												
			Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%
	Ages 0 to 4															
	Ages 5 to 11															
	Ages 12 to 15															
	Ages 16 to 18															
	Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%
Gender																
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%
	Female															
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%
Race/Ethnicity																
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%
	White															

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Kent

There were no exits to reunification in Kent between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017.

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
Age Group	**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)
Totals									
Ages 0 to 4									
Ages 5 to 11									
Ages 12 to 15									
Ages 16 to 18									
Gender									
Totals									
Female									
Male									
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals									
Black									
White									
Unable to determine									

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Kent

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
	Children	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**	**n**	**%**
	(A)	**(B)**	**(B/A)**	**(C)**	**(C/A)**	**(D)**	**(D/A)**	**(E)**	**(E/A)**	**(F)**	**(F/A)**	**(G)**	**(G/A)**	**(H)**	**(H/A)**	**(I)**	**(I/A)**
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4																	
Ages 5 to 11																	
Ages 12 to 15																	
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																	
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female																	
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																	
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White																	

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Kent

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
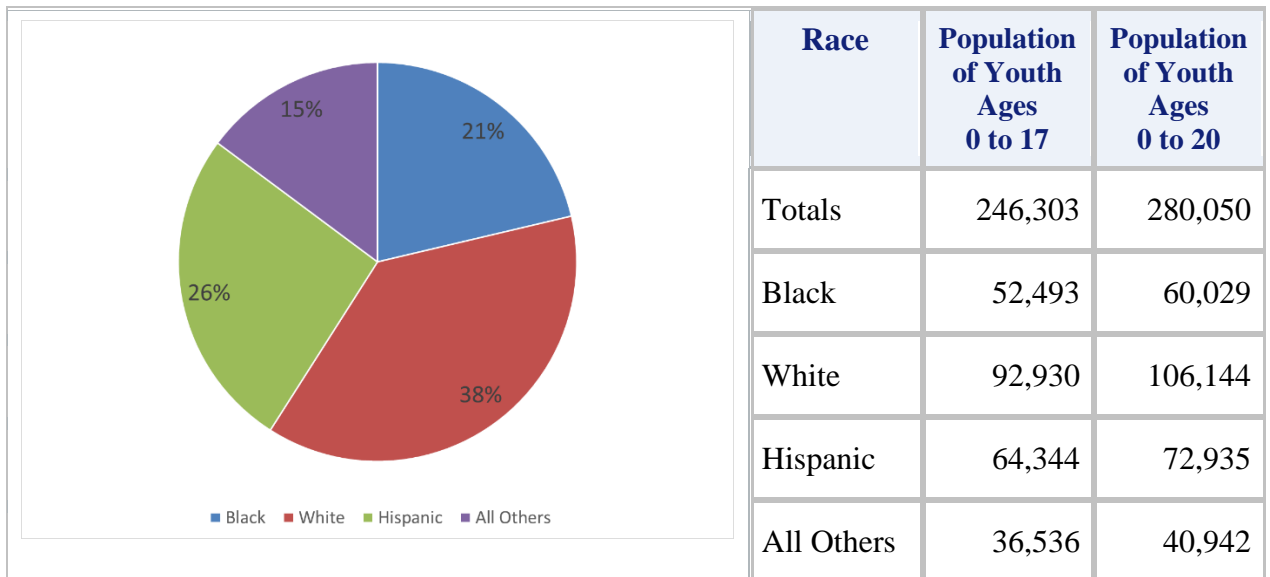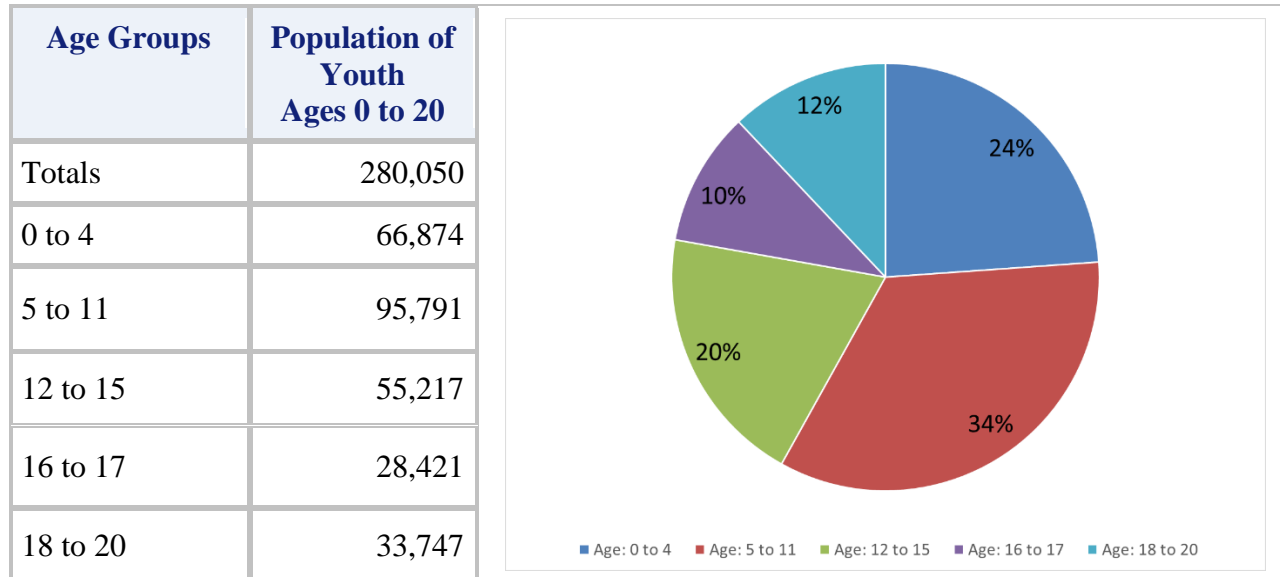**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	***	266	1	3.76
Ages 0 to 4	***	254	1	3.94
Ages 5 to 11				
Ages 12 to 15				
Ages 16 to 18	***	12	0	0.00
Gender				
Totals	***	266	1	3.76
Female	***	12	0	0.00
Male	***	254	1	3.94
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	***	266	1	3.76
Black				
White	***	266	1	3.76

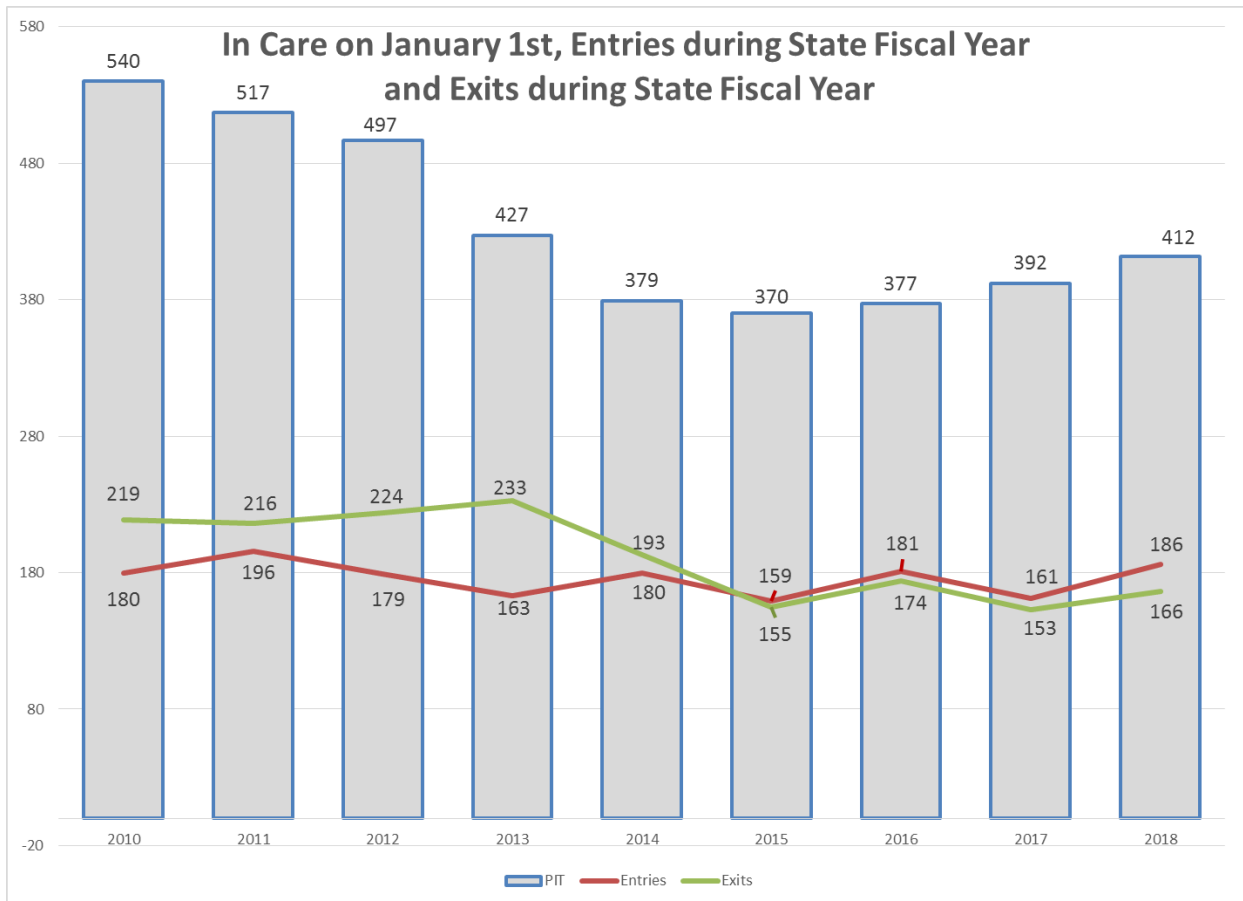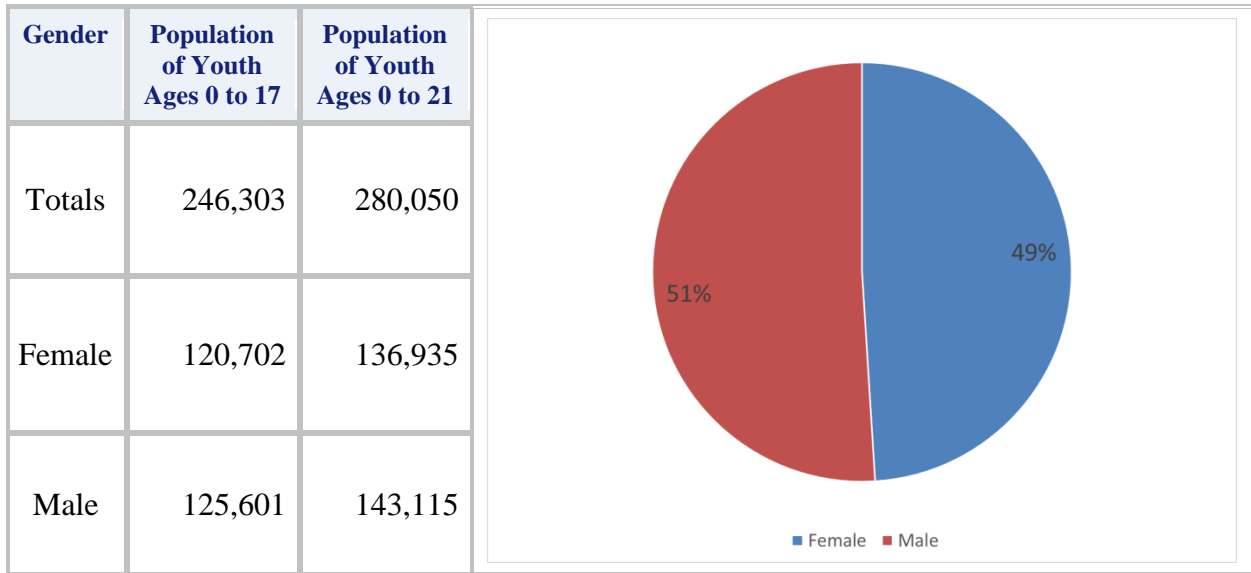NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Montgomery

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[18].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20	
Totals	280,050	
0 to 4	66,874	
5 to 11	95,791	
12 to 15	55,217	
16 to 17	28,421	
18 to 20	33,747	

	Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
	Totals	246,303	280,050
	Black	52,493	60,029
	White	92,930	106,144
	Hispanic	64,344	72,935
	All Others	36,536	40,942

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	246,303	280,050
Female	120,702	136,935
Male	125,601	143,115

49%

51%

■ Female ■ Male

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
PIT	540	517	497	427	379	370	377	392	412
Entries	180	196	179	163	180	159	181	161	186
Exits	219	216	224	233	193	155	174	153	166

□ PIT — Entries — Exits

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Montgomery.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Montgomery

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	3,659	1,756	47.99%	1,903	52.01%	639	33.58%	456	23.96%	808	42.46%
Ages 0 to 4	757	337	44.52%	420	55.48%	145	34.52%	127	30.24%	148	35.24%
Ages 5 to 11	1,689	865	51.21%	824	48.79%	251	30.46%	191	23.18%	382	46.36%
Ages 12 to 15	826	366	44.31%	460	55.69%	174	37.83%	94	20.43%	192	41.74%
Ages 16 to 18	379	188	49.60%	191	50.40%	68	35.60%	40	20.94%	83	43.46%
Age Invalid	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	12.50%	***	50.00%	***	37.50%
Gender											
Totals	3,659	1,756	47.99%	1,903	52.01%	639	33.58%	456	23.96%	808	42.46%
Female	1,950	884	45.33%	1,066	54.67%	408	38.27%	239	22.42%	419	39.31%
Male	1,705	870	51.03%	835	48.97%	231	27.66%	216	25.87%	388	46.47%
Other/Unknown	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	3,659	1,756	47.99%	1,903	52.01%	639	33.58%	456	23.96%	808	42.46%
Hispanic	852	348	40.85%	504	59.15%	198	39.29%	99	19.64%	207	41.07%
Black	1,189	558	46.93%	631	53.07%	187	29.64%	175	27.73%	269	42.63%
White	490	225	45.92%	265	54.08%	89	33.58%	63	23.77%	113	42.64%
All Others	115	67	58.26%	48	41.74%	20	41.67%	***	18.75%	***	39.58%
Unable to Determine	1,013	558	55.08%	455	44.92%	145	31.87%	110	24.18%	200	43.96%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Montgomery.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	159	364
Ages 0 to 4	.	121
Ages 5 to 11	.	145
Ages 12 to 15	.	73
Ages 16 to 17	.	20
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	159	364
Female	.	188
Male	.	174
Unknown	.	***
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	159	364
Black	.	126
White	.	48
Hispanic	.	86
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	99

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Montgomery

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group		Children (A)	N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
	Totals	165	***	4.84%	137	83.03%	16	9.69%	***	1.81%	***	0.60%
	Ages 0 to 4	73	***	0.00%	64	87.67%	***	12.32%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	46	***	4.34%	42	91.30%	***	4.34%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	28	***	17.85%	19	67.85%	***	7.14%	***	3.57%	***	3.57%
	Ages 16 to 17	18	***	5.55%	12	66.66%	***	16.66%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%
Gender												
	Totals	165	***	4.84%	137	83.03%	16	9.69%	***	1.81%	***	0.60%
	Female	86	***	8.13%	72	83.72%	***	4.65%	***	3.48%	***	0.00%
	Male	79	***	1.26%	65	82.27%	12	15.18%	***	0.00%	***	1.26%
Race/Ethnicity												
	Totals	165	***	4.84%	137	83.03%	16	9.69%	***	1.81%	***	0.60%
	Hispanic	43	***	6.97%	38	88.37%	***	4.65%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	66	***	4.54%	55	83.33%	***	12.12%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	26	***	7.69%	20	76.92%	***	3.84%	***	7.69%	***	3.84%
	All other	***	***	0.00%	***	80.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	25	***	0.00%	20	80.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Montgomery

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

| | | Exits by return type | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Reunification | | Adoption | | Custody/ Guardianship Relative | | Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative | | Emancipation | | Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation | | Other | |
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	166	69	41.56%	19	11.44%	32	19.27%	***	2.40%	28	16.86%	***	4.81%	***	3.61%
Ages 0 to 4	55	26	47.27%	***	16.36%	16	29.09%	***	3.63%	***	0.00%	***	3.63%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	50	23	46.00%	***	16.00%	15	30.00%	***	2.00%	***	0.00%	***	4.00%	***	2.00%
Ages 12 to 15	12	***	58.33%	***	0.00%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	8.33%
Ages 16 to 18	19	11	57.89%	***	10.52%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.52%	***	10.52%	***	10.52%
Over 18	30	***	6.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	26	86.66%	***	0.00%	***	6.66%
Gender															
Totals	166	69	41.56%	19	11.44%	32	19.27%	***	2.40%	28	16.86%	***	4.81%	***	3.61%
Female	80	33	41.25%	***	11.25%	16	20.00%	***	1.25%	15	18.75%	***	6.25%	***	1.25%
Male	85	36	42.35%	***	10.58%	16	18.82%	***	3.52%	13	15.29%	***	3.52%	***	5.88%
Other/Unknown	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	166	69	41.56%	19	11.44%	32	19.27%	***	2.40%	28	16.86%	***	4.81%	***	3.61%
Hispanic	49	28	57.14%	***	12.24%	***	6.12%	***	0.00%	***	14.28%	***	6.12%	***	4.08%
Black	72	24	33.33%	***	6.94%	20	27.77%	***	2.77%	17	23.61%	***	2.77%	***	2.77%
White	23	***	39.13%	***	13.04%	***	26.08%	***	4.34%	***	17.39%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
All other	***	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	60.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	17	***	35.29%	***	29.41%	***	17.64%	***	5.88%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	11.76%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Montgomery

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification Children (A)	Reentries within 3 months n (B)	Reentries within 3 months % (B/A)	Reentries within 6 months n (C)	Reentries within 6 months % (C/A)	Reentries within 9 months n (D)	Reentries within 9 months % (D/A)	Reentries within 12 months n (E)	Reentries within 12 months % (E/A)
Totals	75	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%
Ages 0 to 4	27	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%
Ages 5 to 11	26	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	13	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	75	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%
Female	37	***	2.70%	***	2.70%	***	2.70%	***	2.70%
Male	38	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	75	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%
Hispanic	31	***	6.45%	***	6.45%	***	6.45%	***	6.45%
Black	26	***	3.84%	***	3.84%	***	3.84%	***	3.84%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Montgomery

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
		Children	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
		(A)	(B)	(B/A)	(C)	(C/A)	(D)	(D/A)	(E)	(E/A)	(F)	(F/A)	(G)	(G/A)	(H)	(H/A)	(I)	(I/A)
	Totals	71	***	2.81%	***	7.04%	***	8.45%	***	8.45%	13	18.30%	13	18.30%	15	21.12%	16	22.53%
	Ages 0 to 4	12	***	8.33%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
	Ages 5 to 11	17	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	23.52%	***	23.52%	***	29.41%	***	29.41%
	Ages 12 to 15	22	***	4.54%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	9.09%	***	22.72%	***	22.72%	***	22.72%	***	27.27%
	Ages 16 to 18	20	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	5.00%	***	5.00%	***	5.00%	***	5.00%	***	5.00%	***	5.00%
Gender																		
	Totals	71	***	2.81%	***	7.04%	***	8.45%	***	8.45%	13	18.30%	13	18.30%	15	21.12%	16	22.53%
	Female	43	***	4.65%	***	6.97%	***	9.30%	***	9.30%	***	20.93%	***	20.93%	11	25.58%	12	27.90%
	Male	28	***	0.00%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	71	***	2.81%	***	7.04%	***	8.45%	***	8.45%	13	18.30%	13	18.30%	15	21.12%	16	22.53%
	Hispanic	14	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%
	Black	34	***	2.94%	***	5.88%	***	5.88%	***	5.88%	***	26.47%	***	26.47%	11	32.35%	12	35.29%
	White	18	***	0.00%	***	11.11%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%
	All other	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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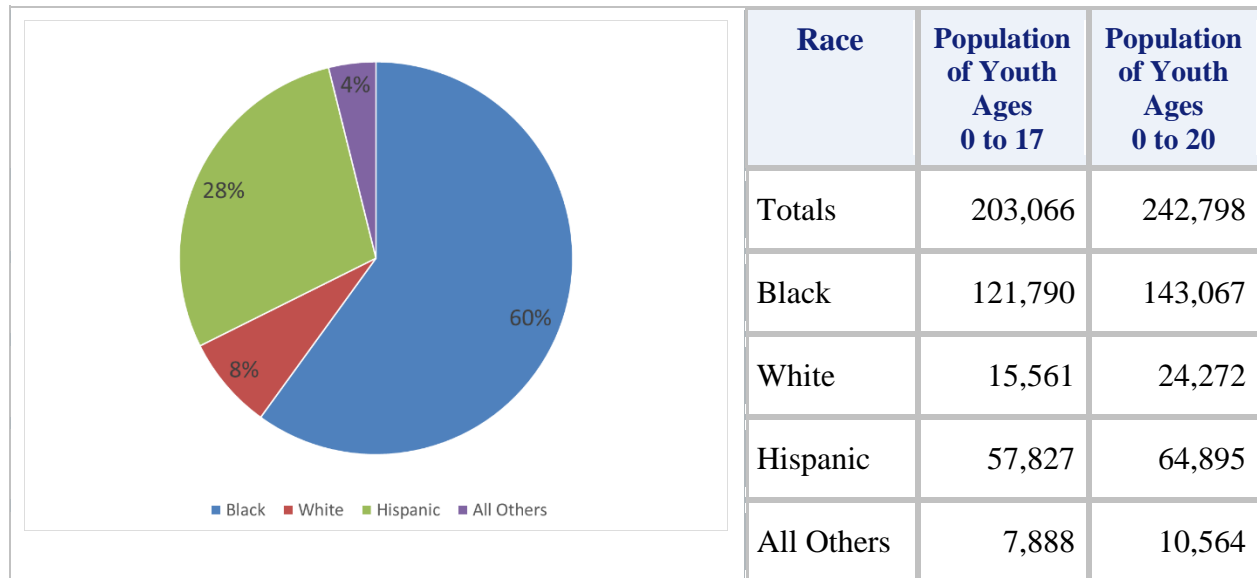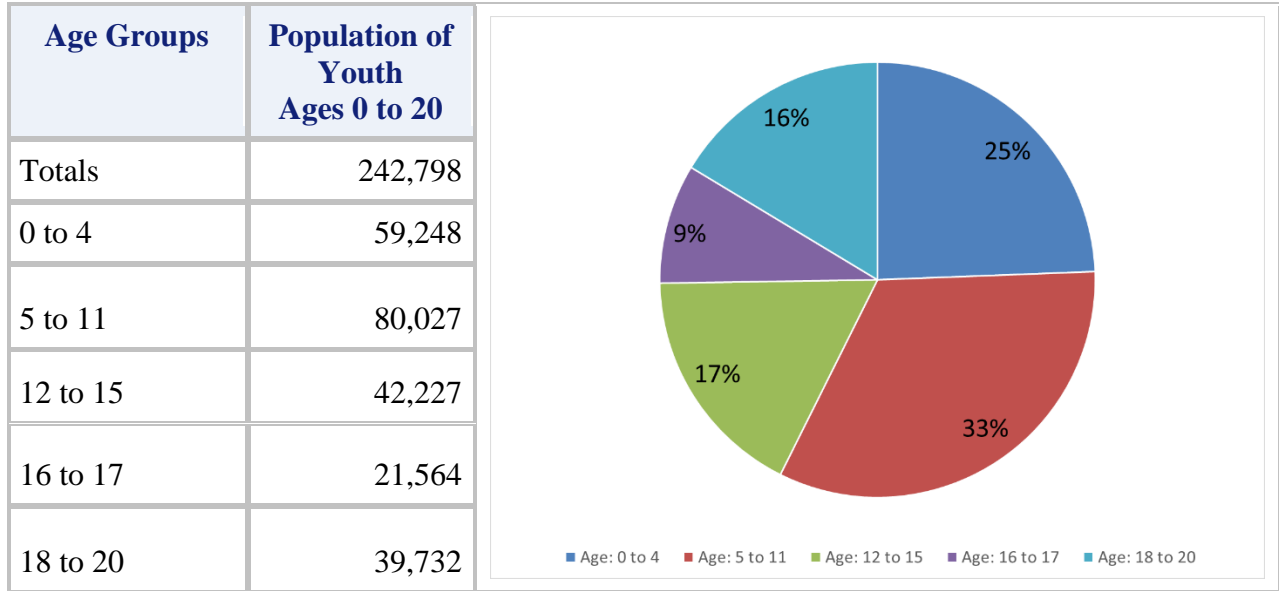**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	186	25,013	153	6.12
Ages 0 to 4	75	10,301	63	6.12
Ages 5 to 11	57	7,536	38	5.04
Ages 12 to 15	32	4,693	38	8.10
Ages 16 to 18	22	2,483	14	5.64
Gender				
Totals	186	25,013	153	6.12
Female	100	14,474	78	5.39
Male	86	10,539	75	7.12
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	186	25,013	153	6.12
Hispanic	47	5,165	39	7.55
Black	78	12,316	68	5.52
White	30	5,163	25	4.84
All other	***	690	2	2.90
Unable to determine	25	1,679	19	11.32

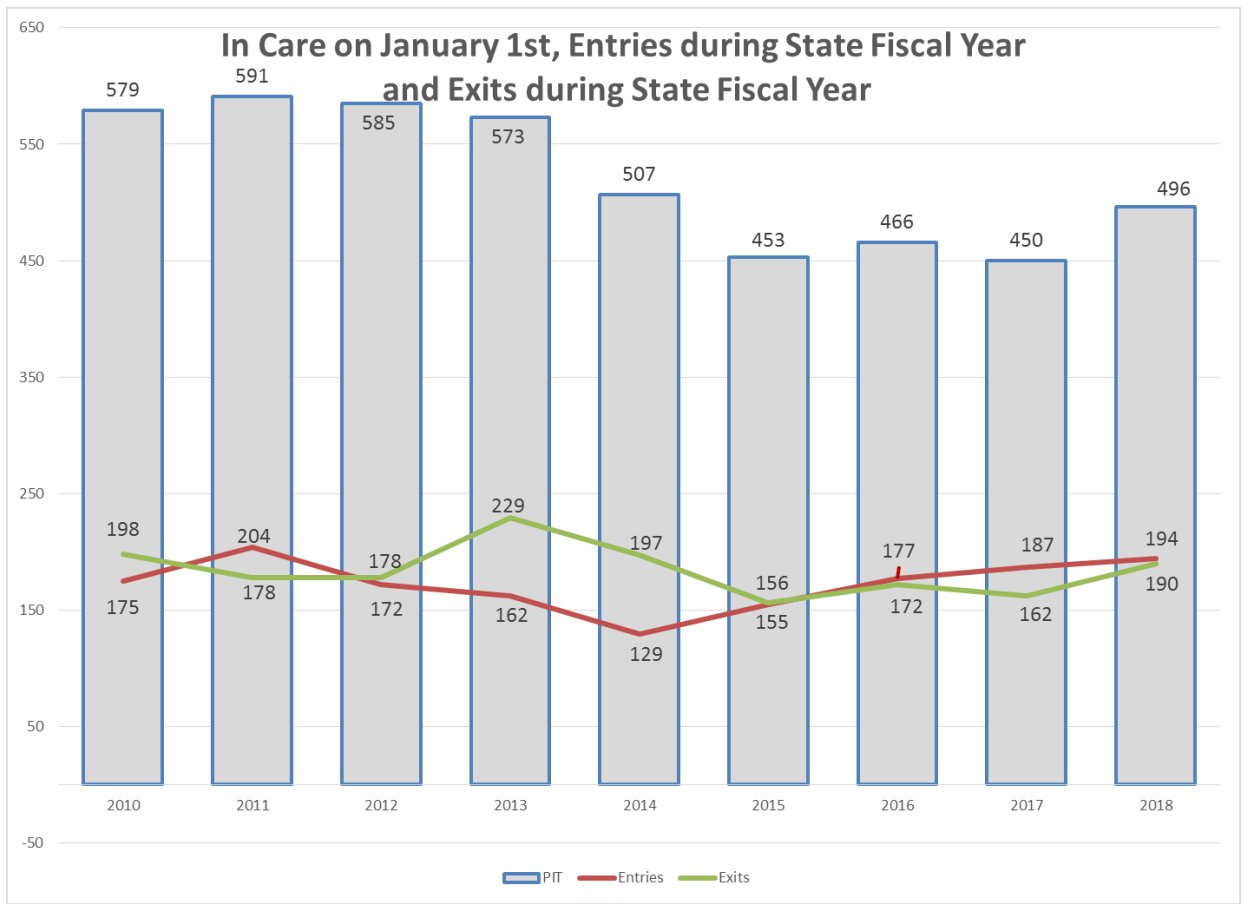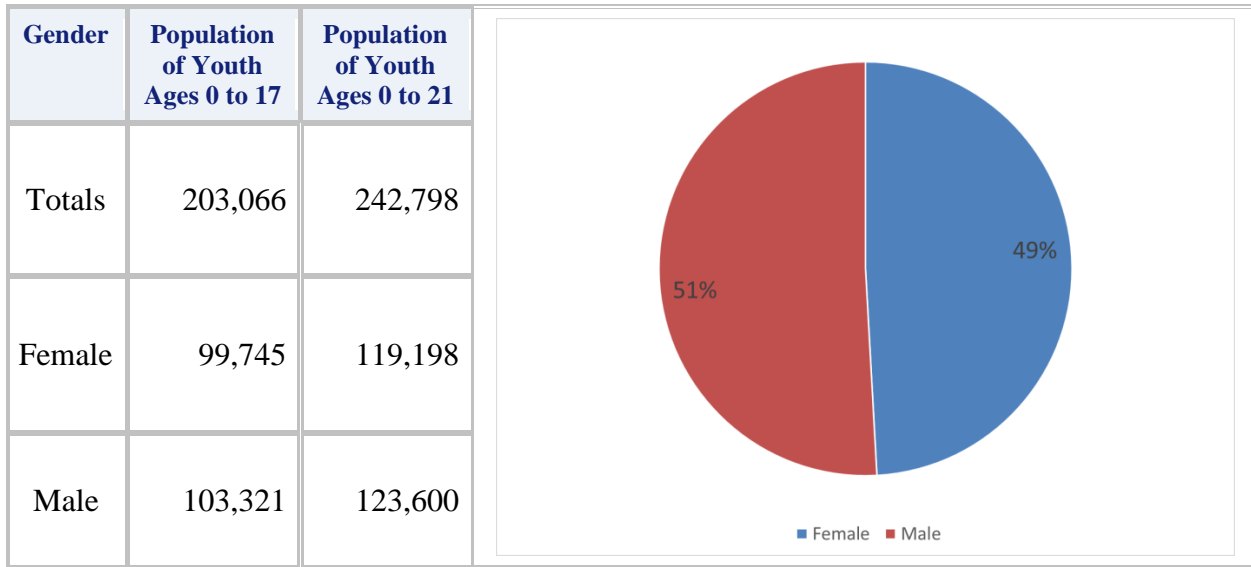NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Prince George's

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Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	242,798
0 to 4	59,248
5 to 11	80,027
12 to 15	42,227
16 to 17	21,564
18 to 20	39,732

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	203,066	242,798
Black	121,790	143,067
White	15,561	24,272
Hispanic	57,827	64,895
All Others	7,888	10,564

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	203,066	242,798
Female	99,745	119,198
Male	103,321	123,600

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Prince George's.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Prince George's

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	3,412	1,212	35.52%	2,200	64.48%	744	33.82%	736	33.45%	720	32.73%
Ages 0 to 4	792	253	31.94%	539	68.06%	171	31.73%	197	36.55%	171	31.73%
Ages 5 to 11	1,512	633	41.87%	879	58.13%	278	31.63%	295	33.56%	306	34.81%
Ages 12 to 15	738	241	32.66%	497	67.34%	192	38.63%	150	30.18%	155	31.19%
Ages 16 to 18	354	84	23.73%	270	76.27%	102	37.78%	90	33.33%	78	28.89%
Age Invalid	16	***	6.25%	***	93.75%	***	6.67%	***	26.67%	10	66.67%
Gender											
Totals	3,412	1,212	35.52%	2,200	64.48%	744	33.82%	736	33.45%	720	32.73%
Female	1,850	618	33.41%	1,232	66.59%	475	38.56%	385	31.25%	372	30.19%
Male	1,556	593	38.11%	963	61.89%	269	27.93%	348	36.14%	346	35.93%
Other/Unknown	***	***	16.67%	***	83.33%	***	0.00%	***	60.00%	***	40.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	3,412	1,212	35.52%	2,200	64.48%	744	33.82%	736	33.45%	720	32.73%
Hispanic	548	170	31.02%	378	68.98%	161	42.59%	101	26.72%	116	30.69%
Black	2,027	695	34.29%	1,332	65.71%	428	32.13%	456	34.23%	448	33.63%
White	134	51	38.06%	83	61.94%	27	32.53%	36	43.37%	20	24.10%
All Others	42	19	45.24%	23	54.76%	***	30.43%	***	34.78%	***	34.78%
Unable to Determine	661	277	41.91%	384	58.09%	121	31.51%	135	35.16%	128	33.33%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Prince George's.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	350	700
Ages 0 to 4	.	287
Ages 5 to 11	.	222
Ages 12 to 15	.	121
Ages 16 to 17	.	62
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	350	700
Female	.	374
Male	.	326
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	350	700
Black	.	416
White	.	35
Hispanic	.	79
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	165

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Prince George's

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	Children (A)	N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
Totals	165	***	0.00%	145	87.87%	18	10.90%	***	0.00%	***	1.21%
Ages 0 to 4	61	***	0.00%	51	83.60%	10	16.39%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	30	***	0.00%	26	86.66%	***	13.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	48	***	0.00%	46	95.83%	***	4.16%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	26	***	0.00%	22	84.61%	***	7.69%	***	0.00%	***	7.69%
Gender											
Totals	165	***	0.00%	145	87.87%	18	10.90%	***	0.00%	***	1.21%
Female	96	***	0.00%	84	87.50%	10	10.41%	***	0.00%	***	2.08%
Male	69	***	0.00%	61	88.40%	***	11.59%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	165	***	0.00%	145	87.87%	18	10.90%	***	0.00%	***	1.21%
Hispanic	35	***	0.00%	32	91.42%	***	5.71%	***	0.00%	***	2.85%
Black	124	***	0.00%	109	87.90%	14	11.29%	***	0.00%	***	0.80%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Prince George's

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type													
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	190	73	38.42%	10	5.26%	33	17.36%	***	3.68%	59	31.05%	***	1.57%	***	2.63%
Ages 0 to 4	40	19	47.50%	***	17.50%	11	27.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	5.00%	***	2.50%
Ages 5 to 11	48	25	52.08%	***	6.25%	17	35.41%	***	6.25%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	24	18	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	8.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	29	11	37.93%	***	0.00%	***	3.44%	***	6.89%	10	34.48%	***	3.44%	***	13.79%
Over 18	49	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	49	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	190	73	38.42%	10	5.26%	33	17.36%	***	3.68%	59	31.05%	***	1.57%	***	2.63%
Female	107	44	41.12%	***	3.73%	20	18.69%	***	2.80%	33	30.84%	***	0.93%	***	1.86%
Male	83	29	34.93%	***	7.22%	13	15.66%	***	4.81%	26	31.32%	***	2.40%	***	3.61%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	190	73	38.42%	10	5.26%	33	17.36%	***	3.68%	59	31.05%	***	1.57%	***	2.63%
Hispanic	32	16	50.00%	***	6.25%	***	12.50%	***	6.25%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	141	50	35.46%	***	2.83%	25	17.73%	***	3.54%	49	34.75%	***	2.12%	***	3.54%
White	10	***	50.00%	***	30.00%	***	10.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
All other	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Prince George's

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	77	***	3.89%	***	3.89%	***	7.79%	***	9.09%
Ages 0 to 4	22	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	25	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	4.00%	***	8.00%
Ages 12 to 15	18	***	5.55%	***	5.55%	***	5.55%	***	5.55%
Ages 16 to 18	12	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Gender									
Totals	77	***	3.89%	***	3.89%	***	7.79%	***	9.09%
Female	46	***	4.34%	***	4.34%	***	10.86%	***	10.86%
Male	31	***	3.22%	***	3.22%	***	3.22%	***	6.45%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	77	***	3.89%	***	3.89%	***	7.79%	***	9.09%
Hispanic	16	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
Black	54	***	5.55%	***	5.55%	***	7.40%	***	9.25%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
All other	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Prince George's

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	62	***	3.22%	***	6.45%	***	11.29%	10	16.12%	10	16.12%	12	19.35%	13	20.96%	13	20.96%
	Ages 0 to 4	13	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%
	Ages 5 to 11	14	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%
	Ages 12 to 15	20	***	5.00%	***	5.00%	***	20.00%	***	30.00%	***	30.00%	***	35.00%	***	35.00%	***	35.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	15	***	0.00%	***	13.33%	***	13.33%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
Gender																		
	Totals	62	***	3.22%	***	6.45%	***	11.29%	10	16.12%	10	16.12%	12	19.35%	13	20.96%	13	20.96%
	Female	27	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	14.81%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%
	Male	35	***	2.85%	***	8.57%	***	8.57%	***	11.42%	***	11.42%	***	17.14%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	62	***	3.22%	***	6.45%	***	11.29%	10	16.12%	10	16.12%	12	19.35%	13	20.96%	13	20.96%
	Hispanic	***	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%	***	28.57%
	Black	48	***	2.08%	***	6.25%	***	12.50%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	10	20.83%	11	22.91%	11	22.91%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Prince George's

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
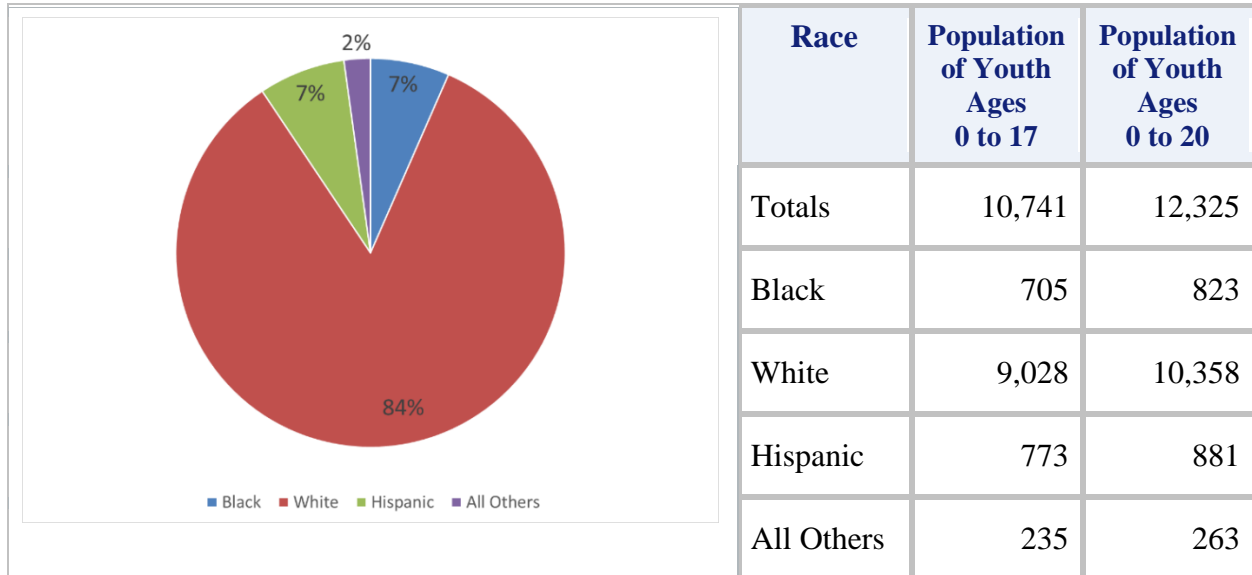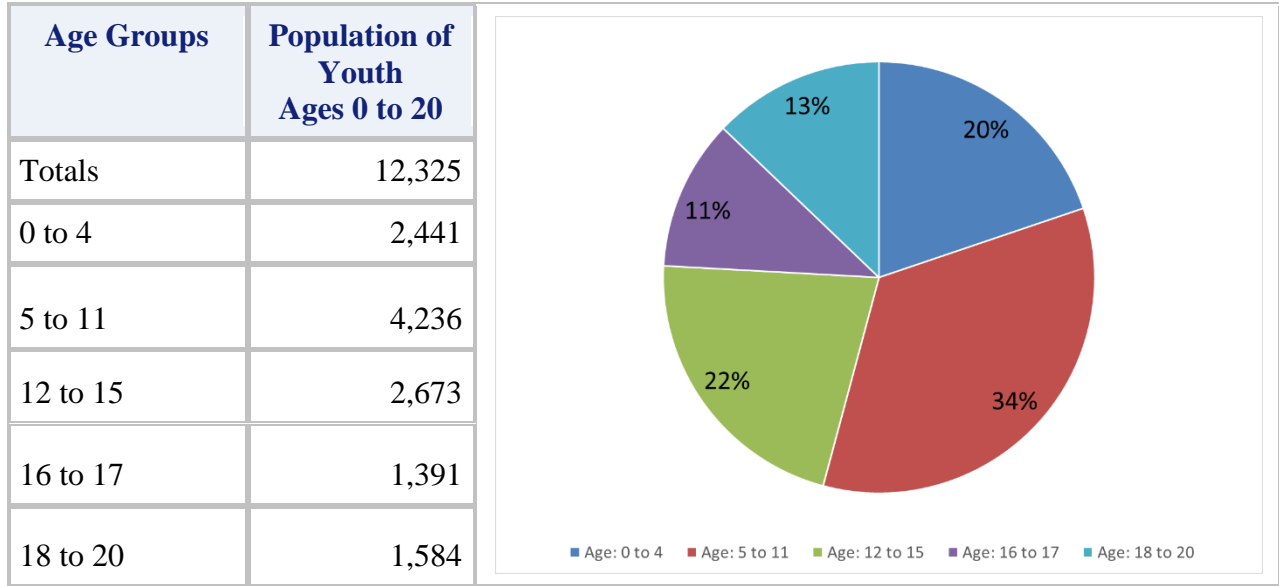**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	194	30,703	231	7.52
Ages 0 to 4	61	8,534	58	6.80
Ages 5 to 11	45	6,621	54	8.16
Ages 12 to 15	56	10,326	83	8.04
Ages 16 to 18	32	5,222	36	6.89
Gender				
Totals	194	30,703	231	7.52
Female	111	18,839	139	7.38
Male	83	11,864	92	7.75
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	194	30,703	231	7.52
Hispanic	41	5,632	49	8.70
Black	148	23,958	172	7.18
White	***	835	7	8.38
All other	***	127	1	7.87
Unable to determine	***	151	2	13.25

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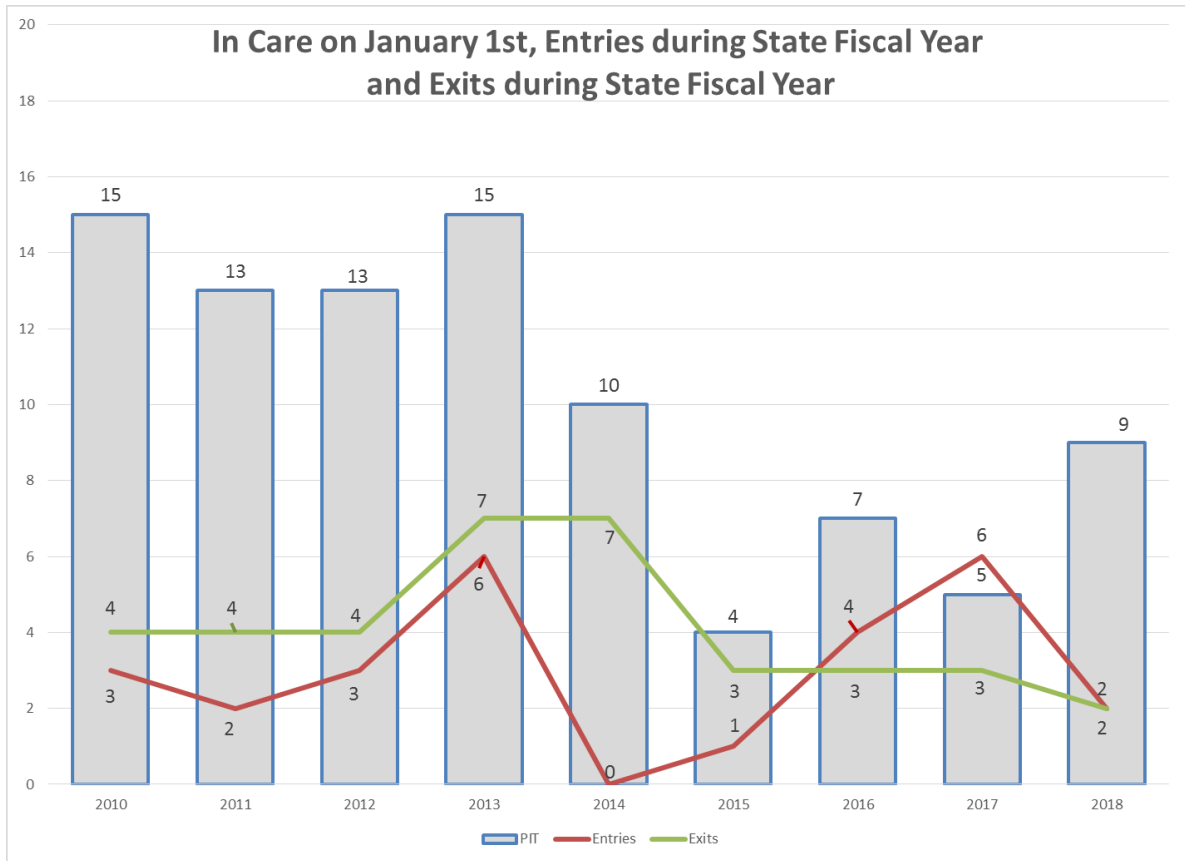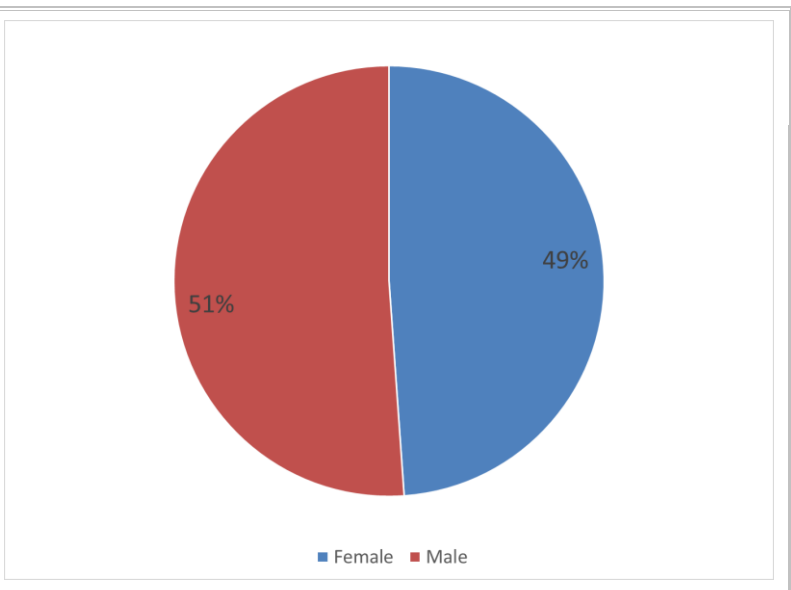
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In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[20].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	12,325
0 to 4	2,441
5 to 11	4,236
12 to 15	2,673
16 to 17	1,391
18 to 20	1,584

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	10,741	12,325
Black	705	823
White	9,028	10,358
Hispanic	773	881
All Others	235	263

[20]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	10,741	12,325
Female	5,250	6,000
Male	5,491	6,325

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Queen Anne's.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Queen Anne's

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	107	63	58.88%	44	41.12%	***	38.64%	***	15.91%	20	45.45%
Ages 0 to 4	35	21	60.00%	14	40.00%	***	50.00%	***	14.29%	***	35.71%
Ages 5 to 11	41	30	73.17%	11	26.83%	***	27.27%	***	18.18%	***	54.55%
Ages 12 to 15	22	***	22.73%	***	77.27%	***	29.41%	***	17.65%	***	52.94%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	77.78%	***	22.22%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	107	63	58.88%	44	41.12%	17	38.64%	7	15.91%	20	45.45%
Female	60	33	55.00%	27	45.00%	***	37.04%	***	18.52%	12	44.44%
Male	47	30	63.83%	17	36.17%	***	41.18%	***	11.76%	***	47.06%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	107	63	58.88%	44	41.12%	***	38.64%	***	15.91%	20	45.45%
Hispanic	***	***	60.00%	***	40.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%
Black	15	***	46.67%	***	53.33%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	50.00%
White	65	37	56.92%	28	43.08%	13	46.43%	***	17.86%	***	35.71%
Unable to Determine	22	***	72.73%	***	27.27%	***	16.67%	***	0.00%	***	83.33%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Queen Anne's.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	32	66
Ages 0 to 4	.	24
Ages 5 to 11	.	25
Ages 12 to 15	.	14
Ages 16 to 17	.	***
Gender		
Totals	32	66
Female	.	30
Male	.	36
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	32	66
Black	.	14
White	.	35
Hispanic	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	14

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Queen Anne's

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

			Removals by placement type									
			Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group		**Children** **(A)**	**N** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**	**n** **(F)**	**%** **(F/A)**
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4											
	Ages 5 to 11											
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 17											
Gender												
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity												
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White											

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Queen Anne's

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

Age Group	Children (A)	Reunification n (B)	Reunification % (B/A)	Adoption n (C)	Adoption % (C/A)	Custody/ Guardianship Relative n (D)	Custody/ Guardianship Relative % (D/A)	Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative n (E)	Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative % (E/A)	Emancipation n (F)	Emancipation % (F/A)	Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation n (G)	Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation % (G/A)	Other n (H)	Other % (H/A)
Totals	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11															
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%
Ages 16 to 18															
Over 18															
Gender															
Totals	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%
Female	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.0%
White	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Queen Anne's

There were no exits to reunification in Queen Anne's between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017.

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
Age Group	**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)
Totals									
Ages 0 to 4									
Ages 5 to 11									
Ages 12 to 15									
Ages 16 to 18									
Gender									
Totals									
Female									
Male									
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals									
Black									
White									

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Queen Anne's

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

Age Group		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)	n (I)	% (I/A)
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4																	
	Ages 5 to 11																	
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18																	
Gender																		
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female																	
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black																	
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Queen Anne's

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
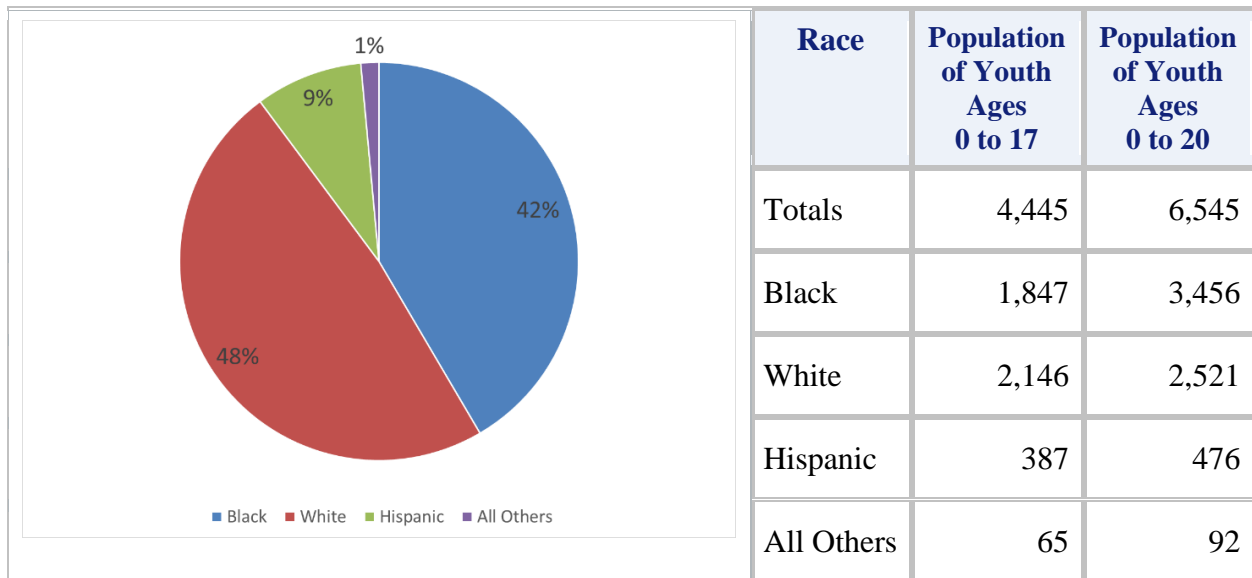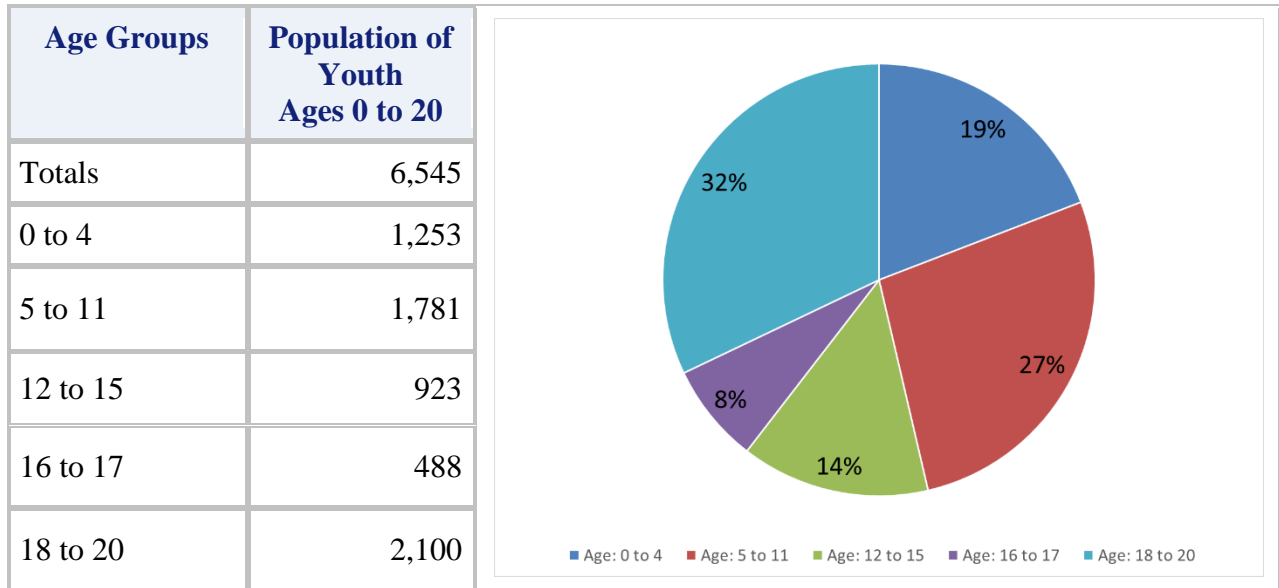**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	***	584	5	8.56
Ages 0 to 4				
Ages 5 to 11				
Ages 12 to 15	***	584	5	8.56
Ages 16 to 18				
Gender				
Totals	***	584	5	8.56
Female	***	362	3	8.29
Male	***	222	2	9.01
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	***	584	5	8.56
Black	***	584	5	8.56
White				

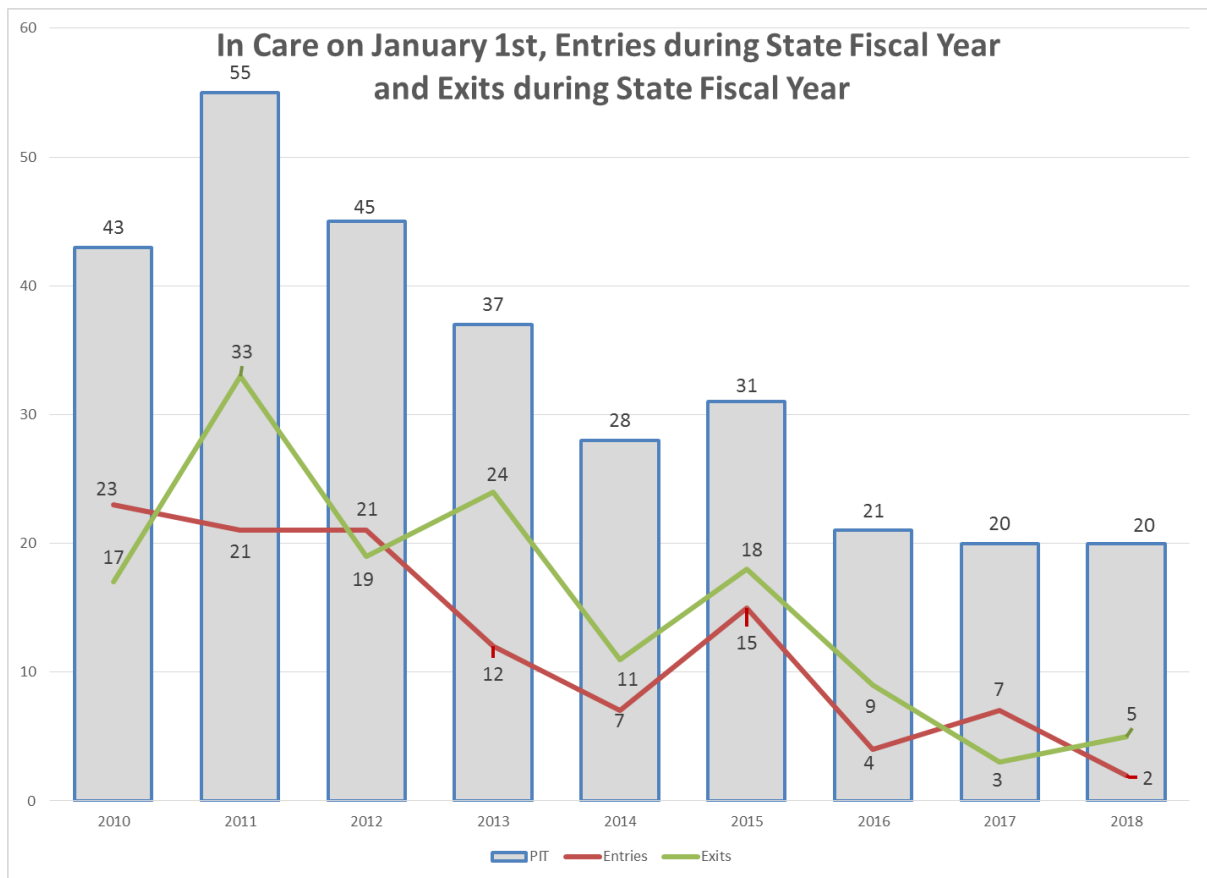NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Somerset

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[21].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	6,545
0 to 4	1,253
5 to 11	1,781
12 to 15	923
16 to 17	488
18 to 20	2,100

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	4,445	6,545
Black	1,847	3,456
White	2,146	2,521
Hispanic	387	476
All Others	65	92

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[21]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	4,445	6,545
Female	2,207	3,277
Male	2,238	3,268

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Somerset.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Somerset

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	188	114	60.64%	74	39.36%	24	32.43%	22	29.73%	28	37.84%
Ages 0 to 4	58	34	58.62%	24	41.38%	***	33.33%	***	25.00%	10	41.67%
Ages 5 to 11	75	53	70.67%	22	29.33%	***	36.36%	***	27.27%	***	36.36%
Ages 12 to 15	41	18	43.90%	23	56.10%	***	30.43%	***	30.43%	***	39.13%
Ages 16 to 18	13	***	61.54%	***	38.46%	***	20.00%	***	60.00%	***	20.00%
Age Invalid	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	188	114	60.64%	74	39.36%	24	32.43%	22	29.73%	28	37.84%
Female	101	49	48.51%	52	51.49%	15	28.85%	19	36.54%	18	34.62%
Male	85	63	74.12%	22	25.88%	***	40.91%	***	13.64%	10	45.45%
Other/Unknown	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	188	114	60.64%	74	39.36%	24	32.43%	22	29.73%	28	37.84%
Hispanic	***	***	80.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%
Black	71	41	57.75%	30	42.25%	***	30.00%	13	43.33%	***	26.67%
White	92	54	58.70%	38	41.30%	13	34.21%	***	18.42%	18	47.37%
All Others	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to Determine	18	***	72.22%	***	27.78%	***	40.00%	***	20.00%	***	40.00%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Somerset.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	77	190
Ages 0 to 4	.	72
Ages 5 to 11	.	77
Ages 12 to 15	.	30
Ages 16 to 17	.	10
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	77	190
Female	.	85
Male	.	105
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	77	190
Black	.	123
White	.	46
Hispanic	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	15

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Somerset

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	**Children** (A)	**N** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4											
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15											
Ages 16 to 17											
Gender											
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female											
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Somerset

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type													
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	***	***	20.00%	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4															
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	***	***	20.00%	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	***	***	20.00%	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	***	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Somerset

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children **(A)**	**n** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4									
Ages 5 to 11									
Ages 12 to 15									
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male									
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black									
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Somerset

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4																	
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15																	
	Ages 16 to 18																	
Gender																		
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female																	
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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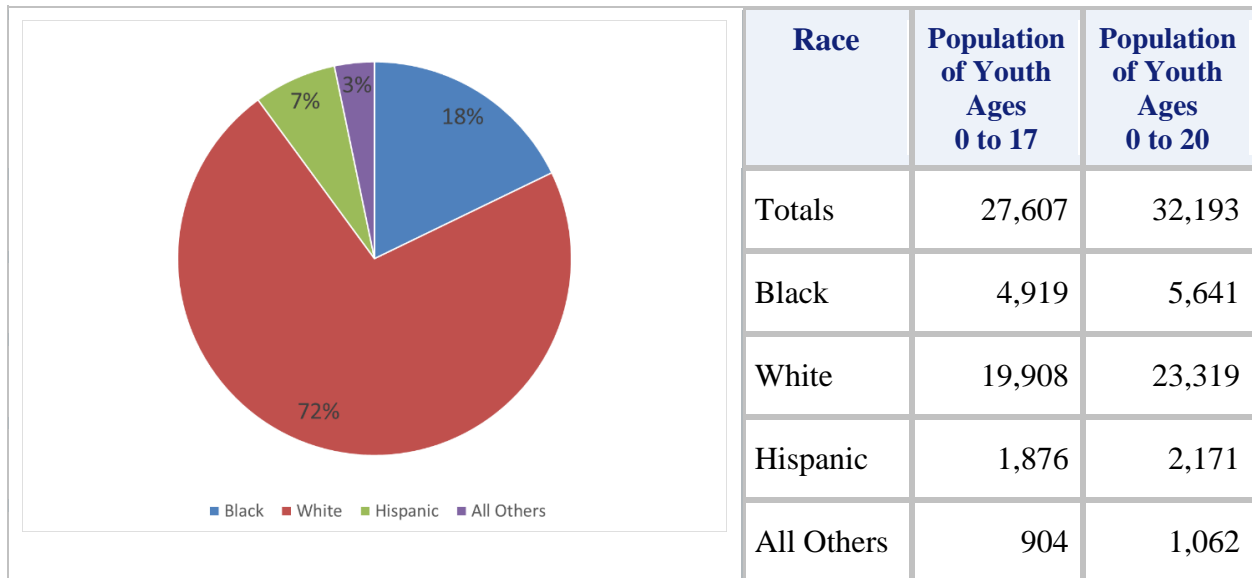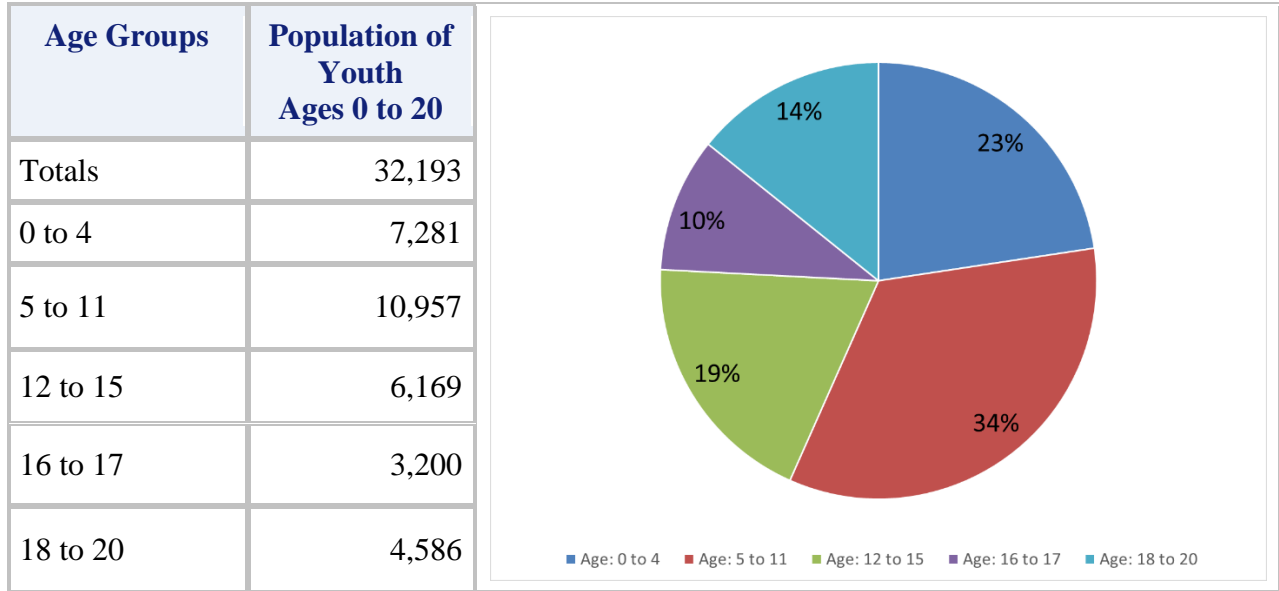**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	***	74	0	0.00
Ages 0 to 4				
Ages 5 to 11	***	74	0	0.00
Ages 12 to 15				
Ages 16 to 18				
Gender				
Totals	***	74	0	0.00
Female				
Male	***	74	0	0.00
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	***	74	0	0.00
Black	***	37	0	0.00
White	***	37	0	0.00

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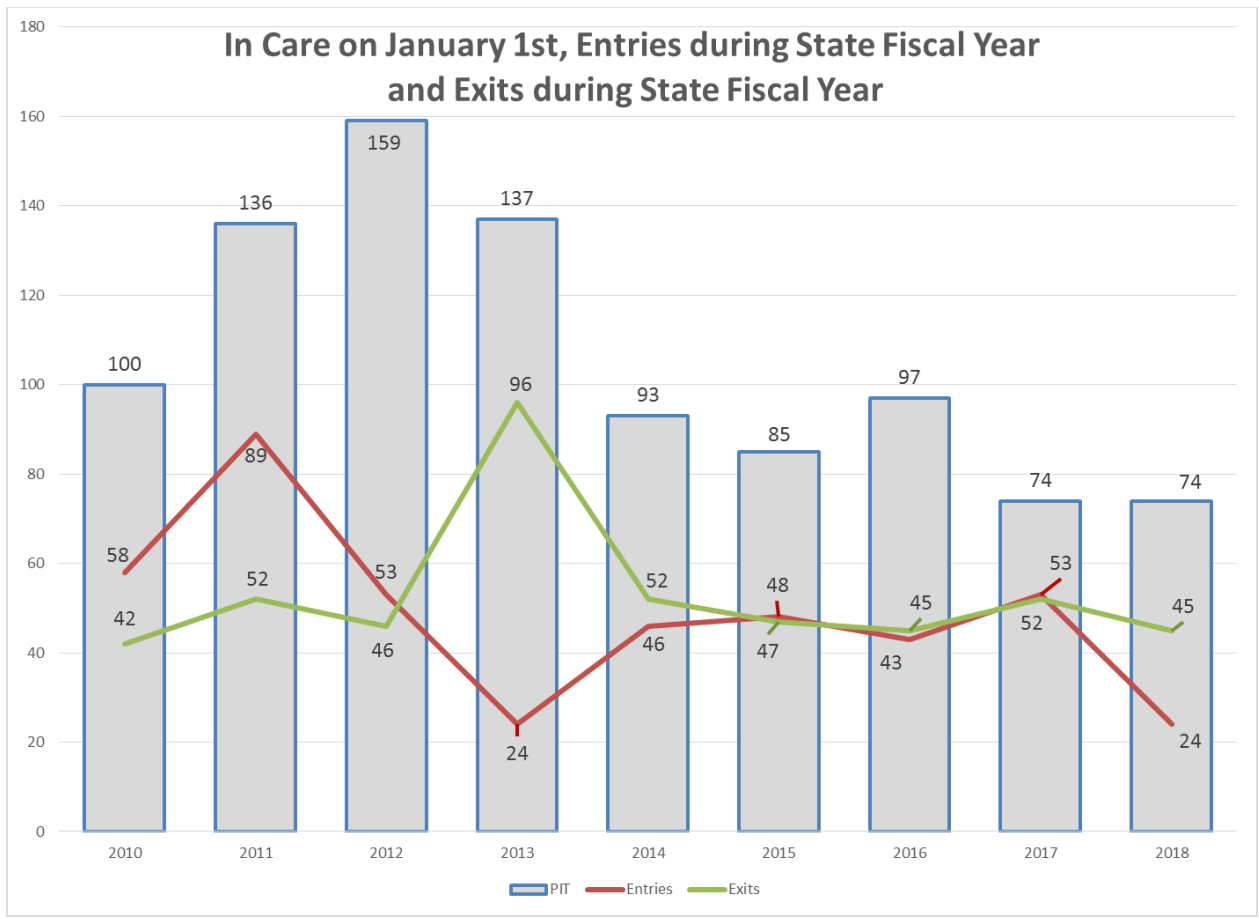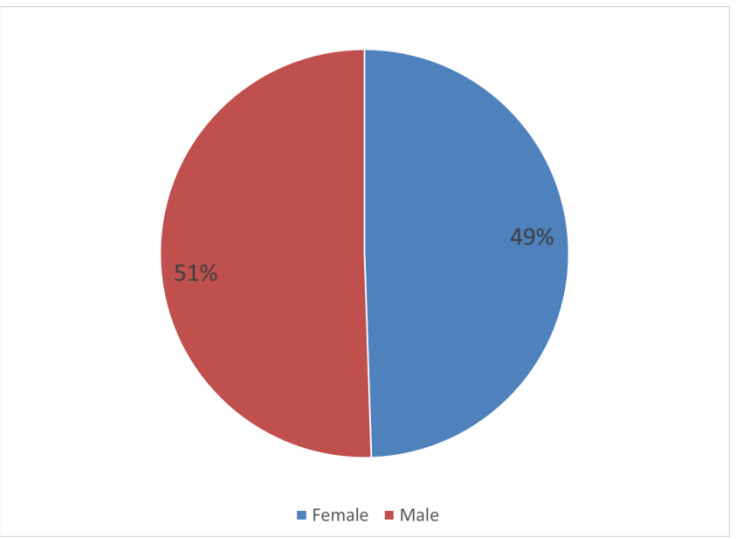
St. Mary's

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[22].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	32,193
0 to 4	7,281
5 to 11	10,957
12 to 15	6,169
16 to 17	3,200
18 to 20	4,586

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	27,607	32,193
Black	4,919	5,641
White	19,908	23,319
Hispanic	1,876	2,171
All Others	904	1,062

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	27,607	32,193
Female	13,656	15,991
Male	13,951	16,202

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						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** **n**	**(B/A)** **%**	**(C)** **n**	**(C/A)** **%**	**(D)** **n**	**(D/C)** **%**	**(I)** **n**	**(I/C)** **%**	**(O)** **n**	**(O/C)** **%**
Totals	655	299	45.65%	356	54.35%	135	37.92%	30	8.43%	191	53.65%
Ages 0 to 4	178	88	49.44%	90	50.56%	39	43.33%	7	7.78%	44	48.89%
Ages 5 to 11	310	151	48.71%	159	51.29%	55	34.59%	10	6.29%	94	59.12%
Ages 12 to 15	112	43	38.39%	69	61.61%	***	40.58%	***	8.70%	35	50.72%
Ages 16 to 18	55	17	30.91%	38	69.09%	***	34.21%	***	18.42%	18	47.37%
Gender											
Totals	655	299	45.65%	356	54.35%	135	37.92%	30	8.43%	191	53.65%
Female	346	137	39.60%	209	60.40%	84	40.19%	19	9.09%	106	50.72%
Male	309	162	52.43%	147	47.57%	51	34.69%	11	7.48%	85	57.82%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	655	299	45.65%	356	54.35%	135	37.92%	30	8.43%	191	53.65%
Hispanic	14	***	35.71%	***	64.29%	***	77.78%	***	0.00%	***	22.22%
Black	154	70	45.45%	84	54.55%	30	35.71%	11	13.10%	43	51.19%
White	318	135	42.45%	183	57.55%	62	33.88%	14	7.65%	107	58.47%
All Others	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
Unable to Determine	167	89	53.29%	78	46.71%	***	46.15%	***	5.13%	38	48.72%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in St. Mary's.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	117	247
Ages 0 to 4	.	114
Ages 5 to 11	.	95
Ages 12 to 15	.	33
Ages 16 to 17	.	***
Gender		
Totals	117	247
Female	.	114
Male	.	133
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	117	247
Black	.	67
White	.	125
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	53

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in St. Mary's

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

	Children (A)	Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group		**N** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)
Totals	16	***	0.00%	12	75.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	10	***	0.00%	***	60.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17											
Gender											
Totals	16	***	0.00%	12	75.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	80.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	11	***	0.00%	***	72.72%	***	27.27%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	16	***	0.00%	12	75.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	75.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	77.77%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	66.66%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in St. Mary's

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
			Reunification		**Adoption**		**Custody/ Guardianship Relative**		**Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative**		**Emancipation**		**Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation**		**Other**	
	Totals	45	14	31.11%	***	11.11%	17	37.77%	***	0.00%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	8.88%
	Ages 0 to 4	19	***	36.84%	***	26.31%	***	31.57%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	5.26%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	44.44%	***	0.00%	***	44.44%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	11.11%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	37.50%	***	0.00%	***	62.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	28.57%	***	0.00%	***	42.85%	***	0.00%	***	28.57%
	Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																
	Totals	45	14	31.11%	***	11.11%	17	37.77%	***	0.00%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	8.88%
	Female	20	***	25.00%	***	15.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	15.00%	***	0.00%	***	5.00%
	Male	25	***	36.00%	***	8.00%	***	36.00%	***	0.00%	***	8.00%	***	0.00%	***	12.00%
Race/Ethnicity																
	Totals	45	14	31.11%	***	11.11%	17	37.77%	***	0.00%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	8.88%
	Hispanic	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	21	***	33.33%	***	9.52%	***	38.09%	***	0.00%	***	14.28%	***	0.00%	***	4.76%
	White	20	***	20.00%	***	10.00%	***	45.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.00%	***	0.00%	***	15.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in St. Mary's

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	14	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18									
Gender									
Totals	14	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	14	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in St. Mary's

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** **(A)**	**n** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**	**n** **(F)**	**%** **(F/A)**	**n** **(G)**	**%** **(G/A)**	**n** **(H)**	**%** **(H/A)**	**n** **(I)**	**%** **(I/A)**
	Totals	29	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	6.89%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	12	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																		
	Totals	29	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	6.89%
	Female	14	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	15	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	13.33%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	29	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	6.89%
	Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	21	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	9.52%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in St. Mary's

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
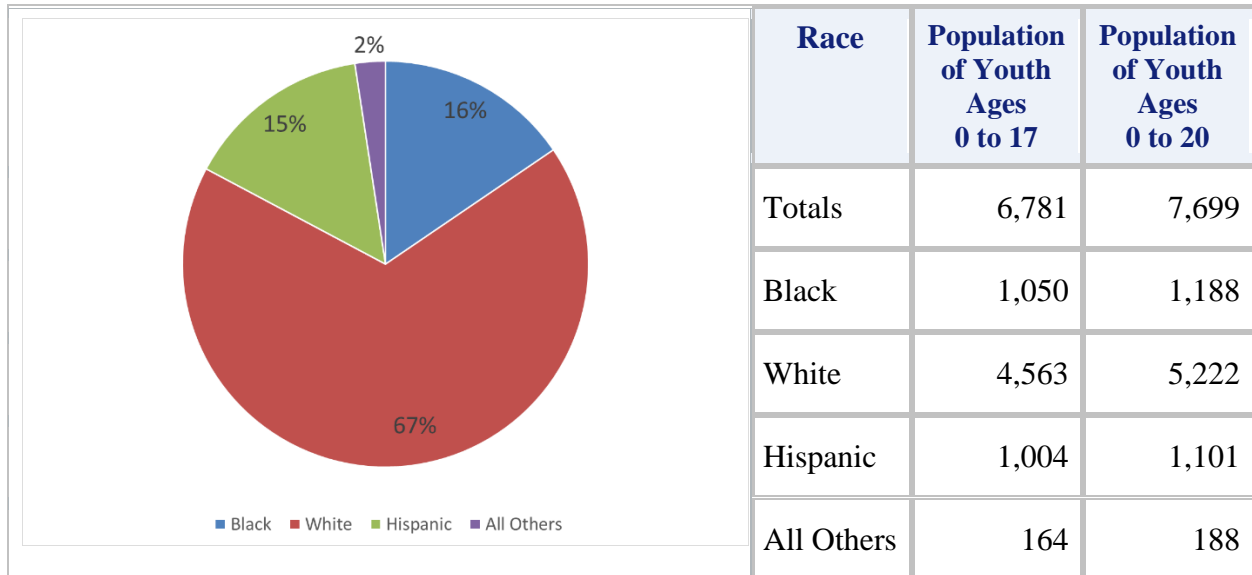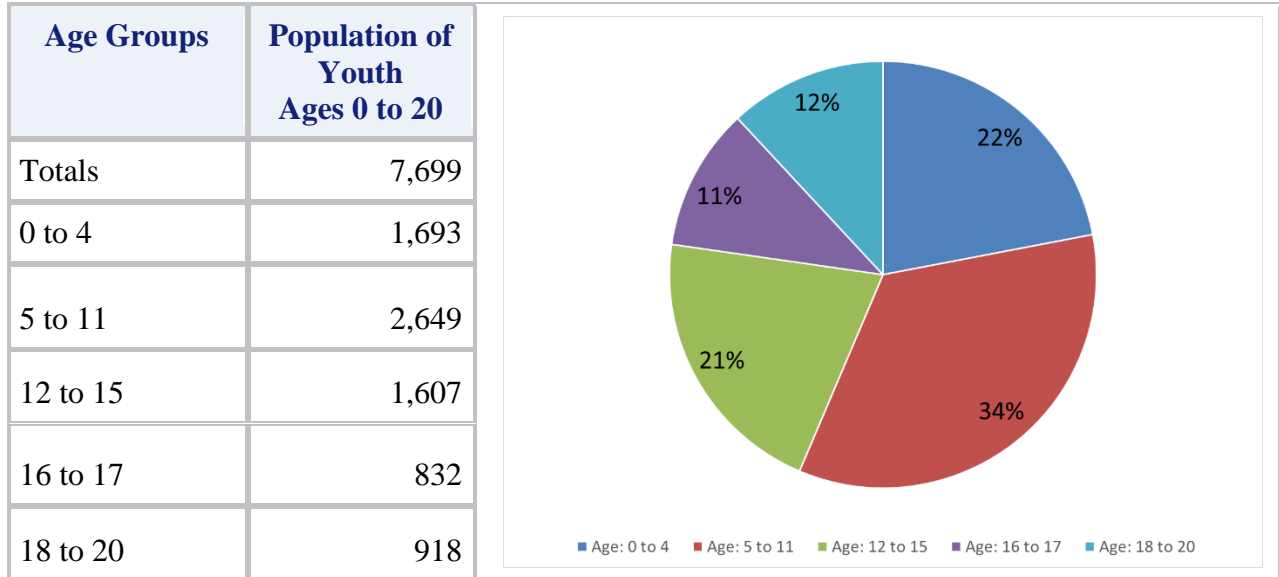**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	24	3,323	11	3.31
Ages 0 to 4	12	2,078	6	2.89
Ages 5 to 11	***	687	2	2.91
Ages 12 to 15	***	558	3	5.38
Ages 16 to 18				
Gender				
Totals	24	3,323	11	3.31
Female	***	865	2	2.31
Male	19	2,458	9	3.66
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	24	3,323	11	3.31
Black	***	708	4	5.65
White	17	1,977	6	3.03
Unable to determine	***	638	1	1.57

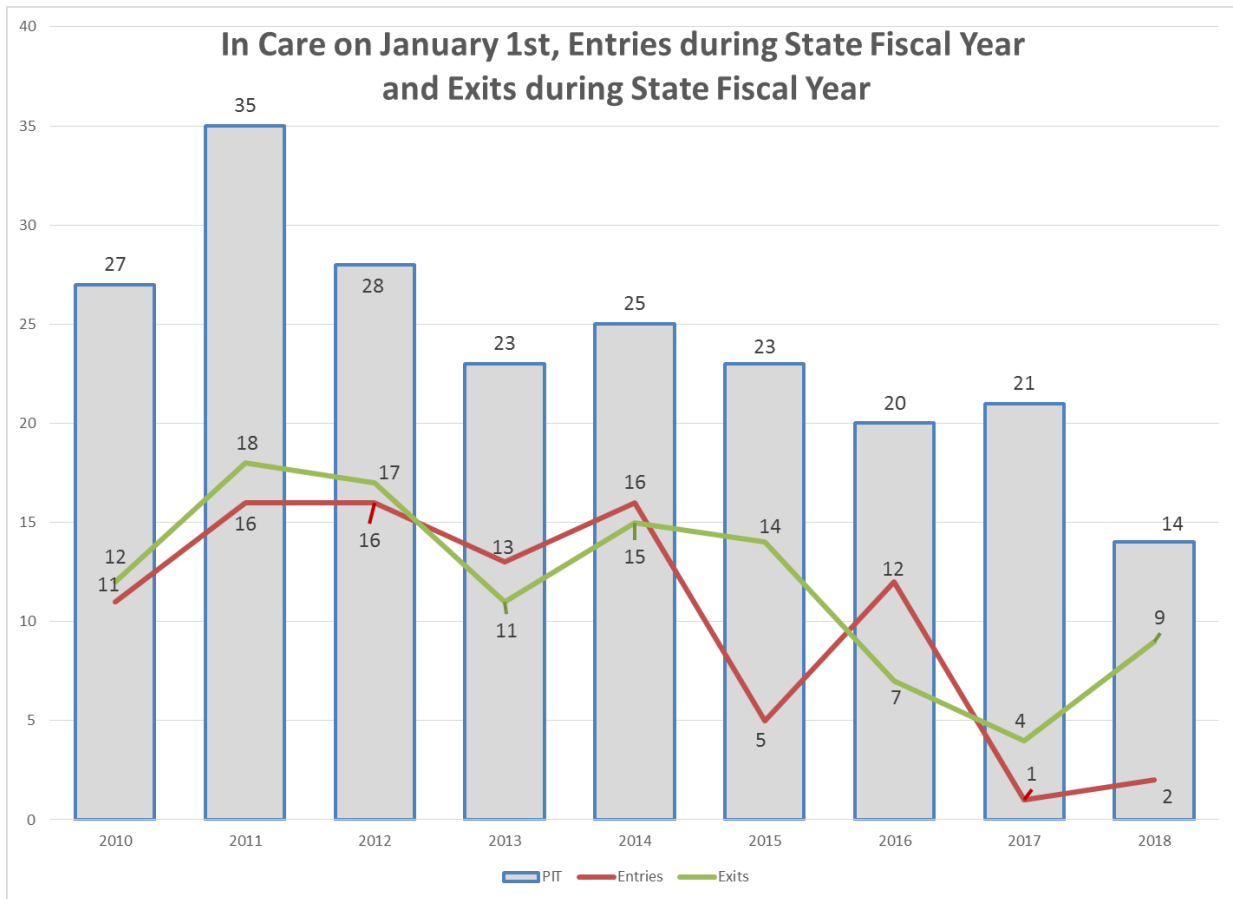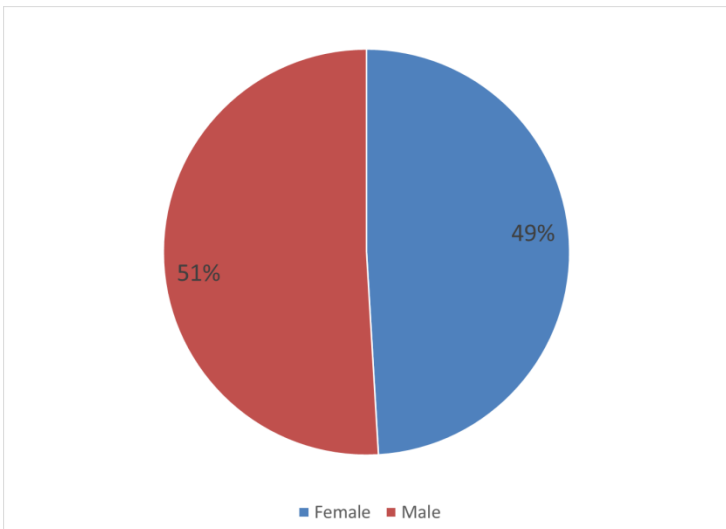NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

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In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[23].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	7,699
0 to 4	1,693
5 to 11	2,649
12 to 15	1,607
16 to 17	832
18 to 20	918

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	6,781	7,699
Black	1,050	1,188
White	4,563	5,222
Hispanic	1,004	1,101
All Others	164	188

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[23]Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

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Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	6,781	7,699
Female	3,327	3,759
Male	3,454	3,940

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Talbot.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Talbot

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	141	82	58.16%	59	41.84%	***	44.07%	***	10.17%	27	45.76%
Ages 0 to 4	27	***	77.78%	***	22.22%	***	33.33%	***	16.67%	***	50.00%
Ages 5 to 11	74	41	55.41%	33	44.59%	***	39.39%	***	6.06%	18	54.55%
Ages 12 to 15	33	16	48.48%	17	51.52%	***	58.82%	***	5.88%	***	35.29%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	66.67%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%
Age Invalid	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	141	82	58.16%	59	41.84%	***	44.07%	***	10.17%	27	45.76%
Female	67	35	52.24%	32	47.76%	16	50.00%	***	9.38%	***	40.63%
Male	74	47	63.51%	27	36.49%	***	37.04%	***	11.11%	14	51.85%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	141	82	58.16%	59	41.84%	***	44.07%	***	10.17%	27	45.76%
Hispanic	15	***	40.00%	***	60.00%	***	33.33%	***	22.22%	***	44.44%
Black	32	16	50.00%	16	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	6.25%	***	43.75%
White	71	47	66.20%	24	33.80%	***	37.50%	***	8.33%	13	54.17%
Unable to Determine	23	13	56.52%	10	43.48%	***	60.00%	***	10.00%	***	30.00%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Talbot.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	32	70
Ages 0 to 4	.	13
Ages 5 to 11	.	33
Ages 12 to 15	.	17
Ages 16 to 17	.	***
Gender		
Totals	32	70
Female	.	44
Male	.	26
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	32	70
Black	.	28
White	.	28
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	***

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Talbot

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Removals by placement type									
		Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group	**Children** (A)	**N** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)
Totals	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4											
Ages 5 to 11											
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female											
Male	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black											
White	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Talbot

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type													
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	**Children (A)**	**n (B)**	**% (B/A)**	**n (C)**	**% (C/A)**	**n (D)**	**% (D/A)**	**n (E)**	**% (E/A)**	**n (F)**	**% (F/A)**	**n (G)**	**% (G/A)**	**n (H)**	**% (H/A)**
Totals	***	***	11.11%	***	66.66%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	75.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18															
Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	***	***	11.11%	***	66.66%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	20.00%	***	60.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	***	***	11.11%	***	66.66%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black															
White	***	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Talbot

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4									
Ages 5 to 11									
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18									
Gender									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male									
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black									
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Talbot

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11																	
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18																	
Gender																		
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female																	
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
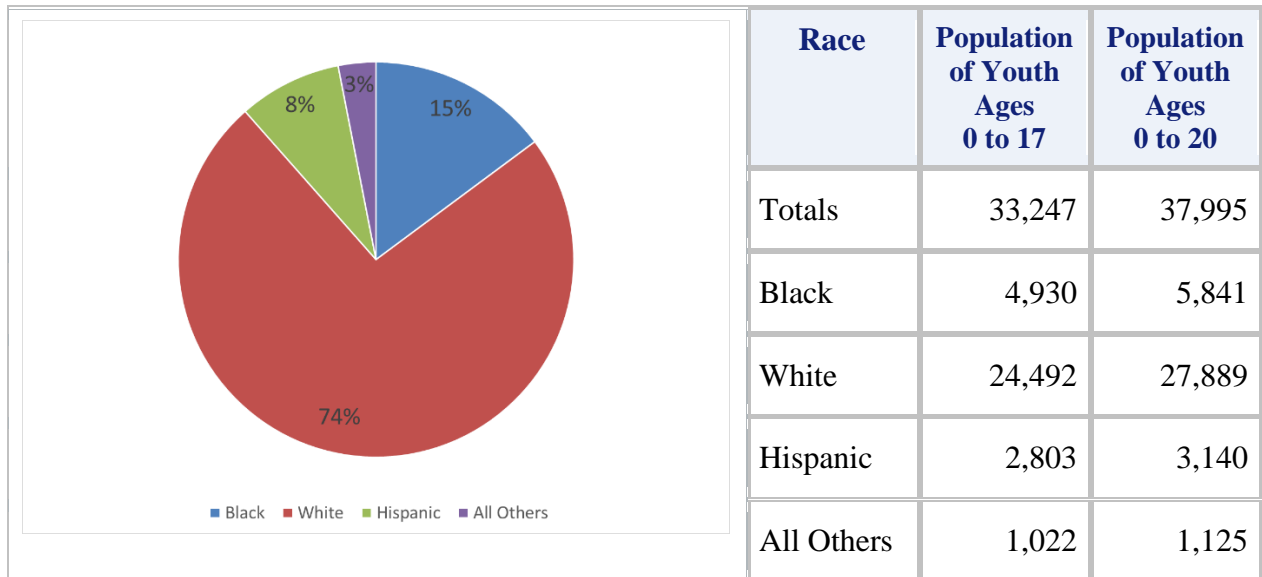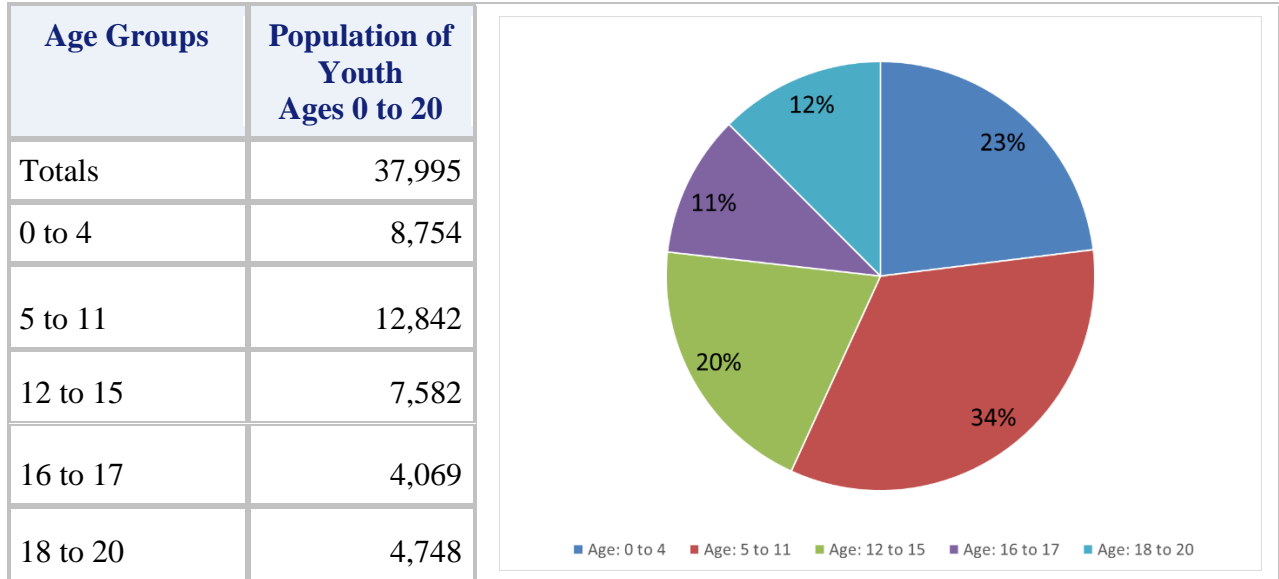**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	***	506	3	5.93
Ages 0 to 4				
Ages 5 to 11				
Ages 12 to 15	***	351	1	2.85
Ages 16 to 18	***	155	2	12.90
Gender				
Totals	***	506	3	5.93
Female				
Male	***	506	3	5.93
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	***	506	3	5.93
Black				
White	***	506	3	5.93
Unable to determine				

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Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	37,995
0 to 4	8,754
5 to 11	12,842
12 to 15	7,582
16 to 17	4,069
18 to 20	4,748

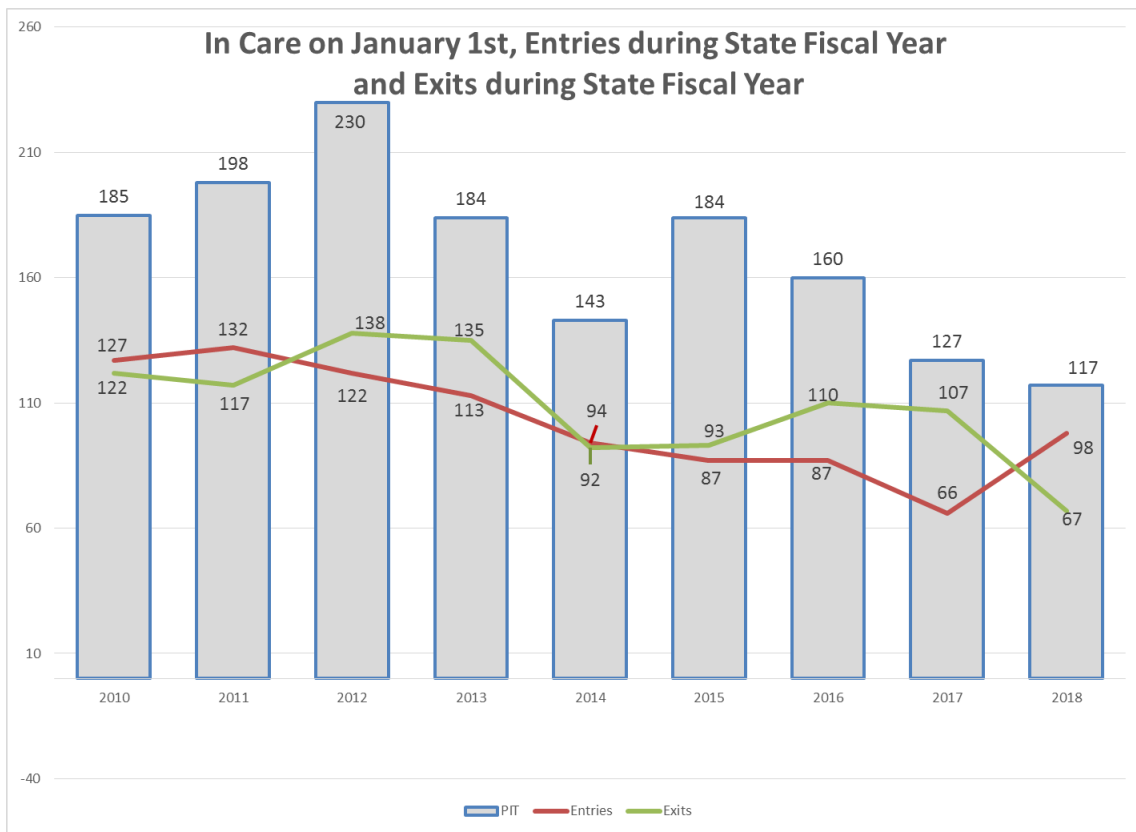| Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	33,247	37,995
Black	4,930	5,841
White	24,492	27,889
Hispanic	2,803	3,140
All Others	1,022	1,125

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[24] Documentation of The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files is available online at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	33,247	37,995
Female	16,291	18,412
Male	16,956	19,583

49%

51%

■ Female ■ Male

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
PIT	185	198	230	184	143	184	160	127	117
Entries	127	132	122	113	94	87	87	66	98
Exits	122	117	138	135	92	93	110	107	67

■ PIT ━ Entries ━ Exits

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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Washington.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Washington

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	1,416	516	36.44%	900	63.56%	285	31.67%	157	17.44%	458	50.89%
Ages 0 to 4	428	148	34.58%	280	65.42%	116	41.43%	41	14.64%	123	43.93%
Ages 5 to 11	556	220	39.57%	336	60.43%	91	27.08%	57	16.96%	188	55.95%
Ages 12 to 15	302	107	35.43%	195	64.57%	58	29.74%	38	19.49%	99	50.77%
Ages 16 to 18	130	41	31.54%	89	68.46%	20	22.47%	21	23.60%	48	53.93%
Gender											
Totals	1,416	516	36.44%	900	63.56%	285	31.67%	157	17.44%	458	50.89%
Female	716	245	34.22%	471	65.78%	140	29.72%	88	18.68%	243	51.59%
Male	700	271	38.71%	429	61.29%	145	33.80%	69	16.08%	215	50.12%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	1,416	516	36.44%	900	63.56%	285	31.67%	157	17.44%	458	50.89%
Hispanic	51	13	25.49%	38	74.51%	15	39.47%	***	23.68%	***	36.84%
Black	283	93	32.86%	190	67.14%	66	34.74%	40	21.05%	84	44.21%
White	668	237	35.48%	431	64.52%	140	32.48%	68	15.78%	223	51.74%
All Others	14	***	57.14%	***	42.86%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	66.67%
Unable to Determine	400	165	41.25%	235	58.75%	64	27.23%	38	16.17%	133	56.60%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Washington.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	178	353
Ages 0 to 4	.	177
Ages 5 to 11	.	112
Ages 12 to 15	.	47
Ages 16 to 17	.	17
Gender		
Totals	178	353
Female	.	171
Male	.	182
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	178	353
Black	.	58
White	.	153
Hispanic	.	***
All Others	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	137

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Washington

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

| | Children | Removals by placement type | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Community-Based Residential Placement | | Family Home Settings | | Hospitalization | | Non-Community Based Residential Placement | | Unknown | |
Age Group	**Children** **(A)**	**N** **(B)**	**%** **(B/A)**	**n** **(C)**	**%** **(C/A)**	**n** **(D)**	**%** **(D/A)**	**n** **(E)**	**%** **(E/A)**	**n** **(F)**	**%** **(F/A)**
Totals	72	***	9.72%	59	81.94%	***	8.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	40	***	0.00%	35	87.50%	***	12.50%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	14	***	7.14%	13	92.85%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	14	***	28.57%	***	64.28%	***	7.14%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	72	***	9.72%	59	81.94%	***	8.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	28	***	14.28%	23	82.14%	***	3.57%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	44	***	6.81%	36	81.81%	***	11.36%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	72	***	9.72%	59	81.94%	***	8.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Hispanic	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	15	***	6.66%	14	93.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	30	***	13.33%	25	83.33%	***	3.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	19	***	0.00%	18	94.73%	***	5.26%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Washington

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type													
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	67	24	35.82%	17	25.37%	***	10.44%	***	0.00%	15	22.38%	***	2.98%	***	2.98%
Ages 0 to 4	27	***	33.33%	13	48.14%	***	14.81%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	3.70%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	14	***	42.85%	***	28.57%	***	21.42%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	7.14%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	55.55%	***	0.00%	***	22.22%
Over 18	10	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	10	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender															
Totals	67	24	35.82%	17	25.37%	***	10.44%	***	0.00%	15	22.38%	***	2.98%	***	2.98%
Female	36	13	36.11%	***	16.66%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	10	27.77%	***	2.77%	***	5.55%
Male	31	11	35.48%	11	35.48%	***	9.67%	***	0.00%	***	16.12%	***	3.22%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	67	24	35.82%	17	25.37%	***	10.44%	***	0.00%	15	22.38%	***	2.98%	***	2.98%
Hispanic	***	***	28.57%	***	57.14%	***	14.28%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	13	***	38.46%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	0.00%	***	46.15%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	37	11	29.72%	***	24.32%	***	10.81%	***	0.00%	***	24.32%	***	5.40%	***	5.40%
Unable to determine	10	***	60.00%	***	30.00%	***	10.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Washington

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	26	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%
Ages 0 to 4	10	***	10.00%	***	10.00%	***	10.00%	***	10.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender									
Totals	26	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%
Female	14	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%
Male	12	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	26	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%
White	13	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%	***	16.66%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Washington

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group	**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
Totals	57	***	5.26%	***	8.77%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	14.03%
Ages 0 to 4	16	***	6.25%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	18.75%
Ages 5 to 11	24	***	0.00%	***	4.16%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
Ages 12 to 15	13	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
Gender																	
Totals	57	***	5.26%	***	8.77%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	14.03%
Female	31	***	9.67%	***	16.12%	***	19.35%	***	19.35%	***	19.35%	***	19.35%	***	19.35%	***	19.35%
Male	26	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	3.84%	***	3.84%	***	3.84%	***	3.84%	***	3.84%	***	7.69%
Race/Ethnicity																	
Totals	57	***	5.26%	***	8.77%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	12.28%	***	14.03%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
Black	19	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%
White	27	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	3.70%	***	7.40%
Unable to determine	***	***	14.28%	***	42.85%	***	42.85%	***	42.85%	***	42.85%	***	42.85%	***	42.85%	***	42.85%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Washington

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
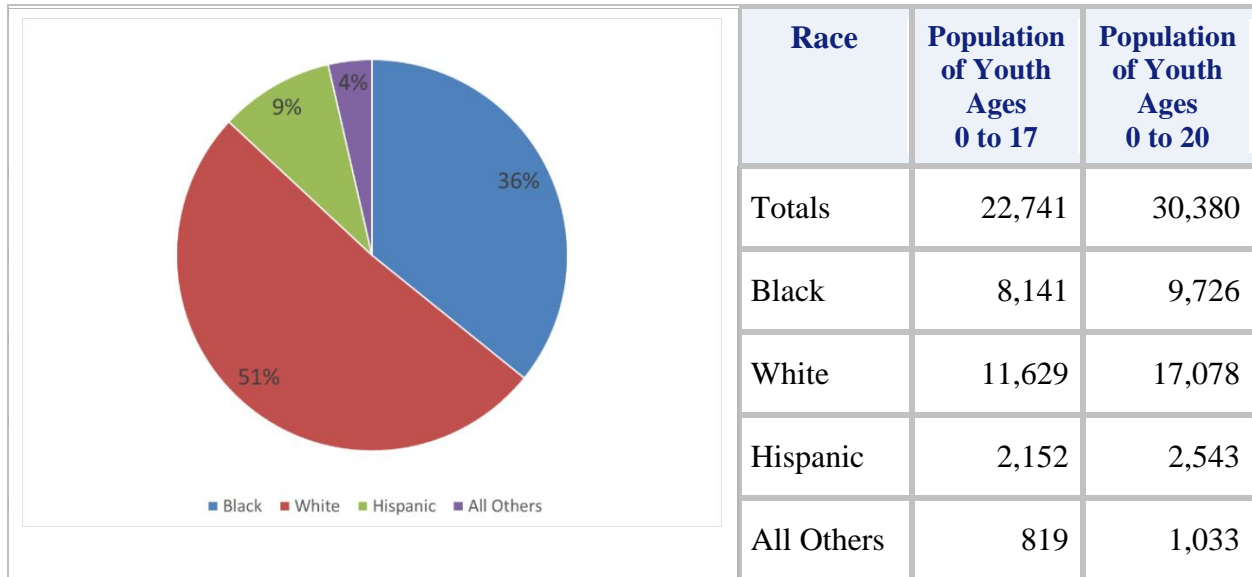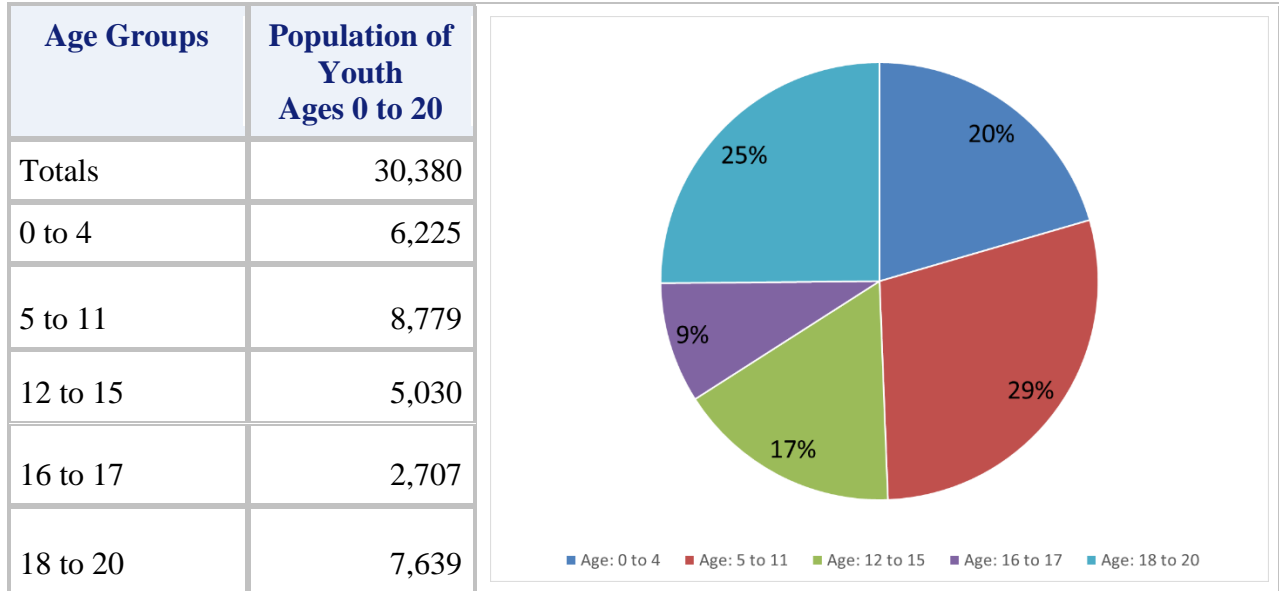**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	98	14,854	66	4.44
Ages 0 to 4	43	6,197	15	2.42
Ages 5 to 11	23	2,770	12	4.33
Ages 12 to 15	25	4,701	30	6.38
Ages 16 to 18	***	1,186	9	7.59
Gender				
Totals	98	14,854	66	4.44
Female	41	7,025	37	5.27
Male	57	7,829	29	3.70
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	98	14,854	66	4.44
Hispanic	***	1,916	9	4.70
Black	26	4,203	16	3.81
White	43	6,148	34	5.53
Unable to determine	21	2,587	7	2.71

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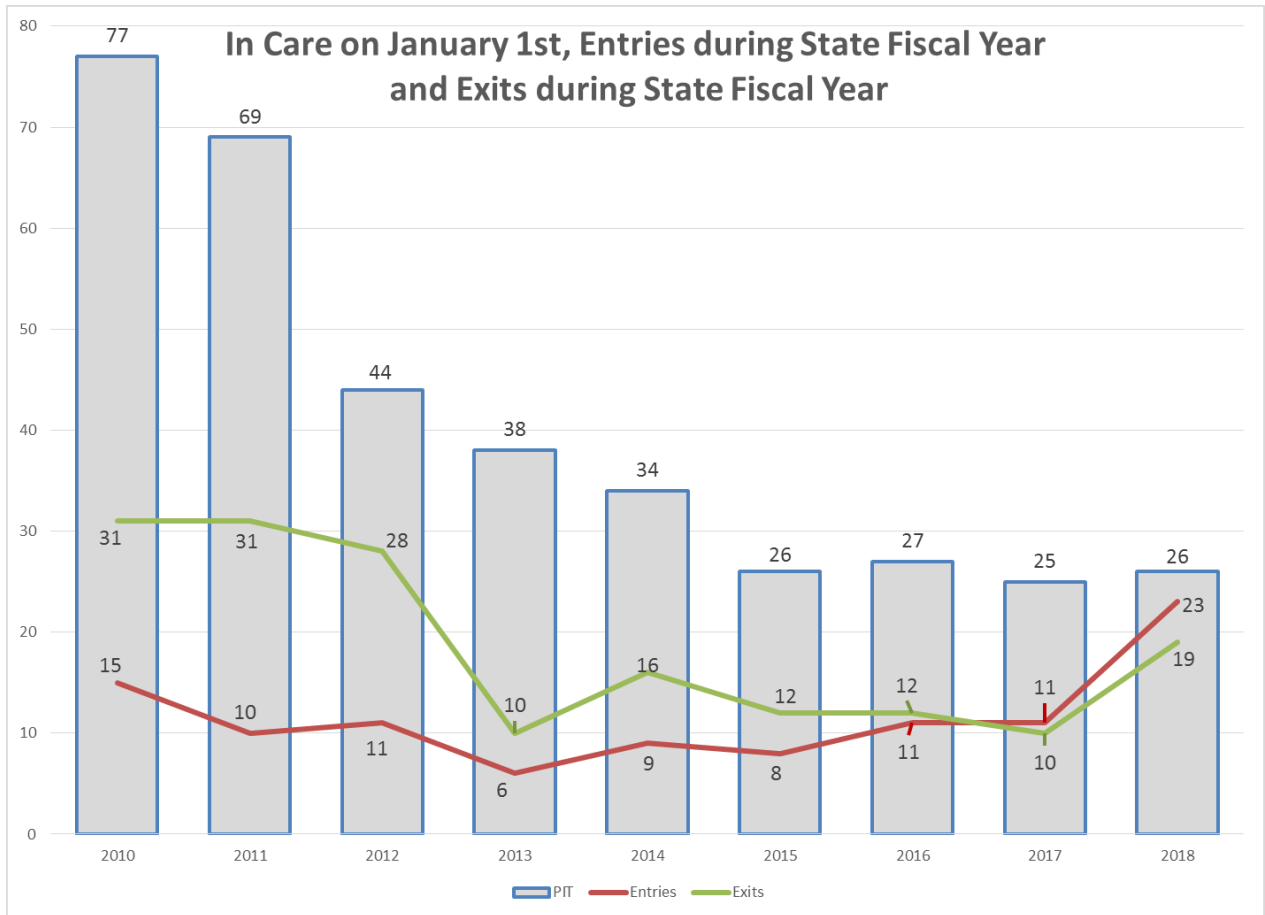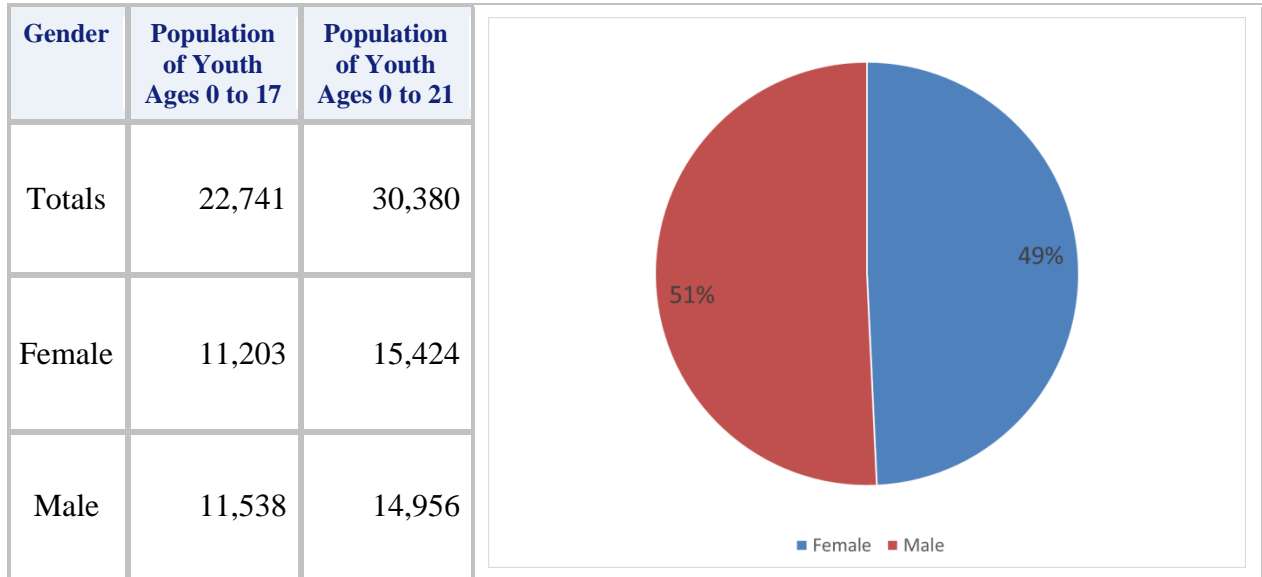
Wicomico

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[25].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	30,380
0 to 4	6,225
5 to 11	8,779
12 to 15	5,030
16 to 17	2,707
18 to 20	7,639

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	22,741	30,380
Black	8,141	9,726
White	11,629	17,078
Hispanic	2,152	2,543
All Others	819	1,033

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NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	22,741	30,380
Female	11,203	15,424
Male	11,538	14,956

In Care on January 1st, Entries during State Fiscal Year and Exits during State Fiscal Year

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Wicomico.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Wicomico

Age Groups	Children	Alternative Response		Investigative Response		Indicated		Unsubstantiated		Ruled Out	
	(A)	(B) n	(B/A) %	(C) n	(C/A) %	(D) n	(D/C) %	(I) n	(I/C) %	(O) n	(O/C) %
Totals	722	326	45.15%	396	54.85%	127	32.07%	92	23.23%	177	44.70%
Ages 0 to 4	207	103	49.76%	104	50.24%	27	25.96%	23	22.12%	54	51.92%
Ages 5 to 11	324	153	47.22%	171	52.78%	52	30.41%	41	23.98%	78	45.61%
Ages 12 to 15	130	49	37.69%	81	62.31%	30	37.04%	21	25.93%	30	37.04%
Ages 16 to 18	60	20	33.33%	40	66.67%	18	45.00%	***	17.50%	***	37.50%
Age Invalid	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	722	326	45.15%	396	54.85%	127	32.07%	92	23.23%	177	44.70%
Female	417	171	41.01%	246	58.99%	86	34.96%	55	22.36%	105	42.68%
Male	303	153	50.50%	150	49.50%	41	27.33%	37	24.67%	72	48.00%
Other/Unknown	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	722	326	45.15%	396	54.85%	127	32.07%	92	23.23%	177	44.70%
Hispanic	22	10	45.45%	12	54.55%	***	25.00%	***	41.67%	***	33.33%
Black	299	151	50.50%	148	49.50%	52	35.14%	32	21.62%	64	43.24%
White	258	97	37.60%	161	62.40%	46	28.57%	45	27.95%	70	43.48%
All Others	***	***	16.67%	***	83.33%	***	80.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%
Unable to Determine	137	67	48.91%	70	51.09%	22	31.43%	10	14.29%	38	54.29%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Wicomico.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	100	241
Ages 0 to 4	.	72
Ages 5 to 11	.	89
Ages 12 to 15	.	60
Ages 16 to 17	.	17
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	100	241
Female	.	119
Male	.	122
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	100	241
Black	.	129
White	.	55
Hispanic	.	12
Unable to Determine	.	45

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Wicomico

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

Age Group	Children (A)	Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
		N (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)
Totals	19	***	10.52%	15	78.94%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 17	***	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender											
Totals	19	***	10.52%	15	78.94%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	0.00%
Female	10	***	0.00%	***	90.00%	***	0.00%	***	10.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	22.22%	***	66.66%	***	11.11%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	19	***	10.52%	15	78.94%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%	***	0.00%
Black	12	***	8.33%	***	75.00%	***	8.33%	***	8.33%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	16.66%	***	83.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Wicomico

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

		Exits by return type													
		Reunification		Adoption		Custody/ Guardianship Relative		Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative		Emancipation		Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation		Other	
Age Group	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
Totals	19	***	42.10%	***	15.78%	***	10.52%	***	10.52%	***	10.52%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	20.00%	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	60.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	20.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%
Gender															
Totals	19	***	42.10%	***	15.78%	***	10.52%	***	10.52%	***	10.52%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%
Female	14	***	35.71%	***	7.14%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	14.28%	***	7.14%	***	7.14%
Male	***	***	60.00%	***	40.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity															
Totals	19	***	42.10%	***	15.78%	***	10.52%	***	10.52%	***	10.52%	***	5.26%	***	5.26%
Hispanic	***	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	13	***	23.07%	***	23.07%	***	15.38%	***	15.38%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%	***	7.69%
White	***	***	75.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Wicomico

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	11	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Ages 16 to 18	***	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Gender									
Totals	11	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%
Female	***	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%	***	12.50%
Male	***	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	11	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%	***	18.18%
Hispanic	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Wicomico

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11																	
	Ages 12 to 15																	
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																		
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Wicomico

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
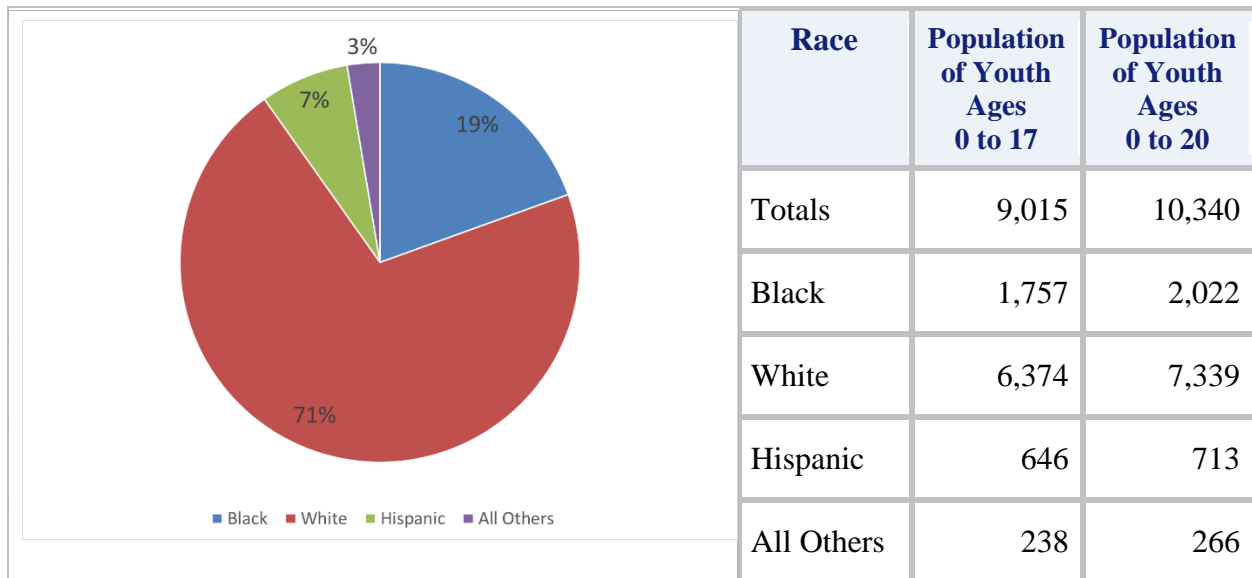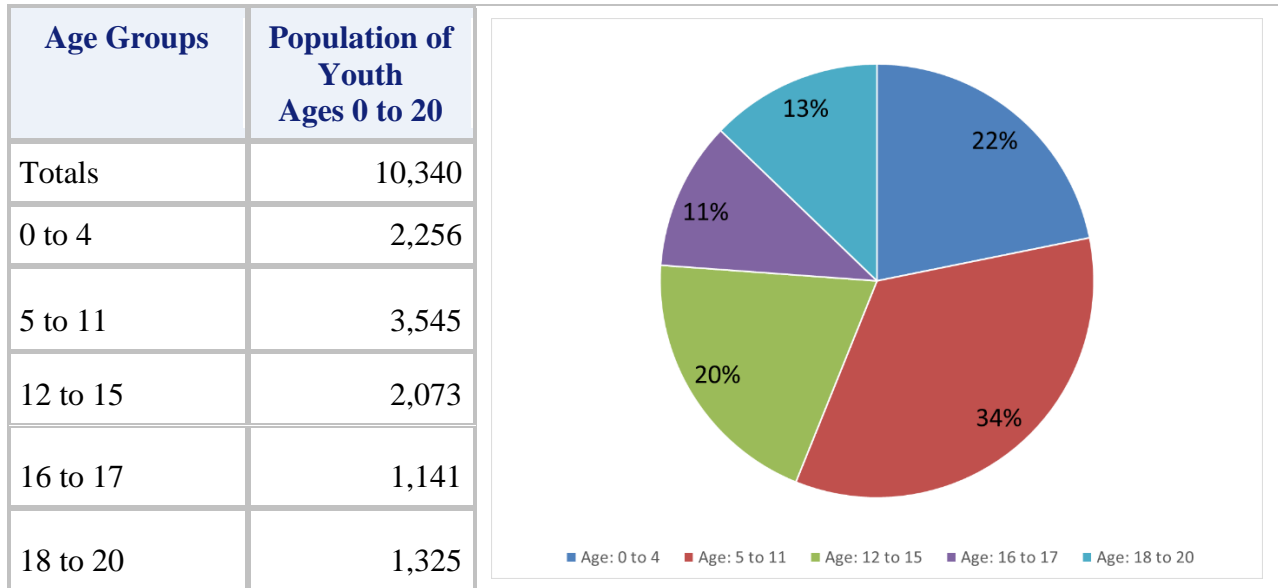**Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days**

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	23	3,526	15	4.25
Ages 0 to 4	***	890	2	2.25
Ages 5 to 11	***	1,062	1	0.94
Ages 12 to 15	***	272	4	14.71
Ages 16 to 18	***	1,302	8	6.14
Gender				
Totals	23	3,526	15	4.25
Female	13	2,139	7	3.27
Male	10	1,387	8	5.77
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	23	3,526	15	4.25
Black	15	2,452	11	4.49
White	***	762	2	2.62
Unable to determine	***	312	2	6.41

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Worcester

In order to briefly set the context for each jurisdiction census information is provided broken out by age, race and gender. The Bridged-Race Population Estimates Data Files provided free of charge by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were used throughout the report[26].

Age Groups	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	10,340
0 to 4	2,256
5 to 11	3,545
12 to 15	2,073
16 to 17	1,141
18 to 20	1,325

Age: 0 to 4   Age: 5 to 11   Age: 12 to 15   Age: 16 to 17   Age: 18 to 20

Black   White   Hispanic   All Others

Race	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 20
Totals	9,015	10,340
Black	1,757	2,022
White	6,374	7,339
Hispanic	646	713
All Others	238	266

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Gender	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 17	Population of Youth Ages 0 to 21
Totals	9,015	10,340
Female	4,390	5,035
Male	4,625	5,305
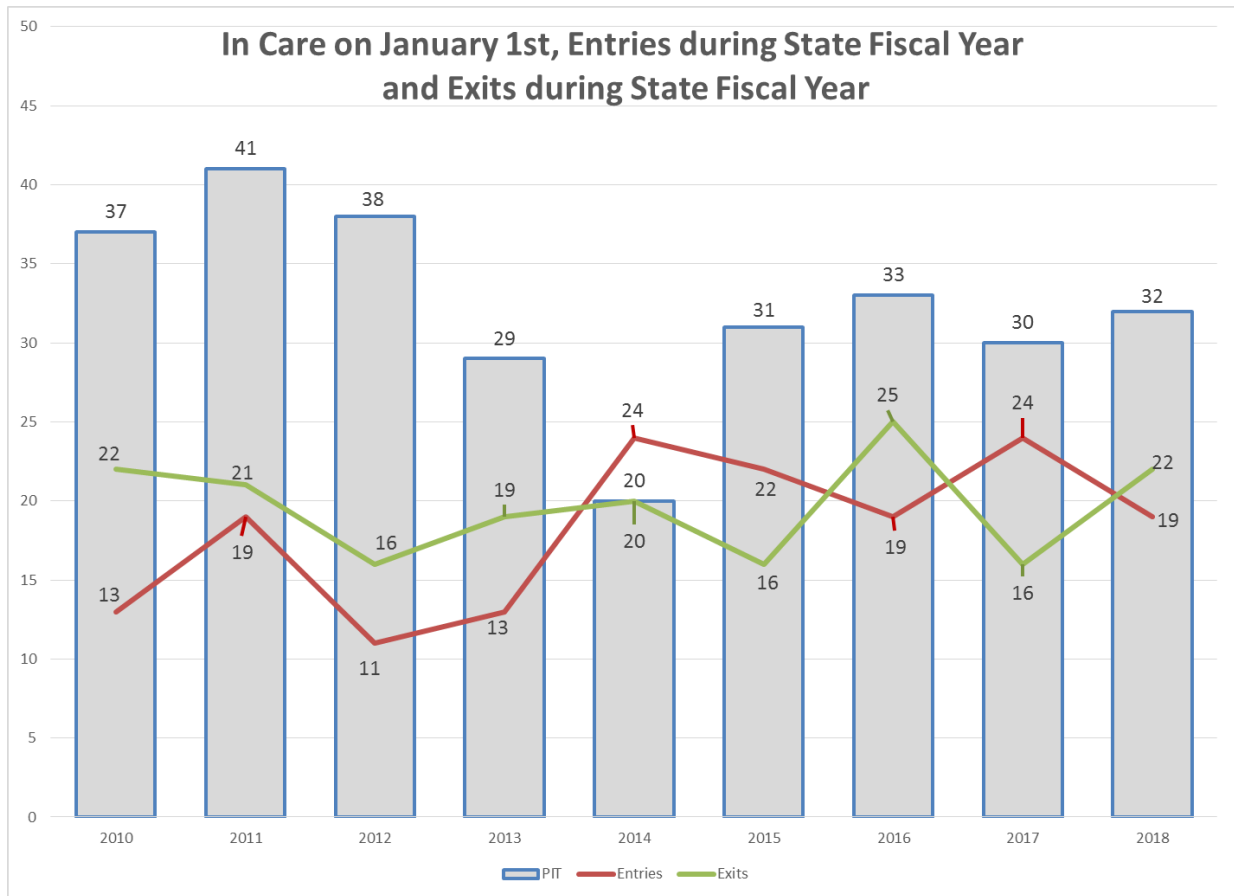
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Question 1: The number of child abuse and neglect reports, alternative responses, investigative responses, and findings for completed investigations in Worcester.

Examination of Investigative Response/Alternative Response for State Fiscal Year 2018 in Worcester

						Investigative Response					
	Children	**Alternative Response**		**Investigative Response**		**Indicated**		**Unsubstantiated**		**Ruled Out**	
Age Groups	**(A)**	**(B)** n	**(B/A)** %	**(C)** n	**(C/A)** %	**(D)** n	**(D/C)** %	**(I)** n	**(I/C)** %	**(O)** n	**(O/C)** %
Totals	395	178	45.06%	217	54.94%	104	47.93%	52	23.96%	61	28.11%
Ages 0 to 4	107	43	40.19%	64	59.81%	36	56.25%	***	14.06%	***	29.69%
Ages 5 to 11	168	76	45.24%	92	54.76%	40	43.48%	25	27.17%	27	29.35%
Ages 12 to 15	79	43	54.43%	36	45.57%	17	47.22%	***	30.56%	***	22.22%
Ages 16 to 18	41	16	39.02%	25	60.98%	11	44.00%	***	28.00%	***	28.00%
Gender											
Totals	395	178	45.06%	217	54.94%	104	47.93%	52	23.96%	61	28.11%
Female	207	89	43.00%	118	57.00%	61	51.69%	25	21.19%	32	27.12%
Male	188	89	47.34%	99	52.66%	43	43.43%	27	27.27%	29	29.29%
Race/Ethnicity											
Totals	395	178	45.06%	217	54.94%	104	47.93%	52	23.96%	61	28.11%
Hispanic	16	***	25.00%	***	75.00%	***	58.33%	***	33.33%	***	8.33%
Black	87	35	40.23%	52	59.77%	26	50.00%	14	26.92%	12	23.08%
White	247	118	47.77%	129	52.23%	61	47.29%	28	21.71%	40	31.01%
All Others	6	***	83.33%	***	16.67%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%
Unable to Determine	39	16	41.03%	23	58.97%	10	43.48%	***	26.09%	***	30.43%

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Question 2: The number of children and foster youth receiving In-Home services in Worcester.

This table contains the number of In-Home cases served during the fiscal year, and children included in the cases served.

All In-Home Services - State Fiscal Year 2018

	All In-Home Services State Fiscal Year 2018	
Age Group	**Cases**	**Children**
All Ages	87	191
Ages 0 to 4	.	72
Ages 5 to 11	.	70
Ages 12 to 15	.	29
Ages 16 to 17	.	18
Age Unknown	.	***
Gender		
Totals	87	191
Female	.	97
Male	.	94
Race/Ethnicity		
Totals	87	191
Black	.	78
White	.	92
Hispanic	.	***
Unable to Determine	.	17

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Question 3: The number of new out-of-home placements by placement type in Worcester

New out-of-home placements by placement type between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

			Removals by placement type									
			Community-Based Residential Placement		Family Home Settings		Hospitalization		Non-Community Based Residential Placement		Unknown	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**N** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)
	Totals	15	***	6.66%	12	80.00%	***	13.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	66.66%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 17	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender												
	Totals	15	***	6.66%	12	80.00%	***	13.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Female	***	***	16.66%	***	83.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	77.77%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity												
	Totals	15	***	6.66%	12	80.00%	***	13.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	White	10	***	10.00%	***	70.00%	***	20.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 4: The number of exits from the child welfare system by exit type in Worcester

Exits by return reason code between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018

| | | | Exits by return type | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Reunification | | Adoption | | Custody/ Guardianship Relative | | Custody/ Guardianship Non-Relative | | Emancipation | | Court ordered return home against DSS recommendation | | Other | |
Age Group		Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)	n (F)	% (F/A)	n (G)	% (G/A)	n (H)	% (H/A)
	Totals	22	***	9.09%	***	36.36%	***	22.72%	***	0.00%	***	13.63%	***	18.18%	***	0.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	16.66%	***	0.00%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	37.50%	***	25.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	37.50%	***	0.00%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	33.33%	***	66.66%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
	Over 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	100.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																
	Totals	22	***	9.09%	***	36.36%	***	22.72%	***	0.00%	***	13.63%	***	18.18%	***	0.00%
	Female	13	***	15.38%	***	38.46%	***	23.07%	***	0.00%	***	7.69%	***	15.38%	***	0.00%
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%	***	22.22%	***	22.22%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity																
	Totals	22	***	9.09%	***	36.36%	***	22.72%	***	0.00%	***	13.63%	***	18.18%	***	0.00%
	Black	***	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	50.00%	***	0.00%
	White	19	***	10.52%	***	31.57%	***	26.31%	***	0.00%	***	15.78%	***	15.78%	***	0.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	100.0%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

NOTE: Cells containing triple asterisk (***) indicate counts less than 10

Question 5: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 12 months after exit in Worcester

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 and the number of reentries within 12 months after exit

Age Group	Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months	
	Children (A)	n (B)	% (B/A)	n (C)	% (C/A)	n (D)	% (D/A)	n (E)	% (E/A)
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 0 to 4	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 5 to 11	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 12 to 15	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Ages 16 to 18									
Gender									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Female	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Male	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Race/Ethnicity									
Totals	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Black	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
White	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%

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Question 6: The number of exits to reunification and reentries within 24 months after exit in Worcester

Exits to reunification between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016
And the number of reentries up to 24 months after exit
By jurisdiction, age, gender and race

		Exits to reunification	Reentries within 3 months		Reentries within 6 months		Reentries within 9 months		Reentries within 12 months		Reentries within 15 months		Reentries within 18 months		Reentries within 21 months		Reentries within 24 months	
Age Group		**Children** (A)	**n** (B)	**%** (B/A)	**n** (C)	**%** (C/A)	**n** (D)	**%** (D/A)	**n** (E)	**%** (E/A)	**n** (F)	**%** (F/A)	**n** (G)	**%** (G/A)	**n** (H)	**%** (H/A)	**n** (I)	**%** (I/A)
	Totals	15	***	20.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%
	Ages 0 to 4	***	***	11.11%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%
	Ages 5 to 11	***	***	33.33%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%	***	66.66%
	Ages 12 to 15	***	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
	Ages 16 to 18	***	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%	***	0.00%
Gender																		
	Totals	15	***	20.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%
	Female	***	***	42.85%	***	57.14%	***	57.14%	***	57.14%	***	57.14%	***	57.14%	***	57.14%	***	57.14%
	Male	***	***	0.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
Race/Ethnicity																		
	Totals	15	***	20.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%	***	40.00%
	Black	***	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%	***	25.00%
	White	***	***	25.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%	***	50.00%
	Unable to determine	***	***	0.00%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%	***	33.33%

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Question 7: The stability of out-of-home placements, including the number of placement changes in Worcester

Stability of out-of-home placements for children entering care between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018
Included are the total number of days in out-of-home care, the number of placement moves and the number of placement moves per 1,000 days

	Number of Entries	Total number of days in care	Number of placement moves	Moves per 1,000 days
Age Group	**Children**	**B**	**C**	**C/B x 1000**
Totals	19	1,779	12	6.75
Ages 0 to 4	***	863	3	3.48
Ages 5 to 11	***	714	6	8.40
Ages 12 to 15	***	141	0	0.00
Ages 16 to 18	***	61	3	49.18
Gender				
Totals	19	1,779	12	6.75
Female	***	666	7	10.51
Male	11	1,113	5	4.49
Race/Ethnicity				
Totals	19	1,779	12	6.75
Black	***	518	6	11.58
White	13	1,258	6	4.77
Unable to determine	***	3	0	0.00

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Section 2: Questions requiring data sharing between agencies.

Questions that require data sharing between State agencies are the following:
(8)   The stability of school placements;
(9)   The number who graduate from high school;
(10) The number who qualify for a Maryland high school diploma by examination; and
(11) The number who receive tuition waivers.

Questions 8 and 9 require data from the Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE), question 10 requires data from the Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR), and question 11 requires data from the Maryland Higher Education Commission (MHEC).

For this fourth annual report, information pertaining to the stability of school placements and the number of high school graduates (Questions 8 and 9) have been provided by MSDE, and information pertaining to the number of youth who received educational waivers (Question 11) was provided by MHEC.

The data required for Question 10 (the number qualifying for a Maryland high school diploma by examination) are available for the first time this year and provided by DLLR.

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Question 8: The stability of school placements

Information about the stability of school placements has been made available through an agreement between DHS and MSDE. For the fourth year, DHS and MSDE have matched children in foster care with student education records, in order to gain accurate data about the education experiences for these children. The overall match rate is high, with 93% of foster children matching student records, based on a good matching process using first name, last name, middle name, date of birth, and gender (with a minimum standard of matching at least last name, first name, and date of birth). In the tables below, there is information about 2671 children who experienced foster care during the Academic Year 2018. Broken out by elementary, middle, and high school levels, the first table contains statewide information about the number of schools attended by foster children during the academic year. The second table contains jurisdiction level information about the foster children who experienced only one school setting during the academic year.

Number of Schools Attended during Academic Year 2018

Number of Schools Attended	Elementary School	Middle School	High School	Total
1 School	827	334	881	2,042
	74%	74%	80%	76%
2 Schools	226	88	193	507
	20%	20%	18%	19%
3 or more Schools	65	29	28	122
	6%	6%	3%	5%
Total	1,118	451	1,102	2,671

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Jurisdiction Breakdown for Foster Children Attending One School: AY2018

	Elementary School	%	Middle School	%	High School	%	Grand Total
Allegany	44	59%	16	22%	14	19%	74
Anne Arundel	12	22%	11	20%	31	57%	54
Baltimore City	328	43%	123	16%	320	42%	771
Baltimore County	90	35%	38	15%	131	51%	259
Calvert	10	38%	***	27%	***	35%	26
Caroline	***	40%	***	7%	***	53%	15
Carroll	20	57%	***	9%	12	34%	35
Cecil	32	49%	14	22%	19	29%	65
Charles	19	58%	***	9%	11	33%	33
Dorchester	***	13%	***	13%	12	75%	16
Frederick	11	41%	***	11%	13	48%	27
Garrett	19	51%	***	14%	13	35%	37
Harford	28	39%	***	13%	34	48%	71
Howard	11	42%	***	0%	15	58%	26
Kent	***	33%	***	0%	***	67%	***
Montgomery	83	45%	35	19%	65	36%	183
Prince George's	62	31%	36	18%	105	52%	203
Queen Anne's	***	25%	***	0%	***	75%	***
Somerset	***	33%	***	33%	***	33%	***
St. Mary's	18	55%	11	33%	***	12%	33
Talbot	***	57%	***	0%	***	43%	***
Washington	14	24%	12	21%	32	55%	58
Wicomico	***	28%	***	6%	12	67%	18
Worcester	***	27%	***	13%	***	60%	15
Total	827	40%	334	16%	881	43%	2,042

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Question 9: The number who graduate from high school

Information about high school graduation has been made available through an agreement between DHS and MSDE. For the fourth year, DHS and MSDE have matched children in foster care with student education records, in order to gain accurate data about the education experiences for these children. The Overall match rate is high, with 95% of foster children matching student records, based on a good matching process using first name, last name, middle name, date of birth, and gender (with a minimum standard of matching at least last name, first name, and date of birth). In the table below, there is information about 249 foster care children who were in 12th grade during Academic Year 2018.

High School Graduation among Foster Children in 12th Grade: AY 2018 (Not Including Summer High School Promotions)

Jurisdiction	Graduated	Percent Graduating	Did not Graduate	Transfer or Termination	Percent Not Graduating	Total
Allegany	***	50%	***	***	50%	***
Anne Arundel	2	33%	***	***	17%	***
Baltimore City	57	66%	19	10	12%	86
Baltimore County	21	46%	18	***	15%	46
Calvert	***	50%	***	***	50%	***
Caroline	***	100%	***	***	0%	***
Carroll	***	100%	***	***	0%	***
Cecil	***	100%	***	***	0%	***
Charles	***	43%	***	***	14%	***
Dorchester	***	0%	***	***	0%	***
Frederick	***	63%	***	***	25%	***
Harford	***	88%	***	***	0%	***
Howard	***	40%	***	***	60%	***
Montgomery	13	72%	***	***	6%	18
Prince George's	15	63%	***	***	8%	24
Queen Anne's	***	100%	***	***	0%	***
Somerset	***	100%	***	***	0%	***
St. Mary's	***	100%	***	***	0%	***
Talbot	***	0%	***	***	0%	***
Washington	***	100%	***	***	0%	***
Wicomico	***	75%	***	***	0%	***
Worcester	***	25%	***	***	0%	***
Total	156	63%	64	29	12%	249

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Question 10: The number who qualify for a Maryland high school diploma by examination

As this was the first year that data from DLLR was available, data from several state fiscal years are included. According to the Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR) there were 25 individuals qualified for Maryland high school diploma by examination during the 2018 state fiscal year (the latest information that is available). These individuals have been broken out by jurisdiction, gender, race/ethnicity and age in the tables below.

Jurisdiction	SFY Completed						Completed any of the GED tests
	2012	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	
Anne Arundel		1				1	1
Baltimore City		1	1	5	8	7	15
Baltimore County			1		2	2	3
Caroline			1				
Carroll		1				1	1
Cecil						4	
Charles			1				1
Dorchester						1	
Harford		1		1	1	5	
Montgomery		1		1	2		2
Prince George's	1	1				3	2
Somerset						1	
Washington			1		1		2
Total	**1**	**6**	**5**	**7**	**14**	**25**	**27**

Gender of examination takers

Jurisdiction	Count	%
Maryland	58	100%
Male	29	50%
Female	29	50%

Race and ethnicity of examination takers

Jurisdiction	Count	%
Maryland	58	100%
Black or African-American	39	67.2%
White	16	27.6%
Multiracial	***	1.7%
Unknown	***	1.7%

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Ages of examination takers

Jurisdiction	Count	%
Maryland	58	100%
Ages 17	17	29.3%
Ages 18	11	19.05
Ages 219	10	20.7%
Ages 20	20	34.5%

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Question 11: The number who receive tuition waivers

According to the Maryland Higher Education Committee (MHEC) there were 482 individuals who received the foster care tuition waiver in the 2016-2017 academic year (the latest information that is available). These individuals have been broken out by jurisdiction, gender, race/ethnicity and age groupings in the tables below.

Geographic areas of recipients

Jurisdiction	Count	%
Maryland	392	83.58%
Allegany County	4	0.90%
Anne Arundel County	12	2.30%
Baltimore City	121	25.80%
Baltimore County	93	19.80%
Calvert County	7	1.50%
Caroline County	1	0.20%
Carroll County	7	1.50%
Cecil County	1	0.20%
Charles County	6	1.30%
Frederick County	7	1.50%
Harford County	14	3.00%
Howard County	15	3.20%
Montgomery County	49	10.40%
Prince George's County	28	6.00%
Queen Anne's	1	0.20%
Saint Mary's County	6	1.30%
Washington County	18	3.80%
Wicomico County	2	0.40%
California	1	0.20%
Florida	1	0.20%
Pennsylvania	2	0.40%
Virginia	1	0.20%
Washington, D.C.	1	0.20%
Wisconsin	1	0.20%
No Geographic Information	70	14.90%

Gender of recipients

Jurisdiction	Count	%
Maryland	482	100.0%
Male	157	32.6%
Female	325	67.4%

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Race and ethnicity of recipients Foster Care Waiver Recipient

Jurisdiction	Count	%
Maryland	482	100.0%
Hispanic (of any race)	40	8.3%
Black or African-American	212	44.0%
White	178	36.9%
American Indian/Alaska Native	***	0%
Asian	25	5.2%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	***	0%
Multiracial	13	2.7%
International	***	1.0%
Unknown	***	1.9%

Ages by age band

To better understand the age distribution, the recipients were grouped into bands.

Jurisdiction	Count	%
Maryland	413	100%
Ages 17 to 19	77	18.6%
Ages 20 to 22	248	51.5%
Ages 23 to 24	75	15.6%
Ages 25 to 26	***	1.7%
Ages 27 and up	***	1.0%
Missing data	69	14.3%

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