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Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

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	For December 2014						
Location	County Name	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard		
Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%		
1	All	3000	7	99.77%	99.68%		
	Lake	3000	7	99.77%	99.68%		

Region 1 For December 2013 to December 2014						
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard		
December 2014	3000	7	99.77%	99.68%		
November 2014	3005	8	99.73%	99.68%		
October 2014	3041	8	99.74%	99.68%		
September 2014	2913	10	99.66%	99.68%		
August 2014	2893	8	99.72%	99.68%		
July 2014	2898	6	99.79%	99.68%		
June 2014	2829	6	99.79%	99.68%		
May 2014	2820	6	99.79%	99.68%		
April 2014	2799	6	99.79%	99.68%		
March 2014	2800	6	99.79%	99.68%		
February 2014	2797	6	99.79%	99.68%		
January 2014	2768	8	99.71%	99.68%		
December 2013	2721	11	99.60%	99.68%		





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%		
	2 All	747	2	99.73%	99.68%		
	Laporte	268	0	100.00%	99.68%		
	Newton	52	0	100.00%	99.68%		
	Pulaski	27	0	100.00%	99.68%		
	Jasper	72	1	98.61%	99.68%		
	Starke	95	0	100.00%	99.68%		
	Porter	233	1	99.57%	99.68%		

Region 2 For December 2013 to December 2014						
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard		
December 2014	747	2	99.73%	99.68%		
November 2014	735	2	99.73%	99.68%		
October 2014	750	2	99.73%	99.68%		
September 2014	731	2	99.73%	99.68%		
August 2014	734	2	99.73%	99.68%		
July 2014	725	2	99.72%	99.68%		
June 2014	695	0	100.00%	99.68%		
May 2014	682	0	100.00%	99.68%		
April 2014	675	0	100.00%	99.68%		
March 2014	652	0	100.00%	99.68%		
February 2014	628	0	100.00%	99.68%		
January 2014	614	0	100.00%	99.68%		
December 2013	608	0	100.00%	99.68%		





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%		
3	All	1673	3	99.82%	99.68%		
	Marshall	126	1	99.21%	99.68%		
	Saint Joseph	1049	2	99.81%	99.68%		
	Kosciusko	115	0	100.00%	99.68%		
	Elkhart	383	0	100 00%	99.68%		

Region 3 For December 2013 to December 2014						
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard		
December 2014	1673	3	99.82%	99.68%		
November 2014	1655	4	99.76%	99.68%		
October 2014	1662	4	99.76%	99.68%		
September 2014	1618	4	99.75%	99.68%		
August 2014	1604	6	99.63%	99.68%		
July 2014	1578	5	99.68%	99.68%		
June 2014	1590	5	99.69%	99.68%		
May 2014	1582	5	99.68%	99.68%		
April 2014	1586	7	99.56%	99.68%		
March 2014	1595	7	99.56%	99.68%		
February 2014	1582	5	99.68%	99.68%		
January 2014	1556	5	99.68%	99.68%		
December 2013	1587	5	99.68%	99.68%		





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Statewide		All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
4	4	All	2577	2	99.92%	99.68%	
		Huntington	135	0	100.00%	99.68%	
		Allen	1567	1	99.94%	99.68%	
		Dekalb	217	0	100.00%	99.68%	
		Noble	138	0	100.00%	99.68%	
		Wells	170	1	99.41%	99.68%	
	ı	Adams	99	0	100.00%	99.68%	
		Steuben	105	0	100.00%	99.68%	
		Whitley	56	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	ı	LaGrange	90	0	100.00%	99.68%	

Region 4 For December 2013 to December 2014						
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard		
December 2014	2577	2	99.92%	99.68%		
November 2014	2562	2	99.92%	99.68%		
October 2014	2532	3	99.88%	99.68%		
September 2014	2443	2	99.92%	99.68%		
August 2014	2316	3	99.87%	99.68%		
July 2014	2249	4	99.82%	99.68%		
June 2014	2231	6	99.73%	99.68%		
May 2014	2213	6	99.73%	99.68%		
April 2014	2130	6	99.72%	99.68%		
March 2014	2106	5	99.76%	99.68%		
February 2014	2065	5	99.76%	99.68%		
January 2014	1999	5	99.75%	99.68%		
December 2013	1983	5	99.75%	99.68%		





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Location	County Name	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%
:	5 All	831	1	99.88%	99.68%
	Benton	23	0	100.00%	99.68%
	Clinton	69	0	100.00%	99.68%
	Tippecanoe	469	0	100.00%	99.68%
	White	108	1	99.07%	99.68%
	Carroll	76	0	100.00%	99.68%
	Fountain	76	0	100.00%	99.68%
	Warren	10	0	100.00%	99.68%

Region 5 For December 2013 to December 2014						
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard		
December 2014	831	1	99.88%	99.68%		
November 2014	826	1	99.88%	99.68%		
October 2014	828	1	99.88%	99.68%		
September 2014	811	1	99.88%	99.68%		
August 2014	795	0	100.00%	99.68%		
July 2014	784	0	100.00%	99.68%		
June 2014	784	0	100.00%	99.68%		
May 2014	755	0	100.00%	99.68%		
April 2014	742	0	100.00%	99.68%		
March 2014	706	0	100.00%	99.68%		
February 2014	683	0	100.00%	99.68%		
January 2014	674	0	100.00%	99.68%		
December 2013	672	0	100.00%	99.68%		





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
6	All	958	4	99.58%	99.68%	
	Wabash	179	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Miami	180	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Cass	136	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Fulton	151	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Howard	312	4	98.72%	99.68%	

Region 6 For December 2013 to December 2014					
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December 2014	958	4	99.58%	99.68%	
November 2014	945	4	99.58%	99.68%	
October 2014	960	4	99.58%	99.68%	
September 2014	960	3	99.69%	99.68%	
August 2014	942	3	99.68%	99.68%	
July 2014	932	3	99.68%	99.68%	
June 2014	932	4	99.57%	99.68%	
May 2014	925	3	99.68%	99.68%	
April 2014	925	3	99.68%	99.68%	
March 2014	925	2	99.78%	99.68%	
February 2014	906	2	99.78%	99.68%	
January 2014	891	2	99.78%	99.68%	
December 2013	895	2	99.78%	99.68%	





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
7	All	852	1	99.88%	99.68%	
	Delaware	413	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Blackford	42	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Randolph	81	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Grant	243	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Jay	73	1	98.63%	99.68%	

Region 7 For December 2013 to December 2014					
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December 2014	852	1	99.88%	99.68%	
November 2014	859	1	99.88%	99.68%	
October 2014	849	1	99.88%	99.68%	
September 2014	845	2	99.76%	99.68%	
August 2014	830	3	99.64%	99.68%	
July 2014	824	2	99.76%	99.68%	
June 2014	804	2	99.75%	99.68%	
May 2014	789	2	99.75%	99.68%	
April 2014	788	2	99.75%	99.68%	
March 2014	769	2	99.74%	99.68%	
February 2014	756	1	99.87%	99.68%	
January 2014	746	1	99.87%	99.68%	
December 2013	752	1	99.87%	99.68%	





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
8	All	881	2	99.77%	99.68%	
	Parke	18	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Vermillion	78	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Vigo	675	2	99.70%	99.68%	
	Clay	54	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Sullivan	56	0	100.00%	99.68%	

Region	Region 8 For December 2013 to December 2014					
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard		
December 2014	881	2	99.77%	99.68%		
November 2014	822	2	99.76%	99.68%		
October 2014	806	2	99.75%	99.68%		
September 2014	789	3	99.62%	99.68%		
August 2014	779	4	99.49%	99.68%		
July 2014	761	4	99.47%	99.68%		
June 2014	746	4	99.46%	99.68%		
May 2014	730	4	99.45%	99.68%		
April 2014	718	2	99.72%	99.68%		
March 2014	697	6	99.14%	99.68%		
February 2014	676	6	99.11%	99.68%		
January 2014	670	8	98.81%	99.68%		
December 2013	649	8	98.77%	99.68%		





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
9	All	639	1	99.84%	99.68%	
	Hendricks	111	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Montgomery	159	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Boone	80	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Morgan	155	1	99.35%	99.68%	
	Putnam	134	0	100.00%	99.68%	

Region 9 For December 2013 to December 2014					
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December 2014	639	1	99.84%	99.68%	
November 2014	643	2	99.69%	99.68%	
October 2014	650	2	99.69%	99.68%	
September 2014	640	1	99.84%	99.68%	
August 2014	609	1	99.84%	99.68%	
July 2014	605	1	99.83%	99.68%	
June 2014	579	1	99.83%	99.68%	
May 2014	556	1	99.82%	99.68%	
April 2014	518	1	99.81%	99.68%	
March 2014	519	1	99.81%	99.68%	
February 2014	507	1	99.80%	99.68%	
January 2014	499	1	99.80%	99.68%	
December 2013	486	0	100.00%	99.68%	





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
10	All	5622	28	99.50%	99.68%	
	Marion	5622	28	99.50%	99.68%	

Region	10 For Dece	mber 2013 to	December 2	014
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
December 2014	5622	28	99.50%	99.68%
November 2014	5482	29	99.47%	99.68%
October 2014	5355	26	99.51%	99.68%
September 2014	5177	23	99.56%	99.68%
August 2014	5014	24	99.52%	99.68%
July 2014	4928	23	99.53%	99.68%
June 2014	4833	28	99.42%	99.68%
May 2014	4770	17	99.64%	99.68%
April 2014	4725	17	99.64%	99.68%
March 2014	4603	21	99.54%	99.68%
February 2014	4437	17	99.62%	99.68%
January 2014	4434	16	99.64%	99.68%
December 2013	4413	11	99.75%	99.68%





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
	11 All	1085	4	99.63%	99.68%	
	Hancock	100	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Madison	726	4	99.45%	99.68%	
	Hamilton	208	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Tipton	51	0	100.00%	99.68%	

Region 11 For December 2013 to December 2014					
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard	
December 2014	1085	4	99.63%	99.68%	
November 2014	1060	4	99.62%	99.68%	
October 2014	1062	3	99.72%	99.68%	
September 2014	1033	3	99.71%	99.68%	
August 2014	978	0	100.00%	99.68%	
July 2014	961	0	100.00%	99.68%	
June 2014	911	0	100.00%	99.68%	
May 2014	909	0	100.00%	99.68%	
April 2014	889	0	100.00%	99.68%	
March 2014	889	0	100.00%	99.68%	
February 2014	866	0	100.00%	99.68%	
January 2014	847	0	100.00%	99.68%	
December 2013	845	0	100.00%	99.68%	





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
12	All	571	3	99.47%	99.68%	
	Franklin	28	1	96.43%	99.68%	
	Henry	195	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Fayette	125	2	98.40%	99.68%	
	Rush	48	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Union	23	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Wayne	152	0	100.00%	99.68%	

Region 12 For December 2013 to December 2014						
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard		
December 2014	571	3	99.47%	99.68%		
November 2014	571	3	99.47%	99.68%		
October 2014	550	3	99.45%	99.68%		
September 2014	528	2	99.62%	99.68%		
August 2014	502	2	99.60%	99.68%		
July 2014	487	0	100.00%	99.68%		
June 2014	488	0	100.00%	99.68%		
May 2014	502	0	100.00%	99.68%		
April 2014	492	0	100.00%	99.68%		
March 2014	480	0	100.00%	99.68%		
February 2014	479	0	100.00%	99.68%		
January 2014	470	0	100.00%	99.68%		
December 2013	479	0	100.00%	99.68%		





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
13	All	812	3	99.63%	99.68%	
	Brown	40	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Owen	147	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Greene	120	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Lawrence	152	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Monroe	353	3	99.15%	99.68%	

Region 13 For December 2013 to December 2014				
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
December 2014	812	3	99.63%	99.68%
November 2014	807	2	99.75%	99.68%
October 2014	779	2	99.74%	99.68%
September 2014	747	1	99.87%	99.68%
August 2014	696	0	100.00%	99.68%
July 2014	652	0	100.00%	99.68%
June 2014	632	0	100.00%	99.68%
May 2014	611	0	100.00%	99.68%
April 2014	573	4	99.30%	99.68%
March 2014	563	4	99.29%	99.68%
February 2014	579	4	99.31%	99.68%
January 2014	567	4	99.29%	99.68%
December 2013	580	4	99.31%	99.68%



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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
14	All	1346	7	99.48%	99.68%	
	Jennings	353	1	99.72%	99.68%	
	Bartholomew	341	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Johnson	272	1	99.63%	99.68%	
	Jackson	264	5	98.11%	99.68%	

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Region 14 For December 2013 to December 2014					
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard	
December 2014	1346	7	99.48%	99.68%	
November 2014	1337	9	99.33%	99.68%	
October 2014	1353	8	99.41%	99.68%	
September 2014	1328	8	99.40%	99.68%	
August 2014	1273	6	99.53%	99.68%	
July 2014	1274	3	99.76%	99.68%	
June 2014	1256	4	99.68%	99.68%	
May 2014	1248	4	99.68%	99.68%	
April 2014	1216	7	99.42%	99.68%	
March 2014	1173	7	99.40%	99.68%	
February 2014	1165	6	99.48%	99.68%	
January 2014	1147	7	99.39%	99.68%	
December 2013	1166	7	99.40%	99.68%	





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
15	All	513	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Dearborn	153	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Decatur	118	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Jefferson	125	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Ohio	16	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Switzerland	26	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Ripley	75	0	100.00%	99.68%	

Region 15 For December 2013 to December 2014					
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard	
December 2014	513	0	100.00%	99.68%	
November 2014	502	0	100.00%	99.68%	
October 2014	495	0	100.00%	99.68%	
September 2014	474	0	100.00%	99.68%	
August 2014	447	0	100.00%	99.68%	
July 2014	436	0	100.00%	99.68%	
June 2014	425	0	100.00%	99.68%	
May 2014	435	0	100.00%	99.68%	
April 2014	439	0	100.00%	99.68%	
March 2014	442	1	99.77%	99.68%	
February 2014	426	3	99.30%	99.68%	
January 2014	413	1	99.76%	99.68%	
December 2013	405	1	99.75%	99.68%	





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
16	All	2162	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Knox	237	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Posey	122	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Gibson	182	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Pike	62	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Vanderburgh	1406	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Warrick	153	0	100.00%	99.68%	

Region 16 For December 2013 to December 2014					
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard	
December 2014	2162	0	100.00%	99.68%	
November 2014	2132	0	100.00%	99.68%	
October 2014	2136	0	100.00%	99.68%	
September 2014	2098	0	100.00%	99.68%	
August 2014	1987	0	100.00%	99.68%	
July 2014	1876	0	100.00%	99.68%	
June 2014	1840	1	99.95%	99.68%	
May 2014	1817	1	99.94%	99.68%	
April 2014	1772	1	99.94%	99.68%	
March 2014	1730	1	99.94%	99.68%	
February 2014	1718	1	99.94%	99.68%	
January 2014	1704	1	99.94%	99.68%	
December 2013	1714	1	99.94%	99.68%	





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Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
17	All	658	1	99.85%	99.68%	
	Crawford	87	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Martin	67	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Orange	98	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Spencer	88	1	98.86%	99.68%	
	Dubois	107	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Daviess	131	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Perrv	80	0	100.00%	99.68%	

Region 17 For December 2013 to December 2014					
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard	
December 2014	658	1	99.85%	99.68%	
November 2014	642	0	100.00%	99.68%	
October 2014	612	0	100.00%	99.68%	
September 2014	594	0	100.00%	99.68%	
August 2014	582	0	100.00%	99.68%	
July 2014	571	0	100.00%	99.68%	
June 2014	562	0	100.00%	99.68%	
May 2014	552	0	100.00%	99.68%	
April 2014	513	0	100.00%	99.68%	
March 2014	505	0	100.00%	99.68%	
February 2014	493	0	100.00%	99.68%	
January 2014	501	0	100.00%	99.68%	
December 2013	505	0	100.00%	99.68%	





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Location	County Name	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard	
Statewide	All	26145	73	99.72%	99.68%	
18	All	1156	4	99.65%	99.68%	
	Clark	372	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Harrison	104	2	98.08%	99.68%	
	Scott	388	2	99.48%	99.68%	
	Floyd	236	0	100.00%	99.68%	
	Washington	56	0	100.00%	99.68%	

Region	Region 18 For December 2013 to December 2014				
Report Date	Children in Foster care from December 2013 to December 2014	Substantiated Victims in Foster care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard	
December 2014	1156	4	99.65%	99.68%	
November 2014	1168	4	99.66%	99.68%	
October 2014	1185	2	99.83%	99.68%	
September 2014	1172	2	99.83%	99.68%	
August 2014	1111	2	99.82%	99.68%	
July 2014	1126	2	99.82%	99.68%	
June 2014	1117	2	99.82%	99.68%	
May 2014	1118	1	99.91%	99.68%	
April 2014	1085	1	99.91%	99.68%	
March 2014	1070	0	100.00%	99.68%	
February 2014	1065	0	100.00%	99.68%	
January 2014	1067	0	100.00%	99.68%	
December 2013	1059	0	100.00%	99.68%	





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Report Description

This is a description of the key elements used in this report.

Time Period – The time period used in this report is the 12 months prior to the month of the report.

Assessments during the time period – The assessment used in this report are assessment with BOTH report date AND approval date during the time period (12 months prior to the month of the report).

Victim of maltreatment in Foster Care – The children used in this report were identified as having at least one substantiated allegation of abuse or neglect on an assessment during the time period where the perpetrator is a foster parent or institutional staff.

Children in Foster Care during the time period – All CHINS children with an open removal episode at any time during the 12 months prior to the month of the report. Also included are Probation children (who are IV-E eligible) with an open removal episode at any time during the 12 months prior to the month of the report.

Percent of absence of maltreatment – This calculation uses the terms defined above. The numerator is the number of children in foster care minus the number of victims of maltreatment in foster care. The denominator is the number of children in foster care.

(Children in Foster Care – Victims of maltreatment in Foster Care) Children in Foster Care