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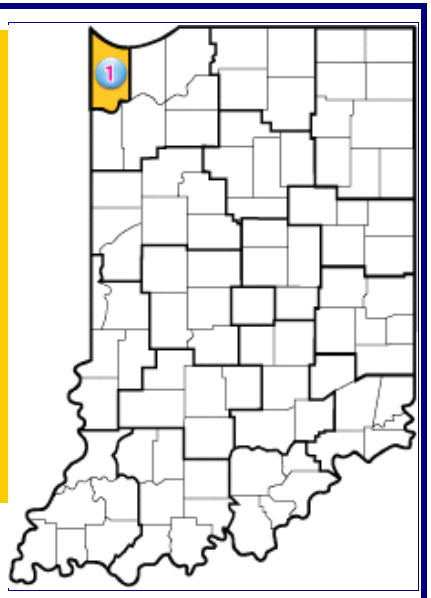

Region 01

September 2011

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DCS Practice Indicator Report
Initial Assessment - Use of Substitute Care

For September 2011

Report Description

This report uses data collected over a rolling three month period ending with the current report month. The graphs and numbers for historical months also use a rolling three month period ending with the historical month listed.

Reports Taken – This section has data regarding the reports taken during the three month period ending with the report month.

Count – This is the total number of reports of abuse or neglect that are entered into ICWIS during the period ending with the report month.

Percent Resulting in Screen Outs – This is the percentage of reports that are screened out divided by the total reports taken during the period ending with the report month.

Assessments Substantiated – This section has data regarding the number of assessments with substantiated findings of abuse and/or neglect during the three month period ending with the report month.

Count – This is the total number of assessments with substantiated findings of abuse and/or neglect during the period ending with the report month.

Percent Resulting in Removal – This is the percentage of substantiated assessments during the period that resulted in removal of the child from the home by the end of the report month divided by the total number of substantiated assessments during the period ending with the report month.

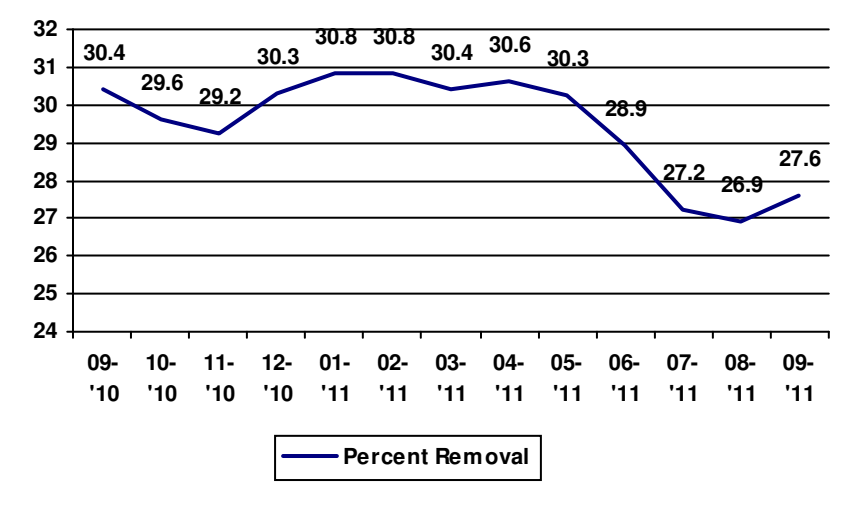
DCS Practice Indicator Report
Initial Assessment - Use of Substitute Care

For September 2011

September 2011

Location	Reports Taken For Jul 2011 to Sep 2011		Assessments Substantiated For Jul 2011 to Sep 2011	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
Statewide	38,151	37.4%	5,872	27.6%
Region 1	1,815	36.36%	291	46.05%
Lake	1,815	36.4%	291	46.0%

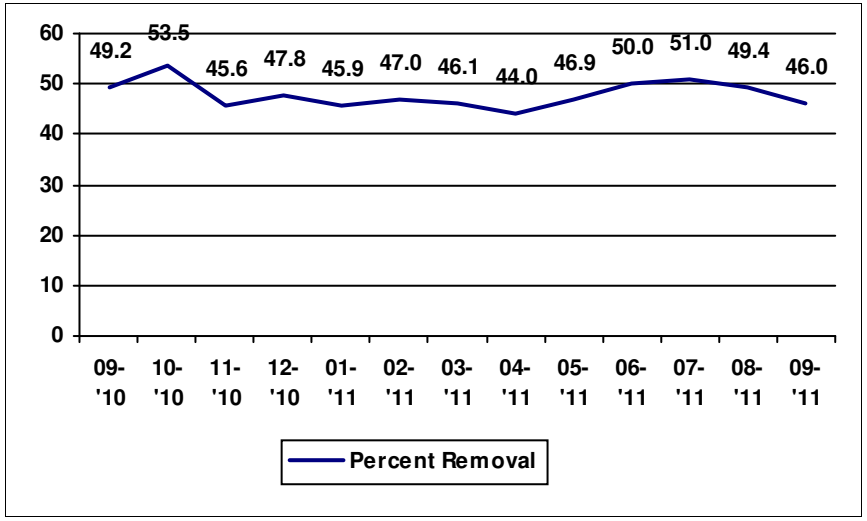
Statewide Percent Removal Trend



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Month	Reports Taken For Jul 2011 to Sep 2011		Assessments Substantiated For Jul 2011 to Sep 2011	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
Sep 2011	1,815	36.4%	291	46.0%
Aug 2011	1,901	32.9%	334	49.4%
Jul 2011	2,080	31.7%	386	51.0%
Jun 2011	2,160	32.9%	452	50.0%
May 2011	2,303	34.1%	458	46.9%
Apr 2011	2,154	35.1%	450	44.0%
Mar 2011	2,164	32.4%	375	46.1%
Feb 2011	1,949	30.7%	336	47.0%
Jan 2011	1,974	29.3%	377	45.9%
Dec 2010	2,004	31.2%	391	47.8%
Nov 2010	2,118	32.7%	397	45.6%
Oct 2010	1,968	30.2%	383	53.5%
Sep 2010	1,770	26.7%	378	49.2%

Region 1 Percent Removal



DCS Practice Indicator Report
CHINS Placements by County

For September 2011

Report Description

This report uses data collected at the end of the current report month. The graphs and numbers for historical months also use data from the end of the historical month listed. This report looks at CHINS children from CHINS cases that were open on the last day of the report month. It also collects where that child is located (in their own home or in substitute care). For the purpose of this report, a child with a non-custodial parent is considered "in home".

Total CHINS Count – This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the report month.

CHINS – This section has data regarding all children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month.

In Home – This section has data regarding children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home.

Count- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home.

Percent- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home divided by the total number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month.

Foster Care – This section has data regarding children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in out of home placement.

Count- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in out of home placement.

Percent- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in out of home placement divided by the total number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month.

Out of Home Placements – This section has data for children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in out of home placement.

Relative Homes – This section has data for children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are placed with relatives.

Count- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are placed with relatives.

Percent- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are placed with relatives divided by the total number of CHINS children in out of home placement at the end of the month.

Foster Homes – This section has data for children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are placed in foster homes.

Count- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are placed in foster homes.

Percent- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are placed in foster homes divided by the total number of CHINS children in out of home placement at the end of the month.

Residential – This section has data for children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are placed in residential setting.

Count- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are placed in residential setting.

Percent- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are placed in residential setting divided by the total number of CHINS children in out of home placement at the end of the month.

Other – This section has data for children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in other placement settings. Example would be a court ordered unlicensed placement.

Count- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in other placement settings.

Percent- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in other placement settings divided by the total number of CHINS children in out of home placement at the end of the month.

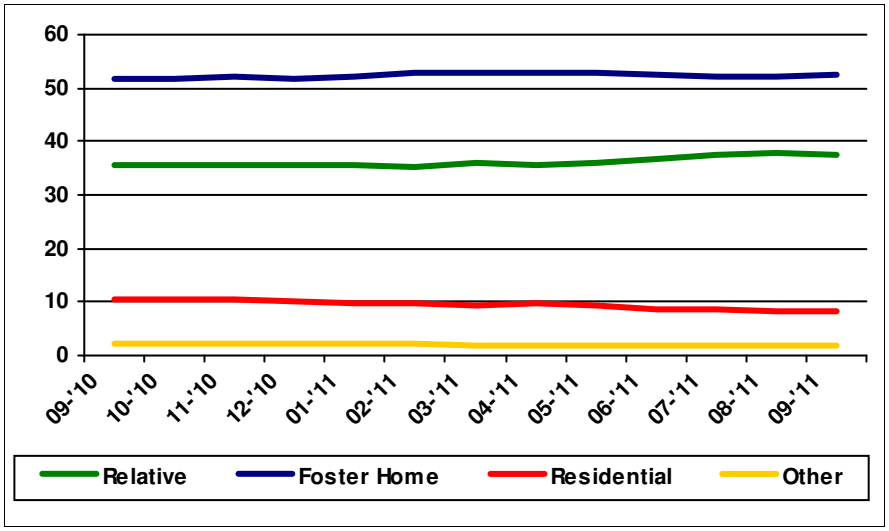
DCS Practice Indicator Report
CHINS Placements by County

For September 2011

September 2011

Location	Total CHINS	CHINS				Out of Home Placements							
		In Home		Foster Care		Relative Home		Foster Homes		Residential		Other	
	Count	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Statewide	13179	4059	30.8	9,120	69.2	3417	37.5	4789	52.5	742	8.1	172	1.9
Region 1	2143	608	28.4	1535	71.6	419	27.3	926	60.3	162	10.6	28	1.8
Lake	2143	608	28.4	1535	71.6	419	27.3	926	60.3	162	10.6	28	1.8

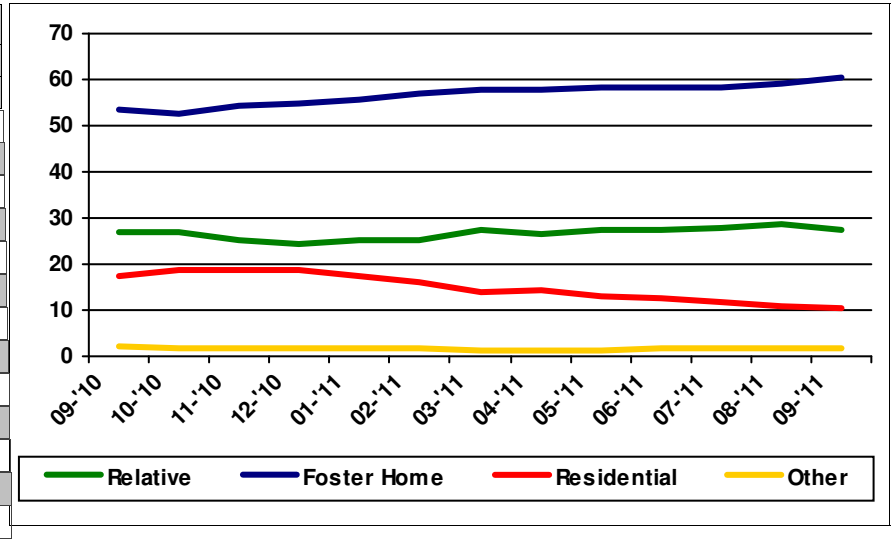
Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Month	Total CHINS	CHINS				Out of Home Placements							
		In Home		Foster Care		Relative Home		Foster Homes		Residential		Other	
	Count	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Sep 2011	2143	608	28.4	1535	71.6	419	27.3	926	60.3	162	10.6	28	1.8
Aug 2011	2170	621	28.6	1549	71.4	443	28.6	914	59.0	168	10.8	24	1.5
Jul 2011	2206	640	29.0	1566	71.0	439	28.0	911	58.2	187	11.9	29	1.9
Jun 2011	2174	592	27.2	1582	72.8	434	27.4	919	58.1	199	12.6	30	1.9
May 2011	2125	547	25.7	1578	74.3	430	27.2	920	58.3	207	13.1	21	1.3
Apr 2011	2117	549	25.9	1568	74.1	419	26.7	908	57.9	222	14.2	19	1.2
Mar 2011	2099	587	28.0	1512	72.0	412	27.2	873	57.7	208	13.8	19	1.3
Feb 2011	2094	564	26.9	1530	73.1	389	25.4	871	56.9	246	16.1	24	1.6
Jan 2011	2095	572	27.3	1523	72.7	387	25.4	849	55.7	262	17.2	25	1.6
Dec 2010	2110	581	27.5	1529	72.5	372	24.3	840	54.9	288	18.8	29	1.9
Nov 2010	2142	591	27.6	1551	72.4	389	25.1	844	54.4	293	18.9	25	1.6
Oct 2010	2161	596	27.6	1565	72.4	420	26.8	825	52.7	294	18.8	26	1.7
Sep 2010	2125	560	26.4	1565	73.6	421	26.9	837	53.5	275	17.6	32	2.0

Region 1 Foster Care Placement Breakdown



DCS Practice Indicator Report
Safely Home Families First by County

September 2011

Report Description

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IA Count – This is the number of children that have an open Informal Adjustment case on the last day of the report month.

Total CHINS Count – This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the report month.

IA and In Home – This section has data regarding children that have an open IA case or CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home.

Count- This is the number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home.

Percent- This is the number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home divided by the total number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month.

IA, In Home or Relative Care – This section has data regarding children that have an open IA case or CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home or in relative care.

Count- This is the number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home or in relative care.

Percent- This is the number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home or in relative care divided by the total number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month.

Target (At or Above) % – The target for the percent of the number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month and are in their own home or in relative care to the total number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month is 50% or higher.

Non Relative Foster Care – This section has data for children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are not in their own home or in relative care.

Count- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are not in their own home or in relative care.

Percent- This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are not in their own home or in relative care divided by the total number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month.

Target (At or below) % – The target for the percent of the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the month and are not in their own home or in relative care to the total number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the month is 50% or higher.

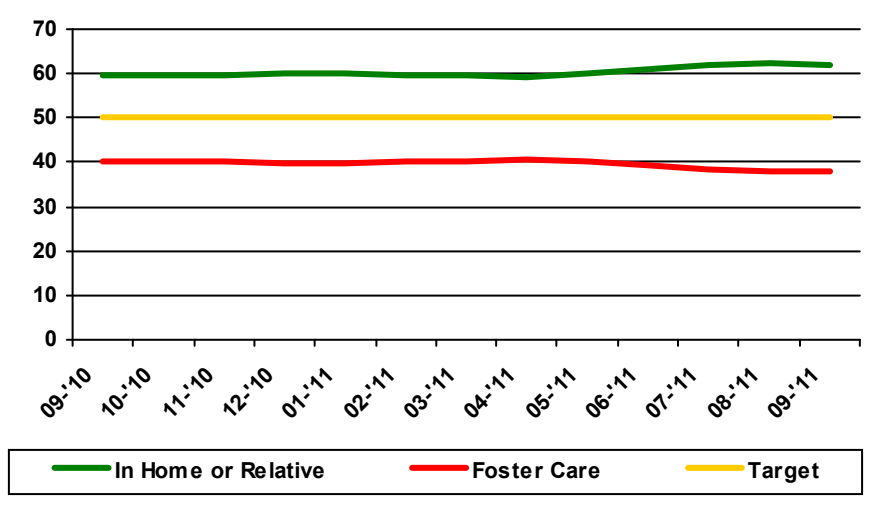
DCS Practice Indicator Report
Safely Home Families First by County

For September 2011

September 2011

Location	IA	Total CHINS	IA and In Home CHINS		IA, In Home CHINS, and Relative Care		Target (At or Above)	Non-Relative Foster Care		Target (At or Below)
	Count	Count	Count	%	Count	%	%	Count	%	%
Statewide	1807	13179	5866	39.1%	9283	61.9%	50%	5,703	38.1%	50%
Region 1	93	2143	701	31.4%	1120	50.1%	50%	1116	49.9%	50%
Lake	93	2143	701	31.4%	1120	50.1%	50%	1116	49.9%	50%

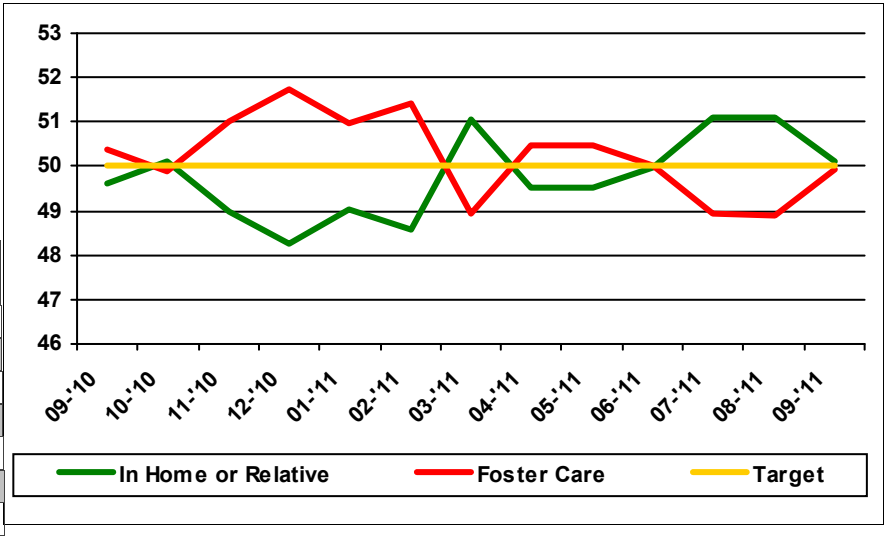
Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Location	IA	Total CHINS	IA and In Home CHINS		IA, In Home CHINS, and Relative Care		Target (At or Above)	Non-Relative Foster Care		Target (At or Below)
	Count	Count	Count	%	Count	%	%	Count	%	%
September 201	93	2143	701	31.4%	1120	50.1%	50%	1116	49.9%	50%
August 2011	92	2170	713	31.5%	1156	51.1%	50%	1106	48.9%	50%
July 2011	98	2206	738	32.0%	1177	51.1%	50%	1127	48.9%	50%
June 2011	121	2174	713	31.1%	1147	50.0%	50%	1148	50.0%	50%
May 2011	150	2125	697	30.6%	1127	49.5%	50%	1148	50.5%	50%
April 2011	159	2117	708	31.1%	1127	49.5%	50%	1149	50.5%	50%
March 2011	149	2099	736	32.7%	1148	51.1%	50%	1100	48.9%	50%
February 2011	125	2094	689	31.1%	1078	48.6%	50%	1141	51.4%	50%
January 2011	133	2095	705	31.6%	1092	49.0%	50%	1136	51.0%	50%
December 2010	126	2110	707	31.6%	1079	48.3%	50%	1157	51.7%	50%
November 2010	136	2142	727	31.9%	1116	49.0%	50%	1162	51.0%	50%
October 2010	135	2161	731	31.8%	1151	50.1%	50%	1145	49.9%	50%
September 201	146	2125	706	31.1%	1127	49.6%	50%	1144	50.4%	50%

Region 1 Foster Care Placement Breakdown



DCS Practice Indicator Report
Locally Placed CHINS

For September 2011

Report Description

This report uses data collected over at the end of the current report month. The graphs and numbers for historical months also use data from the historical month listed. For the purpose of this report, children with their non-custodial parents are considered to be in their own home.

Total Out of Home Placements – This is the total number of CHINS children that are in out of home placement on the last day of the report month.

Placed in Same County – This is the total number of CHINS children that are placed in the same county as the county of their case.

Percent Locally Placed – This is the percentage of CHINS children that are placed in the same county as the county of their case divided by the total number of CHINS children which are in out of home placement on the last day of the report month.

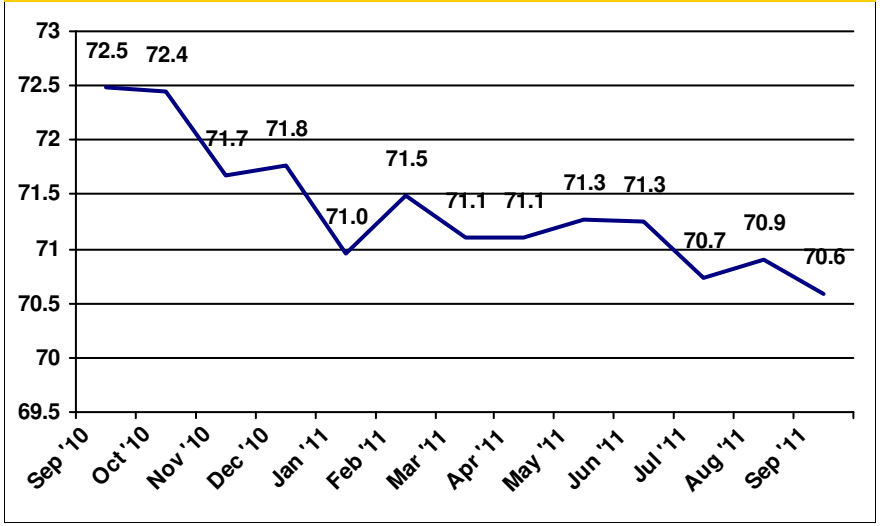
DCS Practice Indicator Report
Locally Placed CHINS

For September 2011

September 2011

Location	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
Statewide	9,120	6,438	70.6%
Region 1	1,535	1,214	79.1%
Lake	1,535	1,214	79.1%

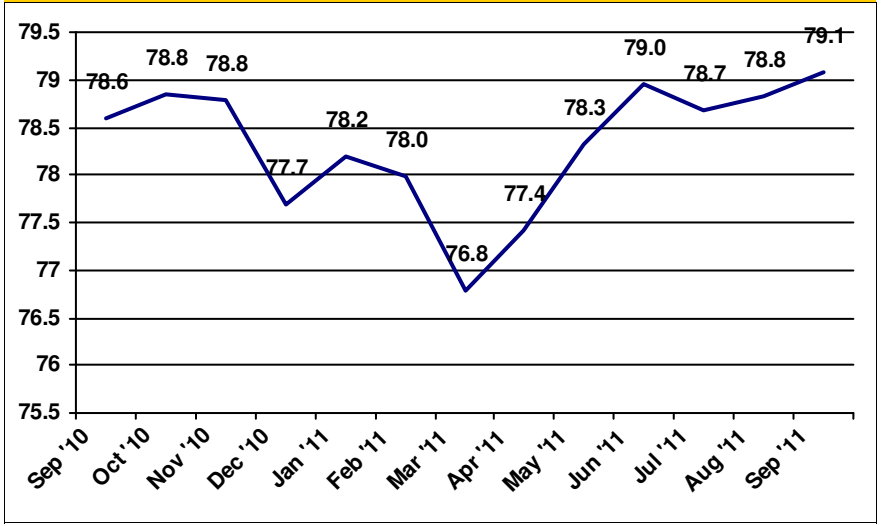
Statewide Percent Placed Locally



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Month	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
Sep 2011	1,535	1,214	79.1%
Aug 2011	1,549	1,221	78.8%
Jul 2011	1,566	1,232	78.7%
Jun 2011	1,582	1,249	79.0%
May 2011	1,578	1,236	78.3%
Apr 2011	1,568	1,214	77.4%
Mar 2011	1,512	1,161	76.8%
Feb 2011	1,530	1,193	78.0%
Jan 2011	1,523	1,191	78.2%
Dec 2010	1,529	1,188	77.7%
Nov 2010	1,551	1,222	78.8%
Oct 2010	1,565	1,234	78.8%
Sep 2010	1,565	1,230	78.6%

Region 1 Percent Placed Locally



DCS Practice Indicator Report
Average Number of Placements

For September 2011

Report Description

This report uses data collected at the end of the current report month. The graphs and numbers for historical months also use data from the historical month listed.

Average Number of Placements Per Child – This is the total number of out of home placements for each CHINS child in out of home placement on the last day of the report month. This includes all placements during the current removal episode. If a child had at least one placement end in the first 8 days from removal, then that child's number of placements was reduced by one.

This number is divided by the total number CHINS children who are in out of home placement on the last day of the report month.

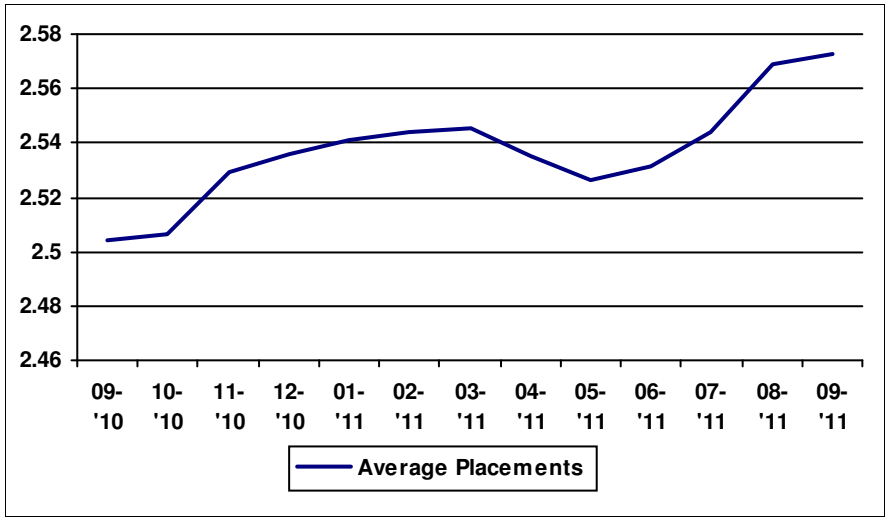
DCS Practice Indicator Report
Average Number of Placements

For September 2010 to September 2011

September 2011

Location	Average Number of Placements Per Child
Statewide	2.6
Region 1	2.9
Lake	2.9

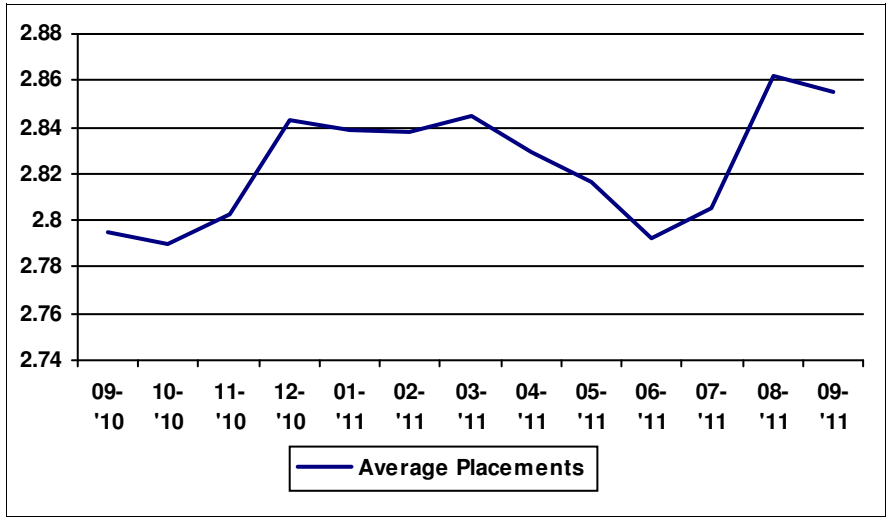
Statewide Average Number of Placements



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Month	Average Number of Placements Per Child
September 2011	2.9
August 2011	2.9
July 2011	2.8
June 2011	2.8
May 2011	2.8
April 2011	2.8
March 2011	2.8
February 2011	2.8
January 2011	2.8
December 2010	2.8
November 2010	2.8
October 2010	2.8
September 2010	2.8

Region 1 Average Number of Placements



DCS Practice Indicator Report
Sibling Placement Report

For September 2011

Report Description

This report uses data collected at the end of the current report month. The graphs and numbers for historical months also use data from the end of the historical month listed. For the purpose of this report, children with a non-custodial parent are considered to be in their own home.

Count of Sibling Cases – This is the number of open cases as of the end of the report month which have more than one child in out of home placement at the end of the report month.

Cases With All Children Placed Together – This is the number of cases with more than one child in out of home placement where all of the children are placed in the same resource with the same resource ID.

Percent Placed Together of Sibling Cases– This is the percentage of the number of cases where all of the children in out of home placement are placed together divided by the number of open cases with more than one child in out of home placement as of the end of the report month.

Average Number of Children per Case – This number takes the number of children in out of home placement from cases with more than one child in out of home placement and divides it by the number of cases with more than one child in out of home placement as of the end of the report month.

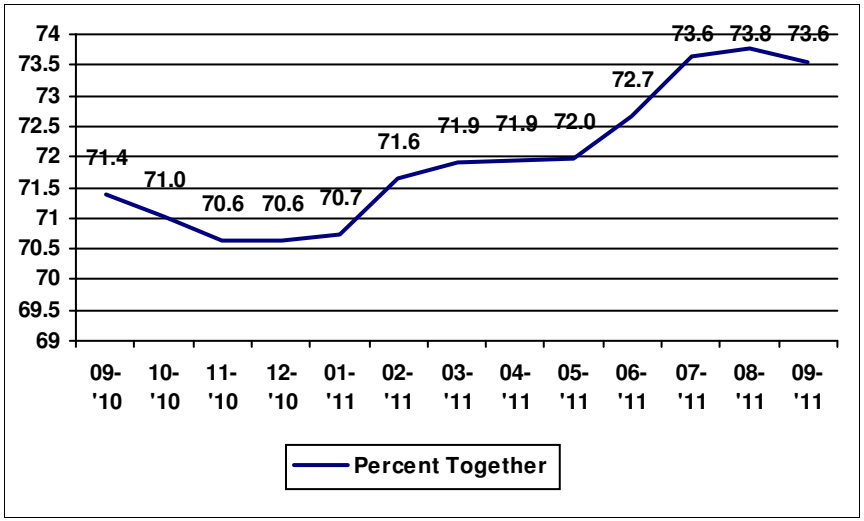
DCS Practice Indicator Report
Sibling Placement Report

September 2011

September 2011

Location	Count of Sibling Cases	Cases With All Children Placed Together	Percent Placed Together of Sibling Cases	Average Number of Children per Case
Statewide	2269	1669	73.6%	2.71
Region 1	366	243	66.4%	3.12
Lake	366	243	66.4%	3.12

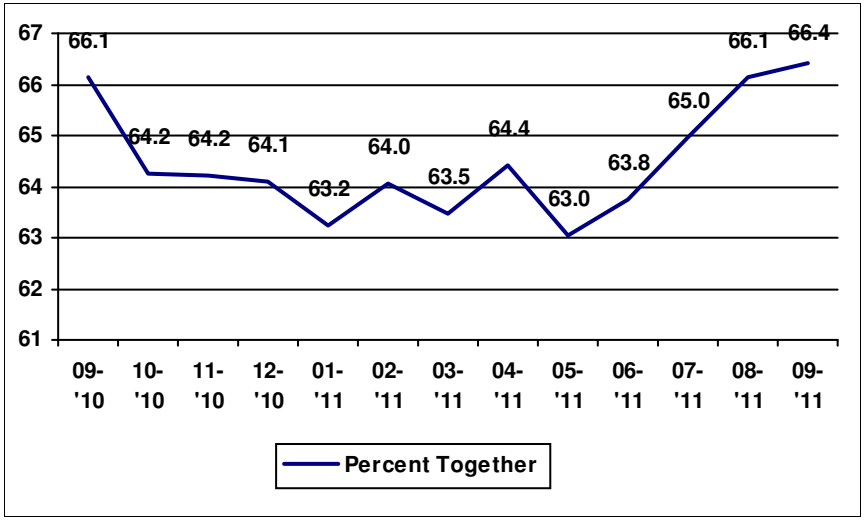
Statewide Percent Together



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Month	Count of Sibling Cases	Cases With All Children Placed Together	Percent Placed Together of Sibling Cases	Average Number of Children per Case
September 2011	366	243	66.4%	3.12
August 2011	372	246	66.1%	3.09
July 2011	374	243	65.0%	3.07
June 2011	367	234	63.8%	3.11
May 2011	368	232	63.0%	3.10
April 2011	368	237	64.4%	3.08
March 2011	353	224	63.5%	3.07
February 2011	356	228	64.0%	3.04
January 2011	359	227	63.2%	3.03
December 2010	362	232	64.1%	3.04
November 2010	369	237	64.2%	3.04
October 2010	372	239	64.2%	3.06
September 2010	372	246	66.1%	3.09

Region 1 Percent Together



DCS Practice Indicator Report
Length of Stay in Out of Home Placement
Children in Out of Home Placement by Length of Time Since Latest Removal
For September 2011

Report Description

This report uses data collected at the end of the current report month. The graphs and numbers for historical months also use data from the end of the historical month listed. This report looks at CHINS children that were in out of home placement at the end of the month. It measures the number of days since the child was last removed from its home.

One Year - 0 to 365 Days– This is column shows data for CHINS children that have been in out of home placement between 0 and 365 days since the child's last removal.

Count- This is the number of CHINS children that have been in out of home placement between 0 and 365 days since the child's last removal.
Percent- This is the number of CHINS children that have been in out of home placement between 0 and 365 days since the child's last removal divided by the total number of CHINS children in out of home placement at the end of the month.

One Year - 366 to 730 Days– This is column shows data for CHINS children that have been in out of home placement between 366 and 730 days since the child's last removal.

Count- This is the number of CHINS children that have been in out of home placement between 366 and 730 days since the child's last removal.
Percent- This is the number of CHINS children that have been in out of home placement between 366 and 730 days since the child's last removal divided by the total number of CHINS children in out of home placement at the end of the month.

One Year - 731 to 1095 Days– This is column shows data for CHINS children that have been in out of home placement between 731 to 1095 days since the child's last removal.

Count- This is the number of CHINS children that have been in out of home placement between 731 to 1095 days since the child's last removal.
Percent- This is the number of CHINS children that have been in out of home placement between 731 to 1095 days since the child's last removal divided by the total number of CHINS children in out of home placement at the end of the month.

One Year - 1096 Days+– This is column shows data for CHINS children that have been in out of home placement 1096 days or more since the child's last removal.

Count- This is the number of CHINS children that have been in out of home placement 1096 days or more since the child's last removal.
Percent- This is the number of CHINS children that have been in out of home placement 1096 days or more since the child's last removal divided by the total number of CHINS children in out of home placement at the end of the month.

Length Per Child – This column shows data for length of time of CHINS children who were in out of home placement at the end of the report month have been in out of home placement since the child's last removal from their home.

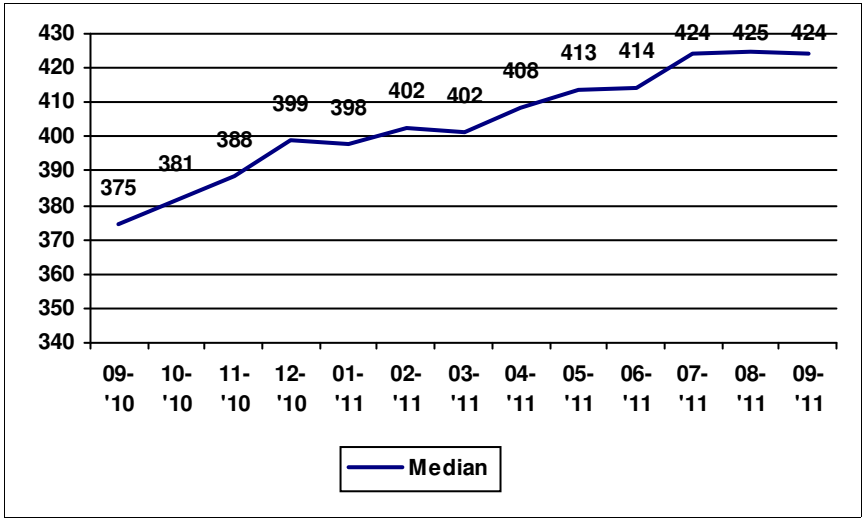
Average- This column calculates the average or "mean" length of time in out of home placement since the last removal per child in out of home placement at the end of the report month.
Median- This column calculates the median length of time in out of home placement since the last removal per child in out of home placement at the end of the report month.

DCS Practice Indicator Report
Length of Stay in Out of Home Placement
Children in Out of Home Placement by Length of Time Since Latest Removal
For September 2011

September 2011

Location	One Year 0 to 365 Days		Two Years 366 to 730 Days		Three Years 731 to 1095 Days		Three + Years 1096 Days+		Length Per Child	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Average	Median
Statewide	4,087	44.8%	2,272	24.9%	1,190	13.0%	1,571	17.2%	642.5	424.0
Region 1	541	35.2%	323	21.0%	241	15.7%	430	28.0%	871.3	604.3
Lake	541	35.2%	323	21.0%	241	15.7%	430	28.0%	871.3	604.3

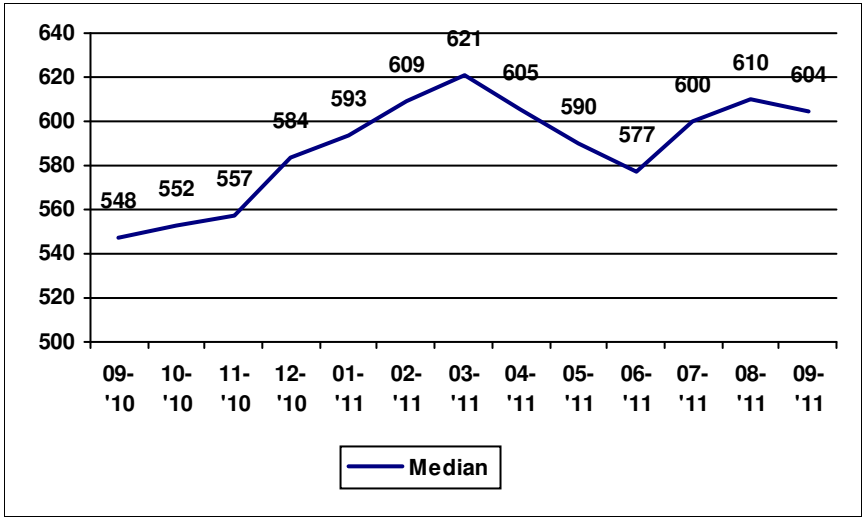
Statewide Median Length



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Month	One Year 0 to 365 Days		Two Years 366 to 730 Days		Three Years 731 to 1095 Days		Three + Years 1096 Days+		Length Per Child	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Average	Median
September 2011	541	35.2%	323	21.0%	241	15.7%	430	28.0%	871.3	604.3
August 2011	527	34.0%	341	22.0%	231	14.9%	450	29.1%	885.8	609.6
July 2011	553	35.3%	333	21.3%	224	14.3%	456	29.1%	873.3	600.0
June 2011	585	37.0%	325	20.5%	219	13.8%	453	28.6%	859.9	577.0
May 2011	562	35.6%	351	22.2%	218	13.8%	447	28.3%	859.6	590.0
April 2011	549	35.0%	347	22.1%	233	14.9%	439	28.0%	873.7	605.0
March 2011	519	34.3%	337	22.3%	229	15.1%	427	28.2%	891.1	620.5
February 2011	535	35.0%	348	22.7%	228	14.9%	419	27.4%	883.3	609.0
January 2011	540	35.5%	359	23.6%	209	13.7%	415	27.2%	869.6	593.4
December 2010	542	35.4%	361	23.6%	213	13.9%	413	27.0%	866.7	583.6
November 2010	585	37.7%	327	21.1%	235	15.2%	404	26.0%	845.2	557.5
October 2010	588	37.6%	323	20.6%	233	14.9%	421	26.9%	855.5	552.4
September 2010	585	37.4%	329	21.0%	221	14.1%	430	27.5%	848.1	547.6

Region 1 Median Length



DCS Practice Indicator Report
CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For September 2011

Report Description

This report uses CHINS and IA case types that have case type status end date occurring during the month. It then groups these cases using the closure reasons codes into categories of closure reasons. Case with closure reason code "Case opened in error – disregard" are filtered out for the purpose of this report. This report uses the reason codes selected by the worker at the date of case closure. **Adoption closure reasons will not match the number of actual finalized adoptions reported from the hearing information fields in ICWIS/MaGik.**

Closure Reasons are group by:

Description	Category
Child Reunited with Parents	Reunification
Child never Removed from own home, wardship terminated	Reunification
Extended wardship terminated (on court order for age 18 to 21)	Emancipation
Child Returned to Primary Home	Reunification
Period of IA ended code used for Informal Adjustment cases only	Reunification
Child Adoption Finalized	Adoption

Description	Category
Case closed; AG case created	Guardianship
Child placed with relatives	Relative
Child Placed with Legal guardian	Guardianship
Child Reached Age of Majority (age 18)	Emancipation
Emancipated Court Ordered (age 18)	Emancipation
Child Already Reunited with parent (s) when wardship terminated	Reunification

The Permanency column "Total" refers to the total case with reason codes in the Reunification, Adoption, Relative, Guardianship, and Emancipation categories.

The Permanency column "Total within 24 months" refers to the total case that ended within 24 month of the case status type begin date in the Reunification, Adoption, Relative, Guardianship, and Emancipation categories.

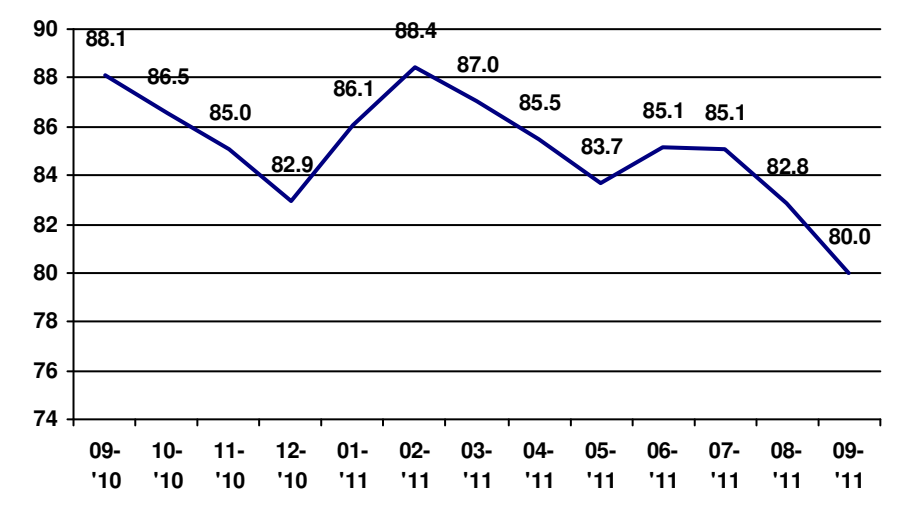
DCS Practice Indicator Report
CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For September 2011

September 2011

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
Statewide	634	119	11	60	34	858	686	80.0
Region 1	74	7	1	3	3	88	74	84.1
Lake	74	7	1	3	3	88	74	84.1

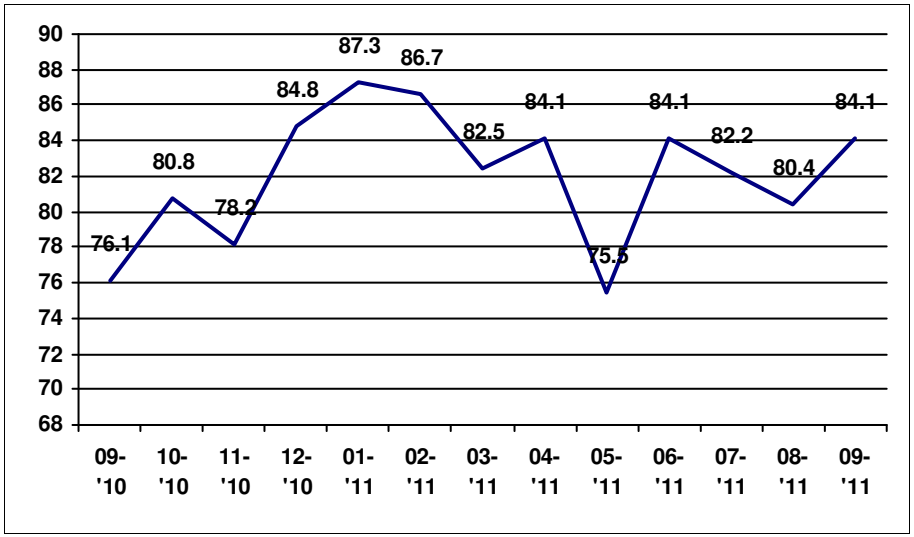
Statewide Permanency within 24 Months



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
Sep 2011	74	7	1	3	3	88	74	84.1
Aug 2011	50	2	0	1	3	56	45	80.4
Jul 2011	38	2	0	1	4	45	37	82.2
Jun 2011	53	2	0	2	6	63	53	84.1
May 2011	89	16	2	0	3	110	83	75.5
Apr 2011	57	2	0	2	2	63	53	84.1
Mar 2011	81	6	1	7	2	97	80	82.5
Feb 2011	54	6	0	0	0	60	52	86.7
Jan 2011	63	4	2	0	2	71	62	87.3
Dec 2010	93	9	0	1	2	105	89	84.8
Nov 2010	68	11	0	3	5	87	68	78.2
Oct 2010	69	3	1	2	3	78	63	80.8
Sep 2010	52	10	0	0	5	67	51	76.1

Region 1 Permanency within 24 Months



DCS Practice Indicator Report
Family Case Manager Contacts Report

For September 2011

Report Description

This report uses data collected over at the end of the current report month. The graphs and numbers for historical months also use data from the historical month listed. For the purpose of this report, a person is considered family for the child if they have the following relationships:

- Father
- Mother
- Stepfather
- Stepmother
- Grandfather
- Grandmother
- Pre-adoptive father
- Pre-adoptive mother
- Adoptive grandparent
- Legal Guardian

Children Out of Home Entire Month – This column shows the number of children in out of home placement at the end of the report month who also have a removal date prior to the first of the report month.

Contact Information – This section of the reports shows information regarding FCM contacts (from the contact screens) during the report month.

FCM with Family – This section of the report shows FCM contacts with the child's family (as described above) during the report month.

> **Children** – This is the total number of children that the FCM had at least one contact with a member of the child's family during the report month.
> **Rate** – This is the total number of children that FCM had at least one contact with a member of the child's family divided by the total number of children in out of home placement for the entire month (as described above).

FCM with Child – This section of the report shows FCM contacts with the child during the report month.

> **Children** – This is the total number of children that the FCM had at least one contact with a the child during the report month.
> **Rate** – This is the total number of children that FCM had at least one contact with the child divided by the total number of children in out of home placement for the entire month (as described above).

FCM with Family and Child – This section of the report shows FCM contacts with the child's family (as described above) **AND** the child during the report month. Contact with both had to have occurred for the child to be included in this section. The family and child do not need to present at the same contact, contact with each could have been made in two separate contacts.

> **Children** – This is the total number of children that the FCM had at least one contact with a member of the child's family **and** at least one contact with the child during the report month.
> **Rate** – This is the total number of children that FCM had at least one contact with a member of the child's family **and** at least one contact with the child during the report month divided by the total number of children in out of home placement for the entire month (as described above).

DCS Practice Indicator Report

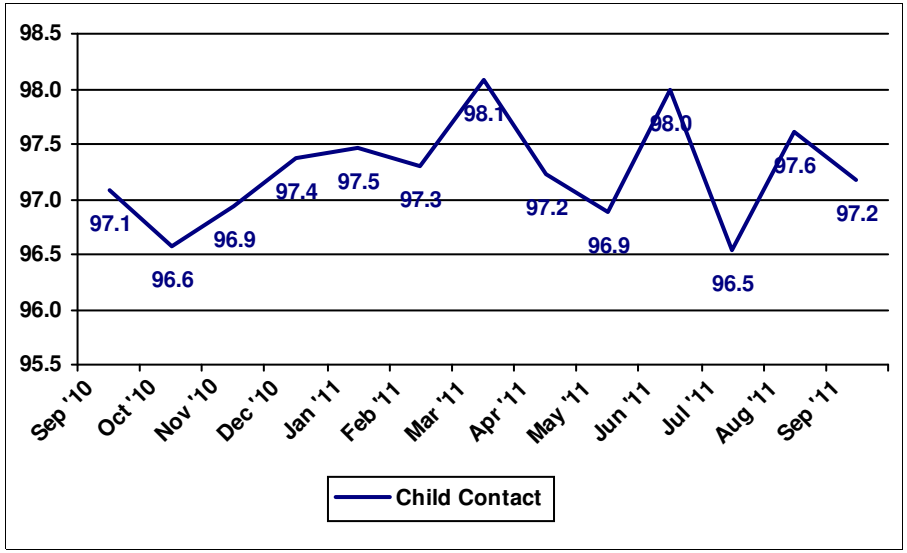
Family Case Manager Contacts Report

For September 2011

September 2011

Location	Children out of home entire month	Contact Information					
		FCM with Family		FCM with Child		FCM with Family and Child	
		Children	Rate	Children	Rate	Children	Rate
Statewide	8,741	2,564	29.3%	8,494	97.2%	2,518	28.8%
Region 1	1,485	388	26.1%	1,451	97.7%	385	25.9%
Lake	1,485	388	26.1%	1,451	97.7%	385	25.9%

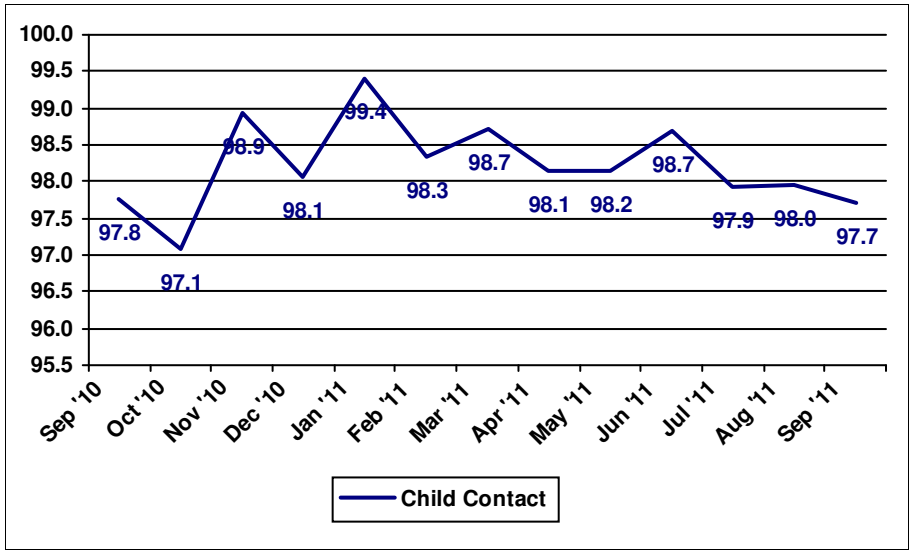
Statewide Child Contact Rate



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Month	Children out of home entire month	Contact Information					
		FCM with Family		FCM with Child		FCM with Family and Child	
		Children	Rate	Children	Rate	Children	Rate
Sep 2011	1,485	388	26.1%	1,451	97.7%	385	25.9%
Aug 2011	1,519	361	23.8%	1,488	98.0%	359	23.6%
Jul 2011	1,543	358	23.2%	1,511	97.9%	358	23.2%
Jun 2011	1,536	395	25.7%	1,516	98.7%	391	25.5%
May 2011	1,517	370	24.4%	1,489	98.2%	367	24.2%
Apr 2011	1,502	348	23.2%	1,474	98.1%	341	22.7%
Mar 2011	1,470	407	27.7%	1,451	98.7%	404	27.5%
Feb 2011	1,494	341	22.8%	1,469	98.3%	334	22.4%
Jan 2011	1,476	316	21.4%	1,467	99.4%	315	21.3%
Dec 2010	1,492	307	20.6%	1,463	98.1%	306	20.5%
Nov 2010	1,509	342	22.7%	1,493	98.9%	342	22.7%
Oct 2010	1,502	309	20.6%	1,458	97.1%	304	20.2%
Sep 2010	1,523	380	25.0%	1,489	97.8%	379	24.9%

Region 1 Child Contact Rate



DCS Practice Indicator Report
Child Visitation Report

For September 2011

Report Description

This report uses data collected at the end of the current report month. The graphs and numbers for historical months also use data from the historical month listed. For the purpose of this report, a person is considered family for the child if they have the following relationships:

- Father
- Mother
- Stepfather
- Stepmother
- Grandfather
- Grandmother
- Pre-adoptive father
- Pre-adoptive mother
- Adoptive grandparent
- Legal Guardian

Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification – This column shows the number of children in out of home placement at the end of the report month who also have reunification as the most recently entered primary case plan goal.

Children with visits to their family during the month – This section of the report shows data regarding children who have had a visit with the child's family (as described above) begin during the report month.

Children – This is the total number of children that the child had at least one visit with a member of the child's family during the report month.
Rate – This is the total number of children that the child had at least one visit with a member of the child's family divided by the total number of children in out of home placement at the end of the report month with case plan goal of reunification(as described above).

DCS Practice Indicator Report

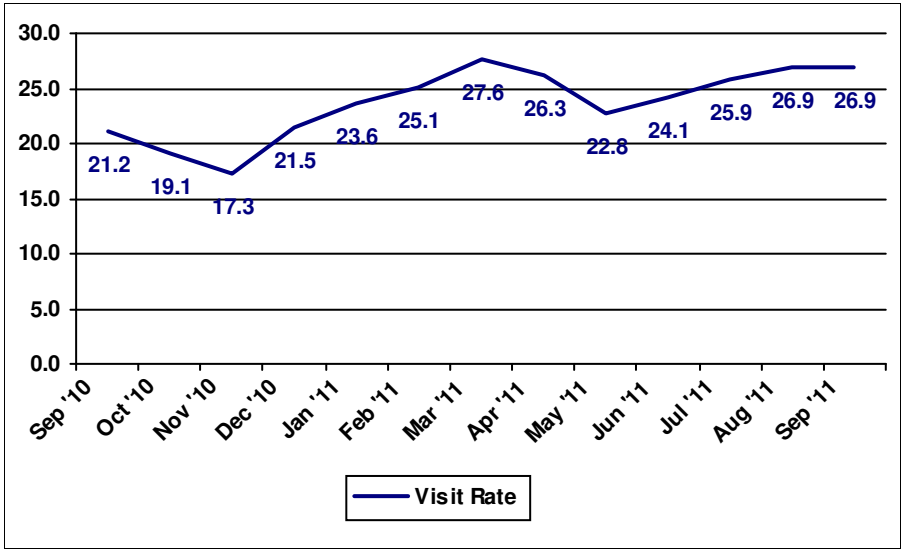
Child Visitation Report

For September 2011

September 2011

Location	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Children with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
Statewide	4,720	1,269	26.9%
Region 1	784	134	17.1%
Lake	784	134	17.1%

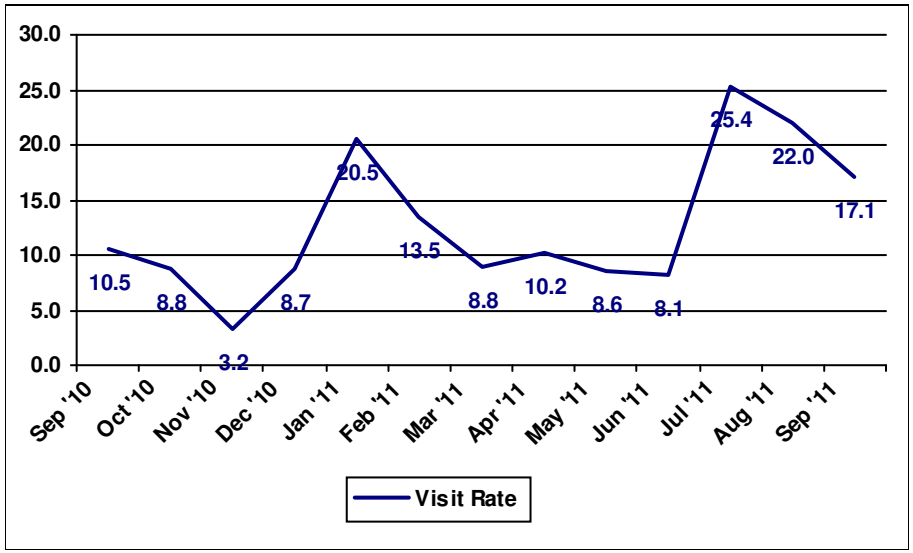
Statewide Visitation Rate



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

Month	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Chidlren with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
Sep 2011	784	134	17.1%
Aug 2011	781	172	22.0%
Jul 2011	785	199	25.4%
Jun 2011	776	63	8.1%
May 2011	781	67	8.6%
Apr 2011	776	79	10.2%
Mar 2011	735	65	8.8%
Feb 2011	762	103	13.5%
Jan 2011	772	158	20.5%
Dec 2010	784	68	8.7%
Nov 2010	811	26	3.2%
Oct 2010	783	69	8.8%
Sep 2010	779	82	10.5%

Region 1 Visitation Rate



DCS Practice Indicator Report
Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

For September 2011

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 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 Selection – 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.

First Occurrence – This looks at the victims of substantiated abuse or neglect during the first 6 months of the time period (6 to 12 months prior to the month of the report). If a child was a victim in multiple assessments with substantiated abuse or neglect, the assessment with the earliest report date is considered the first occurrence.

Recurrence Time Period – The time period used to see if a child is a substantiated victim in a recurring assessment of abuse or neglect is based off the report date of the first occurrence. The recurrence period begins one day after the first occurrence report date and ends 183 after the first occurrence report date (>= 1st Occurrence +1 and <= 1st Occurrence +183). If a child has multiple recurrences, the earliest report date in the recurring time period is considered the recurring assessment.

Here is a visual representation of an example. This is a report for December of a given year. The time period to review assessments would run from Jan 1st to Dec 31st. The time period for a first occurrence would be Jan 1st to Jun 30th. If a child had a first occurrence on Feb 7th, the recurrence period would run from Feb 8th to Aug 9th. If the child had a recurrence in Aug 5th, that would be considered repeat maltreatment. If the child had a recurrence Oct 10th, that would not be considered repeat maltreatment because it fell outside the recurrence period.

Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Time Period (Jan 1st to Dec 31st)											
1st Occurrence Time Period (Jan 1st to Jun 30th)											
			Recurrence Period (Feb 8th to Aug 9th)								

Percent of absence of repeat maltreatment – This calculation uses the terms defined above. The numerator is the number of children with a first occurrence minus the number of children with a recurrence. The denominator is the number of children with first occurrence.

$$\frac{(1^{st}\text{ Occurrence} - \text{Recurrence})}{1^{st}\text{ Occurrence}}$$

For the purposes of this report, the county the child is assigned to is based off the county of first occurrence. If a child has a recurrence in a different county, the repeat will show for the county of the first occurrence.

DCS Practice Indicator Report

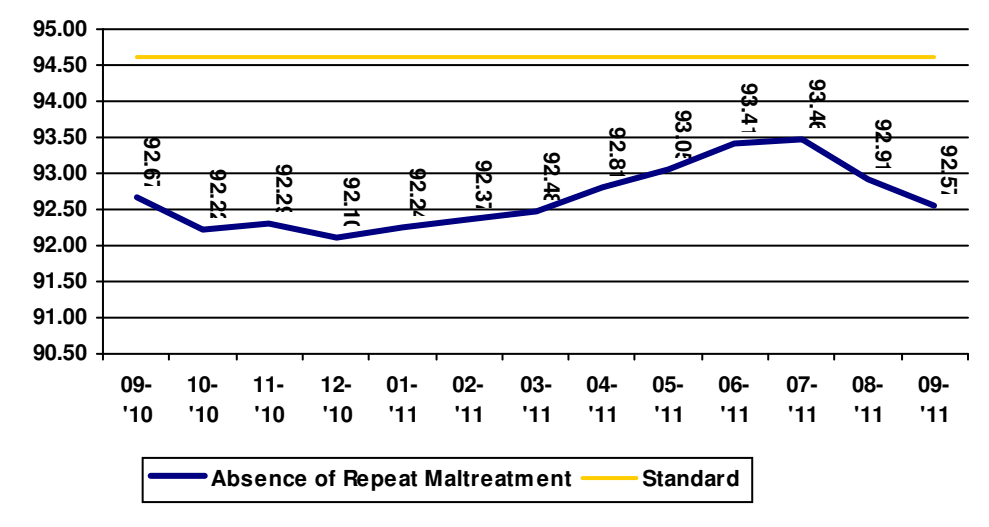
Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

For September 2011

September 2011

County	Victims from Oct 2010 to Apr 2011	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	9,497	8,791	92.57%	94.60%
Region 1	746	696	93.30%	94.60%
Lake	746	696	93.30%	94.60%

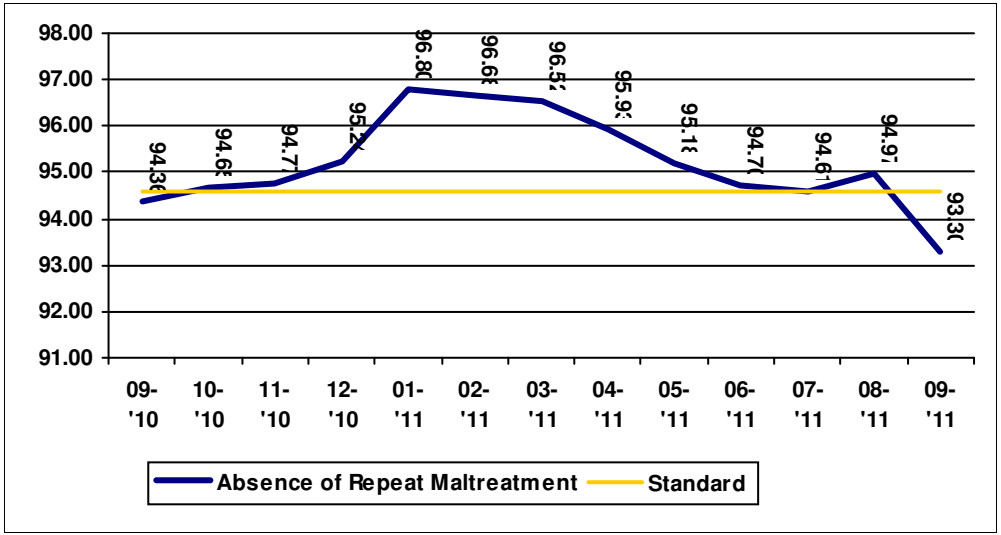
Statewide Absence of Repeat Maltreatment



Region 1 For September 2010 to September 2011

County	Victims from Oct 2010 to Apr 2011	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
September 2011	746	696	93.30%	94.60%
August 2011	676	642	94.97%	94.60%
July 2011	649	614	94.61%	94.60%
June 2011	623	590	94.70%	94.60%
May 2011	623	593	95.18%	94.60%
April 2011	688	660	95.93%	94.60%
March 2011	718	693	96.52%	94.60%
February 2011	782	756	96.68%	94.60%
January 2011	782	757	96.80%	94.60%
December 2010	819	780	95.24%	94.60%
November 2010	842	798	94.77%	94.60%
October 2010	804	761	94.65%	94.60%
September 2010	709	669	94.36%	94.60%

Region 1 Absence of Repeat Maltreatment



DCS Practice Indicator Report
Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

For September 2011

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.

$$\frac{(\text{Children in Foster Care} - \text{Victims of maltreatment in Foster Care})}{\text{Children in Foster Care}}$$

DCS Practice Indicator Report

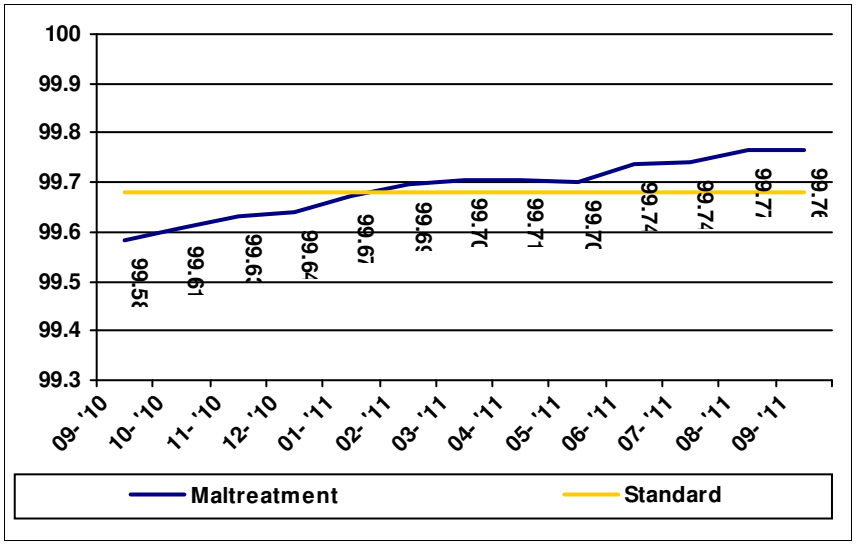
Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

For September 2011

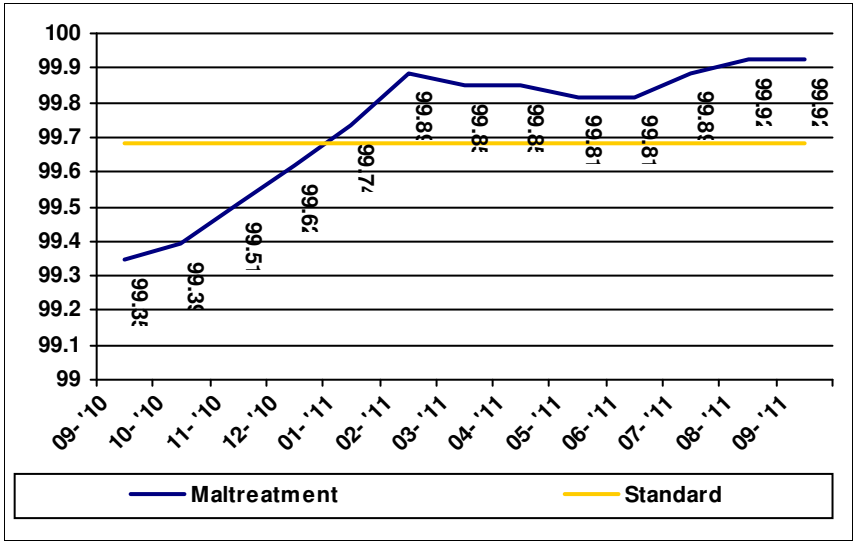
For September 2011

Location	Children in Foster Care from Oct 2010 to Sep 2011	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	20,282	48	99.76%	**99.68%**
Region 1	2,635	2	99.92%	**99.68%**
Lake	2,635	2	99.92%	**99.68%**

Statewide Trend of Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care



Region 1 for September 2010 to September 2011

Month	Children in Foster Care from Oct 2010 to Sep 2011	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
September 2011	2,635	2	99.92%	**99.68%**
August 2011	2,620	2	99.92%	**99.68%**
July 2011	2,644	3	99.89%	**99.68%**
June 2011	2,679	5	99.81%	**99.68%**
May 2011	2,677	5	99.81%	**99.68%**
April 2011	2,657	4	99.85%	**99.68%**
March 2011	2,668	4	99.85%	**99.68%**
February 2011	2,660	3	99.89%	**99.68%**
January 2011	2,651	7	99.74%	**99.68%**
December 2010	2,617	10	99.62%	**99.68%**
November 2010	2,640	13	99.51%	**99.68%**
October 2010	2,630	16	99.39%	**99.68%**
September 2010	2,605	17	99.35%	**99.68%**

Region 1 Trend of Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care