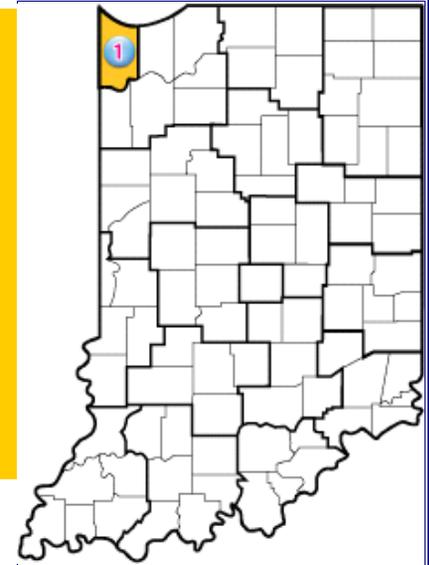




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# Department of Child Services Practice Indicator Reports For February 2012



## Region 01 February 2012

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# DCS Practice Indicator Report Initial Assessment - Use of Substitute Care

For February 2012

## 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.



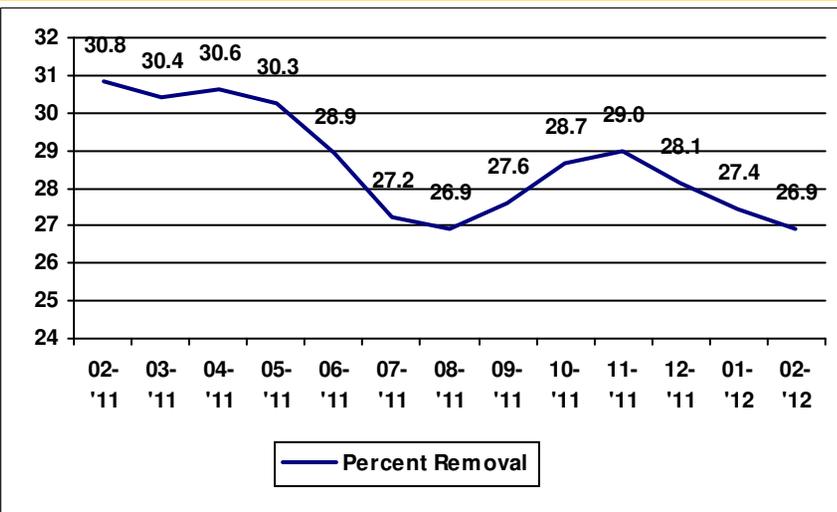
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Initial Assessment - Use of Substitute Care

For February 2012

## February 2012

Location	Reports Taken For Dec 2011 to Feb 2012		Assessments Substantiated For Dec 2011 to Feb 2012	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
Statewide	36,929	35.8%	5,529	26.9%
Region 1	2,053	33.80%	418	50.48%
Lake	2,053	33.8%	418	50.5%

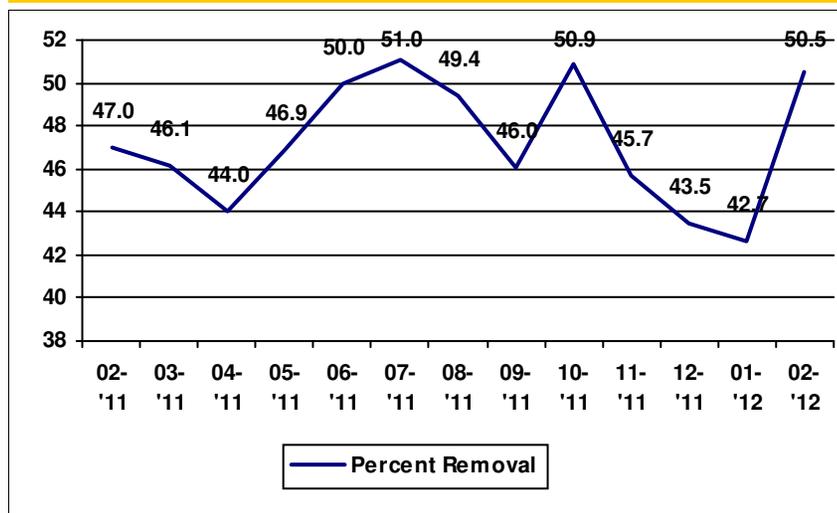
## Statewide Percent Removal Trend



## Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

Month	Reports Taken For Dec 2011 to Feb 2012		Assessments Substantiated For Dec 2011 to Feb 2012	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
Feb 2012	2,053	33.8%	418	50.5%
Jan 2012	1,957	34.5%	321	42.7%
Dec 2011	1,873	35.7%	315	43.5%
Nov 2011	1,839	37.0%	278	45.7%
Oct 2011	1,798	37.4%	277	50.9%
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%

## Region 1 Percent Removal





# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS Placements by County

For February 2012

## 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.



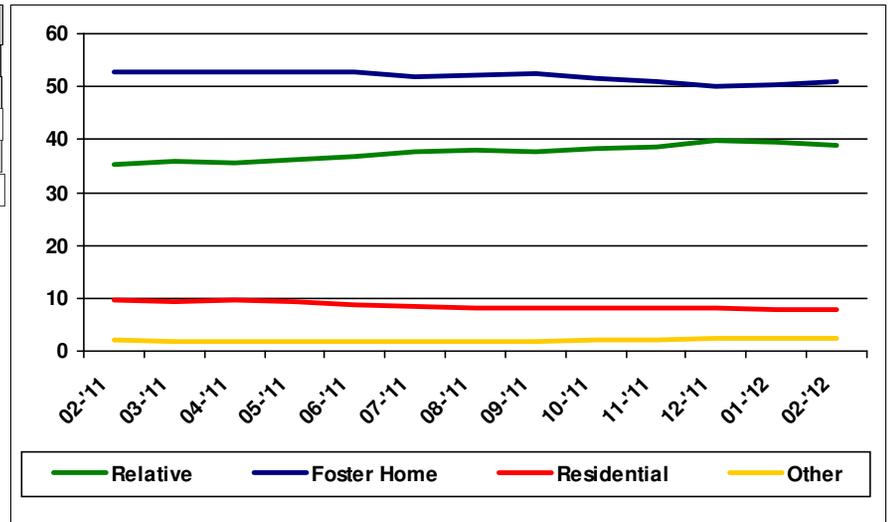
# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS Placements by County

For February 2012

## February 2012

Location	Total CHINS Count	CHINS				Out of Home Placements							
		In Home		Foster Care		Relative Home		Foster Homes		Residential		Other	
		Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Statewide	12629	3700	29.3	8,929	70.7	3460	38.8	4551	51.0	703	7.9	215	2.4
Region 1	2049	492	24.0	1557	76.0	429	27.6	935	60.1	162	10.4	31	2.0
Lake	2049	492	24.0	1557	76.0	429	27.6	935	60.1	162	10.4	31	2.0

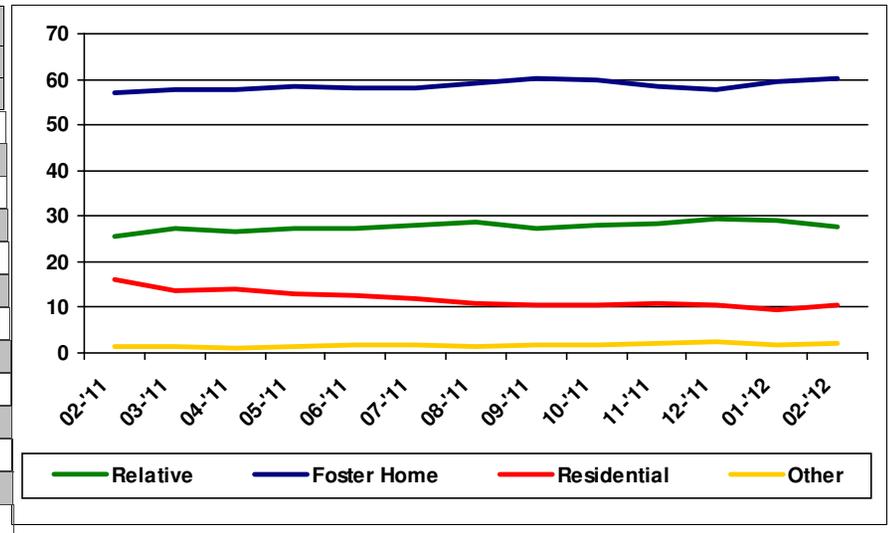
## Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



## Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

Month	Total CHINS Count	CHINS				Out of Home Placements							
		In Home		Foster Care		Relative Home		Foster Homes		Residential		Other	
		Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Feb 2012	2049	492	24.0	1557	76.0	429	27.6	935	60.1	162	10.4	31	2.0
Jan 2012	2057	540	26.3	1517	73.7	443	29.2	905	59.7	141	9.3	28	1.8
Dec 2011	2024	530	26.2	1494	73.8	438	29.3	864	57.8	157	10.5	35	2.3
Nov 2011	2062	537	26.0	1525	74.0	430	28.2	894	58.6	167	11.0	34	2.2
Oct 2011	2123	572	26.9	1551	73.1	432	27.9	928	59.8	164	10.6	27	1.7
Sep 2011	2143	605	28.2	1538	71.8	421	27.4	927	60.3	162	10.5	28	1.8
Aug 2011	2170	617	28.4	1553	71.6	445	28.7	916	59.0	168	10.8	24	1.5
Jul 2011	2206	635	28.8	1571	71.2	442	28.1	913	58.1	187	11.9	29	1.8
Jun 2011	2174	588	27.0	1586	73.0	435	27.4	922	58.1	199	12.5	30	1.9
May 2011	2125	545	25.6	1580	74.4	431	27.3	921	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

## Region 1 Foster Care Placement Breakdown





# DCS Practice Indicator Report

## Safely Home Families First by County

February 2012

### 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, children with non-custodial parents are considered to be in their own home.

**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.



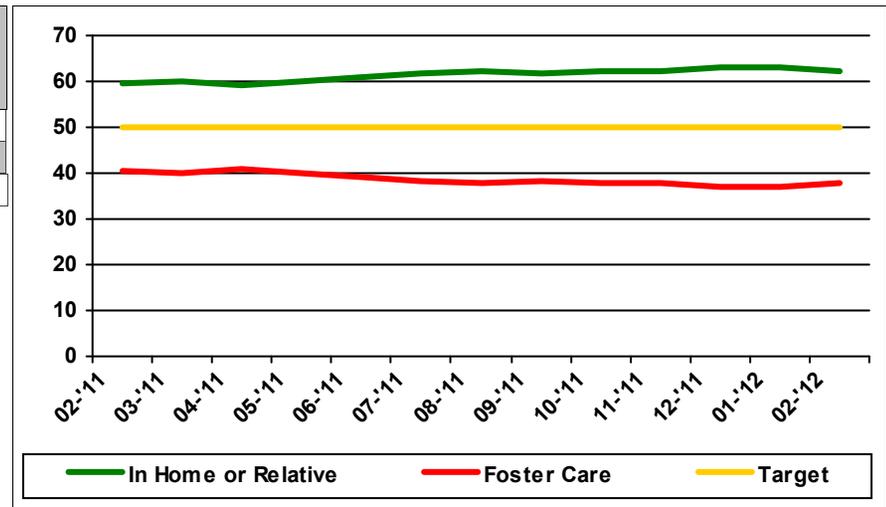
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Safely Home Families First by County

For February 2012

## February 2012

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	1802	12629	5502	38.1%	8962	62.1%	50%	5,469	37.9%	50%
Region 1	67	2049	559	26.4%	988	46.7%	50%	1128	53.3%	50%
Lake	67	2049	559	26.4%	988	46.7%	50%	1128	53.3%	50%

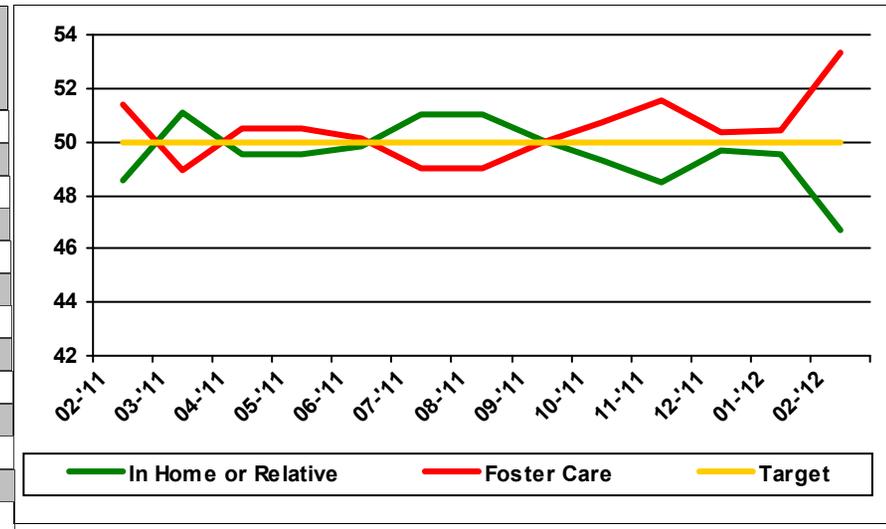
## Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



## Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

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	%	%
February 2012	67	2049	559	26.4%	988	46.7%	50%	1128	53.3%	50%
January 2012	72	2057	612	28.7%	1055	49.6%	50%	1074	50.4%	50%
December 2011	73	2024	603	28.8%	1041	49.6%	50%	1056	50.4%	50%
November 2011	63	2062	600	28.2%	1030	48.5%	50%	1095	51.5%	50%
October 2011	83	2123	655	29.7%	1087	49.3%	50%	1119	50.7%	50%
September 2011	93	2143	698	31.2%	1119	50.0%	50%	1117	50.0%	50%
August 2011	92	2170	709	31.3%	1154	51.0%	50%	1108	49.0%	50%
July 2011	98	2206	733	31.8%	1175	51.0%	50%	1129	49.0%	50%
June 2011	121	2174	709	30.9%	1144	49.8%	50%	1151	50.2%	50%
May 2011	150	2125	695	30.5%	1126	49.5%	50%	1149	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%

## Region 1 Foster Care Placement Breakdown





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Locally Placed CHINS

For February 2012

## 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.



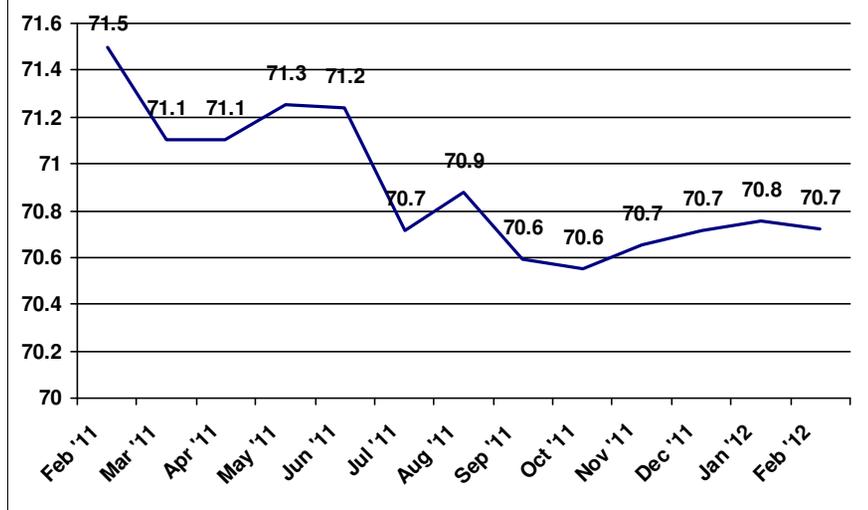
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Locally Placed CHINS

For February 2012

## February 2012

Location	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
Statewide	8,929	6,315	70.7%
Region 1	1,557	1,254	80.5%
Lake	1,557	1,254	80.5%

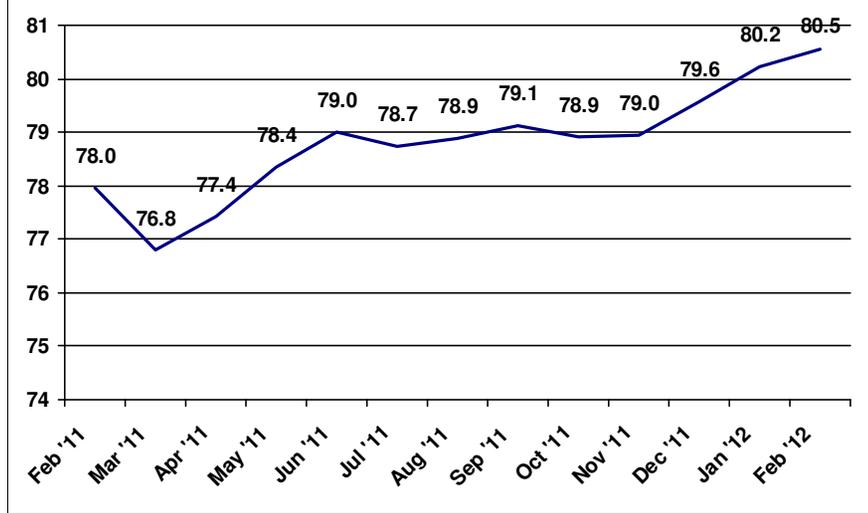
## Statewide Percent Placed Locally



## Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

Month	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
Feb 2012	1,557	1,254	80.5%
Jan 2012	1,517	1,217	80.2%
Dec 2011	1,494	1,189	79.6%
Nov 2011	1,525	1,204	79.0%
Oct 2011	1,551	1,224	78.9%
Sep 2011	1,538	1,217	79.1%
Aug 2011	1,553	1,225	78.9%
Jul 2011	1,571	1,237	78.7%
Jun 2011	1,586	1,253	79.0%
May 2011	1,580	1,238	78.4%
Apr 2011	1,568	1,214	77.4%
Mar 2011	1,512	1,161	76.8%
Feb 2011	1,530	1,193	78.0%

## Region 1 Percent Placed Locally





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Average Number of Placements

For February 2012

## 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.



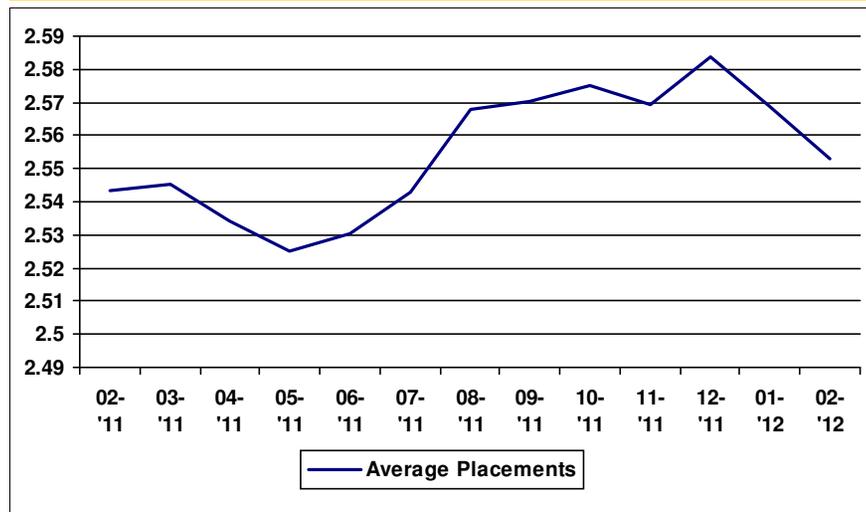
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Average Number of Placements

For February 2011 to February 2012

## February 2012

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

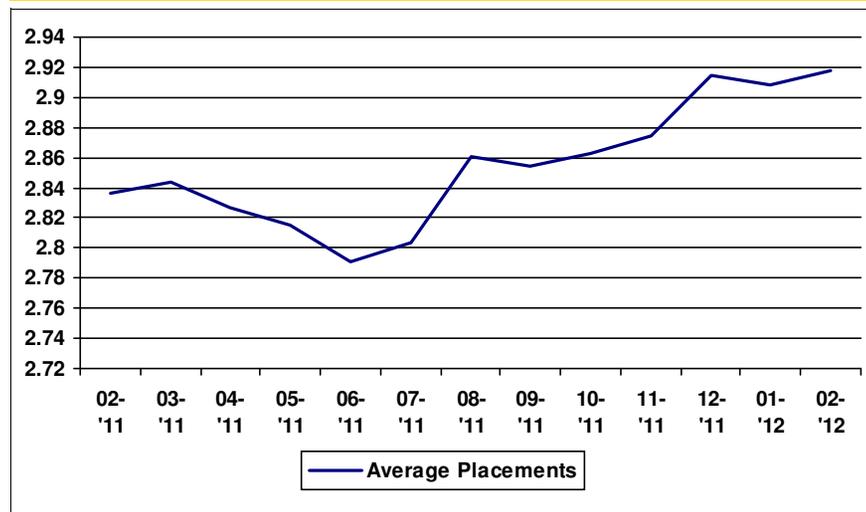
## Statewide Average Number of Placements



## Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

Month	Average Number of Placements Per Child
February 2012	2.9
January 2012	2.9
December 2011	2.9
November 2011	2.9
October 2011	2.9
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

## Region 1 Average Number of Placements





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Sibling Placement Report

For February 2012

## 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.



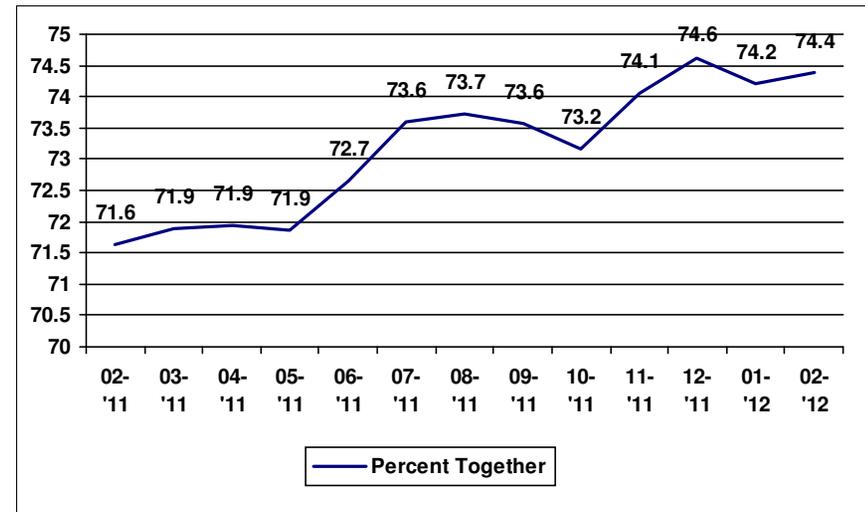
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Sibling Placement Report

February 2012

## February 2012

Location	Count of Sibling Cases	Cases With All Children Placed Together	Percent Placed Together of Sibling Cases	Average Number of Children per Case
Statewide	2202	1638	74.4%	2.71
Region 1	372	250	67.2%	3.09
Lake	372	250	67.2%	3.09

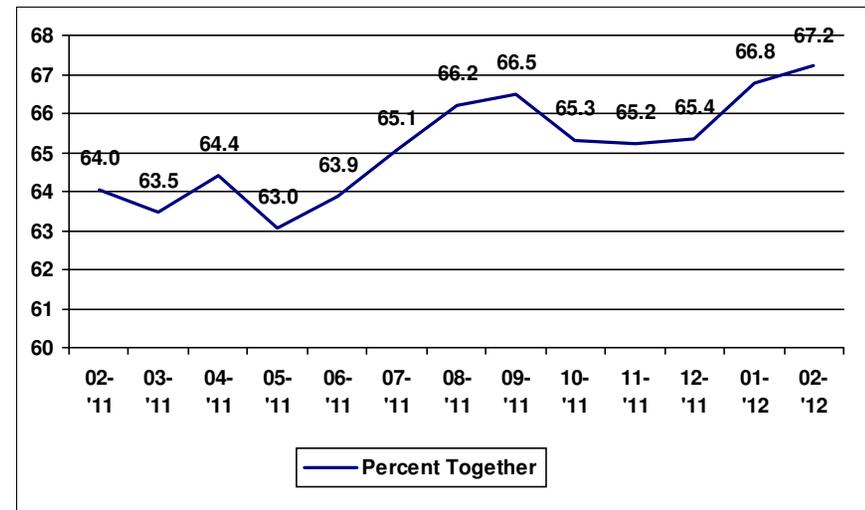
## Statewide Percent Together



## Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

Month	Count of Sibling Cases	Cases With All Children Placed Together	Percent Placed Together of Sibling Cases	Average Number of Children per Case
February 2012	372	250	67.2%	3.09
January 2012	361	241	66.8%	3.07
December 2011	358	234	65.4%	3.06
November 2011	368	240	65.2%	3.09
October 2011	372	243	65.3%	3.11
September 2011	367	244	66.5%	3.12
August 2011	373	247	66.2%	3.09
July 2011	375	244	65.1%	3.07
June 2011	368	235	63.9%	3.10
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

## 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 February 2012

#### 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

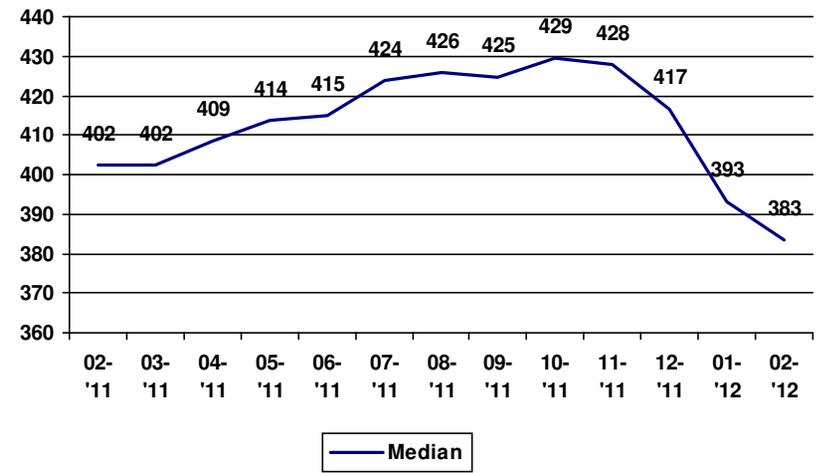
## Length of Stay in Out of Home Placement

### Children in Out of Home Placement by Length of Time Since Latest Removal For February 2012

#### February 2012

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	4,312	48.3%	2,059	23.1%	1,107	12.4%	1,451	16.3%	624.5	383.4
Region 1	583	37.4%	311	20.0%	242	15.5%	421	27.0%	856.9	579.6
Lake	583	37.4%	311	20.0%	242	15.5%	421	27.0%	856.9	579.6

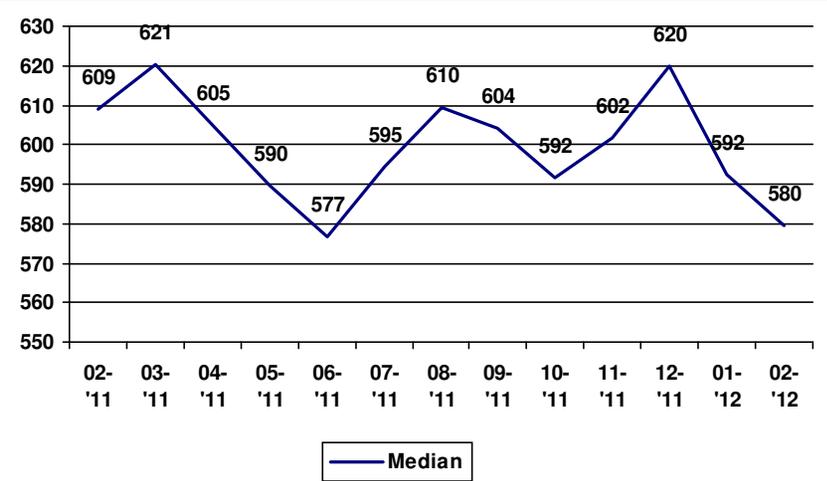
#### Statewide Median Length



#### Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

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
February 2012	583	37.4%	311	20.0%	242	15.5%	421	27.0%	856.9	579.6
January 2012	544	35.9%	304	20.0%	261	17.2%	408	26.9%	872.0	592.3
December 2011	506	33.9%	317	21.2%	251	16.8%	420	28.1%	891.7	620.0
November 2011	526	34.5%	329	21.6%	234	15.3%	436	28.6%	881.3	601.5
October 2011	544	35.1%	331	21.3%	231	14.9%	445	28.7%	873.3	591.6
September 2011	544	35.4%	323	21.0%	241	15.7%	430	28.0%	870.0	604.0
August 2011	529	34.1%	343	22.1%	231	14.9%	450	29.0%	884.1	609.6
July 2011	556	35.4%	335	21.3%	224	14.3%	456	29.0%	871.0	594.6
June 2011	587	37.0%	327	20.6%	219	13.8%	453	28.6%	858.1	576.5
May 2011	564	35.7%	351	22.2%	218	13.8%	447	28.3%	858.7	589.5
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%	891.2	620.5
February 2011	535	35.0%	348	22.7%	228	14.9%	419	27.4%	883.4	609.0

#### Region 1 Median Length





# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For February 2012

## 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	Description	Category
Child Reunited with Parents	Reunification	Case closed; AG case created	Guardianship
Child never Removed from own home, wardship terminated	Reunification	Child placed with relatives	Relative
Extended wardship terminated (on court order for age 18 to 21)	Emancipation	Child Placed with Legal guardian	Guardianship
Child Returned to Primary Home	Reunification	Child Reached Age of Majority (age 18)	Emancipation
Period of IA ended code used for Informal Adjustment cases only	Reunification	Emancipated Court Ordered (age 18)	Emancipation
Child Adoption Finalized	Adoption	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.



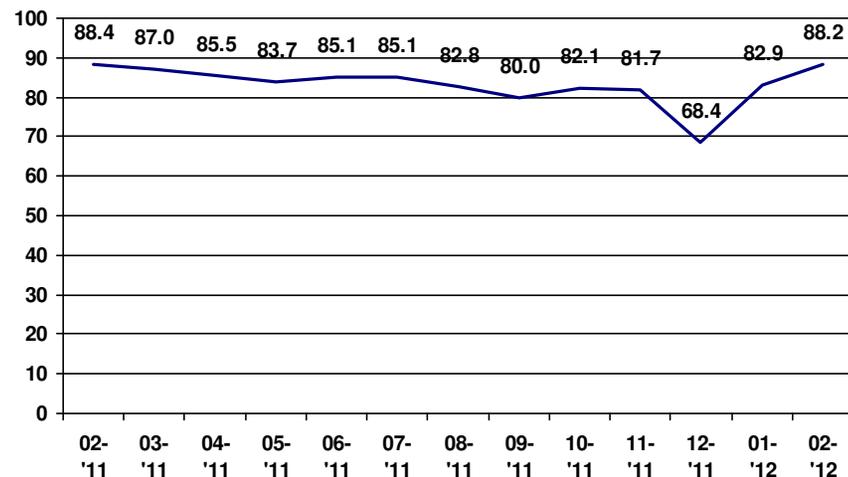
# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For February 2012

## February 2012

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
Statewide	581	51	29	58	17	736	649	88.2
Region 1	87	2	0	1	2	92	83	90.2
Lake	87	2	0	1	2	92	83	90.2

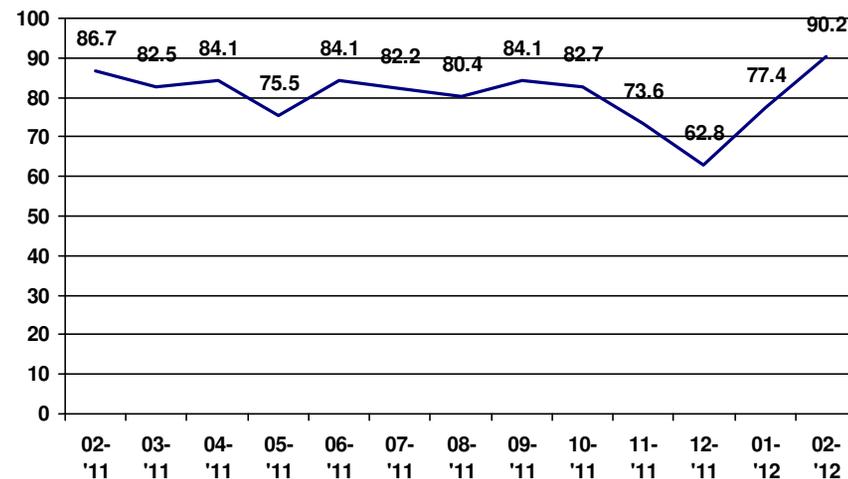
## Statewide Permanency within 24 Months



## Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
Feb 2012	87	2	0	1	2	92	83	90.2
Jan 2012	73	5	1	0	5	84	65	77.4
Dec 2011	65	18	0	0	3	86	54	62.8
Nov 2011	80	17	0	3	6	106	78	73.6
Oct 2011	87	3	0	0	8	98	81	82.7
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

## Region 1 Permanency within 24 Months





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Family Case Manager Contacts Report

For February 2012

## 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

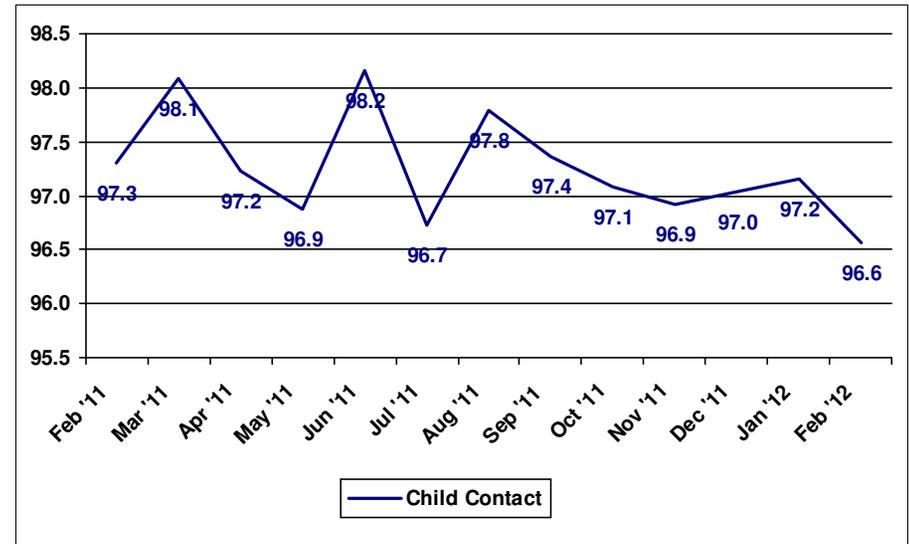
## Family Case Manager Contacts Report

### For February 2012

#### February 2012

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	8,463	2,643	31.2%	8,172	96.6%	2,563	30.3%
Region 1	1,496	334	22.3%	1,484	99.2%	331	22.1%
Lake	1,496	334	22.3%	1,484	99.2%	331	22.1%

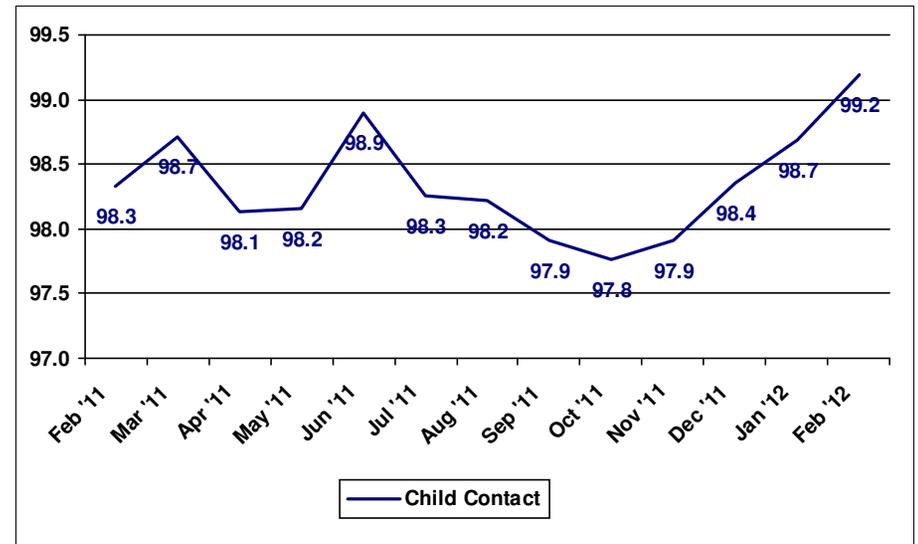
#### Statewide Child Contact Rate



#### Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

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
Feb 2012	1,496	334	22.3%	1,484	99.2%	331	22.1%
Jan 2012	1,451	309	21.3%	1,432	98.7%	306	21.1%
Dec 2011	1,458	314	21.5%	1,434	98.4%	309	21.2%
Nov 2011	1,488	286	19.2%	1,457	97.9%	285	19.2%
Oct 2011	1,521	329	21.6%	1,487	97.8%	324	21.3%
Sep 2011	1,485	390	26.3%	1,454	97.9%	387	26.1%
Aug 2011	1,519	364	24.0%	1,492	98.2%	362	23.8%
Jul 2011	1,543	359	23.3%	1,516	98.3%	359	23.3%
Jun 2011	1,536	396	25.8%	1,519	98.9%	392	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%

#### Region 1 Child Contact Rate





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Child Visitation Report

For February 2012

## 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

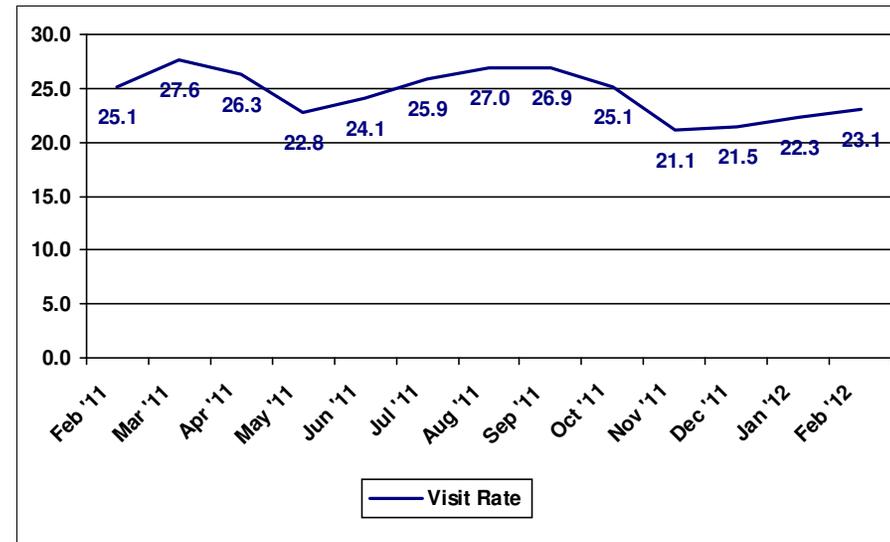
## Child Visitation Report

### For February 2012

#### February 2012

Location	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Children with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
Statewide	4,811	1,111	23.1%
Region 1	846	85	10.0%
Lake	846	85	10.0%

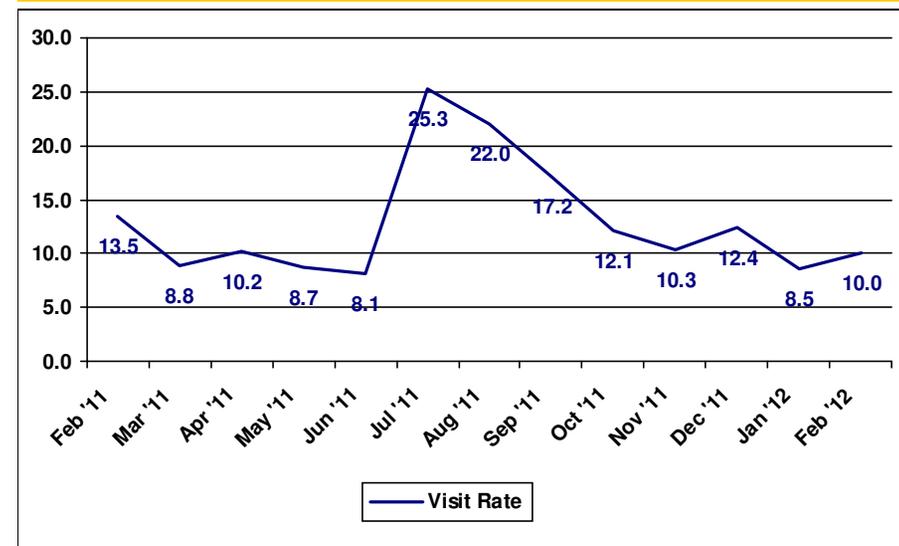
#### Statewide Visitation Rate



#### Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

Month	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Children with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
Feb 2012	846	85	10.0%
Jan 2012	775	66	8.5%
Dec 2011	777	96	12.4%
Nov 2011	795	82	10.3%
Oct 2011	815	99	12.1%
Sep 2011	787	135	17.2%
Aug 2011	785	173	22.0%
Jul 2011	790	200	25.3%
Jun 2011	776	63	8.1%
May 2011	783	68	8.7%
Apr 2011	776	79	10.2%
Mar 2011	735	65	8.8%
Feb 2011	762	103	13.5%

#### Region 1 Visitation Rate





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

For February 2012

## 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 ( $\geq 1^{\text{st}}$  Occurrence +1 and  $\leq 1^{\text{st}}$  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 1<sup>st</sup> to Dec 31<sup>st</sup>. The time period for a first occurrence would be Jan 1<sup>st</sup> to Jun 30<sup>th</sup>. If a child had a first occurrence on Feb 7<sup>th</sup>, the recurrence period would run from Feb 8<sup>th</sup> to Aug 9<sup>th</sup>. If the child had a recurrence in Aug 5<sup>th</sup>, that would be considered repeat maltreatment. If the child had a recurrence Oct 10<sup>th</sup>, that would not be considered repeat maltreatment because it fell outside the recurrence period.



**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.

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

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

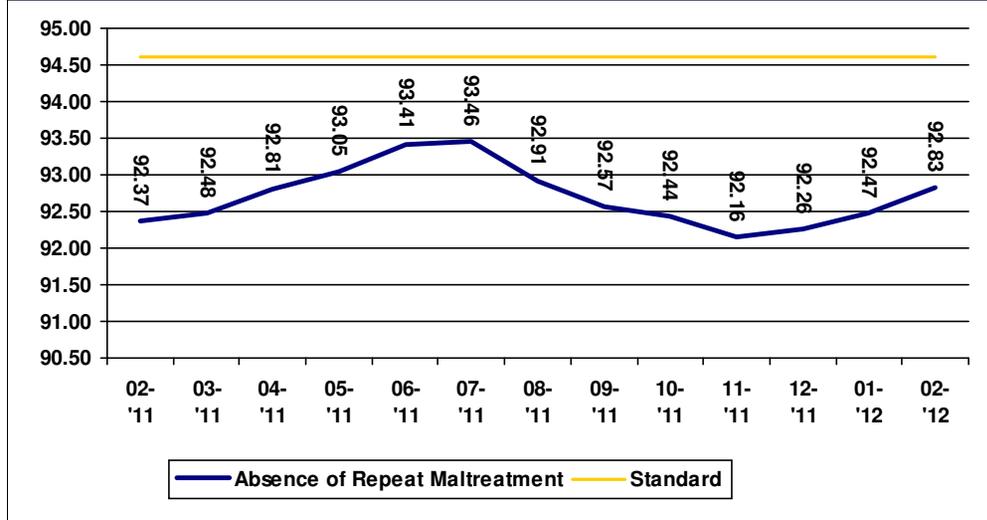
## Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

### For February 2012

#### February 2012

County	Victims from Mar 2011 to Sep 2011	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	10,531	9,776	92.83%	94.60%
Region 1	642	610	95.02%	94.60%
Lake	642	610	95.02%	94.60%

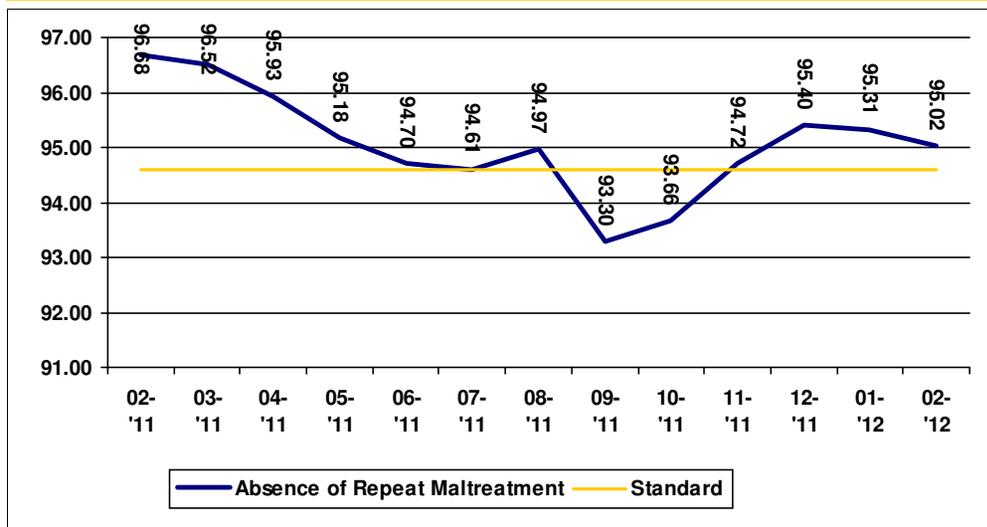
#### Statewide Absence of Repeat Maltreatment



#### Region 1 For February 2011 to February 2012

County	Victims from Mar 2011 to Sep 2011	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
February 2012	642	610	95.02%	94.60%
January 2012	704	671	95.31%	94.60%
December 2011	739	705	95.40%	94.60%
November 2011	738	699	94.72%	94.60%
October 2011	710	665	93.66%	94.60%
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%

#### Region 1 Absence of Repeat Maltreatment





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

For February 2012

## 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

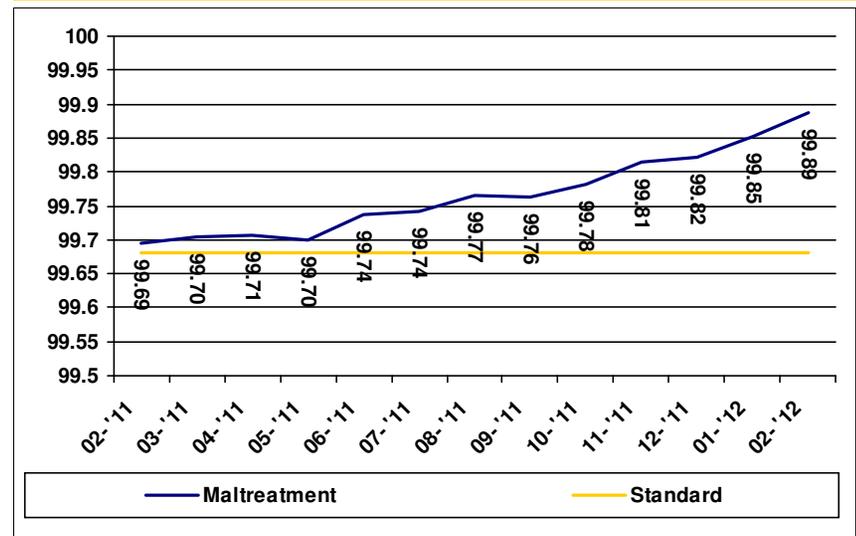
## Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

### For February 2012

#### For February 2012

Location	Children in Foster Care from Mar 2011 to Feb 2012	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	19,457	22	99.89%	<b>99.68%</b>
Region 1	2,575	3	99.88%	<b>99.68%</b>
Lake	2,575	3	99.88%	<b>99.68%</b>

#### Statewide Trend of Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care



#### Region 1 for February 2011 to February 2012

Month	Children in Foster Care from Mar 2011 to Feb 2012	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
February 2012	2,575	3	99.88%	<b>99.68%</b>
January 2012	2,570	4	99.84%	<b>99.68%</b>
December 2011	2,558	3	99.88%	<b>99.68%</b>
November 2011	2,578	2	99.92%	<b>99.68%</b>
October 2011	2,599	2	99.92%	<b>99.68%</b>
September 2011	2,635	2	99.92%	<b>99.68%</b>
August 2011	2,620	2	99.92%	<b>99.68%</b>
July 2011	2,644	3	99.89%	<b>99.68%</b>
June 2011	2,679	5	99.81%	<b>99.68%</b>
May 2011	2,677	5	99.81%	<b>99.68%</b>
April 2011	2,657	4	99.85%	<b>99.68%</b>
March 2011	2,668	4	99.85%	<b>99.68%</b>
February 2011	2,660	3	99.89%	<b>99.68%</b>

#### Region 1 Trend of Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

