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## Practice Indicator Reports

### For May 2011



# Region 08

## May 2011

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

For May 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.



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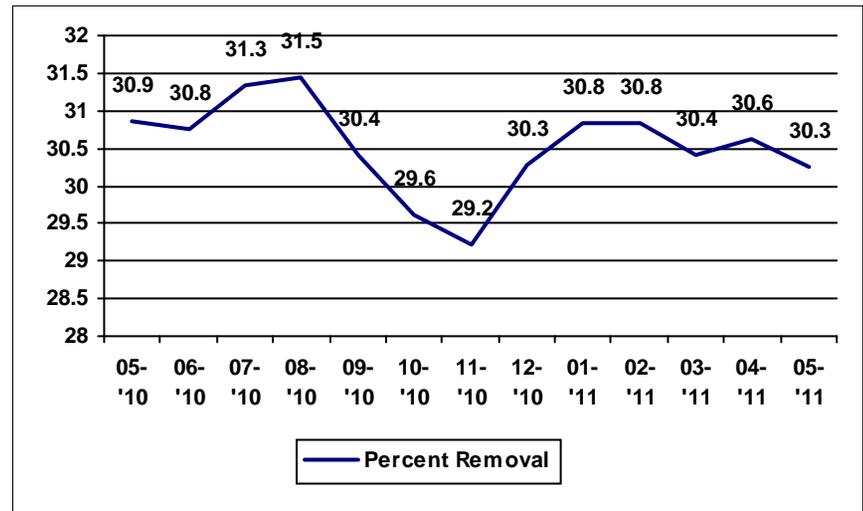
## Initial Assessment - Use of Substitute Care

### For May 2011

#### May 2011

Location	Reports Taken For Mar 2011 to May 2011		Assessments Substantiated For Mar 2011 to May 2011	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
Statewide	42,102	36.7%	5,879	30.3%
Region 8	1,296	36.19%	174	29.31%
Clay	155	43.9%	11	27.3%
Parke	65	43.1%	7	0.0%
Sullivan	134	36.6%	27	51.9%
Vermillion	139	36.0%	38	18.4%
Vigo	803	34.1%	91	29.7%

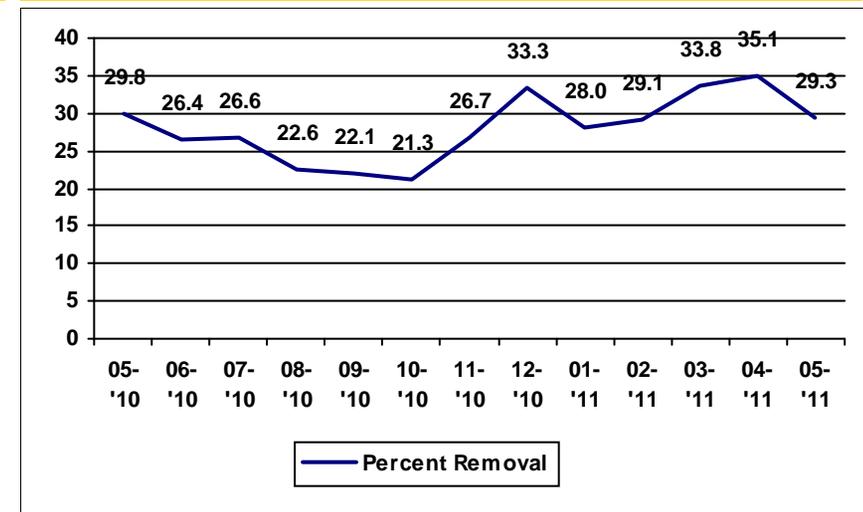
#### Statewide Percent Removal Trend



#### Region 8 For May 2010 to May 2011

Month	Reports Taken For Mar 2011 to May 2011		Assessments Substantiated For Mar 2011 to May 2011	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
May 2011	1,296	36.2%	174	29.3%
Apr 2011	1,172	35.8%	174	35.1%
Mar 2011	1,101	34.5%	157	33.8%
Feb 2011	1,066	33.0%	127	29.1%
Jan 2011	1,115	31.7%	118	28.0%
Dec 2010	1,147	34.0%	126	33.3%
Nov 2010	1,216	36.1%	150	26.7%
Oct 2010	1,176	38.3%	160	21.3%
Sep 2010	1,164	37.4%	172	22.1%
Aug 2010	1,109	32.6%	177	22.6%
Jul 2010	1,117	31.6%	169	26.6%
Jun 2010	1,116	28.0%	159	26.4%
May 2010	1,035	26.4%	151	29.8%

#### Region 8 Percent Removal





# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS Placements by County

For May 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.



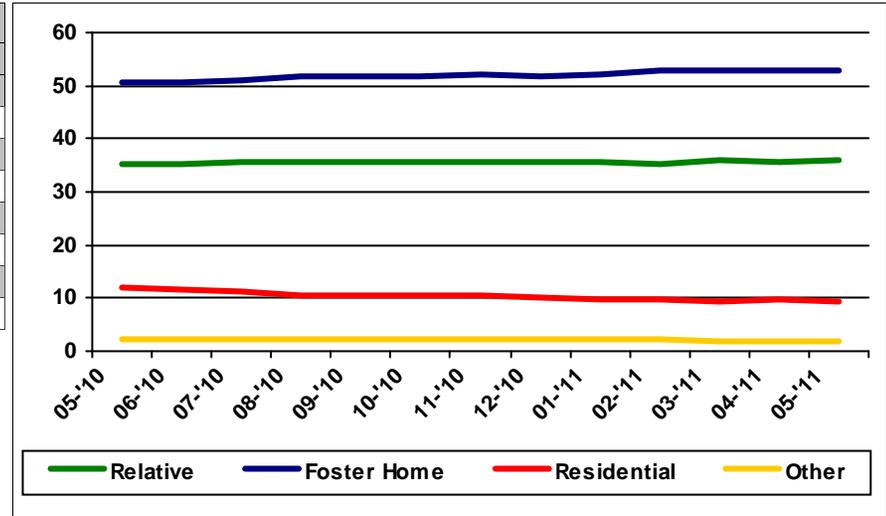
# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS Placements by County

For May 2011

## May 2011

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	13710	3959	28.9%	9,751	71.1%	3526	36.2%	5141	52.7%	901	9.2%	183	1.9%
Region 8	287	81	28.2%	206	71.8%	100	48.5%	91	44.2%	11	5.3%	4	1.9%
Clay	13	5	38.5%	8	61.5%	0	0.0%	8	#####	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Parke	9	2	22.2%	7	77.8%	5	71.4%	0	0.0%	2	28.6%	0	0.0%
Sullivan	47	20	42.6%	27	57.4%	11	40.7%	12	44.4%	3	11.1%	1	3.7%
Vermillion	40	11	27.5%	29	72.5%	21	72.4%	6	20.7%	0	0.0%	2	6.9%
Vigo	178	43	24.2%	135	75.8%	63	46.7%	65	48.1%	6	4.4%	1	0.7%

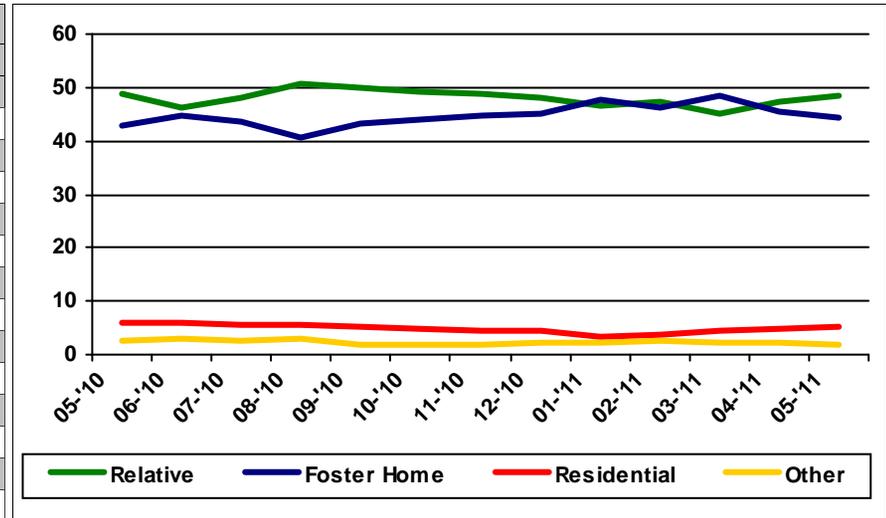
## Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



## Region 8 For May 2010 to May 2011

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	%
May 2011	287	81	28.2%	206	71.8%	100	48.5%	91	44.2%	11	5.3%	4	1.9%
Apr 2011	292	79	27.1%	213	72.9%	101	47.4%	97	45.5%	10	4.7%	5	2.3%
Mar 2011	314	85	27.1%	229	72.9%	103	45.0%	111	48.5%	10	4.4%	5	2.2%
Feb 2011	307	76	24.8%	231	75.2%	109	47.2%	107	46.3%	9	3.9%	6	2.6%
Jan 2011	304	88	28.9%	216	71.1%	101	46.8%	103	47.7%	7	3.2%	5	2.3%
Dec 2010	300	92	30.7%	208	69.3%	100	48.1%	94	45.2%	9	4.3%	5	2.4%
Nov 2010	307	90	29.3%	217	70.7%	106	48.8%	97	44.7%	10	4.6%	4	1.8%
Oct 2010	299	86	28.8%	213	71.2%	105	49.3%	94	44.1%	10	4.7%	4	1.9%
Sep 2010	311	95	30.5%	216	69.5%	108	50.0%	93	43.1%	11	5.1%	4	1.9%
Aug 2010	318	87	27.4%	231	72.6%	117	50.6%	94	40.7%	13	5.6%	7	3.0%
Jul 2010	326	93	28.5%	233	71.5%	112	48.1%	102	43.8%	13	5.6%	6	2.6%
Jun 2010	335	107	31.9%	228	68.1%	105	46.1%	102	44.7%	14	6.1%	7	3.1%
May 2010	330	96	29.1%	234	70.9%	114	48.7%	100	42.7%	14	6.0%	6	2.6%

## Region 8 Foster Care Placement Breakdown





# DCS Practice Indicator Report

## Safely Home Families First by County

May 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, 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, 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

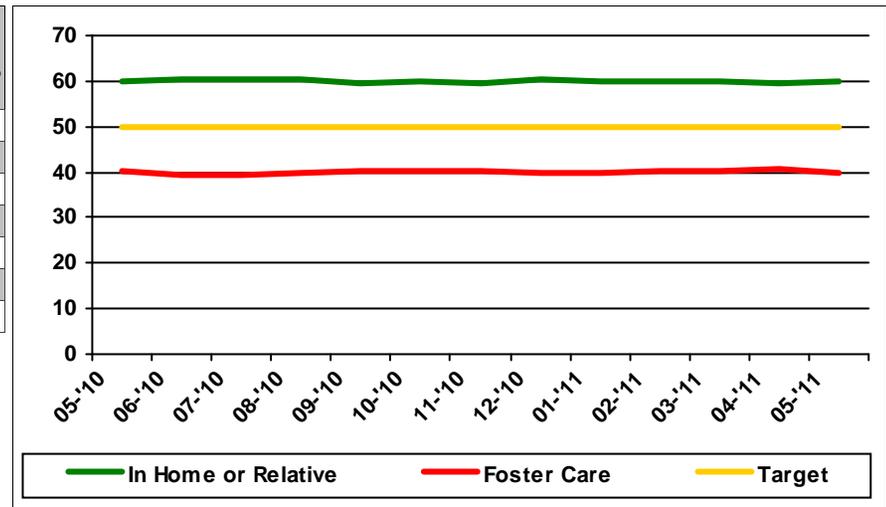
## Safely Home Families First by County

For May 2011

### May 2011

Location	IA	Total CHINS	IA, In Home CHINS, or Relative Care		Target (At or Above) %	Non-Relative Foster Care		Target (At or Below) %
	Count	Count	Count	%	%	Count	%	%
Statewide	1855	13710	9340	60.0%	50.0%	6,225	40.0%	50.0%
Region 8	57	287	238	69.2%	50.0%	106	30.8%	50.0%
Clay	8	13	13	61.9%	50.0%	8	38.1%	50.0%
Parke	0	9	7	77.8%	50.0%	2	22.2%	50.0%
Sullivan	6	47	37	69.8%	50.0%	16	30.2%	50.0%
Vermillion	8	40	40	83.3%	50.0%	8	16.7%	50.0%
Vigo	35	178	141	66.2%	50.0%	72	33.8%	50.0%

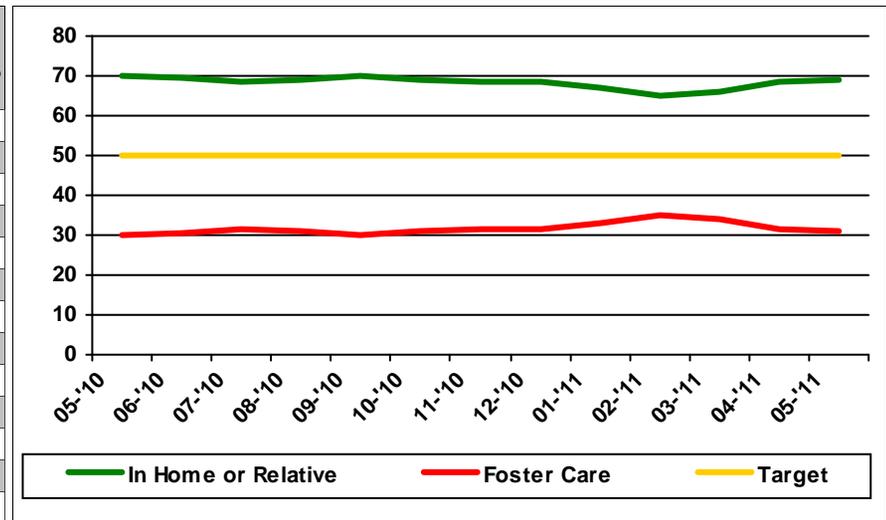
### Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



### Region 8 For May 2010 to May 2011

Location	IA	Total CHINS	IA, In Home CHINS, or Relative Care		Target (At or Above) %	Non-Relative Foster Care		Target (At or Below) %
	Count	Count	Count	%	%	Count	%	%
May 2011	57	287	238	69.2%	50.0%	106	30.8%	50.0%
April 2011	62	292	242	68.4%	50.0%	112	31.6%	50.0%
March 2011	59	314	247	66.2%	50.0%	126	33.8%	50.0%
February 2011	44	307	229	65.2%	50.0%	122	34.8%	50.0%
January 2011	47	304	236	67.2%	50.0%	115	32.8%	50.0%
December 2010	41	300	233	68.3%	50.0%	108	31.7%	50.0%
November 2010	43	307	239	68.3%	50.0%	111	31.7%	50.0%
October 2010	47	299	238	68.8%	50.0%	108	31.2%	50.0%
September 2010	47	311	250	69.8%	50.0%	108	30.2%	50.0%
August 2010	51	318	255	69.1%	50.0%	114	30.9%	50.0%
July 2010	59	326	264	68.6%	50.0%	121	31.4%	50.0%
June 2010	69	335	281	69.6%	50.0%	123	30.4%	50.0%
May 2010	67	330	277	69.8%	50.0%	120	30.2%	50.0%

### Region 8 Foster Care Placement Breakdown





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Locally Placed CHINS

For May 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.



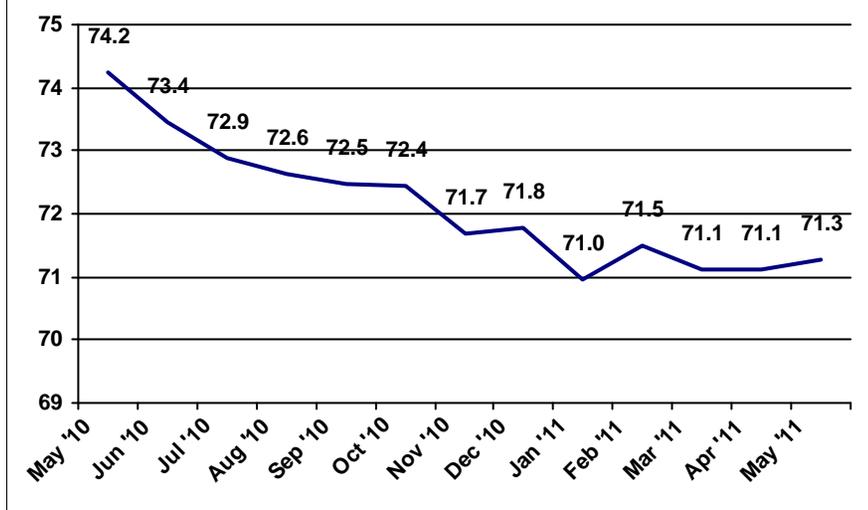
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Locally Placed CHINS

For May 2011

## May 2011

Location	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
Statewide	9,751	6,949	71.3%
Region 8	206	152	73.8%
Clay	8	6	75.0%
Parke	7	5	71.4%
Sullivan	27	13	48.1%
Vermillion	29	18	62.1%
Vigo	135	110	81.5%

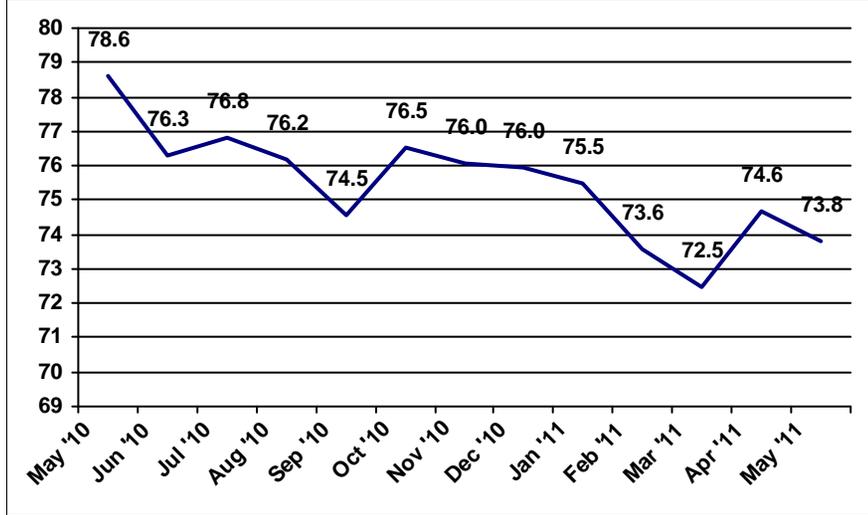
## Statewide Percent Placed Locally



## Region 8 For May 2010 to May 2011

Month	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
May 2011	206	152	73.8%
Apr 2011	213	159	74.6%
Mar 2011	229	166	72.5%
Feb 2011	231	170	73.6%
Jan 2011	216	163	75.5%
Dec 2010	208	158	76.0%
Nov 2010	217	165	76.0%
Oct 2010	213	163	76.5%
Sep 2010	216	161	74.5%
Aug 2010	231	176	76.2%
Jul 2010	233	179	76.8%
Jun 2010	228	174	76.3%
May 2010	234	184	78.6%

## Region 8 Percent Placed Locally





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Average Number of Placements

For May 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.



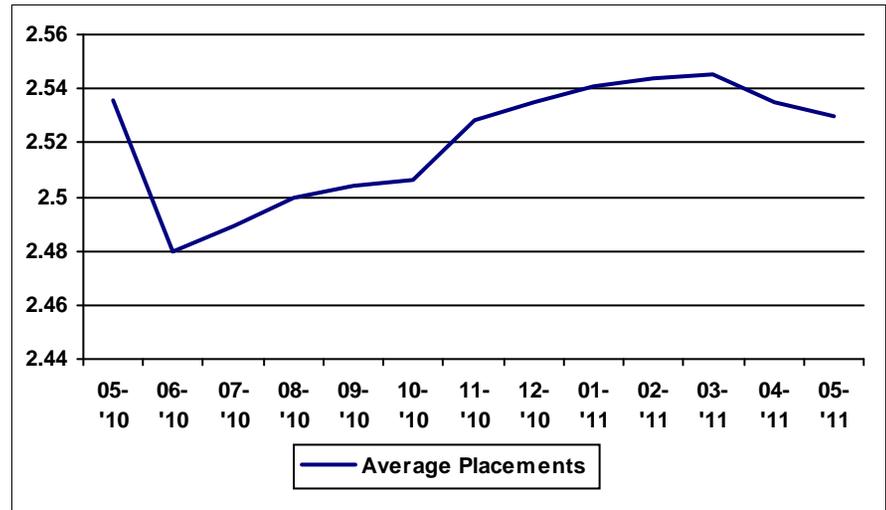
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Average Number of Placements

For May 2010 to May 2011

## May 2011

Location	Average Number of Placements Per Child
Statewide	2.5
Region 8	2.0
Clay	2.3
Parke	1.3
Sullivan	2.5
Vermillion	1.3
Vigo	2.0

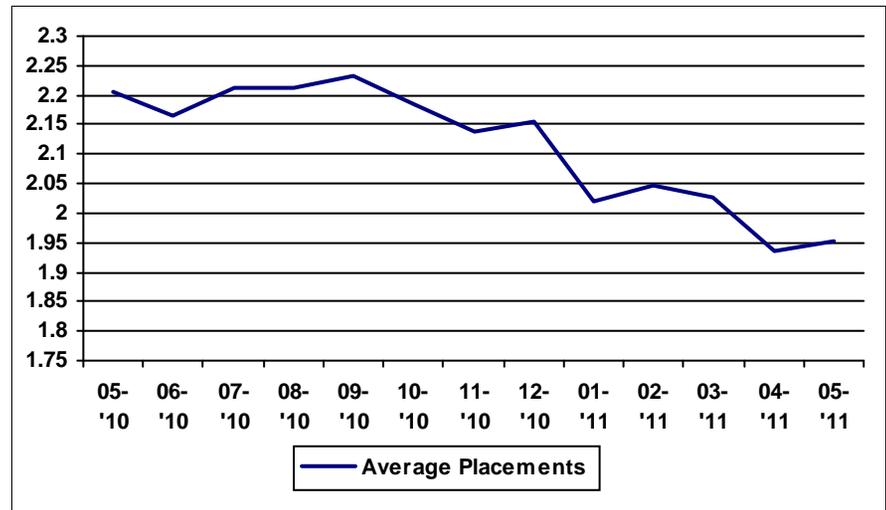
## Statewide Average Number of Placements



## Region 8 For May 2010 to May 2011

Month	Average Number of Placements Per Child
May 2011	2.0
April 2011	1.9
March 2011	2.0
February 2011	2.0
January 2011	2.0
December 2010	2.2
November 2010	2.1
October 2010	2.2
September 2010	2.2
August 2010	2.2
July 2010	2.2
June 2010	2.2
May 2010	2.2

## Region 8 Average Number of Placements





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Sibling Placement Report

For May 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.



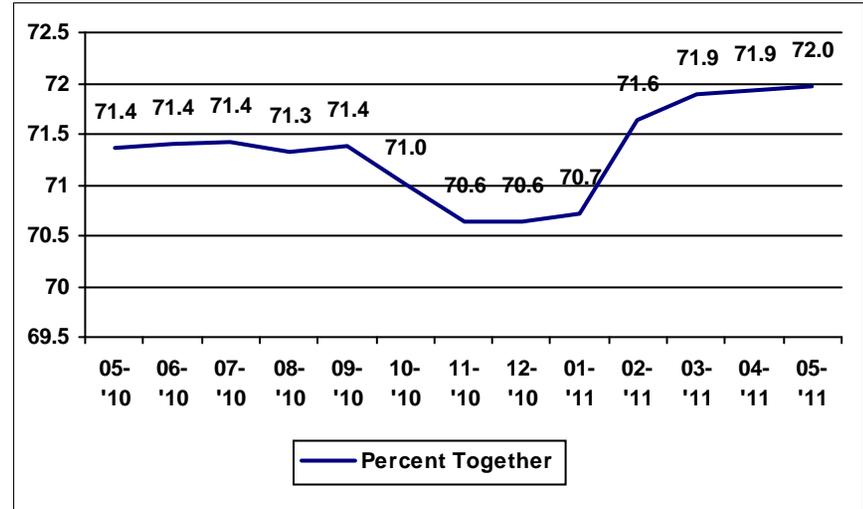
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Sibling Placement Report

May 2011

## May 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	2411	1735	72.0%	2.71
Region 8	56	46	82.1%	2.46
Clay	3	1	33.3%	2.67
Parke	1	1	100.0%	3.00
Sullivan	8	6	75.0%	2.38
Vermillion	9	8	88.9%	2.78
Vigo	35	30	85.7%	2.37

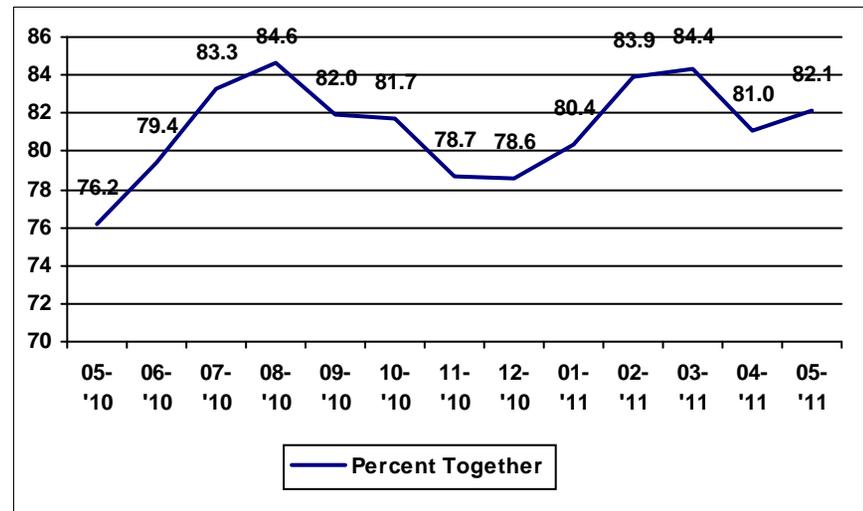
## Statewide Percent Together



## Region 8 For May 2010 to May 2011

Month	Count of Sibling Cases	Cases With All Children Placed Together	Percent Placed Together of Sibling Cases	Average Number of Children per Case
May 2011	56	46	82.1%	2.46
April 2011	58	47	81.0%	2.48
March 2011	64	54	84.4%	2.47
February 2011	62	52	83.9%	2.50
January 2011	56	45	80.4%	2.54
December 2010	56	44	78.6%	2.48
November 2010	61	48	78.7%	2.49
October 2010	60	49	81.7%	2.47
September 2010	61	50	82.0%	2.43
August 2010	65	55	84.6%	2.40
July 2010	66	55	83.3%	2.39
June 2010	63	50	79.4%	2.41
May 2010	63	48	76.2%	2.46

## Region 8 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 May 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 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 c 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

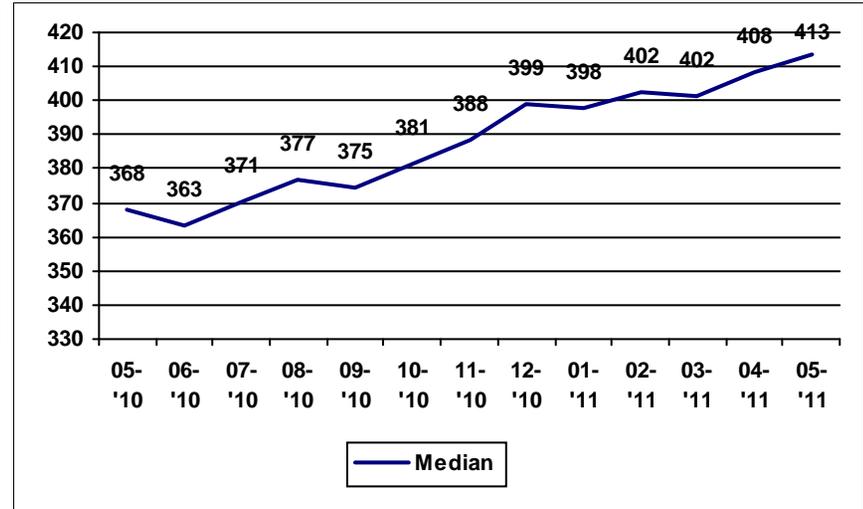
### Children in Out of Home Placement by Length of Time Since Latest Removal

#### For May 2011

#### May 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	4,432	45.5%	2,468	25.3%	1,191	12.2%	1,659	17.0%	637.9	413.4
Region 8	112	54.4%	60	29.1%	17	8.3%	17	8.3%	459.3	328.0
Clay	5	62.5%	3	37.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	408.4	312.0
Parke	6	85.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	14.3%	412.5	209.3
Sullivan	11	40.7%	9	33.3%	4	14.8%	3	11.1%	548.9	403.5
Vermillion	24	82.8%	5	17.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	247.0	252.6
Vigo	66	48.9%	43	31.9%	13	9.6%	13	9.6%	492.4	404.6

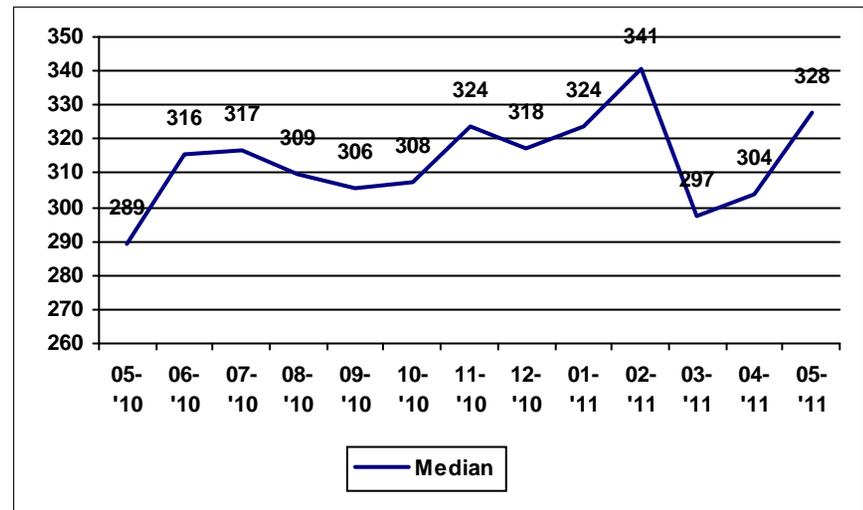
#### Statewide Median Length



#### Region 8 For May 2010 to May 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
May 2011	112	54.4%	60	29.1%	17	8.3%	17	8.3%	459.3	328.0
April 2011	111	52.1%	65	30.5%	23	10.8%	14	6.6%	465.2	303.6
March 2011	126	55.0%	62	27.1%	24	10.5%	17	7.4%	453.7	297.4
February 2011	126	54.5%	59	25.5%	28	12.1%	18	7.8%	476.3	340.6
January 2011	121	56.0%	56	25.9%	22	10.2%	17	7.9%	476.1	323.5
December 2010	117	56.3%	52	25.0%	21	10.1%	18	8.7%	501.4	317.5
November 2010	121	55.8%	52	24.0%	25	11.5%	19	8.8%	493.5	323.6
October 2010	121	56.8%	49	23.0%	24	11.3%	19	8.9%	480.4	307.6
September 2010	122	56.5%	49	22.7%	19	8.8%	26	12.0%	501.7	305.5
August 2010	134	58.0%	49	21.2%	20	8.7%	28	12.1%	488.2	309.4
July 2010	143	61.4%	44	18.9%	25	10.7%	21	9.0%	490.0	316.5
June 2010	138	60.5%	53	23.2%	17	7.5%	20	8.8%	486.0	315.5
May 2010	146	62.4%	47	20.1%	22	9.4%	19	8.1%	473.6	289.0

#### Region 8 Median Length





# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For May 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	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.



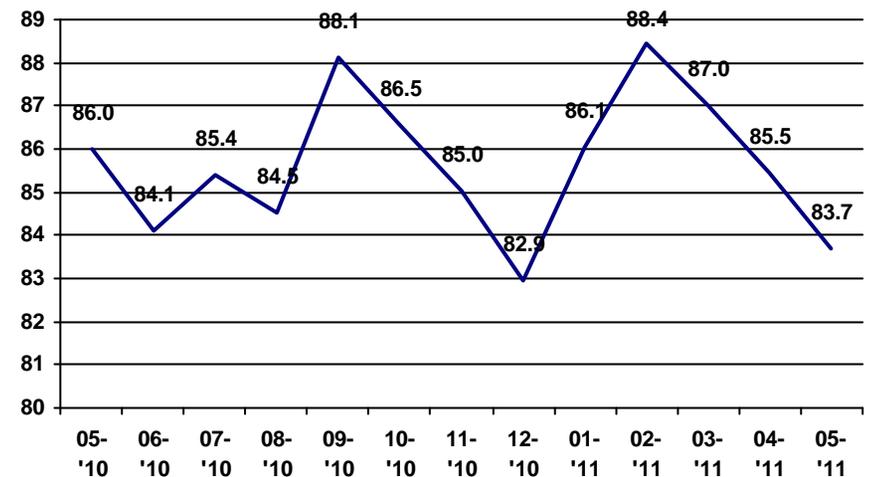
# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For May 2011

## May 2011

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
Statewide	627	107	21	54	25	834	698	83.7
Region 8	24	2	0	0	1	27	25	92.6
Clay	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	100.0
Parke	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA
Sullivan	3	0	0	0	0	3	3	100.0
Vermillion	7	0	0	0	0	7	7	100.0
Vigo	12	2	0	0	1	15	13	86.7

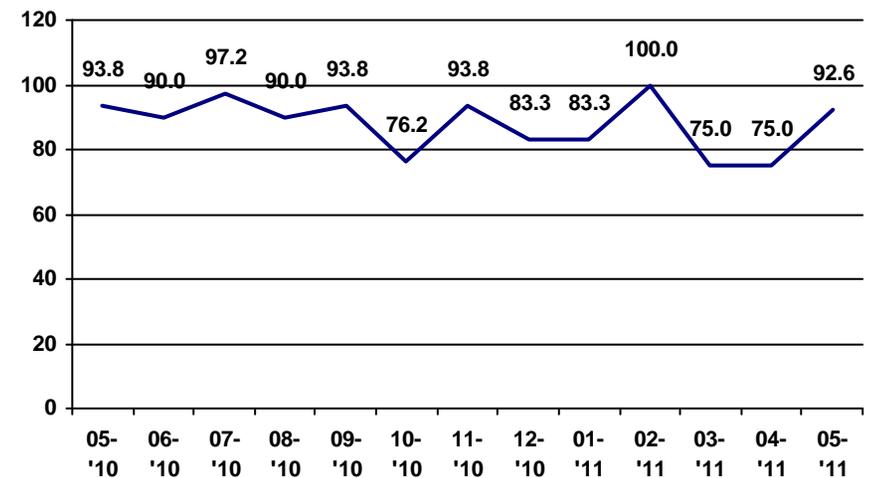
## Statewide Permanency within 24 Months



## Region 8 For May 2010 to May 2011

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
May 2011	24	2	0	0	1	27	25	92.6
Apr 2011	19	5	0	0	0	24	18	75.0
Mar 2011	14	6	0	0	0	20	15	75.0
Feb 2011	24	0	0	3	1	28	28	100.0
Jan 2011	9	1	0	1	1	12	10	83.3
Dec 2010	11	5	2	0	0	18	15	83.3
Nov 2010	15	0	0	0	1	16	15	93.8
Oct 2010	14	3	1	1	2	21	16	76.2
Sep 2010	12	0	0	2	2	16	15	93.8
Aug 2010	27	3	0	0	0	30	27	90.0
Jul 2010	35	0	1	0	0	36	35	97.2
Jun 2010	19	1	0	0	0	20	18	90.0
May 2010	14	1	0	1	0	16	15	93.8

## Region 8 Permanency within 24 Months





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Family Case Manager Contacts Report

For May 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

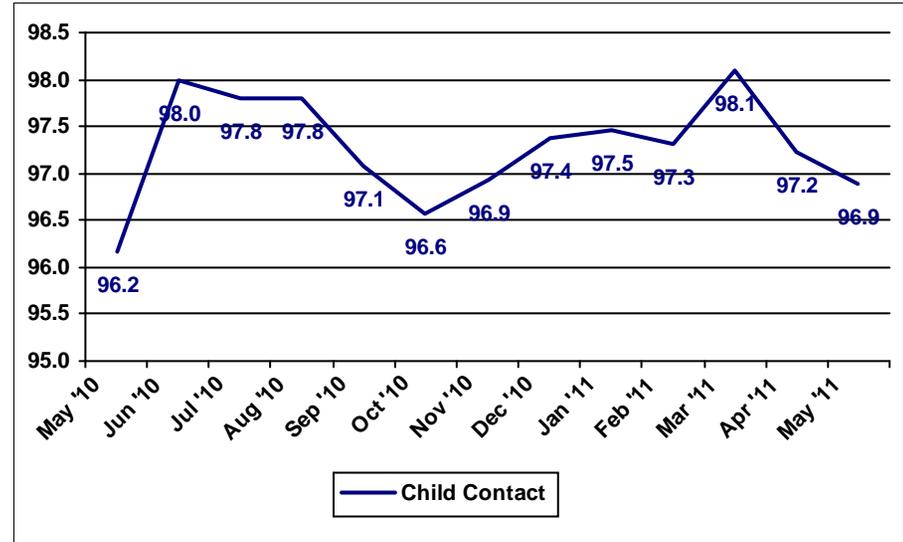
## Family Case Manager Contacts Report

### For May 2011

#### May 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	9,363	2,769	29.6%	9,071	96.9%	2,714	29.0%
Region 8	200	99	49.5%	193	96.5%	98	49.0%
Clay	8	8	100.0%	8	100.0%	8	100.0%
Parke	6	5	83.3%	5	83.3%	4	66.7%
Sullivan	27	5	18.5%	26	96.3%	5	18.5%
Vermillion	29	20	69.0%	28	96.6%	20	69.0%
Vigo	130	61	46.9%	126	96.9%	61	46.9%

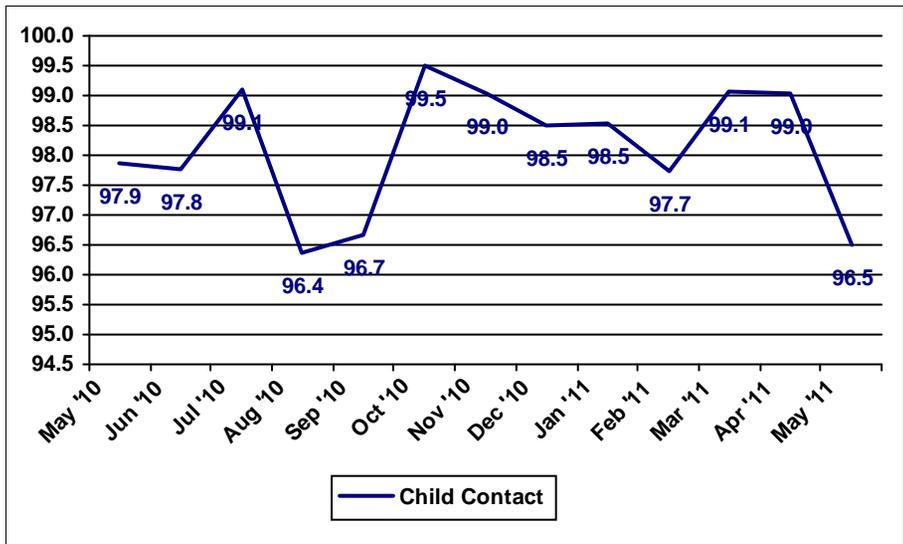
#### Statewide Child Contact Rate



#### Region 8 For May 2010 to May 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
May 2011	200	99	49.5%	193	96.5%	98	49.0%
Apr 2011	208	105	50.5%	206	99.0%	104	50.0%
Mar 2011	215	104	48.4%	213	99.1%	104	48.4%
Feb 2011	219	102	46.6%	214	97.7%	100	45.7%
Jan 2011	204	92	45.1%	201	98.5%	92	45.1%
Dec 2010	200	84	42.0%	197	98.5%	84	42.0%
Nov 2010	207	87	42.0%	205	99.0%	87	42.0%
Oct 2010	205	85	41.5%	204	99.5%	84	41.0%
Sep 2010	209	87	41.6%	202	96.7%	87	41.6%
Aug 2010	220	87	39.5%	212	96.4%	87	39.5%
Jul 2010	223	95	42.6%	221	99.1%	95	42.6%
Jun 2010	224	89	39.7%	219	97.8%	86	38.4%
May 2010	234	100	42.7%	229	97.9%	99	42.3%

#### Region 8 Child Contact Rate





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Child Visitation Report

For May 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

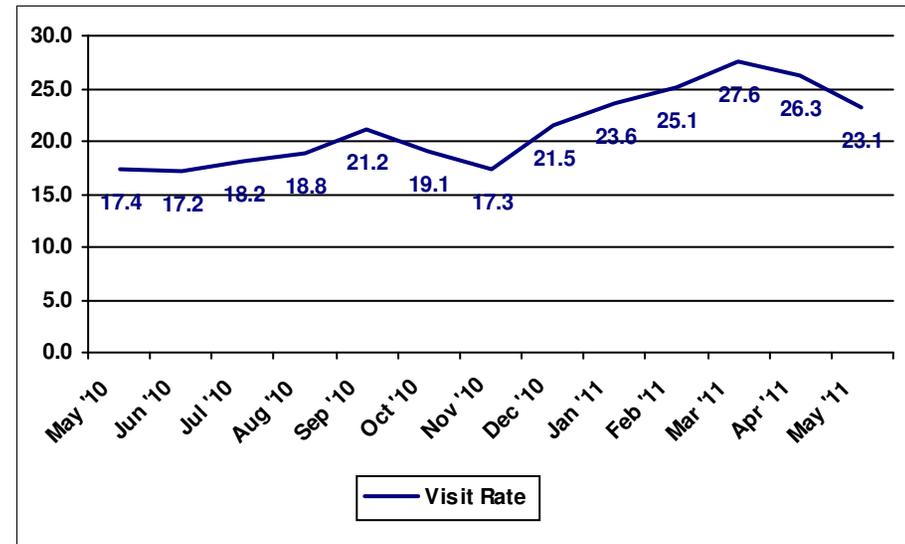
## Child Visitation Report

### For May 2011

#### May 2011

Location	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Children with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
Statewide	5,138	1,189	23.1%
Region 8	130	29	22.3%
Clay	8	5	62.5%
Parke	4	0	0.0%
Sullivan	15	0	0.0%
Vermillion	25	11	44.0%
Vigo	78	13	16.7%

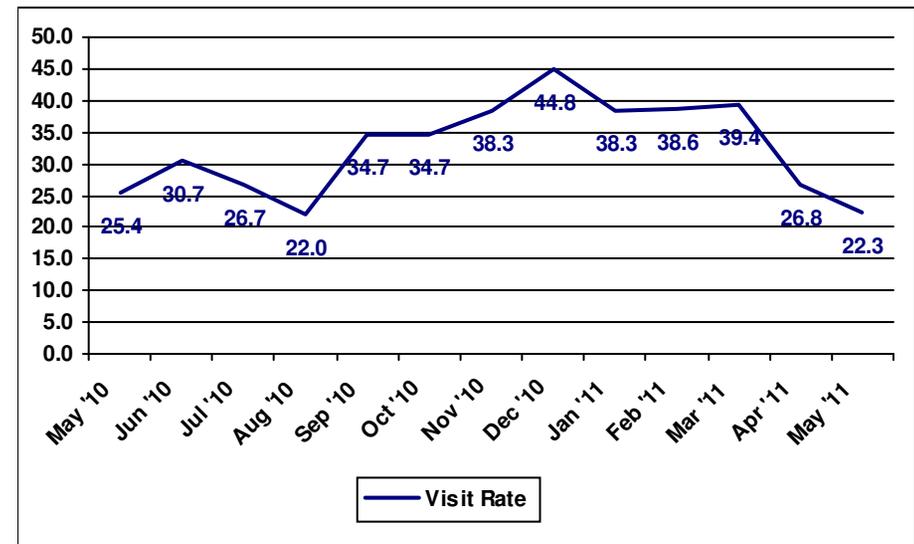
#### Statewide Visitation Rate



#### Region 8 For May 2010 to May 2011

Month	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Children with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
May 2011	130	29	22.3%
Apr 2011	127	34	26.8%
Mar 2011	137	54	39.4%
Feb 2011	127	49	38.6%
Jan 2011	115	44	38.3%
Dec 2010	116	52	44.8%
Nov 2010	120	46	38.3%
Oct 2010	118	41	34.7%
Sep 2010	124	43	34.7%
Aug 2010	127	28	22.0%
Jul 2010	135	36	26.7%
Jun 2010	137	42	30.7%
May 2010	142	36	25.4%

#### Region 8 Visitation Rate





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

For May 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 ( $\geq 1^{\text{st}}$  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.

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

**Percent of absence of repeat maltreatment** – This calculations 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.



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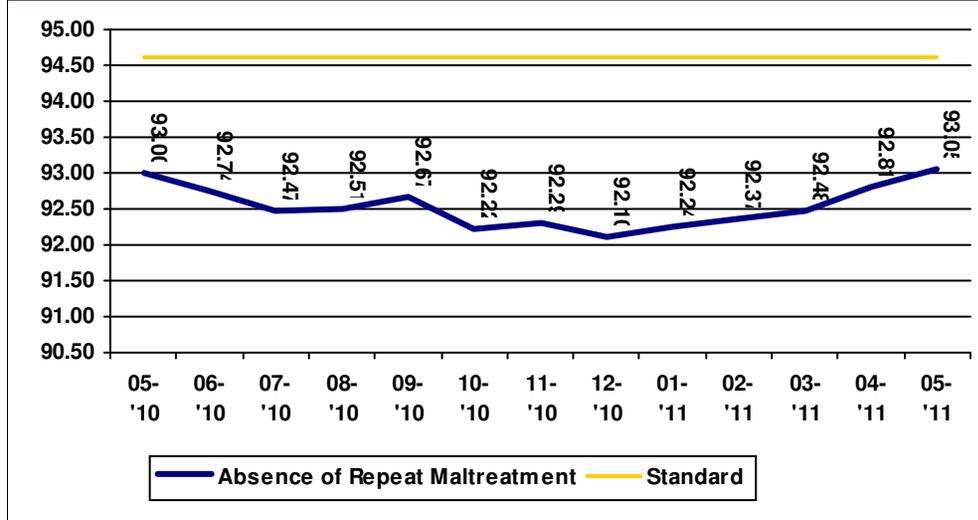
## Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

For May 2011

### May 2011

County	Victims from Jun 2010 to Dec 2010	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	10,674	9,932	93.05%	94.60%
Region 8	269	257	95.54%	94.60%
Clay	26	24	92.31%	94.60%
Parke	14	14	100.00%	94.60%
Sullivan	38	38	100.00%	94.60%
Vermillion	50	44	88.00%	94.60%
Vigo	141	137	97.16%	94.60%

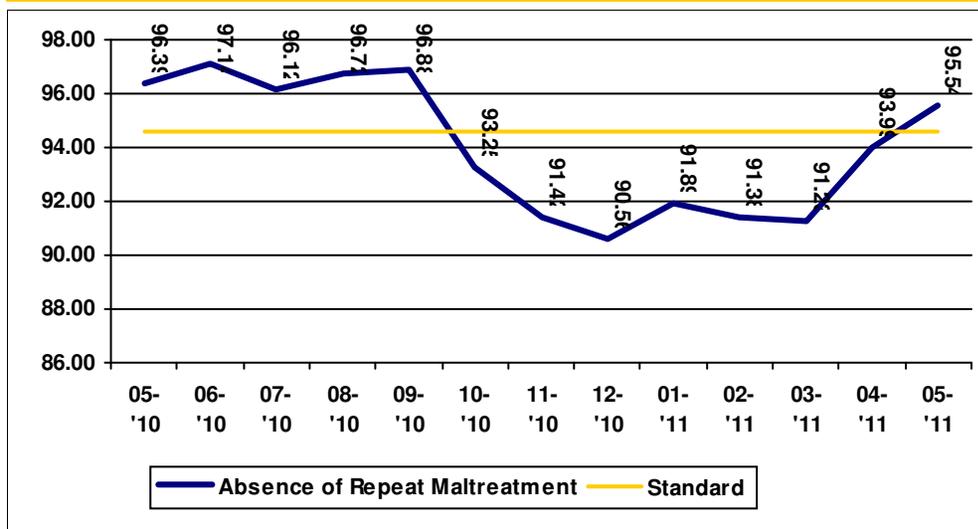
### Statewide Absence of Repeat Maltreatment



### Region 8 For May 2010 to May 2011

County	Victims from Jun 2010 to Dec 2010	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
May 2011	269	257	95.54%	94.60%
April 2011	283	266	93.99%	94.60%
March 2011	285	260	91.23%	94.60%
February 2011	290	265	91.38%	94.60%
January 2011	296	272	91.89%	94.60%
December 2010	286	259	90.56%	94.60%
November 2010	303	277	91.42%	94.60%
October 2010	311	290	93.25%	94.60%
September 2010	321	311	96.88%	94.60%
August 2010	335	324	96.72%	94.60%
July 2010	361	347	96.12%	94.60%
June 2010	385	374	97.14%	94.60%
May 2010	360	347	96.39%	94.60%

### Region 8 Absence of Repeat Maltreatment





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

For May 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 calculations 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.

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



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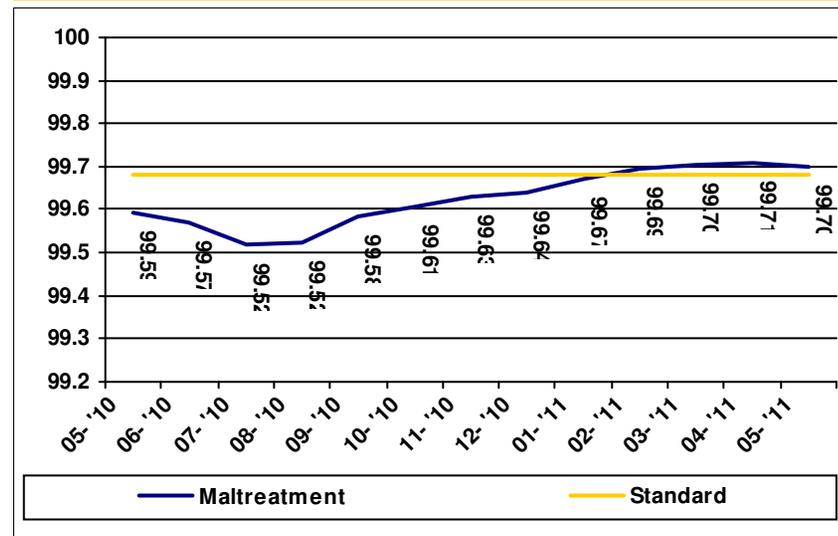
## Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

### For May 2011

#### For May 2011

Location	Children in Foster Care from Jun 2010 to May 2011	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	20,976	63	99.70%	99.68%
Region 8	465	2	99.57%	99.68%
Clay	20	0	100.00%	99.68%
Parke	20	0	100.00%	99.68%
Sullivan	69	0	100.00%	99.68%
Vermillion	72	1	98.61%	99.68%
Vigo	284	1	99.65%	99.68%

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



#### Region 8 for May 2010 to May 2011

Month	Children in Foster Care from Jun 2010 to May 2011	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
May 2011	465	2	99.57%	99.68%
April 2011	467	3	99.36%	99.68%
March 2011	478	3	99.37%	99.68%
February 2011	452	5	98.89%	99.68%
January 2011	457	6	98.69%	99.68%
December 2010	457	5	98.91%	99.68%
November 2010	463	4	99.14%	99.68%
October 2010	457	4	99.12%	99.68%
September 2010	459	4	99.13%	99.68%
August 2010	458	2	99.56%	99.68%
July 2010	456	1	99.78%	99.68%
June 2010	456	1	99.78%	99.68%
May 2010	471	1	99.79%	99.68%

#### Region 8 Trend of Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

