

**BIG NUMBERS,
BIG NEEDS
IN CHILDREN
SERVICES**



2023 CASES ASSESSED BASED ON SCREENED-IN REPORTS OF ABUSE/NEGLECT/OTHER:

84,524

OF THESE

38,881
ASSIGNED TO
TRADITIONAL
RESPONSE



33,810
ASSIGNED TO
ALTERNATIVE
RESPONSE



4,226
DEPENDENCY
CASES



7,607
FAMILIES IN NEED
OF SERVICES



**CHILDREN
PLACED IN OUT-
OF-HOME CARE:
24,114**

**REUNIFIED
WITH FAMILY:
4,051**

**ADOPTED:
1,468**

**LEGAL CUSTODY
TO KIN OR
GUARDIANSHIP:
2,190**

**AVAILABLE FOR
ADOPTION:
3,223**

**AGED OUT:
945**

SAFE CHILDREN. STABLE FAMILIES. SUPPORTIVE COMMUNITIES.

OHIO MUST MAINTAIN ITS INVESTMENT IN CHILDREN SERVICES



Source: ODJFS/ODCY data run received 12/21/2023 for SFY 2023 (July 1, 2022--June 30, 2023). Additional calculations by PCSAO.