County Demographics 2022

Population		208,851	
	Race	White	93%
		African American	1%
		Multi-racial	4%
		Other	2%
	Ethnicity (% Hispanic)		2%
Child Population		46,991	
Per Capita Income		$41,566	
Poverty Rate	All Ages		8%
	Children		9%
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren		2,137	

Agency Response SFY 2023

Reports Screened-In by Agency		1,146
By Type	Physical Abuse	35%
	Neglect	30%
	Sexual Abuse	10%
	Emotional Maltreatment	1%
	Multiple Allegations	15%
	Family in Need of Services, Dependency, Other	8%
By Category	Abuse or Neglect (Traditional Response)	33%
	Abuse or Neglect (Alternative Response)	60%
	Dependency	3%
	Family in Need of Services	5%
Cases Transferred to Ongoing		142

Children in Custody

	SFY 2022	SFY 2023	Change
Total in custody anytime during year	265	268	1%
Rate per 1,000 children	5.6	5.7	1%

Permanency

Children who gained permanency through	SFY 2022	SFY 2023	Change
Reunification	37	49	32%
Guardianship	0	2	-
Custody to Relative	24	18	-25%
Adoption	21	10	-52%
Children waiting to be adopted	35	50	43%

Youth Aged Out of Care

	SFY 2022	SFY 2023	Change
Number Aged Out	13	14	8%

Children Served

	On 7/1/2022		On 7/1/2023	
Total	344		344	
In Custody	173	50%	180	52%
In Home	171	50%	164	48%

Profile of Children in Custody on 7/1/2023

Gender

Female	52%
Male	48%

Race

White	67%
African American	2%
Multiracial	31%
Other	0%

Ethnicity (% Hispanic) 3%

Age in Years
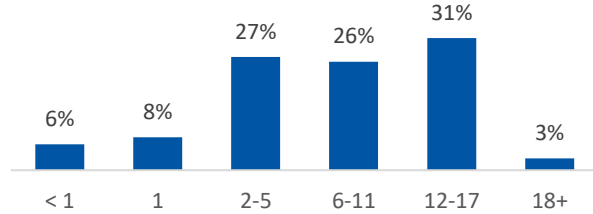
Primary Reason for Removal

Neglect	25%
Dependency	22%
Physical abuse	3%
Sexual abuse	2%
Delinquency/unruly	1%
Parental sub abuse	40%
Other	7%
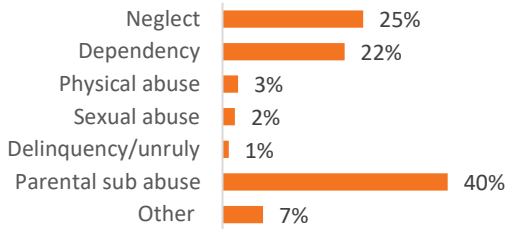
Type of Custody

Temporary	61%
Permanent	39%
Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	0%

Placement Type

Licensed foster home	70%
Kinship home	21%
Group home	2%
Residential facility	3%
Adoptive placement	2%
Ind. Living/Other	2%
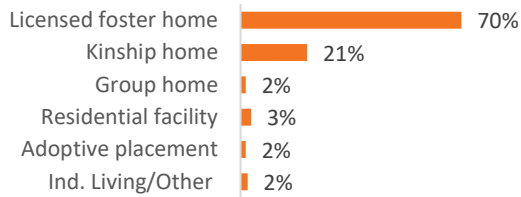
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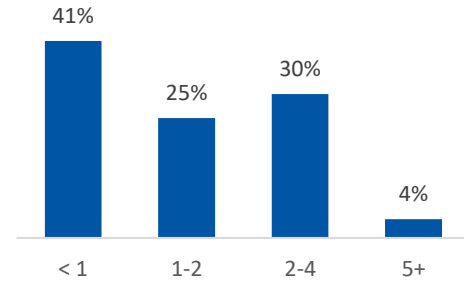
Profile of Children in Home on 7/1/2023

Gender

Female	55%
Male	45%

Race

White	88%
African American	4%
Multiracial	7%
Other	0%

Ethnicity (% Hispanic) 3%

Age in Years