

Scioto County: Children Services Profile

June 2023

County Demographics 2022

Population		73,716
Race	White	93%
	African American	3%
	Multiracial	3%
	Other	1%
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)		2%
Child Population		15,923
Per Capita Income		\$25,279
Poverty Rate	All Ages	24%
	Children	31%
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren		1,056

Agency Response SFY 2023

Reports Screened-In by Agency		790
By Type	Physical Abuse	17%
	Neglect	24%
	Sexual Abuse	8%
	Emotional Maltreatment	1%
	Multiple Allegations	37%
	Family in Need of Services, Dependency, Other	12%
By Category	Abuse or Neglect (Traditional Response)	64%
	Abuse or Neglect (Alternative Response)	24%
	Dependency	3%
	Family in Need of Services	8%
Cases Transferred to Ongoing		90

Children in Custody	SFY 2022	SFY 2023	Change
Total in custody anytime during year	526	498	-5%
Rate per 1,000 children	33.0	31.3	-5%

Permanency

Children who gained permanency through	SFY 2022	SFY 2023	Change
Reunification	83	88	6%
Guardianship	2	2	0%
Custody to Relative	32	30	-6%
Adoption	10	14	40%
Children waiting to be adopted	29	21	-28%

Youth Aged Out of Care

	SFY 2022	SFY 2023	Change
Number Aged Out	22	12	-45%

Children Served

	On 7/1/2022		On 7/1/2023	
Total	572		452	
In Custody	363	63%	335	74%
In Home	209	37%	117	26%

Profile of Children in Custody on 7/1/2023

Gender

Female	49%
Male	51%

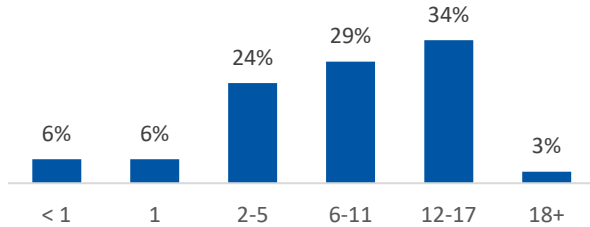
Race

White	89%
African American	2%
Multiracial	8%
Other	0%

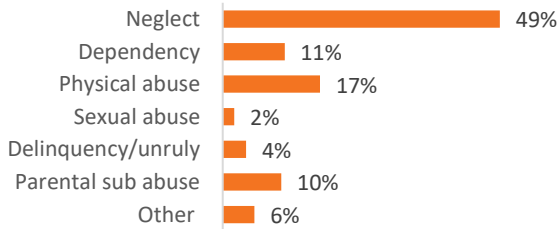
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

4%

Age in Years



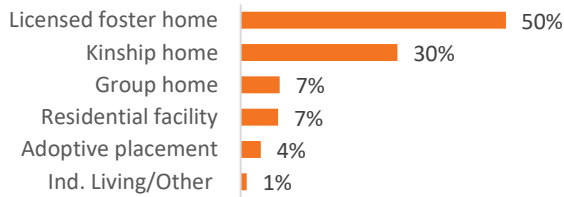
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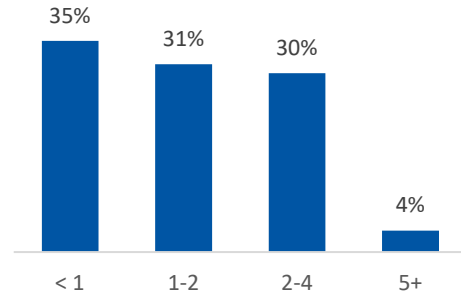
Type of Custody

Temporary	84%
Permanent	14%
Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	2%

Placement Type



Years in Custody



Profile of Children in Home on 7/1/2023

Gender

Female	46%
Male	54%

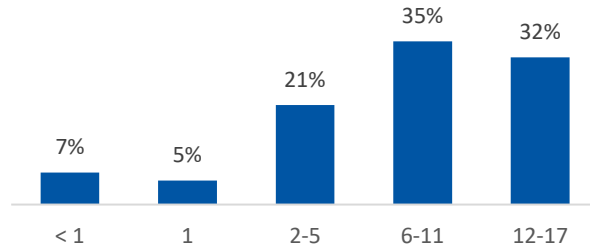
Race

White	92%
African American	0%
Multiracial	5%
Other	0%

Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

2%

Age in Years



Contact Information

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For data sources and notes, go to
<https://www.pcsao.org/pdf/factbook/2023/Sources.pdf>