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## Practice Indicator Reports

### For January 2011



# Region 07

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

For January 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.



# DCS Practice Indicator Report

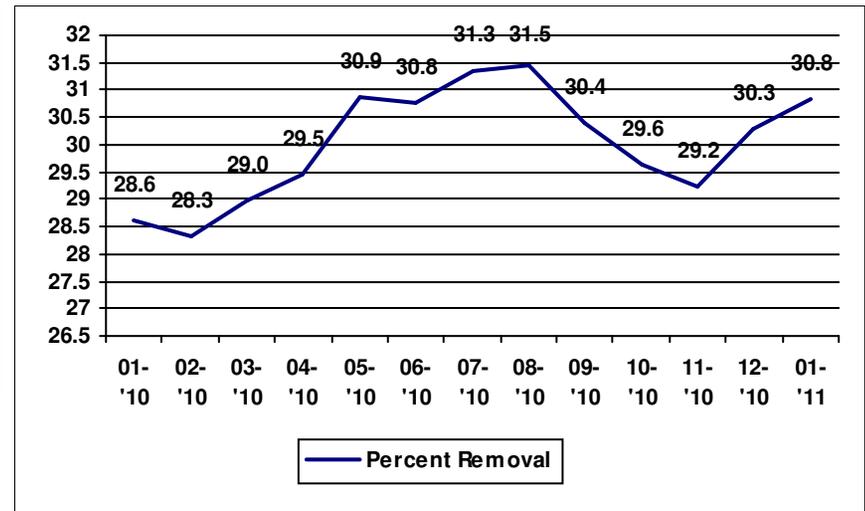
## Initial Assessment - Use of Substitute Care

### For January 2011

#### January 2011

Location	Reports Taken For Nov 2010 to Jan 2011		Assessments Substantiated For Nov 2010 to Jan 2011	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
Statewide	36,064	34.1%	5,343	30.8%
Region 7	1,572	39.44%	142	30.28%
Blackford	68	39.7%	6	16.7%
Delaware	850	41.5%	61	31.1%
Grant	401	33.4%	44	22.7%
Jay	118	42.4%	15	33.3%
Randolph	135	41.5%	16	50.0%

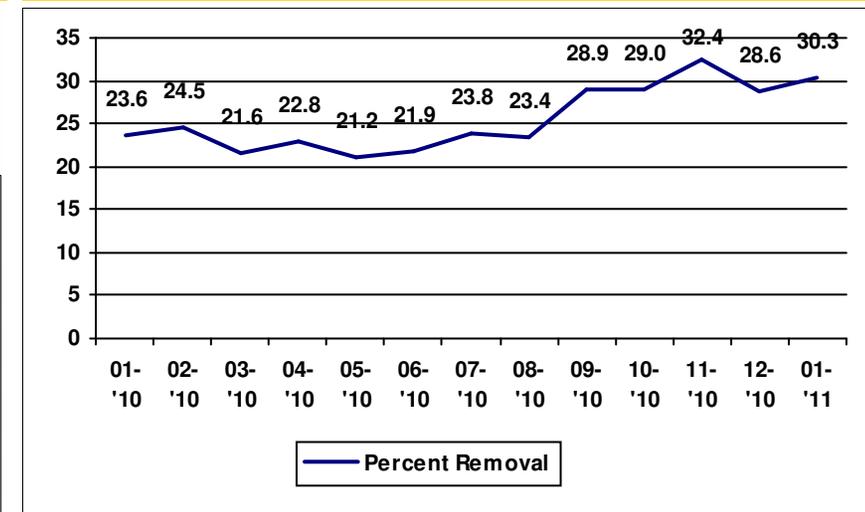
#### Statewide Percent Removal Trend



#### Region 7 For January 2010 to January 2011

Month	Reports Taken For Nov 2010 to Jan 2011		Assessments Substantiated For Nov 2010 to Jan 2011	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
Jan 2011	1,572	39.4%	142	30.3%
Dec 2010	1,555	37.2%	199	28.6%
Nov 2010	1,596	37.1%	210	32.4%
Oct 2010	1,559	35.7%	238	29.0%
Sep 2010	1,469	34.6%	249	28.9%
Aug 2010	1,453	32.3%	265	23.4%
Jul 2010	1,396	29.7%	303	23.8%
Jun 2010	1,463	25.1%	306	21.9%
May 2010	1,411	20.5%	302	21.2%
Apr 2010	1,283	13.5%	267	22.8%
Mar 2010	1,138	7.5%	241	21.6%
Feb 2010	1,051	4.9%	261	24.5%
Jan 2010	1,080	9.0%	246	23.6%

#### Region 7 Percent Removal





# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS Placements by County

For January 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.



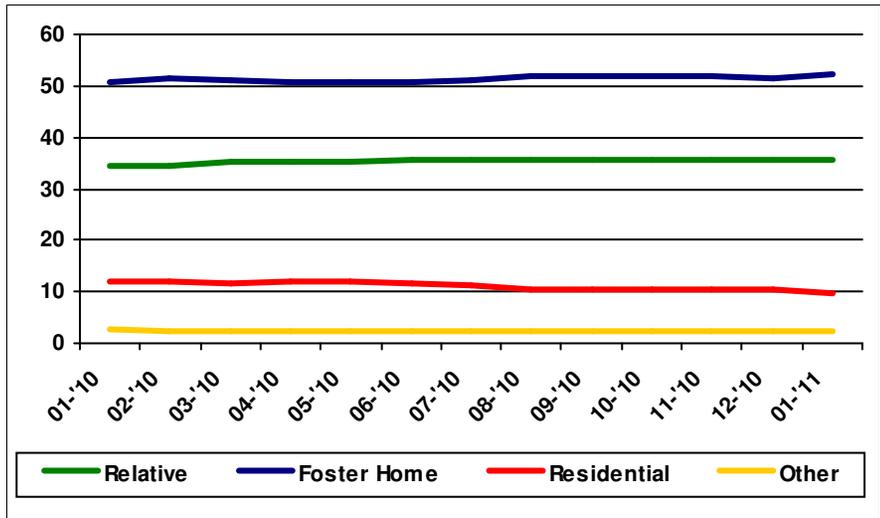
# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS Placements by County

For January 2011

## January 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	14172	4207	29.7%	9,965	70.3%	3554	35.7%	5192	52.1%	981	9.8%	238	2.4%
Region 7	377	115	30.5%	262	69.5%	127	48.5%	103	39.3%	27	10.3%	5	1.9%
Blackford	17	5	29.4%	12	70.6%	4	33.3%	7	58.3%	1	8.3%	0	0.0%
Delaware	168	37	22.0%	131	78.0%	70	53.4%	46	35.1%	11	8.4%	4	3.1%
Grant	120	38	31.7%	82	68.3%	35	42.7%	36	43.9%	11	13.4%	0	0.0%
Jay	42	29	69.0%	13	31.0%	7	53.8%	4	30.8%	1	7.7%	1	7.7%
Randolph	30	6	20.0%	24	80.0%	11	45.8%	10	41.7%	3	12.5%	0	0.0%

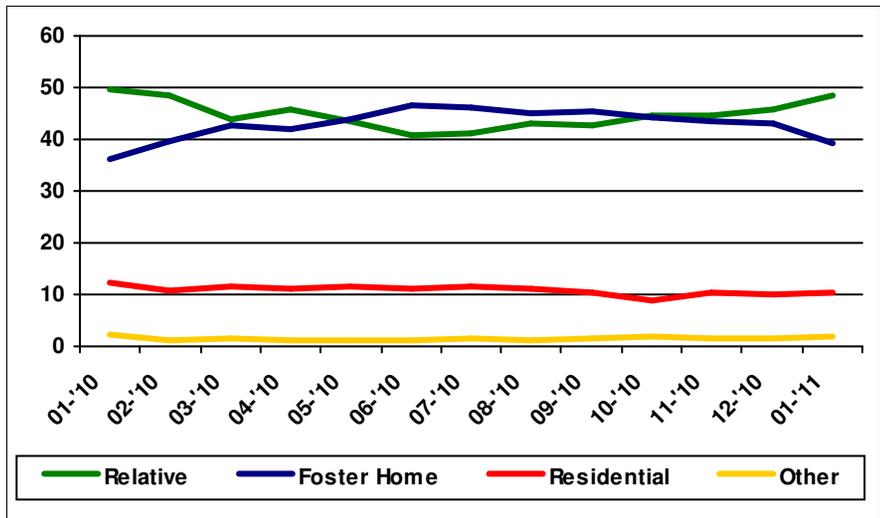
## Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



## Region 7 For January 2010 to January 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	%
Jan 2011	377	115	30.5%	262	69.5%	127	48.5%	103	39.3%	27	10.3%	5	1.9%
Dec 2010	393	100	25.4%	293	74.6%	134	45.7%	126	43.0%	29	9.9%	4	1.4%
Nov 2010	392	96	24.5%	296	75.5%	132	44.6%	129	43.6%	31	10.5%	4	1.4%
Oct 2010	410	121	29.5%	289	70.5%	129	44.6%	128	44.3%	26	9.0%	6	2.1%
Sep 2010	402	118	29.4%	284	70.6%	121	42.6%	129	45.4%	30	10.6%	4	1.4%
Aug 2010	396	115	29.0%	281	71.0%	121	43.1%	126	44.8%	31	11.0%	3	1.1%
Jul 2010	390	110	28.2%	280	71.8%	115	41.1%	129	46.1%	32	11.4%	4	1.4%
Jun 2010	387	113	29.2%	274	70.8%	112	40.9%	128	46.7%	31	11.3%	3	1.1%
May 2010	377	112	29.7%	265	70.3%	115	43.4%	116	43.8%	31	11.7%	3	1.1%
Apr 2010	376	108	28.7%	268	71.3%	123	45.9%	112	41.8%	30	11.2%	3	1.1%
Mar 2010	398	132	33.2%	266	66.8%	117	44.0%	114	42.9%	31	11.7%	4	1.5%
Feb 2010	408	125	30.6%	283	69.4%	137	48.4%	112	39.6%	31	11.0%	3	1.1%
Jan 2010	419	136	32.5%	283	67.5%	140	49.5%	102	36.0%	35	12.4%	6	2.1%

## Region 7 Foster Care Placement Breakdown





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Use of Foster Care by County

January 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.

**Total CHINS Count** – This is the number of children that have an open CHINS case on the last day of the report month.

**In Home or Relative Care** – 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 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 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 in their own home or in relative care divided by the total number of children that have an open 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 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 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 CHINS children in out of home placement at the end 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 CHINS case on the last day of the month is 50% or higher.



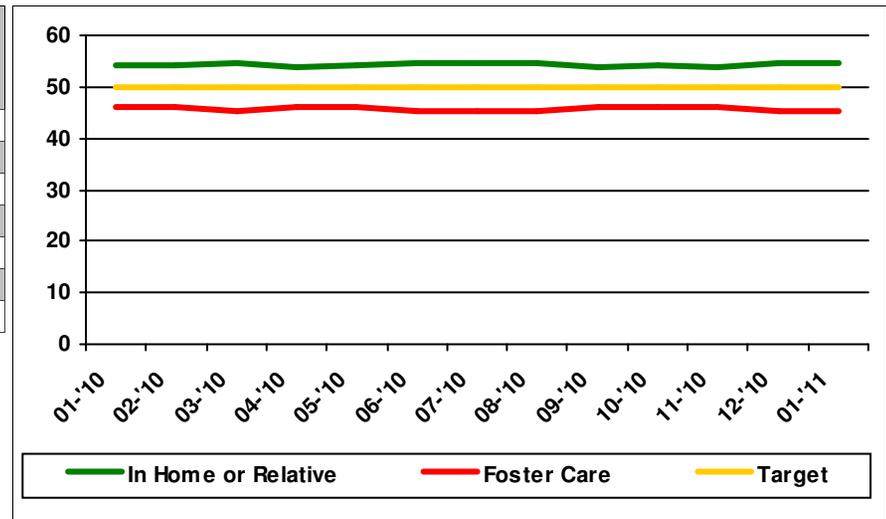
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Use of Foster Care by County

For January 2011

## January 2011

Location	Total CHINS	In Home or Relative Care		Target (At or Above) %	Non-Relative Foster Care		Target (At or Below) %
	Count	Count	%		Count	%	
Statewide	14172	7761	54.8%	50.0%	6,411	45.2%	50.0%
Region 7	377	242	64.2%	50.0%	135	35.8%	50.0%
Blackford	17	9	52.9%	50.0%	8	47.1%	50.0%
Delaware	168	107	63.7%	50.0%	61	36.3%	50.0%
Grant	120	73	60.8%	50.0%	47	39.2%	50.0%
Jay	42	36	85.7%	50.0%	6	14.3%	50.0%
Randolph	30	17	56.7%	50.0%	13	43.3%	50.0%

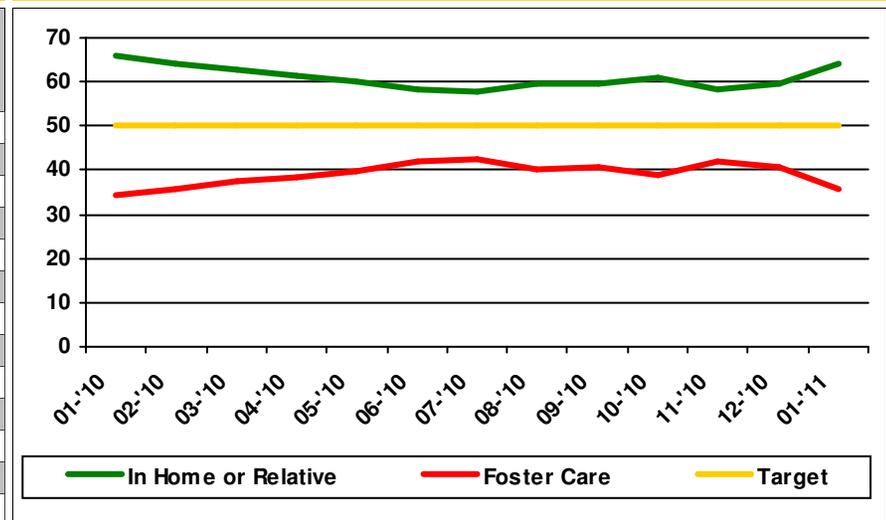
## Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



## Region 7 For January 2010 to January 2011

Month	Total CHINS	In Home or Relative Care		Target (At or Above) %	Non-Relative Foster Care		Target (At or Below) %
	Count	Count	%		Count	%	
January 2011	377	242	64.2%	50.0%	135	35.8%	50.0%
December 2010	393	234	59.5%	50.0%	159	40.5%	50.0%
November 2010	392	228	58.2%	50.0%	164	41.8%	50.0%
October 2010	410	250	61.0%	50.0%	160	39.0%	50.0%
September 2010	402	239	59.5%	50.0%	163	40.5%	50.0%
August 2010	396	236	59.6%	50.0%	160	40.4%	50.0%
July 2010	390	225	57.7%	50.0%	165	42.3%	50.0%
June 2010	387	225	58.1%	50.0%	162	41.9%	50.0%
May 2010	377	227	60.2%	50.0%	150	39.8%	50.0%
April 2010	376	231	61.4%	50.0%	145	38.6%	50.0%
March 2010	398	249	62.6%	50.0%	149	37.4%	50.0%
February 2010	408	262	64.2%	50.0%	146	35.8%	50.0%
January 2010	419	276	65.9%	50.0%	143	34.1%	50.0%

## Region 7 Foster Care Placement Breakdown





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Locally Placed CHINS

For January 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.



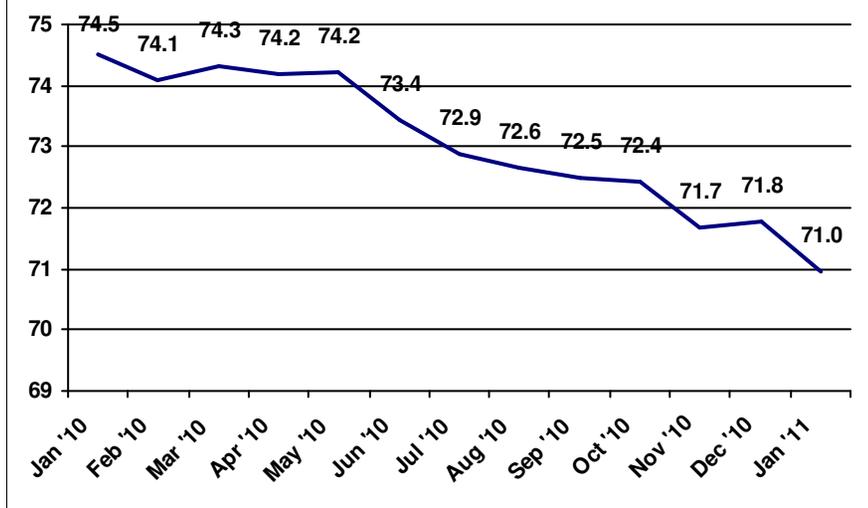
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Locally Placed CHINS

For January 2011

## January 2011

Location	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
Statewide	9,965	7,071	71.0%
Region 7	262	172	65.6%
Blackford	12	4	33.3%
Delaware	131	95	72.5%
Grant	82	52	63.4%
Jay	13	6	46.2%
Randolph	24	15	62.5%

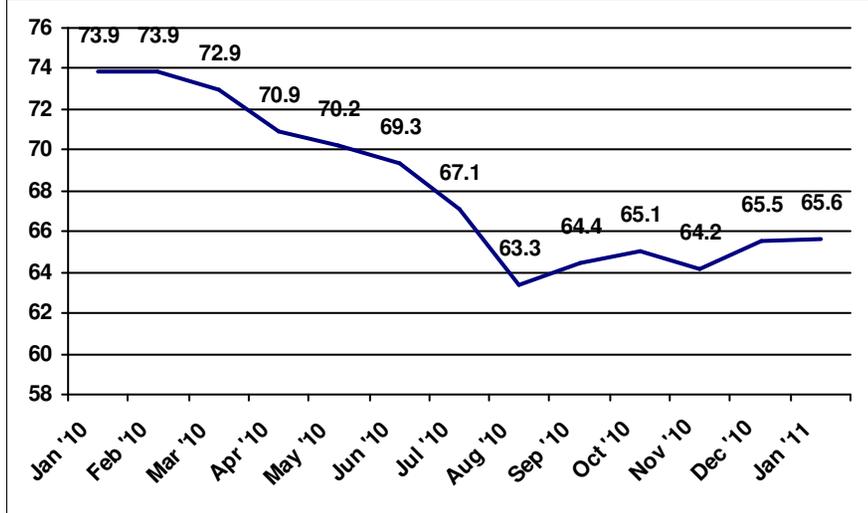
## Statewide Percent Placed Locally



## Region 7 For January 2010 to January 2011

Month	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
Jan 2011	262	172	65.6%
Dec 2010	293	192	65.5%
Nov 2010	296	190	64.2%
Oct 2010	289	188	65.1%
Sep 2010	284	183	64.4%
Aug 2010	281	178	63.3%
Jul 2010	280	188	67.1%
Jun 2010	274	190	69.3%
May 2010	265	186	70.2%
Apr 2010	268	190	70.9%
Mar 2010	266	194	72.9%
Feb 2010	283	209	73.9%
Jan 2010	283	209	73.9%

## Region 7 Percent Placed Locally





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Average Number of Placements

For January 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.



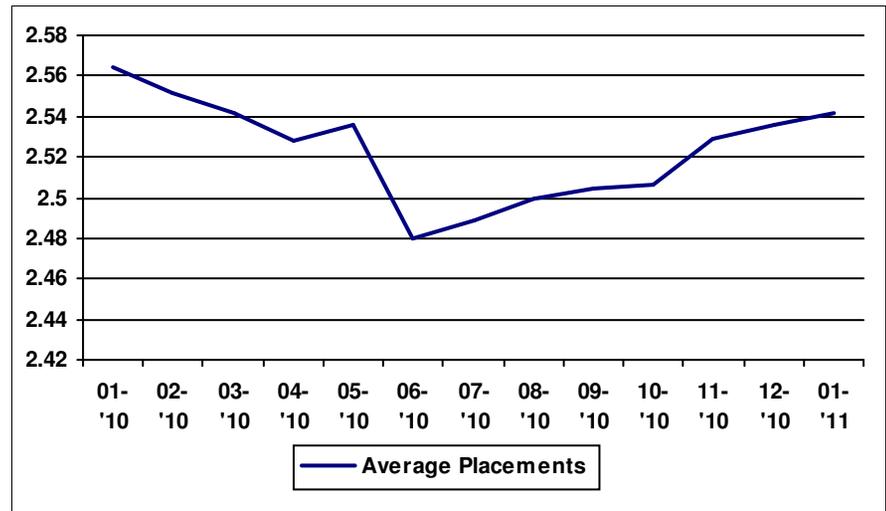
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Average Number of Placements

For January 2010 to January 2011

## January 2011

Location	Average Number of Placements Per Child
Statewide	2.5
Region 7	2.1
Blackford	1.9
Delaware	2.3
Grant	2.1
Jay	1.6
Randolph	1.4

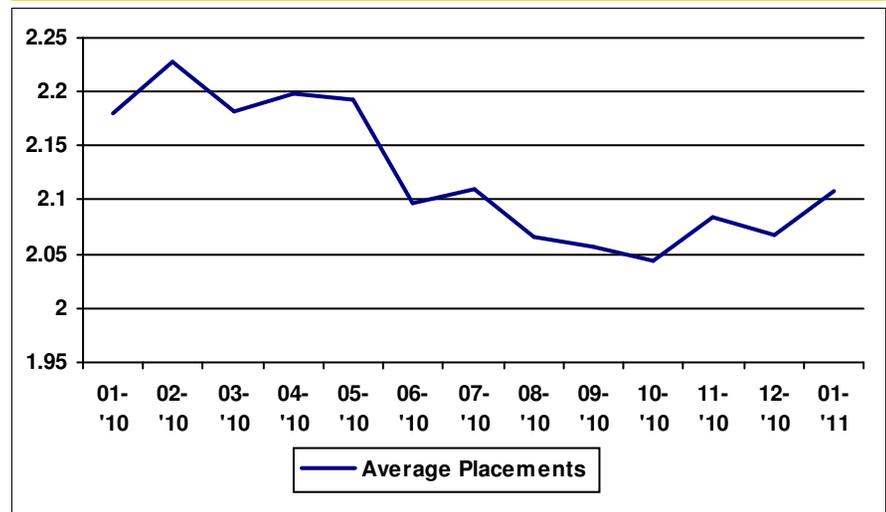
## Statewide Average Number of Placements



## Region 7 For January 2010 to January 2011

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

## Region 7 Average Number of Placements





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Sibling Placement Report

For January 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.



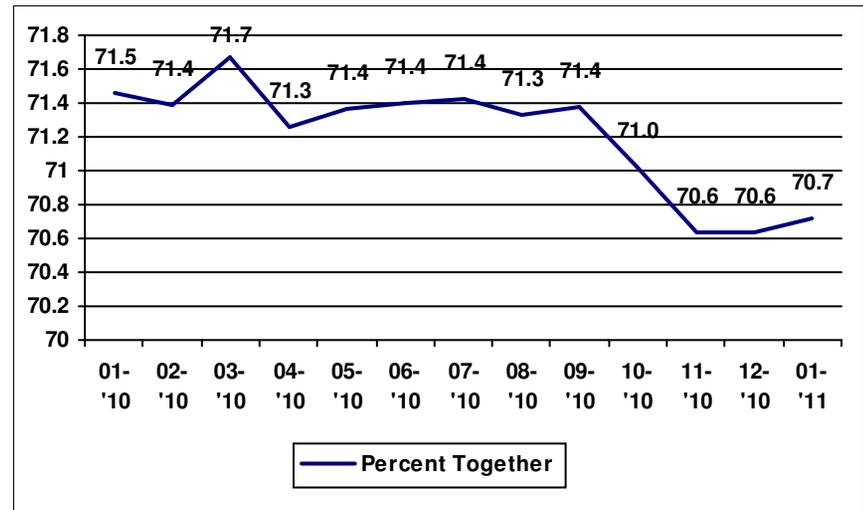
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Sibling Placement Report

January 2011

## January 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	2452	1734	70.7%	2.68
Region 7	55	41	74.5%	2.49
Blackford	2	1	50.0%	2.00
Delaware	28	21	75.0%	2.50
Grant	19	14	73.7%	2.42
Jay	3	3	100.0%	2.33
Randolph	3	2	66.7%	3.33

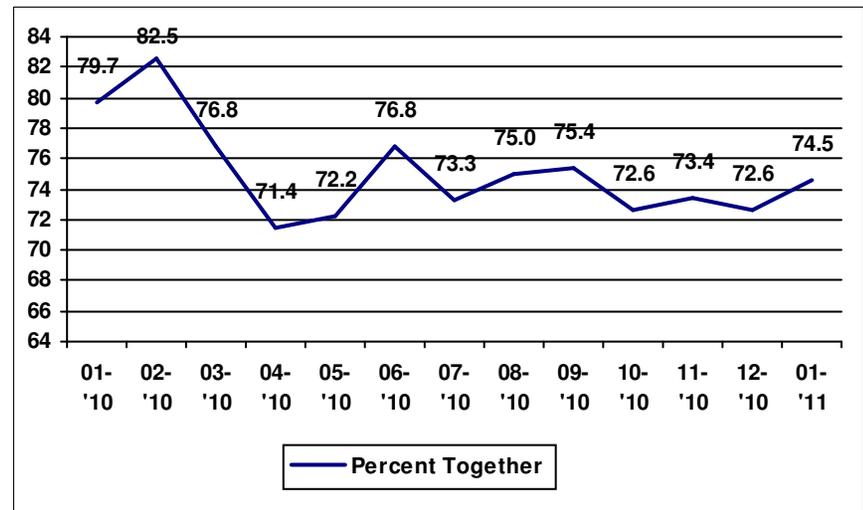
## Statewide Percent Together



## Region 7 For January 2010 to January 2011

Month	Count of Sibling Cases	Cases With All Children Placed Together	Percent Placed Together of Sibling Cases	Average Number of Children per Case
January 2011	55	41	74.5%	2.49
December 2010	62	45	72.6%	2.61
November 2010	64	47	73.4%	2.58
October 2010	62	45	72.6%	2.63
September 2010	61	46	75.4%	2.59
August 2010	60	45	75.0%	2.57
July 2010	60	44	73.3%	2.58
June 2010	56	43	76.8%	2.64
May 2010	54	39	72.2%	2.61
April 2010	56	40	71.4%	2.64
March 2010	56	43	76.8%	2.64
February 2010	63	52	82.5%	2.54
January 2010	64	51	79.7%	2.55

## Region 7 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 January 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

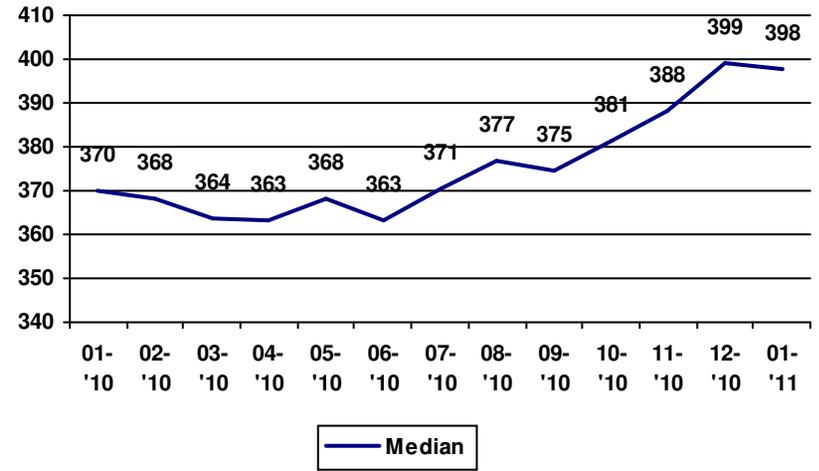
## Length of Stay in Out of Home Placement

### Children in Out of Home Placement by Length of Time Since Latest Removal For January 2011

#### January 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	4,746	47.6%	2,462	24.7%	1,192	12.0%	1,565	15.7%	627.4	397.6
Region 7	137	52.3%	62	23.7%	26	9.9%	37	14.1%	631.6	343.5
Blackford	5	41.7%	5	41.7%	0	0.0%	2	16.7%	605.2	486.5
Delaware	78	59.5%	22	16.8%	13	9.9%	18	13.7%	650.2	280.6
Grant	29	35.4%	27	32.9%	10	12.2%	16	19.5%	743.7	592.5
Jay	9	69.2%	2	15.4%	1	7.7%	1	7.7%	428.7	306.5
Randolph	16	66.7%	6	25.0%	2	8.3%	0	0.0%	269.4	201.5

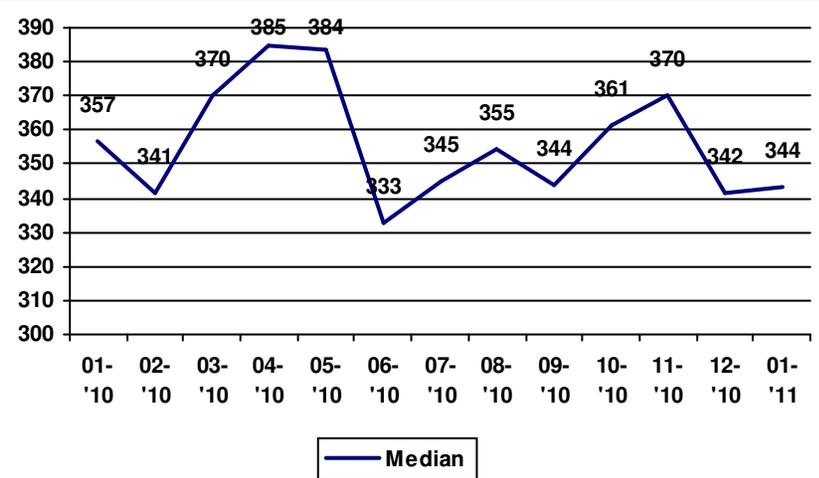
#### Statewide Median Length



#### Region 7 For January 2010 to January 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
January 2011	137	52.3%	62	23.7%	26	9.9%	37	14.1%	631.6	343.5
December 2010	157	53.6%	64	21.8%	34	11.6%	38	13.0%	597.6	341.6
November 2010	147	49.7%	79	26.7%	27	9.1%	43	14.5%	611.7	370.0
October 2010	145	50.2%	75	26.0%	27	9.3%	42	14.5%	601.5	361.4
September 2010	144	50.7%	78	27.5%	23	8.1%	39	13.7%	590.2	344.0
August 2010	145	51.6%	71	25.3%	23	8.2%	42	14.9%	598.6	354.6
July 2010	148	52.9%	65	23.2%	25	8.9%	42	15.0%	594.9	345.0
June 2010	141	51.5%	66	24.1%	23	8.4%	44	16.1%	593.8	333.0
May 2010	127	47.9%	68	25.7%	23	8.7%	47	17.7%	640.8	383.5
April 2010	129	48.1%	70	26.1%	26	9.7%	43	16.0%	634.1	385.0
March 2010	131	49.2%	67	25.2%	22	8.3%	46	17.3%	653.3	370.0
February 2010	145	51.2%	65	23.0%	21	7.4%	52	18.4%	657.7	341.4
January 2010	142	50.2%	67	23.7%	21	7.4%	53	18.7%	663.0	356.6

#### Region 7 Median Length





# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For January 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.



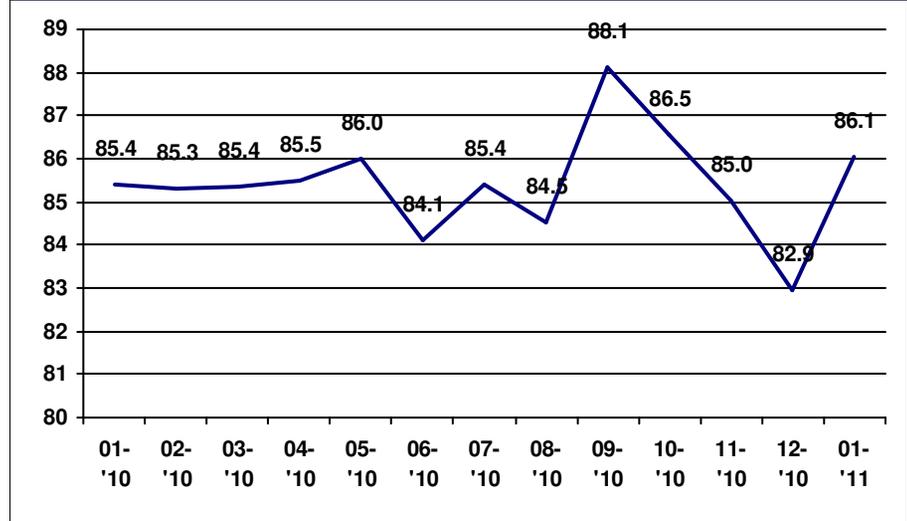
# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For January 2011

## January 2011

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
Statewide	726	97	12	64	26	925	796	86.1
Region 7	16	11	0	0	1	28	17	60.7
Blackford	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	100.0
Delaware	10	2	0	0	0	12	10	83.3
Grant	5	3	0	0	0	8	5	62.5
Jay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA
Randolph	0	6	0	0	1	7	1	14.3

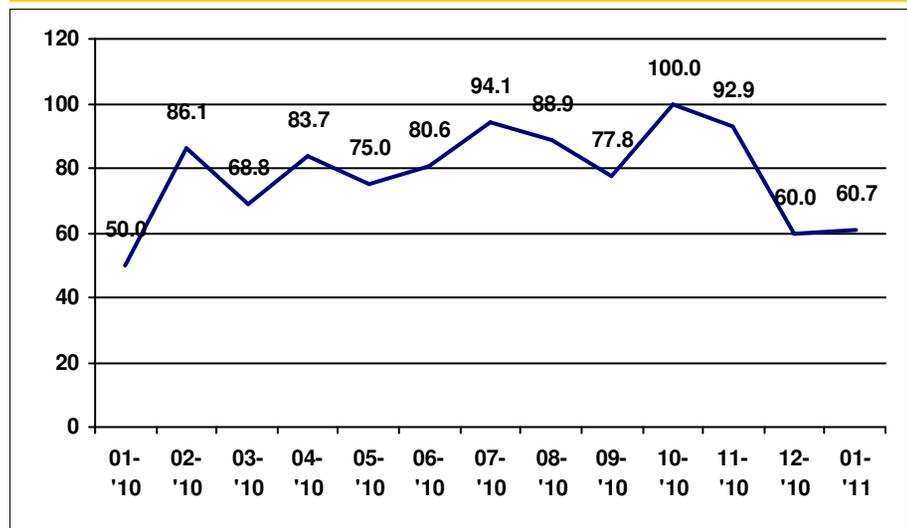
## Statewide Permanency within 24 Months



## Region 7 For January 2010 to January 2011

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
Jan 2011	16	11	0	0	1	28	17	60.7
Dec 2010	10	2	0	0	3	15	9	60.0
Nov 2010	23	1	0	3	1	28	26	92.9
Oct 2010	22	0	0	2	0	24	24	100.0
Sep 2010	9	1	1	4	3	18	14	77.8
Aug 2010	13	0	3	1	1	18	16	88.9
Jul 2010	12	1	0	3	1	17	16	94.1
Jun 2010	20	3	0	5	3	31	25	80.6
May 2010	20	2	2	0	0	24	18	75.0
Apr 2010	34	7	0	1	1	43	36	83.7
Mar 2010	18	8	3	0	3	32	22	68.8
Feb 2010	20	4	0	10	2	36	31	86.1
Jan 2010	12	7	0	0	3	22	11	50.0

## Region 7 Permanency within 24 Months





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Family Case Manager Contacts Report

For January 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

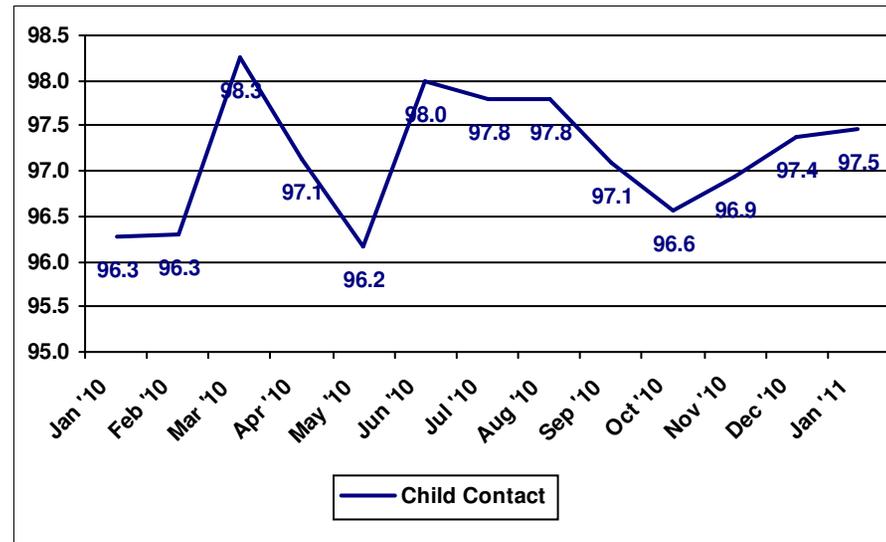
## Family Case Manager Contacts Report

### For January 2011

#### January 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	9,558	2,669	27.9%	9,315	97.5%	2,634	27.6%
Region 7	256	99	38.7%	244	95.3%	93	36.3%
Blackford	12	7	58.3%	9	75.0%	7	58.3%
Delaware	127	46	36.2%	126	99.2%	45	35.4%
Grant	82	26	31.7%	82	100.0%	26	31.7%
Jay	12	3	25.0%	9	75.0%	3	25.0%
Randolph	23	17	73.9%	18	78.3%	12	52.2%

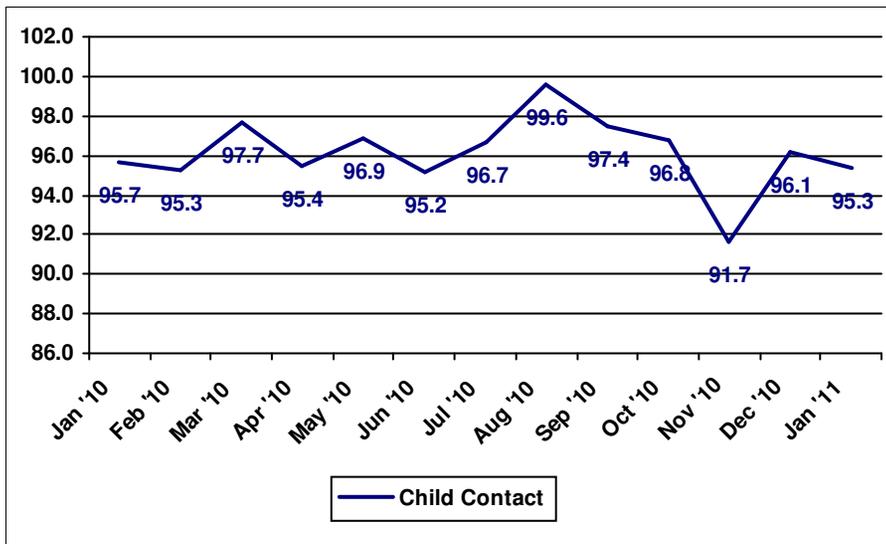
#### Statewide Child Contact Rate



#### Region 7 For January 2010 to January 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
Jan 2011	256	99	38.7%	244	95.3%	93	36.3%
Dec 2010	284	117	41.2%	273	96.1%	115	40.5%
Nov 2010	288	126	43.8%	264	91.7%	122	42.4%
Oct 2010	282	107	37.9%	273	96.8%	104	36.9%
Sep 2010	272	103	37.9%	265	97.4%	102	37.5%
Aug 2010	260	107	41.2%	259	99.6%	107	41.2%
Jul 2010	273	118	43.2%	264	96.7%	114	41.8%
Jun 2010	250	118	47.2%	238	95.2%	111	44.4%
May 2010	258	97	37.6%	250	96.9%	95	36.8%
Apr 2010	262	103	39.3%	250	95.4%	99	37.8%
Mar 2010	257	102	39.7%	251	97.7%	102	39.7%
Feb 2010	274	119	43.4%	261	95.3%	118	43.1%
Jan 2010	278	113	40.6%	266	95.7%	109	39.2%

#### Region 7 Child Contact Rate





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Child Visitation Report

For January 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

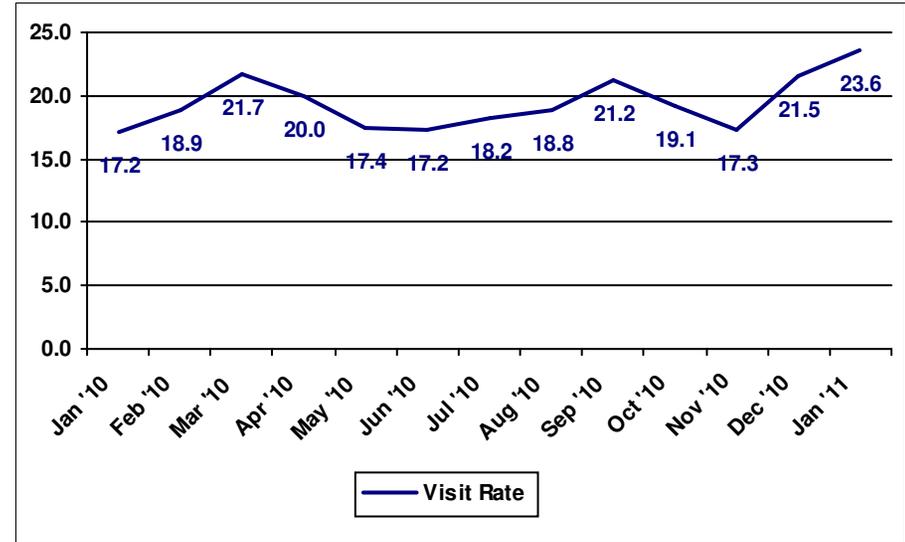
## Child Visitation Report

### For January 2011

#### January 2011

Location	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Children with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
Statewide	5,268	1,245	23.6%
Region 7	145	30	20.7%
Blackford	7	2	28.6%
Delaware	83	20	24.1%
Grant	33	8	24.2%
Jay	4	0	0.0%
Randolph	18	0	0.0%

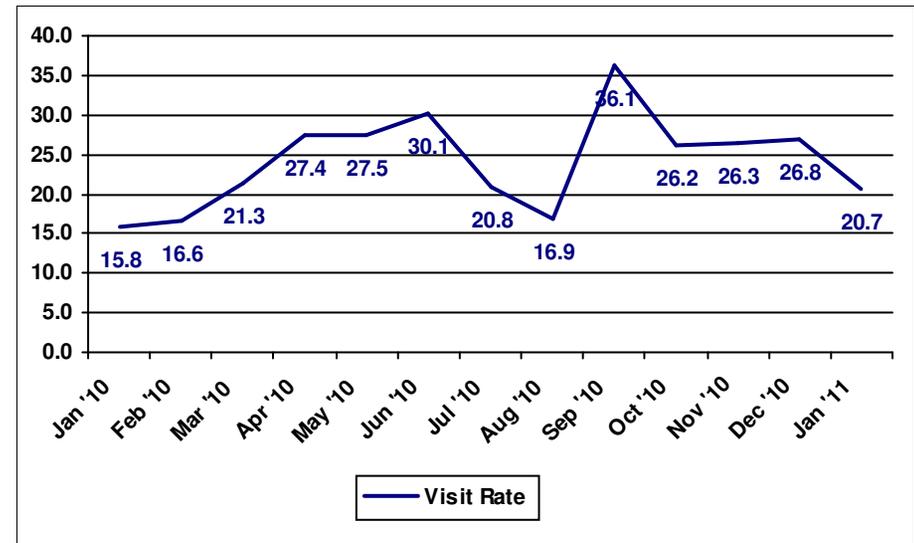
#### Statewide Visitation Rate



#### Region 7 For January 2010 to January 2011

Month	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Children with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
Jan 2011	145	30	20.7%
Dec 2010	153	41	26.8%
Nov 2010	152	40	26.3%
Oct 2010	141	37	26.2%
Sep 2010	144	52	36.1%
Aug 2010	136	23	16.9%
Jul 2010	144	30	20.8%
Jun 2010	143	43	30.1%
May 2010	131	36	27.5%
Apr 2010	135	37	27.4%
Mar 2010	141	30	21.3%
Feb 2010	151	25	16.6%
Jan 2010	146	23	15.8%

#### Region 7 Visitation Rate





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

For January 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.



**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.



# DCS Practice Indicator Report

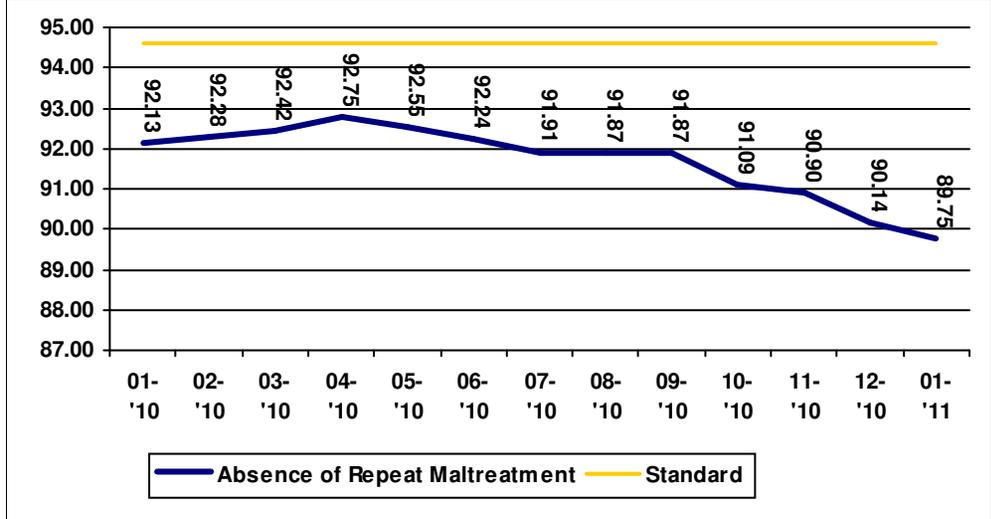
## Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

### For January 2011

#### January 2011

County	Victims from Feb 2010 to Aug 2010	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	11,919	10,697	89.75%	94.60%
Region 7	465	408	87.74%	94.60%
Blackford	15	14	93.33%	94.60%
Delaware	235	206	87.66%	94.60%
Grant	99	92	92.93%	94.60%
Jay	59	48	81.36%	94.60%
Randolph	57	48	84.21%	94.60%

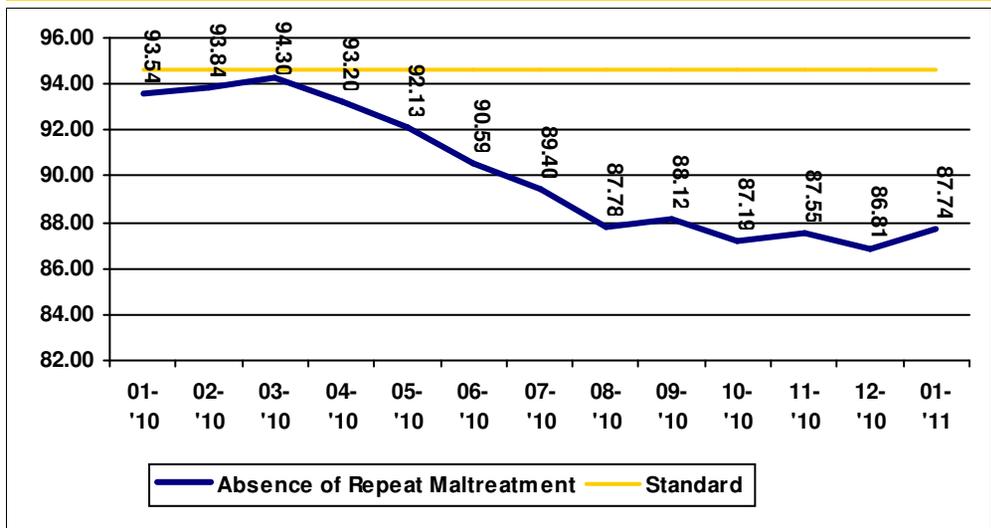
#### Statewide Absence of Repeat Maltreatment



#### Region 7 For January 2010 to January 2011

County	Victims from Feb 2010 to Aug 2010	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
January 2011	465	408	87.74%	94.60%
December 2010	470	408	86.81%	94.60%
November 2010	474	415	87.55%	94.60%
October 2010	484	422	87.19%	94.60%
September 2010	446	393	88.12%	94.60%
August 2010	450	395	87.78%	94.60%
July 2010	481	430	89.40%	94.60%
June 2010	489	443	90.59%	94.60%
May 2010	483	445	92.13%	94.60%
April 2010	485	452	93.20%	94.60%
March 2010	491	463	94.30%	94.60%
February 2010	487	457	93.84%	94.60%
January 2010	449	420	93.54%	94.60%

#### Region 7 Absence of Repeat Maltreatment





# DCS Practice Indicator Report

## Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

For January 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.

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



# DCS Practice Indicator Report

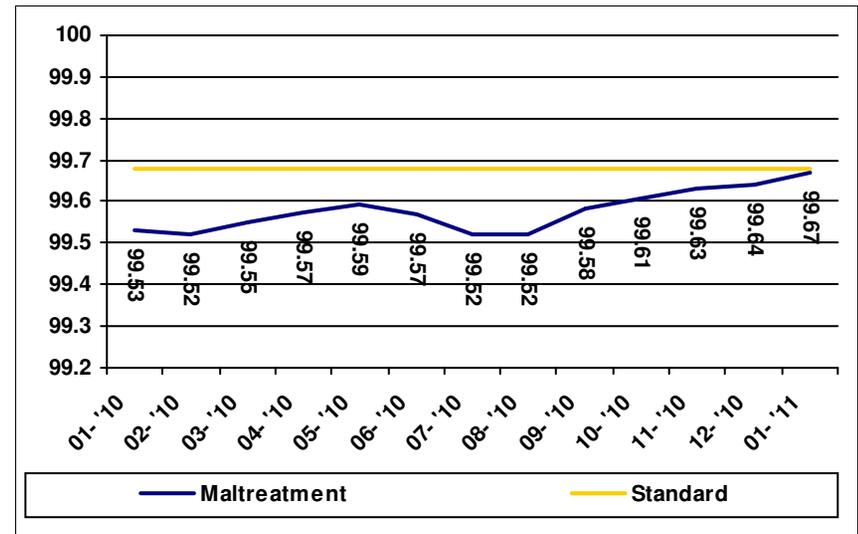
## Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

### For January 2011

#### For January 2011

Location	Children in Foster Care from Feb 2010 to Jan 2011	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	21,543	71	99.67%	99.68%
Region 7	604	0	100.00%	99.68%
Blackford	19	0	100.00%	99.68%
Delaware	315	0	100.00%	99.68%
Grant	164	0	100.00%	99.68%
Jay	46	0	100.00%	99.68%
Randolph	60	0	100.00%	99.68%

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



#### Region 7 for January 2010 to January 2011

Month	Children in Foster Care from Feb 2010 to Jan 2011	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
January 2011	604	0	100.00%	99.68%
December 2010	622	0	100.00%	99.68%
November 2010	635	1	99.84%	99.68%
October 2010	652	3	99.54%	99.68%
September 2010	669	4	99.40%	99.68%
August 2010	671	5	99.25%	99.68%
July 2010	685	5	99.27%	99.68%
June 2010	706	5	99.29%	99.68%
May 2010	711	4	99.44%	99.68%
April 2010	722	4	99.45%	99.68%
March 2010	720	3	99.58%	99.68%
February 2010	721	3	99.58%	99.68%
January 2010	722	3	99.58%	99.68%

#### Region 7 Trend of Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

