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## Practice Indicator Reports

### For October 2011



# Region 07

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

For October 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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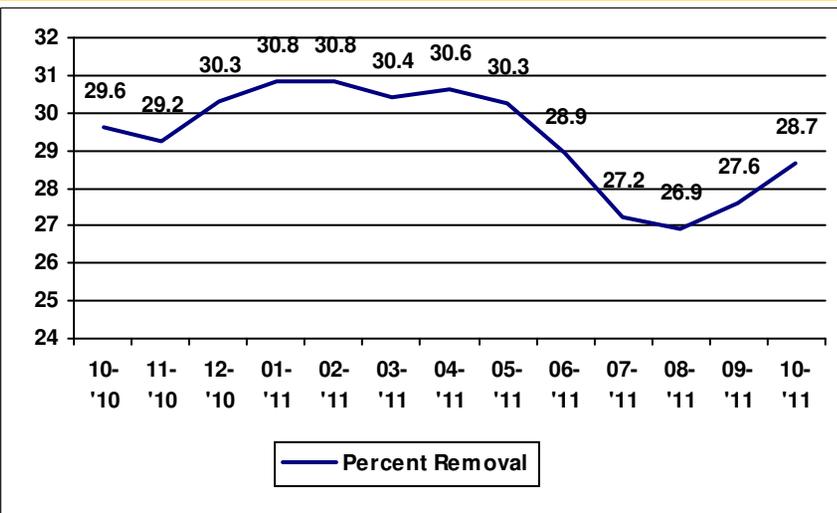
## Initial Assessment - Use of Substitute Care

For October 2011

### October 2011

Location	Reports Taken For Aug 2011 to Oct 2011		Assessments Substantiated For Aug 2011 to Oct 2011	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
Statewide	37,379	38.9%	5,679	28.7%
Region 7	1,783	40.10%	253	27.67%
Blackford	104	34.6%	29	24.1%
Delaware	820	46.2%	74	28.4%
Grant	505	34.5%	109	24.8%
Jay	172	32.6%	21	42.9%
Randolph	182	38.5%	20	30.0%

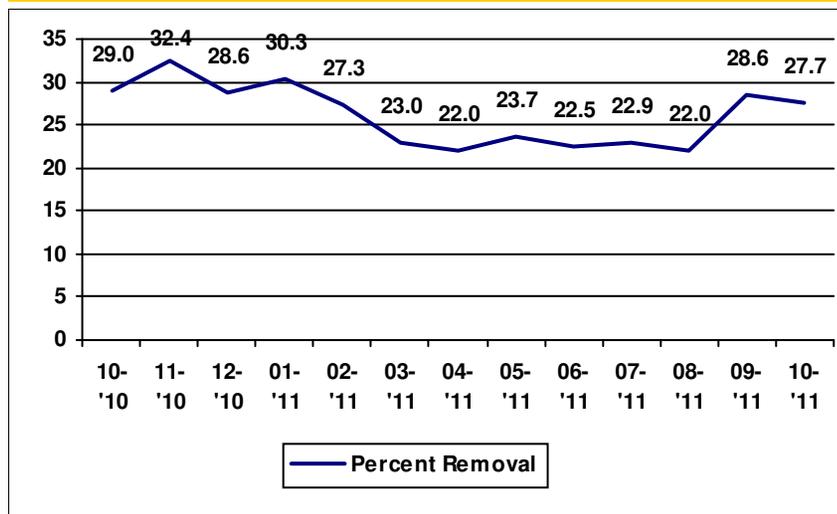
### Statewide Percent Removal Trend



### Region 7 For October 2010 to October 2011

Month	Reports Taken For Aug 2011 to Oct 2011		Assessments Substantiated For Aug 2011 to Oct 2011	
	Count	Percent Resulting in Screen Outs	Count	Percent Resulting in Removal
Oct 2011	1,783	40.1%	253	27.7%
Sep 2011	1,724	38.3%	252	28.6%
Aug 2011	1,617	36.4%	218	22.0%
Jul 2011	1,692	38.5%	214	22.9%
Jun 2011	1,826	41.1%	213	22.5%
May 2011	2,003	44.2%	219	23.7%
Apr 2011	1,793	43.7%	205	22.0%
Mar 2011	1,680	42.7%	165	23.0%
Feb 2011	1,484	39.0%	154	27.3%
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%

### Region 7 Percent Removal





# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS Placements by County

For October 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.



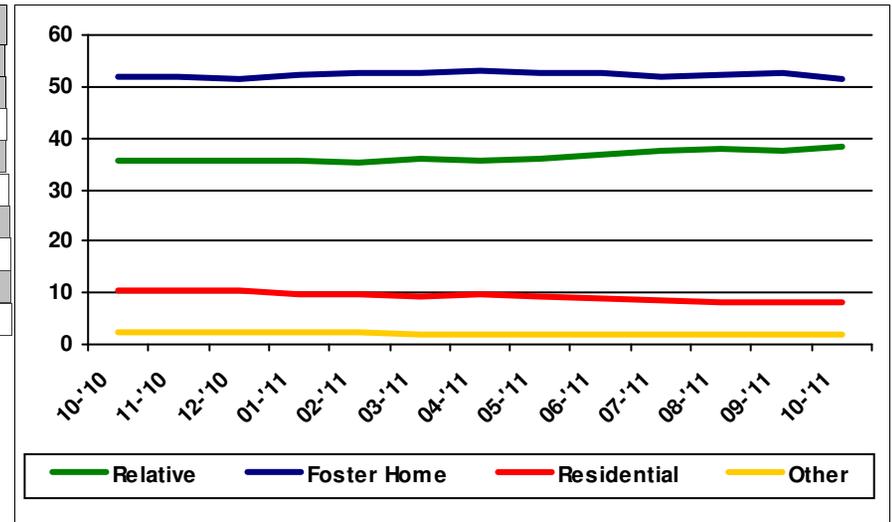
# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS Placements by County

For October 2011

## October 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	13051	3966	30.4	9,085	69.6	3470	38.2	4689	51.6	747	8.2	179	2.0
Region 7	355	96	27.0	259	73.0	129	49.8	107	41.3	19	7.3	4	1.5
Blackford	28	9	32.1	19	67.9	2	10.5	14	73.7	3	15.8	0	0.0
Delaware	153	47	30.7	106	69.3	56	52.8	39	36.8	8	7.5	3	2.8
Grant	112	27	24.1	85	75.9	50	58.8	27	31.8	7	8.2	1	1.2
Jay	31	10	32.3	21	67.7	11	52.4	10	47.6	0	0.0	0	0.0
Randolph	31	3	9.7	28	90.3	10	35.7	17	60.7	1	3.6	0	0.0

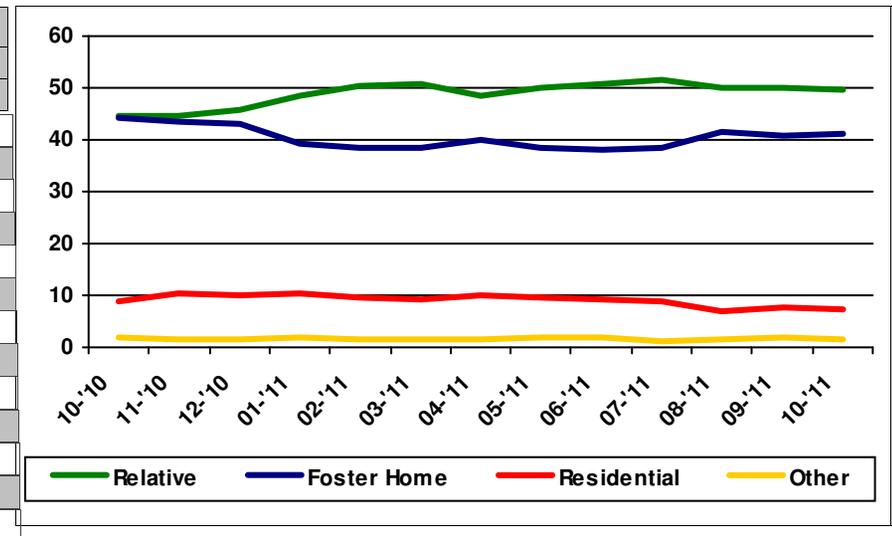
## Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



## Region 7 For October 2010 to October 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	%
Oct 2011	355	96	27.0	259	73.0	129	49.8	107	41.3	19	7.3	4	1.5
Sep 2011	370	105	28.4	265	71.6	132	49.8	108	40.8	20	7.5	5	1.9
Aug 2011	379	113	29.8	266	70.2	133	50.0	111	41.7	18	6.8	4	1.5
Jul 2011	365	106	29.0	259	71.0	133	51.4	100	38.6	23	8.9	3	1.2
Jun 2011	373	105	28.2	268	71.8	136	50.7	102	38.1	25	9.3	5	1.9
May 2011	378	115	30.4	263	69.6	132	50.2	101	38.4	25	9.5	5	1.9
Apr 2011	362	100	27.6	262	72.4	127	48.5	105	40.1	26	9.9	4	1.5
Mar 2011	376	118	31.4	258	68.6	131	50.8	99	38.4	24	9.3	4	1.6
Feb 2011	375	118	31.5	257	68.5	129	50.2	99	38.5	25	9.7	4	1.6
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

## Region 7 Foster Care Placement Breakdown





# DCS Practice Indicator Report

## Safely Home Families First by County

October 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 and In Home** – 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.

**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.

**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 divided by the total number of children that have an open IA or CHINS case on the last day of the 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.



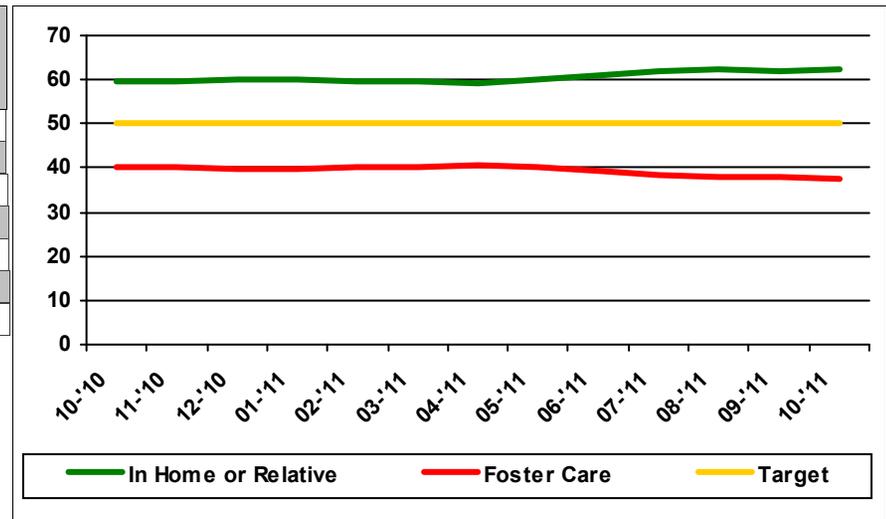
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Safely Home Families First by County

For October 2011

## October 2011

Location	IA	Total CHINS	IA and In Home CHINS		IA, In Home CHINS, and Relative Care		Target (At or Above) %	Non-Relative Foster Care		Target (At or Below) %
	Count	Count	Count	%	Count	%		Count	%	
Statewide	1850	13051	5816	39.0%	9286	62.3%	50%	5,615	37.7%	50%
Region 7	85	355	181	41.1%	310	70.5%	50%	130	29.5%	50%
Blackford	13	28	22	53.7%	24	58.5%	50%	17	41.5%	50%
Delaware	15	153	62	36.9%	118	70.2%	50%	50	29.8%	50%
Grant	26	112	53	38.4%	103	74.6%	50%	35	25.4%	50%
Jay	24	31	34	61.8%	45	81.8%	50%	10	18.2%	50%
Randolph	7	31	10	26.3%	20	52.6%	50%	18	47.4%	50%

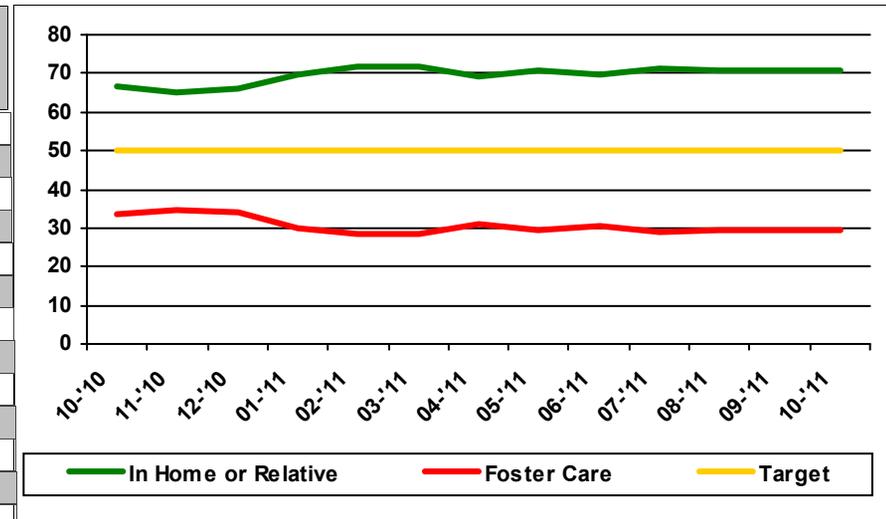
## Statewide Foster Care Placement Breakdown



## Region 7 For October 2010 to October 2011

Location	IA	Total CHINS	IA and In Home CHINS		IA, In Home CHINS, and Relative Care		Target (At or Above) %	Non-Relative Foster Care		Target (At or Below) %
	Count	Count	Count	%	Count	%		Count	%	
October 2011	85	355	181	41.1%	310	70.5%	50%	130	29.5%	50%
September 2011	85	370	190	41.8%	322	70.8%	50%	133	29.2%	50%
August 2011	76	379	189	41.5%	322	70.8%	50%	133	29.2%	50%
July 2011	69	365	175	40.3%	308	71.0%	50%	126	29.0%	50%
June 2011	64	373	169	38.7%	305	69.8%	50%	132	30.2%	50%
May 2011	71	378	186	41.4%	318	70.8%	50%	131	29.2%	50%
April 2011	77	362	177	40.3%	304	69.2%	50%	135	30.8%	50%
March 2011	72	376	190	42.4%	321	71.7%	50%	127	28.3%	50%
February 2011	74	375	192	42.8%	321	71.5%	50%	128	28.5%	50%
January 2011	72	377	187	41.6%	314	69.9%	50%	135	30.1%	50%
December 2010	74	393	174	37.3%	308	66.0%	50%	159	34.0%	50%
November 2010	80	392	176	37.3%	308	65.3%	50%	164	34.7%	50%
October 2010	70	410	191	39.8%	320	66.7%	50%	160	33.3%	50%

## Region 7 Foster Care Placement Breakdown





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Locally Placed CHINS

For October 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.



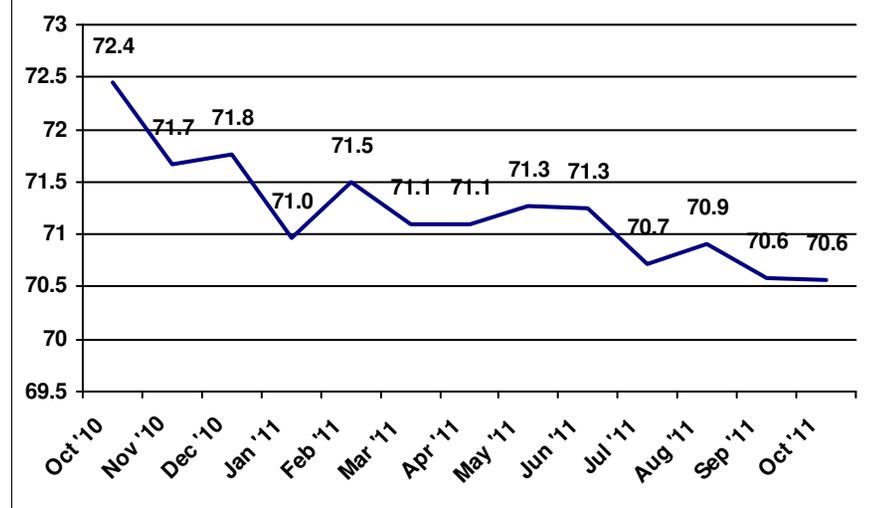
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Locally Placed CHINS

For October 2011

### October 2011

Location	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
Statewide	9,085	6,410	70.6%
Region 7	259	176	68.0%
Blackford	19	5	26.3%
Delaware	106	86	81.1%
Grant	85	63	74.1%
Jay	21	12	57.1%
Randolph	28	10	35.7%

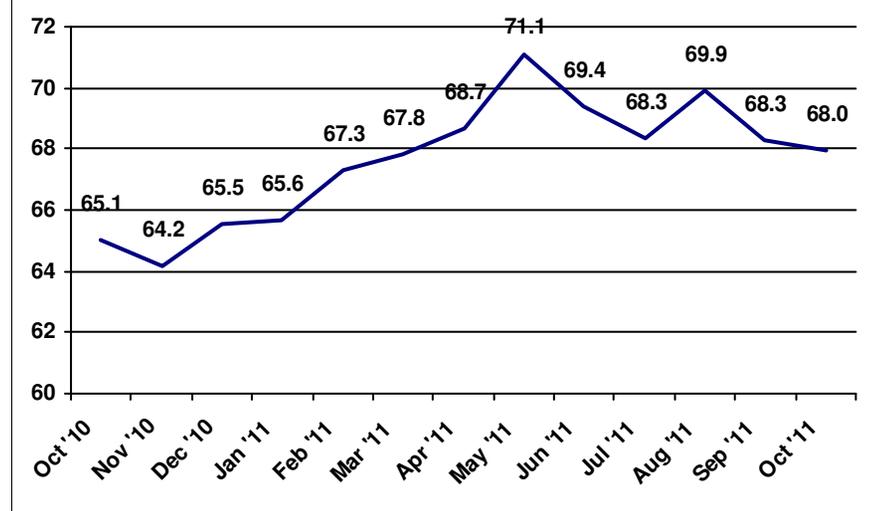
### Statewide Percent Placed Locally



### Region 7 For October 2010 to October 2011

Month	Total Out of Home Placements	Placed in Same County	Percent Locally Placed
Oct 2011	259	176	68.0%
Sep 2011	265	181	68.3%
Aug 2011	266	186	69.9%
Jul 2011	259	177	68.3%
Jun 2011	268	186	69.4%
May 2011	263	187	71.1%
Apr 2011	262	180	68.7%
Mar 2011	258	175	67.8%
Feb 2011	257	173	67.3%
Jan 2011	262	172	65.6%
Dec 2010	293	192	65.5%
Nov 2010	296	190	64.2%
Oct 2010	289	188	65.1%

### Region 7 Percent Placed Locally





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Average Number of Placements

For October 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.



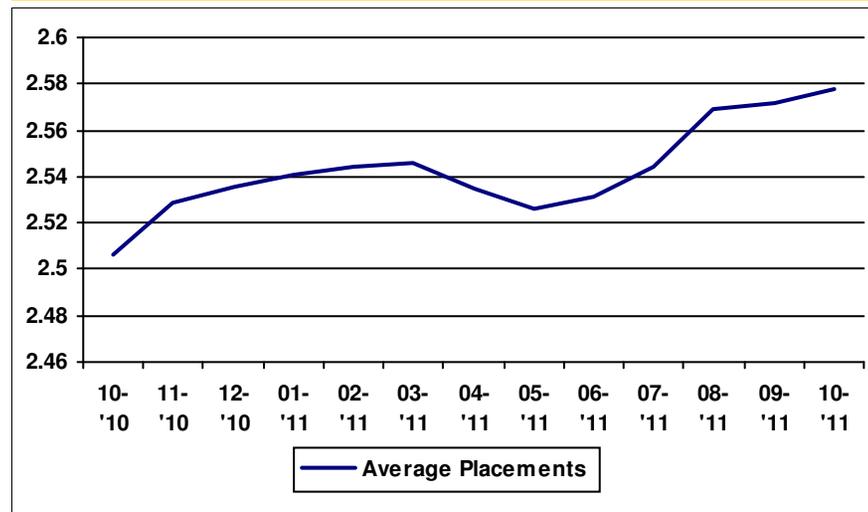
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Average Number of Placements

For October 2010 to October 2011

## October 2011

Location	Average Number of Placements Per Child
Statewide	2.6
Region 7	2.2
Blackford	1.7
Delaware	2.4
Grant	2.2
Jay	1.9
Randolph	1.7

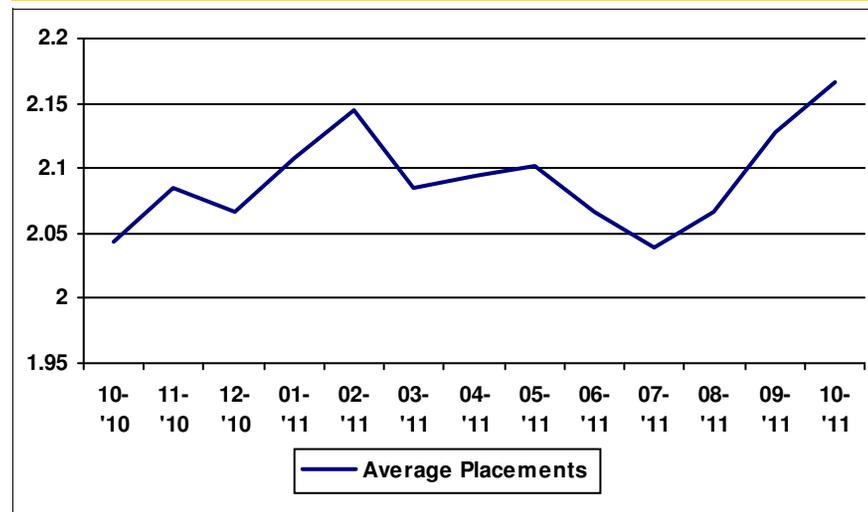
## Statewide Average Number of Placements



## Region 7 For October 2010 to October 2011

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

## Region 7 Average Number of Placements





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Sibling Placement Report

For October 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.



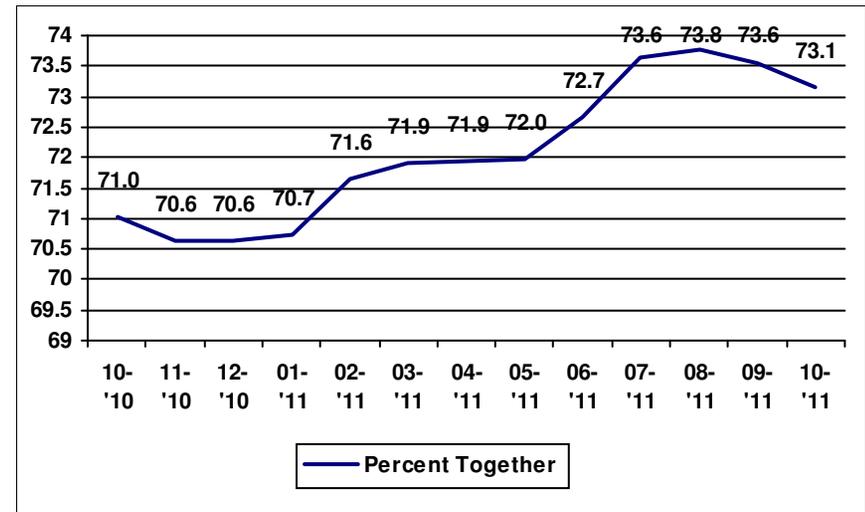
# DCS Practice Indicator Report Sibling Placement Report

October 2011

## October 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	2253	1648	73.1%	2.71
Region 7	54	44	81.5%	2.57
Blackford	4	3	75.0%	2.75
Delaware	21	19	90.5%	2.43
Grant	18	13	72.2%	2.78
Jay	5	5	100.0%	2.40
Randolph	6	4	66.7%	2.50

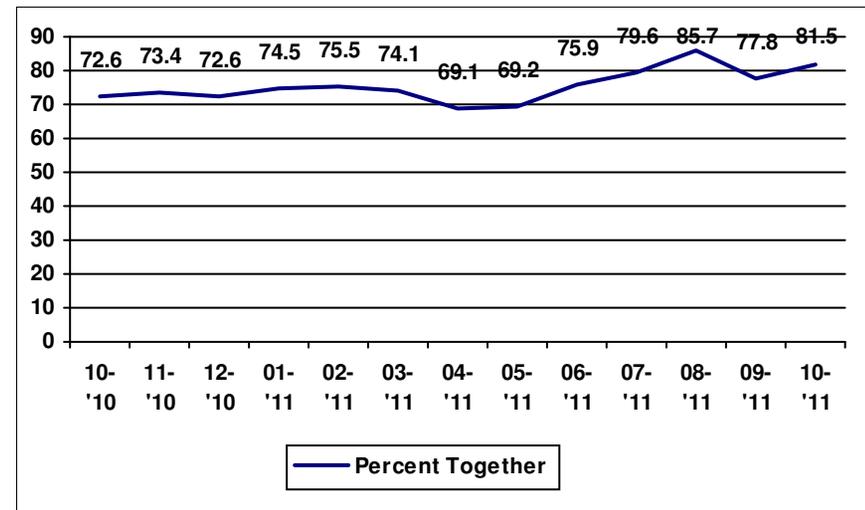
## Statewide Percent Together



## Region 7 For October 2010 to October 2011

Month	Count of Sibling Cases	Cases With All Children Placed Together	Percent Placed Together of Sibling Cases	Average Number of Children per Case
October 2011	54	44	81.5%	2.57
September 2011	54	42	77.8%	2.65
August 2011	56	48	85.7%	2.63
July 2011	54	43	79.6%	2.61
June 2011	58	44	75.9%	2.53
May 2011	52	36	69.2%	2.58
April 2011	55	38	69.1%	2.55
March 2011	54	40	74.1%	2.54
February 2011	53	40	75.5%	2.51
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

## 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 October 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 last 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 child’s 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

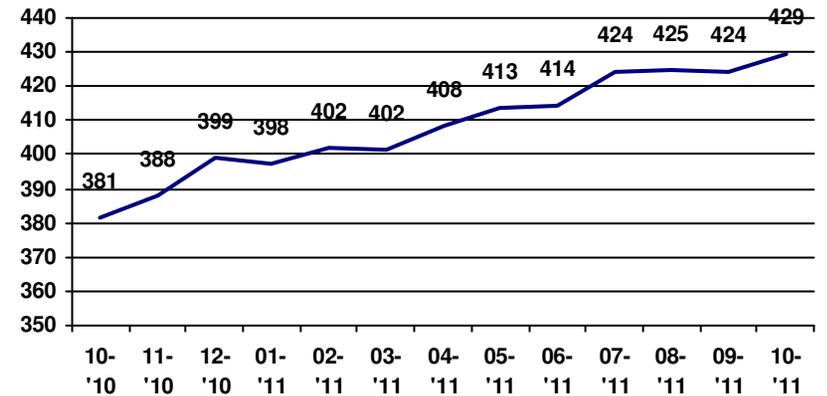
## Length of Stay in Out of Home Placement

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

#### October 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	4,069	44.8%	2,253	24.8%	1,175	12.9%	1,588	17.5%	646.3	429.5
Region 7	129	49.8%	64	24.7%	29	11.2%	37	14.3%	623.5	369.6
Blackford	13	68.4%	3	15.8%	2	10.5%	1	5.3%	348.6	138.5
Delaware	44	41.5%	32	30.2%	12	11.3%	18	17.0%	766.1	429.0
Grant	37	43.5%	21	24.7%	10	11.8%	17	20.0%	669.1	444.6
Jay	16	76.2%	3	14.3%	1	4.8%	1	4.8%	360.9	257.4
Randolph	19	67.9%	5	17.9%	4	14.3%	0	0.0%	329.0	228.0

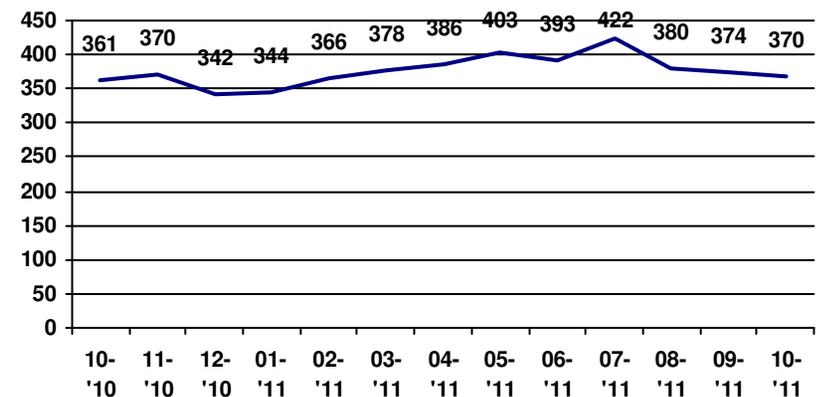
#### Statewide Median Length



#### Region 7 For October 2010 to October 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
October 2011	129	49.8%	64	24.7%	29	11.2%	37	14.3%	623.5	369.6
September 2011	128	48.3%	69	26.0%	37	14.0%	31	11.7%	611.5	374.4
August 2011	124	46.6%	76	28.6%	35	13.2%	31	11.7%	614.3	379.5
July 2011	122	47.1%	70	27.0%	37	14.3%	30	11.6%	618.8	422.4
June 2011	125	46.6%	72	26.9%	39	14.6%	32	11.9%	620.8	393.0
May 2011	117	44.5%	72	27.4%	40	15.2%	34	12.9%	657.5	403.5
April 2011	124	47.3%	67	25.6%	37	14.1%	34	13.0%	647.3	386.0
March 2011	123	47.7%	69	26.7%	32	12.4%	34	13.2%	642.1	378.0
February 2011	128	49.8%	67	26.1%	25	9.7%	37	14.4%	658.0	365.7
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

#### Region 7 Median Length





# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For October 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.



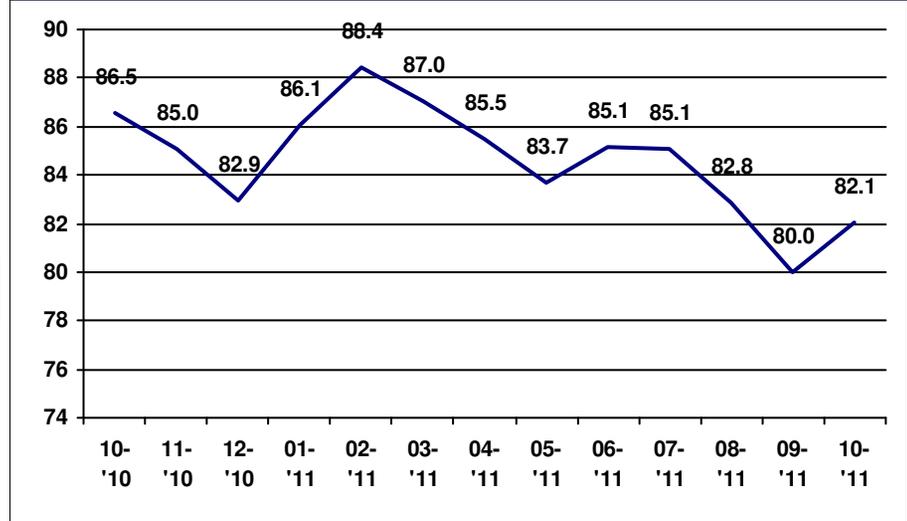
# DCS Practice Indicator Report CHINS and IA Permanency Report

For October 2011

## October 2011

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
Statewide	627	100	11	39	26	803	659	82.1
Region 7	18	3	2	2	0	25	22	88.0
Blackford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA
Delaware	12	0	2	0	0	14	14	100.0
Grant	5	3	0	1	0	9	6	66.7
Jay	1	0	0	1	0	2	2	100.0
Randolph	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA

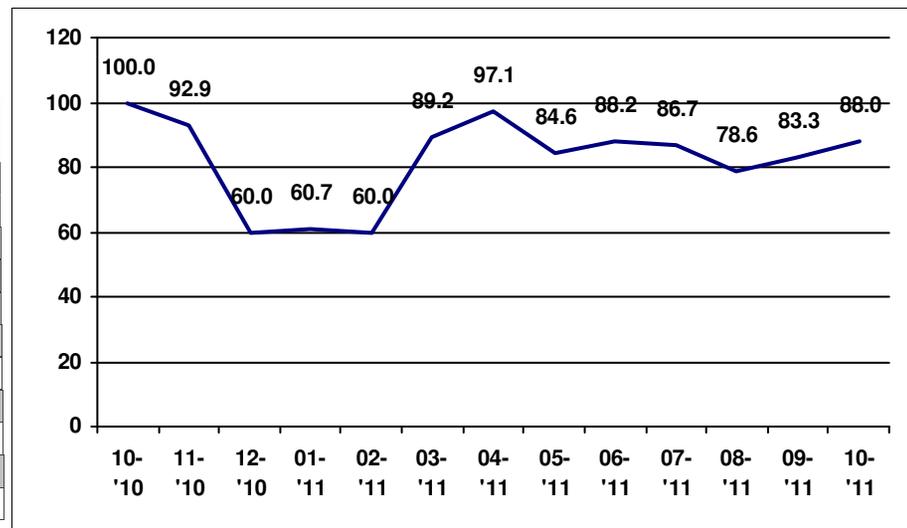
## Statewide Permanency within 24 Months



## Region 7 For October 2010 to October 2011

Location	Closed Cases Types with Permanency Outcomes					Permanency		
	Reunification	Adoption	Relative	Guardianship	Emanicipation	Total	Within 24 Months	24 Month Rate
Oct 2011	18	3	2	2	0	25	22	88.0
Sep 2011	12	4	0	13	1	30	25	83.3
Aug 2011	9	2	2	0	1	14	11	78.6
Jul 2011	9	2	2	0	2	15	13	86.7
Jun 2011	28	3	0	2	1	34	30	88.2
May 2011	11	1	0	1	0	13	11	84.6
Apr 2011	30	0	0	2	3	35	34	97.1
Mar 2011	29	3	4	0	1	37	33	89.2
Feb 2011	3	1	0	0	1	5	3	60.0
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

## Region 7 Permanency within 24 Months





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Family Case Manager Contacts Report

For October 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

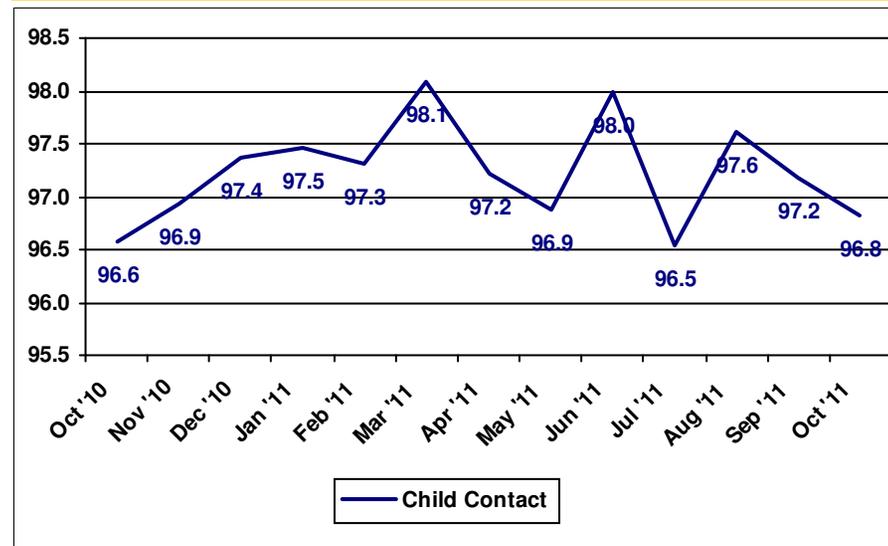
## Family Case Manager Contacts Report

### For October 2011

#### October 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	8,807	2,593	29.4%	8,527	96.8%	2,543	28.9%
Region 7	252	84	33.3%	236	93.7%	83	32.9%
Blackford	19	1	5.3%	10	52.6%	1	5.3%
Delaware	106	36	34.0%	104	98.1%	36	34.0%
Grant	83	30	36.1%	83	100.0%	30	36.1%
Jay	20	7	35.0%	19	95.0%	7	35.0%
Randolph	24	10	41.7%	20	83.3%	9	37.5%

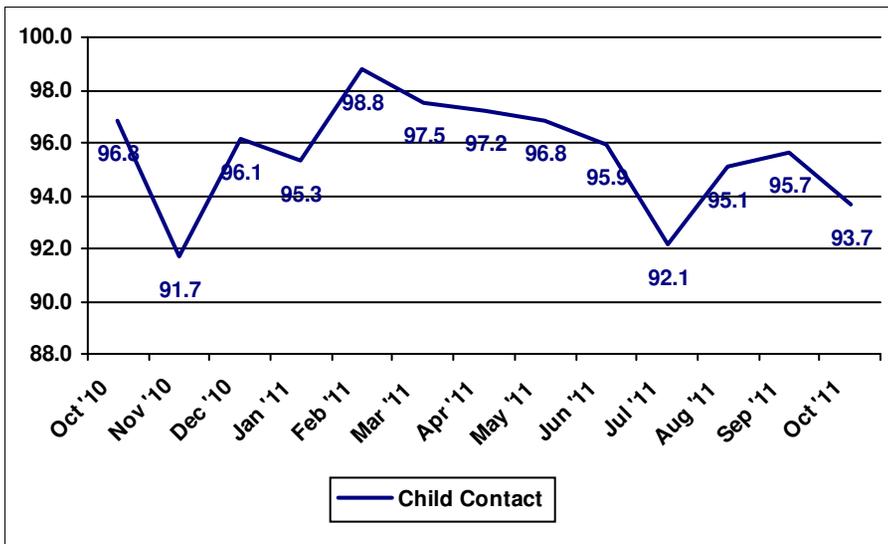
#### Statewide Child Contact Rate



#### Region 7 For October 2010 to October 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
Oct 2011	252	84	33.3%	236	93.7%	83	32.9%
Sep 2011	253	96	37.9%	242	95.7%	95	37.5%
Aug 2011	244	99	40.6%	232	95.1%	96	39.3%
Jul 2011	242	82	33.9%	223	92.1%	80	33.1%
Jun 2011	245	99	40.4%	235	95.9%	97	39.6%
May 2011	252	95	37.7%	244	96.8%	93	36.9%
Apr 2011	253	76	30.0%	246	97.2%	75	29.6%
Mar 2011	242	85	35.1%	236	97.5%	85	35.1%
Feb 2011	253	92	36.4%	250	98.8%	92	36.4%
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%

#### Region 7 Child Contact Rate





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Child Visitation Report

For October 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

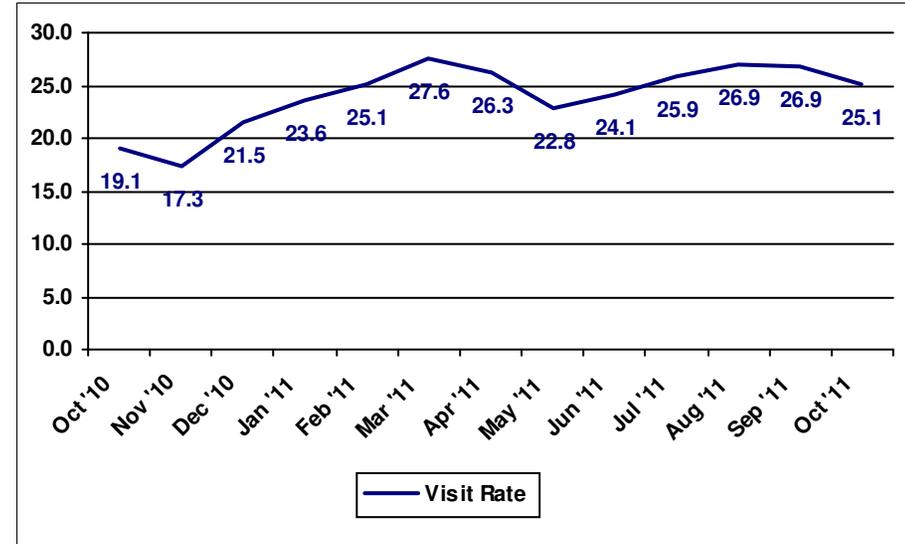
## Child Visitation Report

### For October 2011

#### October 2011

Location	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Children with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
Statewide	4,783	1,199	25.1%
Region 7	130	37	28.5%
Blackford	9	2	22.2%
Delaware	51	25	49.0%
Grant	41	8	19.5%
Jay	14	2	14.3%
Randolph	15	0	0.0%

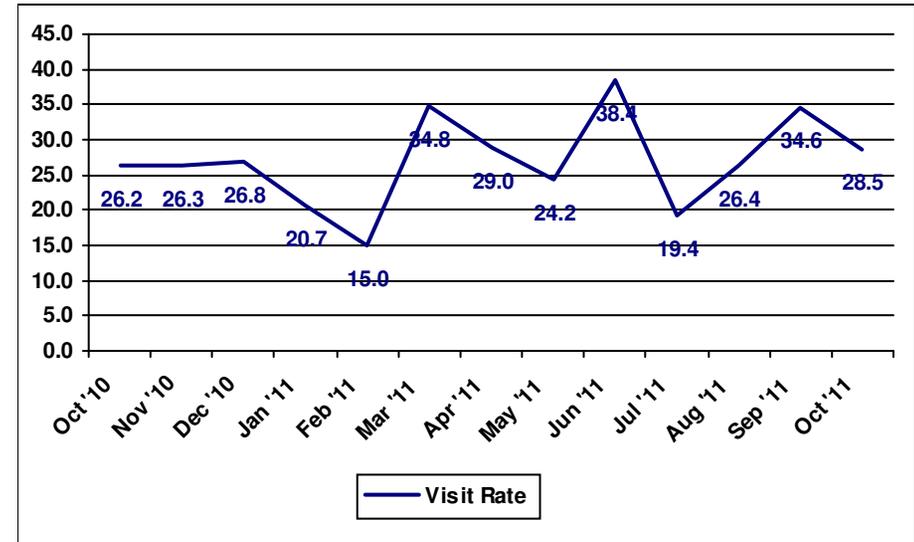
#### Statewide Visitation Rate



#### Region 7 For October 2010 to October 2011

Month	Children out of home with case plan goal of reunification	Children with visits to their family during the month	
		Children	Rate
Oct 2011	130	37	28.5%
Sep 2011	127	44	34.6%
Aug 2011	121	32	26.4%
Jul 2011	124	24	19.4%
Jun 2011	125	48	38.4%
May 2011	132	32	24.2%
Apr 2011	138	40	29.0%
Mar 2011	135	47	34.8%
Feb 2011	140	21	15.0%
Jan 2011	145	30	20.7%
Dec 2010	153	41	26.8%
Nov 2010	152	40	26.3%
Oct 2010	141	37	26.2%

#### Region 7 Visitation Rate





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

For October 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 calculation 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

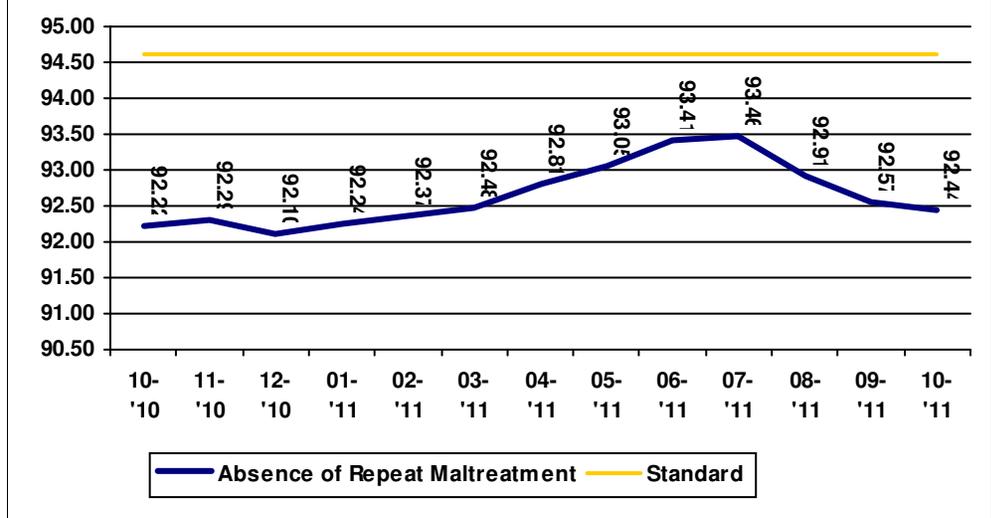
## Absence of Repeat Maltreatment

### For October 2011

#### October 2011

County	Victims from Nov 2010 to May 2011	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	9,601	8,875	92.44%	94.60%
Region 7	314	286	91.08%	94.60%
Blackford	16	14	87.50%	94.60%
Delaware	141	125	88.65%	94.60%
Grant	92	87	94.57%	94.60%
Jay	31	27	87.10%	94.60%
Randolph	34	33	97.06%	94.60%

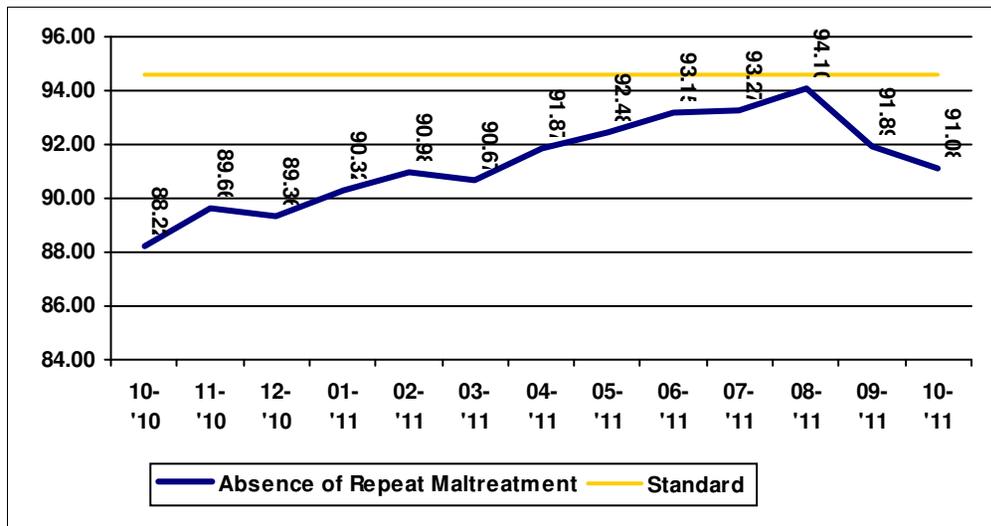
#### Statewide Absence of Repeat Maltreatment



#### Region 7 For October 2010 to October 2011

County	Victims from Nov 2010 to May 2011	Victims without a recurrence within 6 months	Absence of Repeat Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
October 2011	314	286	91.08%	94.60%
September 2011	296	272	91.89%	94.60%
August 2011	305	287	94.10%	94.60%
July 2011	327	305	93.27%	94.60%
June 2011	336	313	93.15%	94.60%
May 2011	399	369	92.48%	94.60%
April 2011	418	384	91.87%	94.60%
March 2011	450	408	90.67%	94.60%
February 2011	488	444	90.98%	94.60%
January 2011	465	420	90.32%	94.60%
December 2010	470	420	89.36%	94.60%
November 2010	474	425	89.66%	94.60%
October 2010	484	427	88.22%	94.60%

#### Region 7 Absence of Repeat Maltreatment





# DCS Practice Indicator Report Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

For October 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 calculation 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

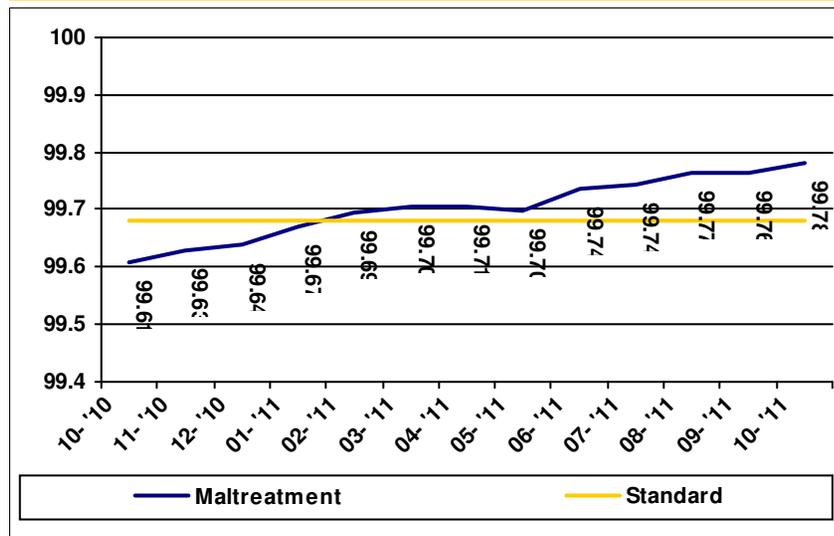
## Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care

### For October 2011

#### For October 2011

Location	Children in Foster Care from Nov 2010 to Oct 2011	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
Statewide	20,116	44	99.78%	99.68%
Region 7	576	1	99.83%	99.68%
Blackford	24	0	100.00%	99.68%
Delaware	269	1	99.63%	99.68%
Grant	166	0	100.00%	99.68%
Jay	55	0	100.00%	99.68%
Randolph	62	0	100.00%	99.68%

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



#### Region 7 for October 2010 to October 2011

Month	Children in Foster Care from Nov 2010 to Oct 2011	Substantiated Victims in Foster Care	Absence of Maltreatment Percent	National Standard
October 2011	576	1	99.83%	99.68%
September 2011	575	0	100.00%	99.68%
August 2011	570	0	100.00%	99.68%
July 2011	554	0	100.00%	99.68%
June 2011	555	0	100.00%	99.68%
May 2011	556	1	99.82%	99.68%
April 2011	568	1	99.82%	99.68%
March 2011	590	1	99.83%	99.68%
February 2011	600	1	99.83%	99.68%
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%

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

