



# **Division of Child and Family Services Data Book as of February 29, 2020**

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# Introduction

The purpose of the Data Book is to provide key statistics that reflect the operations of the Division of Child and Family Services (DCFS) within the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services.

All information contained in this Data Book is extracted from relevant databases on the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month, unless otherwise noted. Efforts are made to ensure that the data is accurate and relevant. Please note that the data is dynamic and changes regularly. Different run dates will result in different totals. Questions regarding the data contained herein, or suggestions for additional data to be included may be directed to DCFS Service Desk at [dcfshelpdesk@dcfs.nv.gov](mailto:dcfshelpdesk@dcfs.nv.gov).

More detailed descriptions of DCFS performance and programs are posted on the Division's website at <http://www.dcfs.state.nv.us>.

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# DCFS Overview

The State of Nevada's Division of Child and Family Services (DCFS) provides a wide range of services for the children, youth, and families in Nevada. Program Areas include Child Welfare, Juvenile Justice, Children's Mental/Behavioral Health Services, Administration and Support Services, and direct services as well as oversight for programs administered at the county and local levels.

<b><i>Child Welfare Services</i></b>	<b><i>Juvenile Justice Services</i></b>	<b><i>Mental and Behavioral Health Services</i></b>	<b><i>Administrative and Support Services</i></b>
Child Protective Services	Youth Alternative Placement	Inpatient Treatment Services	Grant Management and Fiscal Administration
Intensive Family Services	Juvenile Correctional Care	Residential Care Including Family Learning Homes	Federal Reporting on Child Welfare and Services
Foster Care Licensing	Rehabilitation and Academic/Vocational Training	Acute Residential Treatment Center	Personnel and Payroll
Foster Care Placements	Youth Parole Bureau – Supervision and Services	Adolescent Residential Treatment Center	Fiscal Services
Child Abuse and Neglect Registry	Interstate Compact for Juveniles (ICJ)	Early Childhood Services	Contracts Administration
Interstate Compact for the Placement of Children	Quality Improvement	Outpatient Treatment Services	Eligibility Determination for Federal Programs to Youth
Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA) Administration	Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Act Compliance (JJDP)	Intensive Care Coordination Services	Domestic Violence Victims Assistance
Services to Foster Youth Transitioning to Adulthood	Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA)	Consortium	Systems Advocate Office
Adoption Placement	Juvenile Justice Oversight Commission (JJOC)	Training	Compliance and Oversight for Various Programs Information
	Programs Office – Grant Programs, Data Collection		Information Services

# Child Welfare Services

Child Welfare includes direct child protective services, foster care, adoption and independent living services, foster care licensing in 15 rural Nevada counties, statewide oversight for child welfare (including the two urban county child welfare agencies), and oversight of the Interstate Compact for the Placement of Children.

Nevada uses a state-supervised and county-administered structure for the management of child welfare services. DCFS, under the umbrella of the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), provides oversight to child welfare and direct child welfare services. The organizational structure of DCFS and program delivery of child welfare services are influenced by the state size and concentration of county population. In counties with a population of 100,000 or more, the county provides all child welfare services.

Clark County Department of Family Services (CCDFS) and Washoe County Human Services Agency (WCHSA) provide child welfare services directly to all children and families located in those counties. DCFS provides child welfare services to the remaining 15 counties in the state through its Rural Region offices as well as oversight of services in Clark and Washoe counties.

## Intake Services

Intake is the first stage of the child protective services (CPS) process and is one of the most important decision-making points in the child protection system. It is the point at which reports of suspected child abuse and neglect are received. Information gathered by caseworkers is used to make decisions regarding safety and the type of CPS response required. The first part of the CPS process is a referral from an outside source and the Child Welfare Agency's response. Thousands of CPS referrals are received and processed by Intake staff statewide each month.

Referrals are dispositioned by Intake workers, and upon dispositioning, the referral becomes a report. Dispositions can be one of the following: (1) Information Only, where there is insufficient information about the family or maltreatment of the child, or there are no allegations of child abuse/neglect; (2) Differential Response, when a report is made and there are no allegations of maltreatment, and/or the allegations do not rise to the level of an investigation, but the family could benefit from community service; or (3) Investigation if the agency determines that the information constitutes an allegation according to policy; when the investigation is complete, and a determination of *Substantiated* or *Unsubstantiated* is made.

## Count of CPS Referrals Received by Month

SFY2017 to SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

### Statewide - Count of CPS Referrals Received by Month

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	2,191	2,646	3,014	3,112	2,684	2,548	2,808	3,035	3,367	3,031	3,580	2,612	34,628	+ 5.0%
2018	2,470	3,152	3,261	3,423	3,204	3,018	3,082	3,330	3,607	3,414	3,490	2,499	37,950	+ 9.6%
2019	2,526	3,293	3,342	3,619	3,018	2,980	3,158	3,020	3,447	3,404	3,319	2,487	37,613	- 0.9%
2020 YTD	2,540	3,100	3,219	3,349	2,832	2,746	3,243	3,358					24,405	

### Clark County - Count of CPS Referrals Received by Month

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	1,563	1,776	2,132	2,338	1,912	1,797	2,121	2,196	2,494	2,177	2,641	1,893	25,040	+ 9.4%
2018	1,849	2,330	2,368	2,589	2,346	2,325	2,337	2,464	2,695	2,571	2,484	1,827	28,185	+ 12.6%
2019	1,900	2,445	2,495	2,766	2,187	2,220	2,387	2,222	2,628	2,570	2,457	1,923	28,200	+ 0.1%
2020 YTD	1,927	2,389	2,424	2,578	2,121	2,065	2,445	2,480					18,429	

### Washoe County - Count of CPS Referrals Received by Month

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	381	522	498	456	456	436	384	479	478	484	558	422	5,554	- 6.4%
2018	354	531	506	476	510	407	391	500	533	446	561	406	5,621	+ 1.2%
2019	369	488	478	453	463	430	407	418	438	453	476	313	5,186	- 7.7%
2020 YTD	323	404	414	394	375	372	458	557					3,297	

### Rural Region - Count of CPS Referrals Received by Month

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	247	348	384	318	316	315	303	360	395	370	381	297	4,034	- 2.9%
2018	267	291	387	358	348	286	354	366	379	397	445	266	4,144	+ 2.7%
2019	257	360	369	400	368	330	364	380	381	381	386	251	4,227	+ 2.0%
2020 YTD	290	307	381	377	336	327	340	321					2,679	

Source: UNITY database – CFS725 report

## Count of CPS Referrals Received by Disposition by Year

SFY2017 to SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

Statewide – Count of CPS Referrals Received by Disposition by Year

State Fiscal Year	Information Only	Differential Response	Investigation	Total
2017	18,354	1,067	15,207	34,628
2018	21,443	992	15,515	37,950
2019	21,429	755	15,429	37,613
2020 YTD	13,648	468	10,289	24,405

Clark County - Count of CPS Referrals Received by Disposition by Year

State Fiscal Year	Information Only	Differential Response	Investigation	Total
2017	12,356	340	12,344	25,040
2018	15,184	322	12,679	28,185
2019	15,416	136	12,648	28,200
2020 YTD	9,844	189	8,396	18,429

Washoe County - Count of CPS Reports by Disposition by Year

State Fiscal Year	Information Only	Differential Response	Investigation	Total
2017	3,379	224	1,951	5,554
2018	3,456	210	1,955	5,621
2019	3,188	125	1,873	5,186
2020 YTD	1,932	103	1,262	3,297

Rural Region - Count of CPS Reports by Disposition by Year

State Fiscal Year	Information Only	Differential Response	Investigation	Total
2017	2,619	503	912	4,034
2018	2,803	460	881	4,144
2019	2,825	494	908	4,227
2020 YTD	1,872	176	631	2,679

Source: UNITY database – CFS725 report



## Percent of CPS Referrals Received by Disposition by Year

SFY2017 to SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

Statewide – Percent of CPS Referrals Received by Disposition by Year

State Fiscal Year	Information Only	Differential Response	Investigation	Total
<b>2017</b>	53%	3%	44%	100%
<b>2018</b>	57%	3%	41%	100%
<b>2019</b>	57%	2%	41%	100%
<b>2020 YTD</b>	56%	2%	42%	100%

Clark County - Percent of CPS Referrals Received by Disposition by Year

State Fiscal Year	Information Only	Differential Response	Investigation	Total
<b>2017</b>	49%	1%	49%	100%
<b>2018</b>	54%	1%	45%	100%
<b>2019</b>	55%	0%	45%	100%
<b>2020 YTD</b>	53%	1%	46%	100%

Washoe County - Percent of CPS Referrals Received by Disposition by Year

State Fiscal Year	Information Only	Differential Response	Investigation	Total
<b>2017</b>	61%	4%	35%	100%
<b>2018</b>	61%	4%	35%	100%
<b>2019</b>	61%	2%	36%	100%
<b>2020 YTD</b>	59%	3%	38%	100%

Rural Region - Percent of CPS Referrals Received by Disposition by Year

State Fiscal Year	Information Only	Differential Response	Investigation	Total
<b>2017</b>	65%	12%	23%	100%
<b>2018</b>	68%	11%	21%	100%
<b>2019</b>	67%	12%	21%	100%
<b>2020 YTD</b>	70%	7%	24%	100%

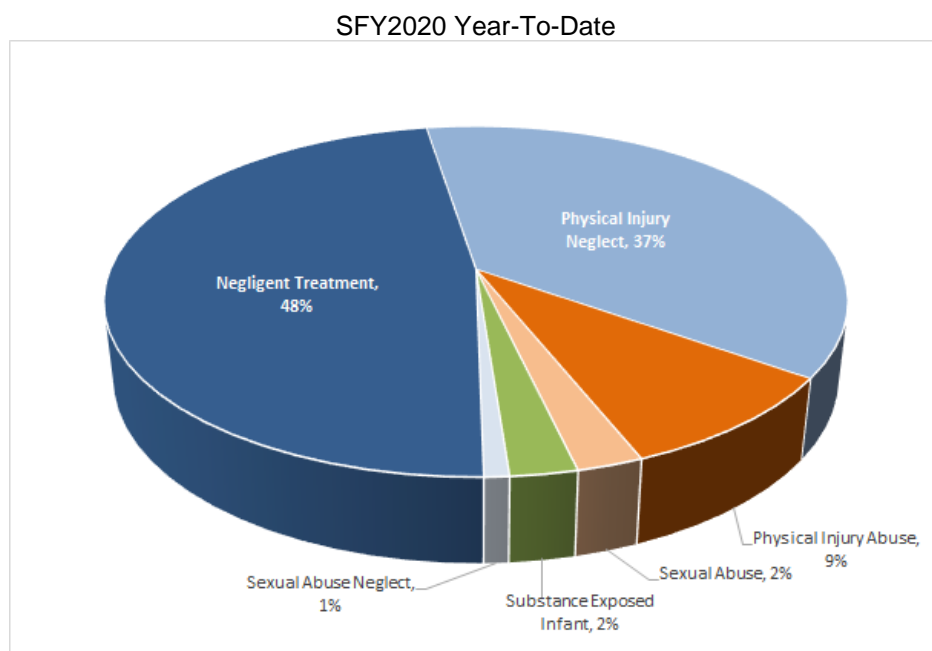
Note: The sum of each row may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Source: UNITY database – CFS725 report

## Child Protective Services

Child Protective Services (CPS) is the first step to ensure the safety and permanency of children who have been reported as being allegedly abused or neglected. The primary focus of CPS is to ensure that children are protected from harm or risk of harm and to make it safe for the child to live with the parent or caretaker. CPS agencies respond to reports of abuse or neglect of children under the age of 18. Abuse or neglect complaints are defined in statute and include mental injury, physical injury, sexual abuse and exploitation, negligent treatment or maltreatment, and excessive corporal punishment. CPS investigative workers assess the safety of children, protective capacity of caregivers, and the family functioning, and they identify strengths and risks in the home.

### Statewide Maltreatment Allegations



Percent of maltreatment allegations are based on screened-in reports, regardless of finding. There have been no allegations of mental injury abuse or mental injury neglect during this fiscal year-to-date (SFY2020).

Source: UNITY database – CFS727 report

### Count of New Investigations Opened by Jurisdiction by Year

SFY2017 to SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

State Fiscal Year	Clark County	Washoe County	Rural Region	Total (Statewide Count)
2017	12,344	1,951	912	15,207
2018	12,679	1,955	881	15,515
2019	12,648	1,873	908	15,429
2020 YTD	8,396	1,262	631	10,289

Source: UNITY database – CFS725 report

Upon completion of the investigation of a report of abuse or neglect, a determination of the case findings is made based on whether there is reasonable cause to believe that a child was abused or neglected or threatened with abuse or neglect. The findings are classified as either *Substantiated* or *Unsubstantiated*. *Substantiated* means that a report made pursuant to NRS 432B.220 was investigated and that preponderance of evidence of the abuse or neglect exists. *Unsubstantiated* means that a report made pursuant to NRS 432B.220 was investigated and that a preponderance of evidence of the abuse or neglect does not exist.

### Count of Investigation Findings – Substantiated or Unsubstantiated\*

SFY2015 to SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

Statewide – Count of Yearly CPS Investigation Findings

State Fiscal Year	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated
2015	3,202	11,100
2016	3,111	11,161
2017	3,240	11,630
2018	3,424	11,666
2019	3,285	11,337
2020 YTD	1,889	6,230

Clark County - Count of Yearly CPS Investigation Findings

State Fiscal Year	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated
2015	2,368	8,863
2016	2,315	9,029
2017	2,438	9,647
2018	2,640	9,778
2019	2,580	9,637
2020 YTD	1,513	5,470

Washoe County - Count of of Yearly CPS Investigation Findings

State Fiscal Year	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated
2015	642	1,420
2016	568	1,494
2017	523	1,434
2018	492	1,408
2019	418	1,179
2020 YTD	241	477

### Rural Region - Count of of Yearly CPS Investigation Findings

State Fiscal Year	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated
2015	192	817
2016	228	368
2017	279	549
2018	292	480
2019	287	521
2020 YTD	135	283

Note: Substantiated and unsubstantiated counts may change because an investigation status determination may take up to 45 days or more to complete and substantiations can go through an appeals process which can overturn the finding.

*Source: UNITY database - CFS727 report*

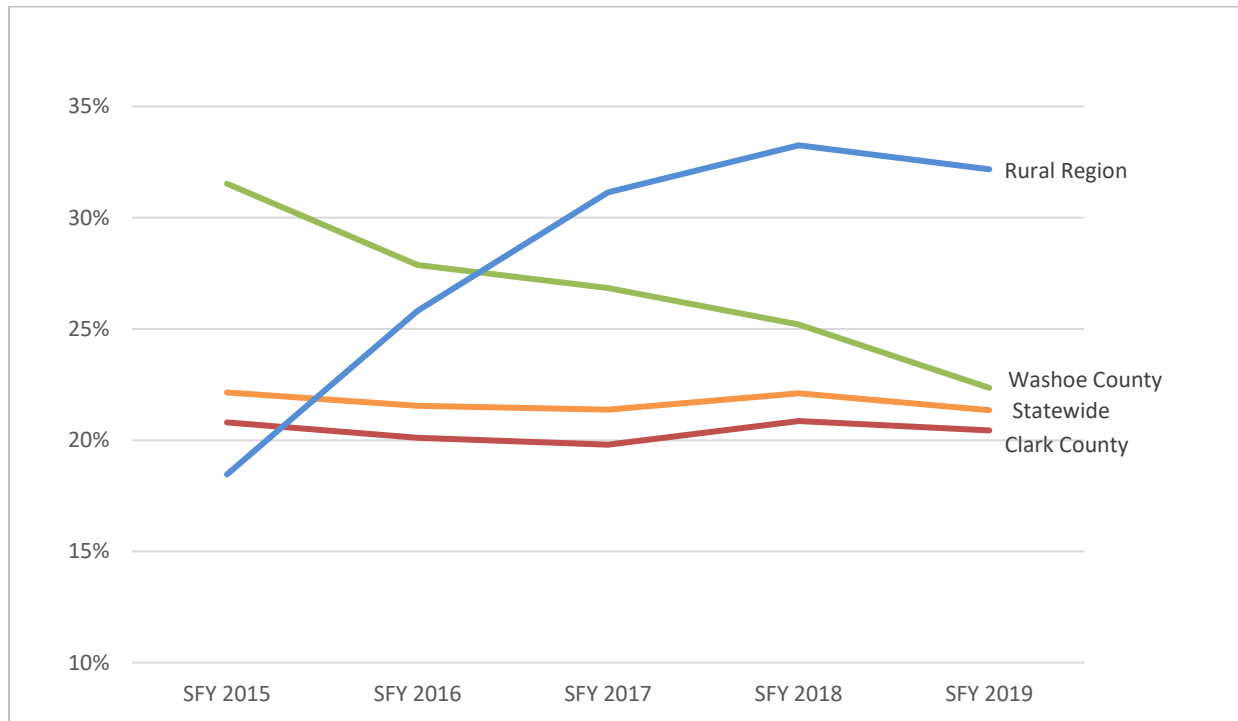
## Percent of Substantiated Investigations by Jurisdiction by Year

SFY2015 to SFY2019

State Fiscal Year	Statewide	Clark County	Washoe County	Rural Region
2015	22.1%	20.8%	31.5%	18.5%
2016	21.5%	20.1%	27.9%	25.8%
2017	21.4%	19.8%	26.8%	31.1%
2018	22.1%	20.9%	25.2%	33.3%
2019	21.4%	20.4%	22.4%	32.2%

Source: UNITY database - CFS727 report

### Trends of Percent of Substantiated Investigations by Jurisdiction by Year – SFY2015 to SFY2019



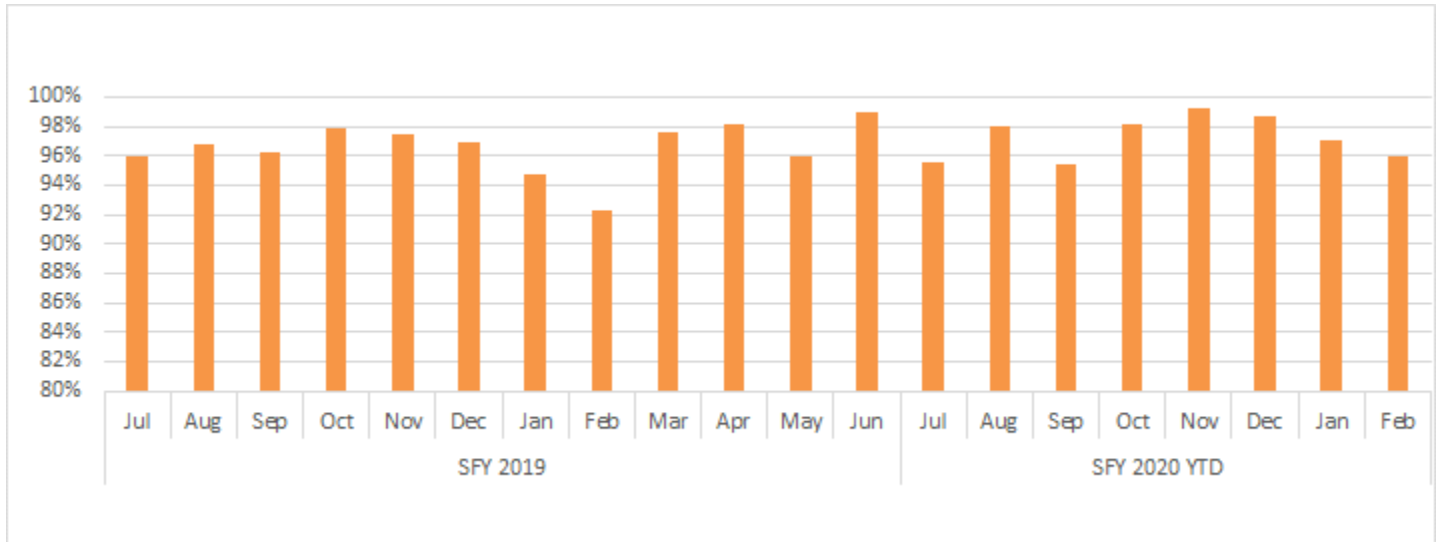
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## Percent of Children Without Recurring Abuse or Neglect in 6 Months

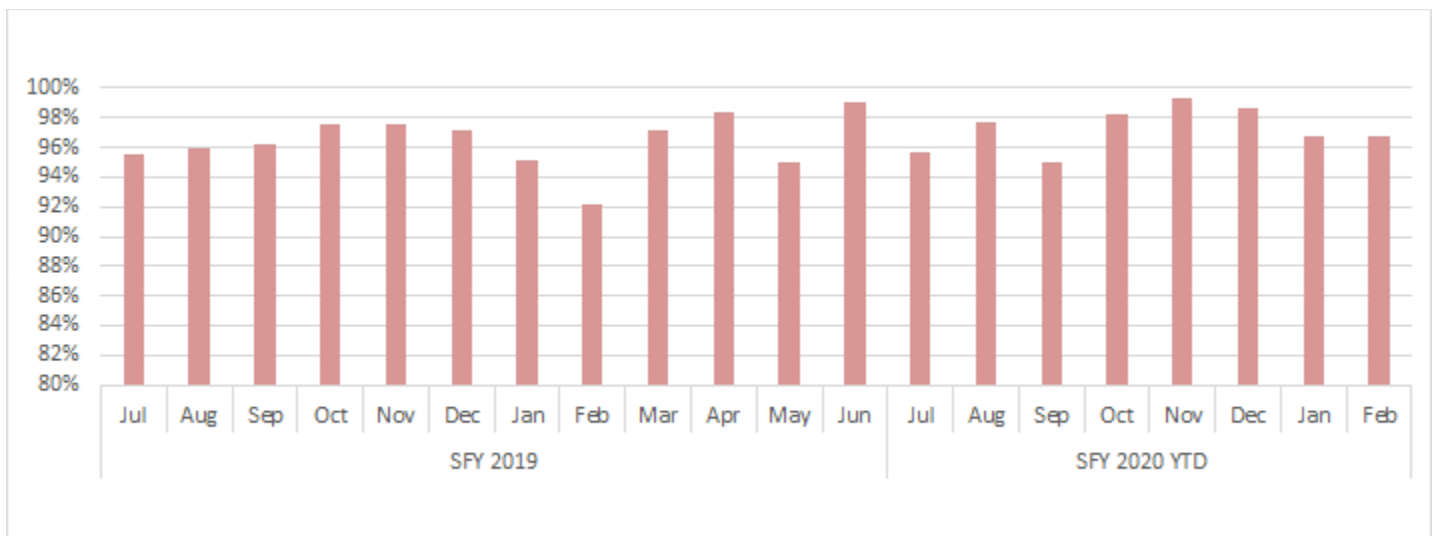
SFY2019 – SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

This measure assesses the effectiveness of Child Protective Services staff in reducing the risk of harm for children who have been maltreated. For children with a substantiated report of abuse and/or neglect, it shows what percentage did not have a recurrent substantiated report within six months of the prior substantiated report date.

### Statewide Percent of Children without Recurring Abuse or Neglect

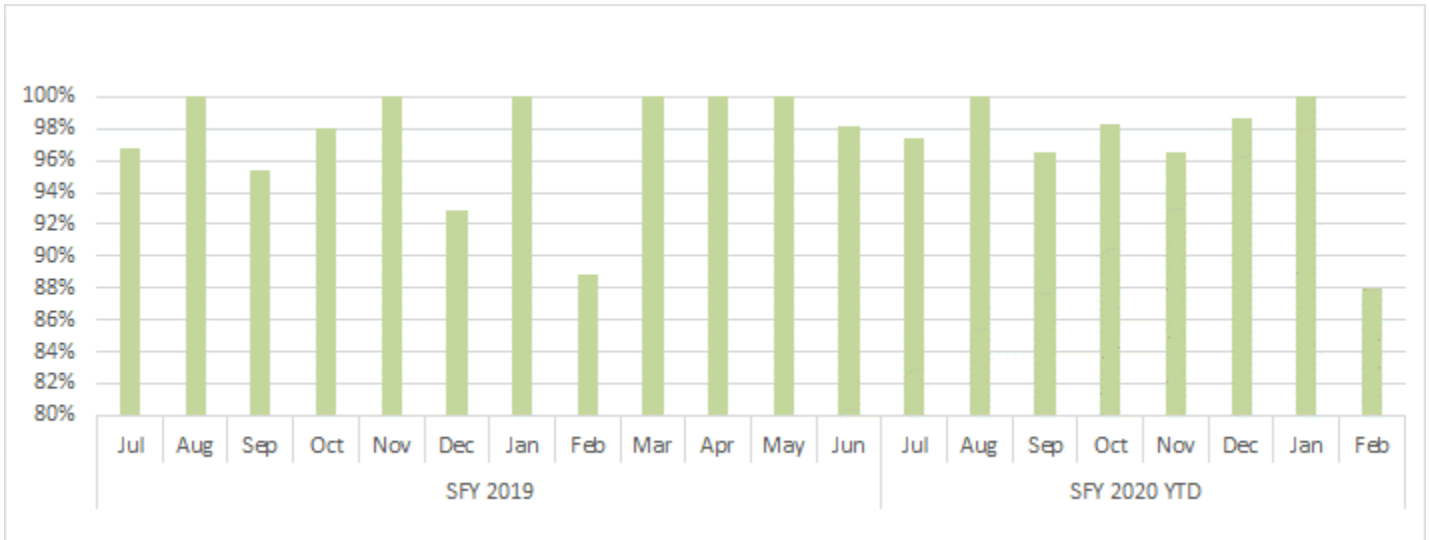


### Clark County Percent of Children without Recurring Abuse or Neglect

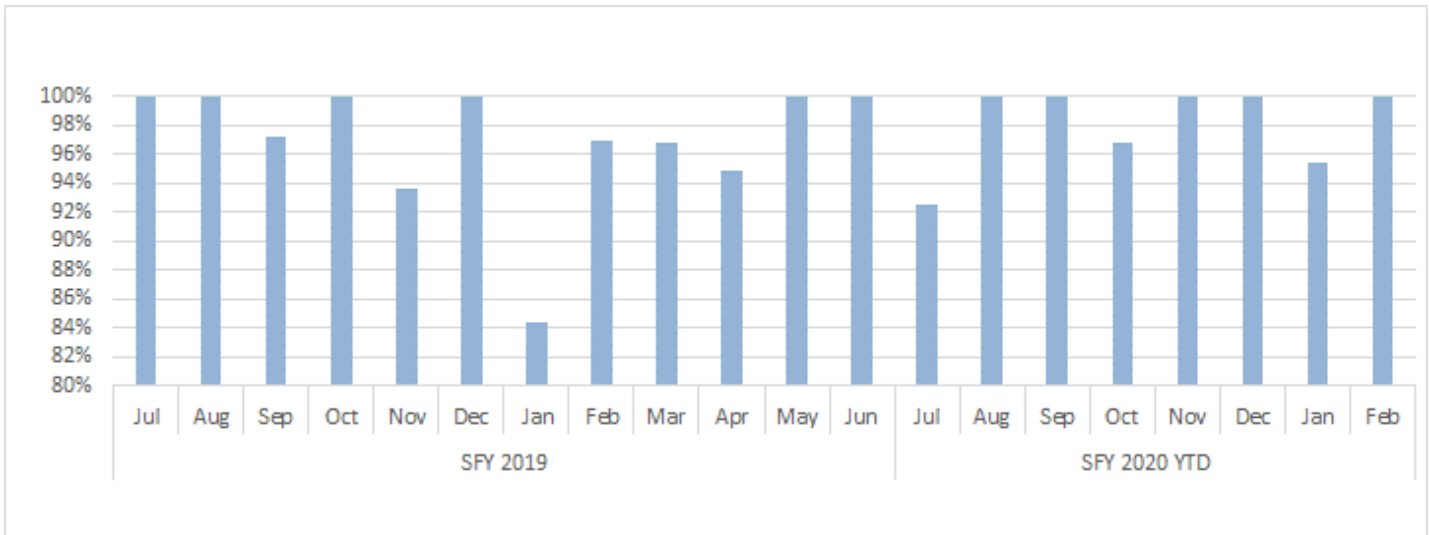


Source: UNITY Database - CFS 7L8 Report

### Washoe County Percentage of Children without Recurring Abuse or Neglect



### Rural Region Percentage of Children without Recurring Abuse or Neglect



Source: UNITY Database - CFS 7L8 Report

## Foster Care Services

Some investigations result in a finding that the child cannot safely remain in the home and must be removed to foster care. This a last resort option, part of the overall continuum of services provided by child welfare agencies.

### Count of Youth Removed by Month

SFY2017 to SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

Statewide - Count of Youth Removed by Month

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	305	369	331	318	317	310	237	246	314	291	304	238	3,580	-1%
2018	324	339	268	245	278	240	250	213	295	295	272	262	3,281	-8%
2019	294	322	291	277	231	289	266	254	262	292	308	296	3,382	+3%
2020 YTD	251	321	296	249	253	255	288	284					2,197	

Clark County - Count of Youth Removed by Month

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	229	273	261	270	267	227	192	183	243	227	248	170	2,790	+2%
2018	232	261	199	185	217	184	189	153	248	218	202	186	2,474	-11%
2019	247	256	221	220	176	247	215	196	206	229	239	216	2,668	+8%
2020 YTD	221	262	224	215	179	207	232	217					1,757	

Washoe County - Count of Youth Removed by Month

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	51	69	56	31	34	55	34	40	43	49	33	49	544	-17%
2018	66	58	47	45	38	42	42	35	36	44	53	45	551	+1%
2019	35	49	49	44	36	28	33	38	23	31	48	56	470	-15%
2020 YTD	17	37	40	29	51	34	36	51					295	

Rural Region - Count of Youth Removed by Month

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	25	27	14	17	16	28	11	23	28	15	23	19	246	+8%
2018	26	20	22	15	23	14	19	25	11	33	17	31	256	+4%
2019	12	17	21	13	19	14	18	20	33	32	21	24	244	-5%
2020 YTD	13	22	32	5	23	14	20	16					145	

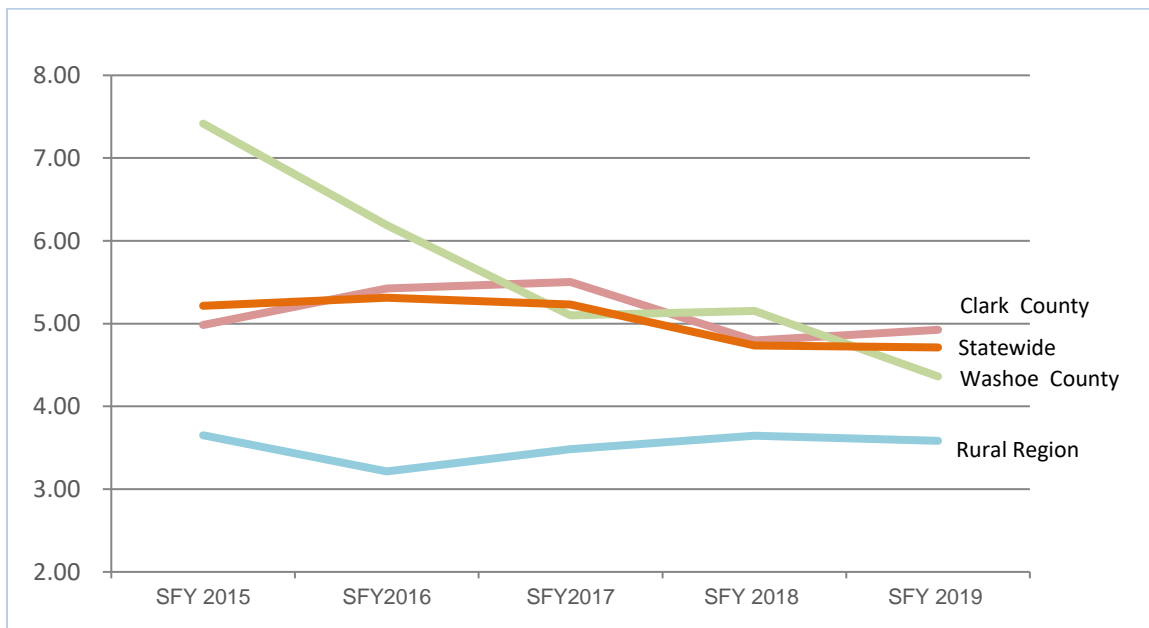


Source: UNITY database - CFS7G6 report

### Removal Rate per 1,000 Children - SFY2015 through SFY2019

State Fiscal Year	Statewide	Clark County	Washoe County	Rural Region
2015	5.22	4.98	7.42	3.65
2016	5.31	5.42	6.19	3.21
2017	5.23	5.50	5.10	3.48
2018	4.73	4.80	5.15	3.64
2019	4.71	4.92	4.36	3.58

### Removal Rate Trends – SFY2015 – SFY2019



Source: UNITY database - CFS7G6 report

Youth are removed to foster care for various reasons; youth may have multiple removal reasons selected. Thus the totals of the count below is greater than the count of youth entering foster care and the sum of the percentages is greater than 100%.

## Removal Reasons of Youth Entering Foster Care in SFY2019

### Statewide Youth Entering Foster Care in SFY2019

Removal Reason	Count of Youth Entering Foster in SFY2019 with Reason Selected	Percent of Youth Entering Foster Care in SFY2019 with Reason Selected
Abandonment	89	2.7%
Child's Alcohol Use	3	0.1%
Child's Behavior	16	0.5%
Child's Disability	4	0.1%
Child's Drug Use	6	0.2%
Child's Meth Use	2	0.1%
Death of Parent(s)	25	0.8%
Domestic Violence	283	8.7%
Drug Affected Child	87	2.7%
Emotional Abuse	198	6.1%
Inadequate Housing	229	7.1%
Incarceration of Parent(s)	326	10.1%
Juvenile Justice Services	4	0.1%
Medical Neglect	86	2.7%
Neglect	2687	82.9%
Parent Can't Cope	127	3.9%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	88	2.7%
Parent's Drug Abuse	216	6.7%
Parent's Meth Use	90	2.8%
Parent's Opioid Use	9	0.3%
Physical Abuse	107	3.3%
Relinquishment	3	0.1%
Sexual Abuse	34	1.0%
Treatment Services	2	0.1%

### Clark County Youth Entering Foster Care in SFY2019

Removal Reason	Count of Youth Entering Foster in SFY2019 with Reason Selected	Percent of Youth Entering Foster Care in SFY2019 with Reason Selected
Abandonment	50	1.98%
Child's Alcohol Use	1	0.04%
Child's Behavior	2	0.08%
Child's Disability	0	0.00%
Child's Drug Use	1	0.04%
Child's Meth Use	0	0.00%
Death of Parent(s)	14	0.56%
Domestic Violence	158	6.26%
Drug Affected Child	52	2.06%
Emotional Abuse	194	7.69%
Inadequate Housing	118	4.68%
Incarceration of Parent(s)	88	3.49%
Juvenile Justice Services	0	0.00%
Medical Neglect	65	2.58%
Neglect	2277	90.29%
Parent Can't Cope	104	4.12%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	24	0.95%
Parent's Drug Abuse	68	2.70%
Parent's Meth Use	24	0.95%
Parent's Opioid Use	1	0.04%
Physical Abuse	56	2.22%
Relinquishment	0	0.00%
Sexual Abuse	16	0.63%
Treatment Services	0	0.00%

### Washoe County Youth Entering Foster Care in SFY2019

Removal Reason	Count of Youth Entering Foster in SFY2019 with Reason Selected	Percent of Youth Entering Foster Care in SFY2019 with Reason Selected
Abandonment	20	4.32%
Child's Alcohol Use	2	0.43%
Child's Behavior	9	1.94%
Child's Disability	2	0.43%
Child's Drug Use	5	1.08%
Child's Meth Use	1	0.22%
Death of Parent(s)	11	2.38%
Domestic Violence	85	18.36%
Drug Affected Child	21	4.54%
Emotional Abuse	4	0.86%
Inadequate Housing	86	18.57%
Incarceration of Parent(s)	184	39.74%
Juvenile Justice Services	0	0.00%
Medical Neglect	12	2.59%
Neglect	244	52.70%
Parent Can't Cope	18	3.89%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	49	10.58%

Parent's Drug Abuse	93	20.09%
Parent's Meth Use	47	10.15%
Parent's Opioid Use	6	1.30%
Physical Abuse	29	6.26%
Relinquishment	3	0.65%
Sexual Abuse	3	0.65%
Treatment Services	1	0.22%

### Rural Region Youth Entering Foster Care in SFY2019

Removal Reason	Count of Youth Entering Foster in SFY2019 with Reason Selected	Percent of Youth Entering Foster Care in SFY2019 with Reason Selected
Abandonment	19	7.39%
Child's Alcohol Use	0	0.00%
Child's Behavior	5	1.95%
Child's Disability	2	0.78%
Child's Drug Use	0	0.00%
Child's Meth Use	1	0.39%
Death of Parent(s)	0	0.00%
Domestic Violence	40	15.56%
Drug Affected Child	14	5.45%
Emotional Abuse	0	0.00%
Inadequate Housing	25	9.73%
Incarceration of Parent(s)	54	21.01%
Juvenile Justice Services	4	1.56%
Medical Neglect	9	3.50%
Neglect	166	64.59%
Parent Can't Cope	5	1.95%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	15	5.84%
Parent's Drug Abuse	55	21.40%
Parent's Meth Use	19	7.39%
Parent's Opioid Use	2	0.78%
Physical Abuse	22	8.56%
Relinquishment	0	0.00%
Sexual Abuse	15	5.84%
Treatment Services	1	0.39%

Source: UNITY database - CFS721 report

## Count of Youth Served\* in Foster Care by Month

SFY2017 – SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

Statewide - Count of Youth Served in Foster Care

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Average	% change from Previous Year
2017	4,486	4,593	4,545	4,537	4,541	4,542	4,505	4,483	4,588	4,651	4,602	4,539	4,551	- 2.9%
2018	4,578	4,642	4,630	4,650	4,626	4,599	4,661	4,651	4,673	4,716	4,703	4,669	4,650	+ 2.2%
2019	4,734	4,816	4,779	4,781	4,696	4,666	4,714	4,687	4,741	4,766	4,794	4,812	4,749	+ 2.1%
2020 YTD	4,740	4,786	4,770	4,771	4,715	4,701	4,714	4,770					4,746	

Clark County - Count of Youth Served in Foster Care Placements

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Average	% change from Previous Year
2017	3,137	3,234	3,189	3,217	3,230	3,231	3,225	3,179	3,263	3,321	3,310	3,244	3,232	- 2.0%
2018	3,251	3,314	3,312	3,326	3,314	3,304	3,350	3,325	3,385	3,418	3,391	3,360	3,338	+ 3.3%
2019	3,424	3,491	3,491	3,497	3,440	3,445	3,485	3,479	3,538	3,540	3,556	3,568	3,496	+ 4.8%
2020 YTD	3,523	3,562	3,547	3,556	3,496	3,493	3,514	3,544					3,529	

Washoe County - Count of Youth Served in Foster Care Placements

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Average	% change from Previous Year
2017	944	972	978	943	924	939	926	934	938	936	914	914	939	- 1.6%
2018	949	949	934	933	911	906	911	908	882	888	894	874	912	- 2.9%
2019	887	904	864	867	845	804	812	809	798	803	821	826	837	- 8.2%
2020 YTD	801	805	784	791	799	789	776	798					793	

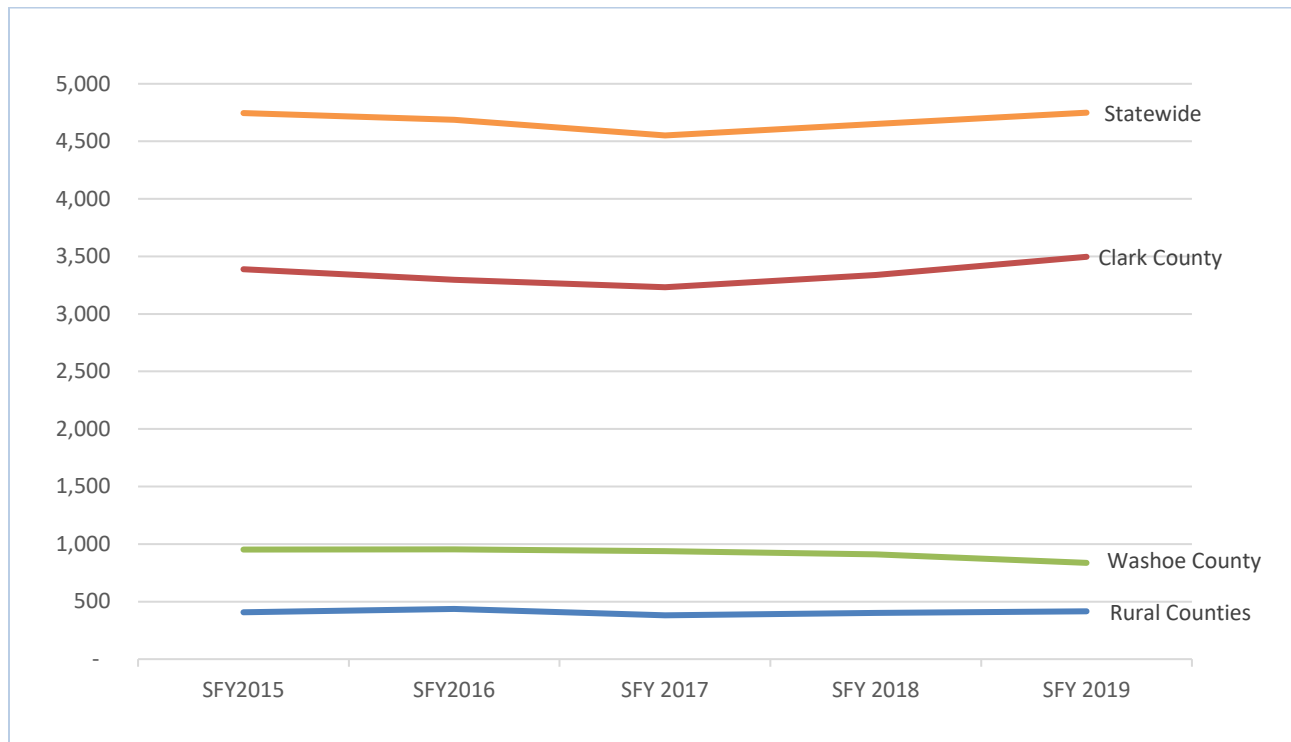
Rural Region - Count of Youth Served in Foster Care Placements

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Average	% change from Previous Year
2017	405	387	378	377	387	372	354	370	387	394	378	381	381	- 12.7%
2018	378	379	384	391	401	389	400	418	406	410	418	435	401	+ 5.3%
2019	423	421	424	417	411	417	417	399	405	423	417	418	416	+ 3.8%
2020 YTD	416	419	439	424	420	419	424	428					424	

\*Note: These counts reflect total foster youth served or the total count of youth in foster care placements during the month, regardless of whether the youth entered or exited foster care during the month.

Source: CLEO Report/ Child Welfare Caseload Statistics

### Trends of Monthly Averages of Youth Served in Foster Care – SFY2015 to SFY2019



Source: CLEO Report/ Child Welfare Caseload Statistics

When the safety and protection of a child cannot be met in the parent's or caregiver's home, substitute care in the form of relative care, foster care, residential therapeutic care, or other planned permanent living arrangements may become necessary. When it becomes necessary, child welfare agencies place children with available resource families. Resource families meet the needs of Nevada's waiting children and may be relatives, fictive (not related) family, foster parents, therapeutic foster care parents, and adoptive parents. With a resource family, a child may begin with an emergency shelter-care placement, emerge into foster care, with a final outcome of an adoption – and never leave the original resource family's home. A resource family is committed to a child, regardless of the child's needs and level of care.

### Placement Breakdown of Statewide Youth in Foster Care on February 29, 2020

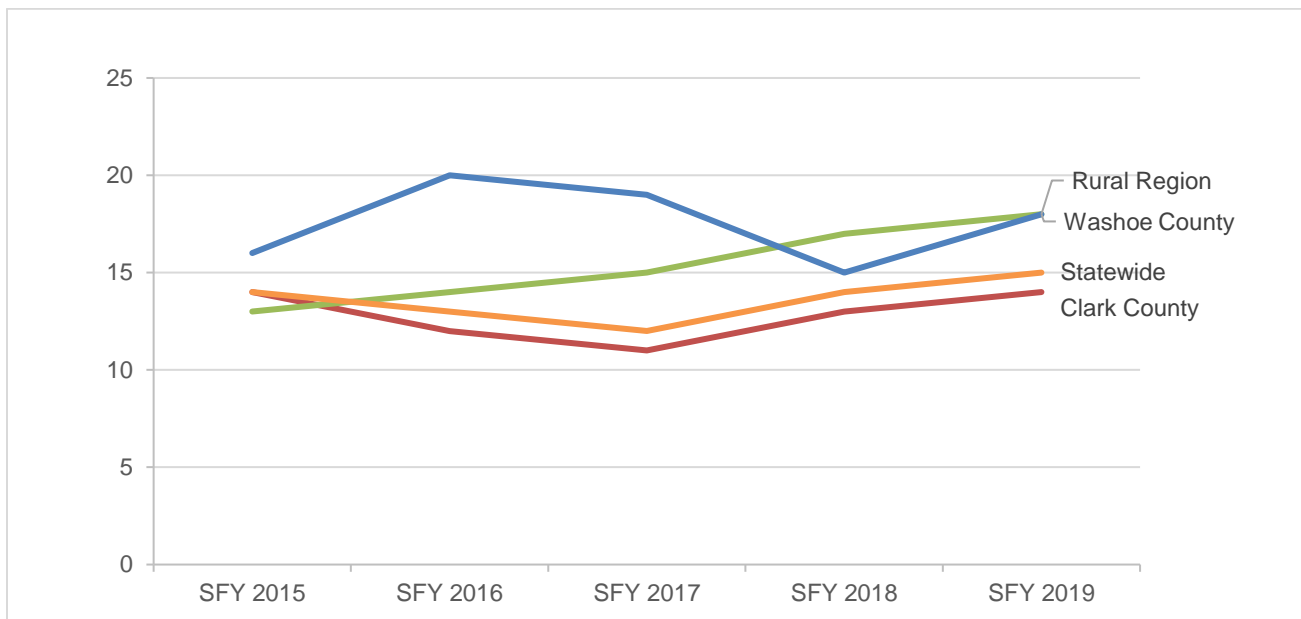
Placement Type	Count of Statewide Foster Youth in Placement Setting	Percent of Statewide Foster Youth in Placement Setting
Foster Family Home (Non-Relative)	2,035	44.0%
Foster Family Home (Relative)	1,830	39.6%
Trial Home Visit	365	7.9%
Institution	225	4.9%
Pre-Adoptive Home	85	1.8%
Runaway	50	1.1%
Group Home	31	0.7%
Supervised Independent Living	0	0.0%
Total youth	4,621	100.0%

Length of stay in foster care refers to the amount of time between entering and exiting foster care. Being removed from home and placed in foster care are difficult and stressful experiences for any child. The goal for every part of the child welfare system is for children to remain safely with their families or if in out-of-home care, to return home as soon as safely possible.

### Average Length of Stay in Months for Children Exiting Foster Care – SFY2015 – SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

State Fiscal Year	Statewide	Clark County	Washoe County	Rural Region
2015	14	14	13	16
2016	13	12	14	20
2017	12	11	15	19
2018	14	13	17	15
2019	15	14	18	18
2020 YTD	17	14	20	16

## Trends of Average Length of Stay in Months for Children Exiting Foster Care – SFY2015 – SFY2019



Source: UNITY database - RPT721 report

## Discharge Reasons for Statewide Youth Exiting Foster Care in SFY2019

Foster Care Discharge Reason	Number of Foster Youth Discharged with this Reason	Percent of Foster Youth Discharged with this Reason	Average Foster Care Placements for Foster Youth Discharged with this Reason	Average Months in Custody for Foster Youth Discharged with this Reason
Returned to Other Parent	911	29.8%	1.97	7.92
Returned to Caretaker	874	28.6%	1.81	7.90
Adoption	842	27.5%	3.55	31.86
Guardianship - Relative	213	7.0%	2.19	12.15
Returned to Other Relative	69	2.3%	1.55	1.83
Transferred to Other Agency	52	1.7%	1.75	2.63
Aged Out	38	1.2%	8.02	45.56
Guardianship - Non Relative	29	0.9%	3.13	12.22
Runaway	19	0.6%	1.21	2.69
Death of Child	5	0.2%	3.4	22.15
Custodianship	4	0.1%	4.25	21.98
Transferred to Tribal Agency	4	0.1%	1	0.68
<b>Total Youth Discharged</b>	<b>3060</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

Source: UNITY database - RPT721 report



## Foster Care Licensing

When children must be removed from their homes, the child welfare agency must utilize traditional foster care. Resource home development is designed to recruit, train, license, and retain the most appropriate families available who can meet the needs of the children.

Family foster home means a family home in which one to six children who are under 18 years of age or who remain under the jurisdiction of a court pursuant to NRS 432B.594 and who are not related within the first degree of consanguinity or affinity to the person or persons maintaining the home are received, cared for and maintained, for compensation or otherwise, including the provision of free care. The term includes a family home in which such a child is received, cared for and maintained pending completion of proceedings for the adoption of the child by the person or persons maintaining the home.

Group foster home means a foster home which provides full-time care and services for 7 to 15 children who are: under 18 years of age or who remain under the jurisdiction of a court pursuant to NRS 432B.594; not related within the first degree of consanguinity or affinity to any natural person maintaining or operating the home; and received, cared for and maintained for compensation or otherwise, including the provision of free care.

### Average Number of Family Foster Home and Group Foster Home Licenses and Beds

State Fiscal Year	2017		2018		2019		2020 YTD	
Average Number of Family Foster Home Licenses and Beds								
	License	Beds	License	Beds	License	Beds	License	Beds
Statewide	2,022	3,795	2,066	3,956	1,955	4,070	1,928	4,038
Clark County	1,417	2,413	1,433	2,486	1,304	2,556	1,330	2,650
Washoe County	382	866	410	1,040	407	953	400	919
Rural Counties	223	517	223	505	244	562	199	469
Average Number of Group Foster Home Licenses and Beds								
Statewide	69	386	39	274	26	205	20	171
Clark County	10	97	10	96	10	96	7	72
Washoe County	45	206	18	108	8	62	6	49
Rural Counties	14	83	11	70	7	46	7	50

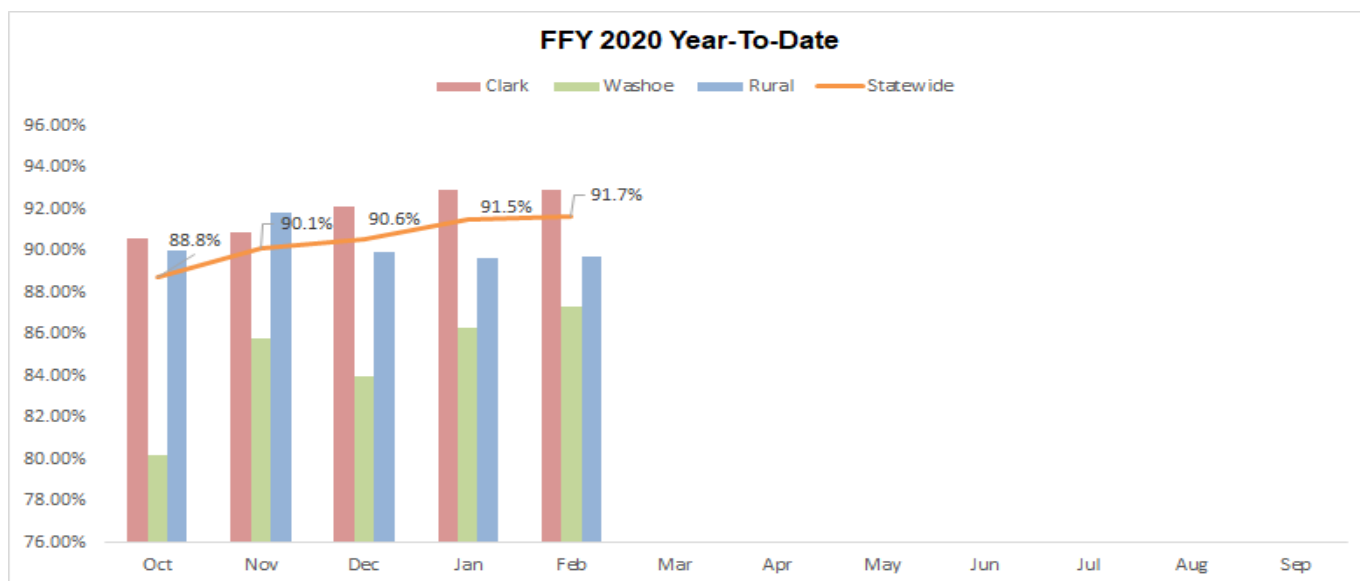
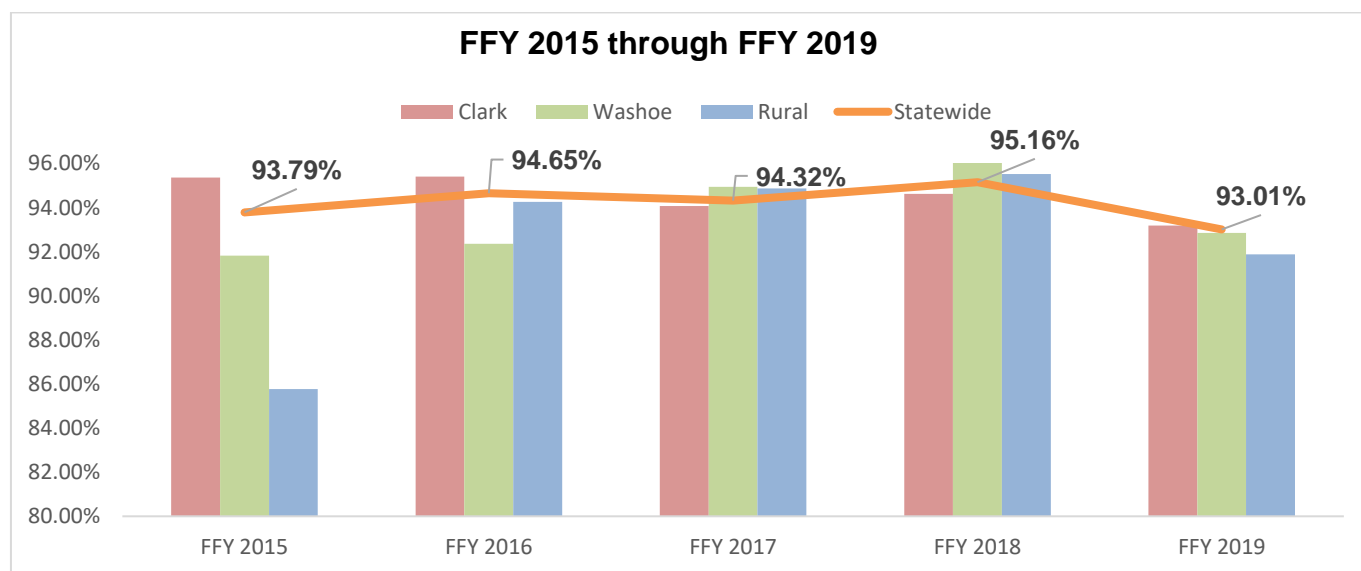
Source: CLEO Report/ Child Welfare Caseload Statistics

# Caseworker Visits with Children

In accordance with the state plan requirements of Title IV-E of the Social Security Act, the child welfare agency must ensure that children, who are in foster care and under the responsibility of the agency, are visited on a monthly basis and that the caseworker visits are well-planned and focused on issues pertinent to case planning and service delivery to ensure the safety, permanency, and well-being of the children.

Note: The following Caseworker Visit Compliance graphs are based on a Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) which runs from October 1 through September 30. Federal target increased from 90% to 95% effective August 2014.

## Statewide Caseworker Contact Compliance Percentage



Source: UNITY Database - RPT 7D7 Report

## Services to Foster Youth Transitioning to Adulthood

The goal of Nevada's Independent Living Program (IL) is to prepare young adults for the transition to adulthood and to provide opportunities to obtain the skills necessary for self-sufficiency. Independent Living, while commonly seen as a placement option, is not only a placement but also a set of services specifically designed around the needs of each youth in the program. DCFS is responsible for providing IL services in the 15 rural counties of the state and overseeing Clark and Washoe counties.

### Count of Statewide Foster Youth, Age 14 and Up, by Placement Type as of February 29, 2020

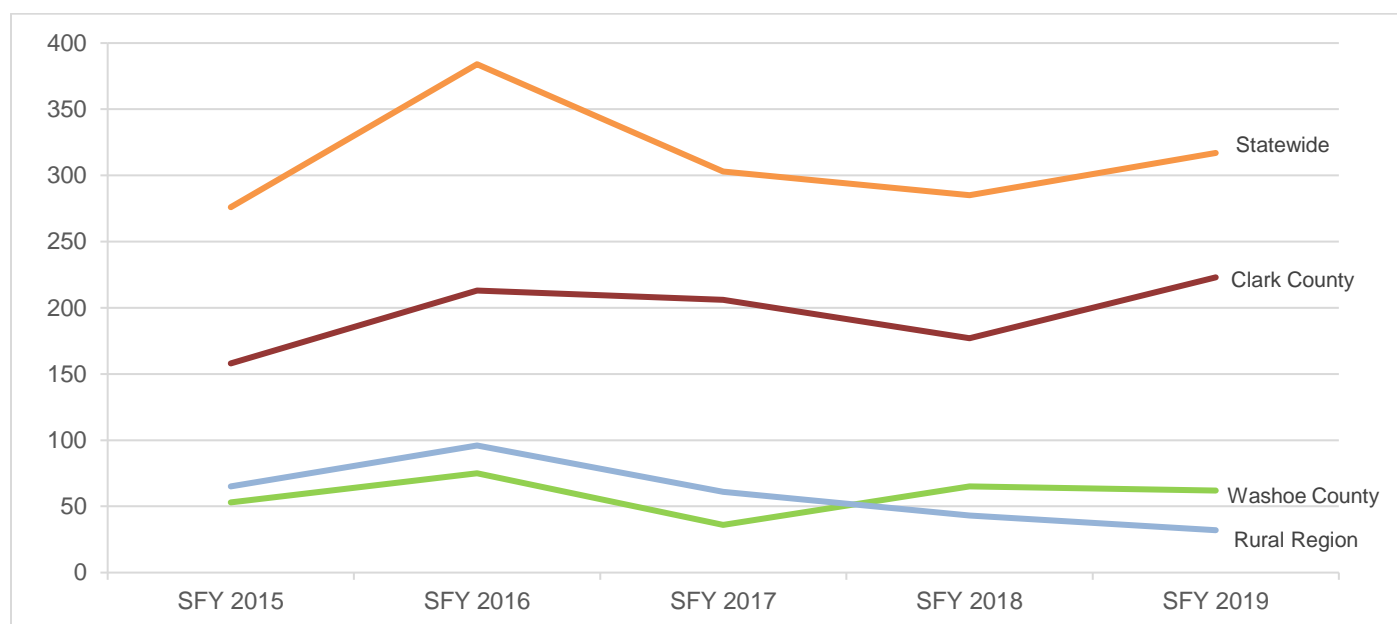
Placement Type	Count of Youth
Family Care	410
Unpaid Placements	274
Shelter Care	53
Residential Care	37
Independent Living	16
Pre-Adoptive Home	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>796</b>

*Source: UNITY database - RPT704 report*

## Total Count of Foster Youth Ages 14 through 17 Receiving Independent Living Services

State Fiscal Year	Statewide	Clark County	Washoe County	Rural Region
2015	276	158	53	65
2016	384	213	75	96
2017	303	206	36	61
2018	285	177	65	43
2019	317	223	62	32
2020 YTD	235	168	28	39

Trends of Count of Foster Youth Ages 14 through 17 Receiving Independent Living Services



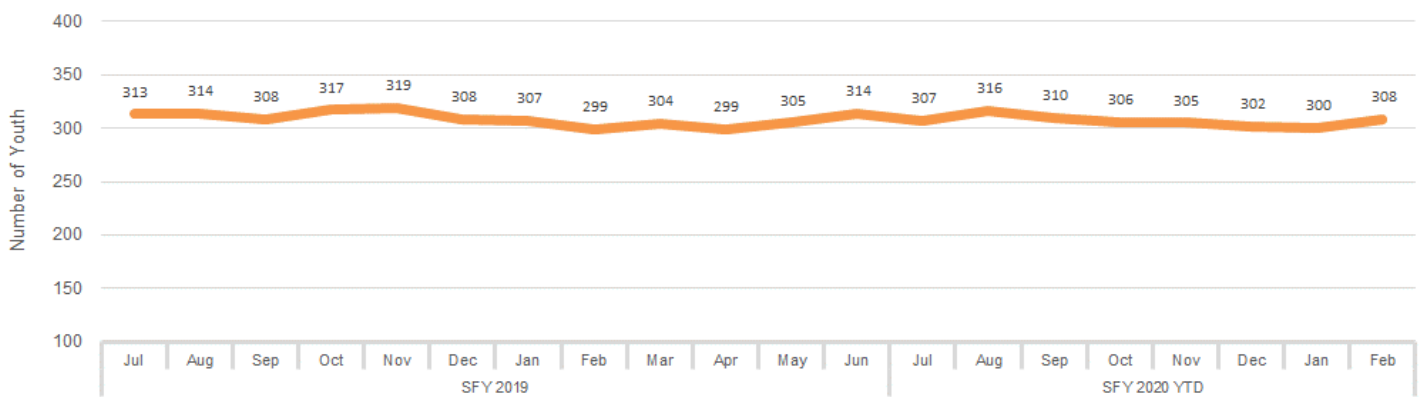
Source: COGNOS IL Counts report

## Court Jurisdiction Youth

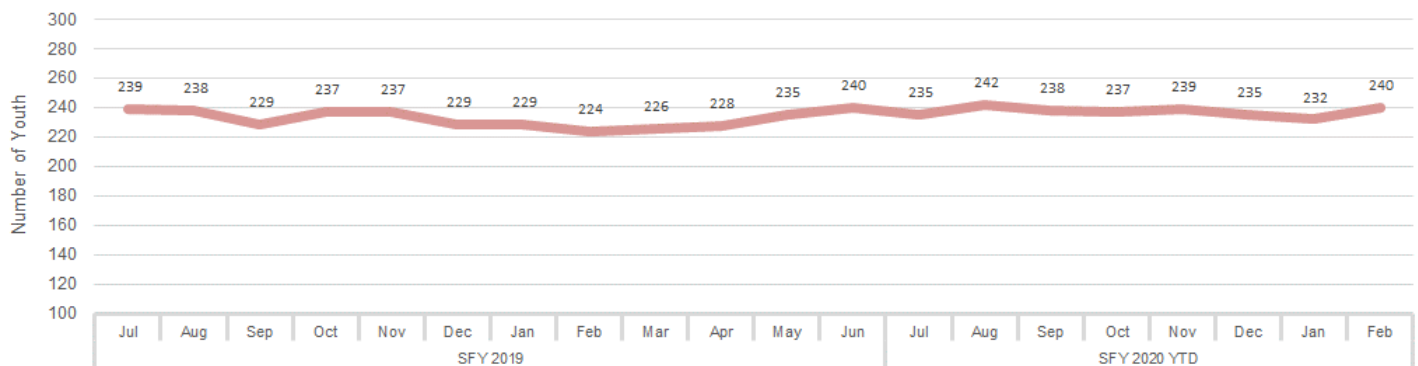
Assembly Bill 350 (AB 350), enacted in the 76th Session of the Nevada Legislature (2011) and signed into law by Governor Sandoval on May 18, 2011, provides that youth who "age out" of foster care (reach the age of majority while in foster care) may continue in the jurisdiction of the court after the age of 18 under certain circumstances. The agency that provides child welfare services continues monetary payments to the youth while they remain in the jurisdiction of the court.

### Count of Youth Served\* in Court Jurisdiction by Month

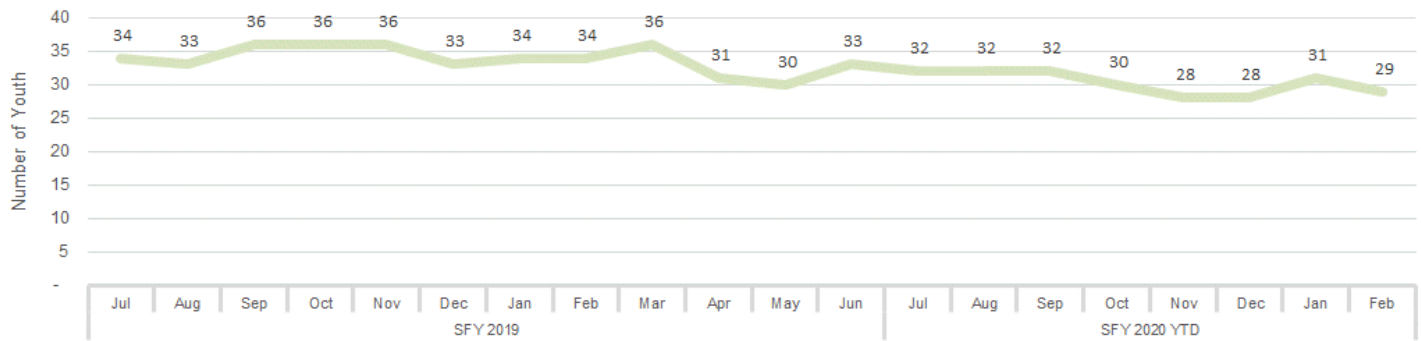
Statewide Count of Youth Served in Court Jurisdiction



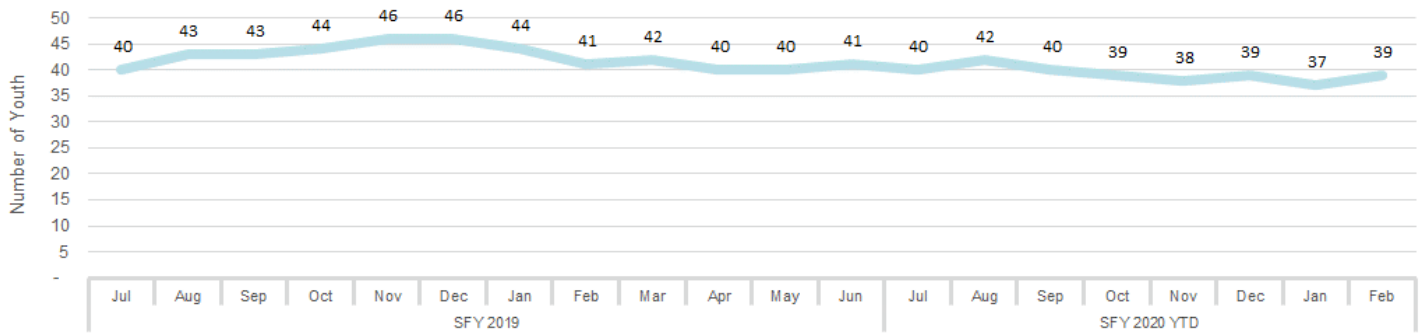
Clark County Count of Youth Served in Court Jurisdiction



### Washoe County Count of Youth Served in Court Jurisdiction



### Rural Region Count of Youth Served in Court Jurisdiction



\*Note: These counts reflect total court jurisdiction program youth served or the total count of youth in the court jurisdiction program during the month, regardless of whether the youth entered or exited the program during the month.

Source: UNITY database – CFS7K9 report

# Finalized Adoptions and Adoption Subsidies

It is the policy of the agencies providing child welfare services to provide financial, medical, and social services assistance to adoptive parents, thereby encouraging and supporting the adoption of special-needs children from foster care. A statewide collaborative policy outlines the special-needs eligibility criteria, application process, types of assistance available, and the necessary elements of a subsidized adoption agreement.

## Count of Finalized Adoptions by Month – SFY2017 – SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

### Statewide - Count of Finalized Adoptions

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	53	67	77	65	111	43	32	46	74	53	70	55	746	-2%
2018	36	88	55	65	89	45	35	53	45	71	88	41	711	-5%
2019	46	117	63	68	121	46	58	42	69	81	64	65	840	+18%
2020 YTD	45	84	58	97	117	74	36	62					573	

### Clark County - Count of Finalized Adoptions

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	31	44	62	46	75	22	25	24	56	42	39	43	509	-14%
2018	27	63	47	49	62	36	29	26	34	52	57	31	513	+1%
2019	38	57	50	45	83	32	36	31	50	65	37	54	578	+13%
2020 YTD	33	56	40	75	84	57	31	40					416	

### Washoe County - Count of Finalized Adoptions

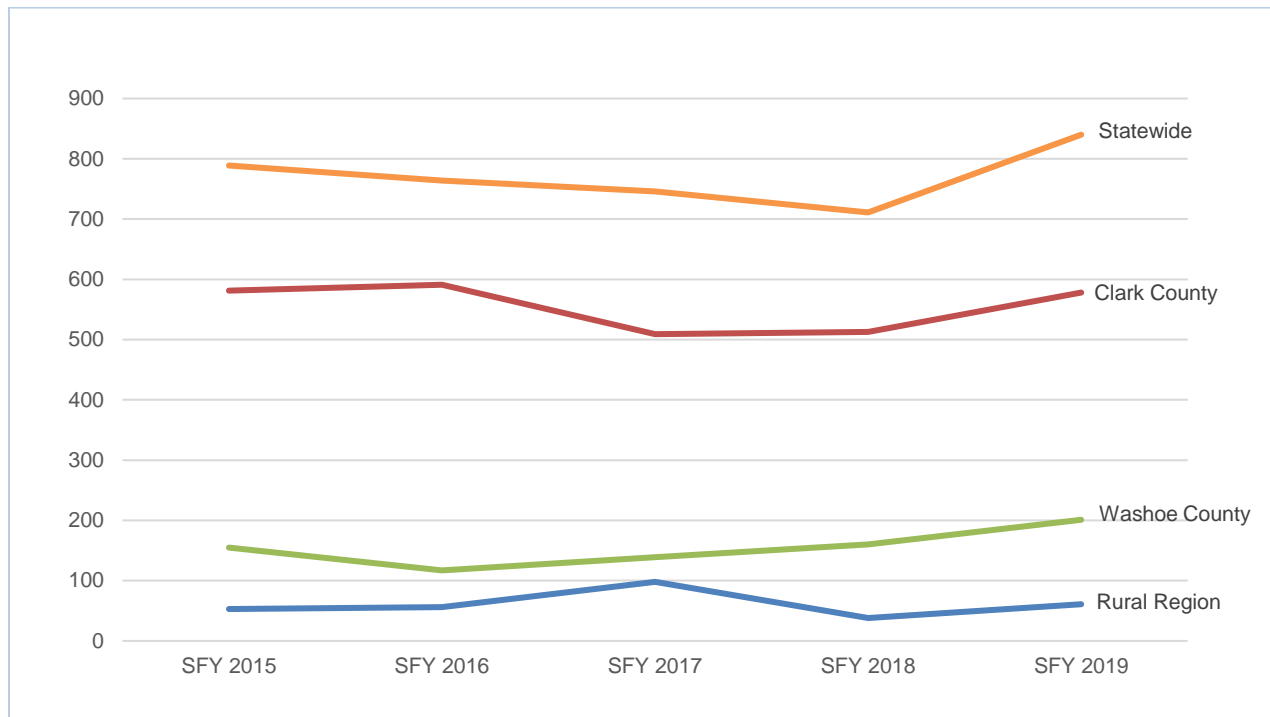
State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	8	16	11	13	18	9	5	17	12	3	23	4	139	+19%
2018	7	21	8	15	20	6	4	24	8	14	28	5	160	+15%
2019	6	54	10	15	37	14	14	9	14	8	15	5	201	+26%
2020 YTD	11	26	13	18	28	16	4	19					135	

### Rural Region - Count of Finalized Adoptions

State Fiscal Year	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	% change from Previous Year
2017	14	7	4	6	18	12	2	5	6	8	8	8	98	+75%
2018	2	4	0	1	7	3	2	3	3	5	3	5	38	-61%
2019	2	6	3	8	1	0	8	2	5	8	12	6	61	+61%
2020 YTD	1	2	5	4	5	1	1	3					22	

Source: UNITY database - CFS794 report

### Trends of Counts of Finalized Adoptions – SFY2015 to SFY2019



Source: UNITY database - CFS794 report



## Statewide Finalized Adoptions by Age at Adoption

### Finalized Adoptions by Age at Adoption

State Fiscal Year	Statewide				Clark County				Washoe County				Rural Counties			
Age by Year	2017	2018	2019	2020 YTD	2017	2018	2019	2020 YTD	2017	2018	2019	2020 YTD	2017	2018	2019	2020 YTD
0	12	13	10	6	5	5	3	6	7	8	7	0	0	0	0	0
1	109	113	126	71	92	97	94	49	10	12	27	21	7	4	5	1
2	113	126	138	102	75	92	99	77	27	26	33	22	11	8	6	3
3	69	75	82	61	45	56	56	44	15	15	20	12	9	4	6	5
4	67	63	65	48	45	43	42	36	14	17	16	8	8	3	7	4
5	62	48	53	35	39	27	37	28	11	17	8	6	12	4	8	1
6	46	44	54	41	28	32	39	29	8	9	12	10	10	3	3	2
7	39	36	38	27	26	24	25	20	8	8	7	7	5	4	6	0
8	50	37	52	35	31	24	35	25	12	11	12	9	7	2	5	1
9	38	33	49	33	24	26	34	19	6	7	12	11	8	0	3	3
10	29	27	33	25	20	17	23	18	3	9	7	7	6	1	3	0
11	30	20	38	17	22	17	27	12	3	3	9	4	5	0	2	1
12	27	21	26	21	23	14	16	18	2	6	7	3	2	1	3	0
13	18	21	24	12	13	12	13	5	4	6	9	6	1	3	2	1
14	9	13	22	11	6	12	16	7	2	1	5	4	1	0	1	0
15	18	10	9	13	11	8	8	11	4	2	1	2	3	0	0	0
16	7	8	15	10	4	6	8	7	1	1	7	3	2	1	0	0
17	3	2	6	5	0	0	3	5	2	2	2	0	1	0	1	0
other	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	746	711	840	573	509	513	578	416	139	160	201	135	98	38	61	22

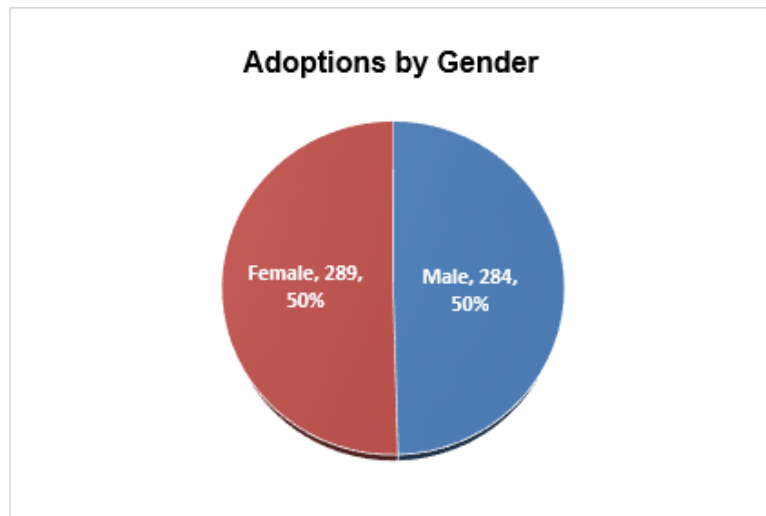
### Finalized Adoptions by Age Group

State Fiscal Year	Statewide				Clark County				Washoe County				Rural Counties			
Age Group	2017	2018	2019	2020 YTD	2017	2018	2019	2020 YTD	2017	2018	2019	2020 YTD	2017	2018	2019	2020 YTD
0-1	16 %	18 %	16 %	13 %	19 %	20 %	17 %	13 %	12 %	13 %	17 %	16 %	7 %	11 %	8 %	5 %
2-4	33 %	37 %	34 %	37 %	32 %	37 %	34 %	38 %	40 %	36 %	34 %	31 %	29 %	39 %	31 %	55 %
5-9	32 %	28 %	29 %	30 %	29 %	26 %	29 %	29 %	32 %	33 %	25 %	32 %	43 %	34 %	41 %	32 %
10-14	15 %	14 %	17 %	15 %	17 %	14 %	16 %	14 %	10 %	16 %	18 %	18 %	15 %	13 %	18 %	9 %
15 and up	4 %	3 %	4 %	5 %	3 %	3 %	3 %	6 %	5 %	3 %	5 %	4 %	6 %	3 %	2 %	0 %

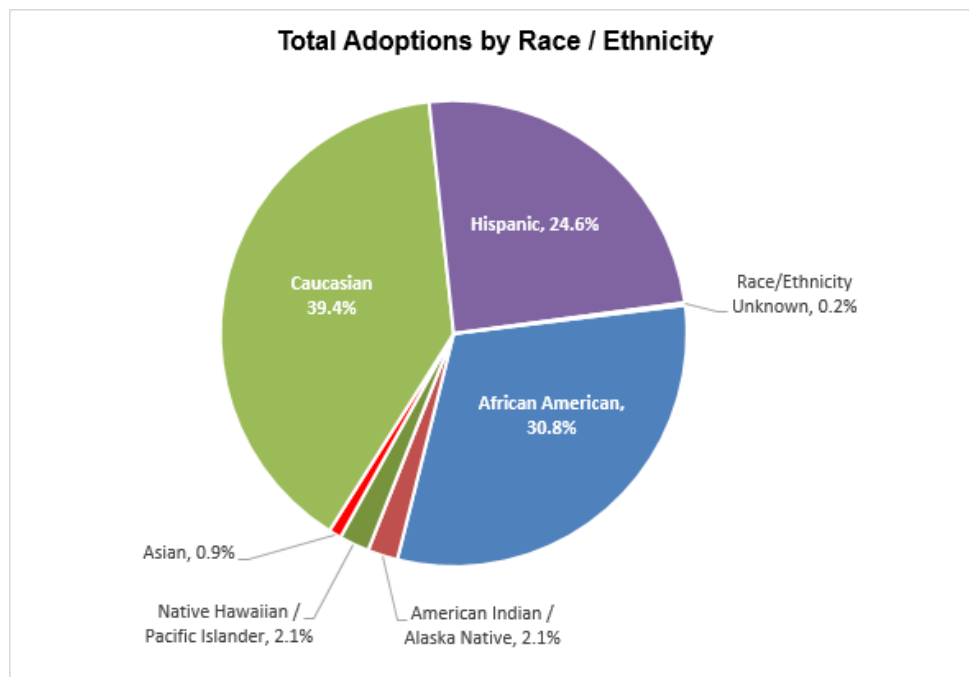
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Source: UNITY database - CFS794 report

## Statewide Adoptions by Gender and Race/Ethnicity SFY2020 Year-To-Date



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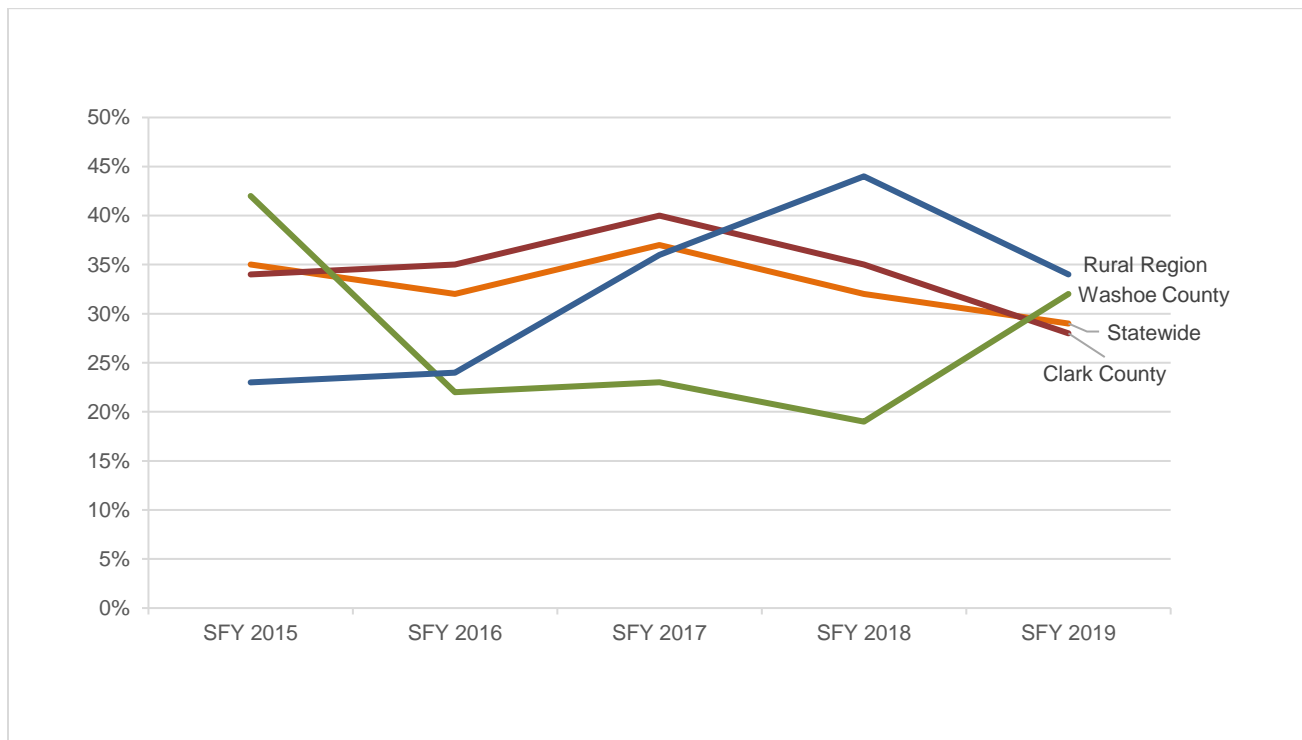
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This measure shows the percentage of children who exit foster care for a finalized adoption within 24 months of entry into care. Private adoptions are not included in this measure.

### Percent of Foster Youth Adopted within 24 Months – SFY2015 – SFY2019

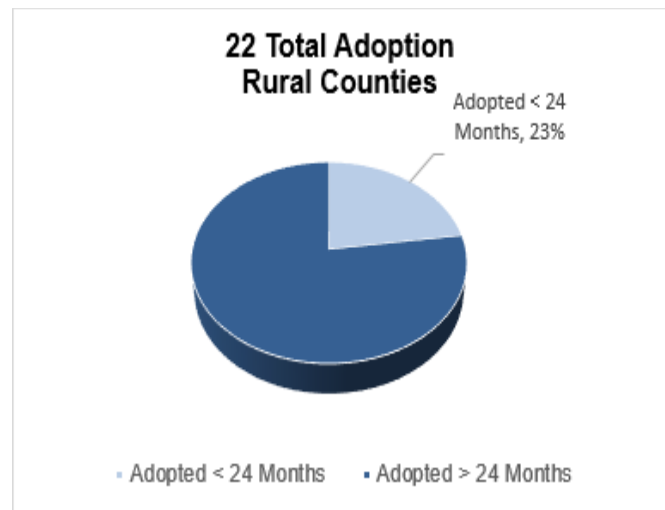
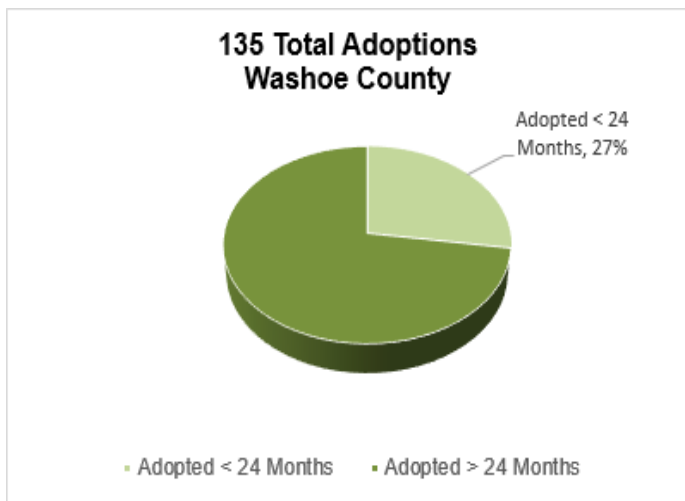
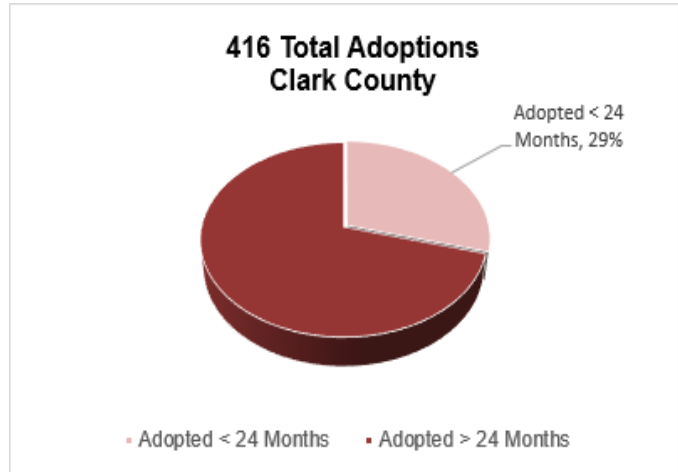
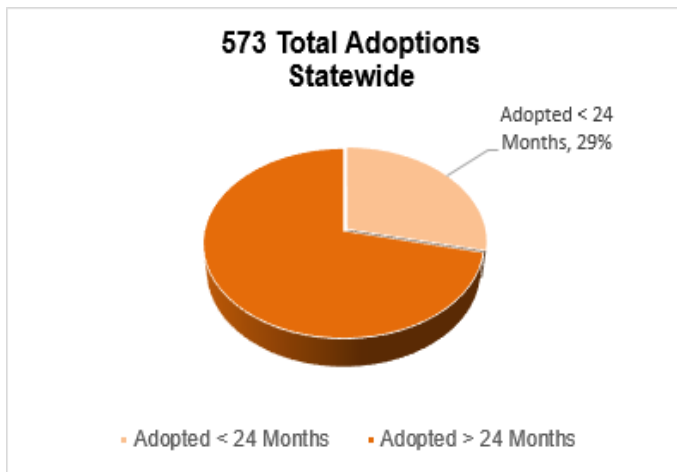
State Fiscal Year	Statewide	Clark County	Washoe County	Rural Region
2015	35%	34%	42%	23%
2016	32%	35%	22%	24%
2017	37%	40%	23%	36%
2018	32%	35%	19%	44%
2019	29%	28%	32%	34%

### Trends of Percentage of Foster Youth Adopted within 24 Months – SFY2015 – SFY2019



Source: UNITY Database - CFS 732 Report

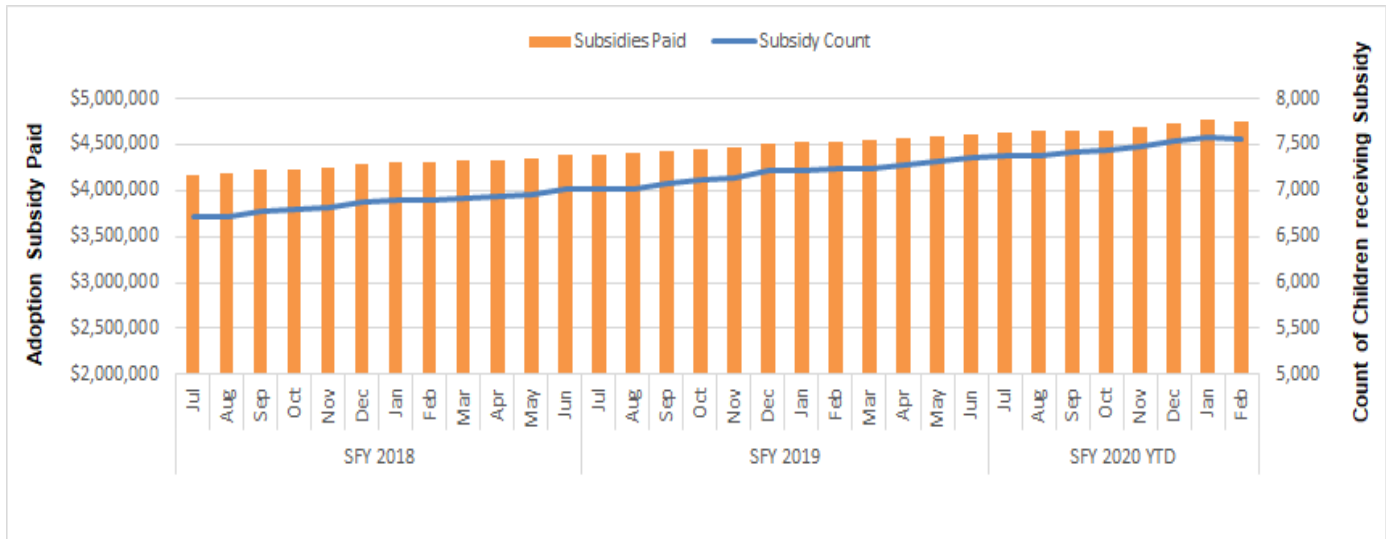
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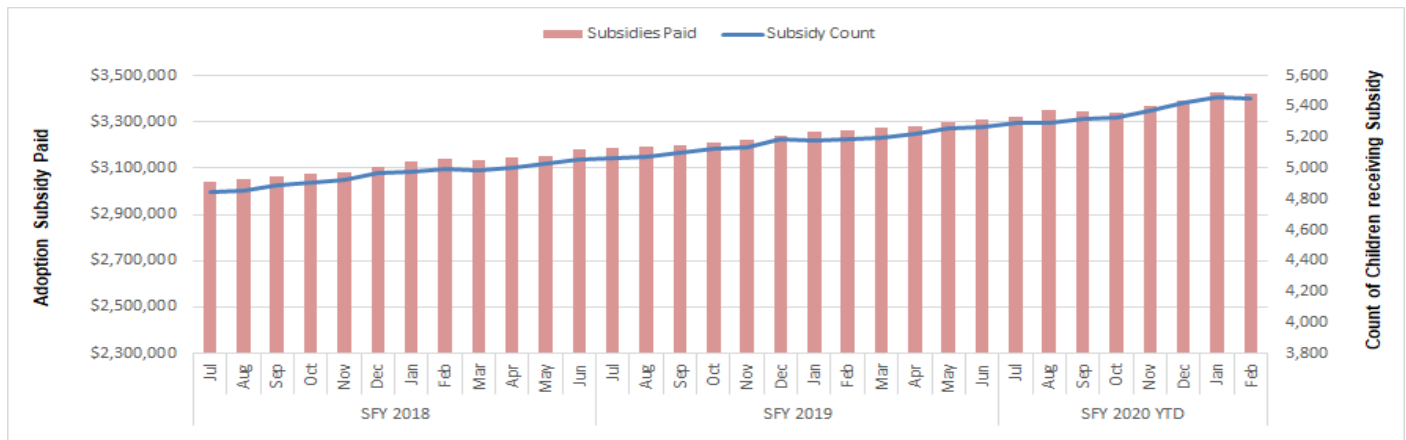
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## Adoption Subsidies Paid and Total Subsidy Count – SFY2019 – SFY2020 Year to Date (YTD)

Statewide Adoption Subsidies Paid and Total Subsidy Count

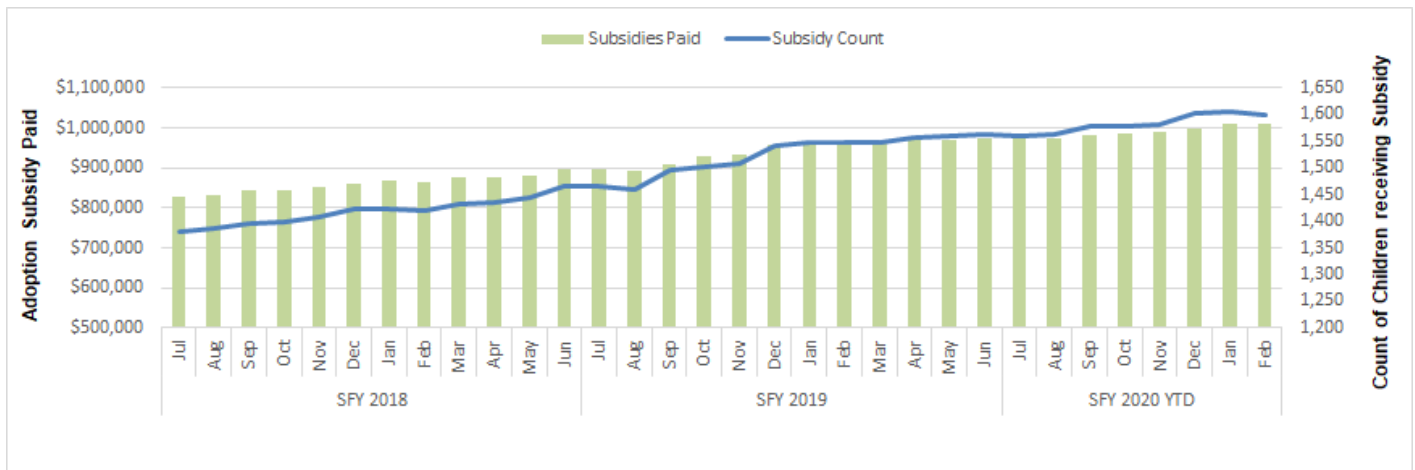


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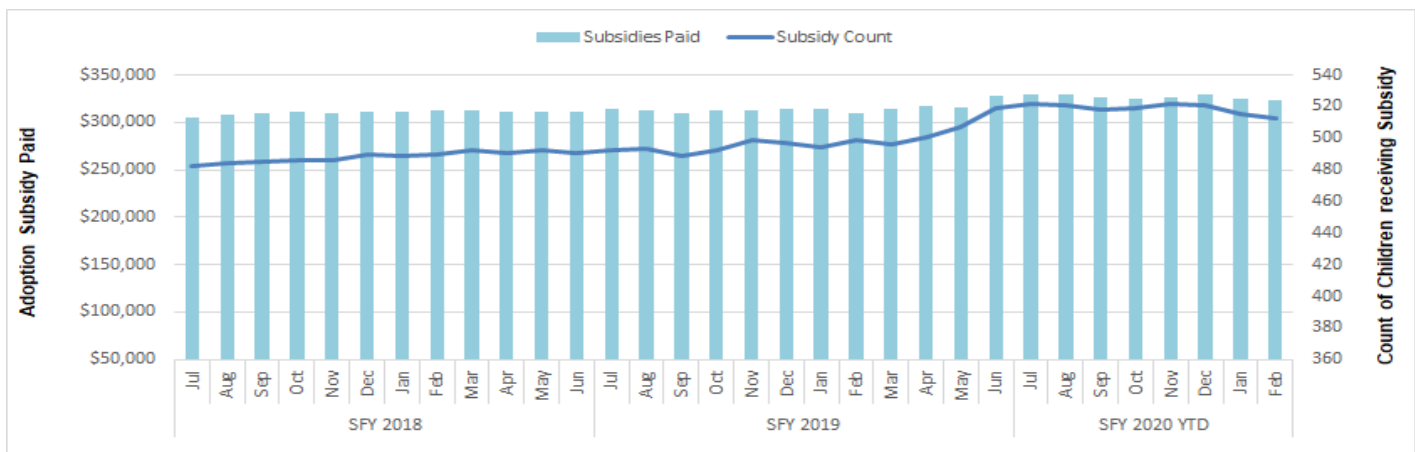


Source: UNITY Database - CFS 7K9 Report

## Washoe County Adoption Subsidies Paid and Total Subsidy Count



## Rural Region Adoption Subsidies Paid and Total Subsidy Count



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# Juvenile Justice Services

Juvenile Justice Services includes three correctional facilities (Caliente Youth Center, Nevada Youth Training Center and Summit View Youth Center), the Youth Parole Bureau, the Interstate Compact for Juveniles (ICJ) program, Quality Improvement, and the Juvenile Services Programs Office, which includes compliance oversight for the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act (JJDP), administrative oversight for the Juvenile Justice Oversight Commission (JJOC) and the Advisory Committee to the Commission, compliance oversight for the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA), statewide data collection, and grant programs.

Youth committed for correctional care are generally placed in one of the facilities for an average of six to nine months. Upon successful completion of the program in the facility, the youth are released into the community with supervision and case management services provided by the Youth Parole Bureau. Youth committed to DCFS for mental health care receive treatment based on their identified needs and are assigned a Youth Parole Counselor for case management services through the Youth Parole Bureau.

Juvenile Justice Services' primary mission is to protect the community while providing a secure and caring environment for youth which encourages them to develop competencies, repay their victims, and reduce or eliminate recidivism.

## Statewide Juvenile Justice Data

### Juvenile Justice Overview – Federal Fiscal Year 2018

Item	Count
Youth Population (ages 0 – 17)	717,290
Juvenile Services Referrals	20,692
Juvenile Diversions	10,087
Juvenile Arrests	8,673
Juveniles in Secure Detention	4,618
Juvenile Certified as Adults	58
Juveniles in Secure Correctional Care	342

*Source: Juvenile Justice Programs Office*

## Juvenile Correctional Care

The purpose of this activity is to ensure that children committed to the State of Nevada for correctional care receive effective services in a safe, secure, healthy, and therapeutic environment by trained, qualified staff.

Correctional centers provide educational and vocational programs, counseling in life skills and independent living skills, substance abuse and relapse prevention, anger management, grief counseling, and parenting classes. Additionally, specialized programming is offered based on individualized treatment needs and goals.

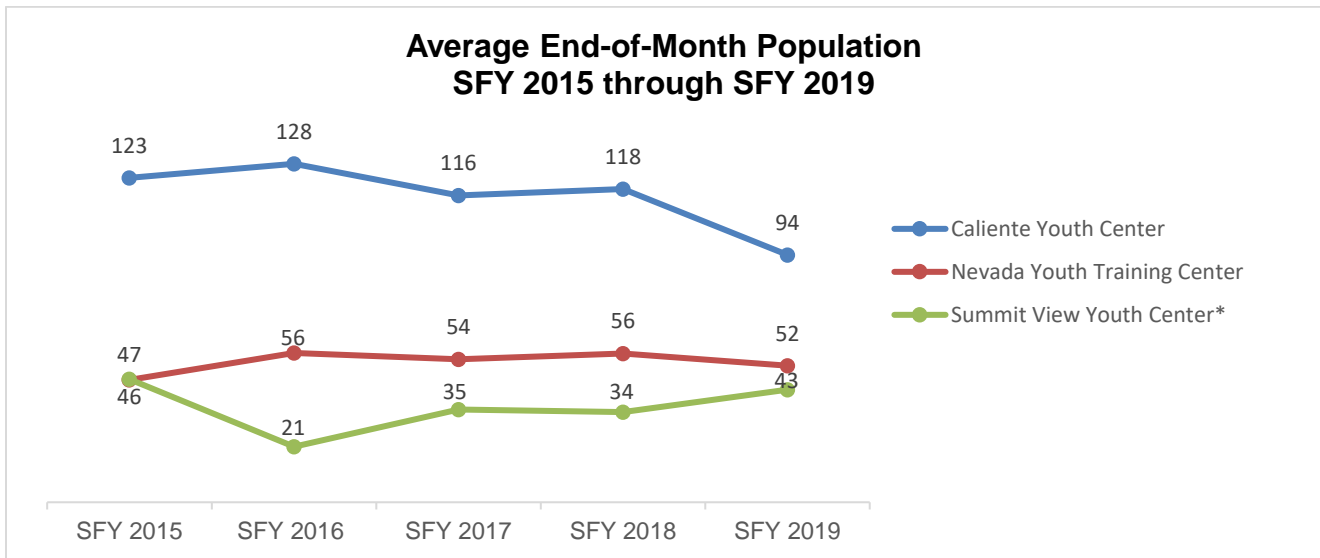
### Youth State Correctional Care Average First of the Month Population

State Fiscal Year	Caliente Youth Center - Females	Caliente Youth Center - Males	Nevada Youth Training Center - Males	Summit View Youth Center - Males	Total
SFY2015	33	94	45	46	201
SFY2016	38	92	58	14	194
SFY2017	38	78	53	35	203
SFY2018	43	76	57	34	209
SFY2019	41	56	51	43	191

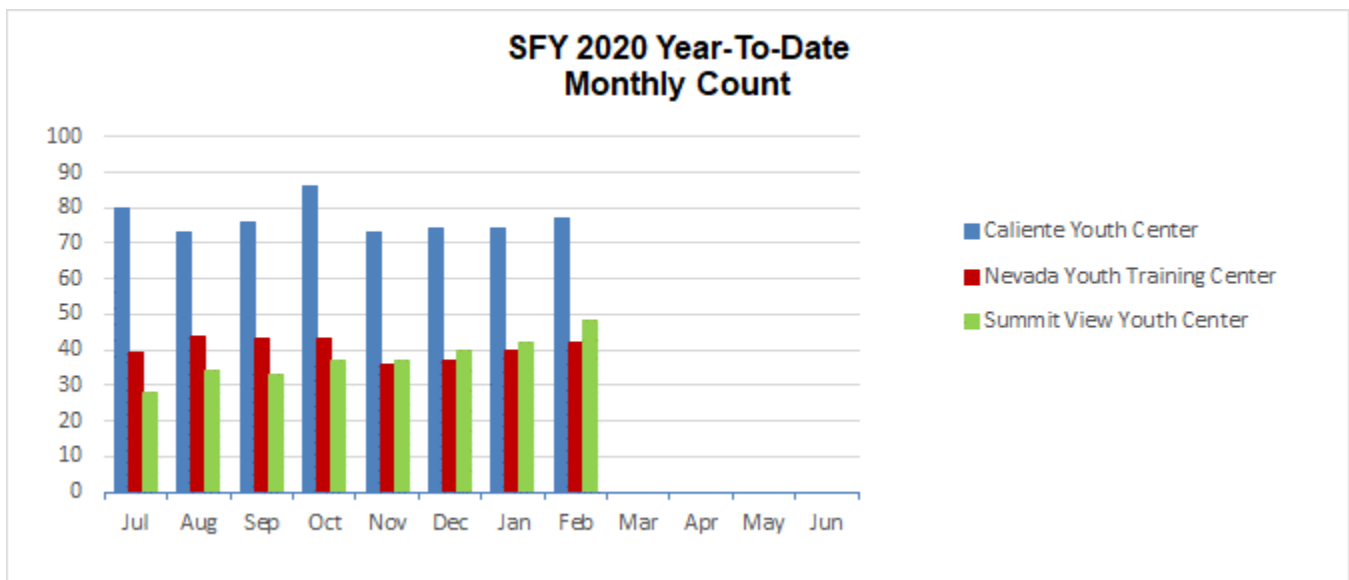
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## Youth State Correctional Care End-of-Month Population



Note: \*Summit View Youth Center was closed between Apr 2015 through Jan 2016.



Source: CLEO Report/ Juvenile Services Caseload Statistics

## Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA)

The federal Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) establishes standards to prevent, detect and respond to sexual abuse and sexual harassment in confinement settings. DCFS has a zero-tolerance policy against all forms of sexual abuse and sexual harassment regarding youth in our correctional care.

All reports of sexual abuse and sexual harassment are fully investigated. Below is the data for the outcomes of all PREA investigations for 2017.

### PREA Investigation Outcomes – 2018

Facility	Total number of investigations	Substantiated investigations	Unsubstantiated investigations	Unfounded investigations
Caliente Youth Center	10	0	4	6
Nevada Youth Training Center	6	0	5	1
Summit View Youth Center	9	2*	4	3

\*Youth-on-youth sexual harassment

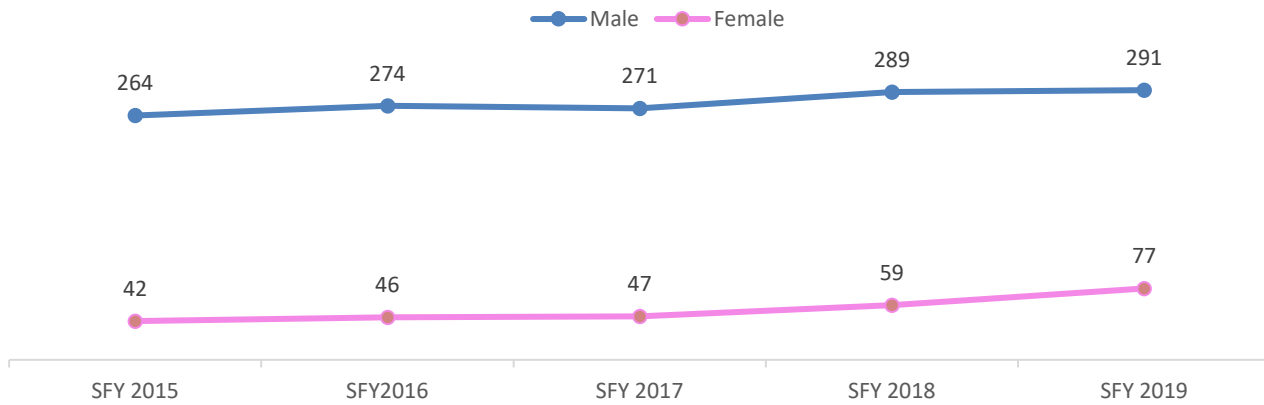
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## Youth Parole

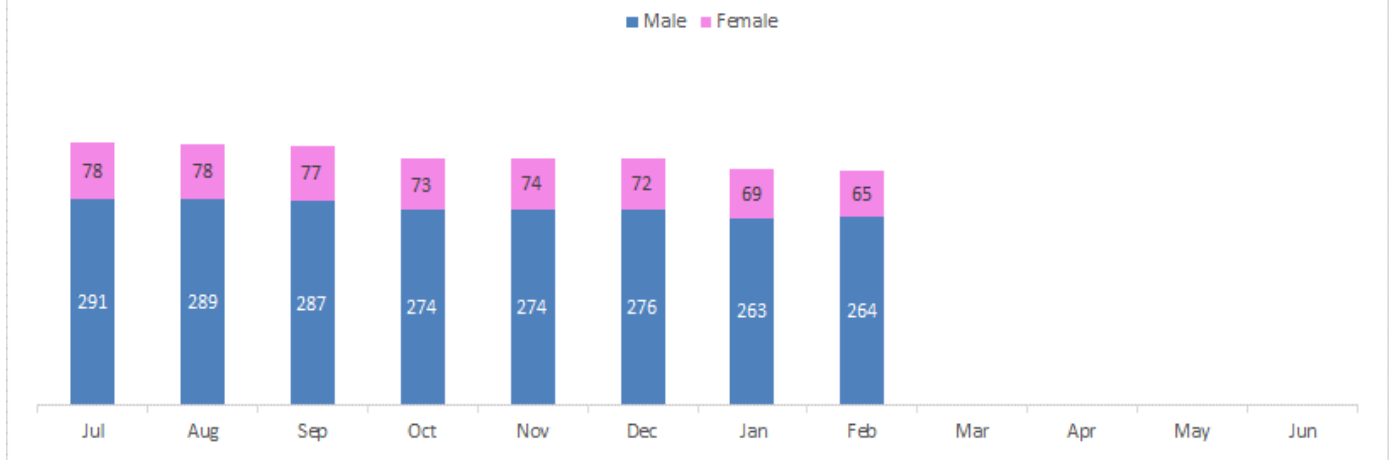
The Youth Parole Bureau provides supervision and case management services for youth, ages 12 up to 21 years, who are committed to DCFS for correctional and/or mental health care; youth under the age of 12 years, who are committed to DCFS for correctional care but cannot by law be placed in a correctional program; and youth transferred to Nevada through the Interstate Compact on Juveniles. Services include the following: Academic Tutoring, Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System (AFCARS) for Youth Parole, Day Treatment, Drug Court, Employment Development, Family Counseling, Gang Intervention, Gender-Specific Program, Group-Based Outpatient Treatment for Adolescent Substance Abuse, Hospitality International Training, Juvenile Sex Offenders, Location Monitoring, Mentoring, Parent Orientation Program, Psychiatric and Psychological Services, Sexually Exploited Youth, Skills Development, and Substance Abuse Counseling.

## Youth Parole Month End Population

### SFY 2015 through SFY 2019 Monthly Averages



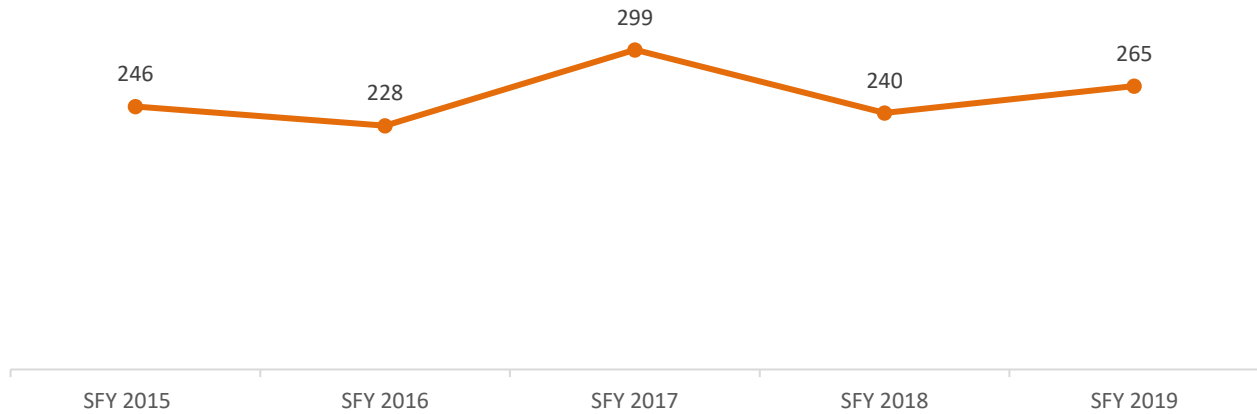
### SFY 2020 Year-To-Date Monthly Count



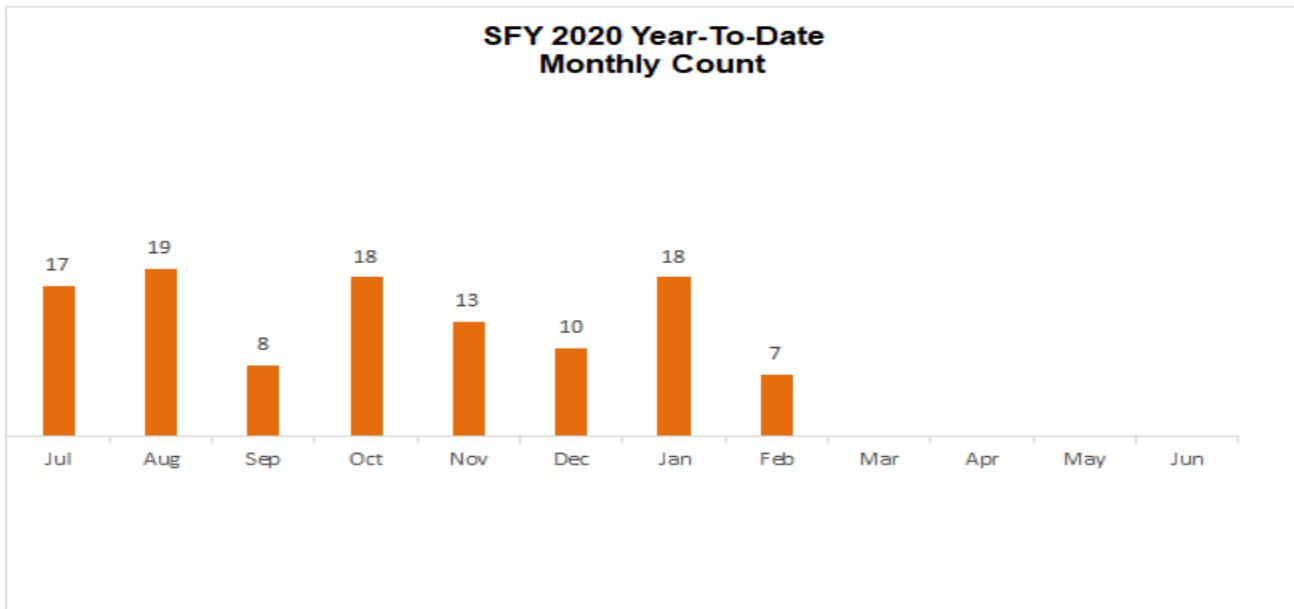
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## Statewide Youth Parole Case Closures

### SFY 2015 through SFY 2019 Annual Totals



### SFY 2020 Year-To-Date Monthly Count



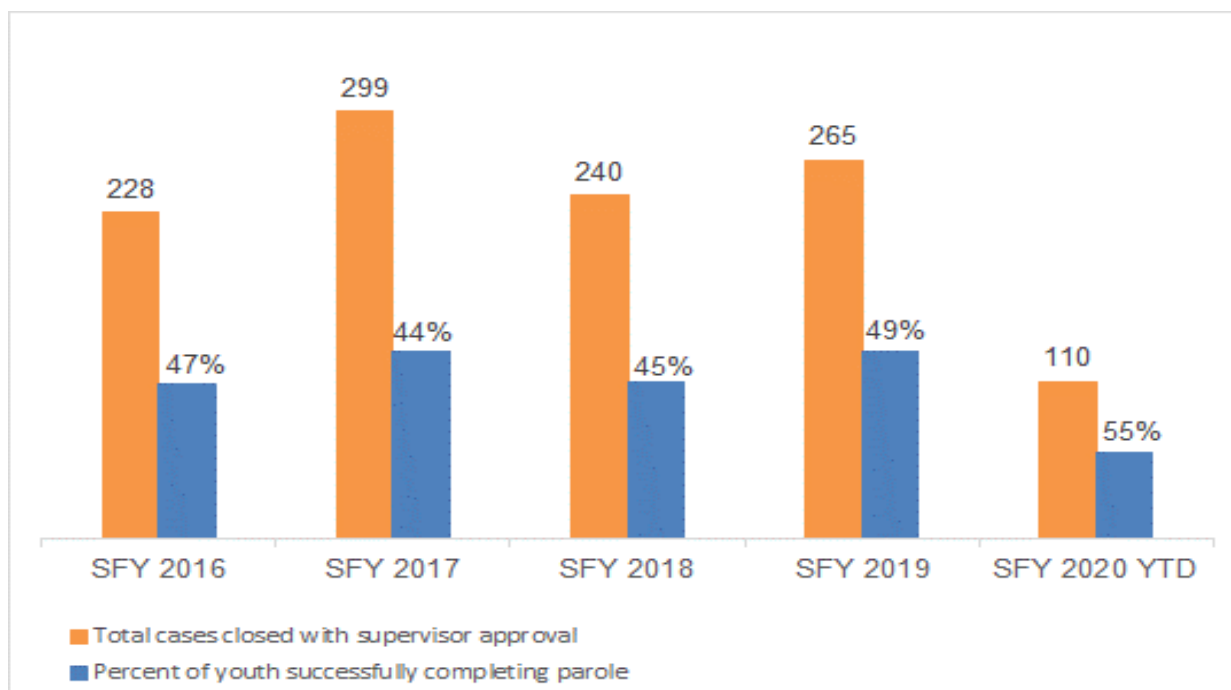
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## Youth successfully completing parole program

Youth Parole sets out a detailed parole program for the youth to follow to achieve successful completion, which includes counseling, school or work, and activities. This measure shows the percentage of youth successfully completing the parole program. There are three types of termination from parole: positive, general, and negative. Only youth receiving a positive or general termination from parole are considered to have successfully completed the parole program.

### Percent of Youth with Successful Completion of Parole Program

For youth whose cases were closed and approved in the time period



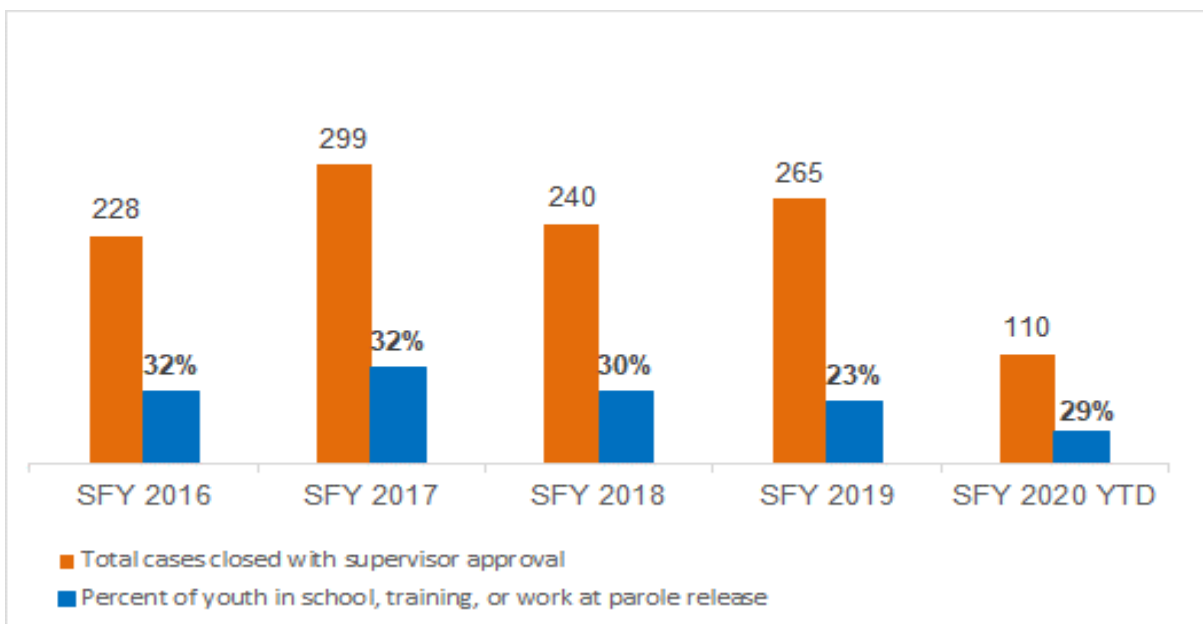
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## Youth in School, Training, or Work at Release

One factor to provide positive outcomes for juveniles on youth parole is to steer them toward their educational goals. This measure shows the percentage of youth who are involved in either: (1) school, (2) alternative education, (3) vocational training, or (4) employment at time of release from a youth parole program.

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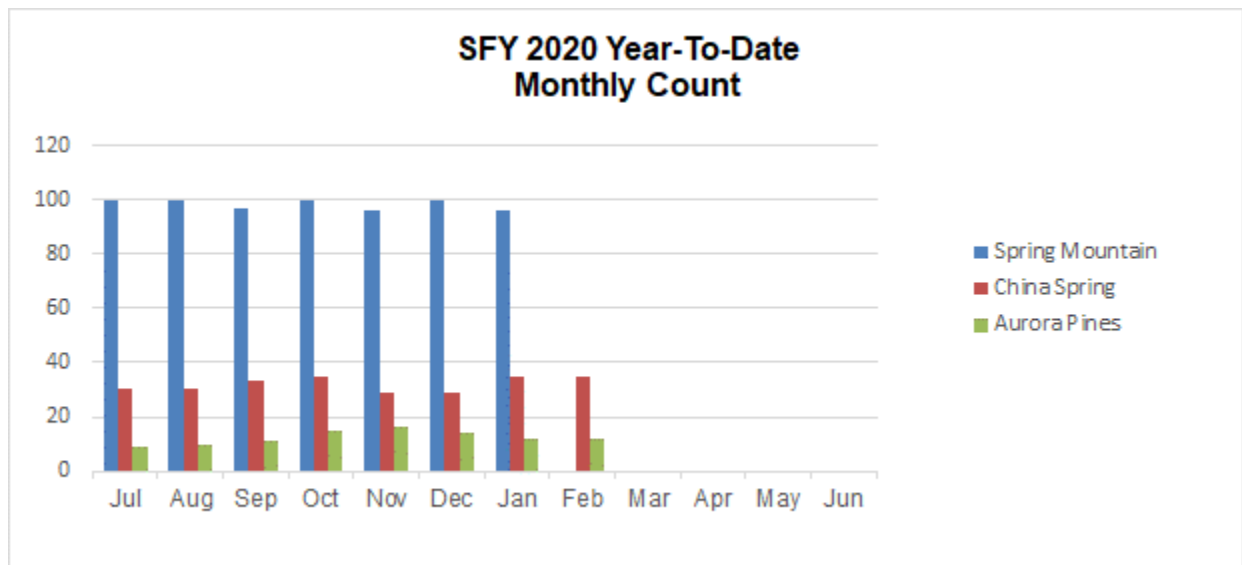
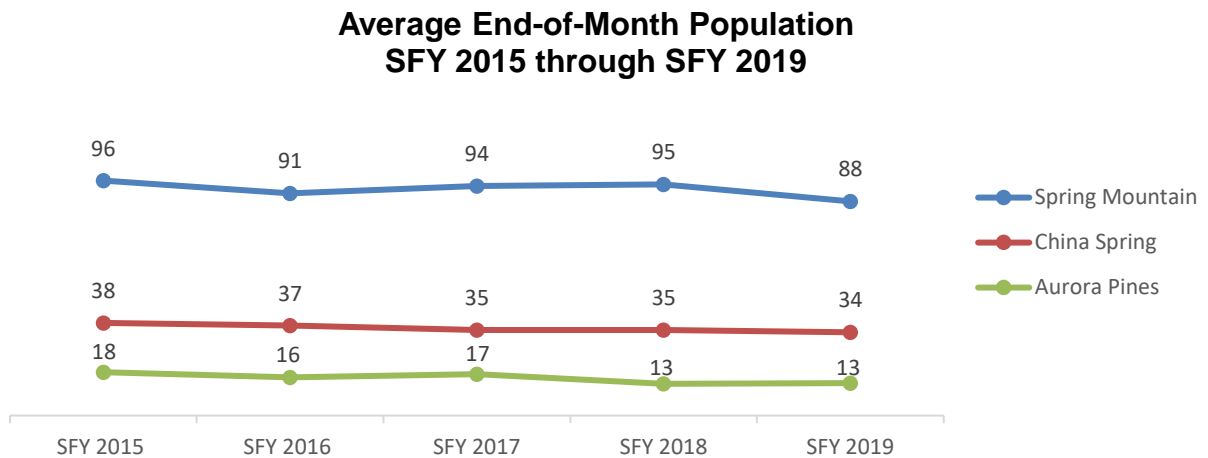


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## Youth Alternative Placement

Youth Alternative Community Placement provides local jurisdictions with the ability to implement community-based programming for youth at risk of being committed to state correctional care. Community-based programming has long proven more cost-effective and healthier for the youth. Families have more opportunities to participate in the treatment and youth have more opportunity to integrate effectively back into their own communities. Examples of services include intensive supervision programs, mental health and substance abuse treatment, evening reporting centers, academic programming, and county youth camps. County youth camps consist of three facilities: (1) Spring Mountain Youth Camp, (2) China Spring Youth Camp, and (3) Aurora Pines Girls Facility.

### Youth Alternative Placements End-of-Month Population



No report received from Spring Mountain for Feb 2020

Source: CLEO Report/ Juvenile Services Caseload Statistics

## **Mental/Behavioral Health Services**

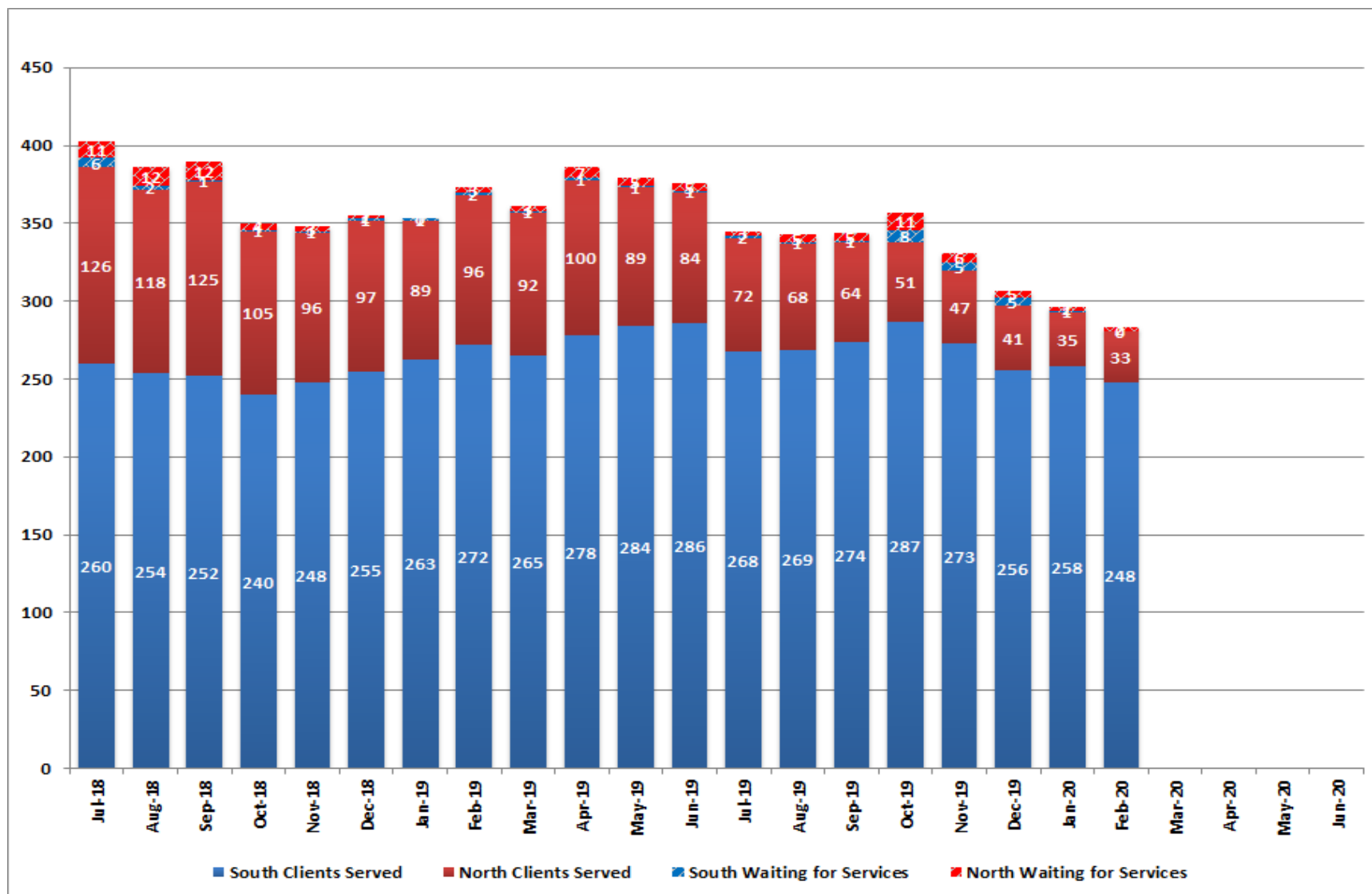
Mental/Behavioral Health Services provides community-based and outpatient services to families in the state, many of whom would enter the child welfare or juvenile justice systems without appropriate treatment and intervention. DCFS' nationally recognized program, Wraparound in Nevada (WIN), provides children, with serious emotional disturbances, intensive targeted case management services. DCFS' mental health programming also includes early childhood services, residential care such as family learning homes, a residential treatment center for adolescents, and an acute residential treatment center.

### **Outpatient Treatment Services**

The purpose of this activity is to provide comprehensive, individualized mental health care to emotionally disturbed children, ages 6 to 18, and their families, and young children, ages birth to six years of age with deficits, and their families and communities. The clientele in the 6-to-18 age group often have multiple and serious life challenges. The goal of these services, focused on the child's strengths and needs, is to reduce challenging behaviors; increase positive behaviors and emotions; treat and manage mental health symptoms; improve functioning at home, in school and in the community; strengthen parent-child relationships; and facilitate the child's resiliency and recovery.



## Children's Clinical Services/Outpatient Clients Served and Waiting for Services

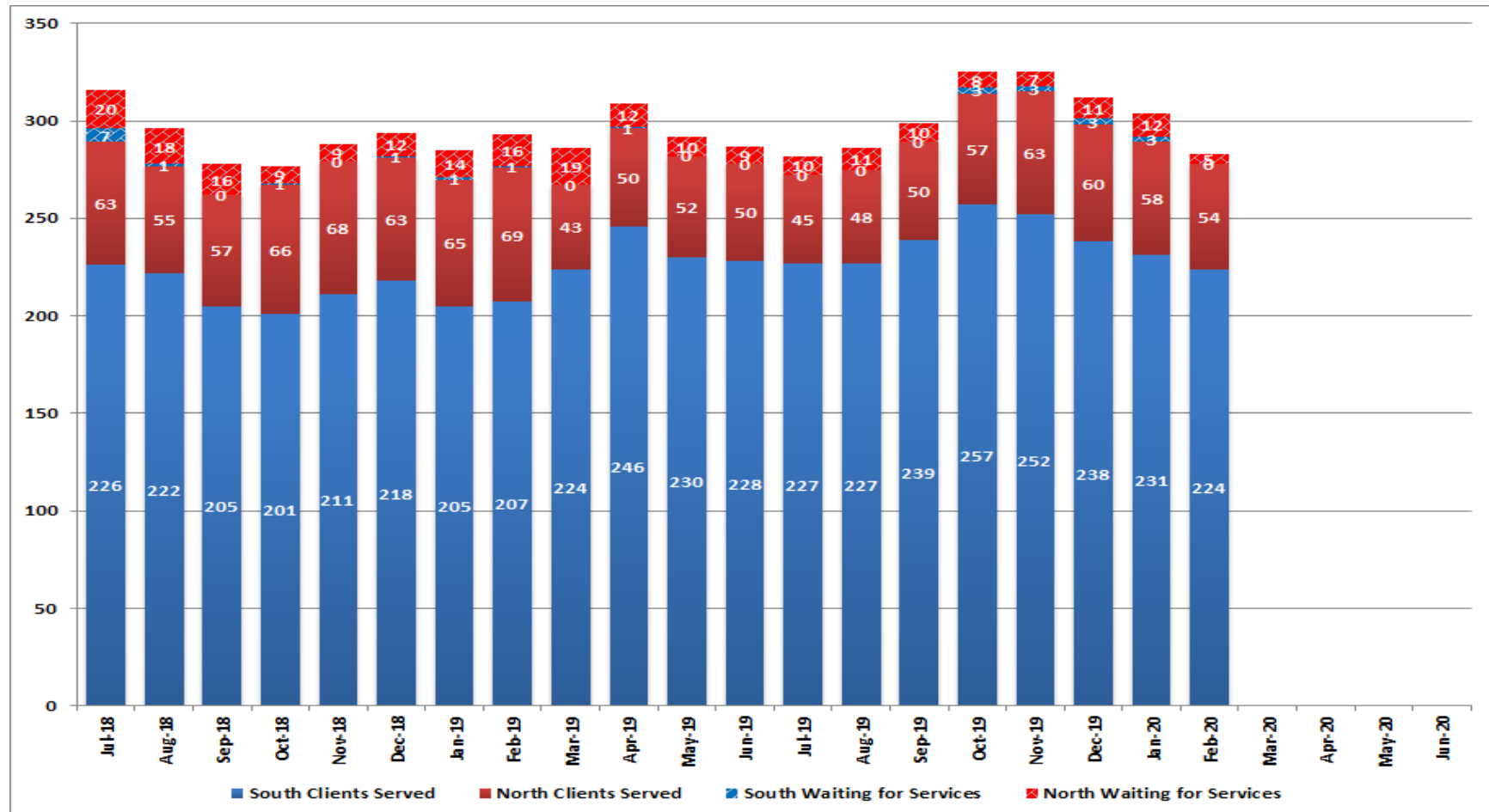


Source: DHHS Behavioral Health Chart Pack

## Early Childhood Mental Health Services

The purpose of Early Childhood Mental Health Services (ECMHS) is to support the social and emotional development of young children with deficits by providing comprehensive mental health services to children ages birth to six years of age, their families, and the communities in which they live. ECMHS works with the whole family to support and train parents how to create relationships with their children that will, in turn, allow them to develop age-appropriate and healthy social and emotional skills.

### Early Childhood Mental Health Services Clients Served and Waiting for Services



Source: DHHS Behavioral Health Chart Pack

# Mobile Crisis Response Team

The Mobile Crisis Response Team is designed to reduce unnecessary psychiatric hospitalizations and placement disruptions of children and youth, and to reduce the need for youth to go to emergency rooms or detention centers to have their mental and behavioral health needs addressed. Mobile crisis response services provide immediate care and treatment from specialized teams, which include qualified mental health professionals and psychiatric case managers to any child or adolescent requiring support and intervention with a psychiatric emergency.

## Children's Mobile Crisis General Statistics

	Children South						Children North						Children Rural					
	Total Calls	Clients Served (Team Responded)	Hospitalization	Hospital Diversion	Stabilization Recommended	Hospital Diversion Rate	Total Calls	Clients Served (Team Responded)	Hospitalization	Hospital Diversion	Stabilization Recommended	Hospital Diversion Rate	Total Calls	Clients Served (Team Responded)	Hospitalization	Hospital Diversion	Stabilization Recommended	Hospital Diversion Rate
Jul-18	122	56	12	44	23	79%	30	10	3	7	5	70%	7	1	0	1	0	100%
Aug-18	142	86	12	74	49	86%	53	20	1	19	14	95%	11	9	2	7	2	78%
Sep-18	249	130	11	119	64	92%	63	23	3	20	11	87%	26	18	2	16	4	89%
Oct-18	215	138	22	116	64	84%	63	26	6	20	17	77%	34	22	3	19	7	86%
Nov-18	192	111	24	87	46	78%	47	9	5	4	46	44%	21	18	2	16	5	89%
Dec-18	119	89	3	86	55	97%	51	17	1	16	13	94%	18	14	3	11	7	79%
Jan-19	165	107	10	97	65	91%	49	17	1	16	14	94%	20	15	6	9	8	60%
Feb-19	218	113	7	106	54	94%	46	18	6	12	11	67%	26	18	6	12	7	61%
Mar-19	210	130	15	115	58	88%	44	12	1	11	8	92%	32	17	4	13	9	76%
Apr-19	235	110	14	96	56	87%	41	18	3	15	8	83%	26	12	3	9	8	75%
May-19	199	93	18	75	42	81%	58	27	5	22	15	81%	26	16	2	14	9	88%
Jun-19	129	55	7	48	19	87%	12	5	0	5	4	100%	8	6	2	4	2	67%
Jul-19	152	63	15	48	18	76%	24	12	3	9	4	75%	2	0	0	0	0	0%
Aug-19	226	99	13	86	32	87%	39	28	1	27	10	96%	12	10	1	9	5	90%
Sep-19	299	155	19	136	39	88%	59	34	5	29	17	85%	15	9	1	8	5	89%
Oct-19	266	132	10	122	38	92%	59	42	14	28	17	67%	18	11	3	8	7	73%
Nov-19	217	88	12	76	29	86%	55	41	9	32	15	78%	21	14	4	10	11	71%
Dec-19	234	113	7	106	35	94%	44	26	3	23	11	88%	14	9	1	8	7	89%
Jan-20	234	103	11	92	36	89%	47	26	0	26	10	100%	18	12	3	9	6	75%
Feb-20	237	127	13	114	39	90%	80	45	7	38	19	84%	23	15	2	13	5	87%
Mar-20																		
Apr-20																		
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Jun-20																		

Source: DHHS Behavioral Health Chart Pack

## Inpatient Psychiatric Services

The purpose of inpatient psychiatric services is to provide quality, individualized inpatient mental health treatment in a safe and culturally sensitive environment for children and adolescents with the most severe emotional disturbances. Primary activities include acute psychiatric care to youth at immediate risk of harm to themselves or others, including intense therapeutic services and short-term care until the immediate risk of harm is no longer present; and residential treatment care, including less-intense therapeutic services than acute care; longer-term care for chronic mental health conditions that require longer-term inpatient treatment in order for the youth to transition to community-based treatment; and specialized treatment for males adjudicated on sexual offenses.

### Early Childhood Mental Health Services

#### *Fiscal Year Averages*

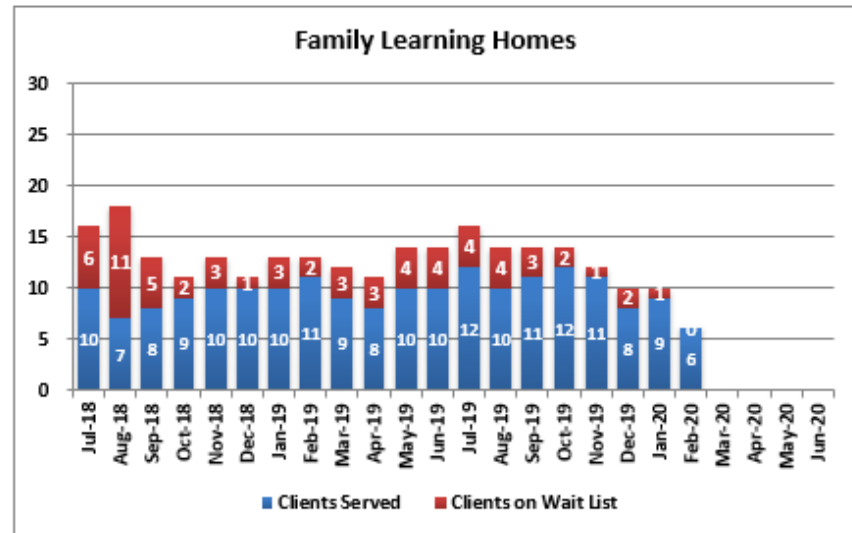
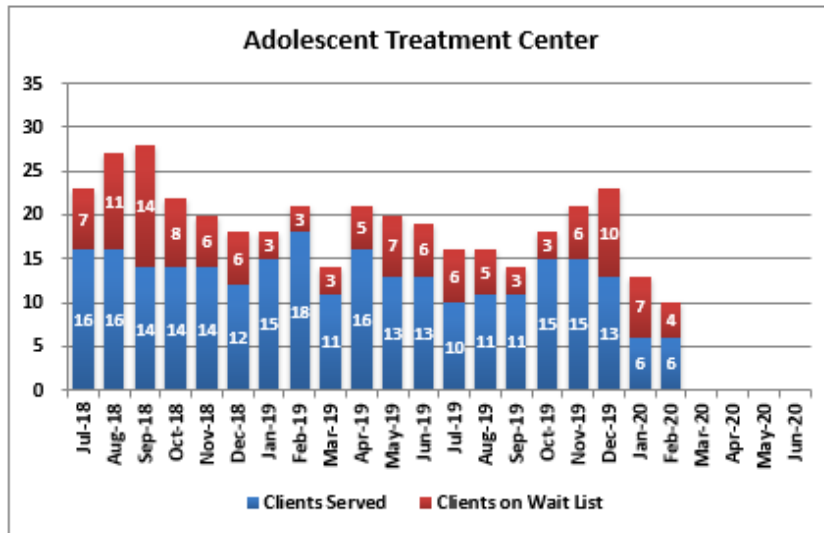
Fiscal Year	South Clients Served	South Waiting for Services	North Clients Served	North Waiting for Services	Total Served	Total Waiting for Services
FY15	298	37	149	27	447	63
FY16	234	17	152	30	386	47
FY17	217	16	96	13	313	29
FY18	231	16	70	12	301	28
FY19	219	1	58	14	285	15
FY20 YTD	237	2	54	9	291	11

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## Residential Rehabilitation Services

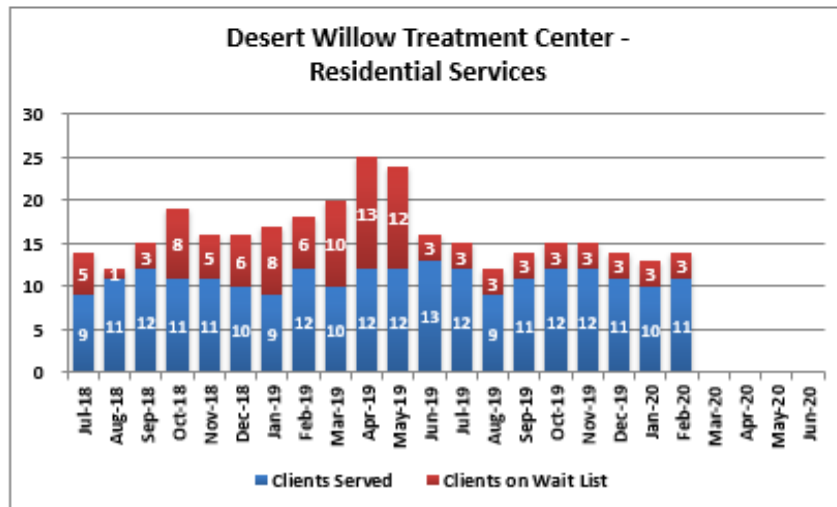
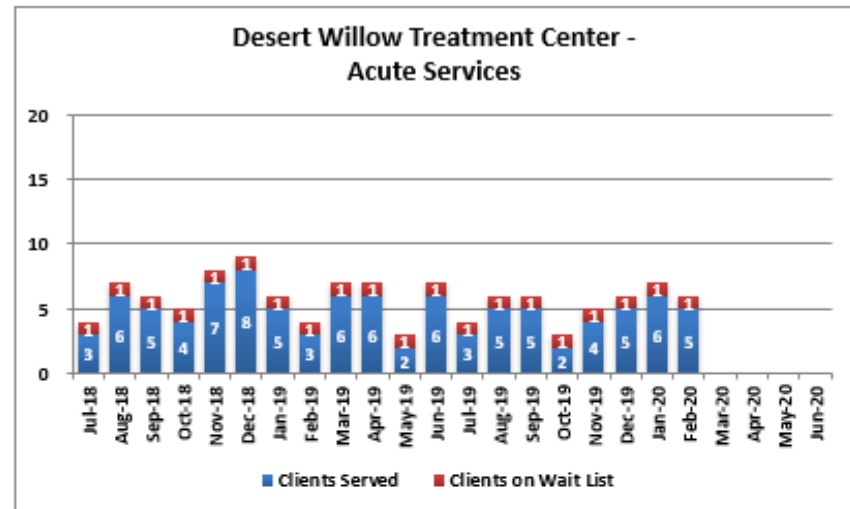
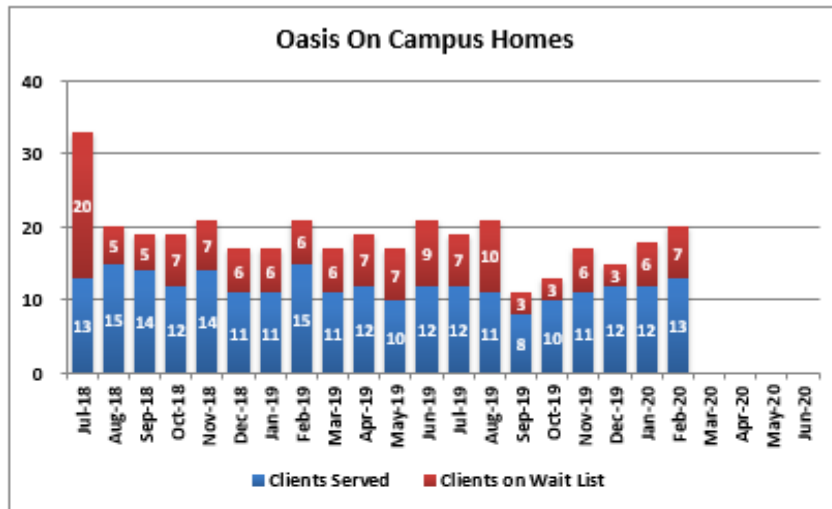
One of DCFS' goals is to ensure that children with the most severe emotional and behavioral problems live in a safe, healthy, and positive treatment environment focused on resiliency and recovery. Treatment homes provide a structured, supervised, and therapeutic living environment for children and adolescents who cannot live safely in a family home or foster home. These children were discharged or denied services from community private providers due to severe emotional and behavioral disturbances, developmental disabilities, specialized needs, and/or severe aggression toward themselves and others.

### Children's Mental Health – North – Clients Served and Waiting for Service



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## Children's Mental Health – South – Clients Served and Waiting for Service

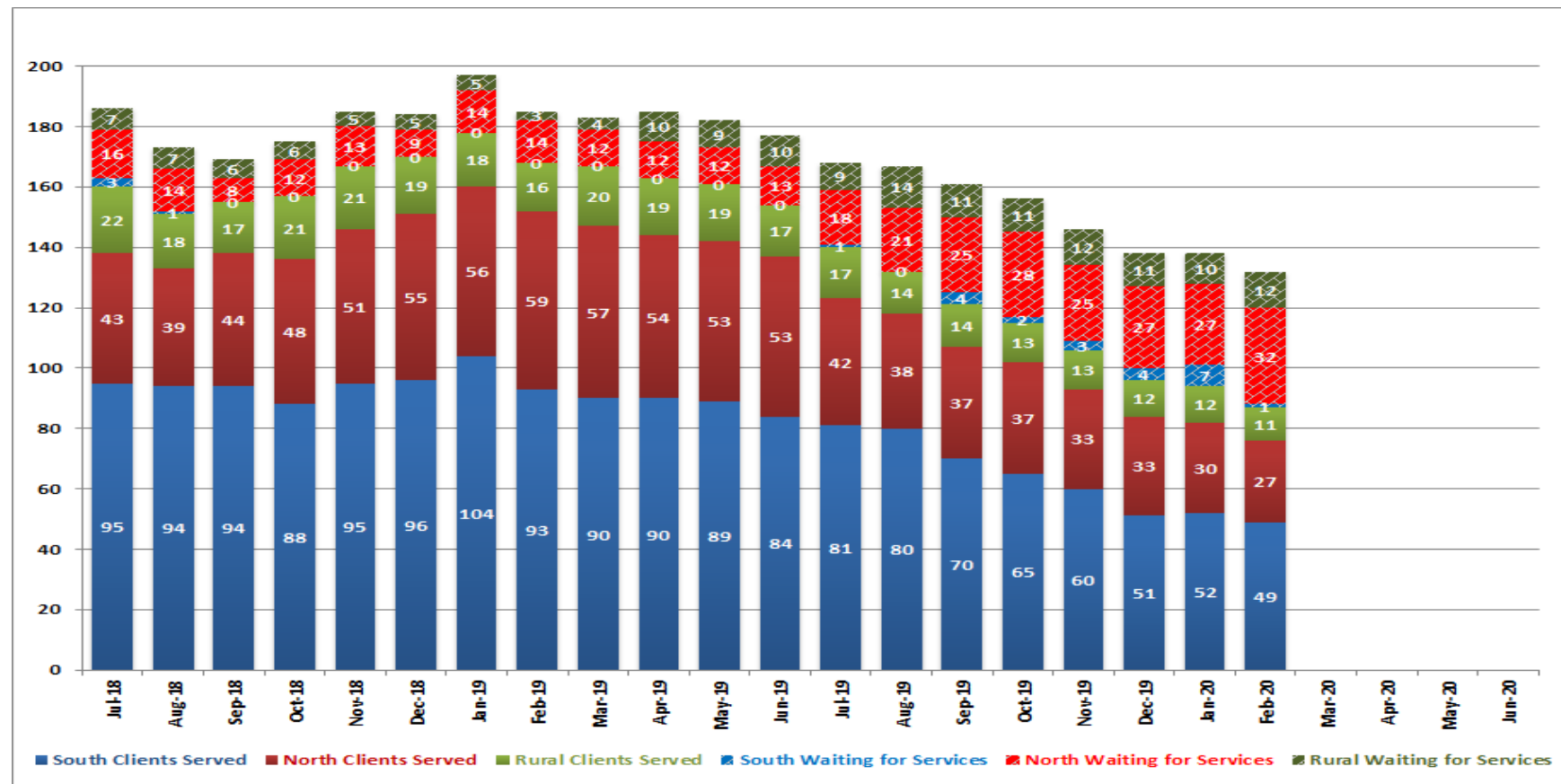


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## Intensive Care Coordination Services

DCFS' nationally recognized "Promising Practice" program, Wraparound in Nevada (WIN), provides intensive community-based services to Severely Emotionally Disturbed Children (SED), ages birth to 18 years, who are in the custody of the Child Welfare System. Through WIN, youth and families are provided the opportunity to become equal participants in their case planning and receive support necessary to gain family independence. Services include assessment, case planning, linkage to services, monitoring the success of services, crisis response, immediate and responsive plans, and service adjustments as client needs change. WIN ensures that all community members and professionals work together to streamline services, avoid duplication of services, and communicate clearly with families and children.

**Children's Wraparound in Nevada (WIN) Clients Served and Waiting for Services**



Source: DHHS Behavioral Health Chart Pack