

Child Protective Services Statistical Report March 2002

	Current month	Prior month	Year ago	Fiscal YTD	%Change 1 Year
<i>Emergency Response</i>					
Emergency Response referrals received-families	1,190	1,087	1,240	9,055	-4%
Emergency Response referrals received-children	3,121	2,842	2,298	23,717	36%
<i>ER Referral children referred for investigation</i>	2,137	1,985	1,637	17,498	31%
<i>ER Evaluated Outs</i>	984	857	661	6,483	49%
Breakdown of Dispositions (ER, Phone Room, CIU)	2,598	2,469	2,318	21,137	12%
<i>Sexual Abuse</i>	285	189	166	1,713	72%
<i>Physical Abuse</i>	366	305	407	2,865	-10%
<i>Severe Neglect</i>	99	17	66	472	50%
<i>General Neglect</i>	1,662	1,855	1,518	14,709	9%
<i>Emotional Abuse (also Dom Viol cases)</i>	70	37	29	677	141%
<i>Exploitation</i>	1	3	15	29	-93%
<i>Caretaker Absence/Incapacity (also Pos Tox)</i>	115	90	117	774	-2%

The State's SDM reporting system has changed the method of reporting allegations (see SN, EA and CA/I.)

<i>Jamison</i>					
Number of children admitted to Jamison	301	218	263	2,441	14%
<i>Protective Custody/New Intakes</i>	262	195	236	2,151	11%
<i>Change of Placement</i>	39	23	27	307	44%
Children released from Jamison	337	163	236	2,442	43%
Average day stay in Jamison	13.13	14.4	11.2	n/a	17%
Admissions - Breakdown by Age					
<i>0-5 years</i>	99	70	90	913	10%
<i>6-12 years</i>	128	80	107	935	20%
<i>13-18 years</i>	74	68	67	627	10%

<i>Court Intake</i>					
Number of children referred for investigation	196	162	201	1,740	-2%
Number of families referred for investigation	92	96	120	926	-23%
Number of petitions filed	125	80	37	1,104	238%

FM/FR/PP

Number of families receiving Family Maintenance	313	313	350	n/a	-11%
Number of children receiving Family Maintenance	710	725	851	n/a	-17%
<i>Court-ordered Family Maintenance (children)</i>	541	561	451	n/a	20%
<i>Voluntary Family Maintenance (children)</i>	169	167	400	n/a	-58%
Number of children in out-of-home placements (FR&PP)	2,427	2,473	2,512	n/a	-3%
<i>Number of children in Family Reunification</i>	671	710	632	n/a	6%
<i>Number of children in Permanent Placement</i>	1,756	1,763	1,880	n/a	-7%
Number of children reunified with parents	40	37	16	n/a	150%
Number of children referred for adoptive study	31	14	31	n/a	0%

Adoption

Total number of children in Adoptive study	487	516	590	n/a	-17%
<i>Number of children Free, Not Placed</i>	380	375	161	n/a	136%
<i>Number of children Under Study, Not Free</i>	107	168	429	n/a	-75%
Number of Finalized Adoptions	24	8	46	138	-48%
Number of New Adoptive Placements	6	19	32	148	-81%

Licensing

Number of Licensed homes	403	414	424	n/a	-5%
Number of Foster Care applications pending	43	37	45	n/a	-4%