

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE
FY'2018, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2017 - September 30, 2017)

Statewide Totals		<i>(statewide statistics are based on regional offices and contracted agencies data)</i>		Total	
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	21,172	Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)		3,391	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	60%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)		45,496	
		Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)		9,598	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	10,076	% of Child Caseload in Placement		21%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	20%	Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)		24,287	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	1,791	Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)		2,308	
		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)		4,381	
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases		18%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	1,318	Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		137	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	1,592	Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		123	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)		Primary Language (9/30/2017)			
White ⁽¹⁾	40,119 42%	Spanish	6,568	7%	
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	26,391 28%	Khmer (Cambodian)	117	*	
Black ⁽¹⁾	12,832 14%	Portuguese	480	*	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1,150 1%	Haitian Creole	453	*	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	164 *	Cape Verdean Creole	282	*	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	34 *	Vietnamese	114	*	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	3,634 4%	Chinese	84	*	
Unable to Determine	3,619 4%	Lao	16	*	
Missing	6,729 7%	American Sign Language	63	*	
Total Consumers	94,672 100%	Other	1,161	1%	
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	85,334	90%	
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	94,672	100%	
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)			
Protective	8,903 93%	0 - 2 Years Old	2,009	21%	
Alternative Response	134 1%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,793	19%	
Voluntary Request	122 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	2,654	28%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	233 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	3,142	33%	
Court Referral	159 2%	Total Children in Placement	9,598	100%	
Other/Unspecified	47 *				
Total Children in Placement	9,598 100%				
Placement Type (9/30/2017)		Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)			
Foster Care - Kinship	2,860 30%	.5 Years or Less	2,361	25%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	631 7%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	1,651	17%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	2,173 23%	>1 Year - 2 Years	2,345	24%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	542 6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	2,301	24%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	4 *	>4 Years	940	10%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	1,450 15%	Total Children in Placement	9,598	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	791 8%				
Congregate Care - Continuum	24 *				
Congregate Care - Residential	468 5%	Gender (9/30/2017)			
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	384 4%	Male	4,924	51%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	14 *	Female	4,673	49%	
Non-Referral Location	148 2%	Intersex	1	*	
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	109 1%	Total Children in Placement	9,598	100%	
Total Children in Placement	9,598 100%				
Race (9/30/2017)		Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)			
White ⁽¹⁾	4,130 43%	Family Reunification	3,603	38%	
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	2,721 28%	Adoption	3,201	33%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,339 14%	Guardianship	897	9%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	63 *	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	467	5%	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	28 *	Stabilize Intact Family	737	8%	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Permanent Care with Kin	264	3%	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	920 10%	Unspecified as of run-date	429	4%	
Unable to Determine	396 4%	Total Children in Placement	9,598	100%	
Total Children in Placement	9,598 100%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)			
Protective	33,792 94%	0 - 2 Years Old	7,110	20%	
Alternative Response	638 2%	3 - 5 Years Old	6,296	18%	
Voluntary Request	209 *	6 - 11 Years Old	12,252	34%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	794 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	10,228	28%	
Court Referral	428 1%	Unspecified	12	*	
Other/Unspecified	37 *	Total Children Not in Placement	35,898	100%	
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DCF Region: Boston (regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies data) Boston				
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	2,171		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	340
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	69%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	6,379
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	1,220
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	1,166		% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	26%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	3,368
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	156		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	243
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	655
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	169		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	209		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	16
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)				
Race (9/30/2017)		Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,830 14%	Spanish	1,312	10%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	4,043 31%	Khmer (Cambodian)	3	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	4,887 38%	Portuguese	42	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	178 1%	Haitian Creole	172	1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	13 *	Cape Verdean Creole	93	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	3 *	Vietnamese	42	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	314 2%	Chinese	15	*
Unable to Determine	587 5%	Lao	0	*
Missing	998 8%	American Sign Language	9	*
Total Consumers	12,853 100%	Other	139	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	11,026	86%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	12,853	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement				
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,126 92%	0 - 2 Years Old	226	19%
Alternative Response	17 1%	3 - 5 Years Old	194	16%
Voluntary Request	11 *	6 - 11 Years Old	330	27%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	51 4%	12 - 17 Years Old	470	39%
Court Referral	12 *	Total Children in Placement	1,220	100%
Other/Unspecified	3 *			
Total Children in Placement	1,220 100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)		Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	359 29%	.5 Years or Less	272	22%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	56 5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	229	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	240 20%	>1 Year - 2 Years	310	25%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	21 2%	>2 Years - 4 Years	302	25%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	107	9%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	187 15%	Total Children in Placement	1,220	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	164 13%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	6 *	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	96 8%	Male	647	53%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	36 3%	Female	573	47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	5 *	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	25 2%	Total Children in Placement	1,220	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	25 2%			
Total Children in Placement	1,220 100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)		Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	208 17%	Adoption		
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	352 29%	Guardianship		
Black ⁽¹⁾	526 43%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾		
Asian ⁽¹⁾	9 *	Stabilize Intact Family		
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3 *	Permanent Care with Kin		
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	67 5%	Total Children in Placement		
Unable to Determine	55 5%	1,220 100%		
Total Children in Placement	1,220 100%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement				
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	4,861 94%	0 - 2 Years Old	945	18%
Alternative Response	71 1%	3 - 5 Years Old	827	16%
Voluntary Request	26 *	6 - 11 Years Old	1,780	35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	181 4%	12 - 17 Years Old	1,607	31%
Court Referral	19 *	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1 *	Total Children Not in Placement	5,159	100%
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DCF Region: Boston			Dimock Street		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	496		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)		73
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	70%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)		1,212
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)		307
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	315		% of Child Caseload in Placement		25%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	25%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)		641
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	32		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)		77
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)		160
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases		25%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	36		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		1
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	55		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		1
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	280	12%	Spanish	195	8%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	836	35%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	959	40%	Portuguese	12	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	30	1%	Haitian Creole	16	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Cape Verdean Creole	23	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	52	2%	Chinese	7	*
Unable to Determine	112	5%	Lao	0	*
Missing	127	5%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	2,396	100%	Other	40	2%
			English/Unspecified	2,101	88%
			Total Consumers	2,396	100%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	279	91%	0 - 2 Years Old	72	23%
Alternative Response	5	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	47	15%
Voluntary Request	4	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	88	29%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	15	5%	12 - 17 Years Old	100	33%
Court Referral	2	*	Total Children in Placement	307	100%
Other/Unspecified	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	307	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	85	28%	.5 Years or Less	64	21%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	13	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	58	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	44	14%	>1 Year - 2 Years	66	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	13	4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	74	24%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	45	15%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	59	19%	Total Children in Placement	307	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	38	12%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	2	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	23	7%	Male	170	55%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8	3%	Female	137	45%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	12	4%	Total Children in Placement	307	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	8	3%			
Total Children in Placement	307	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	37	12%	Adoption	87	28%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	97	32%	Guardianship	24	8%
Black ⁽¹⁾	139	45%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	19	6%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Stabilize Intact Family	18	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	9	3%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	10	3%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	13	4%	Total Children in Placement	307	100%
Unable to Determine	18	6%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	307	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
[*] = less than 1% after rounding-off					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	864	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	172	19%
Alternative Response	4	*	3 - 5 Years Old	144	16%
Voluntary Request	5	*	6 - 11 Years Old	289	32%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	31	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	300	33%
Court Referral	1	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	905	100%
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DCF Region: Boston			Harbor		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	502		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)		95
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	72%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)		1,673
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)		290
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	269		% of Child Caseload in Placement		17%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	25%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)		926
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	47		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)		73
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)		137
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases		15%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	47		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		3
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	61		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		3
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	799	23%	Spanish	763	22%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,583	46%	Khmer (Cambodian)	2	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	416	12%	Portuguese	22	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	45	1%	Haitian Creole	20	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	6	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	3	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	78	2%	Chinese	3	*
Unable to Determine	168	5%	Lao	0	*
Missing	365	11%	American Sign Language	3	*
Total Consumers	3,456	100%	Other	42	1%
			English/Unspecified	2,592	75%
			Total Consumers	3,456	100%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	267	92%	0 - 2 Years Old	40	14%
Alternative Response	11	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	51	18%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	81	28%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	10	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	118	41%
Court Referral	1	*	Total Children in Placement	290	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	290	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	97	33%	.5 Years or Less	60	21%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	15	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	39	13%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	38	13%	>1 Year - 2 Years	79	27%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	5	2%	>2 Years - 4 Years	84	29%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	28	10%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	58	20%	Total Children in Placement	290	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	38	13%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	1	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	20	7%	Male	150	52%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	7	2%	Female	140	48%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	3	1%	Total Children in Placement	290	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	6	2%			
Total Children in Placement	290	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	87	30%	Adoption	110	38%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	115	40%	Guardianship	27	9%
Black ⁽¹⁾	58	20%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	16	6%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Stabilize Intact Family	25	9%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	6	2%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	11	4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	11	4%	Total Children in Placement	290	100%
Unable to Determine	17	6%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	290	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
[*] = less than 1% after rounding-off					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,288	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	241	17%
Alternative Response	35	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	220	16%
Voluntary Request	5	*	6 - 11 Years Old	501	36%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	55	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	421	30%
Court Referral	0	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,383	100%
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DCF Region: Boston			Hyde Park		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	586		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	110	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	73%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,586	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	269	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	319		% of Child Caseload in Placement	17%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	23%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	878	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	61		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	25	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	164	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	45		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	0	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	46		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	7	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	350	11%	Spanish	140	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	665	20%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,711	52%	Portuguese	3	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	11	*	Haitian Creole	92	3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5	*	Cape Verdean Creole	19	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Vietnamese	3	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	71	2%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	111	3%	Lao	0	*
Missing	366	11%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	3,293	100%	Other	33	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	3,000	91%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	3,293	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	251	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	45	17%
Alternative Response	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	35	13%
Voluntary Request	4	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	72	27%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	13	5%	12 - 17 Years Old	117	43%
Court Referral	0	*	Total Children in Placement	269	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	269	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	73	27%	.5 Years or Less	66	25%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	12	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	70	26%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	69	26%	>1 Year - 2 Years	84	31%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	0	*	>2 Years - 4 Years	38	14%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	11	4%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	36	13%	Total Children in Placement	269	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	34	13%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	21	8%	Male	131	49%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	12	4%	Female	138	51%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	5	2%	Total Children in Placement	269	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	6	2%			
Total Children in Placement	269	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	35	13%	Adoption	43	16%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	51	19%	Guardianship	22	8%
Black ⁽¹⁾	155	58%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	17	6%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	27	10%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3	1%	Permanent Care with Kin	7	3%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	18	7%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	17	6%	Total Children in Placement	269	100%
Unable to Determine	8	3%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	269	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,241	94%	0 - 2 Years Old	250	19%
Alternative Response	15	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	204	15%
Voluntary Request	9	*	6 - 11 Years Old	425	32%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	49	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	438	33%
Court Referral	3	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,317	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,317	100%			

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DCF Region: Boston			Park Street		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	587		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	62	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	60%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,902	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	354	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	263		% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	31%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	919	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	16		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	68	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	194	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	21%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	41		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	0	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	47		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	5	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	400	11%	Spanish	214	6%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	957	26%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,790	48%	Portuguese	5	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	92	2%	Haitian Creole	44	1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	6	*	Cape Verdean Creole	45	1%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	36	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	113	3%	Chinese	5	*
Unable to Determine	196	5%	Lao	0	*
Missing	139	4%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	3,693	100%	Other	24	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	3,318	90%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	3,693	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	329	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	69	19%
Alternative Response	1	*	3 - 5 Years Old	61	17%
Voluntary Request	2	*	6 - 11 Years Old	89	25%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	13	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	135	38%
Court Referral	9	3%	Total Children in Placement	354	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	354	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	104	29%	.5 Years or Less	82	23%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	16	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	62	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	89	25%	>1 Year - 2 Years	81	23%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	3	*	>2 Years - 4 Years	106	30%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	23	6%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	34	10%	Total Children in Placement	354	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	54	15%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	3	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	32	9%	Male	196	55%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	9	3%	Female	158	45%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	5	1%	Total Children in Placement	354	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	5	1%			
Total Children in Placement	354	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	49	14%	Adoption	88	25%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	89	25%	Guardianship	36	10%
Black ⁽¹⁾	174	49%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	15	4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	1%	Stabilize Intact Family	30	8%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	3	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	15	4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	26	7%	Total Children in Placement	354	100%
Unable to Determine	12	3%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	354	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,462	94%	0 - 2 Years Old	281	18%
Alternative Response	17	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	258	17%
Voluntary Request	7	*	6 - 11 Years Old	564	36%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	46	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	445	29%
Court Referral	15	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,548	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,548	100%			

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DCF Region: Central MA (regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies data)			Central MA	
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	3,061		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	575
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	66%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	8,690
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	1,794
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	1,433		% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	23%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	4,476
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	329		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	431
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	787
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	240		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	38
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	264		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	19
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)				
Race (9/30/2017)		Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	9,029 49%	Spanish	1,205	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	5,435 30%	Khmer (Cambodian)	2	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,323 7%	Portuguese	76	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	167 *	Haitian Creole	24	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	18 *	Cape Verdean Creole	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	9 *	Vietnamese	16	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	644 4%	Chinese	8	*
Unable to Determine	632 3%	Lao	7	*
Missing	1,091 6%	American Sign Language	9	*
Total Consumers	18,348 100%	Other	277	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	16,723	91%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	18,348	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement				
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,697 95%	0 - 2 Years Old	408	23%
Alternative Response	13 *	3 - 5 Years Old	345	19%
Voluntary Request	21 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	519	29%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	27 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	522	29%
Court Referral	31 2%	Total Children in Placement	1,794	100%
Other/Unspecified	5 *			
Total Children in Placement	1,794 100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)		Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	543 30%	.5 Years or Less	521	29%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	129 7%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	302	17%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	391 22%	>1 Year - 2 Years	385	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	180 10%	>2 Years - 4 Years	471	26%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1 *	>4 Years	115	6%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	268 15%	Total Children in Placement	1,794	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	117 7%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	8 *	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	28 2%	Male	900	50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	81 5%	Female	894	50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2 *	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	32 2%	Total Children in Placement	1,794	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	14 *			
Total Children in Placement	1,794 100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)		Family Reunification	642	36%
White ⁽¹⁾	840 47%	Adoption	624	35%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	630 35%	Guardianship	160	9%
Black ⁽¹⁾	128 7%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	55	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	12 *	Stabilize Intact Family	170	9%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Permanent Care with Kin	38	2%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	105	6%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	139 8%	Total Children in Placement	1,794	100%
Unable to Determine	44 2%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	1,794 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races				
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement				
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	6,561 95%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,388	20%
Alternative Response	128 2%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,266	18%
Voluntary Request	49 *	6 - 11 Years Old	2,349	34%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	85 1%	12 - 17 Years Old	1,891	27%
Court Referral	64 *	Unspecified	2	*
Other/Unspecified	9 *	Total Children Not in Placement	6,896	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	6,896 100%			

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DCF Region: Central MA			North Central		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	727		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	145	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	72%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	2,462	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	577	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	422		% of Child Caseload in Placement	23%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	26%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	1,233	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	101		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	156	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	226	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	65		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	10	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	74		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	5	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	2,650	51%	Spanish	374	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,547	30%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	290	6%	Portuguese	12	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	65	1%	Haitian Creole	7	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	168	3%	Chinese	8	*
Unable to Determine	127	2%	Lao	5	*
Missing	352	7%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	5,202	100%	Other	49	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	4,744	91%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	5,202	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	551	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	131	23%
Alternative Response	4	*	3 - 5 Years Old	119	21%
Voluntary Request	5	*	6 - 11 Years Old	169	29%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	3	*	12 - 17 Years Old	158	27%
Court Referral	10	2%	Total Children in Placement	577	100%
Other/Unspecified	4	*			
Total Children in Placement	577	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	215	37%	.5 Years or Less	157	27%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	55	10%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	107	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	131	23%	>1 Year - 2 Years	124	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	64	11%	>2 Years - 4 Years	153	27%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	36	6%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	31	5%	Total Children in Placement	577	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	36	6%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	3	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	7	1%	Male	293	51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	26	5%	Female	284	49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	7	1%	Total Children in Placement	577	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	577	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	277	48%	Adoption	223	39%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	200	35%	Guardianship	68	12%
Black ⁽¹⁾	37	6%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	14	2%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	10	2%	Stabilize Intact Family	37	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	13	2%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	33	6%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	35	6%	Total Children in Placement	577	100%
Unable to Determine	18	3%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	577	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,811	96%	0 - 2 Years Old	399	21%
Alternative Response	29	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	339	18%
Voluntary Request	28	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	620	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	526	28%
Court Referral	13	*	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	4	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,885	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,885	100%			

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DCF Region: Central MA			South Central		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	884		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	156	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	59%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	2,091	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	370	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	343		% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	24%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	1,107	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	24		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	85	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	173	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	52		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	16	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	62		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	6	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	2,834	61%	Spanish	220	5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	842	18%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	154	3%	Portuguese	41	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	14	*	Haitian Creole	2	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	153	3%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	185	4%	Lao	0	*
Missing	480	10%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	4,669	100%	Other	50	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	4,355	93%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	4,669	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	348	94%	0 - 2 Years Old	90	24%
Alternative Response	3	*	3 - 5 Years Old	64	17%
Voluntary Request	5	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	106	29%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	7	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	110	30%
Court Referral	6	2%	Total Children in Placement	370	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	370	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	118	32%	.5 Years or Less	111	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	28	8%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	63	17%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	88	24%	>1 Year - 2 Years	71	19%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	38	10%	>2 Years - 4 Years	103	28%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	22	6%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	31	8%	Total Children in Placement	370	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	29	8%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	1	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	8	2%	Male	184	50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	14	4%	Female	186	50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	13	4%	Total Children in Placement	370	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	370	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	236	64%	Adoption	119	32%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	81	22%	Guardianship	33	9%
Black ⁽¹⁾	11	3%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	17	5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Stabilize Intact Family	32	9%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	3	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	26	7%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	30	8%	Total Children in Placement	370	100%
Unable to Determine	11	3%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	370	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,639	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	331	19%
Alternative Response	41	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	337	20%
Voluntary Request	7	*	6 - 11 Years Old	580	34%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	19	1%	12 - 17 Years Old	473	27%
Court Referral	15	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,721	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,721	100%			

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DCF Region: Central MA			Worcester East		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	731		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	132	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	68%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	2,215	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	445	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	350		% of Child Caseload in Placement	20%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	20%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	1,149	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	119		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	100	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	203	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	71		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	7	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	72		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	1	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,871	41%	Spanish	331	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,710	37%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	462	10%	Portuguese	20	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	47	1%	Haitian Creole	10	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	9	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	5	*	Vietnamese	4	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	157	3%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	188	4%	Lao	2	*
Missing	136	3%	American Sign Language	0	*
Total Consumers	4,585	100%	Other	102	2%
			English/Unspecified	4,116	90%
			Total Consumers	4,585	100%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	433	97%	0 - 2 Years Old	90	20%
Alternative Response	3	*	3 - 5 Years Old	92	21%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	143	32%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	4	*	12 - 17 Years Old	120	27%
Court Referral	4	*	Total Children in Placement	445	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	445	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	114	26%	.5 Years or Less	132	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	23	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	63	14%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	86	19%	>1 Year - 2 Years	100	22%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	43	10%	>2 Years - 4 Years	127	29%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	>4 Years	23	5%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	99	22%	Total Children in Placement	445	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	34	8%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	3	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	5	1%	Male	223	50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	23	5%	Female	222	50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	6	1%	Total Children in Placement	445	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	8	2%			
Total Children in Placement	445	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	176	40%	Adoption	139	31%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	192	43%	Guardianship	28	6%
Black ⁽¹⁾	37	8%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	15	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	65	15%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Permanent Care with Kin	2	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	27	6%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	30	7%	Total Children in Placement	445	100%
Unable to Determine	9	2%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	445	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
[*] = less than 1% after rounding-off					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,667	94%	0 - 2 Years Old	349	20%
Alternative Response	38	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	297	17%
Voluntary Request	11	*	6 - 11 Years Old	663	37%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	27	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	460	26%
Court Referral	25	1%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	2	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,770	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,770	100%			

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DCF Region: Central MA			Worcester West		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	719		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	142	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	65%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,922	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	402	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	318		% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	19%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	987	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	85		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	90	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	185	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	53		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	5	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	56		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	7	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,674	43%	Spanish	280	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,336	34%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	417	11%	Portuguese	3	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	41	1%	Haitian Creole	5	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	12	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	166	4%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	132	3%	Lao	0	*
Missing	123	3%	American Sign Language	6	*
Total Consumers	3,892	100%	Other	76	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	3,508	90%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	3,892	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	365	91%	0 - 2 Years Old	97	24%
Alternative Response	3	*	3 - 5 Years Old	70	17%
Voluntary Request	10	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	101	25%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	13	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	134	33%
Court Referral	11	3%	Total Children in Placement	402	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	402	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	96	24%	.5 Years or Less	121	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	23	6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	69	17%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	86	21%	>1 Year - 2 Years	90	22%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	35	9%	>2 Years - 4 Years	88	22%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	34	8%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	107	27%	Total Children in Placement	402	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	18	4%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	1	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	8	2%	Male	200	50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	18	4%	Female	202	50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	6	1%	Total Children in Placement	402	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	3	*			
Total Children in Placement	402	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	151	38%	Adoption	143	36%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	157	39%	Guardianship	31	8%
Black ⁽¹⁾	43	11%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	9	2%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Stabilize Intact Family	36	9%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	20	5%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	19	5%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	44	11%	Total Children in Placement	402	100%
Unable to Determine	6	1%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	402	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,444	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	309	20%
Alternative Response	20	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	293	19%
Voluntary Request	3	*	6 - 11 Years Old	486	32%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	39	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	432	28%
Court Referral	11	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	3	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,520	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,520	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern (regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies data) Northern				
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	5,255		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	840
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	56%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	9,740
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	1,771
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	2,066		% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	14%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	5,431
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	471		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	387
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	902
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	17%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	312		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	31
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	417		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	21
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)				
Race (9/30/2017)		Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	8,664 42%	Spanish	1,769	9%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	6,503 32%	Khmer (Cambodian)	88	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,677 8%	Portuguese	209	1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	504 2%	Haitian Creole	149	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	27 *	Cape Verdean Creole	11	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	9 *	Vietnamese	23	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	645 3%	Chinese	25	*
Unable to Determine	814 4%	Lao	8	*
Missing	1,580 8%	American Sign Language	22	*
Total Consumers	20,423 100%	Other	211	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	17,908	88%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	20,423	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement				
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,598 90%	0 - 2 Years Old	306	17%
Alternative Response	41 2%	3 - 5 Years Old	303	17%
Voluntary Request	22 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	468	26%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	62 4%	12 - 17 Years Old	694	39%
Court Referral	42 2%	Total Children in Placement	1,771	100%
Other/Unspecified	6 *			
Total Children in Placement	1,771 100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)		Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	474 27%	.5 Years or Less	430	24%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	96 5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	327	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	364 21%	>1 Year - 2 Years	454	26%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	63 4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	371	21%
Foster Care - Independent Living	2 *	>4 Years	189	11%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	310 18%	Total Children in Placement	1,771	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	178 10%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	8 *	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	125 7%	Male	923	52%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	75 4%	Female	847	48%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	6 *	Intersex	1	*
Non-Referral Location	43 2%	Total Children in Placement	1,771	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	27 2%			
Total Children in Placement	1,771 100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)		Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	775 44%	Adoption	498	28%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	602 34%	Guardianship	152	9%
Black ⁽¹⁾	133 8%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	128	7%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	15 *	Stabilize Intact Family	144	8%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	4 *	Permanent Care with Kin	92	5%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	73	4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	153 9%	Total Children in Placement	1,771	100%
Unable to Determine	89 5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	1,771 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races				
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement				
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	7,491 94%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,513	19%
Alternative Response	137 2%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,348	17%
Voluntary Request	34 *	6 - 11 Years Old	2,753	35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	189 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	2,353	30%
Court Referral	111 1%	Unspecified	2	*
Other/Unspecified	7 *	Total Children Not in Placement	7,969	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	7,969 100%			

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DCF Region: Northern			Cambridge		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	347		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	71	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	60%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	686	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	117	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	173		% of Child Caseload in Placement	17%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	18%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	423	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	20		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	16	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	76	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	21		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	29		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	2	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	660	46%	Spanish	98	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	331	23%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	224	16%	Portuguese	11	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	30	2%	Haitian Creole	26	2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Cape Verdean Creole	3	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	60	4%	Chinese	1	*
Unable to Determine	63	4%	Lao	0	*
Missing	73	5%	American Sign Language	0	*
Total Consumers	1,442	100%	Other	26	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,277	89%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	1,442	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	103	88%	0 - 2 Years Old	14	12%
Alternative Response	4	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	14	12%
Voluntary Request	3	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	28	24%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	5	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	61	52%
Court Referral	2	2%	Total Children in Placement	117	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	117	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	28	24%	.5 Years or Less	35	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	6	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	23	20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	15	13%	>1 Year - 2 Years	33	28%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	6	5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	19	16%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	7	6%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	15	13%	Total Children in Placement	117	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	22	19%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	2	2%	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	11	9%	Male	61	52%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	4	3%	Female	56	48%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	2	2%	Total Children in Placement	117	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	6	5%			
Total Children in Placement	117	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	44	38%	Adoption	22	19%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	30	26%	Guardianship	13	11%
Black ⁽¹⁾	23	20%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	12	10%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	3	3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	3	3%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	6	5%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	14	12%	Total Children in Placement	117	100%
Unable to Determine	6	5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	117	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	542	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	106	19%
Alternative Response	8	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	92	16%
Voluntary Request	10	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	197	35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	3	*	12 - 17 Years Old	174	31%
Court Referral	6	1%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	569	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	569	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern		Cape Ann	
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	626	Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	125
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	52%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	946
		Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	224
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	246	% of Child Caseload in Placement	24%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	6%	Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	561
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	57	Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	55
		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	107
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	23	Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	10
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	52	Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	0

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,231	60%	Spanish	79	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	398	19%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	134	7%	Portuguese	12	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	19	*	Haitian Creole	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Cape Verdean Creole	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	1	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	65	3%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	66	3%	Lao	1	*
Missing	125	6%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	2,042	100%	Other	13	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,933	95%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,042	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	193	86%	0 - 2 Years Old	29	13%
Alternative Response	17	8%	3 - 5 Years Old	39	17%
Voluntary Request	0	*	6 - 11 Years Old	66	29%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	2	*	12 - 17 Years Old	90	40%
Court Referral	10	4%	Total Children in Placement	224	100%
Other/Unspecified	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	224	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	71	32%	.5 Years or Less	46	21%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	21	9%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	43	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	37	17%	>1 Year - 2 Years	67	30%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	14	6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	52	23%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	16	7%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	31	14%	Total Children in Placement	224	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	23	10%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	2	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	12	5%	Male	128	57%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	5	2%	Female	96	43%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	5	2%	Total Children in Placement	224	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	224	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification	92	41%
White ⁽¹⁾	147	66%	Adoption	77	34%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	49	22%	Guardianship	12	5%
Black ⁽¹⁾	7	3%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	13	6%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	13	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	12	5%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	5	2%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	16	7%	Total Children in Placement	224	100%
Unable to Determine	5	2%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	224	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	594	82%	0 - 2 Years Old	119	16%
Alternative Response	73	10%	3 - 5 Years Old	126	17%
Voluntary Request	7	*	6 - 11 Years Old	238	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	9	1%	12 - 17 Years Old	239	33%
Court Referral	39	5%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	722	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	722	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern			Framingham		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	690		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)		76
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	41%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,308	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	200	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	186		% of Child Caseload in Placement	15%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	7%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	726	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	79		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	48	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	103	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	14%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	39		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	3	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	43		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	7	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,165	43%	Spanish	216	8%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	763	28%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	247	9%	Portuguese	71	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	31	1%	Haitian Creole	15	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	9	*	Cape Verdean Creole	3	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	5	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	63	2%	Chinese	9	*
Unable to Determine	186	7%	Lao	0	*
Missing	224	8%	American Sign Language	7	*
Total Consumers	2,693	100%	Other	40	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,332	87%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,693	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	158	79%	0 - 2 Years Old	24	12%
Alternative Response	6	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	30	15%
Voluntary Request	5	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	44	22%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	26	13%	12 - 17 Years Old	102	51%
Court Referral	4	2%	Total Children in Placement	200	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	200	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	24	12%	.5 Years or Less	42	21%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	11	6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	37	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	51	26%	>1 Year - 2 Years	46	23%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	5	3%	>2 Years - 4 Years	48	24%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	27	14%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	41	21%	Total Children in Placement	200	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	24	12%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	4	2%			
Congregate Care - Residential	17	9%	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	17	9%	Male	103	52%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Female	97	49%
Non-Referral Location	3	2%	Intersex	0	*
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	3	2%	Total Children in Placement	200	100%
Total Children in Placement	200	100%			
Race (9/30/2017)			Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	98	49%	Family Reunification	62	31%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	54	27%	Adoption	68	34%
Black ⁽¹⁾	23	12%	Guardianship	19	10%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	1%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	14	7%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3	2%	Stabilize Intact Family	20	10%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	9	5%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	10	5%	Unspecified as of run-date	8	4%
Unable to Determine	10	5%	Total Children in Placement	200	100%
Total Children in Placement	200	100%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,026	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	206	19%
Alternative Response	25	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	182	16%
Voluntary Request	3	*	6 - 11 Years Old	383	35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	45	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	337	30%
Court Referral	9	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,108	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,108	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern			Haverhill		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	706		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	162	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	68%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,129	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	182	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	310		% of Child Caseload in Placement	16%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	14%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	598	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	72		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	27	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	97	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	36		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	5	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	37		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	0	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,344	53%	Spanish	102	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	649	26%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	86	3%	Portuguese	7	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Haitian Creole	4	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	11	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	71	3%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	68	3%	Lao	0	*
Missing	288	11%	American Sign Language	0	*
Total Consumers	2,520	100%	Other	20	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,387	95%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,520	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	171	94%	0 - 2 Years Old	35	19%
Alternative Response	3	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	30	16%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	53	29%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	3	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	64	35%
Court Referral	4	2%	Total Children in Placement	182	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	182	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	66	36%	.5 Years or Less	55	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	1	*	>.5 Years - 1 Year	32	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	23	13%	>1 Year - 2 Years	43	24%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	3	2%	>2 Years - 4 Years	35	19%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	>4 Years	17	9%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	48	26%	Total Children in Placement	182	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	21	12%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	6	3%	Male	93	51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8	4%	Female	89	49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	3	2%	Total Children in Placement	182	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	182	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	108	59%	Adoption	39	21%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	53	29%	Guardianship	21	12%
Black ⁽¹⁾	5	3%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	6	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	20	11%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Permanent Care with Kin	18	10%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	8	4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	11	6%	Total Children in Placement	182	100%
Unable to Determine	4	2%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	182	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	904	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	186	20%
Alternative Response	4	*	3 - 5 Years Old	170	18%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	338	36%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	24	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	252	27%
Court Referral	13	1%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	947	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	947	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern		Lawrence	
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	636	Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	85
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	63%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,312
		Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	205
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	273	% of Child Caseload in Placement	16%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	17%	Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	666
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	59	Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	41
		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	107
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	38	Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	2
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	63	Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	1

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	565	21%	Spanish	596	22%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,808	67%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	77	3%	Portuguese	4	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	21	*	Haitian Creole	8	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Cape Verdean Creole	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	2	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	29	1%	Chinese	6	*
Unable to Determine	82	3%	Lao	0	*
Missing	120	4%	American Sign Language	8	*
Total Consumers	2,702	100%	Other	9	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,068	77%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,702	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	195	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	30	15%
Alternative Response	2	*	3 - 5 Years Old	30	15%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	49	24%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	5	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	96	47%
Court Referral	2	*	Total Children in Placement	205	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	205	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	52	25%	.5 Years or Less	52	25%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	8	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	25	12%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	62	30%	>1 Year - 2 Years	55	27%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	2	*	>2 Years - 4 Years	41	20%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	32	16%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	24	12%	Total Children in Placement	205	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	15	7%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	22	11%	Male	97	47%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	10	5%	Female	108	53%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	5	2%	Total Children in Placement	205	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	3	1%			
Total Children in Placement	205	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification	66	32%
White ⁽¹⁾	29	14%	Adoption	44	21%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	158	77%	Guardianship	27	13%
Black ⁽¹⁾	4	2%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	28	14%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Stabilize Intact Family	16	8%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	16	8%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	8	4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	3	1%	Total Children in Placement	205	100%
Unable to Determine	10	5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	205	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,042	94%	0 - 2 Years Old	220	20%
Alternative Response	14	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	187	17%
Voluntary Request	2	*	6 - 11 Years Old	369	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	43	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	331	30%
Court Referral	3	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	3	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,107	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,107	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern			Lowell		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	1,193		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)		174
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	54%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)		2,149
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)		411
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	424		% of Child Caseload in Placement		19%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	18%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)		1,110
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	74		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)		84
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)		194
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases		17%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	83		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		3
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	84		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		1
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,875	43%	Spanish	150	3%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,133	26%	Khmer (Cambodian)	82	2%
Black ⁽¹⁾	268	6%	Portuguese	37	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	303	7%	Haitian Creole	18	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	5	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	123	3%	Chinese	2	*
Unable to Determine	183	4%	Lao	6	*
Missing	434	10%	American Sign Language	6	*
Total Consumers	4,322	100%	Other	54	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	3,962	92%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	4,322	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	384	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	83	20%
Alternative Response	3	*	3 - 5 Years Old	91	22%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	110	27%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	14	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	127	31%
Court Referral	7	2%	Total Children in Placement	411	100%
Other/Unspecified	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	411	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	127	31%	.5 Years or Less	101	25%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	29	7%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	88	21%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	102	25%	>1 Year - 2 Years	108	26%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	20	5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	80	19%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	34	8%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	53	13%	Total Children in Placement	411	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	29	7%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	17	4%	Male	234	57%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	17	4%	Female	177	43%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	11	3%	Total Children in Placement	411	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	6	1%			
Total Children in Placement	411	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	194	47%	Adoption	93	23%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	131	32%	Guardianship	27	7%
Black ⁽¹⁾	15	4%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	18	4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	11	3%	Stabilize Intact Family	38	9%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	13	3%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	23	6%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	34	8%	Total Children in Placement	411	100%
Unable to Determine	26	6%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	411	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,695	98%	0 - 2 Years Old	358	21%
Alternative Response	3	*	3 - 5 Years Old	290	17%
Voluntary Request	4	*	6 - 11 Years Old	611	35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	17	*	12 - 17 Years Old	478	28%
Court Referral	19	1%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,738	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,738	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern			Lynn		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	467		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	67	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	52%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,207	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	286	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	220		% of Child Caseload in Placement	24%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	24%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	718	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	26		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	82	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	129	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	35		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	55		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	3	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	845	33%	Spanish	404	16%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	944	37%	Khmer (Cambodian)	5	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	300	12%	Portuguese	1	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	52	2%	Haitian Creole	13	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	2	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	11	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	148	6%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	101	4%	Lao	1	*
Missing	168	7%	American Sign Language	0	*
Total Consumers	2,561	100%	Other	36	1%
			English/Unspecified	2,088	82%
			Total Consumers	2,561	100%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	266	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	63	22%
Alternative Response	4	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	54	19%
Voluntary Request	7	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	80	28%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	7	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	89	31%
Court Referral	1	*	Total Children in Placement	286	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	286	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	76	27%	.5 Years or Less	65	23%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	15	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	59	21%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	43	15%	>1 Year - 2 Years	61	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	12	4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	61	21%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	>4 Years	40	14%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	75	26%	Total Children in Placement	286	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	24	8%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	17	6%	Male	134	47%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8	3%	Female	151	53%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	*	Intersex	1	*
Non-Referral Location	9	3%	Total Children in Placement	286	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	4	1%			
Total Children in Placement	286	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	94	33%	Adoption	112	39%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	96	34%	Guardianship	15	5%
Black ⁽¹⁾	29	10%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	20	7%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	14	5%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	11	4%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	10	3%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	46	16%	Total Children in Placement	286	100%
Unable to Determine	21	7%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	286	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
[*] = less than 1% after rounding-off					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	862	94%	0 - 2 Years Old	178	19%
Alternative Response	7	*	3 - 5 Years Old	156	17%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	315	34%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	47	5%	12 - 17 Years Old	272	30%
Court Referral	1	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	3	*	Total Children Not in Placement	921	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	921	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern			Malden		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	590		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)		80
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	58%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)		988
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)		146
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	234		% of Child Caseload in Placement		15%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	8%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)		623
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	84		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)		34
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)		89
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases		14%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	37		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		0
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	54		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		7
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	965	46%	Spanish	124	6%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	467	22%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	340	16%	Portuguese	66	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	45	2%	Haitian Creole	65	3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Cape Verdean Creole	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	4	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	86	4%	Chinese	7	*
Unable to Determine	65	3%	Lao	0	*
Missing	148	7%	American Sign Language	0	*
Total Consumers	2,116	100%	Other	13	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,836	87%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,116	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	128	88%	0 - 2 Years Old	28	19%
Alternative Response	2	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	15	10%
Voluntary Request	4	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	38	26%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	65	45%
Court Referral	12	8%	Total Children in Placement	146	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	146	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	30	21%	.5 Years or Less	34	23%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	5	3%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	20	14%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	31	21%	>1 Year - 2 Years	41	28%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	1	*	>2 Years - 4 Years	35	24%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	16	11%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	23	16%	Total Children in Placement	146	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	20	14%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	23	16%	Male	73	50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	6	4%	Female	73	50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	5	3%	Total Children in Placement	146	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	2	1%			
Total Children in Placement	146	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	61	42%	Adoption	43	29%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	31	21%	Guardianship	18	12%
Black ⁽¹⁾	27	18%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	17	12%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Stabilize Intact Family	20	14%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	10	7%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	5	3%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	19	13%	Total Children in Placement	146	100%
Unable to Determine	7	5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	146	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	811	96%	0 - 2 Years Old	138	16%
Alternative Response	3	*	3 - 5 Years Old	142	17%
Voluntary Request	6	*	6 - 11 Years Old	297	35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	1	*	12 - 17 Years Old	265	31%
Court Referral	21	2%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	842	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	842	100%			

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DCF Region: Southern (regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies data) Southern			
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	5,721	Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	802
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	55%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	10,505
		Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	2,572
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	2,287	% of Child Caseload in Placement	24%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	13%	Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	5,856
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	466	Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	643
		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	1,136
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	346	Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	29
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	442	Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	44

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (9/30/2017)		Primary Language (9/30/2017)	
White ⁽¹⁾	12,111 54%	Spanish	724 3%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	3,314 15%	Khmer (Cambodian)	21 *
Black ⁽¹⁾	2,889 13%	Portuguese	150 *
Asian ⁽¹⁾	206 *	Haitian Creole	100 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	85 *	Cape Verdean Creole	170 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	7 *	Vietnamese	21 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	1,230 6%	Chinese	34 *
Unable to Determine	848 4%	Lao	1 *
Missing	1,573 7%	American Sign Language	16 *
Total Consumers	22,263 100%	Other	208 *
		English/Unspecified	20,818 94%
		Total Consumers	22,263 100%

⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino

⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)	
Protective	2,391 93%	0 - 2 Years Old	596 23%
Alternative Response	34 1%	3 - 5 Years Old	493 19%
Voluntary Request	16 *	6 - 11 Years Old	694 27%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	57 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	789 31%
Court Referral	58 2%	Total Children in Placement	2,572 100%
Other/Unspecified	16 *		
Total Children in Placement	2,572 100%		
Placement Type (9/30/2017)		Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)	
Foster Care - Kinship	949 37%	.5 Years or Less	643 25%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	172 7%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	423 16%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	582 23%	>1 Year - 2 Years	662 26%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	111 4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	600 23%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	244 9%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	294 11%	Total Children in Placement	2,572 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	180 7%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	1 *	Gender (9/30/2017)	
Congregate Care - Residential	127 5%	Male	1,315 51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	107 4%	Female	1,257 49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1 *	Intersex	0 *
Non-Referral Location	18 *	Total Children in Placement	2,572 100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	30 1%		
Total Children in Placement	2,572 100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)	
		Family Reunification	995 39%
		Adoption	863 34%
		Guardianship	296 12%
		APPLA ⁽¹⁾	122 5%
		Stabilize Intact Family	155 6%
		Permanent Care with Kin	50 2%
		Unspecified as of run-date	91 4%
		Total Children in Placement	2,572 100%
		⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	
		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)	
Protective	7,405 93%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,698 21%
Alternative Response	87 1%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,423 18%
Voluntary Request	27 *	6 - 11 Years Old	2,622 33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	225 3%	12 - 17 Years Old	2,187 28%
Court Referral	179 2%	Unspecified	3 *
Other/Unspecified	10 *	Total Children Not in Placement	7,933 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	7,933 100%		

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DCF Region: Southern		Arlington	
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	659	Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	83
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	46%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	860
		Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	151
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	232	% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	11%	Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	525
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	60	Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	32
		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	85
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	41	Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	2
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	45	Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	6

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (9/30/2017)		Primary Language (9/30/2017)	
White ⁽¹⁾	933 50%	Spanish	96 5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	330 18%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1 *
Black ⁽¹⁾	202 11%	Portuguese	16 *
Asian ⁽¹⁾	51 3%	Haitian Creole	17 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Cape Verdean Creole	1 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Vietnamese	0 *
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	69 4%	Chinese	4 *
Unable to Determine	112 6%	Lao	0 *
Missing	186 10%	American Sign Language	2 *
Total Consumers	1,884 100%	Other	32 2%
		English/Unspecified	1,715 91%
		Total Consumers	1,884 100%

⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)	
Protective	115 76%	0 - 2 Years Old	25 17%
Alternative Response	10 7%	3 - 5 Years Old	30 20%
Voluntary Request	0 *	6 - 11 Years Old	28 19%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	18 12%	12 - 17 Years Old	68 45%
Court Referral	6 4%	Total Children in Placement	151 100%
Other/Unspecified	2 1%		
Total Children in Placement	151 100%		
Placement Type (9/30/2017)		Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)	
Foster Care - Kinship	42 28%	.5 Years or Less	52 34%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	12 8%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	14 9%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	26 17%	>1 Year - 2 Years	34 23%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	7 5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	32 21%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	19 13%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	15 10%	Total Children in Placement	151 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	21 14%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	0 *	Gender (9/30/2017)	
Congregate Care - Residential	12 8%	Male	69 46%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8 5%	Female	82 54%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Intersex	0 *
Non-Referral Location	4 3%	Total Children in Placement	151 100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	4 3%		
Total Children in Placement	151 100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)	
Race (9/30/2017)		Family Reunification	52 34%
White ⁽¹⁾	77 51%	Adoption	44 29%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	29 19%	Guardianship	17 11%
Black ⁽¹⁾	23 15%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	14 9%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	10 7%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Permanent Care with Kin	3 2%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	11 7%
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	13 9%	Total Children in Placement	151 100%
Unable to Determine	9 6%		
Total Children in Placement	151 100%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	

⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races

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Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)	
Protective	652 92%	0 - 2 Years Old	137 19%
Alternative Response	7 *	3 - 5 Years Old	115 16%
Voluntary Request	2 *	6 - 11 Years Old	236 33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	34 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	221 31%
Court Referral	14 2%	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	0 *	Total Children Not in Placement	709 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	709 100%		

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DCF Region: Southern			Brockton		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	656		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	112	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	53%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	975	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	274	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	267		% of Child Caseload in Placement	28%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	16%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	523	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	2		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	61	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	127	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	24%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	36		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	2	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	37		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	2	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	688	34%	Spanish	53	3%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	293	14%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	760	37%	Portuguese	13	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	11	*	Haitian Creole	48	2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Cape Verdean Creole	77	4%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	1	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	118	6%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	71	4%	Lao	1	*
Missing	84	4%	American Sign Language	0	*
Total Consumers	2,028	100%	Other	15	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,820	90%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,028	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	254	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	71	26%
Alternative Response	1	*	3 - 5 Years Old	45	16%
Voluntary Request	0	*	6 - 11 Years Old	70	26%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	11	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	88	32%
Court Referral	6	2%	Total Children in Placement	274	100%
Other/Unspecified	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	274	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	100	36%	.5 Years or Less	63	23%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	18	7%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	49	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	69	25%	>1 Year - 2 Years	73	27%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	17	6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	60	22%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	29	11%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	37	14%	Total Children in Placement	274	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	9	3%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	9	3%	Male	147	54%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	7	3%	Female	127	46%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	1	*	Total Children in Placement	274	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	7	3%			
Total Children in Placement	274	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	98	36%	Adoption	80	29%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	32	12%	Guardianship	40	15%
Black ⁽¹⁾	95	35%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	15	5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	1%	Stabilize Intact Family	17	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Permanent Care with Kin	6	2%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	7	3%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	38	14%	Total Children in Placement	274	100%
Unable to Determine	6	2%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	274	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	607	87%	0 - 2 Years Old	159	23%
Alternative Response	9	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	127	18%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	210	30%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	80	11%	12 - 17 Years Old	205	29%
Court Referral	4	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	701	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	701	100%			

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DCF Region: Southern				Cape Cod			
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	639			Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	101		
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	53%			Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,017		
				Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	302		
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	246			% of Child Caseload in Placement	30%		
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	14%			Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	634		
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	38			Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	54		
				Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	152		
				% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	24%		
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	33			Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4		
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	49			Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4		
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)							
Race (9/30/2017)				Primary Language (9/30/2017)			
White ⁽¹⁾	1,350	61%		Spanish	31	1%	
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	177	8%		Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*	
Black ⁽¹⁾	165	7%		Portuguese	26	1%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*		Haitian Creole	6	*	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	32	1%		Cape Verdean Creole	1	*	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2	*		Vietnamese	0	*	
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	154	7%		Chinese	0	*	
Unable to Determine	87	4%		Lao	0	*	
Missing	234	11%		American Sign Language	0	*	
Total Consumers	2,203	100%		Other	22	*	
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino				English/Unspecified	2,117	96%	
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races				Total Consumers	2,203	100%	
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement							
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)				Age Groups (9/30/2017)			
Protective	273	90%		0 - 2 Years Old	68	23%	
Alternative Response	3	*		3 - 5 Years Old	59	20%	
Voluntary Request	2	*		6 - 11 Years Old	87	29%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	9	3%		12 - 17 Years Old	88	29%	
Court Referral	14	5%		Total Children in Placement	302	100%	
Other/Unspecified	1	*					
Total Children in Placement	302	100%					
Placement Type (9/30/2017)				Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)			
Foster Care - Kinship	81	27%		.5 Years or Less	84	28%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	45	15%		>.5 Years - 1 Year	59	20%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	60	20%		>1 Year - 2 Years	88	29%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	12	4%		>2 Years - 4 Years	54	18%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*		>4 Years	17	6%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	45	15%		Total Children in Placement	302	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	19	6%					
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*		Gender (9/30/2017)			
Congregate Care - Residential	24	8%		Male	151	50%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	15	5%		Female	151	50%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*		Intersex	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	0	*		Total Children in Placement	302	100%	
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	1	*					
Total Children in Placement	302	100%		Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)			
Race (9/30/2017)				Family Reunification			
White ⁽¹⁾	175	58%		Adoption	77	25%	
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	34	11%		Guardianship	42	14%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	20	7%		APPLA ⁽¹⁾	9	3%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*		Stabilize Intact Family	26	9%	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	4	1%		Permanent Care with Kin	11	4%	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*		Unspecified as of run-date	7	2%	
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	55	18%		Total Children in Placement	302	100%	
Unable to Determine	12	4%		⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement			
Total Children in Placement	302	100%		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino				* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races							
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement							
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)				Age Groups (9/30/2017)			
Protective	668	93%		0 - 2 Years Old	190	27%	
Alternative Response	6	*		3 - 5 Years Old	113	16%	
Voluntary Request	1	*		6 - 11 Years Old	226	32%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	13	2%		12 - 17 Years Old	186	26%	
Court Referral	24	3%		Unspecified	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	3	*		Total Children Not in Placement	715	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	715	100%					

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DCF Region: Southern			Coastal		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	729		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	94	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	48%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,010	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	245	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	229		% of Child Caseload in Placement	24%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	10%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	632	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	52		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	74	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	118	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	36		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	46		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	6	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,204	54%	Spanish	35	2%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	258	12%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	384	17%	Portuguese	6	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	83	4%	Haitian Creole	18	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	7	*	Cape Verdean Creole	9	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	20	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	126	6%	Chinese	28	1%
Unable to Determine	50	2%	Lao	0	*
Missing	108	5%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	2,221	100%	Other	35	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,069	93%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,221	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	222	91%	0 - 2 Years Old	48	20%
Alternative Response	8	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	51	21%
Voluntary Request	4	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	62	25%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	2	*	12 - 17 Years Old	84	34%
Court Referral	8	3%	Total Children in Placement	245	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	245	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	104	42%	.5 Years or Less	62	25%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	16	7%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	44	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	48	20%	>1 Year - 2 Years	65	27%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	13	5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	57	23%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	17	7%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	28	11%	Total Children in Placement	245	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	18	7%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	8	3%	Male	129	53%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8	3%	Female	116	47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	1	*	Total Children in Placement	245	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	245	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	135	55%	Adoption	76	31%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	31	13%	Guardianship	24	10%
Black ⁽¹⁾	42	17%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	9	4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Stabilize Intact Family	15	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Permanent Care with Kin	13	5%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	3	1%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	26	11%	Total Children in Placement	245	100%
Unable to Determine	7	3%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	245	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	725	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	154	20%
Alternative Response	17	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	143	19%
Voluntary Request	2	*	6 - 11 Years Old	270	35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	7	*	12 - 17 Years Old	198	26%
Court Referral	14	2%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	765	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	765	100%			

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DCF Region: Southern			Fall River		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	719		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	95	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	53%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,587	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	467	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	262		% of Child Caseload in Placement	29%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	8%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	834	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	87		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	128	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	187	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	22%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	42		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	7	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	56		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	11	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,724	54%	Spanish	125	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	577	18%	Khmer (Cambodian)	19	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	357	11%	Portuguese	44	1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	32	*	Haitian Creole	6	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	7	*	Cape Verdean Creole	13	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	221	7%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	129	4%	Lao	0	*
Missing	175	5%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	3,222	100%	Other	30	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,984	93%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	3,222	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	445	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	123	26%
Alternative Response	4	*	3 - 5 Years Old	85	18%
Voluntary Request	4	*	6 - 11 Years Old	139	30%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	3	*	12 - 17 Years Old	120	26%
Court Referral	5	1%	Total Children in Placement	467	100%
Other/Unspecified	6	1%			
Total Children in Placement	467	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	204	44%	.5 Years or Less	95	20%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	5	1%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	72	15%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	122	26%	>1 Year - 2 Years	101	22%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	21	4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	141	30%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	58	12%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	33	7%	Total Children in Placement	467	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	35	7%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	18	4%	Male	241	52%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	22	5%	Female	226	48%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	2	*	Total Children in Placement	467	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	4	*			
Total Children in Placement	467	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	246	53%	Adoption	173	37%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	88	19%	Guardianship	86	18%
Black ⁽¹⁾	36	8%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	18	4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Stabilize Intact Family	16	3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Permanent Care with Kin	2	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	13	3%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	65	14%	Total Children in Placement	467	100%
Unable to Determine	28	6%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	467	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,014	91%	0 - 2 Years Old	286	26%
Alternative Response	15	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	201	18%
Voluntary Request	8	*	6 - 11 Years Old	342	31%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	26	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	290	26%
Court Referral	55	5%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	2	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,120	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,120	100%			

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DCF Region: Southern			New Bedford		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	974		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	152	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	64%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	2,181	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	459	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	414		% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	20%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	1,128	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	31		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	132	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	161	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	14%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	55		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	71		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,988	44%	Spanish	315	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,214	27%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	616	14%	Portuguese	26	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	8	*	Haitian Creole	4	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	8	*	Cape Verdean Creole	64	1%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	225	5%	Chinese	1	*
Unable to Determine	143	3%	Lao	0	*
Missing	319	7%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	4,521	100%	Other	38	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	4,072	90%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	4,521	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	448	98%	0 - 2 Years Old	104	23%
Alternative Response	3	*	3 - 5 Years Old	87	19%
Voluntary Request	2	*	6 - 11 Years Old	141	31%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	3	*	12 - 17 Years Old	127	28%
Court Referral	2	*	Total Children in Placement	459	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	459	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	150	33%	.5 Years or Less	83	18%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	22	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	64	14%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	106	23%	>1 Year - 2 Years	140	31%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	29	6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	111	24%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	61	13%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	63	14%	Total Children in Placement	459	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	34	7%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	1	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	18	4%	Male	245	53%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	24	5%	Female	214	47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	5	1%	Total Children in Placement	459	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	7	2%			
Total Children in Placement	459	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)					
White ⁽¹⁾	192	42%	Family Reunification	152	33%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	126	27%	Adoption	202	44%
Black ⁽¹⁾	61	13%	Guardianship	31	7%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	19	4%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Stabilize Intact Family	32	7%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	5	1%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	63	14%	Unspecified as of run-date	18	4%
Unable to Determine	15	3%	Total Children in Placement	459	100%
Total Children in Placement	459	100%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,661	96%	0 - 2 Years Old	365	21%
Alternative Response	15	*	3 - 5 Years Old	329	19%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	575	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	29	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	452	26%
Court Referral	11	*	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	5	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,722	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,722	100%			

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DCF Region: Southern			Plymouth		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	751		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	103	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	60%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,512	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	340	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	366		% of Child Caseload in Placement	22%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	11%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	836	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	147		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	77	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	158	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	64		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	2	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	65		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	2,365	71%	Spanish	23	*
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	162	5%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	147	4%	Portuguese	10	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	10	*	Haitian Creole	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	20	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	155	5%	Chinese	1	*
Unable to Determine	103	3%	Lao	0	*
Missing	370	11%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	3,334	100%	Other	21	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	3,278	98%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	3,334	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	323	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	82	24%
Alternative Response	2	*	3 - 5 Years Old	69	20%
Voluntary Request	2	*	6 - 11 Years Old	93	27%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	2	*	12 - 17 Years Old	96	28%
Court Referral	9	3%	Total Children in Placement	340	100%
Other/Unspecified	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	340	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	125	37%	.5 Years or Less	95	28%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	21	6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	64	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	92	27%	>1 Year - 2 Years	90	26%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	5	1%	>2 Years - 4 Years	66	19%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	25	7%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	36	11%	Total Children in Placement	340	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	24	7%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	21	6%	Male	173	51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	13	4%	Female	167	49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	0	*	Total Children in Placement	340	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	3	*			
Total Children in Placement	340	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	245	72%	Adoption	101	30%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	17	5%	Guardianship	26	8%
Black ⁽¹⁾	12	4%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	22	6%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Stabilize Intact Family	8	2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	4	1%	Permanent Care with Kin	6	2%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	18	5%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	43	13%	Total Children in Placement	340	100%
Unable to Determine	17	5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	340	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,132	97%	0 - 2 Years Old	212	18%
Alternative Response	7	*	3 - 5 Years Old	206	18%
Voluntary Request	0	*	6 - 11 Years Old	431	37%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	323	28%
Court Referral	33	3%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,172	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,172	100%			

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DCF Region: Southern			Taunton/Attleboro		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	594		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	62	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	60%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,359	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	334	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	271		% of Child Caseload in Placement	25%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	16%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	742	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	49		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	85	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	148	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	40		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	45		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	7	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,853	65%	Spanish	46	2%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	302	11%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	258	9%	Portuguese	9	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	9	*	Haitian Creole	1	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	7	*	Cape Verdean Creole	5	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	162	6%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	153	5%	Lao	0	*
Missing	97	3%	American Sign Language	10	*
Total Consumers	2,843	100%	Other	15	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,756	97%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,843	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	311	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	75	22%
Alternative Response	3	*	3 - 5 Years Old	67	20%
Voluntary Request	2	*	6 - 11 Years Old	74	22%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	9	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	118	35%
Court Referral	8	2%	Total Children in Placement	334	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	334	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	143	43%	.5 Years or Less	109	33%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	33	10%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	57	17%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	59	18%	>1 Year - 2 Years	71	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	7	2%	>2 Years - 4 Years	79	24%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	18	5%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	37	11%	Total Children in Placement	334	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	20	6%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	17	5%	Male	160	48%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	10	3%	Female	174	52%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	5	1%	Total Children in Placement	334	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	3	*			
Total Children in Placement	334	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	206	62%	Adoption	110	33%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	48	14%	Guardianship	30	9%
Black ⁽¹⁾	22	7%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	16	5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	31	9%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Permanent Care with Kin	4	1%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	14	4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	41	12%	Total Children in Placement	334	100%
Unable to Determine	15	4%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	334	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	942	92%	0 - 2 Years Old	195	19%
Alternative Response	11	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	189	18%
Voluntary Request	12	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	329	32%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	36	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	311	30%
Court Referral	24	2%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,025	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,025	100%			

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DCF Region: Western		<i>(regional statistics are based on area offices and Western</i>			
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	4,176	Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	768		
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	63%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	9,876		
		Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	1,955		
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	1,815	% of Child Caseload in Placement	20%		
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	19%	Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	4,994		
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	244	Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	462		
		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	874		
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%		
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	247	Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	29		
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	285	Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	22		
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)		Primary Language (9/30/2017)			
White ⁽¹⁾	8,355 41%	Spanish	1,470	7%	
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	6,938 34%	Khmer (Cambodian)	3	*	
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,961 10%	Portuguese	3	*	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	75 *	Haitian Creole	8	*	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	20 *	Cape Verdean Creole	7	*	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	5 *	Vietnamese	12	*	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	776 4%	Chinese	2	*	
Unable to Determine	708 3%	Lao	0	*	
Missing	1,464 7%	American Sign Language	7	*	
Total Consumers	20,302 100%	Other	264	1%	
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	18,526	91%	
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	20,302	100%	
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)			
Protective	1,841 94%	0 - 2 Years Old	435	22%	
Alternative Response	29 1%	3 - 5 Years Old	367	19%	
Voluntary Request	23 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	539	28%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	36 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	614	31%	
Court Referral	16 *	Total Children in Placement	1,955	100%	
Other/Unspecified	10 *				
Total Children in Placement	1,955 100%				
Placement Type (9/30/2017)		Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)			
Foster Care - Kinship	481 25%	.5 Years or Less	494	25%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	161 8%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	354	18%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	532 27%	>1 Year - 2 Years	457	23%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	102 5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	427	22%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	223	11%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	317 16%	Total Children in Placement	1,955	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	149 8%				
Congregate Care - Continuum	1 *				
Congregate Care - Residential	90 5%	Gender (9/30/2017)			
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	82 4%	Male	998	51%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Female	957	49%	
Non-Referral Location	27 1%	Intersex	0	*	
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	13 *	Total Children in Placement	1,955	100%	
Total Children in Placement	1,955 100%				
Race (9/30/2017)		Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)			
White ⁽¹⁾	816 42%	Family Reunification	730	37%	
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	660 34%	Adoption	666	34%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	192 10%	Guardianship	170	9%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	8 *	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	93	5%	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2 *	Stabilize Intact Family	166	8%	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Permanent Care with Kin	52	3%	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	193 10%	Unspecified as of run-date	78	4%	
Unable to Determine	84 4%	Total Children in Placement	1,955	100%	
Total Children in Placement	1,955 100%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)			
Protective	7,460 94%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,564	20%	
Alternative Response	215 3%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,424	18%	
Voluntary Request	67 *	6 - 11 Years Old	2,739	35%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	114 1%	12 - 17 Years Old	2,189	28%	
Court Referral	55 *	Unspecified	5	*	
Other/Unspecified	10 *	Total Children Not in Placement	7,921	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	7,921 100%				

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DCF Region: Western			Greenfield		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	606		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)		98
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	62%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)		1,293
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)		348
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	270		% of Child Caseload in Placement		27%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	20%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)		703
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	40		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)		87
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)		153
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases		22%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	33		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		6
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	42		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)		2
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,780	64%	Spanish	103	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	436	16%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	120	4%	Portuguese	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	27	*	Haitian Creole	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	8	*	Cape Verdean Creole	3	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	9	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	126	5%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	113	4%	Lao	0	*
Missing	166	6%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	2,777	100%	Other	32	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,628	95%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,777	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	322	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	77	22%
Alternative Response	12	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	67	19%
Voluntary Request	9	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	96	28%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	2	*	12 - 17 Years Old	108	31%
Court Referral	1	*	Total Children in Placement	348	100%
Other/Unspecified	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	348	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	103	30%	.5 Years or Less	99	28%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	32	9%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	59	17%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	88	25%	>1 Year - 2 Years	73	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	16	5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	73	21%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	44	13%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	48	14%	Total Children in Placement	348	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	22	6%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	16	5%	Male	184	53%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	13	4%	Female	164	47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	9	3%	Total Children in Placement	348	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	348	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	212	61%	Adoption	117	34%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	65	19%	Guardianship	38	11%
Black ⁽¹⁾	13	4%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	18	5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Stabilize Intact Family	35	10%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Permanent Care with Kin	10	3%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	15	4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	42	12%	Total Children in Placement	348	100%
Unable to Determine	13	4%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	348	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	880	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	199	21%
Alternative Response	41	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	163	17%
Voluntary Request	9	*	6 - 11 Years Old	327	35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	10	1%	12 - 17 Years Old	255	27%
Court Referral	4	*	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	945	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	945	100%			

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DCF Region: Western			Holyoke		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	700		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	115	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	72%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,709	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	337	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	354		% of Child Caseload in Placement	20%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	24%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	912	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	29		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	92	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	132	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	14%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	47		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	6	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	48		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	5	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,331	37%	Spanish	439	12%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,601	45%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	177	5%	Portuguese	1	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	24	*	Haitian Creole	4	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	56	2%	Chinese	2	*
Unable to Determine	96	3%	Lao	0	*
Missing	293	8%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	3,579	100%	Other	61	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	3,071	86%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	3,579	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	326	97%	0 - 2 Years Old	78	23%
Alternative Response	2	*	3 - 5 Years Old	69	20%
Voluntary Request	3	*	6 - 11 Years Old	96	28%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	1	*	12 - 17 Years Old	94	28%
Court Referral	2	*	Total Children in Placement	337	100%
Other/Unspecified	3	*			
Total Children in Placement	337	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	69	20%	.5 Years or Less	76	23%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	21	6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	45	13%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	123	36%	>1 Year - 2 Years	84	25%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	15	4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	95	28%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	37	11%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	56	17%	Total Children in Placement	337	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	20	6%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	16	5%	Male	170	50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	13	4%	Female	167	50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	3	*	Total Children in Placement	337	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	337	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	127	38%	Adoption	137	41%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	169	50%	Guardianship	28	8%
Black ⁽¹⁾	22	7%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	8	2%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Stabilize Intact Family	23	7%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	8	2%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	11	3%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	7	2%	Total Children in Placement	337	100%
Unable to Determine	11	3%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	337	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,308	95%	0 - 2 Years Old	263	19%
Alternative Response	14	1%	3 - 5 Years Old	248	18%
Voluntary Request	14	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	498	36%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	8	*	12 - 17 Years Old	363	26%
Court Referral	23	2%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	5	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,372	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,372	100%			

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DCF Region: Western			Pittsfield		
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	903		Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	153	
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	49%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	1,575	
			Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	339	
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	283		% of Child Caseload in Placement	22%	
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	8%		Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	830	
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	81		Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	84	
			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	168	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	42		Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	10	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	47		Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	3	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (9/30/2017)			Primary Language (9/30/2017)		
White ⁽¹⁾	2,169	66%	Spanish	54	2%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	301	9%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	251	8%	Portuguese	1	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Haitian Creole	1	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	264	8%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	87	3%	Lao	0	*
Missing	222	7%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	3,298	100%	Other	27	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	3,214	97%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	3,298	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	306	90%	0 - 2 Years Old	75	22%
Alternative Response	8	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	62	18%
Voluntary Request	5	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	85	25%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	14	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	117	35%
Court Referral	5	1%	Total Children in Placement	339	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	339	100%			
Placement Type (9/30/2017)			Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)		
Foster Care - Kinship	87	26%	.5 Years or Less	79	23%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	31	9%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	59	17%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	118	35%	>1 Year - 2 Years	90	27%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	8	2%	>2 Years - 4 Years	68	20%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	43	13%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	24	7%	Total Children in Placement	339	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	37	11%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (9/30/2017)		
Congregate Care - Residential	13	4%	Male	174	51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	14	4%	Female	165	49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Intersex	0	*
Non-Referral Location	6	2%	Total Children in Placement	339	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	339	100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)		
Race (9/30/2017)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	196	58%	Adoption	112	33%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	47	14%	Guardianship	26	8%
Black ⁽¹⁾	21	6%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	23	7%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	44	13%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	15	4%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	9	3%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	66	19%	Total Children in Placement	339	100%
Unable to Determine	9	3%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	339	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)			Age Groups (9/30/2017)		
Protective	1,145	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	291	24%
Alternative Response	39	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	239	19%
Voluntary Request	13	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	421	34%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	29	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	285	23%
Court Referral	9	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,236	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,236	100%			

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DCF Region: Western		Robert Van Wart	
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	962	Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	130
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	57%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	2,838
		Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	430
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	397	% of Child Caseload in Placement	15%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	22%	Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	1,458
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	72	Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	92
		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	216
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	15%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	66	Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	3
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	71	Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	9

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (9/30/2017)		Primary Language (9/30/2017)	
White ⁽¹⁾	2,494 42%	Spanish	285 5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,978 33%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1 *
Black ⁽¹⁾	546 9%	Portuguese	1 *
Asian ⁽¹⁾	8 *	Haitian Creole	2 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3 *	Cape Verdean Creole	1 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Vietnamese	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	198 3%	Chinese	0 *
Unable to Determine	200 3%	Lao	0 *
Missing	500 8%	American Sign Language	2 *
Total Consumers	5,928 100%	Other	72 1%
		English/Unspecified	5,564 94%
		Total Consumers	5,928 100%

⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino

⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)	
Protective	406 94%	0 - 2 Years Old	91 21%
Alternative Response	5 1%	3 - 5 Years Old	79 18%
Voluntary Request	5 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	130 30%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	7 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	130 30%
Court Referral	6 1%	Total Children in Placement	430 100%
Other/Unspecified	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	430 100%		
Placement Type (9/30/2017)		Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)	
Foster Care - Kinship	117 27%	.5 Years or Less	132 31%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	41 10%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	89 21%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	88 20%	>1 Year - 2 Years	109 25%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	33 8%	>2 Years - 4 Years	70 16%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	30 7%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	68 16%	Total Children in Placement	430 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	35 8%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	0 *	Gender (9/30/2017)	
Congregate Care - Residential	18 4%	Male	216 50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	20 5%	Female	214 50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Intersex	0 *
Non-Referral Location	5 1%	Total Children in Placement	430 100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	5 1%		
Total Children in Placement	430 100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)	
Race (9/30/2017)		Family Reunification	172 40%
White ⁽¹⁾	208 48%	Adoption	130 30%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	123 29%	Guardianship	42 10%
Black ⁽¹⁾	40 9%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	18 4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Stabilize Intact Family	35 8%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Permanent Care with Kin	13 3%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	20 5%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	34 8%	Total Children in Placement	430 100%
Unable to Determine	23 5%		
Total Children in Placement	430 100%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	
		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)	
Protective	2,272 94%	0 - 2 Years Old	453 19%
Alternative Response	86 4%	3 - 5 Years Old	429 18%
Voluntary Request	15 *	6 - 11 Years Old	787 33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	17 *	12 - 17 Years Old	737 31%
Court Referral	17 *	Unspecified	2 *
Other/Unspecified	1 *	Total Children Not in Placement	2,408 100%
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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE
FY'2018, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2017 - September 30, 2017)

DCF Region: Western		Springfield	
51A Reports (Q1, FY'2018)	1,005	Children <18 Pending Response (9/30/2017)	271
% Screened-In for Response (Q1, FY'2018)	74%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (9/30/2017)	2,443
		Children Under 18 in Placement (9/30/2017)	495
Responses (Q1, FY'2018) (includes Hotline)	511	% of Child Caseload in Placement	20%
% Supported Responses (Q1, FY'2018)	24%	Clinical Cases (9/30/2017)	1,081
Substantiated Concern (Q1, FY'2018)	22	Adoption Cases (9/30/2017)	107
		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (9/30/2017)	202
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	59	Adoptions Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	4
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul - Sep 2017)	75	Guardianships Legalized (Q1, FY'2018)	3

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (9/30/2017)		Primary Language (9/30/2017)	
White ⁽¹⁾	552 12%	Spanish	588 13%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	2,615 56%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1 *
Black ⁽¹⁾	867 19%	Portuguese	0 *
Asian ⁽¹⁾	15 *	Haitian Creole	1 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	6 *	Cape Verdean Creole	3 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2 *	Vietnamese	3 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	132 3%	Chinese	0 *
Unable to Determine	211 5%	Lao	0 *
Missing	279 6%	American Sign Language	2 *
Total Consumers	4,679 100%	Other	70 1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	4,011 86%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	4,679 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)	
Protective	476 96%	0 - 2 Years Old	113 23%
Alternative Response	2 *	3 - 5 Years Old	89 18%
Voluntary Request	1 *	6 - 11 Years Old	129 26%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	11 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	164 33%
Court Referral	2 *	Total Children in Placement	495 100%
Other/Unspecified	3 *		
Total Children in Placement	495 100%		
Placement Type (9/30/2017)		Continuous Time in Placement (9/30/2017)	
Foster Care - Kinship	102 21%	.5 Years or Less	108 22%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	36 7%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	97 20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	113 23%	>1 Year - 2 Years	100 20%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	30 6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	121 24%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	69 14%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	121 24%	Total Children in Placement	495 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	35 7%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	1 *	Gender (9/30/2017)	
Congregate Care - Residential	26 5%	Male	250 51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	22 4%	Female	245 49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Intersex	0 *
Non-Referral Location	4 *	Total Children in Placement	495 100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	5 1%		
Total Children in Placement	495 100%	Permanency Plan (9/30/2017)	
Race (9/30/2017)		Family Reunification	206 42%
White ⁽¹⁾	67 14%	Adoption	169 34%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	256 52%	Guardianship	36 7%
Black ⁽¹⁾	96 19%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	26 5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4 *	Stabilize Intact Family	29 6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Permanent Care with Kin	6 1%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	23 5%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	44 9%	Total Children in Placement	495 100%
Unable to Determine	28 6%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	
Total Children in Placement	495 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (9/30/2017)		Age Groups (9/30/2017)	
Protective	1,846 95%	0 - 2 Years Old	355 18%
Alternative Response	35 2%	3 - 5 Years Old	342 18%
Voluntary Request	14 *	6 - 11 Years Old	703 36%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	49 3%	12 - 17 Years Old	546 28%
Court Referral	2 *	Unspecified	2 *
Other/Unspecified	2 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,948 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,948 100%		