

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE
FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)

Statewide Totals (statewide statistics are based on regional offices and contracted agencies data)					
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	20,887		Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	4,688	
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	56%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	44,962	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	11%		Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	8,705	
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	9,630		% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%	
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	28%		Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	24,430	
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	1,943		Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	1,855	
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	45%		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	4,436	
			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	1,461		Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	110	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	1,487		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	85	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	38,325	42%	Spanish	5,500	6%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	23,910	26%	Khmer (Cambodian)	141	*
Black (1)	12,368	14%	Portuguese	406	*
Asian (1)	1,196	1%	Haitian Creole	360	*
Native American (1)	185	*	Cape Verdean Creole	287	*
Pacific Islander(1)	35	*	Vietnamese	94	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	2,679	3%	Chinese	96	*
Unable to Determine	3,857	4%	Lao	10	*
Missing	7,939	9%	American Sign Language	58	*
Total Consumers	90,494	100%	Other	1,282	1%
(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	82,260	91%
(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	90,494	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	7,537	87%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,935	22%
Alternative Response	416	5%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,454	17%
Voluntary Request	239	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	2,063	24%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	304	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	3,253	37%
Court Referral	174	2%	Total Children in Placement	8,705	100%
Other/Unspecified	35	*			
Total Children in Placement	8,705	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	2,486	29%	.5 Years or Less	2,618	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	442	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	1,768	20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	2,056	24%	>1 Year - 2 Years	2,074	24%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	503	6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	1,460	17%
Foster Care - Independent Living	5	*	>4 Years	785	9%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	1,415	16%	Total Children in Placement	8,705	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	735	8%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	23	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	389	4%	Male	4,570	52%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	340	4%	Female	4,133	47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	16	*	Unspecified	2	*
Non-Referral Location	200	2%	Total Children in Placement	8,705	100%
"On Run" from Placement	95	1%			
Total Children in Placement	8,705	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification	3,939	45%
White (1)	4,033	46%	Adoption	2,530	29%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	2,220	26%	Guardianship	705	8%
Black (1)	1,212	14%	APPLA (1)	495	6%
Asian (1)	107	1%	Permanent Care with Kin	408	5%
Native American (1)	17	*	Stabilize Intact Family	382	4%
Pacific Islander(1)	1	*	Unspecified as of run-date	246	3%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	619	7%	Total Children in Placement	8,705	100%
Unable to Determine	496	6%	(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	8,705	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 (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	27,600	76%	0 - 2 Years Old	7,501	21%
Alternative Response	6,623	18%	3 - 5 Years Old	6,673	18%
Voluntary Request	506	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	12,042	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	953	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	10,036	28%
Court Referral	512	1%	Unspecified	5	*
Other/Unspecified	63	*	Total Children Not in Placement	36,257	100%
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DCF Region: Boston (regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies)			
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	2,156	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	548
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	64%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	5,823
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	8%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	1,079
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	1,070	% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	31%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	3,232
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	156	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	174
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	41%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	628
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	200	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	184	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	8
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	6

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	1,672 15%	Spanish	1,097	10%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	3,536 31%	Khmer (Cambodian)	4	*	
Black (1)	4,418 39%	Portuguese	21	*	
Asian (1)	194 2%	Haitian Creole	120	1%	
Native American (1)	14 *	Cape Verdean Creole	109	*	
Pacific Islander(1)	1 *	Vietnamese	35	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	228 2%	Chinese	30	*	
Unable to Determine	459 4%	Lao	0	*	
Missing	808 7%	American Sign Language	10	*	
Total Consumers	11,330 100%	Other	134	1%	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	9,770	86%	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	11,330	100%	

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	935 87%	0 - 2 Years Old	206	19%	
Alternative Response	41 4%	3 - 5 Years Old	168	16%	
Voluntary Request	18 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	258	24%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	65 6%	12 - 17 Years Old	447	41%	
Court Referral	15 1%	Total Children in Placement	1,079	100%	
Other/Unspecified	5 *				
Total Children in Placement	1,079 100%				
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)			
Foster Care - Kinship	345 32%	.5 Years or Less	325	30%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	46 4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	242	22%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	189 18%	>1 Year - 2 Years	247	23%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	33 3%	>2 Years - 4 Years	168	16%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	97	9%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	189 18%	Total Children in Placement	1,079	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	110 10%				
Congregate Care - Continuum	8 *	Gender (09/30/2014)			
Congregate Care - Residential	79 7%	Male	547	51%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	28 3%	Female	532	49%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2 *	Unspecified	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	31 3%	Total Children in Placement	1,079	100%	
"On Run" from Placement	19 2%				
Total Children in Placement	1,079 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)			
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	519	48%	
White (1)	207 19%	Adoption	233	22%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	294 27%	Guardianship	109	10%	
Black (1)	466 43%	APPLA (1)	82	8%	
Asian (1)	17 2%	Permanent Care with Kin	57	5%	
Native American (1)	1 *	Stabilize Intact Family	52	5%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	27	3%	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	42 4%	Total Children in Placement	1,079	100%	
Unable to Determine	52 5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>			
Total Children in Placement	1,079 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	3,932 83%	0 - 2 Years Old	919	19%	
Alternative Response	543 11%	3 - 5 Years Old	812	17%	
Voluntary Request	48 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	1,621	34%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	179 4%	12 - 17 Years Old	1,391	29%	
Court Referral	39 *	Unspecified	1	*	
Other/Unspecified	3 *	Total Children Not in Placement	4,744	100%	
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DCF Region: Boston FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Dimock Street

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	509	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	111
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	69%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,312
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	5%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	289
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	342	% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	33%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	715
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	18	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	88
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	39%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	133
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	46	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	2
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	49	Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	0

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	294 12%	Spanish	225	9%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	801 32%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*	
Black (1)	1,052 42%	Portuguese	5	*	
Asian (1)	38 2%	Haitian Creole	20	*	
Native American (1)	8 *	Cape Verdean Creole	22	*	
Pacific Islander(1)	1 *	Vietnamese	0	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	48 2%	Chinese	7	*	
Unable to Determine	91 4%	Lao	0	*	
Missing	168 7%	American Sign Language	7	*	
Total Consumers	2,501 100%	Other	39	2%	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	2,176	87%	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	2,501	100%	

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	253 88%	0 - 2 Years Old	71	25%	
Alternative Response	10 3%	3 - 5 Years Old	49	17%	
Voluntary Request	6 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	69	24%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	15 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	100	35%	
Court Referral	4 1%	Total Children in Placement	289	100%	
Other/Unspecified	1 *				
Total Children in Placement	289 100%				
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)			
Foster Care - Kinship	88 30%	5 Years or Less	67	23%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	18 6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	47	16%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	50 17%	>1 Year - 2 Years	90	31%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	17 6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	66	23%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	19	7%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	55 19%	Total Children in Placement	289	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	25 9%				
Congregate Care - Continuum	3 1%	Gender (09/30/2014)			
Congregate Care - Residential	14 5%	Male	145	50%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	4 1%	Female	144	50%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1 *	Unspecified	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	6 2%	Total Children in Placement	289	100%	
"On Run" from Placement	8 3%				
Total Children in Placement	289 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)			
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	100	35%	
White (1)	42 15%	Adoption	109	38%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	77 27%	Guardianship	28	10%	
Black (1)	145 50%	APPLA (1)	21	7%	
Asian (1)	1 *	Permanent Care with Kin	19	7%	
Native American (1)	1 *	Stabilize Intact Family	7	2%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	5	2%	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	13 4%	Total Children in Placement	289	100%	
Unable to Determine	10 3%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>			
Total Children in Placement	289 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	896 88%	0 - 2 Years Old	208	20%	
Alternative Response	89 9%	3 - 5 Years Old	162	16%	
Voluntary Request	8 *	6 - 11 Years Old	360	35%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	27 3%	12 - 17 Years Old	293	29%	
Court Referral	3 *	Unspecified	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	0 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,023	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	1,023 100%				

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DCF Region: Boston FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Harbor

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	502	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	147
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	58%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,514
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	20%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	235
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	216	% of Child Caseload in Placement	15%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	31%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	853
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	105	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	38
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	44%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	135
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	55	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	54	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	3
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	2

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	820 27%	Spanish	611 20%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,368 45%	Khmer (Cambodian)	3 *
Black (1)	326 11%	Portuguese	12 *
Asian (1)	50 2%	Haitian Creole	10 *
Native American (1)	2 *	Cape Verdean Creole	1 *
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Vietnamese	2 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	47 2%	Chinese	6 *
Unable to Determine	128 4%	Lao	0 *
Missing	293 10%	American Sign Language	1 *
Total Consumers	3,034 100%	Other	30 *
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	2,358 78%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	3,034 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	199 85%	0 - 2 Years Old	41 17%
Alternative Response	18 8%	3 - 5 Years Old	42 18%
Voluntary Request	4 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	57 24%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	14 6%	12 - 17 Years Old	95 40%
Court Referral	0 *	Total Children in Placement	235 100%
Other/Unspecified	0 *		
Total Children in Placement	235 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	71 30%	.5 Years or Less	58 25%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	10 4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	64 27%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	23 10%	>1 Year - 2 Years	42 18%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	7 3%	>2 Years - 4 Years	41 17%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	30 13%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	63 27%	Total Children in Placement	235 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	25 11%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	2 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	19 8%	Male	118 50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	7 3%	Female	117 50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	6 3%	Total Children in Placement	235 100%
"On Run" from Placement	2 *		
Total Children in Placement	235 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	120 51%
White (1)	98 42%	Adoption	58 25%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	93 40%	Guardianship	20 9%
Black (1)	22 9%	APPLA (1)	18 8%
Asian (1)	3 1%	Permanent Care with Kin	10 4%
Native American (1)	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	7 3%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	2 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	6 3%	Total Children in Placement	235 100%
Unable to Determine	13 6%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>	
Total Children in Placement	235 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	935 73%	0 - 2 Years Old	224 18%
Alternative Response	256 20%	3 - 5 Years Old	241 19%
Voluntary Request	15 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	431 34%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	60 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	383 30%
Court Referral	10 *	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	3 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,279 100%
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DCF Region: Boston Hyde Park

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	598	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	187
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	65%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,327
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	3%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	222
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	267	% of Child Caseload in Placement	16%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	28%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	770
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	20	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	0
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	15%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	167
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	22%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	51	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	0
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	32	Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	3

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	230 9%	Spanish	118 5%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	589 23%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1 *
Black (1)	1,419 56%	Portuguese	0 *
Asian (1)	8 *	Haitian Creole	59 2%
Native American (1)	3 *	Cape Verdean Creole	20 *
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Vietnamese	1 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	34 1%	Chinese	1 *
Unable to Determine	79 3%	Lao	0 *
Missing	180 7%	American Sign Language	2 *
Total Consumers	2,542 100%	Other	35 1%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	2,305 91%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	2,542 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	184 83%	0 - 2 Years Old	36 16%
Alternative Response	7 3%	3 - 5 Years Old	25 11%
Voluntary Request	6 3%	6 - 11 Years Old	38 17%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	21 9%	12 - 17 Years Old	123 55%
Court Referral	3 1%	Total Children in Placement	222 100%
Other/Unspecified	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	222 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	77 35%	.5 Years or Less	101 45%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	0 *	>.5 Years - 1 Year	44 20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	38 17%	>1 Year - 2 Years	35 16%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	0 *	>2 Years - 4 Years	20 9%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	22 10%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	30 14%	Total Children in Placement	222 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	26 12%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	2 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	25 11%	Male	116 52%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	9 4%	Female	106 48%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	12 5%	Total Children in Placement	222 100%
"On Run" from Placement	3 1%		
Total Children in Placement	222 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	126 57%
White (1)	22 10%	Adoption	0 *
Hispanic/Latino (2)	44 20%	Guardianship	19 9%
Black (1)	131 59%	APPLA (1)	28 13%
Asian (1)	2 *	Permanent Care with Kin	15 7%
Native American (1)	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	21 9%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	13 6%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	11 5%	Total Children in Placement	222 100%
Unable to Determine	12 5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>	
Total Children in Placement	222 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	948 86%	0 - 2 Years Old	207 19%
Alternative Response	74 7%	3 - 5 Years Old	178 16%
Voluntary Request	12 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	368 33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	66 6%	12 - 17 Years Old	351 32%
Court Referral	5 *	Unspecified	1 *
Other/Unspecified	0 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,105 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,105 100%		

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DCF Region: Boston FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Park Street

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	547	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	103
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	66%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,665
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	3%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	331
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	245	% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	32%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	889
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	13	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	48
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	62%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	191
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	48	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	21%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	49	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	3
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	1

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	323 10%	Spanish	143 4%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	778 24%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0 *
Black (1)	1,615 50%	Portuguese	4 *
Asian (1)	98 3%	Haitian Creole	31 *
Native American (1)	1 *	Cape Verdean Creole	66 2%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Vietnamese	32 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	99 3%	Chinese	16 *
Unable to Determine	160 5%	Lao	0 *
Missing	164 5%	American Sign Language	0 *
Total Consumers	3,238 100%	Other	30 *
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	2,916 90%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	3,238 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	297 90%	0 - 2 Years Old	56 17%
Alternative Response	6 2%	3 - 5 Years Old	52 16%
Voluntary Request	2 *	6 - 11 Years Old	94 28%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	15 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	129 39%
Court Referral	8 2%	Total Children in Placement	331 100%
Other/Unspecified	3 *		
Total Children in Placement	331 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	109 33%	.5 Years or Less	97 29%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	18 5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	87 26%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	76 23%	>1 Year - 2 Years	80 24%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	9 3%	>2 Years - 4 Years	41 12%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	26 8%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	41 12%	Total Children in Placement	331 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	34 10%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	1 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	21 6%	Male	167 50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8 2%	Female	164 50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	7 2%	Total Children in Placement	331 100%
"On Run" from Placement	6 2%		
Total Children in Placement	331 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	171 52%
White (1)	44 13%	Adoption	66 20%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	80 24%	Guardianship	42 13%
Black (1)	167 50%	APPLA (1)	15 5%
Asian (1)	11 3%	Permanent Care with Kin	13 4%
Native American (1)	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	17 5%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	7 2%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	12 4%	Total Children in Placement	331 100%
Unable to Determine	17 5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>	
Total Children in Placement	331 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	1,150 86%	0 - 2 Years Old	280 21%
Alternative Response	124 9%	3 - 5 Years Old	231 17%
Voluntary Request	13 *	6 - 11 Years Old	461 35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	26 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	362 27%
Court Referral	21 2%	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	0 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,334 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,334 100%		

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FY 2015 - Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 - September 30, 2014)

DCF Region: Northern (regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted)

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	5,099	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	1,251
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	47%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	8,532
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	11%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	1,681
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	2,407	% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	19%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	4,952
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	538	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	325
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	44%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	972
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	320	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	352	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	11
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	16

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White ⁽¹⁾	7,588	44%	Spanish	1,279	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	5,149	30%	Khmer (Cambodian)	117	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,513	9%	Portuguese	143	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	551	3%	Haitian Creole	104	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	24	*	Cape Verdean Creole	9	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	6	*	Vietnamese	10	*
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	478	3%	Chinese	28	*
Unable to Determine	751	4%	Lao	5	*
Missing	1,335	8%	American Sign Language	15	*
Total Consumers	17,395	100%	Other	239	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	15,446	89%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	17,395	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	1,366	81%	0 - 2 Years Old	331	20%
Alternative Response	116	7%	3 - 5 Years Old	261	16%
Voluntary Request	55	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	361	21%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	74	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	728	43%
Court Referral	66	4%	Total Children in Placement	1,681	100%
Other/Unspecified	4	*			
Total Children in Placement	1,681	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	399	24%	.5 Years or Less	536	32%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	76	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	318	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	366	22%	>1 Year - 2 Years	359	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	67	4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	291	17%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	>4 Years	177	11%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	323	19%	Total Children in Placement	1,681	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	172	10%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	8	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	103	6%	Male	893	53%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	87	5%	Female	787	47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	5	*	Unspecified	1	*
Non-Referral Location	57	3%	Total Children in Placement	1,681	100%
"On Run" from Placement	17	1%			
Total Children in Placement	1,681	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification	784	47%
White ⁽¹⁾	776	46%	Adoption	428	25%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	532	32%	Guardianship	137	8%
Black ⁽¹⁾	135	8%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	107	6%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	51	3%	Permanent Care with Kin	107	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	-	*	Stabilize Intact Family	63	4%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	-	*	Unspecified as of run-date	55	3%
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	107	6%	Total Children in Placement	1,681	100%
Unable to Determine	80	5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	1,681	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 (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	4,956	72%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,417	21%
Alternative Response	1,349	20%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,218	18%
Voluntary Request	123	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	2,252	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	241	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	1,963	29%
Court Referral	162	2%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	20	*	Total Children Not in Placement	6,851	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	6,851	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern				FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)		Cambridge	
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	404			Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)		99	
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	47%			Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)		756	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	16%			Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)		118	
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	121			% of Child Caseload in Placement		15%	
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	18%			Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)		445	
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	52			Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)		21	
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	40%			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)		82	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	29			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases		18%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	33			Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)		0	
				Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)		0	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)							
Race (09/30/2014)				Primary Language (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	628	41%		Spanish	134	9%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	367	24%		Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*	
Black (1)	304	20%		Portuguese	10	*	
Asian (1)	15	*		Haitian Creole	27	2%	
Native American (1)	0	*		Cape Verdean Creole	6	*	
Pacific Islander(1)	1	*		Vietnamese	1	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	48	3%		Chinese	2	*	
Unable to Determine	64	4%		Lao	0	*	
Missing	90	6%		American Sign Language	0	*	
Total Consumers	1,517	100%		Other	24	2%	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>				English/Unspecified			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>				1,312 86%			
				Total Consumers			
				1,517 100%			
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement							
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)				Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	93	79%		0 - 2 Years Old	14	12%	
Alternative Response	14	12%		3 - 5 Years Old	12	10%	
Voluntary Request	3	3%		6 - 11 Years Old	22	19%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	5	4%		12 - 17 Years Old	70	59%	
Court Referral	3	3%		Total Children in Placement	118	100%	
Other/Unspecified	0	*					
Total Children in Placement	118	100%					
Placement Type (09/30/2014)				Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)			
Foster Care - Kinship	18	15%		.5 Years or Less	41	35%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	13	11%		>.5 Years - 1 Year	22	19%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	15	13%		>1 Year - 2 Years	12	10%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	6	5%		>2 Years - 4 Years	24	20%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*		>4 Years	19	16%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	21	18%		Total Children in Placement	118	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	17	14%					
Congregate Care - Continuum	1	*		Gender (09/30/2014)			
Congregate Care - Residential	12	10%		Male	64	54%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	9	8%		Female	54	46%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*		Unspecified	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	5	4%		Total Children in Placement	118	100%	
"On Run" from Placement	1	*					
Total Children in Placement	118	100%		Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)			
Race (09/30/2014)				Family Reunification			
White (1)	58	49%		Adoption	19	16%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	28	24%		Guardianship	13	11%	
Black (1)	21	18%		APPLA (1)	13	11%	
Asian (1)	1	*		Permanent Care with Kin	14	12%	
Native American (1)	0	*		Stabilize Intact Family	5	4%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*		Unspecified as of run-date	3	3%	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	6	5%		Total Children in Placement	118	100%	
Unable to Determine	4	3%		<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>			
Total Children in Placement	118	100%		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>				* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>							
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement							
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)				Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	434	68%		0 - 2 Years Old	130	20%	
Alternative Response	179	28%		3 - 5 Years Old	108	17%	
Voluntary Request	16	3%		6 - 11 Years Old	225	35%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	2	*		12 - 17 Years Old	175	27%	
Court Referral	4	*		Unspecified	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	3	*		Total Children Not in Placement	638	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	638	100%					

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DCF Region: Northern Cape Ann FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	606	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	113
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	41%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,010
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	19%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	166
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	194	% of Child Caseload in Placement	15%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	15%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	677
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	84	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	0
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	30%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	133
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	37	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	0
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	61	Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	5

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	1,354 61%	Spanish	71	3%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	417 19%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*	
Black (1)	111 5%	Portuguese	7	*	
Asian (1)	15 *	Haitian Creole	0	*	
Native American (1)	5 *	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*	
Pacific Islander(1)	1 *	Vietnamese	0	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	52 2%	Chinese	4	*	
Unable to Determine	70 3%	Lao	0	*	
Missing	182 8%	American Sign Language	2	*	
Total Consumers	2,207 100%	Other	14	*	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	2,108	96%	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	2,207	100%	

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	120 72%	0 - 2 Years Old	27	16%	
Alternative Response	27 16%	3 - 5 Years Old	20	12%	
Voluntary Request	8 5%	6 - 11 Years Old	35	21%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	1 *	12 - 17 Years Old	84	51%	
Court Referral	10 6%	Total Children in Placement	166	100%	
Other/Unspecified	0 *				
Total Children in Placement	166 100%				
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)			
Foster Care - Kinship	52 31%	5 Years or Less	78	47%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	10 6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	32	19%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	24 14%	>1 Year - 2 Years	25	15%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	2 1%	>2 Years - 4 Years	16	10%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	15	9%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	32 19%	Total Children in Placement	166	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	22 13%				
Congregate Care - Continuum	1 *	Gender (09/30/2014)			
Congregate Care - Residential	5 3%	Male	94	57%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	4 2%	Female	72	43%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2 1%	Unspecified	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	10 6%	Total Children in Placement	166	100%	
"On Run" from Placement	2 1%				
Total Children in Placement	166 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)			
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	105	63%	
White (1)	116 70%	Adoption	4	2%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	34 20%	Guardianship	11	7%	
Black (1)	6 4%	APPLA (1)	19	11%	
Asian (1)	1 *	Permanent Care with Kin	14	8%	
Native American (1)	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	6	4%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	7	4%	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	2 1%	Total Children in Placement	166	100%	
Unable to Determine	7 4%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>			
Total Children in Placement	166 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	516 61%	0 - 2 Years Old	174	21%	
Alternative Response	248 29%	3 - 5 Years Old	155	18%	
Voluntary Request	20 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	249	30%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	2 *	12 - 17 Years Old	266	32%	
Court Referral	57 7%	Unspecified	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	1 *	Total Children Not in Placement	844	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	844 100%				

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DCF Region: Northern Framingham FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	712	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	120
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	30%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,079
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	16%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	183
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	145	% of Child Caseload in Placement	16%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	14%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	622
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	114	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	42
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	58%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	99
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	43	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	47	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	1
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	0

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)				Primary Language (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	1,012	47%		Spanish	115	5%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	545	25%		Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*	
Black (1)	163	8%		Portuguese	69	3%	
Asian (1)	39	2%		Haitian Creole	8	*	
Native American (1)	0	*		Cape Verdean Creole	1	*	
Pacific Islander(1)	3	*		Vietnamese	1	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	41	2%		Chinese	10	*	
Unable to Determine	146	7%		Lao	0	*	
Missing	194	9%		American Sign Language	6	*	
Total Consumers	2,143	100%		Other	39	2%	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>				English/Unspecified	1,894	88%	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>				Total Consumers	2,143	100%	

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)				Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	133	73%		0 - 2 Years Old	36	20%	
Alternative Response	20	11%		3 - 5 Years Old	32	17%	
Voluntary Request	5	3%		6 - 11 Years Old	36	20%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	17	9%		12 - 17 Years Old	79	43%	
Court Referral	6	3%		Total Children in Placement	183	100%	
Other/Unspecified	2	1%					
Total Children in Placement	183	100%					
Placement Type (09/30/2014)				Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)			
Foster Care - Kinship	29	16%		.5 Years or Less	58	32%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	7	4%		>.5 Years - 1 Year	32	17%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	47	26%		>1 Year - 2 Years	37	20%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	12	7%		>2 Years - 4 Years	47	26%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*		>4 Years	9	5%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	30	16%		Total Children in Placement	183	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	18	10%					
Congregate Care - Continuum	2	1%		Gender (09/30/2014)			
Congregate Care - Residential	15	8%		Male	98	54%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	15	8%		Female	85	46%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*		Unspecified	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	8	4%		Total Children in Placement	183	100%	
"On Run" from Placement	0	*					
Total Children in Placement	183	100%		Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)			
Race (09/30/2014)				Family Reunification	84	46%	
White (1)	95	52%		Adoption	60	33%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	46	25%		Guardianship	12	7%	
Black (1)	17	9%		APPLA (1)	9	5%	
Asian (1)	2	1%		Permanent Care with Kin	6	3%	
Native American (1)	0	*		Stabilize Intact Family	7	4%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*		Unspecified as of run-date	5	3%	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	10	5%		Total Children in Placement	183	100%	
Unable to Determine	13	7%		<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>			
Total Children in Placement	183	100%		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>				* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>							

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)				Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	567	63%		0 - 2 Years Old	186	21%	
Alternative Response	283	32%		3 - 5 Years Old	156	17%	
Voluntary Request	1	*		6 - 11 Years Old	297	33%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	26	3%		12 - 17 Years Old	257	29%	
Court Referral	17	2%		Unspecified	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	2	*		Total Children Not in Placement	896	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	896	100%					

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DCF Region: Northern FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Haverhill

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	660	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	96
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	51%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	832
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	6%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	148
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	219	% of Child Caseload in Placement	17%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	19%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	469
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	26	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	25
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	35%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	80
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	30	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	17%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	23	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	0
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	0

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	1,032	60%	Spanish	62	4%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	365	21%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black (1)	73	4%	Portuguese	0	*
Asian (1)	1	*	Haitian Creole	1	*
Native American (1)	4	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	40	2%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	73	4%	Lao	0	*
Missing	142	8%	American Sign Language	0	*
Total Consumers	1,730	100%	Other	17	*
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			English/Unspecified	1,650	95%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			Total Consumers	1,730	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	132	89%	0 - 2 Years Old	31	21%
Alternative Response	6	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	23	16%
Voluntary Request	2	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	41	28%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	3	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	53	36%
Court Referral	5	3%	Total Children in Placement	148	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	148	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	52	35%	.5 Years or Less	45	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	0	*	>.5 Years - 1 Year	25	17%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	30	20%	>1 Year - 2 Years	31	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	2	1%	>2 Years - 4 Years	20	14%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	27	18%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	33	22%	Total Children in Placement	148	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	19	13%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	6	4%	Male	81	55%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	3	2%	Female	67	45%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Unspecified	0	*
Non-Referral Location	3	2%	Total Children in Placement	148	100%
"On Run" from Placement	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	148	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification	73	49%
White (1)	90	61%	Adoption	39	26%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	34	23%	Guardianship	13	9%
Black (1)	9	6%	APPLA (1)	7	5%
Asian (1)	0	*	Permanent Care with Kin	12	8%
Native American (1)	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	3	2%
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	1	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	7	5%	Total Children in Placement	148	100%
Unable to Determine	8	5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>		
Total Children in Placement	148	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	520	76%	0 - 2 Years Old	147	21%
Alternative Response	98	14%	3 - 5 Years Old	116	17%
Voluntary Request	10	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	223	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	42	6%	12 - 17 Years Old	198	29%
Court Referral	13	2%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	684	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	684	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern Lawrence			
FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)			
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	588	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	330
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	54%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	911
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	16%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	204
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	237	% of Child Caseload in Placement	22%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	14%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	506
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	86	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	37
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	19%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	106
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	27	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	21%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	25	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	0
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	2
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)			
Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	377 20%	Spanish	402 21%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,252 67%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1 *
Black (1)	70 4%	Portuguese	2 *
Asian (1)	6 *	Haitian Creole	1 *
Native American (1)	1 *	Cape Verdean Creole	0 *
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Vietnamese	0 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	15 *	Chinese	0 *
Unable to Determine	59 3%	Lao	0 *
Missing	91 5%	American Sign Language	2 *
Total Consumers	1,871 100%	Other	10 *
(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	1,453 78%
(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	1,871 100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	172 84%	0 - 2 Years Old	40 20%
Alternative Response	12 6%	3 - 5 Years Old	40 20%
Voluntary Request	5 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	46 23%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	11 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	78 38%
Court Referral	4 2%	Total Children in Placement	204 100%
Other/Unspecified	0 *		
Total Children in Placement	204 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	44 22%	.5 Years or Less	57 28%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	14 7%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	41 20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	74 36%	>1 Year - 2 Years	53 26%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	3 1%	>2 Years - 4 Years	36 18%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	17 8%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	23 11%	Total Children in Placement	204 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	12 6%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	1 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	20 10%	Male	104 51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	5 2%	Female	100 49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	4 2%	Total Children in Placement	204 100%
"On Run" from Placement	4 2%		
Total Children in Placement	204 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	
White (1)	46 23%	102 50%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	139 68%	Adoption	
Black (1)	3 1%	49 24%	
Asian (1)	1 *	Guardianship	
Native American (1)	0 *	17 8%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	APPLA (1)	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	5 2%	8 4%	
Unable to Determine	10 5%	Permanent Care with Kin	
Total Children in Placement	204 100%	12 6%	
(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino		Stabilize Intact Family	
(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races		7 3%	
		Unspecified as of run-date	
		9 4%	
		Total Children in Placement	
		204 100%	
		(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 (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	506 72%	0 - 2 Years Old	140 20%
Alternative Response	112 16%	3 - 5 Years Old	122 17%
Voluntary Request	6 *	6 - 11 Years Old	230 33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	65 9%	12 - 17 Years Old	215 30%
Court Referral	13 2%	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	5 *	Total Children Not in Placement	707 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	707 100%		

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FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)

DCF Region: Northern Lowell

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	1,008	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	294
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	51%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,792
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	12%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	339
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	419	% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	26%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	962
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	97	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	64
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	56%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	194
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	76	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	3
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	76	Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	8

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	1,412	40%	Spanish	143	4%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,024	29%	Khmer (Cambodian)	95	3%
Black (1)	180	5%	Portuguese	8	*
Asian (1)	383	11%	Haitian Creole	0	*
Native American (1)	12	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander(1)	1	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	101	3%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	100	3%	Lao	5	*
Missing	322	9%	American Sign Language	4	*
Total Consumers	3,535	100%	Other	66	2%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			English/Unspecified	3,214	91%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			Total Consumers	3,535	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	295	87%	0 - 2 Years Old	71	21%
Alternative Response	10	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	56	17%
Voluntary Request	7	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	67	20%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	16	5%	12 - 17 Years Old	145	43%
Court Referral	9	3%	Total Children in Placement	339	100%
Other/Unspecified	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	339	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	105	31%	.5 Years or Less	111	33%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	12	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	63	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	88	26%	>1 Year - 2 Years	72	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	12	4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	52	15%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	41	12%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	37	11%	Total Children in Placement	339	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	37	11%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	16	5%	Male	155	46%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	16	5%	Female	183	54%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	*	Unspecified	1	*
Non-Referral Location	10	3%	Total Children in Placement	339	100%
"On Run" from Placement	4	1%			
Total Children in Placement	339	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification	151	45%
White (1)	138	41%	Adoption	74	22%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	108	32%	Guardianship	48	14%
Black (1)	18	5%	APPLA (1)	16	5%
Asian (1)	37	11%	Permanent Care with Kin	16	5%
Native American (1)	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	13	4%
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	21	6%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	25	7%	Total Children in Placement	339	100%
Unable to Determine	13	4%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>		
Total Children in Placement	339	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	1,190	82%	0 - 2 Years Old	327	23%
Alternative Response	180	12%	3 - 5 Years Old	283	19%
Voluntary Request	41	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	484	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	32	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	358	25%
Court Referral	8	*	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	2	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,453	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,453	100%			

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DCF Region: Northern Lynn FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	546	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	90
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	45%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,259
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	11%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	357
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	170	% of Child Caseload in Placement	27%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	22%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	693
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	63	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	113
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	59%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	156
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	41	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	23%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	39	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	4
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	1

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	873 35%	Spanish	278 11%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	825 33%	Khmer (Cambodian)	19 *
Black (1)	309 12%	Portuguese	3 *
Asian (1)	53 2%	Haitian Creole	15 *
Native American (1)	0 *	Cape Verdean Creole	0 *
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Vietnamese	6 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	132 5%	Chinese	0 *
Unable to Determine	169 7%	Lao	0 *
Missing	139 6%	American Sign Language	1 *
Total Consumers	2,500 100%	Other	38 2%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	2,140 86%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	2,500 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	300 84%	0 - 2 Years Old	93 26%
Alternative Response	16 4%	3 - 5 Years Old	62 17%
Voluntary Request	14 4%	6 - 11 Years Old	83 23%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	19 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	119 33%
Court Referral	8 2%	Total Children in Placement	357 100%
Other/Unspecified	0 *		
Total Children in Placement	357 100%		

Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	75 21%	.5 Years or Less	95 27%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	15 4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	69 19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	63 18%	>1 Year - 2 Years	92 26%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	27 8%	>2 Years - 4 Years	71 20%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1 *	>4 Years	30 8%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	103 29%	Total Children in Placement	357 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	21 6%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	2 *		
Congregate Care - Residential	10 3%		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	20 6%		
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1 *		
Non-Referral Location	16 4%		
"On Run" from Placement	3 *		
Total Children in Placement	357 100%		

Race (09/30/2014)		Gender (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	139 39%	Male	201 56%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	110 31%	Female	156 44%
Black (1)	42 12%	Unspecified	0 *
Asian (1)	4 1%	Total Children in Placement	357 100%
Native American (1)	0 *		
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *		
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	42 12%		
Unable to Determine	20 6%		
Total Children in Placement	357 100%		
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Family Reunification	138 39%
		Adoption	166 46%
		Guardianship	8 2%
		APPLA (1)	18 5%
		Permanent Care with Kin	8 2%
		Stabilize Intact Family	11 3%
		Unspecified as of run-date	8 2%
		Total Children in Placement	357 100%
		<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>	
		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 (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	620 69%	0 - 2 Years Old	187 21%
Alternative Response	189 21%	3 - 5 Years Old	162 18%
Voluntary Request	9 *	6 - 11 Years Old	297 33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	66 7%	12 - 17 Years Old	256 28%
Court Referral	13 1%	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	5 *	Total Children Not in Placement	902 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	902 100%		

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DCF Region: Northern				FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)		Malden	
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	575			Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	109		
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	55%			Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	888		
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	3%			Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	166		
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	224			% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%		
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	20%			Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	576		
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	16			Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	23		
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	50%			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	122		
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	37			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	21%		
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	47			Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	3		
				Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	0		
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)							
Race (09/30/2014)				Primary Language (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	893	47%		Spanish	74	4%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	353	19%		Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*	
Black (1)	303	16%		Portuguese	44	2%	
Asian (1)	39	2%		Haitian Creole	52	3%	
Native American (1)	1	*		Cape Verdean Creole	2	*	
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*		Vietnamese	2	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	49	3%		Chinese	12	*	
Unable to Determine	70	4%		Lao	0	*	
Missing	173	9%		American Sign Language	0	*	
Total Consumers	1,881	100%		Other	31	2%	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>				English/Unspecified	1,664	88%	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>				Total Consumers	1,881	100%	
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement							
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)				Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	121	73%		0 - 2 Years Old	19	11%	
Alternative Response	11	7%		3 - 5 Years Old	16	10%	
Voluntary Request	11	7%		6 - 11 Years Old	31	19%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	2	1%		12 - 17 Years Old	100	60%	
Court Referral	21	13%		Total Children in Placement	166	100%	
Other/Unspecified	0	*					
Total Children in Placement	166	100%					
Placement Type (09/30/2014)				Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)			
Foster Care - Kinship	24	14%		.5 Years or Less	51	31%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	5	3%		>.5 Years - 1 Year	34	20%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	25	15%		>1 Year - 2 Years	37	22%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	3	2%		>2 Years - 4 Years	25	15%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*		>4 Years	19	11%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	44	27%		Total Children in Placement	166	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	26	16%					
Congregate Care - Continuum	1	*		Gender (09/30/2014)			
Congregate Care - Residential	19	11%		Male	96	58%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	15	9%		Female	70	42%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*		Unspecified	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	1	*		Total Children in Placement	166	100%	
"On Run" from Placement	3	2%					
Total Children in Placement	166	100%		Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)			
Race (09/30/2014)				Family Reunification	80	48%	
White (1)	94	57%		Adoption	17	10%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	33	20%		Guardianship	15	9%	
Black (1)	19	11%		APPLA (1)	17	10%	
Asian (1)	5	3%		Permanent Care with Kin	25	15%	
Native American (1)	0	*		Stabilize Intact Family	11	7%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*		Unspecified as of run-date	1	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	10	6%		Total Children in Placement	166	100%	
Unable to Determine	5	3%		<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>			
Total Children in Placement	166	100%		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>				* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>							
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement							
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)				Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	599	83%		0 - 2 Years Old	126	17%	
Alternative Response	60	8%		3 - 5 Years Old	115	16%	
Voluntary Request	20	3%		6 - 11 Years Old	247	34%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	5	*		12 - 17 Years Old	234	32%	
Court Referral	37	5%		Unspecified	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	1	*		Total Children Not in Placement	722	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	722	100%					

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DCF Region: Southern (regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies)					
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	5,606		Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)		1,178
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	53%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)		11,205
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	11%		Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)		2,298
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	2,107		% of Child Caseload in Placement		20%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	24%		Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)		6,347
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	551		Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)		490
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	40%		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)		1,167
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	406		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases		18%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	431		Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)		27
			Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)		12
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	12,567	53%	Spanish	612	3%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	3,162	13%	Khmer (Cambodian)	15	*
Black (1)	3,155	13%	Portuguese	178	*
Asian (1)	180	*	Haitian Creole	118	*
Native American (1)	88	*	Cape Verdean Creole	165	*
Pacific Islander(1)	9	*	Vietnamese	9	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	1,033	4%	Chinese	27	*
Unable to Determine	1,145	5%	Lao	0	*
Missing	2,163	9%	American Sign Language	8	*
Total Consumers	23,502	100%	Other	272	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	22,098	94%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	23,502	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	2,020	88%	0 - 2 Years Old	588	26%
Alternative Response	112	5%	3 - 5 Years Old	386	17%
Voluntary Request	31	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	521	23%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	82	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	803	35%
Court Referral	45	2%	Total Children in Placement	2,298	100%
Other/Unspecified	8	*			
Total Children in Placement	2,298	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	744	32%	.5 Years or Less	695	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	101	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	521	23%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	585	25%	>1 Year - 2 Years	538	23%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	101	4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	376	16%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	168	7%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	310	13%	Total Children in Placement	2,298	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	181	8%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	114	5%	Male	1,211	53%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	100	4%	Female	1,087	47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	3	*	Unspecified	0	*
Non-Referral Location	37	2%	Total Children in Placement	2,298	100%
"On Run" from Placement	22	*			
Total Children in Placement	2,298	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification	1,120	49%
White (1)	1,285	56%	Adoption	622	27%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	292	13%	Guardianship	217	9%
Black (1)	297	13%	APPLA (1)	137	6%
Asian (1)	12	*	Permanent Care with Kin	71	3%
Native American (1)	10	*	Stabilize Intact Family	82	4%
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	49	2%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	232	10%	Total Children in Placement	2,298	100%
Unable to Determine	170	7%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	2,298	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 (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	6,844	77%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,991	22%
Alternative Response	1,542	17%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,651	19%
Voluntary Request	95	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	2,835	32%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	266	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	2,428	27%
Court Referral	149	2%	Unspecified	2	*
Other/Unspecified	11	*	Total Children Not in Placement	8,907	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	8,907	100%			

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DCF Region: Southern		Arlington	
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	581	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	117
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	33%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	853
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	18%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	188
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	153	% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	15%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	532
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	97	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	28
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	35%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	112
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	45	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	21%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	38	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	1
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	2
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)			
Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	911 48%	Spanish	149 8%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	345 18%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0 *
Black (1)	236 13%	Portuguese	7 *
Asian (1)	57 3%	Haitian Creole	16 *
Native American (1)	2 *	Cape Verdean Creole	4 *
Pacific Islander(1)	1 *	Vietnamese	5 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	65 3%	Chinese	9 *
Unable to Determine	101 5%	Lao	0 *
Missing	164 9%	American Sign Language	0 *
Total Consumers	1,882 100%	Other	21 1%
(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	1,671 89%
(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	1,882 100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	142 76%	0 - 2 Years Old	33 18%
Alternative Response	17 9%	3 - 5 Years Old	22 12%
Voluntary Request	7 4%	6 - 11 Years Old	45 24%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	16 9%	12 - 17 Years Old	88 47%
Court Referral	5 3%	Total Children in Placement	188 100%
Other/Unspecified	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	188 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	59 31%	.5 Years or Less	63 34%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	15 8%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	48 26%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	29 15%	>1 Year - 2 Years	53 28%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	8 4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	17 9%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	7 4%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	26 14%	Total Children in Placement	188 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	23 12%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	0 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	13 7%	Male	100 53%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	7 4%	Female	88 47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	6 3%	Total Children in Placement	188 100%
"On Run" from Placement	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	188 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	95 51%	Family Reunification	87 46%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	27 14%	Adoption	32 17%
Black (1)	32 17%	Guardianship	38 20%
Asian (1)	6 3%	APPLA (1)	13 7%
Native American (1)	0 *	Permanent Care with Kin	8 4%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	4 2%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	13 7%	Unspecified as of run-date	6 3%
Unable to Determine	15 8%	Total Children in Placement	188 100%
Total Children in Placement	188 100%	(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 (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	431 65%	0 - 2 Years Old	144 22%
Alternative Response	185 28%	3 - 5 Years Old	112 17%
Voluntary Request	7 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	207 31%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	34 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	201 30%
Court Referral	5 *	Unspecified	1 *
Other/Unspecified	3 *	Total Children Not in Placement	665 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	665 100%		

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DCF Region: Southern				FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)		Brockton	
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	695			Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	123		
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	53%			Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,448		
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	7%			Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	281		
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	248			% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%		
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	25%			Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	775		
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	44			Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	55		
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	36%			Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	145		
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	50			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%		
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	51			Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	5		
				Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	1		
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)							
Race (09/30/2014)				Primary Language (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	969	32%		Spanish	71	2%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	356	12%		Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*	
Black (1)	1,063	35%		Portuguese	13	*	
Asian (1)	7	*		Haitian Creole	72	2%	
Native American (1)	9	*		Cape Verdean Creole	96	3%	
Pacific Islander(1)	1	*		Vietnamese	0	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	159	5%		Chinese	3	*	
Unable to Determine	149	5%		Lao	0	*	
Missing	355	12%		American Sign Language	0	*	
Total Consumers	3,068	100%		Other	26	*	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>				<small>English/Unspecified</small>			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>				Total Consumers			
					2,787	91%	
					3,068	100%	
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement							
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)				Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	249	89%		0 - 2 Years Old	67	24%	
Alternative Response	11	4%		3 - 5 Years Old	43	15%	
Voluntary Request	0	*		6 - 11 Years Old	70	25%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	17	6%		12 - 17 Years Old	101	36%	
Court Referral	3	1%		Total Children in Placement	281	100%	
Other/Unspecified	1	*					
Total Children in Placement	281	100%					
Placement Type (09/30/2014)				Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)			
Foster Care - Kinship	81	29%		.5 Years or Less	79	28%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	10	4%		>.5 Years - 1 Year	60	21%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	55	20%		>1 Year - 2 Years	67	24%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	18	6%		>2 Years - 4 Years	58	21%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*		>4 Years	17	6%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	72	26%		Total Children in Placement	281	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	13	5%					
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*		Gender (09/30/2014)			
Congregate Care - Residential	10	4%		Male	142	51%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	14	5%		Female	139	49%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*		Unspecified	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	5	2%		Total Children in Placement	281	100%	
"On Run" from Placement	3	1%					
Total Children in Placement	281	100%		Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)			
Race (09/30/2014)							
White (1)	113	40%		Family Reunification	145	52%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	28	10%		Adoption	74	26%	
Black (1)	91	32%		Guardianship	34	12%	
Asian (1)	1	*		APPLA (1)	12	4%	
Native American (1)	0	*		Permanent Care with Kin	8	3%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*		Stabilize Intact Family	5	2%	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	40	14%		Unspecified as of run-date	3	1%	
Unable to Determine	8	3%		Total Children in Placement	281	100%	
Total Children in Placement	281	100%		<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>			
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>				Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>				* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement							
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)				Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	967	83%		0 - 2 Years Old	271	23%	
Alternative Response	129	11%		3 - 5 Years Old	226	19%	
Voluntary Request	11	*		6 - 11 Years Old	360	31%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	54	5%		12 - 17 Years Old	310	27%	
Court Referral	5	*		Unspecified	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	1	*		Total Children Not in Placement	1,167	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	1,167	100%					

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DCF Region: Southern		FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)		Cape Cod	
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	708	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	138		
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	47%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,071		
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	9%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	243		
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	211	% of Child Caseload in Placement	22%		
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	18%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	686		
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	63	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	40		
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	46%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	140		
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	47	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%		
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	46	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	0		
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	0		
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	1,398	61%	Spanish	21	*
Hispanic/Latino (2)	181	8%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black (1)	168	7%	Portuguese	14	*
Asian (1)	4	*	Haitian Creole	3	*
Native American (1)	33	1%	Cape Verdean Creole	7	*
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	134	6%	Chinese	2	*
Unable to Determine	98	4%	Lao	0	*
Missing	265	12%	American Sign Language	0	*
Total Consumers	2,281	100%	Other	34	1%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			English/Unspecified	2,200	96%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			Total Consumers	2,281	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	198	81%	0 - 2 Years Old	56	23%
Alternative Response	19	8%	3 - 5 Years Old	43	18%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	49	20%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	8	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	95	39%
Court Referral	16	7%	Total Children in Placement	243	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	243	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	65	27%	.5 Years or Less	69	28%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	15	6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	56	23%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	56	23%	>1 Year - 2 Years	64	26%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	11	5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	43	18%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	11	5%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	42	17%	Total Children in Placement	243	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	16	7%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	19	8%	Male	132	54%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	11	5%	Female	111	46%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	*	Unspecified	0	*
Non-Referral Location	3	1%	Total Children in Placement	243	100%
"On Run" from Placement	3	1%			
Total Children in Placement	243	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)					
White (1)	148	61%	Family Reunification	139	57%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	26	11%	Adoption	49	20%
Black (1)	10	4%	Guardianship	18	7%
Asian (1)	0	*	APPLA (1)	19	8%
Native American (1)	4	2%	Permanent Care with Kin	6	2%
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	5	2%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	35	14%	Unspecified as of run-date	7	3%
Unable to Determine	20	8%	Total Children in Placement	243	100%
Total Children in Placement	243	100%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>		
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	591	71%	0 - 2 Years Old	179	22%
Alternative Response	180	22%	3 - 5 Years Old	149	18%
Voluntary Request	3	*	6 - 11 Years Old	265	32%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	15	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	235	28%
Court Referral	39	5%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	0	*	Total Children Not in Placement	828	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	828	100%			

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DCF Region: Southern		Coastal	
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	670	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	158
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	50%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	959
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	18%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	239
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	234	% of Child Caseload in Placement	25%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	21%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	606
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	107	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	54
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	47%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	131
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	48	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	22%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	47	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	6
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	4
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)			
Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	1,192 58%	Spanish	19 *
Hispanic/Latino (2)	160 8%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0 *
Black (1)	327 16%	Portuguese	15 *
Asian (1)	46 2%	Haitian Creole	18 *
Native American (1)	9 *	Cape Verdean Creole	6 *
Pacific Islander(1)	2 *	Vietnamese	4 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	94 5%	Chinese	13 *
Unable to Determine	56 3%	Lao	0 *
Missing	179 9%	American Sign Language	1 *
Total Consumers	2,065 100%	Other	38 2%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	1,951 94%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	2,065 100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	200 84%	0 - 2 Years Old	63 26%
Alternative Response	18 8%	3 - 5 Years Old	41 17%
Voluntary Request	8 3%	6 - 11 Years Old	43 18%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	10 4%	12 - 17 Years Old	92 38%
Court Referral	2 *	Total Children in Placement	239 100%
Other/Unspecified	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	239 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	89 37%	.5 Years or Less	75 31%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	13 5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	66 28%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	53 22%	>1 Year - 2 Years	47 20%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	15 6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	34 14%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	17 7%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	27 11%	Total Children in Placement	239 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	18 8%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	0 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	12 5%	Male	128 54%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8 3%	Female	111 46%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	3 1%	Total Children in Placement	239 100%
"On Run" from Placement	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	239 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	146 61%	Family Reunification	112 47%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	17 7%	Adoption	54 23%
Black (1)	42 18%	Guardianship	29 12%
Asian (1)	1 *	APPLA (1)	18 8%
Native American (1)	2 *	Permanent Care with Kin	9 4%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	12 5%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	28 12%	Unspecified as of run-date	5 2%
Unable to Determine	3 1%	Total Children in Placement	239 100%
Total Children in Placement	239 100%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	513 71%	0 - 2 Years Old	130 18%
Alternative Response	156 22%	3 - 5 Years Old	121 17%
Voluntary Request	20 3%	6 - 11 Years Old	231 32%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	30 4%	12 - 17 Years Old	238 33%
Court Referral	1 *	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	0 *	Total Children Not in Placement	720 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	720 100%		

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DCF Region: Southeastern FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Fall River

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	747	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	168
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	69%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,669
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	9%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	432
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	376	% of Child Caseload in Placement	25%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	32%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	916
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	69	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	95
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	30%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	214
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	67	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	23%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	65	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	3
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	2

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	1,847	55%	Spanish	84	3%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	475	14%	Khmer (Cambodian)	14	*
Black (1)	337	10%	Portuguese	43	1%
Asian (1)	27	*	Haitian Creole	4	*
Native American (1)	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	11	*
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	147	4%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	182	5%	Lao	0	*
Missing	331	10%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	3,348	100%	Other	41	1%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			English/Unspecified	3,149	94%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			Total Consumers	3,348	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	401	93%	0 - 2 Years Old	122	28%
Alternative Response	10	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	89	21%
Voluntary Request	8	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	87	20%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	9	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	134	31%
Court Referral	3	*	Total Children in Placement	432	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	432	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	168	39%	.5 Years or Less	130	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	4	*	>.5 Years - 1 Year	96	22%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	139	32%	>1 Year - 2 Years	83	19%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	9	2%	>2 Years - 4 Years	70	16%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	53	12%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	27	6%	Total Children in Placement	432	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	36	8%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	18	4%	Male	239	55%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	18	4%	Female	193	45%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Unspecified	0	*
Non-Referral Location	6	1%	Total Children in Placement	432	100%
"On Run" from Placement	7	2%			
Total Children in Placement	432	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification	209	48%
White (1)	249	58%	Adoption	127	29%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	60	14%	Guardianship	40	9%
Black (1)	35	8%	APPLA (1)	26	6%
Asian (1)	2	*	Permanent Care with Kin	9	2%
Native American (1)	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	12	3%
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	9	2%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	32	7%	Total Children in Placement	432	100%
Unable to Determine	54	13%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>		
Total Children in Placement	432	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	1,034	84%	0 - 2 Years Old	303	24%
Alternative Response	130	11%	3 - 5 Years Old	250	20%
Voluntary Request	20	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	403	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	31	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	281	23%
Court Referral	21	2%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,237	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,237	100%			

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DCF Region: Southern New Bedford FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) New Bedford

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	908	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	214
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	70%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	2,562
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	6%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	427
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	421	% of Child Caseload in Placement	16%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	30%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	1,335
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	62	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	105
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	37%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	185
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	14%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	74	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	1
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	69	Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	1

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	2,537 48%	Spanish	236	4%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,243 23%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*	
Black (1)	678 13%	Portuguese	60	1%	
Asian (1)	12 *	Haitian Creole	3	*	
Native American (1)	20 *	Cape Verdean Creole	35	*	
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Vietnamese	0	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	192 4%	Chinese	0	*	
Unable to Determine	191 4%	Lao	0	*	
Missing	445 8%	American Sign Language	2	*	
Total Consumers	5,318 100%	Other	58	1%	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	4,924	93%	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	5,318	100%	

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	399 93%	0 - 2 Years Old	116	27%	
Alternative Response	11 3%	3 - 5 Years Old	67	16%	
Voluntary Request	2 *	6 - 11 Years Old	118	28%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	11 3%	12 - 17 Years Old	126	30%	
Court Referral	2 *	Total Children in Placement	427	100%	
Other/Unspecified	2 *				
Total Children in Placement	427 100%				
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)			
Foster Care - Kinship	121 28%	.5 Years or Less	118	28%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	19 4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	83	19%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	115 27%	>1 Year - 2 Years	116	27%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	19 4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	75	18%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	35	8%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	69 16%	Total Children in Placement	427	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	36 8%				
Congregate Care - Continuum	0 *	Gender (09/30/2014)			
Congregate Care - Residential	16 4%	Male	222	52%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	19 4%	Female	205	48%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	7 2%	Total Children in Placement	427	100%	
"On Run" from Placement	6 1%				
Total Children in Placement	427 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)			
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	192	45%	
White (1)	204 48%	Adoption	143	33%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	94 22%	Guardianship	27	6%	
Black (1)	59 14%	APPLA (1)	20	5%	
Asian (1)	0 *	Permanent Care with Kin	10	2%	
Native American (1)	3 *	Stabilize Intact Family	22	5%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	13	3%	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	41 10%	Total Children in Placement	427	100%	
Unable to Determine	26 6%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>			
Total Children in Placement	427 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	1,739 81%	0 - 2 Years Old	493	23%	
Alternative Response	325 15%	3 - 5 Years Old	432	20%	
Voluntary Request	13 *	6 - 11 Years Old	649	30%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	45 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	560	26%	
Court Referral	10 *	Unspecified	1	*	
Other/Unspecified	3 *	Total Children Not in Placement	2,135	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	2,135 100%				

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FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)

DCF Region: Southern Plymouth

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	697	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	117
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	48%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,310
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	9%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	239
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	233	% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	22%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	728
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	48	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	58
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	42%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	114
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	58	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	46	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	5
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	2

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	1,979 72%	Spanish	6 *
Hispanic/Latino (2)	126 5%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0 *
Black (1)	152 6%	Portuguese	14 *
Asian (1)	3 *	Haitian Creole	0 *
Native American (1)	10 *	Cape Verdean Creole	1 *
Pacific Islander(1)	5 *	Vietnamese	0 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	140 5%	Chinese	0 *
Unable to Determine	112 4%	Lao	0 *
Missing	219 8%	American Sign Language	0 *
Total Consumers	2,746 100%	Other	30 1%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	2,695 98%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	2,746 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	217 91%	0 - 2 Years Old	74 31%
Alternative Response	10 4%	3 - 5 Years Old	42 18%
Voluntary Request	1 *	6 - 11 Years Old	50 21%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	1 *	12 - 17 Years Old	73 31%
Court Referral	9 4%	Total Children in Placement	239 100%
Other/Unspecified	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	239 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	76 32%	.5 Years or Less	89 37%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	14 6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	60 25%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	75 31%	>1 Year - 2 Years	42 18%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	10 4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	31 13%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	17 7%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	24 10%	Total Children in Placement	239 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	17 7%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	0 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	10 4%	Male	127 53%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8 3%	Female	112 47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	4 2%	Total Children in Placement	239 100%
"On Run" from Placement	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	239 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	132 55%
White (1)	176 74%	Adoption	62 26%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	8 3%	Guardianship	5 2%
Black (1)	16 7%	APPLA (1)	13 5%
Asian (1)	0 *	Permanent Care with Kin	11 5%
Native American (1)	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	13 5%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	3 1%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	27 11%	Total Children in Placement	239 100%
Unable to Determine	12 5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>	
Total Children in Placement	239 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	823 77%	0 - 2 Years Old	229 21%
Alternative Response	198 18%	3 - 5 Years Old	183 17%
Voluntary Request	1 *	6 - 11 Years Old	360 34%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	19 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	299 28%
Court Referral	28 3%	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	2 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,071 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,071 100%		

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DCF Region: Southern FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Taunton/Attleboro

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	600	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	143
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	55%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,315
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	11%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	246
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	231	% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	22%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	757
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	61	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	55
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	43%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	124
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	42	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	42	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	6
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	0

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	1,722	63%	Spanish	25	*
Hispanic/Latino (2)	269	10%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*
Black (1)	191	7%	Portuguese	12	*
Asian (1)	24	*	Haitian Creole	2	*
Native American (1)	3	*	Cape Verdean Creole	5	*
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	100	4%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	251	9%	Lao	0	*
Missing	195	7%	American Sign Language	3	*
Total Consumers	2,755	100%	Other	22	*
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			English/Unspecified	2,685	97%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			Total Consumers	2,755	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	212	86%	0 - 2 Years Old	56	23%
Alternative Response	16	7%	3 - 5 Years Old	38	15%
Voluntary Request	4	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	59	24%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	9	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	93	38%
Court Referral	5	2%	Total Children in Placement	246	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	246	100%			

Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	83	34%	.5 Years or Less	69	28%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	11	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	52	21%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	63	26%	>1 Year - 2 Years	66	27%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	11	4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	48	20%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	11	4%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	23	9%	Total Children in Placement	246	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	22	9%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*			
Congregate Care - Residential	16	7%			
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	15	6%			
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*			
Non-Referral Location	2	*			
"On Run" from Placement	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	246	100%			

Race (09/30/2014)			Gender (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	153	62%	Male	120	49%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	32	13%	Female	126	51%
Black (1)	12	5%	Unspecified	0	*
Asian (1)	2	*	Total Children in Placement	246	100%
Native American (1)	1	*			
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*			
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	16	7%			
Unable to Determine	30	12%			
Total Children in Placement	246	100%			
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>					
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Family Reunification	101	41%
Adoption	81	33%
Guardianship	26	11%
APPLA (1)	16	7%
Permanent Care with Kin	10	4%
Stabilize Intact Family	9	4%
Unspecified as of run-date	3	1%
Total Children in Placement	246	100%

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 (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	731	68%	0 - 2 Years Old	242	23%
Alternative Response	239	22%	3 - 5 Years Old	173	16%
Voluntary Request	20	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	354	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	38	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	300	28%
Court Referral	40	4%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,069	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,069	100%			

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DCF Region: Western (regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies data)					
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	7,237		Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	1,711	
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	62%		Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	19,076	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	11%		Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	3,346	
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	3,255		% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%	
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	27%		Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	9,743	
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	698		Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	708	
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	50%		Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	1,626	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	531		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	17%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	513		Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	51	
			Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	49	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	16,364	43%	Spanish	2,426	6%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	11,910	31%	Khmer (Cambodian)	5	*
Black (1)	3,222	9%	Portuguese	64	*
Asian (1)	235	*	Haitian Creole	18	*
Native American (1)	56	*	Cape Verdean Creole	4	*
Pacific Islander(1)	19	*	Vietnamese	40	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	911	2%	Chinese	10	*
Unable to Determine	1,468	4%	Lao	5	*
Missing	3,630	10%	American Sign Language	25	*
Total Consumers	37,815	100%	Other	576	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	34,642	92%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	37,815	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	2,967	89%	0 - 2 Years Old	753	23%
Alternative Response	147	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	570	17%
Voluntary Request	91	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	825	25%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	83	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	1,198	36%
Court Referral	46	1%	Total Children in Placement	3,346	100%
Other/Unspecified	12	*			
Total Children in Placement	3,346	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	931	28%	.5 Years or Less	1,053	31%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	198	6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	640	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	852	25%	>1 Year - 2 Years	827	25%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	247	7%	>2 Years - 4 Years	527	16%
Foster Care - Independent Living	4	*	>4 Years	299	9%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	518	15%	Total Children in Placement	3,346	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	270	8%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	7	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	87	3%	Male	1,744	52%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	122	4%	Female	1,601	48%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	4	*	Unspecified	1	*
Non-Referral Location	69	2%	Total Children in Placement	3,346	100%
"On Run" from Placement	37	1%			
Total Children in Placement	3,346	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)					
White (1)	1,643	49%	Family Reunification	1,510	45%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,023	31%	Adoption	1,007	30%
Black (1)	284	8%	Guardianship	234	7%
Asian (1)	11	*	APPLA (1)	159	5%
Native American (1)	3	*	Permanent Care with Kin	155	5%
Pacific Islander(1)	1	*	Stabilize Intact Family	185	6%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	210	6%	Unspecified as of run-date	96	3%
Unable to Determine	171	5%	Total Children in Placement	3,346	100%
Total Children in Placement	3,346	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 (12/31/2014)			Age Groups (12/31/2014)		
Protective	11,847	75%	0 - 2 Years Old	3,172	20%
Alternative Response	3,189	20%	3 - 5 Years Old	2,985	19%
Voluntary Request	236	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	5,323	34%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	267	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	4,249	27%
Court Referral	162	1%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	29	*	Total Children Not in Placement	15,730	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	15,730	100%			

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DCF Region: Western FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Greenfield

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	687	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	147
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	43%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,221
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	18%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	356
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	211	% of Child Caseload in Placement	28%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	17%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	701
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	99	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	87
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	44%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	158
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	37	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	23%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	41	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	4
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	1

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)			
White (1)	1,580 62%	Spanish	55	2%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	314 12%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*	
Black (1)	118 5%	Portuguese	0	*	
Asian (1)	13 *	Haitian Creole	0	*	
Native American (1)	4 *	Cape Verdean Creole	2	*	
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Vietnamese	0	*	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	73 3%	Chinese	2	*	
Unable to Determine	122 5%	Lao	0	*	
Missing	343 13%	American Sign Language	1	*	
Total Consumers	2,567 100%	Other	53	2%	
(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	2,453	96%	
(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	2,567	100%	

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	305 86%	0 - 2 Years Old	76	21%	
Alternative Response	27 8%	3 - 5 Years Old	66	19%	
Voluntary Request	8 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	100	28%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	10 3%	12 - 17 Years Old	114	32%	
Court Referral	2 *	Total Children in Placement	356	100%	
Other/Unspecified	4 1%				
Total Children in Placement	356 100%				
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)			
Foster Care - Kinship	112 31%	5 Years or Less	103	29%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	35 10%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	68	19%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	78 22%	>1 Year - 2 Years	104	29%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	41 12%	>2 Years - 4 Years	51	14%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	3 *	>4 Years	30	8%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	35 10%	Total Children in Placement	356	100%	
Congregate Care - Group Home	25 7%				
Congregate Care - Continuum	0 *	Gender (09/30/2014)			
Congregate Care - Residential	8 2%	Male	194	54%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	9 3%	Female	162	46%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	0	*	
Non-Referral Location	7 2%	Total Children in Placement	356	100%	
"On Run" from Placement	3 *				
Total Children in Placement	356 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)			
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	146	41%	
White (1)	248 70%	Adoption	121	34%	
Hispanic/Latino (2)	44 12%	Guardianship	17	5%	
Black (1)	17 5%	APPLA (1)	16	4%	
Asian (1)	0 *	Permanent Care with Kin	25	7%	
Native American (1)	1 *	Stabilize Intact Family	14	4%	
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	17	5%	
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	22 6%	Total Children in Placement	356	100%	
Unable to Determine	24 7%	(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement			
Total Children in Placement	356 100%	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 (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)			
Protective	591 68%	0 - 2 Years Old	179	21%	
Alternative Response	235 27%	3 - 5 Years Old	168	19%	
Voluntary Request	15 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	279	32%	
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	16 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	239	28%	
Court Referral	5 *	Unspecified	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	3 *	Total Children Not in Placement	865	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	865 100%				

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DCF Region: Western **FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)** **Holyoke**

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	700	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	195
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	74%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,535
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	3%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	275
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	390	% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	27%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	818
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	23	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	49
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	39%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	143
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	37	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	17%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	39	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	7
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	2

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	1,122	36%	Spanish	306	10%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,350	43%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*
Black (1)	128	4%	Portuguese	0	*
Asian (1)	17	*	Haitian Creole	0	*
Native American (1)	8	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	39	1%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	134	4%	Lao	0	*
Missing	341	11%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	3,139	100%	Other	53	2%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			English/Unspecified	2,778	88%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			Total Consumers	3,139	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	245	89%	0 - 2 Years Old	55	20%
Alternative Response	14	5%	3 - 5 Years Old	47	17%
Voluntary Request	3	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	63	23%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	9	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	110	40%
Court Referral	3	1%	Total Children in Placement	275	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	275	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	72	26%	.5 Years or Less	87	32%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	8	3%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	55	20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	83	30%	>1 Year - 2 Years	65	24%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	23	8%	>2 Years - 4 Years	33	12%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	35	13%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	32	12%	Total Children in Placement	275	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	29	11%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	8	3%	Male	152	55%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	14	5%	Female	123	45%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Unspecified	0	*
Non-Referral Location	3	1%	Total Children in Placement	275	100%
"On Run" from Placement	3	1%			
Total Children in Placement	275	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification	118	43%
White (1)	109	40%	Adoption	85	31%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	132	48%	Guardianship	16	6%
Black (1)	14	5%	APPLA (1)	15	5%
Asian (1)	1	*	Permanent Care with Kin	19	7%
Native American (1)	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	16	6%
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	6	2%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	6	2%	Total Children in Placement	275	100%
Unable to Determine	13	5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>		
Total Children in Placement	275	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	1,007	80%	0 - 2 Years Old	274	22%
Alternative Response	197	16%	3 - 5 Years Old	265	21%
Voluntary Request	19	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	414	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	15	1%	12 - 17 Years Old	307	24%
Court Referral	21	2%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,260	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,260	100%			

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DCF Region: Western		FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014)		North Central	
51A Reports (Q1'2015)	820	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	215		
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	64%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	2,716		
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	11%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	505		
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	348	% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%		
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	28%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	1,353		
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	69	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	97		
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	52%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	225		
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	57	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	17%		
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	64	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	3		
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	6		
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	2,865	52%	Spanish	315	6%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,472	27%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black (1)	241	4%	Portuguese	10	*
Asian (1)	55	1%	Haitian Creole	4	*
Native American (1)	10	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander(1)	2	*	Vietnamese	2	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	125	2%	Chinese	8	*
Unable to Determine	169	3%	Lao	4	*
Missing	530	10%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	5,469	100%	Other	65	1%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			English/Unspecified	5,060	93%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			Total Consumers	5,469	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	467	92%	0 - 2 Years Old	128	25%
Alternative Response	13	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	88	17%
Voluntary Request	13	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	127	25%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	2	*	12 - 17 Years Old	162	32%
Court Referral	9	2%	Total Children in Placement	505	100%
Other/Unspecified	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	505	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	193	38%	.5 Years or Less	168	33%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	19	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	103	20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	137	27%	>1 Year - 2 Years	136	27%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	47	9%	>2 Years - 4 Years	67	13%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	31	6%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	33	7%	Total Children in Placement	505	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	39	8%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	6	1%	Male	273	54%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	17	3%	Female	232	46%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	*	Unspecified	0	*
Non-Referral Location	11	2%	Total Children in Placement	505	100%
"On Run" from Placement	2	*			
Total Children in Placement	505	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification		
White (1)	275	54%	Adoption	159	31%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	158	31%	Guardianship	35	7%
Black (1)	21	4%	APPLA (1)	17	3%
Asian (1)	1	*	Permanent Care with Kin	5	*
Native American (1)	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	20	4%
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	5	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	26	5%	Total Children in Placement	505	100%
Unable to Determine	24	5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>		
Total Children in Placement	505	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	1,624	73%	0 - 2 Years Old	440	20%
Alternative Response	493	22%	3 - 5 Years Old	407	18%
Voluntary Request	63	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	795	36%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	12	*	12 - 17 Years Old	569	26%
Court Referral	18	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	2,211	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	2,211	100%			

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DCF Region: Western FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Pittsfield

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	812	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	164
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	35%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,397
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	9%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	353
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	282	% of Child Caseload in Placement	25%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	19%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	776
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	47	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	82
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	34%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	172
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	52	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	22%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	57	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	5
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	3

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	1,901 68%	Spanish	26 *
Hispanic/Latino (2)	189 7%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0 *
Black (1)	157 6%	Portuguese	1 *
Asian (1)	1 *	Haitian Creole	0 *
Native American (1)	2 *	Cape Verdean Creole	0 *
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Vietnamese	0 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	182 7%	Chinese	0 *
Unable to Determine	68 2%	Lao	0 *
Missing	300 11%	American Sign Language	1 *
Total Consumers	2,800 100%	Other	37 1%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	2,735 98%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	2,800 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	299 85%	0 - 2 Years Old	83 24%
Alternative Response	22 6%	3 - 5 Years Old	65 18%
Voluntary Request	19 5%	6 - 11 Years Old	88 25%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	2 *	12 - 17 Years Old	117 33%
Court Referral	11 3%	Total Children in Placement	353 100%
Other/Unspecified	0 *		
Total Children in Placement	353 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	121 34%	.5 Years or Less	104 29%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	37 10%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	54 15%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	96 27%	>1 Year - 2 Years	101 29%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	7 2%	>2 Years - 4 Years	76 22%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1 *	>4 Years	18 5%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	35 10%	Total Children in Placement	353 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	29 8%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	1 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	9 3%	Male	180 51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	12 3%	Female	172 49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	1 *
Non-Referral Location	4 1%	Total Children in Placement	353 100%
"On Run" from Placement	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	353 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	133 38%
White (1)	229 65%	Adoption	113 32%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	32 9%	Guardianship	53 15%
Black (1)	12 3%	APPLA (1)	12 3%
Asian (1)	0 *	Permanent Care with Kin	15 4%
Native American (1)	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	19 5%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	8 2%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	65 18%	Total Children in Placement	353 100%
Unable to Determine	15 4%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>	
Total Children in Placement	353 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	882 84%	0 - 2 Years Old	243 23%
Alternative Response	124 12%	3 - 5 Years Old	233 22%
Voluntary Request	16 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	349 33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	4 *	12 - 17 Years Old	219 21%
Court Referral	15 1%	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	3 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,044 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,044 100%		

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DCF Region: Western FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) South Central

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	843	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	225
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	52%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,854
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	18%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	342
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	325	% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	24%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	1,003
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	155	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	79
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	46%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	167
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	69	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	17%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	61	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	4
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	6

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	2,333	61%	Spanish	141	4%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	694	18%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black (1)	94	2%	Portuguese	22	*
Asian (1)	5	*	Haitian Creole	0	*
Native American (1)	4	*	Cape Verdean Creole	0	*
Pacific Islander(1)	6	*	Vietnamese	0	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	87	2%	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	134	4%	Lao	1	*
Missing	458	12%	American Sign Language	3	*
Total Consumers	3,815	100%	Other	49	1%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			English/Unspecified	3,599	94%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			Total Consumers	3,815	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	303	89%	0 - 2 Years Old	89	26%
Alternative Response	19	6%	3 - 5 Years Old	56	16%
Voluntary Request	11	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	83	24%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	8	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	114	33%
Court Referral	1	*	Total Children in Placement	342	100%
Other/Unspecified	0	*			
Total Children in Placement	342	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	119	35%	.5 Years or Less	103	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	17	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	62	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	73	21%	>1 Year - 2 Years	95	28%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	41	12%	>2 Years - 4 Years	53	15%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	29	8%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	28	8%	Total Children in Placement	342	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	35	10%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	13	4%	Male	174	51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8	2%	Female	168	49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0	*	Unspecified	0	*
Non-Referral Location	7	2%	Total Children in Placement	342	100%
"On Run" from Placement	1	*			
Total Children in Placement	342	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification	154	45%
White (1)	244	71%	Adoption	109	32%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	53	15%	Guardianship	34	10%
Black (1)	15	4%	APPLA (1)	14	4%
Asian (1)	1	*	Permanent Care with Kin	9	3%
Native American (1)	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	10	3%
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	12	4%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	11	3%	Total Children in Placement	342	100%
Unable to Determine	18	5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>		
Total Children in Placement	342	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	993	66%	0 - 2 Years Old	290	19%
Alternative Response	424	28%	3 - 5 Years Old	271	18%
Voluntary Request	38	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	522	35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	28	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	429	28%
Court Referral	27	2%	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	2	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,512	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,512	100%			

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DCF Region: Western FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Springfield

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	1,078	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	263
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	80%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	3,195
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	6%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	431
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	649	% of Child Caseload in Placement	13%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	37%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	1,425
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	43	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	97
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	56%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	195
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	92	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	14%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	99	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	4
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	6

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)			Primary Language (09/30/2014)		
White (1)	668	11%	Spanish	779	13%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	3,229	54%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0	*
Black (1)	1,061	18%	Portuguese	2	*
Asian (1)	17	*	Haitian Creole	0	*
Native American (1)	4	*	Cape Verdean Creole	1	*
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Vietnamese	8	*
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	59	*	Chinese	0	*
Unable to Determine	283	5%	Lao	0	*
Missing	630	11%	American Sign Language	4	*
Total Consumers	5,951	100%	Other	91	2%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			English/Unspecified	5,066	85%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			Total Consumers	5,951	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	390	90%	0 - 2 Years Old	79	18%
Alternative Response	12	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	71	16%
Voluntary Request	11	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	108	25%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	14	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	173	40%
Court Referral	1	*	Total Children in Placement	431	100%
Other/Unspecified	3	*			
Total Children in Placement	431	100%			
Placement Type (09/30/2014)			Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)		
Foster Care - Kinship	90	21%	.5 Years or Less	123	29%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	22	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	77	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	109	25%	>1 Year - 2 Years	89	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	25	6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	86	20%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	>4 Years	56	13%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	102	24%	Total Children in Placement	431	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	32	7%			
Congregate Care - Continuum	0	*	Gender (09/30/2014)		
Congregate Care - Residential	16	4%	Male	223	52%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	10	2%	Female	208	48%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	*	Unspecified	0	*
Non-Referral Location	10	2%	Total Children in Placement	431	100%
"On Run" from Placement	13	3%			
Total Children in Placement	431	100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)		
Race (09/30/2014)			Family Reunification	165	38%
White (1)	67	16%	Adoption	135	31%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	229	53%	Guardianship	20	5%
Black (1)	92	21%	APPLA (1)	28	6%
Asian (1)	3	*	Permanent Care with Kin	25	6%
Native American (1)	0	*	Stabilize Intact Family	34	8%
Pacific Islander(1)	0	*	Unspecified as of run-date	24	6%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	18	4%	Total Children in Placement	431	100%
Unable to Determine	22	5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>		
Total Children in Placement	431	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)			Age Groups (09/30/2014)		
Protective	2,221	80%	0 - 2 Years Old	576	21%
Alternative Response	483	17%	3 - 5 Years Old	529	19%
Voluntary Request	8	*	6 - 11 Years Old	904	33%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	42	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	755	27%
Court Referral	1	*	Unspecified	0	*
Other/Unspecified	9	*	Total Children Not in Placement	2,764	100%
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DCF Region: Western NY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Robert Van Wart

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	931	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	216
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	48%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	3,041
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	15%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	342
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	348	% of Child Caseload in Placement	11%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	24%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	1,564
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	139	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	91
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	63%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	164
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	10%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	71	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	11
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	66	Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	9

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	2,478 41%	Spanish	284 5%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,919 32%	Khmer (Cambodian)	2 *
Black (1)	579 10%	Portuguese	2 *
Asian (1)	23 *	Haitian Creole	0 *
Native American (1)	9 *	Cape Verdean Creole	0 *
Pacific Islander(1)	8 *	Vietnamese	0 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	133 2%	Chinese	0 *
Unable to Determine	277 5%	Lao	0 *
Missing	612 10%	American Sign Language	1 *
Total Consumers	6,038 100%	Other	70 1%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	5,679 94%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	6,038 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	299 87%	0 - 2 Years Old	83 24%
Alternative Response	22 6%	3 - 5 Years Old	55 16%
Voluntary Request	5 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	80 23%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	13 4%	12 - 17 Years Old	124 36%
Court Referral	2 *	Total Children in Placement	342 100%
Other/Unspecified	1 *		
Total Children in Placement	342 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	59 17%	.5 Years or Less	98 29%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	19 6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	66 19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	84 25%	>1 Year - 2 Years	92 27%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	24 7%	>2 Years - 4 Years	52 15%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	34 10%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	76 22%	Total Children in Placement	342 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	36 11%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	1 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	12 4%	Male	168 49%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	14 4%	Female	174 51%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	10 3%	Total Children in Placement	342 100%
"On Run" from Placement	6 2%		
Total Children in Placement	342 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	129 38%
White (1)	161 47%	Adoption	109 32%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	106 31%	Guardianship	26 8%
Black (1)	31 9%	APPLA (1)	18 5%
Asian (1)	2 *	Permanent Care with Kin	18 5%
Native American (1)	1 *	Stabilize Intact Family	35 10%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	7 2%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	18 5%	Total Children in Placement	342 100%
Unable to Determine	23 7%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>	
Total Children in Placement	342 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	1,888 70%	0 - 2 Years Old	547 20%
Alternative Response	734 27%	3 - 5 Years Old	509 19%
Voluntary Request	19 *	6 - 11 Years Old	930 34%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	40 1%	12 - 17 Years Old	713 26%
Court Referral	16 *	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	2 *	Total Children Not in Placement	2,699 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	2,699 100%		

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DCF Region: Western FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Worcester East

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	723	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	127
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	60%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	2,354
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	11%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	397
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	370	% of Child Caseload in Placement	17%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	29%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	1,170
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	81	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	60
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	56%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	218
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	65	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	45	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	6
		Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	9

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	1,893 42%	Spanish	310 7%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,611 35%	Khmer (Cambodian)	0 *
Black (1)	522 11%	Portuguese	11 *
Asian (1)	52 1%	Haitian Creole	11 *
Native American (1)	8 *	Cape Verdean Creole	1 *
Pacific Islander(1)	2 *	Vietnamese	14 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	136 3%	Chinese	0 *
Unable to Determine	131 3%	Lao	0 *
Missing	194 4%	American Sign Language	13 *
Total Consumers	4,549 100%	Other	96 2%
(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	4,093 90%
(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	4,549 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	359 90%	0 - 2 Years Old	80 20%
Alternative Response	10 3%	3 - 5 Years Old	68 17%
Voluntary Request	10 3%	6 - 11 Years Old	82 21%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	9 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	167 42%
Court Referral	7 2%	Total Children in Placement	397 100%
Other/Unspecified	2 *		
Total Children in Placement	397 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	93 23%	.5 Years or Less	131 33%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	26 7%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	90 23%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	79 20%	>1 Year - 2 Years	85 21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	21 5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	58 15%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	33 8%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	110 28%	Total Children in Placement	397 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	29 7%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	2 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	8 2%	Male	200 50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	21 5%	Female	197 50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	5 1%	Total Children in Placement	397 100%
"On Run" from Placement	3 *		
Total Children in Placement	397 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	219 55%
White (1)	164 41%	Adoption	86 22%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	141 36%	Guardianship	14 4%
Black (1)	47 12%	APPLA (1)	18 5%
Asian (1)	2 *	Permanent Care with Kin	21 5%
Native American (1)	1 *	Stabilize Intact Family	25 6%
Pacific Islander(1)	1 *	Unspecified as of run-date	14 4%
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	28 7%	Total Children in Placement	397 100%
Unable to Determine	13 3%	(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	
Total Children in Placement	397 100%	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 (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	1,515 77%	0 - 2 Years Old	354 18%
Alternative Response	310 16%	3 - 5 Years Old	350 18%
Voluntary Request	32 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	680 35%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	67 3%	12 - 17 Years Old	572 29%
Court Referral	27 1%	Unspecified	1 *
Other/Unspecified	6 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,957 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,957 100%		

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DCF Region: Western FY 2015, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014) Worcester West

51A Reports (Q1'2015)	643	Children <18 Pending Response (09/30/2014)	159
% Screened-In for Investigation (Q1'2015)	73%	Children Under 18 in Caseload (09/30/2014)	1,745
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (Q1'2015)	5%	Children Under 18 in Placement (09/30/2014)	342
Investigations (Q1'2015) (includes Hotline)	331	% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%
% Supported Investigations (Q1'2015)	33%	Clinical Cases (09/30/2014)	922
Initial Assessments (Q1'2015)	42	Adoption Cases (09/30/2014)	66
% Concern Found (Q1'2015)	40%	Clinical Cases w/Child <18 in Plcme (09/30/2014)	181
		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	50	Adoptions Legalized (Q1'2015)	7
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jul-Sept 2014)	42	Guardianships Legalized (Q1'2015)	7

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (09/30/2014)		Primary Language (09/30/2014)	
White (1)	1,513 44%	Spanish	210 6%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	1,119 32%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1 *
Black (1)	315 9%	Portuguese	16 *
Asian (1)	52 2%	Haitian Creole	3 *
Native American (1)	7 *	Cape Verdean Creole	0 *
Pacific Islander(1)	1 *	Vietnamese	16 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	77 2%	Chinese	0 *
Unable to Determine	146 4%	Lao	0 *
Missing	218 6%	American Sign Language	0 *
Total Consumers	3,448 100%	Other	62 2%
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		English/Unspecified	3,140 91%
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>		Total Consumers	3,448 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	297 87%	0 - 2 Years Old	80 23%
Alternative Response	8 2%	3 - 5 Years Old	54 16%
Voluntary Request	11 3%	6 - 11 Years Old	93 27%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	16 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	115 34%
Court Referral	10 3%	Total Children in Placement	342 100%
Other/Unspecified	0 *		
Total Children in Placement	342 100%		
Placement Type (09/30/2014)		Continuous Time in Placement (09/30/2014)	
Foster Care - Kinship	71 21%	.5 Years or Less	135 39%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	15 4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	65 19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	113 33%	>1 Year - 2 Years	60 18%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	18 5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	50 15%
Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	>4 Years	32 9%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	66 19%	Total Children in Placement	342 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	16 5%		
Congregate Care - Continuum	3 *	Gender (09/30/2014)	
Congregate Care - Residential	6 2%	Male	180 53%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	17 5%	Female	162 47%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	0 *	Unspecified	0 *
Non-Referral Location	12 4%	Total Children in Placement	342 100%
"On Run" from Placement	5 1%		
Total Children in Placement	342 100%	Service Plan Goal (09/30/2014)	
Race (09/30/2014)		Family Reunification	180 53%
White (1)	146 43%	Adoption	90 26%
Hispanic/Latino (2)	127 37%	Guardianship	19 6%
Black (1)	34 10%	APPLA (1)	20 6%
Asian (1)	1 *	Permanent Care with Kin	18 5%
Native American (1)	0 *	Stabilize Intact Family	12 4%
Pacific Islander(1)	0 *	Unspecified as of run-date	3 *
Multi-Racial (1) (3)	16 5%	Total Children in Placement	342 100%
Unable to Determine	18 5%	<small>(1) Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement</small>	
Total Children in Placement	342 100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
<small>(1) Excluding Hispanic/Latino</small>		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
<small>(2) Hispanic/Latino includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races</small>			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (09/30/2014)		Age Groups (09/30/2014)	
Protective	1,113 79%	0 - 2 Years Old	264 19%
Alternative Response	189 13%	3 - 5 Years Old	249 18%
Voluntary Request	26 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	447 32%
CRA Referral (Children Requiring Assistance)	41 3%	12 - 17 Years Old	443 32%
Court Referral	32 2%	Unspecified	0 *
Other/Unspecified	2 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,403 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,403 100%		