

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)											
Statewide Totals											
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	51A Report			18,339	91%	258	79%				
	Voluntary Application			33	*	27	8%				
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			1,083	5%	35	11%				
	Institutional Abuse			83	*	3	1%				
	Other/Unspecified			722	4%	2	1%				
	Total Not In-Placement			20,260	100%	325	100%				
	31. Race (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	White ⁽¹⁾			6,450	32%	106	33%				
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			7,343	36%	111	34%				
	Black ⁽¹⁾			3,003	15%	66	20%				
	Asian ⁽¹⁾			289	1%	4	1%				
	Native American ⁽¹⁾			33	*	0	*				
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾			5	*	0	*				
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾ (3)			1,268	6%	26	8%				
	Unable to Determine/Declined			723	4%	10	3%				
	Missing			1,146	6%	2	1%				
	Total Not In-Placement			20,260	100%	325	100%				
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18					
	Asexual			112	1%	2	1%				
Bisexual			100	1%	21	6%					
Does not wish to answer			4,190	25%	58	18%					
Gay			31	*	5	2%					
Lesbian			28	*	3	1%					
Missing			2,564	15%	12	4%					
Not Listed/Other			1,871	11%	26	8%					
Pansexual/Omnisexual			13	*	1	*					
Queer			8	*	0	*					
Questioning			82	*	4	1%					
Straight/Heterosexual			8,066	47%	193	59%					
Total Not In-Placement			17,065	100%	325	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)			9		26						
32. Age Group (03/31/26)								Child<18		Youth >= 18	
0 - 2 Years Old								3,191	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	221 68%
3 - 5 Years Old								3,303	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	50 15%
6 - 11 Years Old								6,853	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	40 12%
12 - 17 Years Old								6,909	34%	24 and Older	14 4%
Unspecified								4	*		
Total Not In-Placement								20,260	100%	325	100%
33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)								Child <18		Youth >= 18	
Female								9,850	49%	169	52%
Intersex								1	*	1	*
Male								9,966	49%	154	47%
Missing								443	2%	1	*
Total Not In-Placement								20,260	100%	325	100%
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)								Child 3-17		Youth >= 18	
Androgynous								5	*	0	*
Does not wish to answer								394	2%	8	2%
Female								6,965	41%	148	46%
Gender Nonconforming								19	*	1	*
Genderqueer								3	*	0	*
Male								7,042	41%	136	42%
Missing								2,304	14%	11	3%
Non-Binary								32	*	6	2%
Not Listed/Other								241	1%	6	2%
Questioning								29	*	3	1%
Transgender (Female to Male)								27	*	3	1%
Transgender (Male to Female)								4	*	3	1%
Two Spirit								0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement								17,065	100%	325	100%
Children and Youth Not In-Placement											

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DCF Region: Boston					Boston					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				2,168	91%	42	86%		
	Voluntary Application				3	*	3	6%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				89	4%	4	8%		
	Institutional Abuse				11	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				101	4%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				2,372	100%	49	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				179	8%	5	10%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				934	39%	17	35%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Black ⁽¹⁾				901	38%	21	43%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				24	1%	0	*		
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				3	*	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ^{(1),(3)}				110	5%	3	6%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				82	3%	3	6%		
	Missing				139	6%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				2,372	100%	49	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				27	1%	1	2%		
	Bisexual				12	1%	0	*		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Does not wish to answer				538	28%	9	18%		
	Gay				2	*	1	2%		
	Lesbian				1	*	0	*		
	Missing				277	14%	1	2%		
	Not Listed/Other				226	12%	5	10%		
	Pansexual/Omnisexual				0	*	0	*		
	Queer				2	*	0	*		
	Questioning				10	1%	0	*		
	Straight/Heterosexual				855	44%	32	65%		
	Total Not In-Placement				1,950	100%	49	100%		
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				2		3				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18			
	0 - 2 Years Old				422	18%	18 - 19 Years Old	34	69%	
	3 - 5 Years Old				390	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	3	6%	
	6 - 11 Years Old				775	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	11	22%	
	12 - 17 Years Old				785	33%	24 and Older	1	2%	
	Unspecified				0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement				2,372	100%	49	100%		
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	Female				1,163	49%	28	57%		
	Intersex				1	*	0	*		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Male				1,155	49%	21	43%		
	Missing				53	2%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				2,372	100%	49	100%		
	34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Does not wish to answer				70	4%	1	2%		
	Female				803	41%	25	51%		
	Gender Nonconforming				1	*	0	*		
	Genderqueer				1	*	0	*		
	Male				793	41%	20	41%		
	Missing				259	13%	1	2%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Non-Binary				3	*	0	*		
	Not Listed/Other				15	1%	2	4%		
	Questioning				1	*	0	*		
	Transgender (Female to Male)				4	*	0	*		
	Two Spirit				0	*	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				1,950	100%	49	100%		

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DCF Region: Boston					Harbor						
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
	51A Report	576	91%	10	83%						
	Voluntary Application	2	*	0	*						
	Court Referral/CRA Referral	11	2%	2	17%						
	Other/Unspecified	42	7%	0	*						
	Total Not In-Placement		631	100%	12	100%					
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
	White ⁽¹⁾	46	7%	2	17%						
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	403	64%	8	67%						
	Black ⁽¹⁾	74	12%	1	8%						
	Asian ⁽¹⁾	8	1%	0	*						
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	22	3%	1	8%						
	Unable to Determine/Declined	34	5%	0	*						
	Missing	44	7%	0	*						
	Total Not In-Placement		631	100%	12	100%					
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
	Asexual	1	*	0	*						
	Bisexual	5	1%	0	*						
	Does not wish to answer	170	33%	1	8%						
	Gay	1	*	1	8%						
	Missing	77	15%	0	*						
	Not Listed/Other	51	10%	1	8%						
	Queer	1	*	0	*						
	Questioning	3	1%	0	*						
	Straight/Heterosexual	207	40%	9	75%						
	Total Not In-Placement		516	100%	12	100%					
	37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		1		1							
32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		18 - 19 Years Old		Youth >= 18			
0 - 2 Years Old		115	18%			12		100%			
3 - 5 Years Old		103	16%								
6 - 11 Years Old		208	33%								
12 - 17 Years Old		205	32%								
Unspecified		0	*								
Total Not In-Placement		631	100%			12		100%			
33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18					
Female		293	46%	9		75%					
Intersex		1	*	0		*					
Male		315	50%	3		25%					
Missing		22	3%	0		*					
Total Not In-Placement		631	100%	12		100%					
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18					
Does not wish to answer		36	7%	0		*					
Female		194	38%	10		83%					
Gender Nonconforming		1	*	0		*					
Genderqueer		1	*	0		*					
Male		204	40%	2		17%					
Missing		71	14%	0		*					
Non-Binary		1	*	0		*					
Not Listed/Other		5	1%	0		*					
Questioning		1	*	0		*					
Transgender (Female to Male)		2	*	0		*					
Two Spirit		0	*	0		*					
Total Not In-Placement		516	100%	12		100%					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement											

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Boston					Jackson Square					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				375	91%	9	100%		
	Voluntary Application				1	*	0	*		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				23	6%	0	*		
	Institutional Abuse				1	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				14	3%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				414	100%	9	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				45	11%	1	11%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				145	35%	2	22%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18			
	0 - 2 Years Old				82	20%	18 - 19 Years Old	4	44%	
	3 - 5 Years Old				63	15%	20 - 21 Years Old	1	11%	
	6 - 11 Years Old				127	31%	22 - 23 Years Old	4	44%	
	12 - 17 Years Old				142	34%				
	Unspecified				0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement				414	100%	9	100%		
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	Female				205	50%	4	44%		
	Male				198	48%	5	56%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Does not wish to answer				8	2%	1	11%		
	Female				140	42%	3	33%		
	Male				151	45%	4	44%		
	Missing				29	9%	0	*		
	Non-Binary				2	1%	0	*		
	Not Listed/Other				2	1%	1	11%		
	Two Spirit				0	*	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				332	100%	9	100%		
	Children and Youth Not In-Placement	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18		
Asexual				2	1%	1	11%			
Bisexual				3	1%	0	*			
Does not wish to answer				111	33%	1	11%			
Missing				29	9%	0	*			
Not Listed/Other				38	11%	2	22%			
Questioning				2	1%	0	*			
Straight/Heterosexual				147	44%	5	56%			
Total Not In-Placement				332	100%	9	100%			
Children and Youth Not In-Placement		37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18		
	688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				1		1			

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DCF Region: Boston					Riverway					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				545	91%	10	91%		
	Voluntary Application				0	*	1	9%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				31	5%	0	*		
	Institutional Abuse				4	1%	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				20	3%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				600	100%	11	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				47	8%	0	*		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				188	31%	2	18%		
	Black ⁽¹⁾				271	45%	7	64%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				7	1%	0	*		
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				1	*	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				38	6%	1	9%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				27	5%	1	9%		
	Missing				21	4%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				600	100%	11	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				4	1%	0	*		
	Bisexual				1	*	0	*		
Does not wish to answer				139	28%	4	36%			
Gay				1	*	0	*			
Missing				71	14%	0	*			
Not Listed/Other				85	17%	0	*			
Pansexual/Omnisexual				0	*	0	*			
Questioning				1	*	0	*			
Straight/Heterosexual				201	40%	7	64%			
Total Not In-Placement				503	100%	11	100%			
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				0		1				
32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18				
0 - 2 Years Old				97	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	5	45%		
3 - 5 Years Old				104	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	1	9%		
6 - 11 Years Old				208	35%	22 - 23 Years Old	4	36%		
12 - 17 Years Old				191	32%	24 and Older	1	9%		
Unspecified				0	*					
Total Not In-Placement				600	100%		11	100%		
33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
Female				308	51%	6	55%			
Male				281	47%	5	45%			
Missing				11	2%	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement				600	100%		11	100%		
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
Does not wish to answer				16	3%	0	*			
Female				224	45%	5	45%			
Male				191	38%	6	55%			
Missing				66	13%	0	*			
Not Listed/Other				5	1%	0	*			
Transgender (Female to Male)				1	*	0	*			
Two Spirit				0	*	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement				503	100%		11	100%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement										

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DCF Region: Central Ma						Central Ma				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18				
	51A Report			5,098	92%	57	81%			
	Voluntary Application			3	*	4	6%			
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			185	3%	7	10%			
	Institutional Abuse			18	*	1	1%			
	Other/Unspecified			221	4%	1	1%			
	Total Not In-Placement			5,525	100%	70	100%			
	31. Race (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18				
	White ⁽¹⁾			2,069	37%	26	37%			
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			2,049	37%	31	44%			
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)			Child<18		Youth >= 18				
	0 - 2 Years Old			840	15%	18 - 19 Years Old	55	79%		
	3 - 5 Years Old			930	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	8	11%		
	6 - 11 Years Old			1,949	35%	22 - 23 Years Old	4	6%		
	12 - 17 Years Old			1,806	33%	24 and Older	3	4%		
	Unspecified			0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement			5,525	100%	70	100%			
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18				
	Female			2,672	48%	39	56%			
	Male			2,751	50%	31	44%			
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
	Does not wish to answer			84	2%	0	*			
	Female			1,933	41%	34	49%			
	Gender Nonconforming			10	*	1	1%			
	Male			1,967	42%	29	41%			
	Missing			610	13%	4	6%			
	Non-Binary			3	*	0	*			
	Not Listed/Other			63	1%	0	*			
	Questioning			10	*	1	1%			
	Transgender (Female to Male)			3	*	1	1%			
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
	Asexual			17	*	1	1%			
	Bisexual			34	1%	5	7%			
	Does not wish to answer			1,117	24%	14	20%			
	Gay			9	*	3	4%			
	Lesbian			10	*	0	*			
	Missing			663	14%	4	6%			
	Not Listed/Other			516	11%	3	4%			
	Pansexual/Omnisexual			4	*	0	*			
	Queer			2	*	0	*			
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18				
	688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)			3		3				
	Total Not In-Placement			4,685	100%	70	100%			
	Total Not In-Placement			4,685	100%	70	100%			
	Total Not In-Placement			4,685	100%	70	100%			
	Total Not In-Placement			4,685	100%	70	100%			
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DCF Region: Central Ma						Framingham										
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2026, Q3)				874		7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (03/31/26)						78			
	Screened-In for Response				341		39%		8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (03/31/26) Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement Consumer Children <18 In-Placement Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC) Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC) 9. Consumer Youth >= 18 in Caseload (03/31/26) 10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (03/31/26) Total Consumers							
	Screened-Out				461		53%									
	Screened-Out DA Referral				72		8%									
	2. Responses (FY'2026, Q3) (includes Hotline)				289											
	Supported				83		29%									
	Substantiated Concern				87		30%									
	Unsupported				119		41%									
	3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2026, Q3)				218		of 289								75%	
	Emergency Responses (5 business days)				39		of 41								95%	
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				179		of 248		72%								
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 03/31/26)						7.8%										
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 03/31/26)						2.32%										
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 03/31/26)						22.54		per 100,000 days								
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (03/31/26)				599		15. Adoption Cases (03/31/26)						40			
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				511		85%		16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2026, Q3) Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal 17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2026, Q3) Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.							
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				88		15%									
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan - Mar 2026)				41		1									
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Jan - Mar 2026)				42												
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18		Adults							
	White ⁽¹⁾				321		31%		28		35%		402		36%	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				351		34%		29		36%		323		29%	
	Black ⁽¹⁾				132		13%		15		19%		165		15%	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				15		1%		1		1%		24		2%	
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				2		*		0		*		3		*	
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				83		8%		4		5%		30		3%	
	Unable to Determine/Declined				57		5%		4		5%		80		7%	
	Missing				86		8%		0		*		95		8%	
	Total Consumers				1,047		100%		81		100%		1,122		100%	
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding ⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races																
Children and Youth In-Placement	20. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18									
	51A Report				158		91%		44		69%					
	Voluntary Application				0		*		6		9%					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				10		6%		13		20%					
	Institutional Abuse				3		2%		1		2%					
	Other/Unspecified				2		1%		0		*					
	Total In-Placement				173		100%		64		100%					
	21. Placement Type (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18									
	Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				3		2%		3		5%					
	Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				5		3%		0		*					
Congregate Care - Residential School				9		5%		3		5%						
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				16		9%		6		9%						
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adults				2		1%		10		16%						
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0		*		36		56%						
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				83		48%		4		6%						
DFC - Foster Care - Pre Adoptive				4		2%		0		*						
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				38		22%		1		2%						
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				4		2%		0		*						
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				9		5%		1		2%						
Total In-Placement				173		100%		64		100%						
22. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18										
White ⁽¹⁾				59		34%		23		36%						
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				64		37%		21		33%						
Black ⁽¹⁾				23		13%		12		19%						
Asian ⁽¹⁾				3		2%		1		2%						
Native American ⁽¹⁾				1		1%		0		*						
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				20		12%		4		6%						
Unable to Determine/Declined				2		1%		3		5%						
Missing				1		1%		0		*						
Total In-Placement				173		100%		64		100%						
28. Permanency Plan (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18										
Family Reunification				76		44%		0		*						
Adoption				51		29%		0		*						
Guardianship				8		5%		0		*						
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				19		11%		60		94%						
Stabilize Intact Family				16		9%		3		5%						
Permanent Care with Kin				0		*		1		2%						
Unspecified as of run-date				3		2%		0		*						
Total In-Placement				173		100%		64		100%						
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18										
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				2				6								
Total In-Placement				2				6								
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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Central Ma					Framingham					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report	788	90%		15	88%				
	Voluntary Application	1	*		0	*				
	Court Referral/CRA Referral	53	6%		2	12%				
	Institutional Abuse	6	1%		0	*				
	Other/Unspecified	26	3%		0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement		874	100%	17	100%				
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾	262	30%		5	29%				
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	287	33%		8	47%				
	Black ⁽¹⁾	109	12%		3	18%				
	Asian ⁽¹⁾	12	1%		0	*				
	Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*		0	*				
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	63	7%		0	*				
	Unable to Determine/Declined	55	6%		1	6%				
	Missing	85	10%		0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement		874	100%	17	100%				
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual	4	1%		0	*				
	Bisexual	4	1%		1	6%				
Does not wish to answer	120	16%		3	18%					
Gay	1	*		0	*					
Lesbian	1	*		0	*					
Missing	135	18%		0	*					
Not Listed/Other	126	17%		2	12%					
Queer	1	*		0	*					
Questioning	6	1%		0	*					
Straight/Heterosexual	351	47%		11	65%					
Total Not In-Placement		749	100%	17	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		0		1						
32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18				
0 - 2 Years Old		125	14%	18 - 19 Years Old		12	71%			
3 - 5 Years Old		151	17%	20 - 21 Years Old		1	6%			
6 - 11 Years Old		307	35%	22 - 23 Years Old		3	18%			
12 - 17 Years Old		291	33%	24 and Older		1	6%			
Unspecified		0	*							
Total Not In-Placement		874	100%	17		100%				
33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
Female		426	49%	8		47%				
Male		425	49%	9		53%				
Missing		23	3%	0		*				
Total Not In-Placement		874	100%	17		100%				
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
Does not wish to answer		11	1%	0		*				
Female		296	40%	8		47%				
Gender Nonconforming		1	*	0		*				
Male		304	41%	9		53%				
Missing		120	16%	0		*				
Non-Binary		2	*	0		*				
Not Listed/Other		14	2%	0		*				
Transgender (Male to Female)		1	*	0		*				
Two Spirit		0	*	0		*				
Total Not In-Placement		749	100%	17		100%				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement										

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Central Ma					North Central					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				945	91%	8	80%		
	Voluntary Application				1	*	1	10%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				40	4%	1	10%		
	Institutional Abuse				4	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				45	4%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				1,035	100%	10	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				421	41%	6	60%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				403	39%	4	40%		
	Black ⁽¹⁾				70	7%	0	*		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				5	*	0	*		
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				4	*	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				74	7%	0	*		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				15	1%	0	*		
	Missing				43	4%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				1,035	100%	10	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				2	*	0	*		
	Bisexual				9	1%	0	*		
Does not wish to answer				175	20%	0	*			
Gay				2	*	1	10%			
Lesbian				2	*	0	*			
Missing				127	15%	1	10%			
Not Listed/Other				130	15%	1	10%			
Pansexual/Omnisexual				2	*	0	*			
Questioning				4	*	1	10%			
Straight/Heterosexual				414	48%	6	60%			
Total Not In-Placement				867	100%	10	100%			
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				2		0				

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)											
DCF Region: Central Ma						South Central					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	51A Report			1,171	93%	11	85%				
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			30	2%	1	8%				
	Institutional Abuse			4	*	1	8%				
	Other/Unspecified			51	4%	0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement			1,256	100%	13	100%				
	31. Race (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	White ⁽¹⁾			645	51%	7	54%				
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			390	31%	6	46%				
	Black ⁽¹⁾			70	6%	0	*				
	Asian ⁽¹⁾			3	*	0	*				
	Native American ⁽¹⁾			1	*	0	*				
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾			56	4%	0	*				
	Unable to Determine/Declined			45	4%	0	*				
	Missing			46	4%	0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement			1,256	100%	13	100%				
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18					
	Asexual			7	1%	0	*				
	Bisexual			11	1%	0	*				
	Does not wish to answer			305	28%	6	46%				
	Gay			1	*	2	15%				
	Lesbian			6	1%	0	*				
	Missing			133	12%	0	*				
	Not Listed/Other			126	12%	0	*				
Pansexual/Omnisexual			1	*	0	*					
Questioning			5	*	0	*					
Straight/Heterosexual			493	45%	5	38%					
Total Not In-Placement			1,088	100%	13	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)			0		1						
32. Age Group (03/31/26)			Child<18		Youth >= 18						
0 - 2 Years Old			168	13%	18 - 19 Years Old	11	85%				
3 - 5 Years Old			205	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	2	15%				
6 - 11 Years Old			462	37%							
12 - 17 Years Old			421	34%							
Unspecified			0	*							
Total Not In-Placement			1,256	100%		13	100%				
33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
Female			613	49%	5	38%					
Male			616	49%	8	62%					
Missing			27	2%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement			1,256	100%	13	100%					
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18						
Does not wish to answer			13	1%	0	*					
Female			464	43%	5	38%					
Gender Nonconforming			2	*	0	*					
Male			451	41%	7	54%					
Missing			129	12%	0	*					
Not Listed/Other			23	2%	0	*					
Questioning			6	1%	1	8%					
Two Spirit			0	*	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement			1,088	100%	13	100%					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement											

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Children and Youth Not In-Placement

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Central Ma					Worcester East					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				970	92%	17	81%		
	Voluntary Application				0	*	2	10%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				36	3%	2	10%		
	Institutional Abuse				3	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				51	5%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				1,060	100%	21	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				279	26%	4	19%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				460	43%	8	38%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Black ⁽¹⁾				162	15%	5	24%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				15	1%	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				76	7%	3	14%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				46	4%	1	5%		
	Missing				22	2%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				1,060	100%	21	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				0	*	1	5%		
	Bisexual				6	1%	3	14%		
	Does not wish to answer				224	25%	1	5%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Gay				3	*	0	*		
	Missing				109	12%	2	10%		
	Not Listed/Other				48	5%	0	*		
	Questioning				2	*	0	*		
	Straight/Heterosexual				502	56%	14	67%		
	Total Not In-Placement				894	100%	21	100%		
	37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				1		1			
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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Central Ma					Worcester West					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				1,224	94%	6	67%		
	Voluntary Application				1	*	1	11%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				26	2%	1	11%		
	Institutional Abuse				1	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				48	4%	1	11%		
	Total Not In-Placement				1,300	100%	9	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				462	36%	4	44%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				509	39%	5	56%		
	Black ⁽¹⁾				146	11%	0	*		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				27	2%	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				70	5%	0	*		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				43	3%	0	*		
	Missing				43	3%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				1,300	100%	9	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				4	*	0	*		
	Bisexual				4	*	1	11%		
	Does not wish to answer				293	27%	4	44%		
	Gay				2	*	0	*		
	Lesbian				1	*	0	*		
	Missing				159	15%	1	11%		
	Not Listed/Other				86	8%	0	*		
Pansexual/Omnisexual				1	*	0	*			
Queer				1	*	0	*			
Questioning				7	1%	0	*			
Straight/Heterosexual				529	49%	3	33%			
Total Not In-Placement				1,087	100%	9	100%			
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Northern					Northern					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				3,107	89%	69	79%		
	Voluntary Application				15	*	5	6%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				238	7%	10	11%		
	Institutional Abuse				15	*	2	2%		
	Other/Unspecified				110	3%	1	1%		
	Total Not In-Placement				3,485	100%	87	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				976	28%	29	33%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				1,498	43%	32	37%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Black ⁽¹⁾				320	9%	14	16%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				114	3%	3	3%		
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				8	*	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ^{(1),(3)}				179	5%	6	7%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				131	4%	2	2%		
	Missing				259	7%	1	1%		
	Total Not In-Placement				3,485	100%	87	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				27	1%	0	*		
	Bisexual				18	1%	7	8%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Does not wish to answer				665	23%	15	17%		
	Gay				9	*	1	1%		
	Lesbian				7	*	2	2%		
	Missing				492	17%	1	1%		
	Not Listed/Other				333	11%	4	5%		
	Pansexual/Omnisexual				1	*	1	1%		
	Queer				3	*	0	*		
	Questioning				18	1%	0	*		
	Straight/Heterosexual				1,369	47%	56	64%		
	Total Not In-Placement				2,942	100%	87	100%		
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				4		7				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18			
	0 - 2 Years Old				541	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	49	56%	
	3 - 5 Years Old				562	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	20	23%	
	6 - 11 Years Old				1,129	32%	22 - 23 Years Old	12	14%	
	12 - 17 Years Old				1,251	36%	24 and Older	6	7%	
	Unspecified				2	*				
	Total Not In-Placement				3,485	100%	87	100%		
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	Female				1,725	49%	46	53%		
	Male				1,666	48%	41	47%		
Missing				94	3%	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement				3,485	100%	87	100%			
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
Androgynous				1	*	0	*			
Does not wish to answer				58	2%	3	3%			
Female				1,209	41%	39	45%			
Gender Nonconforming				2	*	0	*			
Male				1,164	40%	35	40%			
Missing				442	15%	1	1%			
Non-Binary				10	*	4	5%			
Not Listed/Other				46	2%	0	*			
Questioning				4	*	1	1%			
Transgender (Female to Male)				6	*	1	1%			
Transgender (Male to Female)				0	*	3	3%			
Two Spirit				0	*	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement				2,942	100%	87	100%			

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)											
DCF Region: Northern						Cambridge-Burlington					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)					Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report					186	87%	5	71%		
	Voluntary Application					3	1%	1	14%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral					20	9%	1	14%		
	Other/Unspecified					5	2%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement					214	100%	7	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)					Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾					66	31%	2	29%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾					56	26%	3	43%		
	Black ⁽¹⁾					46	21%	1	14%		
Asian ⁽¹⁾					6	3%	1	14%			
Native American ⁽¹⁾					2	1%	0	*			
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾					20	9%	0	*			
Unable to Determine/Declined					4	2%	0	*			
Missing					14	7%	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement					214	100%	7	100%			
35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)					Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
Asexual					1	1%	0	*			
Bisexual					1	1%	1	14%			
Does not wish to answer					44	24%	1	14%			
Gay					1	1%	0	*			
Lesbian					0	*	1	14%			
Missing					34	19%	0	*			
Not Listed/Other					49	27%	1	14%			
Queer					1	1%	0	*			
Questioning					1	1%	0	*			
Straight/Heterosexual					51	28%	3	43%			
Total Not In-Placement					183	100%	7	100%			
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)					Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)					0		1				
32. Age Group (03/31/26)					Child<18		Youth >= 18				
0 - 2 Years Old					31	14%	18 - 19 Years Old	2	29%		
3 - 5 Years Old					29	14%	20 - 21 Years Old	1	14%		
6 - 11 Years Old					73	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	3	43%		
12 - 17 Years Old					81	38%	24 and Older	1	14%		
Unspecified					0	*					
Total Not In-Placement					214	100%		7	100%		
33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)					Child <18		Youth >= 18				
Female					100	47%	4	57%			
Male					109	51%	3	43%			
Missing					5	2%	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement					214	100%		7	100%		
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)					Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
Does not wish to answer					1	1%	1	14%			
Female					69	38%	2	29%			
Male					73	40%	2	29%			
Missing					30	16%	0	*			
Not Listed/Other					10	5%	0	*			
Questioning					0	*	1	14%			
Transgender (Female to Male)					0	*	1	14%			
Two Spirit					0	*	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement					183	100%		7	100%		

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Northern					Cape Ann					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				368	87%	11	73%		
	Voluntary Application				3	1%	1	7%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				41	10%	3	20%		
	Institutional Abuse				3	1%	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				9	2%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				424	100%	15	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				177	42%	8	53%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				142	33%	4	27%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Black ⁽¹⁾				26	6%	2	13%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				8	2%	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				22	5%	1	7%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				23	5%	0	*		
	Missing				26	6%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				424	100%	15	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				14	4%	0	*		
	Bisexual				3	1%	2	13%		
	Does not wish to answer				74	20%	3	20%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Gay				2	1%	0	*		
	Lesbian				2	1%	0	*		
	Missing				41	11%	0	*		
	Not Listed/Other				19	5%	0	*		
	Queer				1	*	0	*		
	Straight/Heterosexual				208	57%	10	67%		
	Total Not In-Placement				364	100%	15	100%		
	37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				2		3			
	32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18			
	0 - 2 Years Old				60	14%	18 - 19 Years Old	9	60%	
	3 - 5 Years Old				67	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	4	27%	
	6 - 11 Years Old				139	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	2	13%	
	12 - 17 Years Old				158	37%				
	Unspecified				0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement				424	100%		15	100%	
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	Female				205	48%	6	40%		
	Male				216	51%	9	60%		
	Missing				3	1%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				424	100%	15	100%		
	34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Does not wish to answer				5	1%	0	*		
	Female				149	41%	6	40%		
	Male				168	46%	9	60%		
	Missing				37	10%	0	*		
	Non-Binary				2	1%	0	*		
	Not Listed/Other				2	1%	0	*		
	Transgender (Female to Male)				1	*	0	*		
	Two Spirit				0	*	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				364	100%	15	100%		

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)											
DCF Region: Northern						Greater Haverhill					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	51A Report			490	87%	8	89%				
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			52	9%	1	11%				
	Institutional Abuse			4	1%	0	*				
	Other/Unspecified			20	4%	0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement			566	100%	9	100%				
	31. Race (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	White ⁽¹⁾			186	33%	5	56%				
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			247	44%	1	11%				
	Black ⁽¹⁾			38	7%	2	22%				
	Asian ⁽¹⁾			4	1%	0	*				
	Native American ⁽¹⁾			1	*	0	*				
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾			26	5%	1	11%				
	Unable to Determine/Declined			14	2%	0	*				
	Missing			50	9%	0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement			566	100%	9	100%				
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18					
	Bisexual			3	1%	0	*				
	Does not wish to answer			142	30%	3	33%				
	Gay			2	*	0	*				
	Lesbian			1	*	0	*				
	Missing			80	17%	0	*				
	Not Listed/Other			47	10%	0	*				
	Pansexual/Omnisexual			1	*	0	*				
	Questioning			4	1%	0	*				
	Straight/Heterosexual			192	41%	6	67%				
Total Not In-Placement			472	100%	9	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)			0		2						
						32. Age Group (03/31/26)					
						Child<18		Youth >= 18			
						0 - 2 Years Old	94 17%	18 - 19 Years Old	4 44%		
						3 - 5 Years Old	111 20%	20 - 21 Years Old	4 44%		
						6 - 11 Years Old	179 32%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 11%		
						12 - 17 Years Old	182 32%				
						Unspecified	0 *				
						Total Not In-Placement	566 100%	9 100%			
						33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)		Child <18		Youth >= 18	
						Female	264 47%	3 33%			
						Male	280 49%	6 67%			
						Missing	22 4%	0 *			
						Total Not In-Placement	566 100%	9 100%			
						34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)		Child 3-17		Youth >= 18	
						Does not wish to answer	5 1%	1 11%			
						Female	188 40%	2 22%			
						Male	190 40%	4 44%			
						Missing	78 17%	0 *			
						Non-Binary	3 1%	1 11%			
						Not Listed/Other	4 1%	0 *			
						Questioning	2 *	0 *			
						Transgender (Female to Male)	2 *	0 *			
						Transgender (Male to Female)	0 *	1 11%			
						Two Spirit	0 *	0 *			
						Total Not In-Placement	472 100%	9 100%			
						Children and Youth Not In-Placement					

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Northern					Greater Lowell					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report	887	93%	13	72%					
	Voluntary Application	0	*	2	11%					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral	39	4%	2	11%					
	Institutional Abuse	5	1%	1	6%					
	Other/Unspecified	27	3%	0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement		958	100%	18	100%				
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾	290	30%	6	33%					
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	356	37%	5	28%					
	Black ⁽¹⁾	93	10%	4	22%					
	Asian ⁽¹⁾	65	7%	1	6%					
	Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	0	*					
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	51	5%	2	11%					
	Unable to Determine/Declined	31	3%	0	*					
	Missing	70	7%	0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement		958	100%	18	100%				
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual	6	1%	0	*					
	Bisexual	4	*	3	17%					
Does not wish to answer	193	23%	1	6%						
Gay	2	*	0	*						
Lesbian	2	*	0	*						
Missing	132	16%	0	*						
Not Listed/Other	103	13%	2	11%						
Queer	1	*	0	*						
Questioning	4	*	0	*						
Straight/Heterosexual	375	46%	12	67%						
Total Not In-Placement		822	100%	18	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		1		0						
Children and Youth Not In-Placement										
32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18				
0 - 2 Years Old		136	14%	18 - 19 Years Old		10	56%			
3 - 5 Years Old		154	16%	20 - 21 Years Old		2	11%			
6 - 11 Years Old		340	35%	22 - 23 Years Old		5	28%			
12 - 17 Years Old		328	34%	24 and Older		1	6%			
Unspecified		0	*							
Total Not In-Placement		958	100%	18		100%				
33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
Female		491	51%	11		61%				
Male		445	46%	7		39%				
Missing		22	2%	0		*				
Total Not In-Placement		958	100%	18		100%				
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
Does not wish to answer		24	3%	0		*				
Female		349	42%	11		61%				
Gender Nonconforming		1	*	0		*				
Male		317	39%	5		28%				
Missing		115	14%	0		*				
Non-Binary		3	*	0		*				
Not Listed/Other		10	1%	0		*				
Questioning		1	*	0		*				
Transgender (Female to Male)		2	*	0		*				
Transgender (Male to Female)		0	*	2		11%				
Two Spirit		0	*	0		*				
Total Not In-Placement		822	100%	18		100%				

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)

DCF Region: Northern

Lawrence

Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)	Child <18		Youth >= 18	
	51A Report	424	87%	10	83%
	Voluntary Application	1	*	1	8%
	Court Referral/CRA Referral	42	9%	1	8%
	Other/Unspecified	20	4%	0	*
	Total Not In-Placement	487	100%	12	100%
	31. Race (03/31/26)	Child <18		Youth >= 18	
	White ⁽¹⁾	65	13%	3	25%
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	333	68%	7	58%
	Black ⁽¹⁾	18	4%	1	8%
	Asian ⁽¹⁾	12	2%	0	*
	Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	0	*
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	10	2%	0	*
	Unable to Determine/Declined	16	3%	0	*
	Missing	31	6%	1	8%
	Total Not In-Placement	487	100%	12	100%
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)	Child 3-17		Youth >= 18	
	Asexual	2	*	0	*
	Bisexual	2	*	1	8%
	Does not wish to answer	54	13%	2	17%
	Gay	2	*	1	8%
	Lesbian	1	*	0	*
	Missing	92	22%	1	8%
	Not Listed/Other	41	10%	0	*
	Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	1	8%
	Questioning	2	*	0	*
	Straight/Heterosexual	215	52%	6	50%
	Total Not In-Placement	411	100%	12	100%
	37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)	Child <18		Youth >= 18	

32. Age Group (03/31/26)	Child<18		Youth >= 18	
0 - 2 Years Old	74	15%	18 - 19 Years Old	7 58%
3 - 5 Years Old	70	14%	20 - 21 Years Old	3 25%
6 - 11 Years Old	156	32%	24 and Older	2 17%
12 - 17 Years Old	185	38%		
Unspecified	2	*		
Total Not In-Placement	487	100%		12 100%

33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)	Child <18		Youth >= 18	
Female	238	49%	8	67%
Male	228	47%	4	33%
Missing	21	4%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	487	100%	12	100%

34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)	Child 3-17		Youth >= 18	
Does not wish to answer	11	3%	0	*
Female	169	41%	6	50%
Male	139	34%	3	25%
Missing	80	19%	1	8%
Non-Binary	1	*	2	17%
Not Listed/Other	11	3%	0	*
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	411	100%	12	100%

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Northern					Lynn					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				363	91%	8	89%		
	Voluntary Application				4	1%	0	*		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				24	6%	1	11%		
	Institutional Abuse				2	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				8	2%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				401	100%	9	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				53	13%	0	*		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				226	56%	6	67%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18			
	0 - 2 Years Old				76	19%	18 - 19 Years Old	6	67%	
	3 - 5 Years Old				60	15%	20 - 21 Years Old	1	11%	
	6 - 11 Years Old				113	28%	24 and Older	2	22%	
	12 - 17 Years Old				152	38%				
	Unspecified				0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement				401	100%		9	100%	
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	Female				208	52%		7	78%	
	Male				179	45%		2	22%	
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Does not wish to answer				2	1%		1	11%	
	Female				140	43%		6	67%	
	Male				137	42%		2	22%	
	Missing				40	12%		0	*	
	Not Listed/Other				6	2%		0	*	
	Two Spirit				0	*		0	*	
	Total Not In-Placement				325	100%		9	100%	
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				2	1%		0	*	
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				1			1		
	Bisexual				1	*		0	*	
	Does not wish to answer				69	21%		2	22%	
	Lesbian				1	*		0	*	
	Missing				47	14%		0	*	
	Not Listed/Other				41	13%		1	11%	
	Questioning				4	1%		0	*	
	Straight/Heterosexual				160	49%		6	67%	
	Total Not In-Placement				325	100%		9	100%	

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Northern					Metro North					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report	390	89%	14	82%					
	Voluntary Application	4	1%	0	*					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral	20	5%	1	6%					
	Institutional Abuse	1	*	1	6%					
	Other/Unspecified	21	5%	1	6%					
	Total Not In-Placement				436	100%	17	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾	140	32%	5	29%					
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	138	32%	6	35%					
	Black ⁽¹⁾	62	14%	3	18%					
	Asian ⁽¹⁾	8	2%	0	*					
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	19	4%	1	6%					
	Unable to Determine/Declined	28	6%	2	12%					
	Missing	41	9%	0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement				436	100%	17	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual	2	1%	0	*					
	Bisexual	4	1%	0	*					
	Does not wish to answer	90	25%	3	18%					
	Lesbian	0	*	1	6%					
	Missing	66	18%	0	*					
	Not Listed/Other	33	9%	0	*					
	Questioning	3	1%	0	*					
	Straight/Heterosexual	168	46%	13	76%					
Total Not In-Placement				366	100%	17	100%			
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Southern					Southern					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				4,129	90%	58	82%		
	Voluntary Application				2	*	5	7%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				303	7%	8	11%		
	Institutional Abuse				12	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				132	3%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				4,578	100%	71	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				1,845	40%	28	39%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				952	21%	16	23%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Black ⁽¹⁾				822	18%	16	23%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				69	2%	0	*		
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				18	*	0	*		
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				1	*	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				409	9%	9	13%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				174	4%	1	1%		
	Missing				288	6%	1	1%		
	Total Not In-Placement				4,578	100%	71	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				27	1%	0	*		
Bisexual				22	1%	3	4%			
Does not wish to answer				985	25%	15	21%			
Gay				7	*	0	*			
Lesbian				5	*	0	*			
Missing				688	18%	4	6%			
Not Listed/Other				392	10%	11	15%			
Pansexual/Omnisexual				3	*	0	*			
Questioning				12	*	1	1%			
Straight/Heterosexual				1,731	45%	37	52%			
Total Not In-Placement				3,872	100%	71	100%			
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				0		7				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18			
	0 - 2 Years Old				704	15%	18 - 19 Years Old	50	70%	
	3 - 5 Years Old				746	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	13	18%	
	6 - 11 Years Old				1,545	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	8	11%	
	12 - 17 Years Old				1,581	35%				
	Unspecified				2	*				
	Total Not In-Placement				4,578	100%	71	100%		
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	Female				2,209	48%	39	55%		
	Male				2,262	49%	31	44%		
Missing				107	2%	1	1%			
Total Not In-Placement				4,578	100%	71	100%			
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Androgynous				2	*	0	*		
	Does not wish to answer				99	3%	3	4%		
	Female				1,510	39%	34	48%		
	Gender Nonconforming				2	*	0	*		
	Genderqueer				1	*	0	*		
	Male				1,558	40%	28	39%		
	Missing				601	16%	3	4%		
	Non-Binary				6	*	1	1%		
	Not Listed/Other				79	2%	2	3%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Questioning				5	*	0	*		
	Transgender (Female to Male)				8	*	0	*		
	Transgender (Male to Female)				1	*	0	*		
	Two Spirit				0	*	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				3,872	100%	71	100%		

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Southern					Brockton					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				556	88%	8	67%		
	Voluntary Application				0	*	3	25%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				51	8%	1	8%		
	Institutional Abuse				1	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				21	3%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				629	100%	12	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				161	26%	5	42%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				112	18%	0	*		
	Black ⁽¹⁾				232	37%	4	33%		
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				54	9%	3	25%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				30	5%	0	*		
	Missing				40	6%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				629	100%	12	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				8	2%	0	*		
	Bisexual				9	2%	0	*		
Does not wish to answer				176	34%	2	17%			
Gay				4	1%	0	*			
Lesbian				1	*	0	*			
Missing				103	20%	1	8%			
Not Listed/Other				25	5%	3	25%			
Questioning				4	1%	0	*			
Straight/Heterosexual				191	37%	6	50%			
Total Not In-Placement				521	100%	12	100%			
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				0		1				
32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18				
0 - 2 Years Old				108	17%	18 - 19 Years Old	8	67%		
3 - 5 Years Old				110	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	4	33%		
6 - 11 Years Old				216	34%					
12 - 17 Years Old				195	31%					
Unspecified				0	*					
Total Not In-Placement				629	100%	12	100%			
33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
Female				324	52%	8	67%			
Male				295	47%	4	33%			
Missing				10	2%	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement				629	100%	12	100%			
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
Does not wish to answer				10	2%	0	*			
Female				209	40%	8	67%			
Male				207	40%	3	25%			
Missing				92	18%	1	8%			
Non-Binary				1	*	0	*			
Questioning				1	*	0	*			
Transgender (Female to Male)				1	*	0	*			
Two Spirit				0	*	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement				521	100%	12	100%			
Children and Youth Not In-Placement										

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)											
DCF Region: Southern						Coastal					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	51A Report			423	87%	7	88%				
	Voluntary Application			1	*	1	13%				
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			40	8%	0	*				
	Institutional Abuse			2	*	0	*				
	Other/Unspecified			22	5%	0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement			488	100%	8	100%				
	31. Race (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	White ⁽¹⁾			181	37%	3	38%				
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			103	21%	1	13%				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)			Child<18		Youth >= 18					
	0 - 2 Years Old			92	19%	18 - 19 Years Old	4	50%			
	3 - 5 Years Old			79	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	2	25%			
	6 - 11 Years Old			158	32%	22 - 23 Years Old	2	25%			
	12 - 17 Years Old			159	33%						
	Unspecified			0	*						
	Total Not In-Placement			488	100%	8	100%				
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	Female			236	48%	6	75%				
	Male			241	49%	2	25%				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18					
	Androgynous			1	*	0	*				
	Does not wish to answer			2	1%	0	*				
	Female			163	41%	6	75%				
	Male			175	44%	2	25%				
	Missing			50	13%	0	*				
	Non-Binary			1	*	0	*				
	Not Listed/Other			2	1%	0	*				
	Questioning			1	*	0	*				
	Transgender (Female to Male)			1	*	0	*				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	Straight/Heterosexual			187	47%	3	38%				
	Total Not In-Placement			396	100%	8	100%				
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18					
	Asexual			8	2%	0	*				
	Bisexual			0	*	2	25%				
	Does not wish to answer			105	27%	1	13%				
	Gay			1	*	0	*				
	Lesbian			1	*	0	*				
	Missing			52	13%	0	*				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	36. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	Not Listed/Other			39	10%	2	25%				
	Questioning			3	1%	0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement			688	100%	8	100%				

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)												
DCF Region: Southern						Fall River						
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
	51A Report			542	92%	8	80%					
	Voluntary Application			0	*	1	10%					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			29	5%	1	10%					
	Other/Unspecified			20	3%	0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement			591	100%	10	100%					
	31. Race (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
	White ⁽¹⁾			193	33%	4	40%					
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			165	28%	4	40%					
	Black ⁽¹⁾			109	18%	0	*					
	Asian ⁽¹⁾			5	1%	0	*					
	Native American ⁽¹⁾			1	*	0	*					
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾			61	10%	1	10%					
	Unable to Determine/Declined			32	5%	0	*					
	Missing			25	4%	1	10%					
	Total Not In-Placement			591	100%	10	100%					
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18						
Asexual			1	*	0	*						
Bisexual			1	*	0	*						
Does not wish to answer			102	21%	2	20%						
Lesbian			2	*	0	*						
Missing			89	18%	2	20%						
Not Listed/Other			49	10%	2	20%						
Questioning			1	*	0	*						
Straight/Heterosexual			250	51%	4	40%						
Total Not In-Placement			495	100%	10	100%						
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18							
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)			0		2							

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)												
DCF Region: Southern						Greater Waltham						
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
	51A Report			448	91%	7	100%					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			25	5%	0	*					
	Institutional Abuse			8	2%	0	*					
	Other/Unspecified			13	3%	0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement			494	100%	7	100%					
	31. Race (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
	White ⁽¹⁾			156	32%	1	14%					
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			115	23%	3	43%					
	Black ⁽¹⁾			82	17%	3	43%					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)			Child<18		Youth >= 18						
	0 - 2 Years Old			70	14%	18 - 19 Years Old	5	71%				
	3 - 5 Years Old			83	17%	22 - 23 Years Old	2	29%				
	6 - 11 Years Old			160	32%							
	12 - 17 Years Old			181	37%							
	Unspecified			0	*							
	Total Not In-Placement			494	100%	7	100%					
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
	Female			229	46%	5	71%					
	Male			257	52%	2	29%					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18						
	Does not wish to answer			17	4%	0	*					
	Female			135	32%	4	57%					
	Male			167	39%	2	29%					
	Missing			94	22%	0	*					
	Non-Binary			1	*	1	14%					
	Not Listed/Other			8	2%	0	*					
	Questioning			1	*	0	*					
	Transgender (Female to Male)			1	*	0	*					
	Two Spirit			0	*	0	*					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18						
	Asexual			5	1%	0	*					
	Bisexual			1	*	0	*					
	Does not wish to answer			147	35%	2	29%					
	Missing			101	24%	0	*					
	Not Listed/Other			37	9%	0	*					
	Questioning			2	*	1	14%					
	Straight/Heterosexual			131	31%	4	57%					
	Total Not In-Placement			424	100%	7	100%					
	37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)			0		1							

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Southern					Taunton/Attleboro					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				401	87%	7	78%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				45	10%	2	22%		
	Institutional Abuse				1	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				13	3%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				460	100%	9	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				242	53%	4	44%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				59	13%	1	11%		
	Black ⁽¹⁾				70	15%	3	33%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				5	1%	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				38	8%	1	11%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				19	4%	0	*		
	Missing				27	6%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				460	100%	9	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				1	*	0	*		
	Bisexual				2	1%	1	11%		
	Does not wish to answer				86	22%	2	22%		
	Missing				56	15%	0	*		
Not Listed/Other				60	16%	0	*			
Questioning				1	*	0	*			
Straight/Heterosexual				180	47%	6	67%			
Total Not In-Placement				386	100%	9	100%			
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				0		2				
32. Age Group (03/31/26)					Child<18		Youth >= 18			
0 - 2 Years Old					74	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	4	44%	
3 - 5 Years Old					54	12%	20 - 21 Years Old	4	44%	
6 - 11 Years Old					147	32%	22 - 23 Years Old	1	11%	
12 - 17 Years Old					185	40%				
Unspecified					0	*				
Total Not In-Placement					460	100%	9	100%		
33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)					Child <18		Youth >= 18			
Female					215	47%	4	44%		
Male					228	50%	5	56%		
Missing					17	4%	0	*		
Total Not In-Placement					460	100%	9	100%		
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)					Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
Does not wish to answer					14	4%	0	*		
Female					147	38%	4	44%		
Male					155	40%	5	56%		
Missing					50	13%	0	*		
Non-Binary					1	*	0	*		
Not Listed/Other					18	5%	0	*		
Questioning					1	*	0	*		
Two Spirit					0	*	0	*		
Total Not In-Placement					386	100%	9	100%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement										

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)										
DCF Region: Western					Western					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report				3,821	89%	32	74%		
	Voluntary Application				10	*	6	14%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				268	6%	5	12%		
	Institutional Abuse				27	1%	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				154	4%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				4,280	100%	43	100%		
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾				1,371	32%	17	40%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				1,906	45%	15	35%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Black ⁽¹⁾				402	9%	5	12%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				20	*	0	*		
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				2	*	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				228	5%	5	12%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				130	3%	1	2%		
	Missing				221	5%	0	*		
	Total Not In-Placement				4,280	100%	43	100%		
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual				14	*	0	*		
	Bisexual				14	*	5	12%		
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	Does not wish to answer				881	24%	5	12%		
	Gay				4	*	0	*		
	Lesbian				5	*	1	2%		
	Missing				444	12%	1	2%		
	Not Listed/Other				403	11%	3	7%		
	Pansexual/Omnisexual				5	*	0	*		
	Queer				1	*	0	*		
	Questioning				18	1%	2	5%		
	Straight/Heterosexual				1,809	50%	26	60%		
	Total Not In-Placement				3,598	100%	43	100%		
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				0		6				
Total Not In-Placement				0		6				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18			
	0 - 2 Years Old				682	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	30	70%	
	3 - 5 Years Old				668	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	6	14%	
	6 - 11 Years Old				1,447	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	4	9%	
	12 - 17 Years Old				1,483	35%	24 and Older	3	7%	
	Unspecified				0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement				4,280	100%	43	100%		
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	Female				2,078	49%	16	37%		
	Intersex				0	*	1	2%		
Male				2,115	49%	26	60%			
Missing				87	2%	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement				4,280	100%	43	100%			
34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18				
Androgynous				2	*	0	*			
Does not wish to answer				83	2%	1	2%			
Female				1,507	42%	16	37%			
Gender Nonconforming				4	*	0	*			
Genderqueer				1	*	0	*			
Male				1,545	43%	22	51%			
Missing				392	11%	1	2%			
Non-Binary				10	*	0	*			
Not Listed/Other				38	1%	1	2%			
Questioning				9	*	1	2%			
Transgender (Female to Male)				6	*	1	2%			
Transgender (Male to Female)				1	*	0	*			
Two Spirit				0	*	0	*			
Total Not In-Placement				3,598	100%	43	100%			

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)												
DCF Region: Western						Berkshire						
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2026, Q3)					7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (03/31/26)						
	Screened-In for Response					8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (03/31/26)						
	Screened-Out					Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement						
	Screened-Out DA Referral					Consumer Children <18 In-Placement						
	2. Responses (FY'2026, Q3) (includes Hotline)					Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement						
	Supported					Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)						
	Substantiated Concern					Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)						
	Unsupported					9. Consumer Youth >= 18 in Caseload (03/31/26)						
	3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2026, Q3)					10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (03/31/26)						
	Emergency Responses (5 business days)					Total Consumers						
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (03/31/26)					15. Adoption Cases (03/31/26)						
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement					16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2026, Q3)						
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement					Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal						
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan - Mar 2026)					17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2026, Q3)						
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Jan - Mar 2026)					Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.						
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (03/31/26)					19. Primary Language (03/31/26)						
	White ⁽¹⁾					English/Unknown						
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾					Spanish						
	Black ⁽¹⁾					Other						
	Asian ⁽¹⁾					Haitian Creole						
	Native American ⁽¹⁾					Russian						
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾					French						
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾					Total Consumers						
	Unable to Determine/Declined											
	Missing											
Children and Youth In-Placement	20. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)					23. Age Group (03/31/26)						
	51A Report					0 - 2 Years Old						
	Voluntary Application					3 - 5 Years Old						
	Court Referral/CRA Referral					6 - 11 Years Old						
	Institutional Abuse					12 - 17 Years Old						
	Total In-Placement					Unspecified						
	21. Placement Type (03/31/26)					Total In-Placement						
	Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)					24. Birth Sex (03/31/26)						
	Congregate Care - Emergency Residence					Female						
	Congregate Care - Residential School					Male						
Reports & Consumer Counts	22. Race (03/31/26)					25. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)						
	White ⁽¹⁾					Does not wish to answer						
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾					Female						
	Black ⁽¹⁾					Gender Nonconforming						
	Asian ⁽¹⁾					Male						
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾					Missing						
	Unable to Determine/Declined					Non-Binary						
	Total In-Placement					Not Listed/Other						
	28. Permanency Plan (03/31/26)					Questioning						
	Family Reunification					Transgender (Female to Male)						
DCF Cases	Adoption					Two Spirit						
	Guardianship					Total In-Placement						
	APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement					26. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)						
	Stabilize Intact Family					Asexual						
	Permanent Care with Kin					Bisexual						
	Unspecified as of run-date					Does not wish to answer						
	Total In-Placement					Gay						
	29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (03/31/26)					Missing						
	688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)					Not Listed/Other						
	Total In-Placement					Pansexual/Omnisexual						
All DCF Consumers	Children and Youth In-Placement					Questioning						
	27. Continuous Time in Placement (03/31/26)					Straight/Heterosexual						
	0.5 Years or Less					Total In-Placement						
	>0.5 Years - 1 Year					27. Continuous Time in Placement (03/31/26)						
	>1 Year - 2 Years					0.5 Years or Less						
	>2 Years - 4 Years					>0.5 Years - 1 Year						
	>4 Years					>1 Year - 2 Years						
	Total In-Placement					>2 Years - 4 Years						
						>4 Years						
						Total In-Placement						

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)											
DCF Region: Western						Berkshire					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	51A Report			550	82%	3	27%				
	Voluntary Application			0	*	6	55%				
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			94	14%	2	18%				
	Institutional Abuse			6	1%	0	*				
	Other/Unspecified			21	3%	0	*				
	Total Not In-Placement			671	100%	11	100%				
	31. Race (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	White ⁽¹⁾			383	57%	7	64%				
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			101	15%	2	18%				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	32. Age Group (03/31/26)			Child<18		Youth >= 18					
	0 - 2 Years Old			97	14%	18 - 19 Years Old	7	64%			
	3 - 5 Years Old			104	15%	22 - 23 Years Old	3	27%			
	6 - 11 Years Old			235	35%	24 and Older	1	9%			
	12 - 17 Years Old			235	35%						
	Unspecified			0	*						
	Total Not In-Placement			671	100%	11	100%				
	33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
	Female			319	48%	3	27%				
	Intersex			0	*	1	9%				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18					
	Androgynous			1	*	0	*				
	Does not wish to answer			17	3%	0	*				
	Female			231	40%	3	27%				
	Gender Nonconforming			1	*	0	*				
	Male			265	46%	6	55%				
	Missing			48	8%	1	9%				
	Non-Binary			3	1%	0	*				
	Not Listed/Other			6	1%	1	9%				
	Questioning			1	*	0	*				
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18					
	Asexual			1	*	0	*				
	Bisexual			0	*	1	9%				
	Does not wish to answer			178	31%	0	*				
	Missing			53	9%	1	9%				
	Not Listed/Other			92	16%	1	9%				
	Questioning			0	*	1	9%				
	Straight/Heterosexual			250	44%	7	64%				
	Total Not In-Placement			574	100%	11	100%				
	37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18					
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)			0		1						

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DCF Region: Western

Greenfield

30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)		Child <18		Youth >= 18	
51A Report		640	96%	2	67%
Court Referral/CRA Referral		7	1%	1	33%
Institutional Abuse		3	*	0	*
Other/Unspecified		18	3%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement		668	100%	3	100%

31. Race (03/31/26)		Child <18		Youth >= 18	
White ⁽¹⁾		372	56%	2	67%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾		174	26%	1	33%
Black ⁽¹⁾		17	3%	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾		3	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾		39	6%	0	*
Unable to Determine/Declined		24	4%	0	*
Missing		39	6%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement		668	100%	3	100%

35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)		Child 3-17		Youth >= 18	
Asexual		1	*	0	*
Bisexual		7	1%	1	33%
Does not wish to answer		172	30%	0	*
Gay		1	*	0	*
Missing		80	14%	0	*
Not Listed/Other		45	8%	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual		3	1%	0	*
Questioning		7	1%	1	33%
Straight/Heterosexual		267	46%	1	33%
Total Not In-Placement		583	100%	3	100%

37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)		Child <18		Youth >= 18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		0		1	

32. Age Group (03/31/26)	Child<18		Youth >= 18	
0 - 2 Years Old	85	13%	18 - 19 Years Old	3 100%
3 - 5 Years Old	106	16%		
6 - 11 Years Old	251	38%		
12 - 17 Years Old	226	34%		
Unspecified	0	*		
Total Not In-Placement	668	100%	3	100%

33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)	Child <18		Youth >= 18	
Female	323	48%	1	33%
Male	330	49%	2	67%
Missing	15	2%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	668	100%	3	100%

34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)	Child 3-17		Youth >= 18	
Does not wish to answer	21	4%	0	*
Female	227	39%	1	33%
Gender Nonconforming	2	*	0	*
Male	251	43%	1	33%
Missing	71	12%	0	*
Non-Binary	1	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	4	1%	0	*
Questioning	2	*	1	33%
Transgender (Female to Male)	3	1%	0	*
Transgender (Male to Female)	1	*	0	*
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	583	100%	3	100%

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2026, Q3 (01/01/26 - 03/31/26)																														
DCF Region: Western						Robert Van Wart																								
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2026, Q3)				1,074		7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (03/31/26)					172																		
	Screened-In for Response				519		48%				8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (03/31/26)			1,221																
	Screened-Out				500		47%							913		75%														
	Screened-Out DA Referral				55		5%							308		25%														
	2. Responses (FY'2026, Q3) (includes Hotline)				388		Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement					118		38%																
	Supported				148		38%				Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)			129																
	Substantiated Concern				60		15%							118		91%														
	Unsupported				180		46%																							
	3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2026, Q3)				223		of		388		57%		9. Consumer Youth >= 18 in Caseload (03/31/26)					72												
	Emergency Responses (5 business days)				25		of		43		58%		10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (03/31/26)					1,304												
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				198		of		345		57%		2,597																		
Total Consumers																														
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 03/31/26)				7.5%		11. Reunifications (FY'2026, Q3)							22																	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 03/31/26)				2.32%									Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal		11		50%													
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 03/31/26)				24.58									per 100,000 days																	
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (03/31/26)				660		15. Adoption Cases (03/31/26)						86																	
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				525		80%				16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2026, Q3)			6																
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				135		20%							1		17%														
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan - Mar 2026)				48		17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2026, Q3)							4																
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Jan - Mar 2026)				37		Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.																								
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18		Adults		19. Primary Language (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18		Adults											
	White ⁽¹⁾				360		29%		29		40%		512		39%		English/Unknown		1,177		96%		71		99%		1,160		89%	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				569		47%		25		35%		476		37%		Spanish		36		3%		1		1%		122		9%	
	Black ⁽¹⁾				119		10%		5		7%		175		13%		Portuguese		2		*		0		*		6		*	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				8		1%		0		*		6		*		Other		0		*		0		*		8		1%	
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				2		*		0		*		0		*		Haitian Creole		5		*		0		*		7		1%	
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				73		6%		12		17%		33		3%		American Sign Language		1		*		0		*		0		*	
	Unable to Determine/Declined				29		2%		1		1%		51		4%		Polish		0		*		0		*		1		*	
	Missing				61		5%		0		*		51		4%		Total Consumers		1,221		100%		72		100%		1,304		100%	
	Total Consumers				1,221		100%		72		100%		1,304		100%															
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding																														
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races																														
Children and Youth In-Placement	20. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child<18		Youth >= 18		23. Age Group (03/31/26)					Child<18		Youth >= 18														
	51A Report				291		94%		43		74%		0 - 2 Years Old				51		17%		18 - 19 Years Old		33		57%					
	Voluntary Application				1		*		6		10%		3 - 5 Years Old				47		15%		20 - 21 Years Old		23		40%					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				14		5%		7		12%		6 - 11 Years Old				90		29%		22 - 23 Years Old		2		3%					
	Institutional Abuse				2		1%		2		3%		12 - 17 Years Old				120		39%											
	Total In-Placement				308		100%		58		100%		Unspecified				0		*											
	21. Placement Type (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18		24. Birth Sex (03/31/26)					Child <18		Youth >= 18														
	Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				31		10%		4		7%		Female				166		54%		32		55%							
	Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				12		4%		0		*		Male				142		46%		26		45%							
	Congregate Care - Residential School				8		3%		3		5%		Total In-Placement				308		100%		58		100%							
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				24		8%		4		7%		25. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)					Child 3-17		Youth >= 18											
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adults				1		*		4		7%		Does not wish to answer				4		2%		0		*								
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0		*		32		55%		Female				130		51%		30		52%								
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				118		38%		4		7%		Gender Nonconforming				0		*		1		2%								
DFC - Foster Care - Pre Adoptive				11		4%		0		*		Male				107		42%		27		47%								
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				79		26%		4		7%		Missing				2		1%		0		*								
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				3		1%		0		*		Non-Binary				3		1%		0		*								
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				21		7%		3		5%		Not Listed/Other				3		1%		0		*								
Total In-Placement				308		100%		58		100%		Questioning				3		1%		0		*								
22. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18		26. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)					Child 3-17		Youth >= 18															
White ⁽¹⁾				95		31%		26		45%		Asexual				1		*		1		2%								
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				143		46%		18		31%		Bisexual				2		1%		5		9%								
Black ⁽¹⁾				39		13%		4		7%		Does not wish to answer				64		25%		9		16%								
Asian ⁽¹⁾				3		1%		0		*		Gay				2		1%		1		2%								
Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾				24		8%		10		17%		Lesbian				1		*		1		2%								
Unable to Determine/Declined				4		1%		0		*		Missing				3		1%		0		*								
Total In-Placement				308		100%		58		100%		Not Listed/Other				40		16%		2		3%								
28. Permanency Plan (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18		27. Continuous Time in Placement (03/31/26)					Child <18		Youth >= 18															
Family Reunification				82		27%		3		5%		Pansexual/Omnisexual				1		*		0		*								
Adoption				128		42%		0		*		Questioning				7		3%		3		5%								
Guardianship				23		7%		0		*		Straight/Heterosexual				136		53%		36		62%								
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				33		11%		54		93%		Total In-Placement				257		100%		58		100%								
Stabilize Intact Family				29		9%		1		2%		29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18												
Permanent Care with Kin				11		4%		0		*		688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				3		5												
Unspecified as of run-date				2		1%		0		*		Total In-Placement				3		5												
Total In-Placement				308		100%		58		100%																				

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DCF Region: Western						Robert Van Wart						
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
	51A Report			847	93%	12	86%					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			29	3%	2	14%					
	Institutional Abuse			5	1%	0	*					
	Other/Unspecified			32	4%	0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement			913	100%	14	100%					
	31. Race (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18						
	White ⁽¹⁾			265	29%	3	21%					
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			426	47%	7	50%					
	Black ⁽¹⁾			80	9%	1	7%					
	Asian ⁽¹⁾			5	1%	0	*					
	Native American ⁽¹⁾			2	*	0	*					
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾			49	5%	2	14%					
	Unable to Determine/Declined			25	3%	1	7%					
	Missing			61	7%	0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement			913	100%	14	100%					
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)			Child 3-17		Youth >= 18						
	Asexual			1	*	0	*					
Bisexual			3	*	1	7%						
Does not wish to answer			170	23%	1	7%						
Gay			1	*	0	*						
Lesbian			1	*	1	7%						
Missing			104	14%	0	*						
Not Listed/Other			107	14%	1	7%						
Pansexual/Omnisexual			1	*	0	*						
Questioning			3	*	0	*						
Straight/Heterosexual			362	48%	10	71%						
Total Not In-Placement			753	100%	14	100%						
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)			Child <18		Youth >= 18							
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)			0		2							

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DCF Region: Western							Springfield							
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2026, Q3)					1,138		7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (03/31/26)					144	
	Screened-In for Response					515		8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (03/31/26)					1,469	
	Screened-Out					512		Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement					1,078	
	Screened-Out DA Referral					111		Consumer Children <18 In-Placement					391	
								Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement					150	
													38%	
								Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					166	
								Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					150	
													90%	
DCF Cases	2. Responses (FY'2026, Q3) (includes Hotline)					381		9. Consumer Youth >= 18 in Caseload (03/31/26)					80	
	Supported					180		10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (03/31/26)					1,338	
	Substantiated Concern					31		Total Consumers					2,885	
	Unsupported					170								
	3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2026, Q3)					232 of 381 61%								
	Emergency Responses (5 business days)					57 of 87 66%								
	Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)					175 of 294 60%								
All DCF Consumers	4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 03/31/26)					11.1%		11. Reunifications (FY'2026, Q3)					26	
	5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 03/31/26)					2.32%		Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal					13 50%	
	6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 03/31/26)					29.36 per 100,000 days								
All DCF Consumers	12. Clinical Cases (03/31/26)					709		15. Adoption Cases (03/31/26)					115	
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement					558 79%		16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2026, Q3)					6	
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement					151 21%		Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal					1 17%	
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan - Mar 2026)					48		17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2026, Q3)					3	
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Jan - Mar 2026)					31		Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.						
Children and Youth In-Placement	18. Race (03/31/26)					Child<18 Youth >= 18 Adults		19. Primary Language (03/31/26)					Child<18 Youth >= 18 Adults	
	White ⁽¹⁾					113 8% 7 9% 162 12%		English/Unknown					1,309 89% 71 89% 1,071 80%	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾					943 64% 50 63% 747 56%		Spanish					145 10% 7 9% 236 18%	
	Black ⁽¹⁾					253 17% 18 23% 261 20%		Portuguese					0 * 0 * 1 *	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾					4 * 1 1% 4 *		Other					1 * 2 3% 15 1%	
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾					51 3% 3 4% 35 3%		Haitian Creole					11 1% 0 * 9 1%	
	Unable to Determine/Declined					41 3% 1 1% 70 5%		Arabic					3 * 0 * 2 *	
	Missing					64 4% 0 * 59 4%		Vietnamese					0 * 0 * 1 *	
								American Sign Language					0 * 0 * 3 *	
								Total Consumers					1,469 100% 80 100% 1,338 100%	

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DCF Region: Western					Springfield					
Children and Youth Not In-Placement	30. Most Recent Intake (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	51A Report	928	86%	6	100%					
	Voluntary Application	1	*	0	*					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral	97	9%	0	*					
	Institutional Abuse	7	1%	0	*					
	Other/Unspecified	45	4%	0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement		1,078	100%	6	100%				
	31. Race (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18			
	White ⁽¹⁾	81	8%	0	*					
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	692	64%	4	67%					
	Black ⁽¹⁾	179	17%	2	33%					
	Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	*	0	*					
	Multi-Racial ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	24	2%	0	*					
	Unable to Determine/Declined	34	3%	0	*					
	Missing	64	6%	0	*					
	Total Not In-Placement		1,078	100%	6	100%				
	35. Sexual Orientation (03/31/26)				Child 3-17		Youth >= 18			
	Asexual	5	1%	0	*					
	Bisexual	2	*	0	*					
	Does not wish to answer	179	20%	3	50%					
	Gay	2	*	0	*					
	Lesbian	2	*	0	*					
	Missing	134	15%	0	*					
	Not Listed/Other	96	11%	0	*					
	Pansexual/Omnisexual	1	*	0	*					
Queer	1	*	0	*						
Questioning	5	1%	0	*						
Straight/Heterosexual	471	52%	3	50%						
Total Not In-Placement		898	100%	6	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (03/31/26)				Child <18		Youth >= 18				
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)				0		1				
				32. Age Group (03/31/26)		Child<18		Youth >= 18		
				0 - 2 Years Old		180	17%	18 - 19 Years Old	4 67%	
				3 - 5 Years Old		163	15%	24 and Older	2 33%	
				6 - 11 Years Old		349	32%			
				12 - 17 Years Old		386	36%			
				Unspecified		0	*			
				Total Not In-Placement		1,078	100%	6	100%	
				33. Birth Sex (03/31/26)		Child <18		Youth >= 18		
				Female		514	48%	1	17%	
				Male		534	50%	5	83%	
				Missing		30	3%	0	*	
				Total Not In-Placement		1,078	100%	6	100%	
				34. Gender Identity/Expression (03/31/26)		Child 3-17		Youth >= 18		
				Does not wish to answer		19	2%	1	17%	
				Female		372	41%	1	17%	
				Genderqueer		1	*	0	*	
				Male		374	42%	4	67%	
				Missing		118	13%	0	*	
				Non-Binary		3	*	0	*	
				Not Listed/Other		9	1%	0	*	
				Questioning		1	*	0	*	
				Transgender (Female to Male)		1	*	0	*	
				Two Spirit		0	*	0	*	
				Total Not In-Placement		898	100%	6	100%	

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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