

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

Statewide Totals

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)	24,384	
Screened-In for Response	12,474	51%
Screened-Out	10,153	42%
Screened-Out DA Referral	1,757	7%
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)	10,150	
Supported	4,026	40%
Substantiated Concern	1,721	17%
Unsupported	4,403	43%
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)	6,117	of 10,150 60%
Emergency Responses (5 business days)	1,249	of 1,737 72%
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	4,868	of 8,413 58%
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)	9.5%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)	1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)	20.38	per 100,000 days

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)	2,830	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	38,548	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	30,856	80%
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	7,692	20%
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	3,001	39%
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	5,208	
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	3,001	58%
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	2,073	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)	39,398	
Total Consumers	79,980	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)	452	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	254	56%

Reports & Consumer Counts

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

DCF Cases

12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)	20,686	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	17,356	84%
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	3,330	16%
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	1,207	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	1,286	

15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)	2,227	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	235	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	36	15%
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	58	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.		

All DCF Consumers

All DCF Consumers

18. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾	13,322	35%	734	35%	16,661	42%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	13,184	34%	710	34%	11,326	29%
Black ⁽¹⁾	5,090	13%	393	19%	5,742	15%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	414	1%	42	2%	569	1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	56	*	2	*	63	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	6	*	1	*	16	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	2,638	7%	117	6%	942	2%
Unable to Determine/Declined	1,623	4%	56	3%	2,064	5%
Missing	2,215	6%	18	*	2,015	5%
Total Consumers	38,548	100%	2,073	100%	39,398	100%
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding ⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races						

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
English/Unknown	35,466	92%	1,790	86%	32,930	84%
Spanish	2,055	5%	191	9%	4,159	11%
Portuguese	461	1%	16	*	836	2%
Other	170	*	43	2%	566	1%
Haitian Creole	165	*	18	*	369	*
Cape Verdean Creole	88	*	4	*	203	*
Chinese	16	*	5	*	52	*
Arabic	51	*	1	*	72	*
Khmer	16	*	1	*	60	*
Vietnamese	16	*	2	*	65	*
Russian	25	*	2	*	37	*
American Sign Language	12	*	0	*	29	*
French	7	*	0	*	20	*
Total Consumers	38,548	100%	2,073	100%	39,398	100%

20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	7,219	94%	1,129	70%
Voluntary Application	60	*	303	19%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	341	4%	163	10%
Institutional Abuse	41	*	9	*
Safe Haven	1	*	0	*
Other/Unspecified	30	*	1	*
Total In-Placement	7,692	100%	1,605	100%

21. Placement Type (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	3,000	39%	130	8%
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	1	*	1	*
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	1,747	23%	70	4%
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	457	6%	4	*
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	3	*	806	50%
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	962	13%	125	8%
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	583	8%	104	6%
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	7	*	0	*
Congregate Care - Residential School	351	5%	90	6%
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	232	3%	0	*
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	22	*	236	15%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	186	2%	34	2%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	141	2%	5	*
Total In-Placement	7,692	100%	1,605	100%

22. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	2,863	37%	601	37%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	2,488	32%	511	32%
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,110	14%	321	20%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	61	*	30	2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	32	*	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	899	12%	97	6%
Unable to Determine/Declined	233	3%	44	3%
Missing	4	*	0	*
Total In-Placement	7,692	100%	1,605	100%

28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Family Reunification	2,717	35%	42	3%
Adoption	3,058	40%	8	*
Guardianship	568	7%	10	*
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	426	6%	1,308	81%
Stabilize Intact Family	533	7%	89	6%
Permanent Care with Kin	226	3%	135	8%
Unspecified as of run-date	164	2%	13	*
Total In-Placement	7,692	100%	1,605	100%

29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	53		96	
Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11	
Total In-Placement	57		107	

A. Age Group (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth >18	
0 - 2 Years Old	1,417	18%	18 - 19 Years Old	758 47%
3 - 5 Years Old	1,283	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	669 42%
6 - 11 Years Old	2,077	27%	22 - 23 Years Old	171 11%
12 - 17 Years Old	2,915	38%	24 and Older	7 *
Unspecified	0	*		
Total In-Placement	7,692	100%	1,605	100%

24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Female	3,777	49%	862	54%
Male	3,915	51%	741	46%
Intersex	0	*	2	*
Missing	0	*	0	*
Total In-Placement	7,692	100%	1,605	100%

25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	3	*	3	*
Female	2,745	44%	805	50%
Gender Nonconforming	25	*	11	*
Genderqueer	3	*	1	*
Non-Binary	40	*	8	*
Male	2,862	46%	692	43%
Questioning	34	*	3	*
Transgender (FIM)	33	*	22	1%
Transgender (MtF)	6	*	8	*
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	183	3%	11	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	225	4%	35	2%
Missing	116	2%	6	*
Total In-Placement	6,275	100%	1,605	100%

26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	69	1%	28	2%
Bisexual	155	2%	78	5%
Gay	29	*	40	2%
Lesbian	26	*	32	2%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	34	*	10	*
Queer	6	*	6	*
Questioning	110	2%	12	*
Straight/Heterosexual	3,004	48%	1062	66%
Not Listed/Other	1,072	17%	107	7%
Does Not Wish to Answer	1,624	26%	224	14%
Missing	146	2%	6	*
Total In-Placement	6,275	100%	1,605	100%

27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0.5 Years or Less	1,704	22%	69	4%
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	1,165	15%	91	6%
>1 Year - 2 Years	1,846	24%	216	13%
>2 Years - 4 Years	1,878	24%	463	29%
>4 Years	1,081	14%	766	48%
Blank	18	*	0	*
Total In-Placement	7,692	100%	1,605	100%

Children and Youth In-Placement

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Children and Youth Not In-Placement

30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	28,339	92%	365	78%
Voluntary Application	112	*	41	9%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	1,132	4%	51	11%
Institutional Abuse	113	*	2	*
Safe Haven	1	*	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1,159	4%	9	2%
Total Not In-Placement	30,856	100%	468	100%

31. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	10,459	34%	133	28%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	10,696	35%	199	43%
Black ⁽¹⁾	3,980	13%	72	15%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	353	1%	12	3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	24	*	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	4	*	1	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	1,739	6%	20	4%
Unable to Determine/Declined	1,390	5%	12	3%
Missing	2,211	7%	18	4%
Total Not In-Placement	30,856	100%	468	100%

35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	126	*	5	1%
Bisexual	208	*	16	3%
Gay	45	*	10	2%
Lesbian	74	*	6	1%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	48	*	4	*
Queer	10	*	0	*
Questioning	179	*	4	*
Straight/Heterosexual	10,781	42%	276	59%
Not Listed/Other	2,727	11%	32	7%
Does Not Wish to Answer	5,153	20%	61	13%
Missing	6,524	25%	54	12%
Total Not In-Placement	25,875	100%	468	100%

37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	8		23	

32. Age Group (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	4,973	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	332 71%
3 - 5 Years Old	4,999	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	66 14%
6 - 11 Years Old	10,355	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	58 12%
12 - 17 Years Old	10,521	34%	24 and Older	12 3%
Unspecified	8	*		
Total Not In-Placement	30,856	100%	468	100%

33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Female	14,778	48%	247	53%
Male	15,212	49%	214	46%
Intersex	3	*	2	*
Missing	863	3%	5	1%
Total Not In-Placement	30,856	100%	468	100%

34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	15	*	1	*
Female	9,096	35%	209	45%
Gender Nonconforming	50	*	4	*
Genderqueer	7	*	1	*
Non-Binary	78	*	2	*
Male	9,411	36%	177	38%
Questioning	53	*	2	*
Transgender (FtM)	60	*	4	*
Transgender (MtF)	13	*	2	*
Two Spirit	1	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	491	2%	8	2%
Does Not Wish to Answer	613	2%	11	2%
Missing	5,987	23%	47	10%
Total Not In-Placement	25,875	100%	468	100%

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Boston										Boston										
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)					2,626					7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)					334				
	Screened-In for Response					1,433					8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					4,875				
	Screened-Out					1,026					Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement					3,894 80%				
	Screened-Out DA Referral					167					Consumer Children <18 In-Placement					981 20%				
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)					1,136					Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement					383 39%				
	Supported					444					Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					660				
	Substantiated Concern					229					Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					383 58%				
DCF Cases	Unsupported					463					9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					332				
	3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)					638 of 1,136					10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)					4,851				
	Emergency Responses (5 business days)					144 of 174					Total Consumers					10,044				
	Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)					494 of 962					11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)					38				
	4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)					8.4%					Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal					15 39%				
	5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)					1.72%					15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)					270				
	6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)					18.29 per 100,000 days					16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					26				
All DCF Consumers	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)					2,688					Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal					4 15%				
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement					2,226					17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					9				
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement					462					Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.									
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)					149														
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)					166														
	18. Race (06/30/23)					Child <18					19. Primary Language (06/30/23)					Child <18				
	White ⁽¹⁾					494					English/Unknown					4,359 89%				
Children and Youth In-Placement	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾					1,774					Spanish					378 8%				
	Black ⁽¹⁾					1,674					Portuguese					36 *				
	Asian ⁽¹⁾					54					Other					10 *				
	Native American ⁽¹⁾					5					Haitian Creole					49 1%				
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾					0					Cape Verdean Creole					27 *				
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}					205					Chinese					5 *				
	Unable to Determine/Declined					217					Arabic					5 *				
All DCF Consumers	Missing					452					Khmer					0 *				
	Total Consumers					4,875					Vietnamese					4 *				
	⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding					100%					Russian					2 *				
	⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					332					American Sign Language					0 *				
						100%					French					0 *				
						4,851					Total Consumers					4,875 100%				
						100%					23. Age Group (06/30/23)					Child <18				
Children and Youth In-Placement	20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					Child <18					0 - 2 Years Old					18 - 19 Years Old				
	51A Report					924 94%					197 20%					98 38%				
	Voluntary Application					8 *					3 - 5 Years Old					20 - 21 Years Old				
	Court Referral/CRA Referral					39 4%					6 - 11 Years Old					22 - 23 Years Old				
	Institutional Abuse					4 *					12 - 17 Years Old					24 and Older				
	Safe Haven					0 *					Unspecified					0 *				
	Other/Unspecified					6 *					Total In-Placement					981 100%				
Children and Youth In-Placement	Total In-Placement					981 100%					257 100%					257 100%				
	21. Placement Type (06/30/23)					Child <18					24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)					Child <18				
	DFC - Foster Care - Kinship					383 39%					Female					472 48%				
	DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific					0 *					Male					509 52%				
	DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated					230 23%					Intersex					0 *				
	DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive					46 5%					Missing					0 *				
	DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living					1 *					Total In-Placement					981 100%				
Children and Youth In-Placement	Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)					106 11%					25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)					Child 3-17				
	Congregate Care - Treatment Residence					75 8%					Androgynous					1 *				
	Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence					0 *					Female					340 43%				
	Congregate Care - Residential School					39 4%					Gender Nonconforming					3 *				
	Congregate Care - Emergency Residence					15 2%					Genderqueer					1 *				
	Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult					4 *					Non-Binary					2 *				
	Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)					31 3%					Male					356 45%				
Children and Youth In-Placement	Missing/Absent from Approved Placement					51 5%					Questioning					5 *				
	Total In-Placement					981 100%					Transgender (FtM)					2 *				
						257 100%					Transgender (MtF)					2 *				
											Two Spirit					0 *				
											Not Listed/Other					22 3%				
											Does Not Wish to Answer					24 3%				
											Missing					26 3%				
Children and Youth In-Placement	22. Race (06/30/23)					Child <18					26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Child 3-17				
	White ⁽¹⁾					175 18%					Asexual					7 *				
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾					309 31%					Bisexual					15 2%				
	Black ⁽¹⁾					352 36%					Gay					3 *				
	Asian ⁽¹⁾					7 *					Lesbian					1 *				
	Native American ⁽¹⁾					3 *					Pansexual/Omnisexual					2 *				
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾					0 *					Queer					0 *				
Children and Youth In-Placement	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}					96 10%					Questioning					10 1%				
	Unable to Determine/Declined					37 4%					Straight/Heterosexual					392 50%				
	Missing					2 *					Not Listed/Other					124 16%				
	Total In-Placement					981 100%					Does Not Wish to Answer					198 25%				
						257 100%					Missing					32 4%				
											Total In-Placement					784 100%				
											27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)					Child <18				
Children and Youth In-Placement	28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)					Child <18					0.5 Years or Less					209 21%				
	Family Reunification					381 39%					>0.5 Years - 1 Year					133 14%				
	Adoption					351 36%					>1 Year - 2 Years					248 25%				
	Guardianship					71 7%					>2 Years - 4 Years					219 22%				
	APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement					45 5%					>4 Years					164 17%				
	Stabilize Intact Family					88 9%					Blank					8 *				
	Permanent Care with Kin					14 1%					Total In-Placement					981 100%				
Children and Youth In-Placement	Unspecified as of run-date					31 3%										257 100%				
	Total In-Placement					981 100%														
Children and Youth In-Placement	29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)					Child <18														
	688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)					6														
	Interim Placement Policy Program					4														
	Total In-Placement					10														
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DCF Region: Boston					Boston				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	3,579	92%	65	87%	0 - 2 Years Old	612	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	51 68%
Voluntary Application	16	*	3	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	632	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	15 20%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	86	2%	5	7%	6 - 11 Years Old	1,276	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	8 11%
Institutional Abuse	17	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	1,372	35%	24 and Older	1 1%
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	2	*		
Other/Unspecified	196	5%	2	3%					
Total Not In-Placement	3,894	100%	75	100%	Total Not In-Placement	3,894	100%	75	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	319	8%	7	9%	Female	1,870	48%	48	64%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	1,465	38%	36	48%	Male	1,828	47%	26	35%
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,322	34%	24	32%	Intersex	1	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	47	1%	0	*	Missing	195	5%	1	1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	3,894	100%	75	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	109	3%	3	4%					
Unable to Determine/Declined	180	5%	2	3%					
Missing	450	12%	3	4%					
Total Not In-Placement	3,894	100%	75	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	10	*	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	24	*	2	3%	Female	1,062	32%	38	51%
Gay	3	*	2	3%	Gender Nonconforming	3	*	0	*
Lesbian	10	*	1	1%	Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	2	*	0	*	Non-Binary	6	*	1	1%
Queer	1	*	0	*	Male	1,029	31%	22	29%
Questioning	17	*	0	*	Questioning	7	*	1	1%
Straight/Heterosexual	1,193	36%	45	60%	Transgender (FtM)	6	*	1	1%
Not Listed/Other	345	11%	5	7%	Transgender (MtF)	1	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	550	17%	12	16%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	1,125	34%	8	11%	Not Listed/Other	52	2%	2	3%
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Bisexual		4	*	0	*				
Gay		2	*	0	*				
Lesbian		3	*	1	7%				
Pansexual/Omnisexual		0	*	0	*				
Queer		0	*	0	*				
Questioning		8	*	0	*				
Straight/Heterosexual		289	35%	7	47%				
Not Listed/Other		75	9%	1	7%				
Does Not Wish to Answer		243	30%	4	27%				
Missing		199	24%	2	13%				
Total Not In-Placement		823	100%	15	100%				
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18					
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		0		1					

32. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18			
0 - 2 Years Old		152	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	10	67%	
3 - 5 Years Old		152	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	2	13%	
6 - 11 Years Old		307	31%	22 - 23 Years Old	3	20%	
12 - 17 Years Old		364	37%	24 and Older	0	*	
Unspecified		0	*				
Total Not In-Placement		975	100%			15	100%
33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18			
Female		481	49%	7	47%		
Male		458	47%	8	53%		
Intersex		1	*	0	*		
Missing		35	4%	0	*		
Total Not In-Placement		975	100%			15	100%
34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			
Androgynous		0	*	0	*		
Female		295	36%	4	27%		
Gender Nonconforming		2	*	0	*		
Genderqueer		0	*	0	*		
Non-Binary		3	*	0	*		
Male		276	34%	6	40%		
Questioning		2	*	0	*		
Transgender (FtM)		2	*	1	7%		
Transgender (MtF)		1	*	0	*		
Two Spirit		0	*	0	*		
Not Listed/Other		13	2%	0	*		
Does Not Wish to Answer		46	6%	2	13%		
Missing		183	22%	2	13%		
Total Not In-Placement		823	100%			15	100%

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Boston					Hyde Park					
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				757					
	Screened-In for Response				457		60%			
	Screened-Out				225		30%			
	Screened-Out DA Referral				75		10%			
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				345					
	Supported				113		33%			
	Substantiated Concern				67		19%			
Unsupported				165		48%				
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				168 of 345		49%				
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				42 of 49		86%				
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				126 of 296		43%				
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				5.3%						
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%						
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				6.77 per 100,000 days						
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				579					
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				460		79%			
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				119		21%			
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				46					
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				38						
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
	White ⁽¹⁾				88		8%		3 3%	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				276		26%		23 23%	
	Black ⁽¹⁾				485		46%		64 65%	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				5		*		1 1%	
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				3		*		0 *	
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0		*		0 *	
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				42		4%		4 4%	
	Unable to Determine/Declined				28		3%		1 1%	
	Missing				118		11%		2 2%	
Total Consumers				1,045		100%		98 100%		
⁽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 (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	51A Report				219		92%		68 86%	
	Voluntary Application				2		*		6 8%	
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				14		6%		5 6%	
	Institutional Abuse				1		*		0 *	
	Safe Haven				0		*		0 *	
	Other/Unspecified				1		*		0 *	
	Total In-Placement				237		100%		79 100%	
	21. Placement Type (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				83		35%		9 11%	
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific				0		*		0 *		
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				55		23%		4 5%		
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive				13		5%		0 *		
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				1		*		42 53%		
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				23		10%		6 8%		
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				18		8%		2 3%		
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence				0		*		0 *		
Congregate Care - Residential School				5		2%		8 10%		
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				6		3%		0 *		
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult				1		*		6 8%		
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				10		4%		2 3%		
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				22		9%		0 *		
Total In-Placement				237		100%		79 100%		
22. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
White ⁽¹⁾				31		13%		3 4%		
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				61		26%		12 15%		
Black ⁽¹⁾				117		49%		58 73%		
Asian ⁽¹⁾				1		*		1 1%		
Native American ⁽¹⁾				2		*		0 *		
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0		*		0 *		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				19		8%		4 5%		
Unable to Determine/Declined				6		3%		1 1%		
Missing				0		*		0 *		
Total In-Placement				237		100%		79 100%		
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
Family Reunification				95		40%		2 3%		
Adoption				85		36%		0 *		
Guardianship				14		6%		2 3%		
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				15		6%		71 90%		
Stabilize Intact Family				21		9%		3 4%		
Permanent Care with Kin				2		*		1 1%		
Unspecified as of run-date				5		2%		0 *		
Total In-Placement				237		100%		79 100%		
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				2		12				
Interim Placement Policy Program				4		11				
Total In-Placement				6		23				
Reports & Consumer Counts	7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)				101					
	8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				1,045					
	Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement				808		77%			
	Consumer Children <18 In-Placement				237		23%			
	Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement				83		35%			
	Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				152					
	Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				83		55%			
	9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				98					
	10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)				998					
	Total Consumers				2,140					
DCF Cases	11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)				11					
	Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal				6		55%			
	15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)				62					
	16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				9					
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal				0						
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				1						
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.										
All DCF Consumers	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
	English/Unknown				980		94%		88 90%	
	Spanish				31		3%		2 2%	
	Portuguese				3		*		1 1%	
	Other				4		*		1 1%	
	Haitian Creole				15		1%		4 4%	
	Cape Verdean Creole				8		*		1 1%	
	Chinese				0		*		1 1%	
	Arabic				1		*		0 *	
	Khmer				0		*		0 *	
Vietnamese				3		*		0 *		
Russian				0		*		0 *		
American Sign Language				0		*		0 *		
French				0		*		0 *		
Total Consumers				1,045		100%		98 100%		
Children and Youth In-Placement	23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	0 - 2 Years Old				38		16%		18 - 19 Years Old	
	3 - 5 Years Old				41		17%		20 - 21 Years Old	
	6 - 11 Years Old				59		25%		22 - 23 Years Old	
	12 - 17 Years Old				99		42%		24 and Older	
	Unspecified				0		*			
	Total In-Placement				237		100%		79 100%	
	24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	Female				115		49%		48 61%	
	Male				122		51%		31 39%	
Intersex				0		*		0 *		
Missing				0		*		0 *		
Total In-Placement				237		100%		79 100%		
Children and Youth In-Placement	25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			
	Androgynous				0		*		0 *	
	Female				82		41%		46 58%	
	Gender Nonconforming				0		*		0 *	
	Genderqueer				0		*		0 *	
	Non-Binary				2		1%		1 1%	
	Male				95		48%		25 32%	
	Questioning				1		*		0 *	
	Transgender (FTM)				0		*		1 1%	
	Transgender (MtF)				0		*		3 4%	
Two Spirit				0		*		0 *		
Not Listed/Other				9		5%		2 3%		
Does Not Wish to Answer				5		3%		0 *		
Missing				5		3%		1 1%		
Total In-Placement				199		100%		79 100%		
Children and Youth In-Placement	26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			
	Asexual				0		*		1 1%	
	Bisexual				7		4%		2 3%	
	Gay				0		*		1 1%	
	Lesbian				0		*		3 4%	
	Pansexual/Omnisexual				2		1%		1 1%	
	Queer				0		*		0 *	
	Questioning				1		*		0 *	
	Straight/Heterosexual				102		51%		49 62%	
	Not Listed/Other				40		20%		9 11%	
Does Not Wish to Answer				42		21%		12 15%		
Missing				5		3%		1 1%		
Total In-Placement				199		100%		79 100%		
Children and Youth In-Placement	27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	0.5 Years or Less				45		19%		1 1%	
	>0.5 Years - 1 Year				35		15%		4 5%	
	>1 Year - 2 Years				57		24%		10 13%	
	>2 Years - 4 Years				43		18%		16 20%	
	>4 Years				54		23%		48 61%	
	Blank				3		1%		0 *	
	Total In-Placement				237		100%		79 100%	

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DCF Region: Boston					Hyde Park				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	733	91%	16	84%	0 - 2 Years Old	146	18%	18 - 19 Years Old	13 68%
Voluntary Application	1	*	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	152	19%	20 - 21 Years Old	4 21%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	20	2%	1	5%	6 - 11 Years Old	257	32%	22 - 23 Years Old	2 11%
Institutional Abuse	7	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	252	31%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	1	*		
Other/Unspecified	47	6%	2	11%					
Total Not In-Placement	808	100%	19	100%	Total Not In-Placement	808	100%	19	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	67	7%	0	*	Female	360	45%	11	58%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	215	27%	11	58%	Male	405	50%	7	37%
Black ⁽¹⁾	368	46%	6	32%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	*	0	*	Missing	43	5%	1	5%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	808	100%	19	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	23	3%	0	*					
Unable to Determine/Declined	22	3%	0	*					
Missing	118	15%	2	11%					
Total Not In-Placement	808	100%	19	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	0	*	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	9	1%	1	5%	Female	199	30%	9	47%
Gay	0	*	0	*	Gender Nonconforming	1	*	0	*
Lesbian	2	*	0	*	Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	0	*	Non-Binary	1	*	1	5%
Queer	1	*	0	*	Male	225	34%	6	32%
Questioning	1	*	0	*	Questioning	0	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	244	37%	14	74%	Transgender (FtM)	0	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	76	11%	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	87	13%	2	11%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	241	36%	2	11%	Not Listed/Other	3	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	661	100%	19	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	7	1%	1	5%
					Missing	225	34%	2	11%
					Total Not In-Placement	661	100%	19	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	1		0						

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Boston

Reports & Consumer Counts

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)		668	
Screened-In for Response	364	54%	
Screened-Out	281	42%	
Screened-Out DA Referral	23	3%	
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)		276	
Supported	103	37%	
Substantiated Concern	40	14%	
Unsupported	133	48%	
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)		128 of 276 46%	
Emergency Responses (5 business days)	29 of 38	76%	
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	99 of 238	42%	
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		10.3%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		26.14 per 100,000 days	

DCF Cases

12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)		701	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	566	81%	
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	135	19%	
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		22	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		42	

All DCF Consumers

18. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾	136	11%	7	9%	196	15%	
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	428	34%	26	34%	377	29%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	449	36%	36	47%	515	40%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	19	2%	2	3%	28	2%	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	1	*	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0	*	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	50	4%	2	3%	24	2%	
Unable to Determine/Declined	49	4%	3	4%	67	5%	
Missing	120	10%	0	*	91	7%	
Total Consumers	1,251	100%	76	100%	1,299	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 (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	274	96%	44	83%	
Voluntary Application	1	*	1	2%	
Court Referral/CRA Referral	9	3%	7	13%	
Institutional Abuse	1	*	1	2%	
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	0	*	0	*	
Total In-Placement	285	100%	53	100%	
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	134	47%	4	8%	
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0	*	0	*	
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	67	24%	1	2%	
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	17	6%	0	*	
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	22	42%	
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	9	3%	1	2%	
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	21	7%	9	17%	
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0	*	0	*	
Congregate Care - Residential School	13	5%	10	19%	
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	3	1%	0	*	
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	0	*	6	11%	
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	8	3%	0	*	
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	13	5%	0	*	
Total In-Placement	285	100%	53	100%	
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	48	17%	6	11%	
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	86	30%	13	25%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	111	39%	28	53%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	5	2%	2	4%	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	24	8%	1	2%	
Unable to Determine/Declined	10	4%	3	6%	
Missing	1	*	0	*	
Total In-Placement	285	100%	53	100%	
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Family Reunification	106	37%	2	4%	
Adoption	96	34%	0	*	
Guardianship	24	8%	1	2%	
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	13	5%	45	85%	
Stabilize Intact Family	35	12%	1	2%	
Permanent Care with Kin	3	1%	4	8%	
Unspecified as of run-date	8	3%	0	*	
Total In-Placement	285	100%	53	100%	
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	1		5		
Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11		
Total In-Placement	5		16		

Jackson Square

Reports & Consumer Counts

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)		105	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,251	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	966	77%	
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	285	23%	
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	134	47%	
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)		218	
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	134	61%	
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		76	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,299	
Total Consumers		2,623	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)		14	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal		4 29%	
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)		78	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		4	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal		1 25%	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		1	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.			

All DCF Consumers

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
English/Unknown	1,149	92%	71	93%	1,065	82%	
Spanish	63	5%	3	4%	138	11%	
Portuguese	16	1%	0	*	17	1%	
Other	2	*	0	*	26	2%	
Haitian Creole	16	1%	1	1%	27	2%	
Cape Verdean Creole	1	*	0	*	4	*	
Chinese	2	*	1	1%	9	*	
Arabic	0	*	0	*	3	*	
Khmer	0	*	0	*	1	*	
Vietnamese	0	*	0	*	0	*	
Russian	2	*	0	*	7	*	
American Sign Language	0	*	0	*	2	*	
French	0	*	0	*	0	*	
Total Consumers	1,251	100%	76	100%	1,299	100%	
23. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18			
0 - 2 Years Old	69	24%	18 - 19 Years Old	26	49%		
3 - 5 Years Old	56	20%	20 - 21 Years Old	24	45%		
6 - 11 Years Old	62	22%	22 - 23 Years Old	3	6%		
12 - 17 Years Old	98	34%	24 and Older	0	*		
Unspecified	0	*					
Total In-Placement	285	100%		53	100%		
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18			
Female	132	46%	24	45%			
Male	153	54%	29	55%			
Intersex	0	*	0	*			
Missing	0	*	0	*			
Total In-Placement	285	100%	53	100%			
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			
Androgynous	0	*	0	*			
Female	95	44%	23	43%			
Gender Nonconforming	0	*	0	*			
Genderqueer	0	*	0	*			
Non-Binary	0	*	0	*			
Male	97	45%	28	53%			
Questioning	0	*	0	*			
Transgender (FtM)	1	*	0	*			
Transgender (MtF)	1	*	0	*			
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*			
Not Listed/Other	10	5%	0	*			
Does Not Wish to Answer	3	1%	2	4%			
Missing	9	4%	0	*			
Total In-Placement	216	100%	53	100%			
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			
Asexual	5	2%	0	*			
Bisexual	4	2%	2	4%			
Gay	0	*	0	*			
Lesbian	0	*	0	*			
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	0	*			
Queer	0	*	0	*			
Questioning	4	2%	0	*			
Straight/Heterosexual	108	50%	38	72%			
Not Listed/Other	30	14%	5	9%			
Does Not Wish to Answer	55	25%	8	15%			
Missing	10	5%	0	*			
Total In-Placement	216	100%	53	100%			
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18			
0.5 Years or Less	66	23%	2	4%			
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	31	11%	3	6%			
>1 Year - 2 Years	70	25%	2	4%			
>2 Years - 4 Years	70	25%	13	25%			
>4 Years	47	16%	33	62%			
Blank	1	*	0	*			
Total In-Placement	285	100%	53	100%			

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Boston					Jackson Square				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	889	92%	19	83%	0 - 2 Years Old	145	15%	18 - 19 Years Old	14 61%
Voluntary Application	3	*	2	9%	3 - 5 Years Old	152	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	8 35%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	16	2%	2	9%	6 - 11 Years Old	326	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 4%
Institutional Abuse	6	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	343	36%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	52	5%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	966	100%	23	100%	Total Not In-Placement	966	100%	23	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	88	9%	1	4%	Female	458	47%	18	78%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	342	35%	13	57%	Male	459	48%	5	22%
Black ⁽¹⁾	338	35%	8	35%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	14	1%	0	*	Missing	49	5%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	966	100%	23	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	26	3%	1	4%	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined	39	4%	0	*		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Missing	119	12%	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	966	100%	23	100%	Female	279	34%	16	70%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Gender Nonconforming	0	*	0	*
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Asexual	2	*	0	*	Non-Binary	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	5	*	1	4%	Male	262	32%	5	22%
Gay	1	*	1	4%	Questioning	4	*	0	*
Lesbian	1	*	0	*	Transgender (FtM)	0	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	1	*	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Questioning	7	*	0	*	Not Listed/Other	19	2%	2	9%
Straight/Heterosexual	334	41%	17	74%	Does Not Wish to Answer	11	1%	0	*
Not Listed/Other	84	10%	3	13%	Missing	246	30%	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	113	14%	1	4%	Total Not In-Placement	821	100%	23	100%
Missing	273	33%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	821	100%	23	100%	37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)				
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)						Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	3		1			3		1	

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)																							
DCF Region: Boston					Park Street																		
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				663	7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)				89													
	Screened-In for Response				325	Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement				1,145	82%												
	Screened-Out				282	Consumer Children <18 In-Placement				243	18%												
	Screened-Out DA Referral				56	Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement				95	39%												
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				250	Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				169													
	Supported				115	Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				95	56%												
	Substantiated Concern				59																		
Unsupported				76																			
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				96	of	250	38%	9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				78											
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				36	of	47	77%	10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)				1,301											
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				60	of	203	30%	Total Consumers				2,760											
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				6.7%																			
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%																			
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				16.23			per 100,000 days																
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				723	15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)				66													
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				606	84%																	
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				117	16%																	
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				35			16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				7												
							Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal				0												
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				40			17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				1												
							Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.																
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults									
	White ⁽¹⁾				111	8%	7	9%	156	12%	English/Unknown				1,290	93%	73	94%	1,107	85%			
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				384	28%	17	22%	301	23%	Spanish				55	4%	3	4%	112	9%			
	Black ⁽¹⁾				616	44%	44	56%	592	46%	Portuguese				1	*	0	*	0	*			
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				23	2%	3	4%	26	2%	Other				2	*	0	*	22	2%			
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				1	*	0	*	1	*	Haitian Creole				17	1%	0	*	22	2%			
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*	1	*	Cape Verdean Creole				18	1%	2	3%	19	1%			
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				58	4%	4	5%	26	2%	Chinese				3	*	0	*	3	*			
	Unable to Determine/Declined				71	5%	3	4%	79	6%	Arabic				1	*	0	*	2	*			
	Missing				124	9%	0	*	119	9%	Khmer				0	*	0	*	0	*			
Total Consumers				1,388	100%	78	100%	1,301	100%	Vietnamese				1	*	0	*	12	*				
				⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding								Russian				0	*	0	*	0	*		
				⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races								American Sign Language				0	*	0	*	2	*		
												French				0	*	0	*	0	*		
												Total Consumers				1,388	100%	78	100%	1,301	100%		
Children and Youth In-Placement	20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18					
	51A Report				229	94%	47	78%	0 - 2 Years Old				52	21%	18 - 19 Years Old		21	35%					
	Voluntary Application				2	*	8	13%	3 - 5 Years Old				39	16%	20 - 21 Years Old		26	43%					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				8	3%	5	8%	6 - 11 Years Old				68	28%	22 - 23 Years Old		13	22%					
	Institutional Abuse				2	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old				84	35%	24 and Older		0	*					
	Safe Haven				0	*	0	*	Unspecified				0	*									
	Other/Unspecified				2	*	0	*															
	Total In-Placement				243	100%	60	100%	Total In-Placement				243	100%	60				100%				
	21. Placement Type (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18	26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18					
	DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				95	39%	7	12%	Androgynous				1	*	0	*	Asexual		2	1%	5	8%	
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific				0	*	0	*	Female				83	43%	27	45%	Bisexual		2	1%	1	2%		
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				68	28%	1	2%	Gender Nonconforming				1	*	0	*	Gay		2	1%	0	*		
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive				6	2%	0	*	Genderqueer				1	*	0	*	Lesbian		1	*	3	5%		
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0	*	37	62%	Non-Binary				0	*	0	*	Pansexual/Omnisexual		0	*	0	*		
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				24	10%	3	5%	Male				90	47%	23	38%	Queer		0	*	0	*		
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				24	10%	2	3%	Questioning				2	1%	0	*	Questioning		3	2%	0	*		
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence				0	*	0	*	Transgender (FtM)				0	*	0	*	Straight/Heterosexual		120	63%	24	40%		
Congregate Care - Residential School				7	3%	5	8%	Transgender (MtF)				1	*	0	*	Not Listed/Other		25	13%	0	*		
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				3	1%	0	*	Two Spirit				0	*	0	*	Does Not Wish to Answer		25	13%	27	45%		
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult				2	*	5	8%	Not Listed/Other				1	*	0	*	Missing		11	6%	0	*		
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				5	2%	0	*	Does Not Wish to Answer				4	2%	10	17%	Total In-Placement				191	100%	60	100%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				9	4%	0	*					7	4%	0	*								
Total In-Placement				243	100%	60	100%																
22. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18						
White ⁽¹⁾				45	19%	5	8%	0.5 Years or Less				51	21%	3	5%	688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)		3	9				
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				58	24%	14	23%	>0.5 Years - 1 Year				32	13%	7	12%	Interim Placement Policy Program		4	11				
Black ⁽¹⁾				95	39%	34	57%	>1 Year - 2 Years				58	24%	2	3%	Total In-Placement		7	20				
Asian ⁽¹⁾				1	*	3	5%	>2 Years - 4 Years				66	27%	24	40%								
Native American ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*	>4 Years				35	14%	24	40%								
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*	Blank				1	*	0	*								
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				30	12%	3	5%																
Unable to Determine/Declined				13	5%	1	2%																
Missing				1	*	0	*																
Total In-Placement				243	100%	60	100%																
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18																		
Family Reunification				88	36%	2	3%																
Adoption				86	35%	0	*																
Guardianship				24	10%	0	*																
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				7	3%	51	85%																
Stabilize Intact Family				21	9%	3	5%																
Permanent Care with Kin				2	*	3	5%																
Unspecified as of run-date				15	6%	1	2%																
Total In-Placement				243	100%	60	100%																
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18																		
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				3	9																		
Interim Placement Policy Program				4	11																		
Total In-Placement				7	20																		
Children and Youth In-Placement																							

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Boston					Park Street				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,057	92%	18	100%	0 - 2 Years Old	169	15%	18 - 19 Years Old	14 78%
Voluntary Application	8	*	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	176	15%	20 - 21 Years Old	1 6%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	27	2%	0	*	6 - 11 Years Old	386	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	2 11%
Institutional Abuse	2	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	413	36%	24 and Older	1 6%
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	1	*		
Other/Unspecified	51	4%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,145	100%	18	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,145	100%	18	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	66	6%	2	11%	Female	571	50%	12	67%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	326	28%	3	17%	Male	506	44%	6	33%
Black ⁽¹⁾	521	46%	10	56%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	22	2%	0	*	Missing	68	6%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,145	100%	18	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	28	2%	1	6%	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined	58	5%	2	11%		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Missing	123	11%	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,145	100%	18	100%	Female	289	30%	9	50%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Gender Nonconforming	0	*	0	*
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Asexual	8	*	0	*	Non-Binary	2	*	0	*
Bisexual	6	*	0	*	Male	266	27%	5	28%
Gay	0	*	1	6%	Questioning	1	*	1	6%
Lesbian	4	*	0	*	Transgender (FtM)	4	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	1	*	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Questioning	1	*	0	*	Not Listed/Other	17	2%	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	326	33%	7	39%	Does Not Wish to Answer	5	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	110	11%	1	6%	Missing	391	40%	3	17%
Does Not Wish to Answer	107	11%	5	28%	Total Not In-Placement	975	100%	18	100%
Missing	412	42%	4	22%					
Total Not In-Placement	975	100%	18	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		2						

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Central MA

Reports & Consumer Counts

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)

3,082

Screened-In for Response1,72156%

Screened-Out1,03334%

Screened-Out DA Referral32811%

2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)

1,475

Supported70248%

Substantiated Concern16711%

Unsupported60641%

3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)

1,088

of1,47574%

Emergency Responses (5 business days)242of36866%

Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)846of1,10776%

4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)

7.7%

5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)

1.72%

6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)

19.08

per 100,000 days

DCF Cases

12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)

3,887

Clinical Cases - Non Placement3,33986%

Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement54814%

13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)

215

14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)

195

All DCF Consumers

18. Race (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults
White ⁽¹⁾	3,226 43%	131 46%	4,030 50%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	2,726 36%	102 36%	2,422 30%
Black ⁽¹⁾	510 7%	29 10%	660 8%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	49 *	3 1%	84 1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5 *	0 *	8 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2 *	0 *	1 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	521 7%	14 5%	214 3%
Unable to Determine/Declined	308 4%	4 1%	406 5%
Missing	191 3%	1 *	196 2%
Total Consumers	7,538 100%	284 100%	8,021 100%

⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults
English/Unknown	6,953 92%	267 94%	6,816 85%
Spanish	374 5%	11 4%	786 10%
Portuguese	131 2%	4 1%	193 2%
Other	30 *	2 *	122 2%
Haitian Creole	19 *	0 *	41 *
Cape Verdean Creole	0 *	0 *	1 *
Chinese	0 *	0 *	2 *
Arabic	22 *	0 *	25 *
Khmer	0 *	0 *	0 *
Vietnamese	4 *	0 *	16 *
Russian	0 *	0 *	2 *
American Sign Language	1 *	0 *	9 *
French	4 *	0 *	8 *
Total Consumers	7,538 100%	284 100%	8,021 100%

Children and Youth In-Placement

20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
51A Report	1,338 94%	148 66%
Voluntary Application	7 *	47 21%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	68 5%	30 13%
Institutional Abuse	5 *	0 *
Safe Haven	1 *	0 *
Other/Unspecified	1 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

21. Placement Type (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	619 44%	16 7%
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0 *	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	274 19%	6 3%
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	134 9%	1 *
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	1 *	129 57%
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	127 9%	20 9%
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	101 7%	14 6%
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	2 *	0 *
Congregate Care - Residential School	49 3%	12 5%
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	67 5%	0 *
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	1 *	14 6%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	30 2%	12 5%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	15 1%	1 *
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

22. Race (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
White ⁽¹⁾	580 41%	107 48%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	499 35%	78 35%
Black ⁽¹⁾	124 9%	24 11%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4 *	2 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	4 *	0 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	170 12%	12 5%
Unable to Determine/Declined	39 3%	2 *
Missing	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Family Reunification	535 38%	5 2%
Adoption	591 42%	1 *
Guardianship	103 7%	1 *
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	60 4%	198 88%
Stabilize Intact Family	82 6%	9 4%
Permanent Care with Kin	22 2%	9 4%
Unspecified as of run-date	27 2%	2 *
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	6	6
Interim Placement Policy Program	4	11
Total In-Placement	10	17

Central MA

Reports & Consumer Counts

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)

351

8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)

7,538

Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement6,118 81%

Consumer Children <18 In-Placement1,420 19%

Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement619 44%

Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)1,028

Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)619 60%

9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)

284

10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)

8,021

Total Consumers15,838

11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)

92

Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal53 58%

15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)

401

16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)

42

Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal4 10%

17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)

11

Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.

DCF Cases

23. Age Group (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0 - 2 Years Old	273 19%	18 - 19 Years Old96 43%
3 - 5 Years Old	237 17%	20 - 21 Years Old102 45%
6 - 11 Years Old	422 30%	22 - 23 Years Old24 11%
12 - 17 Years Old	488 34%	24 and Older3 1%
Unspecified	0 *	
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Female	685 48%	129 57%
Male	735 52%	96 43%
Intersex	0 *	0 *
Missing	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)

	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Androgynous	0 *	0 *
Female	475 41%	125 56%
Gender Nonconforming	3 *	2 *
Genderqueer	1 *	0 *
Non-Binary	9 *	0 *
Male	535 47%	94 42%
Questioning	5 *	0 *
Transgender (FtM)	11 *	1 *
Transgender (MtF)	0 *	1 *
Two Spirit	0 *	0 *
Not Listed/Other	44 4%	0 *
Does Not Wish to Answer	45 4%	2 *
Missing	19 2%	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,147 100%	225 100%

26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)

	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Asexual	5 *	1 *
Bisexual	36 3%	13 6%
Gay	6 *	7 3%
Lesbian	5 *	3 1%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	4 *	0 *
Queer	3 *	1 *
Questioning	24 2%	1 *
Straight/Heterosexual	521 45%	178 79%
Not Listed/Other	254 22%	7 3%
Does Not Wish to Answer	266 23%	14 6%
Missing	23 2%	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,147 100%	225 100%

27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0.5 Years or Less	345 24%	10 4%
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	244 17%	10 4%
>1 Year - 2 Years	325 23%	20 9%
>2 Years - 4 Years	339 24%	69 31%
>4 Years	166 12%	116 52%
Blank	1 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

Children and Youth In-Placement

23. Age Group (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0 - 2 Years Old	273 19%	18 - 19 Years Old96 43%
3 - 5 Years Old	237 17%	20 - 21 Years Old102 45%
6 - 11 Years Old	422 30%	22 - 23 Years Old24 11%
12 - 17 Years Old	488 34%	24 and Older3 1%
Unspecified	0 *	
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Female	685 48%	129 57%
Male	735 52%	96 43%
Intersex	0 *	0 *
Missing	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)

	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Androgynous	0 *	0 *
Female	475 41%	125 56%
Gender Nonconforming	3 *	2 *
Genderqueer	1 *	0 *
Non-Binary	9 *	0 *
Male	535 47%	94 42%
Questioning	5 *	0 *
Transgender (FtM)	11 *	1 *
Transgender (MtF)	0 *	1 *
Two Spirit	0 *	0 *
Not Listed/Other	44 4%	0 *
Does Not Wish to Answer	45 4%	2 *
Missing	19 2%	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,147 100%	225 100%

26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)

	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Asexual	5 *	1 *
Bisexual	36 3%	13 6%
Gay	6 *	7 3%
Lesbian	5 *	3 1%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	4 *	0 *
Queer	3 *	1 *
Questioning	24 2%	1 *
Straight/Heterosexual	521 45%	178 79%
Not Listed/Other	254 22%	7 3%
Does Not Wish to Answer	266 23%	14 6%
Missing	23 2%	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,147 100%	225 100%

27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0.5 Years or Less	345 24%	10 4%
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>2 Years - 4 Years	339 24%	69 31%
>4 Years	166 12%	116 52%
Blank	1 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,420 100%	225 100%

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DCF Region: Central MA					Central MA				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	5,635	92%	48	81%	0 - 2 Years Old	953	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	47 80%
Voluntary Application	15	*	2	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,019	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	3 5%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	215	4%	7	12%	6 - 11 Years Old	2,127	35%	22 - 23 Years Old	8 14%
Institutional Abuse	18	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	2,019	33%	24 and Older	1 2%
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	235	4%	2	3%					
Total Not In-Placement	6,118	100%	59	100%	Total Not In-Placement	6,118	100%	59	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	2,646	43%	24	41%	Female	2,936	48%	27	46%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	2,227	36%	24	41%	Male	3,082	50%	31	53%
Black ⁽¹⁾	386	6%	5	8%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	45	*	1	2%	Missing	100	2%	1	2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	6,118	100%	59	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	351	6%	2	3%	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined	269	4%	2	3%		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Missing	191	3%	1	2%	Androgynous	2	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	6,118	100%	59	100%	Female	1,918	37%	25	42%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Gender Nonconforming	17	*	0	*
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Genderqueer	3	*	0	*
Asexual	10	*	1	2%	Non-Binary	13	*	0	*
Bisexual	54	1%	3	5%	Male	1,993	39%	25	42%
Gay	11	*	0	*	Questioning	10	*	1	2%
Lesbian	16	*	1	2%	Transgender (FtM)	15	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	18	*	2	3%	Transgender (MtF)	3	*	0	*
Queer	2	*	0	*	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Questioning	39	*	0	*	Not Listed/Other	73	1%	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	2,305	45%	34	58%	Does Not Wish to Answer	107	2%	0	*
Not Listed/Other	519	10%	3	5%	Missing	1,011	20%	8	14%
Does Not Wish to Answer	1,079	21%	5	8%	Total Not In-Placement	5,165	100%	59	100%
Missing	1,112	22%	10	17%					
Total Not In-Placement	5,165	100%	59	100%	37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)				
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)						Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)						0		1	

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Central MA

North Central

Reports & Consumer Counts			
1. 51A Reports (FY2023, Q4)		638	
Screened-In for Response		340	53%
Screened-Out		227	36%
Screened-Out DA Referral		71	11%
2. Responses (FY2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)		293	
Supported		134	46%
Substantiated Concern		28	10%
Unsupported		131	45%
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY2023, Q4)		214	of 293 73%
Emergency Responses (5 business days)		38	of 57 67%
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)		176	of 236 75%
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		6.1%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC per 100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		18.32	per 100,000

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)		99
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,997
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	1,590	80%
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	407	20%
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	182	45%
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	314	
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	182	58%
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		63
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)		2,178
<i>Total Consumers</i>	<i>4,237</i>	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)		20
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	14	70%

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Reports & Consumer Counts

12. Clinical Cases (Jul-Jun 23)		1,000
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	858	86%
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	143	14%
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	45	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	45	

DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)	1,001	
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement	858	86%
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	143	14%
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	45	
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	45	

15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)	128	DCF Cases
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY2023, Q4)	13	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	2 15%	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY2023, Q4)	5	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production		

	White	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽¹⁾	Black ⁽¹⁾	Asian ⁽¹⁾	Native American ⁽¹⁾	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	Unable to Determine/Declined	Missing
	713	36%	22	35%	669	31%			
	90	5%	5	8%	148	7%			
	9	*	1	2%	19	*			
	1	*	0	*	1	*			
	2	*	0	*	0	*			
	141	7%	1	2%	62	3%			
	54	3%	0	*	85	4%			
	59	3%	0	*	61	3%			
Total Consumers	1,997	100%	63	100%	2,178	100%			

⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding

All DCF Consumers

18. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾	928	46%	34	54%	1,133	52%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	713	36%	22	35%	669	31%
Black ⁽¹⁾	90	5%	5	8%	148	7%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	9	-	1	2%	19	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	0	-	-	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2	-	0	-	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	141	7%	1	2%	62	3%
Unable to Determine/Declined	54	3%	0	-	85	4%
Missing	59	3%	0	-	61	3%
Total Consumers	1,997	100%	63	100%	2,178	100%

⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding

(1) Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding
(2) Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races

Language	Number of speakers	Percentage of speakers	Number of speakers	Percentage of speakers	Number of speakers	Percentage of speakers
Spanish	91	5%	5	8%	212	10%
Portuguese	18	*	0	*	24	1%
Other	1	*	0	*	30	1%
Haitian Creole	1	*	0	*	10	*
Cape Verdean Creole	0	*	0	*	0	*
Chinese	0	*	0	*	0	*
Arabic	3	*	0	*	5	*
Khmer	0	*	0	*	0	*
Vietnamese	0	*	0	*	1	*
Russian	0	*	0	*	0	*

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
English/Unknown	1,883	94%	58	92%	1,893	87%
Spanish	91	5%	5	8%	212	10%
Portuguese	18	*	0	*	24	1%
Other	1	*	0	*	30	1%
Haitian Creole	1	*	0	*	10	*
Cape Verdean Creole	0	*	0	*	0	*
Chinese	0	*	0	*	0	*
Arabic	3	*	0	*	5	*
Khmer	0	*	0	*	0	*
Vietnamese	0	*	0	*	1	*
Russian	0	*	0	*	0	*

All DCF Consumers

Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	21	5%	0	
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	0	*	5	10%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	6	1%	1	2%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	3	*	0	*
Total In-Placement	407	100%	49	100%

22. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth >18
White ⁽¹⁾	188 46%	30 61%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	150 37%	14 29%
Black ⁽¹⁾	20 5%	4 8%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	46 11%	1 2%
Unable to Determine/Declined	3 *	0

20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
51A Report	384 94%	35 71%
Voluntary Application	5 1%	8 16%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	17 4%	6 12%
Institutional Abuse	1 *	0 *
Safe Haven	0 *	0 *
Other/Unspecified	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	407 100%	49 100%

21. Placement Type (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth >18
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	182 45%	6 12%
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0 *	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	88 22%	4 8%
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	43 11%	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	1 *	22 45%
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	24 6%	3 6%
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	23 6%	6 12%
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0 *	0 *
Congregate Care - Residential School	16 4%	2 4%
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	21 5%	0 *
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	0 *	5 10%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	6 1%	1 2%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	3 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	407 100%	49 100%

Children and Youth

22. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth >18	
White ⁽¹⁾	188	46%	30	61%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	150	37%	14	29%
Black ⁽¹⁾	20	5%	4	8%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	46	11%	1	2%
Unable to Determine/Declined	3	*	0	*
Missing	0	*	0	*
Total In-Placement	407	100%	49	100%

28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Family Reunification	111 27%	1 2%
Adoption	208 51%	0 *
Guardianship	44 11%	0 *
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	12 3%	43 88%
Stabilize Intact Family	12 3%	1 2%
Permanent Care with Kin	10 2%	4 8%
Unspecified as of run-date	10 2%	0 *
Total In-Placement	407 100%	49 100%

29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth >18
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	1	2
Interim Placement Policy Program	4	11
Total In-Placement	5	13

	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18		
Female	154	45%	26	53%
Gender Nonconforming	1	*	1	2%
Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Non-Binary	5	1%	0	*
Male	144	42%	21	43%
Questioning	1	*	0	*
Transgender (FtM)	4	1%	0	*
Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	12	3%	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	14	4%	1	2%
Missing	10	3%	0	*
Total In-Placement	345	100%	49	100%
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18		
Asexual	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	12	3%	3	6%
Gay	1	*	0	*
Lesbian	2	*	0	*

23. Age Group (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	62	15%	18 - 19 Years Old	23 47%
3 - 5 Years Old	65	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	22 45%
6 - 11 Years Old	128	31%	22 - 23 Years Old	4 8%
12 - 17 Years Old	152	37%	24 and Older	0 *
Unspecified	0	*		
Total In-Placement	407	100%		49 100%

24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Female		210	52%	27	55%
Male		197	48%	22	45%
Intersex		0	*	0	*
Missing		0	*	0	*
Total In-Placement		407	100%	49	100%

25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Androgynous	0 *	0 *
Female	154 45%	26 53%
Gender Nonconforming	1 *	1 2%
Genderqueer	0 *	0 *
Non-Binary	5 1%	0 *
Male	144 42%	21 43%
Questioning	1 *	0 *
Transgender (FTM)	4 1%	0 *
Transgender (MtF)	0 *	0 *
Two Spirit	0 *	0 *
Not Listed/Other	12 3%	0 *
Does Not Wish to Answer	14 4%	1 2%
Missing	10 3%	0 *
Total In-Placement	345 100%	49 100%

26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Asexual	0	0
Bisexual	12 3%	3 6%
Gay	1	0
Lesbian	2	0
Pansexual/Omnisexual	2	0
Queer	0	0
Questioning	7 2%	0
Straight/Heterosexual	147 43%	40 82%
Not Listed/Other	103 30%	4 8%
Does Not Wish to Answer	58 17%	2 4%
Missing	12 3%	0
Total In Placement	345 100%	49 100%

27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0.5 Years or Less	75 18%	0 *
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	68 17%	1 2%
>1 Year - 2 Years	106 26%	6 12%
>2 Years - 4 Years	109 27%	18 37%
>4 Years	49 12%	24 49%
Blank	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	407 100%	49 100%

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DCF Region: Central MA					North Central				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,449	91%	12	86%	0 - 2 Years Old	259	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	11 79%
Voluntary Application	14	*	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	264	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	2 14%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	62	4%	2	14%	6 - 11 Years Old	526	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 7%
Institutional Abuse	5	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	541	34%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	60	4%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,590	100%	14	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,590	100%	14	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	740	47%	4	29%	Female	782	49%	5	36%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	563	35%	8	57%	Male	786	49%	9	64%
Black ⁽¹⁾	70	4%	1	7%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	9	*	1	7%	Missing	22	1%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,590	100%	14	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	2	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	95	6%	0	*	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined	51	3%	0	*		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Missing	59	4%	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,590	100%	14	100%	Female	488	37%	5	36%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Gender Nonconforming	4	*	0	*
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Asexual	2	*	0	*	Non-Binary	5	*	0	*
Bisexual	17	1%	0	*	Male	481	36%	8	57%
Gay	1	*	0	*	Questioning	3	*	0	*
Lesbian	1	*	0	*	Transgender (FtM)	8	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	10	*	1	7%	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Questioning	12	*	0	*	Not Listed/Other	10	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	583	44%	10	71%	Does Not Wish to Answer	26	2%	0	*
Not Listed/Other	158	12%	1	7%	Missing	306	23%	1	7%
Does Not Wish to Answer	207	16%	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,331	100%	14	100%
Missing	340	26%	2	14%					
Total Not In-Placement	1,331	100%	14	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		1						

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DCF Region: Central MA							South Central					
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)						7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)					
	Screened-In for Response						119					
	Screened-Out						8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					
	Screened-Out DA Referral						2,036					
							Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement					
							1,692 83%					
							Consumer Children <18 In-Placement					
DCF Cases	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)						Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement					
	Supported						257					
	Substantiated Concern						Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					
	Unsupported						Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					
							151 59%					
							9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					
							80					
All DCF Consumers	3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)						10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)					
	Emergency Responses (5 business days)						2,170					
	Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)						Total Consumers					
							4,286					
							11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)					
							24					
							Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal					
Children and Youth In-Placement	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)						15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)					
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement						80					
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement						16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					
							10					
							Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal					
							1					
							17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					
Children and Youth In-Placement	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)						Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.					
							1					
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)											
Children and Youth In-Placement	18. Race (06/30/23)						19. Primary Language (06/30/23)					
	Child <18						Child <18					
	Youth ≥18						Youth ≥18					
	Adults						Adults					
	White ⁽¹⁾						English/Unknown					
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾						1,851 91%					
	Black ⁽¹⁾						76 95%					
Children and Youth In-Placement	Asian ⁽¹⁾						1,847 85%					
	Native American ⁽¹⁾						115 6%					
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾						3 4%					
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}						Portuguese					
	Unable to Determine/Declined						61 3%					
	Missing						0 *					
							91 4%					
Children and Youth In-Placement	Total Consumers						Other					
	2,036						3 *					
	100%						1 1%					
	80						28 1%					
	100%						2 *					
	2,170						0 *					
	100%						0 *					
Children and Youth In-Placement	20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)						23. Age Group (06/30/23)					
	Child <18						Child <18					
	Youth ≥18						Youth ≥18					
	51A Report						0 - 2 Years Old					
	Voluntary Application						68 20%					
	Court Referral/CRA Referral						3 - 5 Years Old					
	Institutional Abuse						59 17%					
Children and Youth In-Placement	Safe Haven						6 - 11 Years Old					
	Other/Unspecified						106 31%					
							12 - 17 Years Old					
							111 32%					
							Unspecified					
							0 *					
							62 100%					
Children and Youth In-Placement	21. Placement Type (06/30/23)						24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)					
	Child <18						Child <18					
	Youth ≥18						Youth ≥18					
	DFC - Foster Care - Kinship						Female					
	DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific						166 48%					
	DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated						Male					
	DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive						178 52%					
Children and Youth In-Placement	DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living						Intersex					
	Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)						0 *					
	Congregate Care - Treatment Residence						Missing					
	Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence						0 *					
	Congregate Care - Residential School						344 100%					
	Congregate Care - Emergency Residence						62 100%					
	Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult											
Children and Youth In-Placement	Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)						25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)					
	Missing/Absent from Approved Placement						Child 3-17					
							Youth ≥18					
							Androgynous					
							0 *					
							Female					
							109 39%					
Children and Youth In-Placement	22. Race (06/30/23)						Gender Nonconforming					
	Child <18						1 *					
	Youth ≥18						Genderqueer					
	White ⁽¹⁾						1 *					
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾						Non-Binary					
	Black ⁽¹⁾						0 *					
	Asian ⁽¹⁾						Male					
Children and Youth In-Placement	Native American ⁽¹⁾						140 51%					
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾						Questioning					
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}						2 *					
	Unable to Determine/Declined						Transgender (FTM)					
	Missing						2 *					
							Transgender (MtF)					
							0 *					
Children and Youth In-Placement	28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)						Two Spirit					
	Child <18						0 *					
	Youth ≥18						Not Listed/Other					
	Family Reunification						5 2%					
	Adoption						Does Not Wish to Answer					
	Guardianship						13 5%					
	APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement						3 1%					
Children and Youth In-Placement	Stabilize Intact Family						Total In-Placement					
	Permanent Care with Kin						276 100%					
	Unspecified as of run-date						62 100%					
Children and Youth In-Placement	29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)						26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					
	Child <18						Child 3-17					
	Youth ≥18						Youth ≥18					
	688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)						Asexual					
	Interim Placement Policy Program						3 1%					
	Total In-Placement						0 *					
							Bisexual					
Children and Youth In-Placement							10 4%					
							Gay					
							1 *					
							4 6%					
							Lesbian					
							1 *					
							1 2%					
Children and Youth In-Placement							Pansexual/Omnisexual					
							0 *					
							Queer					
							0 *					
							Questioning					
							7 3%					
							Straight/Heterosexual					
Children and Youth In-Placement							125 45%					
							Not Listed/Other					
							50 18%					
							Does Not Wish to Answer					
							74 27%					
							7 11%					
							Missing					
Children and Youth In-Placement							5 2%					
							Total In-Placement					
							276 100%					
							62 100%					
Children and Youth In-Placement							27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)					
							Child <18					
							Youth ≥18					
							0.5 Years or Less					
							97 28%					
							>0.5 Years - 1 Year					
							65 19%					
Children and Youth In-Placement							>1 Year - 2 Years					
							72 21%					
							>2 Years - 4 Years					
							75 22%					
							>4 Years					
							35 10%					
							31 50%					
Children and Youth In-Placement							Blank					
							0 *					
							Total In-Placement					
							344 100%					
							62 100%					

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DCF Region: Central MA					South Central				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,553	92%	13	72%	0 - 2 Years Old	216	13%	18 - 19 Years Old	15 83%
Voluntary Application	0	*	2	11%	3 - 5 Years Old	297	18%	20 - 21 Years Old	0 *
Court Referral/CRA Referral	74	4%	2	11%	6 - 11 Years Old	593	35%	22 - 23 Years Old	2 11%
Institutional Abuse	4	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	586	35%	24 and Older	1 6%
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	61	4%	1	6%					
Total Not In-Placement	1,692	100%	18	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,692	100%	18	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	913	54%	9	50%	Female	802	47%	7	39%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	483	29%	5	28%	Male	840	50%	10	56%
Black ⁽¹⁾	52	3%	1	6%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	*	0	*	Missing	50	3%	1	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,692	100%	18	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	76	4%	0	*					
Unable to Determine/Declined	79	5%	2	11%					
Missing	85	5%	1	6%					
Total Not In-Placement	1,692	100%	18	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	2	*	0	*	Androgynous	1	*	0	*
Bisexual	13	*	1	6%	Female	530	36%	6	33%
Gay	3	*	0	*	Gender Nonconforming	9	*	0	*
Lesbian	8	*	1	6%	Genderqueer	1	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	3	*	1	6%	Non-Binary	6	*	0	*
Queer	1	*	0	*	Male	581	39%	6	33%
Questioning	8	*	0	*	Questioning	1	*	1	6%
Straight/Heterosexual	640	43%	7	39%	Transgender (FtM)	2	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	158	11%	1	6%	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	321	22%	1	6%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	319	22%	6	33%	Not Listed/Other	27	2%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,476	100%	18	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	25	2%	0	*
					Missing	293	20%	5	28%
					Total Not In-Placement	1,476	100%	18	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		0						

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)																										
DCF Region: Central MA					Worcester East																					
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				759		7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)			75																
	Screened-In for Response				404		53%		8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)			1,783														
	Screened-Out				288		38%		Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement			1,442														
	Screened-Out DA Referral				67		9%		Consumer Children <18 In-Placement			341														
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				344		Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement			163																
	Supported				157		46%			Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)			246													
	Substantiated Concern				41		12%			Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)			163													
Unsupported				146		42%			9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)			66														
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				247		of 344		72%			10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)			1,872												
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				70		of 99		71%			Total Consumers			3,719												
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				177		of 245		72%			11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)			23												
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				10.2%					Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal			12														
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%					15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)			104														
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				19.10		per 100,000 days			16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)			7														
										Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal			0													
										17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)			1													
										Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.																
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				926																					
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				797		86%																			
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				129		14%																			
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				45																						
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				41																						
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults		19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults							
	White ⁽¹⁾				554		31%		18		27%		744		40%		English/Unknown		1,614							
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				756		42%		30		45%		665		36%		Spanish		91							
	Black ⁽¹⁾				205		11%		11		17%		232		12%		Portuguese		32							
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				20		1%		0		*		25		1%		Other		22							
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				2		*		0		*		3		*		Haitian Creole		10							
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0		*		0		*		1		*		Cape Verdean Creole		0							
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				134		8%		6		9%		65		3%		Chinese		0							
	Unable to Determine/Declined				98		5%		1		2%		118		6%		Arabic		10							
	Missing				14		*		0		*		19		1%		Khmer		0							
Total Consumers				1,783		100%		66		100%		1,872		100%					Vietnamese		0					
																			Russian		0					
																			American Sign Language		1					
																			French		3					
																			Total Consumers		1,783					
																			23. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
																			0 - 2 Years Old		76					
																			3 - 5 Years Old		56					
																			6 - 11 Years Old		100					
																			12 - 17 Years Old		109					
																			Unspecified		0					
																			Total In-Placement		341					
																			24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
																			Female		157					
																			Male		184					
																			Intersex		0					
																			Missing		0					
																			Total In-Placement		341					
																			25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Adults	
																			Androgynous		0					
																			Female		108					
																			Gender Nonconforming		1					
																			Genderqueer		0					
																			Non-Binary		2					
																			Male		126					
																			Questioning		0					
																			Transgender (FTM)		1					
																			Transgender (MtF)		0					
																			Two Spirit		0					
																			Not Listed/Other		18					
																			Does Not Wish to Answer		6					
																			Missing		3					
																			Total In-Placement		265					
																			26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Adults	
																			Asexual		2					
																			Bisexual		8					
																			Gay		1					
																			Lesbian		1					
																			Pansexual/Omnisexual		0					
																			Queer		0					
																			Questioning		6					
																			Straight/Heterosexual		126					
																			Not Listed/Other		55					
																			Does Not Wish to Answer		63					
																			Missing		3					
																			Total In-Placement		265					
																			27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
																			0.5 Years or Less		76					
																			>0.5 Years - 1 Year		57					
																			>1 Year - 2 Years		86					
																			>2 Years - 4 Years		77					
																			>4 Years		44					
																			Blank		1					
																			Total In-Placement		341					
																			29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
																			688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)		1					
																			Interim Placement Policy Program		4					
																			Total In-Placement		5					

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Children and Youth Not In-Placement

DCF Region: Central MA

30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,343	93%	11	85%
Voluntary Application	0	*	0	*
Court Referral/CRA Referral	33	2%	2	15%
Institutional Abuse	4	*	0	*
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*
Other/Unspecified	62	4%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,442	100%	13	100%

31. Race (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	458	32%	4	31%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	622	43%	6	46%
Black ⁽¹⁾	158	11%	1	8%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	16	1%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	90	6%	2	15%
Unable to Determine/Declined	84	6%	0	*
Missing	14	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,442	100%	13	100%

35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	17	1%	0	*
Gay	4	*	0	*
Lesbian	4	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	2	*	0	*
Queer	1	*	0	*
Questioning	10	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	572	47%	10	77%
Not Listed/Other	80	7%	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	312	26%	2	15%
Missing	204	17%	1	8%
Total Not In-Placement	1,206	100%	13	100%

37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		0	

Worcester East

32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	236	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	9 69%
3 - 5 Years Old	255	18%	20 - 21 Years Old	1 8%
6 - 11 Years Old	510	35%	22 - 23 Years Old	3 23%
12 - 17 Years Old	441	31%	24 and Older	0 *
Unspecified	0	*		
Total Not In-Placement	1,442	100%	13	100%

33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Female	690	48%	6	46%
Male	740	51%	7	54%
Intersex	0	*	0	*
Missing	12	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,442	100%	13	100%

34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	1	*	0	*
Female	480	40%	6	46%
Gender Nonconforming	2	*	0	*
Genderqueer	2	*	0	*
Non-Binary	1	*	0	*
Male	473	39%	6	46%
Questioning	5	*	0	*
Transgender (FTM)	2	*	0	*
Transgender (MtF)	2	*	0	*
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	19	2%	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	35	3%	0	*
Missing	184	15%	1	8%
Total Not In-Placement	1,206	100%	13	100%

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Central MA

Worcester West

Reports & Consumer Counts

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)	653	
Screened-In for Response	370	57%
Screened-Out	207	32%
Screened-Out DA Referral	76	12%
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)	326	
Supported	183	56%
Substantiated Concern	40	12%
Unsupported	103	32%
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)	206	of 326 63%
Emergency Responses (5 business days)	55	of 87 63%
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	151	of 239 63%
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)	8.2%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)	1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)	23.73	per 100,000 days

DCF Cases

12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)	909	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	771	85%
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	138	15%
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	54	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	42	

All DCF Consumers

18. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾	657	38%	33	44%	840	46%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	681	40%	28	37%	599	33%
Black ⁽¹⁾	146	8%	10	13%	185	10%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	16	*	0	*	28	2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	124	7%	3	4%	52	3%
Unable to Determine/Declined	64	4%	1	1%	103	6%
Missing	33	2%	0	*	29	2%
Total Consumers	1,722	100%	75	100%	1,837	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 (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
51A Report	303 92%	48 79%
Voluntary Application	2 *	3 5%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	19 6%	10 16%
Institutional Abuse	3 *	0 *
Safe Haven	0 *	0 *
Other/Unspecified	1 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	328 100%	61 100%
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	123 38%	3 5%
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0 *	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	61 19%	1 2%
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	27 8%	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	40 66%
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	40 12%	4 7%
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	28 9%	4 7%
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0 *	0 *
Congregate Care - Residential School	14 4%	4 7%
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	16 5%	0 *
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	1 *	1 2%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	11 3%	3 5%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	7 2%	1 2%
Total In-Placement	328 100%	61 100%
22. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
White ⁽¹⁾	122 37%	26 43%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	122 37%	23 38%
Black ⁽¹⁾	40 12%	8 13%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1 *	0 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	34 10%	3 5%
Unable to Determine/Declined	9 3%	1 2%
Missing	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	328 100%	61 100%
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Family Reunification	127 39%	1 2%
Adoption	131 40%	0 *
Guardianship	18 5%	0 *
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	14 4%	54 89%
Stabilize Intact Family	29 9%	5 8%
Permanent Care with Kin	2 *	0 *
Unspecified as of run-date	7 2%	1 2%
Total In-Placement	328 100%	61 100%
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	1	0
Interim Placement Policy Program	4	11
Total In-Placement	5	11

Reports & Consumer Counts

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)	58
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	1,722
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	1,394 81%
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	328 19%
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	123 38%
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	211
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	123 58%
9. Consumer Youth ≥18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	75
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)	1,837
Total Consumers	3,633

11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)	25
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	16 64%

DCF Cases

15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)	89
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	12
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	1 8%
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	4
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.	

All DCF Consumers

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
English/Unknown	1,605	93%	71	95%	1,577	86%
Spanish	77	4%	0 *	*	171	9%
Portuguese	20	1%	3	4%	34	2%
Other	4 *	*	1	1%	24	1%
Haitian Creole	8 *	*	0 *	*	12	*
Cape Verdean Creole	0 *	*	0 *	*	0	*
Chinese	0 *	*	0 *	*	0	*
Arabic	3 *	*	0 *	*	4	*
Khmer	0 *	*	0 *	*	0	*
Vietnamese	4 *	*	0 *	*	10	*
Russian	0 *	*	0 *	*	1	*
American Sign Language	0 *	*	0 *	*	2	*
French	1 *	*	0 *	*	2	*
Total Consumers	1,722	100%	75	100%	1,837	100%

23. Age Group (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0 - 2 Years Old	67 20%	18 - 19 Years Old 30 49%
3 - 5 Years Old	57 17%	20 - 21 Years Old 21 34%
6 - 11 Years Old	88 27%	22 - 23 Years Old 8 13%
12 - 17 Years Old	116 35%	24 and Older 2 3%
Unspecified	0 *	
Total In-Placement	328 100%	61 100%

24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Female	152 46%	38 62%
Male	176 54%	23 38%
Intersex	0 *	0 *
Missing	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	328 100%	61 100%

25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Androgynous	0 *	0 *
Female	104 40%	37 61%
Gender Nonconforming	0 *	0 *
Genderqueer	0 *	0 *
Non-Binary	2 *	0 *
Male	125 48%	22 36%
Questioning	2 *	0 *
Transgender (FtM)	4 2%	1 2%
Transgender (MtF)	0 *	1 2%
Two Spirit	0 *	0 *
Not Listed/Other	9 3%	0 *
Does Not Wish to Answer	12 5%	0 *
Missing	3 1%	0 *
Total In-Placement	261 100%	61 100%

26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Asexual	0 *	0 *
Bisexual	6 2%	3 5%
Gay	3 1%	3 5%
Lesbian	1 *	2 3%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	2 *	0 *
Queer	3 1%	0 *
Questioning	4 2%	1 2%
Straight/Heterosexual	123 47%	47 77%
Not Listed/Other	46 18%	1 2%
Does Not Wish to Answer	70 27%	4 7%
Missing	3 1%	0 *
Total In-Placement	261 100%	61 100%

27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0.5 Years or Less	97 30%	5 8%
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	54 16%	3 5%
>1 Year - 2 Years	61 19%	5 8%
>2 Years - 4 Years	78 24%	20 33%
>4 Years	38 12%	28 46%
Blank	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	328 100%	61 100%

Children and Youth In-Placement

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DCF Region: Central MA					Worcester West				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,290	93%	12	86%	0 - 2 Years Old	242	17%	18 - 19 Years Old	12 86%
Voluntary Application	1	*	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	203	15%	20 - 21 Years Old	0 *
Court Referral/CRA Referral	46	3%	1	7%	6 - 11 Years Old	498	36%	22 - 23 Years Old	2 14%
Institutional Abuse	5	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	451	32%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	52	4%	1	7%					
Total Not In-Placement	1,394	100%	14	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,394	100%	14	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	535	38%	7	50%	Female	662	47%	9	64%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	559	40%	5	36%	Male	716	51%	5	36%
Black ⁽¹⁾	106	8%	2	14%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	16	1%	0	*	Missing	16	1%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,394	100%	14	100%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	90	6%	0	*					
Unable to Determine/Declined	55	4%	0	*					
Missing	33	2%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,394	100%	14	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	6	*	1	7%	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	7	*	2	14%	Female	420	36%	8	57%
Gay	3	*	0	*	Gender Nonconforming	2	*	0	*
Lesbian	3	*	0	*	Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	3	*	0	*	Non-Binary	1	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Male	458	40%	5	36%
Questioning	9	*	0	*	Questioning	1	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	510	44%	7	50%	Transgender (FtM)	3	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	123	11%	1	7%	Transgender (MtF)	1	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	239	21%	2	14%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	249	22%	1	7%	Not Listed/Other	17	1%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,152	100%	14	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	21	2%	0	*
					Missing	228	20%	1	7%
					Total Not In-Placement	1,152	100%	14	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		0						

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)											
DCF Region: Northern						Northern					
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)			6,655		7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)			771		
	Screened-In for Response			3,131		8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)			7,939		
	Screened-Out			3,024		Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement			6,405		
	Screened-Out DA Referral			500		Consumer Children <18 In-Placement			1,534		
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)			2,555		Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement			557		
	Supported			893		Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)			919		
DCF Cases	Substantiated Concern			516		Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)			557		
	Unsupported			1,146		9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)			547		
	3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)			1,520		10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)			8,228		
	Emergency Responses (5 business days)			281		Total Consumers			16,706		
	Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)			1,239		11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)			113		
	Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)			1,239		Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal			65		
All DCF Consumers	4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)			9.7%		15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)			376		
	5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)			1.72%		16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)			33		
	6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)			23.03		Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal			8		
	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)			4,514		17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)			10		
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement			3,746		Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.					
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement			768							
Children and Youth In-Placement	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)			273							
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)			322							
	18. Race (06/30/23)			Child <18	Youth ≥18	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)			Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults
	White ⁽¹⁾			2,529	32%	English/Unknown			7,085	89%	6,443
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			3,085	39%	Spanish			543	7%	1,140
	Black ⁽¹⁾			663	8%	Portuguese			189	2%	340
Reports & Consumer Counts	Asian ⁽¹⁾			174	2%	Other			36	*	104
	Native American ⁽¹⁾			16	*	Haitian Creole			43	*	98
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾			1	*	Cape Verdean Creole			1	*	6
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}			450	6%	Chinese			2	*	11
	Unable to Determine/Declined			385	5%	Arabic			7	*	16
	Missing			636	8%	Khmer			15	*	46
DCF Cases	Total Consumers			7,939	100%	Vietnamese			2	*	6
	⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding					Russian			4	*	7
	⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					American Sign Language			9	*	8
						French			3	*	3
						Total Consumers			7,939	100%	8,228
									100%	100%	100%
All DCF Consumers	20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)			Child <18	Youth ≥18	23. Age Group (06/30/23)			Child <18	Youth ≥18	
	51A Report			1,426	93%	0 - 2 Years Old			249	16%	223
	Voluntary Application			10	*	3 - 5 Years Old			230	15%	157
	Court Referral/CRA Referral			83	5%	6 - 11 Years Old			377	25%	29
	Institutional Abuse			8	*	12 - 17 Years Old			678	44%	0
	Safe Haven			0	*	Unspecified			0	*	
Children and Youth In-Placement	Other/Unspecified			7	*	Total In-Placement			1,534	100%	409
	Total In-Placement			1,534	100%				100%	100%	
	21. Placement Type (06/30/23)			Child <18	Youth ≥18	24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)			Child <18	Youth ≥18	
	DFC - Foster Care - Kinship			557	36%	Female			775	51%	220
	DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific			0	*	Male			759	49%	188
	DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated			288	19%	Intersex			0	*	1
Reports & Consumer Counts	DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive			73	5%	Missing			0	*	0
	DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living			1	*	Total In-Placement			1,534	100%	409
	Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)			254	17%				100%	100%	
	Congregate Care - Treatment Residence			152	10%						
	Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence			1	*						
	Congregate Care - Residential School			92	6%						
DCF Cases	Congregate Care - Emergency Residence			41	3%						
	Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult			8	*						
	Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)			51	3%						
	Missing/Absent from Approved Placement			16	1%						
	Total In-Placement			1,534	100%						
				409	100%						
All DCF Consumers	22. Race (06/30/23)			Child <18	Youth ≥18	25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)			Child 3-17	Youth ≥18	
	White ⁽¹⁾			605	39%	Androgynous			0	*	1
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾			553	36%	Female			577	45%	202
	Black ⁽¹⁾			132	9%	Gender Nonconforming			4	*	1
	Asian ⁽¹⁾			28	2%	Genderqueer			1	*	0
	Native American ⁽¹⁾			11	*	Non-Binary			11	*	4
Children and Youth In-Placement	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾			0	*	Male			565	44%	181
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}			127	8%	Questioning			6	*	2
	Unable to Determine/Declined			77	5%	Transgender (FtM)			10	*	5
	Missing			1	*	Transgender (MtF)			2	*	3
	Total In-Placement			1,534	100%	Two Spirit			0	*	0
				409	100%	Not Listed/Other			50	4%	2
Reports & Consumer Counts	28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)			Child <18	Youth ≥18	Does Not Wish to Answer			35	3%	7
	Family Reunification			588	38%	Missing			24	2%	1
	Adoption			506	33%	Total In-Placement			1,285	100%	409
	Guardianship			121	8%				100%	100%	
	APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement			90	6%						
	Stabilize Intact Family			119	8%						
DCF Cases	Permanent Care with Kin			72	5%						
	Unspecified as of run-date			38	2%						
	Total In-Placement			1,534	100%						
				409	100%						
	29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)			Child <18	Youth ≥18	26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)			Child 3-17	Youth ≥18	
	688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)			6	18	Asexual			21	2%	5
Reports & Consumer Counts	Interim Placement Policy Program			4	11	Bisexual			36	3%	17
	Total In-Placement			10	29	Gay			10	*	7
						Lesbian			6	*	8
						Pansexual/Omnisexual			10	*	3
						Queer			3	*	1
						Questioning			26	2%	3
DCF Cases						Straight/Heterosexual			570	44%	284
						Not Listed/Other			237	18%	28
						Does Not Wish to Answer			335	26%	52
						Missing			31	2%	1
						Total In-Placement			1,285	100%	409
									100%	100%	</

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

DCF Region: Northern				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18
51A Report	5,853	91%	102	74%
Voluntary Application	26	*	12	9%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	286	4%	22	16%
Institutional Abuse	24	*	0	*
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*
Other/Unspecified	216	3%	2	1%
Total Not In-Placement		6,405	100%	138 100%
31. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18
White ⁽¹⁾	1,924	30%	34	25%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	2,532	40%	60	43%
Black ⁽¹⁾	531	8%	15	11%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	146	2%	7	5%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5	*	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	1	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	323	5%	8	6%
Unable to Determine/Declined	308	5%	5	4%
Missing	635	10%	8	6%
Total Not In-Placement		6,405	100%	138 100%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18
Asexual	66	1%	2	1%
Bisexual	39	*	8	6%
Gay	11	*	2	1%
Lesbian	18	*	1	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	7	*	1	*
Queer	0	*	0	*
Questioning	34	*	2	1%
Straight/Heterosexual	2,036	38%	79	57%
Not Listed/Other	625	12%	10	7%
Does Not Wish to Answer	1,006	19%	16	12%
Missing	1,519	28%	17	12%
Total Not In-Placement		5,361	100%	138 100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		1		5

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32. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	1,041	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	100	72%
3 - 5 Years Old	970	15%	20 - 21 Years Old	23	17%
6 - 11 Years Old	2,135	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	11	8%
12 - 17 Years Old	2,256	35%	24 and Older	4	3%
Unspecified	3	*			
Total Not In-Placement		6,405	100%	138	100%
33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Female	3,085	48%	69	50%	
Male	3,136	49%	67	49%	
Intersex	0	*	1	*	
Missing	184	3%	1	*	
Total Not In-Placement		6,405	100%	138	100%
34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	3	*	0	*	
Female	1,810	34%	58	42%	
Gender Nonconforming	12	*	3	2%	
Genderqueer	1	*	1	*	
Non-Binary	17	*	0	*	
Male	1,898	35%	60	43%	
Questioning	5	*	0	*	
Transgender (FtM)	16	*	0	*	
Transgender (MtF)	2	*	0	*	
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*	
Not Listed/Other	99	2%	2	1%	
Does Not Wish to Answer	116	2%	0	*	
Missing	1,382	26%	14	10%	
Total Not In-Placement		5,361	100%	138	100%

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Northern					Cambridge-Burlington					
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				557					
	Screened-In for Response				252		45%			
	Screened-Out				259		46%			
	Screened-Out DA Referral				46		8%			
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				233					
	Supported				64		27%			
	Substantiated Concern				26		11%			
Unsupported				143		61%				
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				129 of 233		55%				
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				25 of 31		81%				
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				104 of 202		51%				
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				8.6%						
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%						
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				28.82		per 100,000 days				
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				284					
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				231		81%			
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				53		19%			
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)				13					
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				28						
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
	White ⁽¹⁾				154		32%		195	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				137		28%		117	
	Black ⁽¹⁾				113		23%		124	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				5		1%		7	
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				0		*		0	
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0		*		0	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				40		8%		15		
Unable to Determine/Declined				15		3%		0		
Missing				19		4%		2		
Total Consumers				483		100%		38		
				100%		504		100%		

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Children and Youth Not In-Placement

DCF Region: Northern

30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				
	Child <18	Youth ≥18		
51A Report	372 95%	1 50%		
Voluntary Application	3 *	0 *		
Court Referral/CRA Referral	3 *	0 *		
Institutional Abuse	0 *	0 *		
Safe Haven	0 *	0 *		
Other/Unspecified	13 3%	1 50%		
Total Not In-Placement	391 100%	2 100%		

31. Race (06/30/23)				
	Child <18	Youth ≥18		
White ⁽¹⁾	119 30%	0 *		
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	113 29%	0 *		
Black ⁽¹⁾	94 24%	0 *		
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2 *	0 *		
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *		
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	31 8%	0 *		
Unable to Determine/Declined	13 3%	0 *		
Missing	19 5%	2 100%		
Total Not In-Placement	391 100%	2 100%		

35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18		
Asexual	2 *	0 *		
Bisexual	6 2%	0 *		
Gay	0 *	0 *		
Lesbian	3 *	0 *		
Pansexual/Omnisexual	1 *	0 *		
Queer	0 *	0 *		
Questioning	5 2%	0 *		
Straight/Heterosexual	98 30%	0 *		
Not Listed/Other	68 21%	0 *		
Does Not Wish to Answer	74 22%	0 *		
Missing	72 22%	2 100%		
Total Not In-Placement	329 100%	2 100%		

37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)				
	Child <18	Youth ≥18		
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0	0		

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32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18	Youth ≥18		
0 - 2 Years Old	62 16%	18 - 19 Years Old 0 *		
3 - 5 Years Old	49 13%	20 - 21 Years Old 1 50%		
6 - 11 Years Old	131 34%	22 - 23 Years Old 0 *		
12 - 17 Years Old	149 38%	24 and Older 1 50%		
Unspecified	0 *			
Total Not In-Placement	391 100%	2 100%		

33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18	Youth ≥18		
Female	198 51%	0 *		
Male	186 48%	1 50%		
Intersex	0 *	0 *		
Missing	7 2%	1 50%		
Total Not In-Placement	391 100%	2 100%		

34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18		
Androgynous	0 *	0 *		
Female	114 35%	0 *		
Gender Nonconforming	1 *	0 *		
Genderqueer	0 *	0 *		
Non-Binary	4 1%	0 *		
Male	117 36%	1 50%		
Questioning	0 *	0 *		
Transgender (FtM)	3 *	0 *		
Transgender (MtF)	0 *	0 *		
Two Spirit	0 *	0 *		
Not Listed/Other	11 3%	0 *		
Does Not Wish to Answer	12 4%	0 *		
Missing	67 20%	1 50%		
Total Not In-Placement	329 100%	2 100%		

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)																				
DCF Region: Northern					Cape Ann															
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				777	7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)				80										
	Screened-In for Response				366	47%	8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				825									
	Screened-Out				372	48%					Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	611	74%							
	Screened-Out DA Referral				39	5%					Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	214	26%							
											Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	76	36%							
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				290	Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				125										
	Supported				83	29%	Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				76	61%								
Substantiated Concern				79	27%															
Unsupported				128	44%															
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)					64	of	290	22%	9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		87									
Emergency Responses (5 business days)					22	of	32	69%	10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)		940									
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)					42	of	258	16%	Total Consumers		1,851									
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)					9.1%															
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)					1.72%															
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)					28.23	per 100,000 days		11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)			24									
							Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal				17	71%								
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				530	15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)				49										
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				423	80%	16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				1									
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				107	20%	Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal				0									
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)				31	17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				2										
					45		Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.													
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				45																
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults						
	White ⁽¹⁾				355	43%	43	49%	519	55%	English/Unknown				780	95%	85	98%	834	89%
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				200	24%	25	29%	188	20%	Spanish				31	4%	2	2%	63	7%
	Black ⁽¹⁾				62	8%	9	10%	78	8%	Portuguese				8	*	0	*	24	3%
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				6	*	0	*	9	*	Other				4	*	0	*	16	2%
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				2	*	1	1%	0	*	Haitian Creole				1	*	0	*	1	*
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				1	*	0	*	1	*	Cape Verdean Creole				0	*	0	*	1	*
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				51	6%	5	6%	18	2%	Chinese				0	*	0	*	0	*
	Unable to Determine/Declined				53	6%	4	5%	60	6%	Arabic				1	*	0	*	1	*
	Missing				95	12%	0	*	67	7%	Khmer				0	*	0	*	0	*
Total Consumers				825	100%	87	100%	940	100%	Vietnamese				0	*	0	*	0	*	
				⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding				Russian				0	*	0	*	0	*			
				⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races				American Sign Language				0	*	0	*	0	*			
								French				0	*	0	*	0	*			
								Total Consumers				825	100%	87	100%	940	100%			
Children and Youth In-Placement	20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18								
	51A Report				200	93%	49	72%	0 - 2 Years Old				27	13%	18 - 19 Years Old	41	60%			
	Voluntary Application				0	*	10	15%	3 - 5 Years Old				40	19%	20 - 21 Years Old	23	34%			
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				12	6%	9	13%	6 - 11 Years Old				52	24%	22 - 23 Years Old	4	6%			
	Institutional Abuse				2	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old				95	44%	24 and Older	0	*			
	Safe Haven				0	*	0	*	Unspecified				0	*						
	Other/Unspecified				0	*	0	*	Total In-Placement				214	100%	68	100%				
	Total In-Placement				214	100%	68	100%	24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18						
	21. Placement Type (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Female				110	51%	41	60%						
	DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				76	36%	6	9%	Male				104	49%	27	40%				
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific				0	*	0	*	Intersex				0	*	0	*					
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				44	21%	3	4%	Missing				0	*	0	*					
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive				5	2%	1	1%	Total In-Placement				214	100%	68	100%					
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0	*	37	54%	25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18							
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				41	19%	2	3%	Androgynous				0	*	0	*					
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				15	7%	3	4%	Female				83	44%	35	51%					
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence				0	*	0	*	Gender Nonconforming				3	2%	0	*					
Congregate Care - Residential School				17	8%	3	4%	Genderqueer				1	*	0	*					
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				4	2%	0	*	Non-Binary				2	1%	3	4%					
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult				1	*	12	18%	Male				79	42%	26	38%					
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				8	4%	0	*	Questioning				1	*	0	*					
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				3	1%	1	1%	Transgender (FtM)				1	*	2	3%					
Total In-Placement				214	100%	68	100%	Transgender (MtF)				0	*	1	1%					
22. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Two Spirit				0	*	0	*							
White ⁽¹⁾				117	55%	34	50%	Not Listed/Other				10	5%	0	*					
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				44	21%	19	28%	Does Not Wish to Answer				2	1%	0	*					
Black ⁽¹⁾				13	6%	7	10%	Missing				5	3%	1	1%					
Asian ⁽¹⁾				4	2%	0	*	Total In-Placement				187	100%	68	100%					
Native American ⁽¹⁾				2	*	1	1%	26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18							
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*	Asexual				6	3%	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				21	10%	4	6%	Bisexual				6	3%	1	1%					
Unable to Determine/Declined				13	6%	3	4%	Gay				4	2%	1	1%					
Missing				0	*	0	*	Lesbian				2	1%	1	1%					
Total In-Placement				214	100%	68	100%	Pansexual/Omnisexual				1	*	1	1%					
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Queer				1	*	0	*							
Family Reunification				88	41%	1	1%	Questioning				4	2%	0	*					
Adoption				70	33%	1	1%	Straight/Heterosexual				79	42%	53	78%					
Guardianship				15	7%	0	*	Not Listed/Other				45	24%	5	7%					
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				18	8%	62	91%	Does Not Wish to Answer				33	18%	5	7%					
Stabilize Intact Family				10	5%	0	*	Missing				6	3%	1	1%					
Permanent Care with Kin				9	4%	4	6%	Total In-Placement				187	100%	68	100%					
Unspecified as of run-date				4	2%	0	*	27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18							
Total In-Placement				214	100%	68	100%	0.5 Years or Less				51	24%	2	3%					
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	>0.5 Years - 1 Year				33	15%	3	4%							
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				0		4		>1 Year - 2 Years				44	21%	13	19%					
Interim Placement Policy Program				4		11		>2 Years - 4 Years				57	27%	27	40%					
Total In-Placement				4		15		>4 Years				28	13%	23	34%					
								Blank				1	*	0	*					
								Total In-Placement				214	100%	68	100%					

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Children and Youth Not In-Placement

DCF Region: Northern

30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	565	92%	13	68%
Voluntary Application	1	*	3	16%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	29	5%	3	16%
Institutional Abuse	2	*	0	*
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*
Other/Unspecified	14	2%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	611	100%	19	100%

31. Race (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	238	39%	9	47%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	156	26%	6	32%
Black ⁽¹⁾	49	8%	2	11%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	30	5%	1	5%
Unable to Determine/Declined	40	7%	1	5%
Missing	95	16%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	611	100%	19	100%

35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	7	1%	0	*
Bisexual	5	*	0	*
Gay	1	*	0	*
Lesbian	1	*	1	5%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	1	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*
Questioning	2	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	209	41%	13	68%
Not Listed/Other	38	7%	1	5%
Does Not Wish to Answer	65	13%	4	21%
Missing	186	36%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	515	100%	19	100%

37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	1		3	

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32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	95	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	14 74%
3 - 5 Years Old	96	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	3 16%
6 - 11 Years Old	199	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 5%
12 - 17 Years Old	220	36%	24 and Older	1 5%
Unspecified	1	*		
Total Not In-Placement	611	100%	19	100%

33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Female	304	50%	9	47%
Male	298	49%	10	53%
Intersex	0	*	0	*
Missing	9	1%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	611	100%	19	100%

34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Female	164	32%	8	42%
Gender Nonconforming	2	*	0	*
Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Non-Binary	3	*	0	*
Male	158	31%	10	53%
Questioning	1	*	0	*
Transgender (FtM)	3	*	0	*
Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	7	1%	1	5%
Does Not Wish to Answer	4	*	0	*
Missing	173	34%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	515	100%	19	100%

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Northern					Framingham					
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				970					
	Screened-In for Response				395		41%			
	Screened-Out				506		52%			
	Screened-Out DA Referral				69		7%			
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				334					
	Supported				110		33%			
	Substantiated Concern				120		36%			
Unsupported				104		31%				
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				135 of 334		40%				
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				34 of 41		83%				
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				101 of 293		34%				
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				4.3%						
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%						
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				19.04 per 100,000 days						
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				696					
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				602		86%			
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				94		14%			
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)				42					
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				45						
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
	White ⁽¹⁾				397		33%		474	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				402		34%		342	
	Black ⁽¹⁾				86		7%		94	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				12		1%		23	
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				5		*		2	
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0		*		0	
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				65		5%		21	
	Unable to Determine/Declined				82		7%		7%	
	Missing				137		12%		141	
Total Consumers				1,186		100%		93		
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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Northern					Framingham				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	885	89%	19	76%	0 - 2 Years Old	168	17%	18 - 19 Years Old	18 72%
Voluntary Application	3	*	1	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	139	14%	20 - 21 Years Old	5 20%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	65	7%	5	20%	6 - 11 Years Old	317	32%	22 - 23 Years Old	2 8%
Institutional Abuse	4	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	376	38%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	43	4%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,000	100%	25	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,000	100%	25	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	306	31%	7	28%	Female	452	45%	16	64%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	346	35%	8	32%	Male	510	51%	9	36%
Black ⁽¹⁾	72	7%	3	12%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	8	*	0	*	Missing	38	4%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*					
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	1	4%	Total Not In-Placement	1,000	100%	25	100%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	52	5%	2	8%					
Unable to Determine/Declined	78	8%	1	4%					
Missing	137	14%	3	12%					
Total Not In-Placement	1,000	100%	25	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	3	*	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	3	*	1	4%	Female	233	28%	13	52%
Gay	1	*	0	*	Gender Nonconforming	1	*	0	*
Lesbian	6	*	0	*	Genderqueer	1	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	1	4%	Non-Binary	2	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Male	300	36%	8	32%
Questioning	8	*	0	*	Questioning	2	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	295	35%	12	48%	Transgender (FtM)	2	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	103	12%	3	12%	Transgender (MtF)	1	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	143	17%	2	8%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	270	32%	6	24%	Not Listed/Other	25	3%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	832	100%	25	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	13	2%	0	*
					Missing	252	30%	4	16%
					Total Not In-Placement	832	100%	25	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		0						

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Northern

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)		776	
Screened-In for Response	372	48%	
Screened-Out	309	40%	
Screened-Out DA Referral	95	12%	
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)		312	
Supported	99	32%	
Substantiated Concern	66	21%	
Unsupported	147	47%	
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)		159 of 312 51%	
Emergency Responses (5 business days)	37 of 49	76%	
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	122 of 263	46%	
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		11.2%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		22.68 per 100,000 days	

12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)		612	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	503	82%	
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	109	18%	
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		32	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		31	

18. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾	498	45%	37	58%	597	49%	
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	377	34%	17	27%	355	29%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	51	5%	3	5%	66	5%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	5	*	0	*	9	*	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5	*	0	*	3	*	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0	*	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	62	6%	6	9%	29	2%	
Unable to Determine/Declined	27	2%	0	*	49	4%	
Missing	90	8%	1	2%	111	9%	
Total Consumers	1,115	100%	64	100%	1,219	100%	
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding							
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races							

20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	201	96%	39	78%	
Voluntary Application	0	*	3	6%	
Court Referral/CRA Referral	9	4%	7	14%	
Institutional Abuse	0	*	1	2%	
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	
Other/Unspecified	0	*	0	*	
Total In-Placement	210	100%	50	100%	
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	77	37%	4	8%	
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0	*	0	*	
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	34	16%	0	*	
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	4	2%	0	*	
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	12	24%	
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	39	19%	6	12%	
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	30	14%	7	14%	
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0	*	0	*	
Congregate Care - Residential School	9	4%	0	*	
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	8	4%	0	*	
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	3	1%	19	38%	
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	5	2%	2	4%	
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	1	*	0	*	
Total In-Placement	210	100%	50	100%	
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	100	48%	32	64%	
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	70	33%	10	20%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	17	8%	3	6%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	0	*	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	15	7%	5	10%	
Unable to Determine/Declined	6	3%	0	*	
Missing	0	*	0	*	
Total In-Placement	210	100%	50	100%	
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Family Reunification	100	48%	1	2%	
Adoption	58	28%	0	*	
Guardianship	14	7%	0	*	
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	8	4%	37	74%	
Stabilize Intact Family	10	5%	2	4%	
Permanent Care with Kin	17	8%	10	20%	
Unspecified as of run-date	3	1%	0	*	
Total In-Placement	210	100%	50	100%	
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	2		1		
Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11		
Total In-Placement	6		12		

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Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)		121	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,115	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	905	81%	
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	210	19%	
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	77	37%	
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	115		
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	77	67%	
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		64	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,219	
Total Consumers		2,398	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)		7	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	3	43%	
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)		45	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		6	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	3	50%	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		0	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.			

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
English/Unknown	1,056	95%	60	94%	1,088	89%	
Spanish	54	5%	4	6%	107	9%	
Portuguese	2	*	0	*	3	*	
Other	0	*	0	*	11	*	
Haitian Creole	1	*	0	*	4	*	
Cape Verdean Creole	0	*	0	*	1	*	
Chinese	0	*	0	*	0	*	
Arabic	2	*	0	*	2	*	
Khmer	0	*	0	*	0	*	
Vietnamese	0	*	0	*	0	*	
Russian	0	*	0	*	1	*	
American Sign Language	0	*	0	*	2	*	
French	0	*	0	*	0	*	
Total Consumers	1,115	100%	64	100%	1,219	100%	

23. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	33	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	26	52%
3 - 5 Years Old	26	12%	20 - 21 Years Old	17	34%
6 - 11 Years Old	58	28%	22 - 23 Years Old	7	14%
12 - 17 Years Old	93	44%	24 and Older	0	*
Unspecified	0	*			
Total In-Placement	210	100%	50	100%	
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Female	102	49%	23	46%	
Male	108	51%	27	54%	
Intersex	0	*	0	*	
Missing	0	*	0	*	
Total In-Placement	210	100%	50	100%	
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	0	*	0	*	
Female	80	45%	23	46%	
Gender Nonconforming	0	*	0	*	
Genderqueer	0	*	0	*	
Non-Binary	2	1%	0	*	
Male	80	45%	26	52%	
Questioning	0	*	0	*	
Transgender (FtM)	2	1%	1	2%	
Transgender (MtF)	2	1%	0	*	
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*	
Not Listed/Other	3	2%	0	*	
Does Not Wish to Answer	6	3%	0	*	
Missing	2	1%	0	*	
Total In-Placement	177	100%	50	100%	
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	1	*	1	2%	
Bisexual	4	2%	1	2%	
Gay	1	*	0	*	
Lesbian	1	*	1	2%	
Pansexual/Omnisexual	1	*	0	*	
Queer	2	1%	0	*	
Questioning	1	*	1	2%	
Straight/Heterosexual	77	44%	37	74%	
Not Listed/Other	32	18%	2	4%	
Does Not Wish to Answer	55	31%	7	14%	
Missing	2	1%	0	*	
Total In-Placement	177	100%	50	100%	
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0.5 Years or Less	44	21%	6	12%	
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	49	23%	5	10%	
>1 Year - 2 Years	45	21%	4	8%	
>2 Years - 4 Years	55	26%	12	24%	
>4 Years	17	8%	23	46%	
Blank	0	*	0	*	
Total In-Placement	210	100%	50	100%	

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18	32. Age Group (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
51A Report	826 91%	10 71%	0 - 2 Years Old	153 17%	18 - 19 Years Old 13 93%
Voluntary Application	2 *	0 *	3 - 5 Years Old	137 15%	20 - 21 Years Old 0 *
Court Referral/CRA Referral	44 5%	4 29%	6 - 11 Years Old	319 35%	22 - 23 Years Old 0 *
Institutional Abuse	3 *	0 *	12 - 17 Years Old	296 33%	24 and Older 1 7%
Safe Haven	0 *	0 *	Unspecified	0 *	
Other/Unspecified	30 3%	0 *	Total Not In-Placement	905 100%	14 100%
Total Not In-Placement	905 100%	14 100%			
31. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18	33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
White ⁽¹⁾	398 44%	5 36%	Female	439 49%	8 57%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	307 34%	7 50%	Male	433 48%	6 43%
Black ⁽¹⁾	34 4%	0 *	Intersex	0 *	0 *
Asian ⁽¹⁾	5 *	0 *	Missing	33 4%	0 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3 *	0 *	Total Not In-Placement	905 100%	14 100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *			
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	47 5%	1 7%	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Unable to Determine/Declined	21 2%	0 *	Androgynous	1 *	0 *
Missing	90 10%	1 7%	Female	273 36%	5 36%
Total Not In-Placement	905 100%	14 100%	Gender Nonconforming	6 *	2 14%
			Genderqueer	0 *	0 *
			Non-Binary	3 *	0 *
			Male	268 36%	5 36%
			Questioning	0 *	0 *
			Transgender (FtM)	2 *	0 *
			Transgender (MtF)	0 *	0 *
			Two Spirit	0 *	0 *
			Not Listed/Other	16 2%	0 *
			Does Not Wish to Answer	10 1%	0 *
			Missing	173 23%	2 14%
			Total Not In-Placement	752 100%	14 100%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18			
Asexual	1 *	0 *			
Bisexual	5 *	1 7%			
Gay	2 *	0 *			
Lesbian	3 *	0 *			
Pansexual/Omnisexual	4 *	0 *			
Queer	0 *	0 *			
Questioning	6 *	0 *			
Straight/Heterosexual	286 38%	9 64%			
Not Listed/Other	87 12%	1 7%			
Does Not Wish to Answer	174 23%	1 7%			
Missing	184 24%	2 14%			
Total Not In-Placement	752 100%	14 100%			
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18			
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0	0			

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Northern						Greater Lowell								
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)					1,410		7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)					104	
	Screened-In for Response					518		8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					1,525	
	Screened-Out					800		Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement					1,203	
	Screened-Out DA Referral					92		Consumer Children <18 In-Placement					322	
								Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement					139	
								Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					218	
								Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					139	
DCF Cases	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)					388		9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					85	
	Supported					177		10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)					1,488	
	Substantiated Concern					61		Total Consumers					3,098	
	Unsupported					150		11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)					19	
								Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal					9	
								15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)					79	
								16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					11	
All DCF Consumers	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)					787		Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal					4	
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement					642		17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					2	
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement					145		Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.						
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)					44								
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)					60								
18. Race (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults								
White ⁽¹⁾		483	32%	33	39%	614	41%							
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾		599	39%	28	33%	494	33%							
Black ⁽¹⁾		92	6%	5	6%	112	8%							
Asian ⁽¹⁾		103	7%	9	11%	122	8%							
Native American ⁽¹⁾		1	*	0	*	1	*							
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾		0	*	0	*	0	*							
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}		110	7%	7	8%	24	2%							
Unable to Determine/Declined		64	4%	3	4%	63	4%							
Missing		73	5%	0	*	58	4%							
Total Consumers		1,525	100%	85	100%	1,488	100%							
		⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding												
		⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races												
19. Primary Language (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults								
English/Unknown		1,391	91%	80	94%	1,218	82%							
Spanish		66	4%	4	5%	135	9%							
Portuguese		29	2%	1	1%	54	4%							
Other		17	1%	0	*	27	2%							
Haitian Creole		7	*	0	*	6	*							
Cape Verdean Creole		0	*	0	*	1	*							
Chinese		0	*	0	*	0	*							
Arabic		1	*	0	*	2	*							
Khmer		12	*	0	*	40	3%							
Vietnamese		1	*	0	*	5	*							
Russian		1	*	0	*	0	*							
American Sign Language		0	*	0	*	0	*							
French		0	*	0	*	0	*							
Total Consumers		1,525	100%	85	100%	1,488	100%							
20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18										
51A Report		297	92%	56	84%	38	57%							
Voluntary Application		0	*	1	1%	28	42%							
Court Referral/CRA Referral		21	7%	10	15%	1	1%							
Institutional Abuse		0	*	0	*	0	*							
Safe Haven		0	*	0	*	0	*							
Other/Unspecified		4	1%	0	*	0	*							
Total In-Placement		322	100%	67	100%	67	100%							
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18										
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship		139	43%	6	9%	30	45%							
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific		0	*	0	*	37	55%							
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated		64	20%	1	1%	0	*							
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive		15	5%	1	1%	0	*							
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living		0	*	35	52%	0	*							
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)		34	11%	1	1%	36	54%							
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence		27	8%	10	15%	1	1%							
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence		1	*	0	*	0	*							
Congregate Care - Residential School		19	6%	1	1%	0	*							
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence		13	4%	0	*	11	16%							
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult		1	*	11	16%	1	1%							
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)		7	2%	1	1%	0	*							
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement		2	*	0	*	0	*							
Total In-Placement		322	100%	67	100%	67	100%							
22. Race (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18										
White ⁽¹⁾		106	33%	27	40%	2	3%							
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾		128	40%	23	34%	5	7%							
Black ⁽¹⁾		24	7%	5	7%	0	*							
Asian ⁽¹⁾		13	4%	5	7%	0	*							
Native American ⁽¹⁾		1	*	0	*	0	*							
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾		0	*	0	*	0	*							
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}		34	11%	5	7%	2	3%							
Unable to Determine/Declined		15	5%	2	3%	0	*							
Missing		1	*	0	*	0	*							
Total In-Placement		322	100%	67	100%	67	100%							
23. Age Group (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18										
0 - 2 Years Old		53	16%	18	19 Years Old	38	57%							
3 - 5 Years Old		52	16%	20	21 Years Old	28	42%							
6 - 11 Years Old		80	25%	22	23 Years Old	1	1%							
12 - 17 Years Old		137	43%	24	Older	0	*							
Unspecified		0	*											
Total In-Placement		322	100%	67	100%	67	100%							
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18										
Female		146	45%	30	45%									
Male		176	55%	37	55%									
Intersex		0	*	0	*									
Missing		0	*	0	*									
Total In-Placement		322	100%	67	100%	67	100%							
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)														
		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18										
Androgynous		0	*	0	*									
Female		112	42%	29	43%									
Gender Nonconforming		0	*	0	*									
Genderqueer		0	*	0	*									
Non-Binary		0	*	0	*									
Male		126	47%	36	54%									
Questioning		1	*	1	1%									
Transgender (FTM)		2	*	0	*									
Transgender (MtF)		0	*	0	*									
Two Spirit		0	*	0	*									
Not Listed/Other		19	7%	1	1%									
Does Not Wish to Answer		7	3%	0	*									
Missing		2	*	0	*									
Total In-Placement		269	100%	67	100%	67	100%							
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)														
		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18										
Asexual		6	2%	1	1%									
Bisexual		6	2%	2	3%									
Gay		1	*	2	3%									
Lesbian		1	*	2	3%									
Pansexual/Omnisexual		1	*	0	*									
Queer		0	*	0	*									
Questioning		8	3%	1	1%									
Straight/Heterosexual		97	36%	43	64%									
Not Listed/Other		63	23%	8	12%									
Does Not Wish to Answer		83	31%	8	12%									
Missing		3	1%	0	*									
Total In-Placement		269	100%	67	100%	67	100%							
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18										
0.5 Years or Less		76	24%	2	3%									
>0.5 Years - 1 Year		60	19%	2	3%									
>1 Year - 2 Years		73	23%	11	16%									
>2 Years - 4 Years		77	24%	24	36%									
>4 Years		35	11%	28	42%									
Blank		1	*	0	*									
Total In-Placement		322	100%	67	100%	67	100%							
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18										
Family Reunification		112	35%	4	6%									
Adoption		107	33%	1	1%									
Guardianship		31	10%	0	*									
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		13	4%	44	66%									
Stabilize Intact Family		40	12%	5	7%									
Permanent Care with Kin		14	4%	13	19%									
Unspecified as of run-date		5	2%	0	*									
Total In-Placement		322	100%	67	100%	67	100%							
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)														
		Child <18		Youth ≥18										
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)		1		2										
Interim Placement Policy Program		4		11										
Total In-Placement		5		13										

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DCF Region: Northern					Greater Lowell				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,104	92%	14	78%	0 - 2 Years Old	232	19%	18 - 19 Years Old	13 72%
Voluntary Application	1	*	1	6%	3 - 5 Years Old	198	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	2 11%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	53	4%	3	17%	6 - 11 Years Old	402	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	2 11%
Institutional Abuse	1	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	369	31%	24 and Older	1 6%
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	2	*		
Other/Unspecified	44	4%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,203	100%	18	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,203	100%	18	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	377	31%	6	33%	Female	567	47%	8	44%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	471	39%	5	28%	Male	602	50%	10	56%
Black ⁽¹⁾	68	6%	0	*	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	90	7%	4	22%	Missing	34	3%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,203	100%	18	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	76	6%	2	11%					
Unable to Determine/Declined	49	4%	1	6%					
Missing	72	6%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,203	100%	18	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	22	2%	1	6%	Androgynous	1	*	0	*
Bisexual	1	*	1	6%	Female	358	37%	6	33%
Gay	3	*	1	6%	Gender Nonconforming	1	*	0	*
Lesbian	2	*	0	*	Genderqueer	0	*	1	6%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	1	*	0	*	Non-Binary	2	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Male	385	40%	8	44%
Questioning	1	*	1	6%	Questioning	1	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	361	37%	9	50%	Transgender (FtM)	1	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	173	18%	1	6%	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	228	24%	2	11%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	177	18%	2	11%	Not Listed/Other	20	2%	1	6%
Total Not In-Placement	969	100%	18	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	38	4%	0	*
					Missing	162	17%	2	11%
					Total Not In-Placement	969	100%	18	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		1						

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DCF Region: Northern

Reports & Consumer Counts

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)	709	
Screened-In for Response	453	64%
Screened-Out	200	28%
Screened-Out DA Referral	56	8%
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)	350	
Supported	137	39%
Substantiated Concern	12	3%
Unsupported	201	57%
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)	240 of 350	69%
Emergency Responses (5 business days)	34 of 45	76%
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	206 of 305	68%
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)	8.3%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)	1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)	20.92	per 100,000 days

DCF Cases

12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)	526	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	426	81%
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	100	19%
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	25	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	30	

All DCF Consumers

18. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults
White ⁽¹⁾	183	19%	12 22% 220 22%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	637	65%	38 70% 621 62%
Black ⁽¹⁾	37	4%	1 2% 42 4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	17	2%	1 2% 14 1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0 0 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0 0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	8	*	1 2% 3 *
Unable to Determine/Declined	32	3%	1 2% 54 5%
Missing	61	6%	0 * 54 5%
Total Consumers	975	100%	54 100% 1,008 100%
⁽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 (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
51A Report	170 94%	35 88%
Voluntary Application	0 *	0 *
Court Referral/CRA Referral	11 6%	3 8%
Institutional Abuse	0 *	1 3%
Safe Haven	0 *	0 *
Other/Unspecified	0 *	1 3%
Total In-Placement	181 100%	40 100%
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	65 36%	9 23%
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0 *	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	39 22%	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	13 7%	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	11 28%
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	26 14%	5 13%
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	15 8%	3 8%
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0 *	0 *
Congregate Care - Residential School	12 7%	1 3%
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	2 1%	0 *
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	1 *	10 25%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	8 4%	1 3%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	181 100%	40 100%
22. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
White ⁽¹⁾	41 23%	11 28%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	126 70%	28 70%
Black ⁽¹⁾	4 2%	1 3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3 2%	0 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	0 *	0 *
Unable to Determine/Declined	7 4%	0 *
Missing	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	181 100%	40 100%
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Family Reunification	66 36%	0 *
Adoption	54 30%	0 *
Guardianship	16 9%	0 *
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	15 8%	31 78%
Stabilize Intact Family	6 3%	1 3%
Permanent Care with Kin	14 8%	8 20%
Unspecified as of run-date	10 6%	0 *
Total In-Placement	181 100%	40 100%
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	2	4
Interim Placement Policy Program	4	11
Total In-Placement	6	15

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Reports & Consumer Counts

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)	125	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	975	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	794	81%
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	181	19%
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	65	36%
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	117	
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	65	56%
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	54	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)	1,008	
Total Consumers	2,037	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)	15	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	7	47%
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)	37	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	4	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	0	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	1	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.		

DCF Cases

15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)	37	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	4	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	0	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	1	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.		

All DCF Consumers

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults
English/Unknown	832 85%	44 81%	675 67%
Spanish	128 13%	10 19%	307 30%
Portuguese	0 *	0 *	1 *
Other	4 *	0 *	8 *
Haitian Creole	7 *	0 *	9 *
Cape Verdean Creole	0 *	0 *	0 *
Chinese	0 *	0 *	1 *
Arabic	0 *	0 *	3 *
Khmer	2 *	0 *	0 *
Vietnamese	0 *	0 *	0 *
Russian	0 *	0 *	0 *
American Sign Language	2 *	0 *	3 *
French	0 *	0 *	1 *
Total Consumers	975 100%	54 100%	1,008 100%
23. Age Group (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	29 16%	18 - 19 Years Old 21 53%	
3 - 5 Years Old	28 15%	20 - 21 Years Old 16 40%	
6 - 11 Years Old	44 24%	22 - 23 Years Old 3 8%	
12 - 17 Years Old	80 44%	24 and Older 0 *	
Unspecified	0 *		
Total In-Placement	181 100%	40 100%	
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18	
Female	93 51%	22 55%	
Male	88 49%	18 45%	
Intersex	0 *	0 *	
Missing	0 *	0 *	
Total In-Placement	181 100%	40 100%	
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	0 *	0 *	
Female	66 43%	21 53%	
Gender Nonconforming	0 *	0 *	
Genderqueer	0 *	0 *	
Non-Binary	1 *	0 *	
Male	67 44%	17 43%	
Questioning	0 *	0 *	
Transgender (FtM)	1 *	0 *	
Transgender (MtF)	0 *	0 *	
Two Spirit	0 *	0 *	
Not Listed/Other	0 *	0 *	
Does Not Wish to Answer	10 7%	2 5%	
Missing	7 5%	0 *	
Total In-Placement	152 100%	40 100%	
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18	
Asexual	0 *	0 *	
Bisexual	1 *	4 10%	
Gay	1 *	1 3%	
Lesbian	1 *	1 3%	
Pansexual/Omnisexual	3 2%	0 *	
Queer	0 *	0 *	
Questioning	3 2%	0 *	
Straight/Heterosexual	84 55%	24 60%	
Not Listed/Other	15 10%	4 10%	
Does Not Wish to Answer	34 22%	6 15%	
Missing	10 7%	0 *	
Total In-Placement	152 100%	40 100%	
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18	
0.5 Years or Less	50 28%	1 3%	
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	25 14%	1 3%	
>1 Year - 2 Years	43 24%	6 15%	
>2 Years - 4 Years	46 25%	12 30%	
>4 Years	17 9%	20 50%	
Blank	0 *	0 *	
Total In-Placement	181 100%	40 100%	

Children and Youth In-Placement

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DCF Region: Northern					Lawrence				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	712	90%	10	71%	0 - 2 Years Old	104	13%	18 - 19 Years Old	11 79%
Voluntary Application	0	*	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	135	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	2 14%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	55	7%	4	29%	6 - 11 Years Old	275	35%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 7%
Institutional Abuse	3	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	280	35%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	24	3%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	794	100%	14	100%	Total Not In-Placement	794	100%	14	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	142	18%	1	7%	Female	384	48%	6	43%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	511	64%	10	71%	Male	390	49%	8	57%
Black ⁽¹⁾	33	4%	0	*	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	14	2%	1	7%	Missing	20	3%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	794	100%	14	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	8	1%	1	7%	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined	25	3%	1	7%		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Missing	61	8%	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	794	100%	14	100%	Female	224	32%	6	43%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Gender Nonconforming	0	*	0	*
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Asexual	0	*	0	*	Non-Binary	1	*	0	*
Bisexual	6	*	2	14%	Male	221	32%	7	50%
Gay	2	*	0	*	Questioning	0	*	0	*
Lesbian	1	*	0	*	Transgender (FtM)	3	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Questioning	4	*	0	*	Not Listed/Other	15	2%	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	310	45%	8	57%	Does Not Wish to Answer	13	2%	0	*
Not Listed/Other	47	7%	0	*	Missing	213	31%	1	7%
Does Not Wish to Answer	73	11%	3	21%	Total Not In-Placement	690	100%	14	100%
Missing	247	36%	1	7%					
Total Not In-Placement	690	100%	14	100%	37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)				
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)						Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)						0		0	

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Northern

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)		750	
Screened-In for Response	422	56%	
Screened-Out	293	39%	
Screened-Out DA Referral	35	5%	
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)		353	
Supported	145	41%	
Substantiated Concern	102	29%	
Unsupported	106	30%	
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)		226 of 353 64%	
Emergency Responses (5 business days)	45	of 50	90%
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	181	of 303	60%
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		11.2%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		14.43 per 100,000 days	
12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)		618	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	531	86%	
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	87	14%	
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		59	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		45	
18. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18 Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾	216	19%	7 13% 308 27%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	553	48%	32 59% 508 44%
Black ⁽¹⁾	113	10%	9 17% 139 12%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	15	1%	2 4% 23 2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0 * 0 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0 * 0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	68	6%	4 7% 27 2%
Unable to Determine/Declined	71	6%	0 * 49 4%
Missing	114	10%	0 * 93 8%
Total Consumers	1,150	100%	54 100% 1,147 100%
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding			
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			
20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
51A Report	211	95%	22 63%
Voluntary Application	2	*	9 26%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	5	2%	3 9%
Institutional Abuse	3	1%	1 3%
Safe Haven	0	*	0 *
Other/Unspecified	0	*	0 *
Total In-Placement	221	100%	35 100%
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	68	31%	1 3%
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0	*	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	31	14%	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	19	9%	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	20 57%
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	59	27%	3 9%
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	20	9%	3 9%
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0	*	0 *
Congregate Care - Residential School	10	5%	2 6%
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	5	2%	0 *
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	0	*	6 17%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	2	*	0 *
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	7	3%	0 *
Total In-Placement	221	100%	35 100%
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	73	33%	5 14%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	80	36%	17 49%
Black ⁽¹⁾	25	11%	8 23%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	1 3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	19	9%	4 11%
Unable to Determine/Declined	24	11%	0 *
Missing	0	*	0 *
Total In-Placement	221	100%	35 100%
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
Family Reunification	89	40%	2 6%
Adoption	89	40%	0 *
Guardianship	12	5%	1 3%
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	8	4%	28 80%
Stabilize Intact Family	13	6%	2 6%
Permanent Care with Kin	6	3%	1 3%
Unspecified as of run-date	4	2%	1 3%
Total In-Placement	221	100%	35 100%
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	0		1
Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11
Total In-Placement	4		12

Lynn

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)		113	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,150	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	929	81%	
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	221	19%	
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	68	31%	
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	118		
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	68	58%	
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		54	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,147	
Total Consumers		2,350	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)		18	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	14	78%	
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)		64	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		5	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	1	20%	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		0	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.			
19. Primary Language (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18 Adults	
English/Unknown	984	86%	43 80% 805 70%
Spanish	146	13%	10 19% 299 26%
Portuguese	6	*	0 * 11 *
Other	2	*	0 * 9 *
Haitian Creole	6	*	0 * 15 1%
Cape Verdean Creole	0	*	0 * 0 *
Chinese	0	*	0 * 0 *
Arabic	0	*	0 * 0 *
Khmer	1	*	0 * 6 *
Vietnamese	0	*	1 2% 0 *
Russian	0	*	0 * 1 *
American Sign Language	2	*	0 * 0 *
French	3	*	0 * 1 *
Total Consumers	1,150	100%	54 100% 1,147 100%
23. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	38	17%	18 - 19 Years Old 18 51%
3 - 5 Years Old	37	17%	20 - 21 Years Old 15 43%
6 - 11 Years Old	62	28%	22 - 23 Years Old 2 6%
12 - 17 Years Old	84	38%	24 and Older 0 *
Unspecified	0	*	
Total In-Placement	221	100%	35 100%
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
Female	118	53%	23 66%
Male	103	47%	12 34%
Intersex	0	*	0 *
Missing	0	*	0 *
Total In-Placement	221	100%	35 100%
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17 Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	0	*	0 *
Female	90	49%	20 57%
Gender Nonconforming	0	*	0 *
Genderqueer	0	*	0 *
Non-Binary	0	*	1 3%
Male	86	47%	11 31%
Questioning	1	*	0 *
Transgender (FtM)	2	1%	0 *
Transgender (MtF)	0	*	1 3%
Two Spirit	0	*	0 *
Not Listed/Other	2	1%	0 *
Does Not Wish to Answer	1	*	2 6%
Missing	1	*	0 *
Total In-Placement	183	100%	35 100%
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17 Youth ≥18	
Asexual	1	*	0 *
Bisexual	10	5%	2 6%
Gay	2	1%	0 *
Lesbian	0	*	2 6%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	2 6%
Queer	0	*	0 *
Questioning	2	1%	0 *
Straight/Heterosexual	92	50%	22 63%
Not Listed/Other	39	21%	2 6%
Does Not Wish to Answer	36	20%	5 14%
Missing	1	*	0 *
Total In-Placement	183	100%	35 100%
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
0.5 Years or Less	37	17%	6 17%
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	33	15%	1 3%
>1 Year - 2 Years	63	29%	4 11%
>2 Years - 4 Years	54	24%	15 43%
>4 Years	33	15%	9 26%
Blank	1	*	0 *
Total In-Placement	221	100%	35 100%

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DCF Region: Northern					Lynn				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	32. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18
51A Report		861	93%	15 79%	0 - 2 Years Old		153	16%	18 - 19 Years Old 13 68%
Voluntary Application		3	*	3 16%	3 - 5 Years Old		142	15%	20 - 21 Years Old 3 16%
Court Referral/CRA Referral		23	2%	1 5%	6 - 11 Years Old		304	33%	22 - 23 Years Old 3 16%
Institutional Abuse		3	*	0 *	12 - 17 Years Old		330	36%	24 and Older 0 *
Safe Haven		0	*	0 *	Unspecified		0	*	
Other/Unspecified		39	4%		Total Not In-Placement		929	100%	19 100%
Total Not In-Placement		929	100%	19 100%					
31. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18
White ⁽¹⁾		143	15%	2 11%	Female		444	48%	11 58%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾		473	51%	15 79%	Male		447	48%	8 42%
Black ⁽¹⁾		88	9%	1 5%	Intersex		0	*	0 *
Asian ⁽¹⁾		15	2%	1 5%	Missing		38	4%	0 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾		0	*	0 *	Total Not In-Placement		929	100%	19 100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾		0	*	0 *					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}		49	5%	0 *	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18
Unable to Determine/Declined		47	5%	0 *	Androgynous		0	*	0 *
Missing		114	12%	0 *	Female		237	31%	11 58%
Total Not In-Placement		929	100%	19 100%	Gender Nonconforming		1	*	0 *
					Genderqueer		0	*	0 *
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	Non-Binary		1	*	0 *
Asexual		3	*	0 *	Male		257	33%	8 42%
Bisexual		7	*	2 11%	Questioning		1	*	0 *
Gay		2	*	1 5%	Transgender (FtM)		0	*	0 *
Lesbian		2	*	0 *	Transgender (MtF)		1	*	0 *
Pansexual/Omnisexual		0	*	0 *	Two Spirit		0	*	0 *
Queer		0	*	0 *	Not Listed/Other		4	*	0 *
Questioning		5	*	0 *	Does Not Wish to Answer		18	2%	0 *
Straight/Heterosexual		256	33%	10 53%	Missing		256	33%	0 *
Not Listed/Other		61	8%	4 21%	Total Not In-Placement		776	100%	19 100%
Does Not Wish to Answer		149	19%	2 11%					
Missing		291	38%	0 *					
Total Not In-Placement		776	100%	19 100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18					
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		0		0					

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)													
DCF Region: Northern						Metro North							
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				706		7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)				60		
	Screened-In for Response				353		50%						
	Screened-Out				285		40%						
	Screened-Out DA Referral				68		10%						
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				295								
	Supported				78		26%						
	Substantiated Concern				50		17%						
Unsupported				167		57%							
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				260		of		295		88%			
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				35		of		37		95%			
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				225		of		258		87%			
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				16.9%									
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%									
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				35.94		per 100,000 days							
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				461								
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				388		84%						
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				73		16%						
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)				26									
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				38									
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults				
	White ⁽¹⁾				244		36%		20		28%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				185		27%		20		28%		
	Black ⁽¹⁾				109		16%		22		31%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				11		2%		1		1%		
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				3		*		0		*		
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0		*		0		*		
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				46		7%		4		6%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				41		6%		3		4%		
	Missing				47		7%		2		3%		
Total Consumers				686		100%		72		100%			

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Northern					Metro North				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
		Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18
51A Report		531	92%	20	0 - 2 Years Old		76	13%	18 - 19 Years Old
Voluntary Application		13	2%	4	3 - 5 Years Old		74	13%	20 - 21 Years Old
Court Referral/CRA Referral		14	2%	2	6 - 11 Years Old		190	33%	22 - 23 Years Old
Institutional Abuse		8	1%	0	12 - 17 Years Old		236	41%	24 and Older
Safe Haven		0	*	0	Unspecified		0	*	
Other/Unspecified		10	2%	1	Total Not In-Placement		576	100%	27
Total Not In-Placement		576	100%	27					100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
		Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18
White ⁽¹⁾		202	35%	4	Female		299	52%	11
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾		158	27%	9	Male		272	47%	15
Black ⁽¹⁾		93	16%	9	Intersex		0	*	1
Asian ⁽¹⁾		10	2%	1	Missing		5	*	0
Native American ⁽¹⁾		1	*	0	Total Not In-Placement		576	100%	27
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾		0	*	0					100%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}		30	5%	1	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined		35	6%	1			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18
Missing		47	8%	2	Androgynous		1	*	0
Total Not In-Placement		576	100%	27	Female		208	42%	9
					Gender Nonconforming		0	*	1
					Genderqueer		0	*	0
					Non-Binary		1	*	0
					Male		193	39%	13
					Questioning		0	*	0
					Transgender (FtM)		2	*	0
					Transgender (MtF)		0	*	0
					Two Spirit		0	*	0
					Not Listed/Other		1	*	0
					Does Not Wish to Answer		8	2%	0
					Missing		86	17%	4
					Total Not In-Placement		500	100%	27
									100%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)									
		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18					
Asexual		28	6%	1					
Bisexual		6	1%	1					
Gay		0	*	0					
Lesbian		0	*	0					
Pansexual/Omnisexual		0	*	0					
Queer		0	*	0					
Questioning		3	*	1					
Straight/Heterosexual		222	44%	18					
Not Listed/Other		48	10%	0					
Does Not Wish to Answer		101	20%	2					
Missing		92	18%	4					
Total Not In-Placement		500	100%	27					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
		Child <18		Youth ≥18					
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		0		0					

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)										
DCF Region: Southern					Southern					
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				6,581					
	Screened-In for Response				3,274		50%			
	Screened-Out				2,889		44%			
	Screened-Out DA Referral				418		6%			
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				2,692					
	Supported				1,068		40%			
	Substantiated Concern				416		15%			
Unsupported				1,208		45%				
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				1,529		of		2,692 57%		
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				376		of		482 78%		
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				1,153		of		2,210 52%		
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				9.7%						
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%						
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				16.23		per 100,000 days				
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				4,930					
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				4,104		83%			
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				826		17%			
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				342					
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				344						
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
	White ⁽¹⁾				3,961 45%		217 49%		4,925 52%	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				1,763 20%		89 20%		1,505 16%	
	Black ⁽¹⁾				1,305 15%		83 19%		1,536 16%	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				82 *		7 2%		107 1%	
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				21 *		1 *		38 *	
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				3 *		0 *		8 *	
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				887 10%		32 7%		286 3%	
	Unable to Determine/Declined				359 4%		13 3%		524 6%	
	Missing				485 5%		4 *		465 5%	
Total Consumers				8,866 100%		446 100%		9,394 100%		
⁽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 (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	51A Report				1,743 94%		274 79%			
	Voluntary Application				3 *		29 8%			
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				98 5%		41 12%			
	Institutional Abuse				15 *		3 *			
	Safe Haven				0 *		0 *			
	Other/Unspecified				5 *		0 *			
	Total In-Placement				1,864 100%		347 100%			
	21. Placement Type (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				737 40%		33 10%			
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific				1 *		0 *				
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				475 25%		11 3%				
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive				96 5%		0 *				
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0 *		194 56%				
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				210 11%		17 5%				
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				128 7%		18 5%				
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence				2 *		0 *				
Congregate Care - Residential School				101 5%		22 6%				
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				43 2%		0 *				
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult				5 *		47 14%				
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				40 2%		5 1%				
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				26 1%		0 *				
Total In-Placement				1,864 100%		347 100%				
22. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
White ⁽¹⁾				891 48%		174 50%				
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				328 18%		62 18%				
Black ⁽¹⁾				255 14%		67 19%				
Asian ⁽¹⁾				13 *		4 1%				
Native American ⁽¹⁾				6 *		0 *				
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				2 *		0 *				
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				324 17%		29 8%				
Unable to Determine/Declined				44 2%		11 3%				
Missing				1 *		0 *				
Total In-Placement				1,864 100%		347 100%				
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
Family Reunification				633 34%		7 2%				
Adoption				748 40%		3 *				
Guardianship				154 8%		1 *				
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				117 6%		270 78%				
Stabilize Intact Family				103 6%		21 6%				
Permanent Care with Kin				70 4%		41 12%				
Unspecified as of run-date				39 2%		4 1%				
Total In-Placement				1,864 100%		347 100%				
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				15		20				
Interim Placement Policy Program				4		11				
Total In-Placement				19		31				
Children and Youth In-Placement	7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)				796					
	8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				8,866					
	Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement				7,002 79%					
	Consumer Children <18 In-Placement				1,864 21%					
	Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement				738 40%					
	Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				1,309					
	Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				738 56%					
	9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				446					
	10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)				9,394					
	Total Consumers				18,699					
DCF Cases	11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)				113					
	Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal				68 60%					
	15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)				568					
	16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				69					
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal				10 14%						
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				19						
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.										
All DCF Consumers	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
	English/Unknown				8,332 94%		423 95%		8,118 86%	
	Spanish				288 3%		11 2%		569 6%	
	Portuguese				99 1%		3 *		239 3%	
	Other				24 *		1 *		112 1%	
	Haitian Creole				46 *		3 *		121 1%	
	Cape Verdean Creole				59 *		1 *		162 2%	
	Chinese				9 *		1 *		23 *	
	Arabic				7 *		1 *		14 *	
	Khmer				1 *		1 *		10 *	
Vietnamese				1 *		1 *		12 *		
Russian				0 *		0 *		5 *		
American Sign Language				0 *		0 *		5 *		
French				0 *		0 *		4 *		
Total Consumers				8,866 100%		446 100%		9,394 100%		
23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
0 - 2 Years Old				355 19%		18 - 19 Years Old		170 49%		
3 - 5 Years Old				299 16%		20 - 21 Years Old		134 39%		
6 - 11 Years Old				493 26%		22 - 23 Years Old		41 12%		
12 - 17 Years Old				717 38%		24 and Older		2 *		
Unspecified				0 *						
Total In-Placement				1,864 100%		347 100%				
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
Female				943 51%		193 56%				
Male				921 49%		154 44%				
Intersex				0 *		0 *				
Missing				0 *		0 *				
Total In-Placement				1,864 100%		347 100%				
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17		Youth ≥18				
Androgynous				2 *		2 *				
Female				680 45%		176 51%				
Gender Nonconforming				7 *		4 1%				
Genderqueer				0 *		0 *				
Non-Binary				11 *		2 *				
Male				660 44%		143 41%				
Questioning				8 *		0 *				
Transgender (FTM)				5 *		7 2%				
Transgender (MtF)				0 *		0 *				
Two Spirit				0 *		0 *				
Not Listed/Other				39 3%		3 *				
Does Not Wish to Answer				73 5%		10 3%				
Missing				24 2%		0 *				
Total In-Placement				1,509 100%		347 100%				
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17		Youth ≥18				
Asexual				26 2%		8 2%				
Bisexual				33 2%		22 6%				
Gay				4 *		14 4%				
Lesbian				9 *		6 2%				
Pansexual/Omnisexual				9 *		5 1%				
Queer				0 *		3 *				
Questioning				23 2%		4 1%				
Straight/Heterosexual				716 47%		206 59%				
Not Listed/Other				239 16%		19 5%				
Does Not Wish to Answer				420 28%		60 17%				
Missing				30 2%		0 *				
Total In-Placement				1,509 100%		347 100%				
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
0.5 Years or Less				457 25%		12 3%				
>0.5 Years - 1 Year				282 15%		13 4%				
>1 Year - 2 Years				493 26%		48 14%				
>2 Years - 4 Years				390 21%		97 28%				
>4 Years				237 13%		177 51%				
Blank				5 *		0 *				
Total In-Placement				1,864 100%		347 100%				

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Southern					Southern					
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)					
		Child <18	Youth ≥18				Child <18	Youth ≥18		
51A Report		6,410	92%	77	78%	0 - 2 Years Old		1,156	17%	
Voluntary Application		13	*	6	6%	3 - 5 Years Old		1,184	17%	
Court Referral/CRA Referral		332	5%	14	14%	6 - 11 Years Old		2,323	33%	
Institutional Abuse		14	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old		2,337	33%	
Safe Haven		0	*	0	*	Unspecified		2	*	
Other/Unspecified		233	3%	2	2%	Total Not In-Placement		7,002	100%	
Total Not In-Placement		7,002	100%	99	100%			99	100%	
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)					
		Child <18	Youth ≥18				Child <18	Youth ≥18		
White ⁽¹⁾		3,070	44%	43	43%	Female		3,308	47%	
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾		1,435	20%	27	27%	Male		3,477	50%	
Black ⁽¹⁾		1,050	15%	16	16%	Intersex		0	*	
Asian ⁽¹⁾		69	*	3	3%	Missing		217	3%	
Native American ⁽¹⁾		15	*	1	1%	Total Not In-Placement		7,002	100%	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾		1	*	0	*			99	100%	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}		563	8%	3	3%	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined		315	4%	2	2%			Child 3-17	Youth ≥18	
Missing		484	7%	4	4%	Androgynous		7	*	
Total Not In-Placement		7,002	100%	99	100%	Female		1,959	34%	
					Gender Nonconforming		6	*	0	*
					Genderqueer		2	*	0	*
					Non-Binary		26	*	0	*
					Male		2,105	36%	34	34%
					Questioning		15	*	0	*
					Transgender (FtM)		13	*	2	2%
					Transgender (MtF)		3	*	1	1%
					Two Spirit		1	*	0	*
					Not Listed/Other		137	2%	3	3%
					Does Not Wish to Answer		169	3%	4	4%
					Missing		1,401	24%	10	10%
					Total Not In-Placement		5,844	100%	99	100%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)										
		Child 3-17	Youth ≥18							
Asexual		25	*	1	1%					
Bisexual		51	*	1	1%					
Gay		11	*	1	1%					
Lesbian		19	*	1	1%					
Pansexual/Omnisexual		5	*	0	*					
Queer		2	*	0	*					
Questioning		36	*	2	2%					
Straight/Heterosexual		2,408	41%	61	62%					
Not Listed/Other		606	10%	8	8%					
Does Not Wish to Answer		1,137	19%	13	13%					
Missing		1,544	26%	11	11%					
Total Not In-Placement		5,844	100%	99	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)										
		Child <18	Youth ≥18							
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		0	5							

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Southern

Arlington

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				902
Screened-In for Response				275 30%
Screened-Out				565 63%
Screened-Out DA Referral				62 7%
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				222
Supported				84 38%
Substantiated Concern				67 30%
Unsupported				71 32%
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				185 of 222 83%
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				46 of 48 96%
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				139 of 174 80%
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				6.7%
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				11.47 per 100,000

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)	42	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	739	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	569	77%
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	170	23%
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	76	45%
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	120	
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	76	63%
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	58	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)	833	
Total Consumers	1,630	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)	24	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	18	75%

00 days

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases	Clinical Cases - Non Placement	368	79%
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	95	21%
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)	36	
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	39	

DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)	463	
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement	368	79%
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	95	21%
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)	36	
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	39	

15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)	30	DCF Cases
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY2023, Q4)	6	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	3 50%	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY2023, Q4)	3	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.		

	White	Black	Hispanic/Latino	Asian	Native American	Pacific Islander	Multi-Racial	Unable to Determine/Declined	Missing
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽¹⁾	169	23%	18	31%	166	20%			
Black ⁽¹⁾	114	15%	10	17%	140	17%			
Asian ⁽¹⁾	18	2%	0	*	28	3%			
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0	*			
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	1	*			
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	47	6%	3	5%	13	2%			
Unable to Determine/Declined	44	6%	5	9%	54	6%			
Missing	63	9%	0	*	62	7%			
Total Consumers	739	100%	58	100%	833	100%			

⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races

All DCF Consumers

18. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾	284	38%	22	38%	369	44%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	169	23%	18	31%	166	20%
Black ⁽¹⁾	114	15%	10	17%	140	17%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	18	2%	0	*	28	3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	1	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	47	6%	3	5%	13	2%
Unable to Determine/Declined	44	6%	5	9%	54	6%
Missing	63	9%	0	*	62	7%
Total Consumers	739	100%	58	100%	833	100%

⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding

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

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19. Primary Language (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
English/Unknown	681	92%	51	88%	694	83%
Spanish	44	6%	4	7%	85	10%
Portuguese	8	1%	0	*	15	2%
Other	3	*	0	*	14	2%
Haitian Creole	2	*	2	3%	9	1%
Cape Verdean Creole	0	*	0	*	0	*
Chinese	1	*	0	*	11	1%
Arabic	0	*	1	2%	4	*
Khmer	0	*	0	*	0	*
Vietnamese	0	*	0	*	0	*
Russian	0	*	0	*	1	*
American Sign Language	0	*	0	*	0	*
French	0	*	0	*	0	*
Total Consumers	739	100%	58	100%	833	100%

23. Age Group (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	32	19%	18 - 19 Years Old	19 41%
3 - 5 Years Old	28	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	23 50%
6 - 11 Years Old	37	22%	22 - 23 Years Old	4 9%
12 - 17 Years Old	73	43%	24 and Older	0 *
Unspecified	0	*		
Total In-Placement	170	100%		46 100%

24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Female		81	48%	29	63%
Male		89	52%	17	37%
Intersex		0	*	0	*
Missing		0	*	0	*
Total In-Placement		170	100%	46	100%

25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	1	*	0	*
Female	60	43%	26	57%
Gender Nonconforming	2	1%	1	2%
Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Non-Binary	1	*	0	*
Male	62	45%	16	35%
Questioning	0	*	0	*
Transgender (FTM)	1	*	1	2%
Transgender (MTF)	0	*	0	*
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	4	3%	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	5	4%	2	4%
Missing	2	1%	0	*
Total In-Placement	138	100%	46	100%

26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Asexual	2 1%	1 2%
Bisexual	4 3%	5 11%
Gay	0 *	3 7%
Lesbian	2 1%	0 *
Does not identify as sexual	2 *	0 *

Pairedsexual/Unpairedsexual	0	0	
Queer	0	1	2%
Questioning	3	2%	0 *
Straight/Heterosexual	60	43%	23 50%
Not Listed/Other	36	26%	4 9%
Does Not Wish to Answer	25	18%	9 20%
Missing	6	4%	0 *
Total In-Placement	118	100%	46 100%

27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth >18
0.5 Years or Less	46 27%	1 2%
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	40 24%	2 4%
>1 Year - 2 Years	51 30%	6 13%
>2 Years - 4 Years	24 14%	11 24%

>4 Years	9	5%	26	57%
Blank	0	*	0	*
Total In-Placement	170	100%	46	100%

Children and Youth In-Placement	Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	0	0		
	Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	0	9	20	20
	Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	4	2%	1	2%
	Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	1	*	0	*
	Total In-Placement	170	100%	46	100%
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18		
	White ⁽¹⁾	68	40%	17	37%
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	37	22%	13	28%
	Black ⁽¹⁾	35	21%	8	17%
	Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	2%	0	*
	Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	19	11%	3	7%
	Unable to Determine/Declined	7	4%	5	11%
	Missing	0	*	0	*
	Total In-Placement	170	100%	46	100%
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18		
	Family Reunification	75	44%	0	*
	Adoption	30	18%	0	*
	Guardianship	19	11%	0	*
	APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	21	12%	43	93%
	Stabilize Intact Family	16	9%	2	4%
	Permanent Care with Kin	5	3%	1	2%
	Unspecified as of run-date	4	2%	0	*
	Total In-Placement	170	100%	46	100%
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18		
	688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	3		1	
	Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11	
	Total In-Placement	7		12	

Children and Youth

22. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth >18	
White ⁽¹⁾	68	40%	17	37%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	37	22%	13	28%
Black ⁽¹⁾	35	21%	8	17%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	2%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	19	11%	3	7%
Unable to Determine/Declined	7	4%	5	11%
Missing	0	*	0	*
Total In-Placement	170	100%	46	100%

28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Family Reunification	75 44%	0 *
Adoption	30 18%	0 *
Guardianship	19 11%	0 *
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	21 12%	43 93%
Stabilize Intact Family	16 9%	2 4%
Permanent Care with Kin	5 3%	1 2%
Unspecified as of run-date	4 2%	0 *
Total In-Placement	170 100%	46 100%

29.688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth >18
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	3	1
Interim Placement Policy Program	4	11
Total In-Placement	7	12

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

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DCF Region: Southern					Arlington				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	514	90%	6	50%	0 - 2 Years Old	86	15%	18 - 19 Years Old	9 75%
Voluntary Application	1	*	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	98	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	1 8%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	31	5%	5	42%	6 - 11 Years Old	178	31%	22 - 23 Years Old	2 17%
Institutional Abuse	4	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	207	36%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	19	3%	1	8%					
Total Not In-Placement	569	100%	12	100%	Total Not In-Placement	569	100%	12	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	216	38%	5	42%	Female	272	48%	5	42%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	132	23%	5	42%	Male	261	46%	7	58%
Black ⁽¹⁾	79	14%	2	17%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	14	2%	0	*	Missing	36	6%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	569	100%	12	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	28	5%	0	*	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined	37	7%	0	*		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Missing	63	11%	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	569	100%	12	100%	Female	166	34%	4	33%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Gender Nonconforming	0	*	0	*
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Asexual	1	*	0	*	Non-Binary	3	*	0	*
Bisexual	4	*	0	*	Male	149	31%	6	50%
Gay	2	*	0	*	Questioning	1	*	0	*
Lesbian	1	*	0	*	Transgender (FtM)	2	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	2	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Questioning	3	*	1	8%	Not Listed/Other	1	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	188	39%	7	58%	Does Not Wish to Answer	20	4%	1	8%
Not Listed/Other	32	7%	0	*	Missing	139	29%	1	8%
Does Not Wish to Answer	110	23%	2	17%	Total Not In-Placement	483	100%	12	100%
Missing	142	29%	2	17%					
Total Not In-Placement	483	100%	12	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		1						

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Southern

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)		693	
Screened-In for Response	330	48%	
Screened-Out	289	42%	
Screened-Out DA Referral	74	11%	
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)		279	
Supported	56	20%	
Substantiated Concern	56	20%	
Unsupported	167	60%	
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)		146 of 279 52%	
Emergency Responses (5 business days)	36 of 49	73%	
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	110 of 230	48%	
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.9%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		8.15 per 100,000 days	
12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)		475	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	387	81%	
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	88	19%	
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		31	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		27	
7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)		86	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		913	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	719	79%	
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	194	21%	
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	62	32%	
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	122		
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	62	51%	
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		23	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)		935	
Total Consumers		1,871	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)		12	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal		7 58%	
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)		53	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		3	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal		0	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		0	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.			
18. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18 Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾	208 23%	5 22%	269 29%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	184 20%	1 4%	167 18%
Black ⁽¹⁾	351 38%	11 48%	366 39%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *	5 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2 *	0 *	3 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	95 10%	6 26%	29 3%
Unable to Determine/Declined	55 6%	0 *	69 7%
Missing	18 2%	0 *	27 3%
Total Consumers	913 100%	23 100%	935 100%
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding			
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			
20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
51A Report	180 93%	15 88%	
Voluntary Application	0 *	0 *	
Court Referral/CRA Referral	12 6%	2 12%	
Institutional Abuse	0 *	0 *	
Safe Haven	0 *	0 *	
Other/Unspecified	2 1%	0 *	
Total In-Placement	194 100%	17 100%	
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	62 32%	1 6%	
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0 *	0 *	
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	54 28%	1 6%	
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	6 3%	0 *	
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0 *	5 29%	
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	42 22%	1 6%	
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	6 3%	2 12%	
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0 *	0 *	
Congregate Care - Residential School	10 5%	4 24%	
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	2 1%	0 *	
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	1 *	3 18%	
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	5 3%	0 *	
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	6 3%	0 *	
Total In-Placement	194 100%	17 100%	
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	47 24%	3 18%	
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	41 21%	1 6%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	63 32%	8 47%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2 1%	0 *	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	36 19%	5 29%	
Unable to Determine/Declined	5 3%	0 *	
Missing	0 *	0 *	
Total In-Placement	194 100%	17 100%	
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
Family Reunification	80 41%	0 *	
Adoption	77 40%	0 *	
Guardianship	8 4%	0 *	
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	13 7%	13 76%	
Stabilize Intact Family	5 3%	0 *	
Permanent Care with Kin	8 4%	4 24%	
Unspecified as of run-date	3 2%	0 *	
Total In-Placement	194 100%	17 100%	
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	1	2	
Interim Placement Policy Program	4	11	
Total In-Placement	5	13	
19. Primary Language (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18 Adults	
English/Unknown	821 90%	22 96%	706 76%
Spanish	36 4%	0 *	65 7%
Portuguese	13 1%	0 *	32 3%
Other	2 *	0 *	4 *
Haitian Creole	15 2%	1 4%	45 5%
Cape Verdean Creole	26 3%	0 *	81 9%
Chinese	0 *	0 *	0 *
Arabic	0 *	0 *	0 *
Khmer	0 *	0 *	1 *
Vietnamese	0 *	0 *	0 *
Russian	0 *	0 *	0 *
American Sign Language	0 *	0 *	0 *
French	0 *	0 *	1 *
Total Consumers	913 100%	23 100%	935 100%
23. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	47 24%	18 - 19 Years Old	11 65%
3 - 5 Years Old	32 16%	20 - 21 Years Old	5 29%
6 - 11 Years Old	47 24%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 6%
12 - 17 Years Old	68 35%	24 and Older	0 *
Unspecified	0 *		
Total In-Placement	194 100%		17 100%
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
Female	91 47%	7 41%	
Male	103 53%	10 59%	
Intersex	0 *	0 *	
Missing	0 *	0 *	
Total In-Placement	194 100%	17 100%	
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17 Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	0 *	0 *	
Female	67 46%	7 41%	
Gender Nonconforming	0 *	0 *	
Genderqueer	0 *	0 *	
Non-Binary	0 *	1 6%	
Male	71 48%	8 47%	
Questioning	1 *	0 *	
Transgender (FtM)	0 *	0 *	
Transgender (MtF)	0 *	0 *	
Two Spirit	0 *	0 *	
Not Listed/Other	5 3%	0 *	
Does Not Wish to Answer	3 2%	1 6%	
Missing	0 *	0 *	
Total In-Placement	147 100%	17 100%	
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17 Youth ≥18	
Asexual	1 *	0 *	
Bisexual	2 1%	1 6%	
Gay	0 *	0 *	
Lesbian	0 *	0 *	
Pansexual/Omnisexual	1 *	0 *	
Queer	0 *	0 *	
Questioning	2 1%	0 *	
Straight/Heterosexual	87 59%	12 71%	
Not Listed/Other	23 16%	0 *	
Does Not Wish to Answer	31 21%	4 24%	
Missing	0 *	0 *	
Total In-Placement	147 100%	17 100%	
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18 Youth ≥18	
0.5 Years or Less	31 16%	0 *	
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	38 20%	1 6%	
>1 Year - 2 Years	46 24%	0 *	
>2 Years - 4 Years	41 21%	8 47%	
>4 Years	36 19%	8 47%	
Blank	2 1%	0 *	
Total In-Placement	194 100%	17 100%	

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Southern

30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
51A Report	595 83%	6 100%
Voluntary Application	3 *	0 *
Court Referral/CRA Referral	88 12%	0 *
Institutional Abuse	3 *	0 *
Safe Haven	0 *	0 *
Other/Unspecified	30 4%	0 *
Total Not In-Placement	719 100%	6 100%

31. Race (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
White ⁽¹⁾	161 22%	2 33%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	143 20%	0 *
Black ⁽¹⁾	288 40%	3 50%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	59 8%	1 17%
Unable to Determine/Declined	50 7%	0 *
Missing	18 3%	0 *
Total Not In-Placement	719 100%	6 100%

35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)

	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Asexual	4 *	0 *
Bisexual	10 2%	0 *
Gay	1 *	0 *
Lesbian	2 *	0 *
Pansexual/Omnisexual	1 *	0 *
Queer	0 *	0 *
Questioning	3 *	0 *
Straight/Heterosexual	263 44%	5 83%
Not Listed/Other	48 8%	1 17%
Does Not Wish to Answer	115 19%	0 *
Missing	151 25%	0 *
Total Not In-Placement	598 100%	6 100%

37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0	0

Brockton

32. Age Group (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0 - 2 Years Old	121 17%	18 - 19 Years Old 3 50%
3 - 5 Years Old	106 15%	20 - 21 Years Old 1 17%
6 - 11 Years Old	244 34%	22 - 23 Years Old 2 33%
12 - 17 Years Old	248 34%	24 and Older 0 *
Unspecified	0 *	
Total Not In-Placement	719 100%	6 100%

33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)

	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Female	355 49%	3 50%
Male	358 50%	3 50%
Intersex	0 *	0 *
Missing	6 *	0 *
Total Not In-Placement	719 100%	6 100%

34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)

	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Androgynous	0 *	0 *
Female	217 36%	3 50%
Gender Nonconforming	0 *	0 *
Genderqueer	1 *	0 *
Non-Binary	1 *	0 *
Male	229 38%	3 50%
Questioning	1 *	0 *
Transgender (FtM)	2 *	0 *
Transgender (MtF)	0 *	0 *
Two Spirit	0 *	0 *
Not Listed/Other	5 *	0 *
Does Not Wish to Answer	16 3%	0 *
Missing	126 21%	0 *
Total Not In-Placement	598 100%	6 100%

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)														
DCF Region: Southern							Cape Cod							
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)					716		7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)					140	
	Screened-In for Response					390		8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					806	
	Screened-Out					293		Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement					629	
	Screened-Out DA Referral					33		Consumer Children <18 In-Placement					177	
								Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement					69	
								Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					119	
								Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					69	
DCF Cases	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)					296		9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					68	
	Supported					127		10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)					916	
	Substantiated Concern					37		Total Consumers					1,790	
	Unsupported					132		11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)					8	
								Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal					6	
								15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)					40	
								16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					3	
All DCF Consumers								17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					2	
								Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.						

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)									
DCF Region: Southern					Cape Cod				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	569	90%	11	73%	0 - 2 Years Old	76	12%	18 - 19 Years Old	10 67%
Voluntary Application	0	*	1	7%	3 - 5 Years Old	106	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	2 13%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	41	7%	3	20%	6 - 11 Years Old	206	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	2 13%
Institutional Abuse	0	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	241	38%	24 and Older	1 7%
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	19	3%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	629	100%	15	100%	Total Not In-Placement	629	100%	15	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	310	49%	9	60%	Female	286	45%	5	33%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	84	13%	2	13%	Male	316	50%	8	53%
Black ⁽¹⁾	67	11%	2	13%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*	0	*	Missing	27	4%	2	13%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	629	100%	15	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	68	11%	0	*	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined	25	4%	0	*		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Missing	68	11%	2	13%	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	629	100%	15	100%	Female	152	27%	4	27%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Gender Nonconforming	0	*	0	*
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Genderqueer	1	*	0	*
Asexual	1	*	0	*	Non-Binary	2	*	0	*
Bisexual	2	*	0	*	Male	181	33%	5	33%
Gay	1	*	0	*	Questioning	3	*	0	*
Lesbian	0	*	0	*	Transgender (FtM)	1	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Questioning	6	1%	0	*	Not Listed/Other	3	*	1	7%
Straight/Heterosexual	147	27%	7	47%	Does Not Wish to Answer	35	6%	2	13%
Not Listed/Other	46	8%	1	7%	Missing	175	32%	3	20%
Does Not Wish to Answer	160	29%	4	27%	Total Not In-Placement	553	100%	15	100%
Missing	190	34%	3	20%					
Total Not In-Placement	553	100%	15	100%	37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)				
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)						Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)						0		1	

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Southern						Coastal						
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				846		7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)				115	
	Screened-In for Response				344 41%		8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				897	
	Screened-Out				449 53%		Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement				691 77%	
	Screened-Out DA Referral				53 6%		Consumer Children <18 In-Placement				206 23%	
							Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement				93 45%	
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				277		Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				138	
	Supported				102 37%		Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				93 67%	
Substantiated Concern				44 16%		9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				67		
Unsupported				131 47%		10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)				970		
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				144 of 277 52%		Total Consumers				1,933		
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				39 of 47 83%		11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)				9		
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				105 of 230 46%		Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal				5 56%		
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				10.4%		15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)				62		
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%		16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				4		
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				19.37 per 100,000 days		Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal				0		
						17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				1		
						Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.						
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				557		19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18 Youth ≥18 Adults	
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				462 83%		English/Unknown				860 96% 65 97% 849 88%	
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				95 17%		Spanish				10 1% 0 * 28 3%		
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)				36		Portuguese				11 1% 0 * 18 2%		
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				34		Other				6 * 0 * 22 2%		
						Haitian Creole				1 * 0 * 21 2%		
						Cape Verdean Creole				0 * 0 * 5 *		
						Chinese				8 * 1 1% 12 1%		
						Arabic				1 * 0 * 0 *		
						Khmer				0 * 0 * 0 *		
						Vietnamese				0 * 1 1% 10 1%		
						Russian				0 * 0 * 0 *		
						American Sign Language				0 * 0 * 4 *		
						French				0 * 0 * 1 *		
						Total Consumers				897 100% 67 100% 970 100%		
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18 Youth ≥18 Adults		23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18 Youth ≥18	
	White ⁽¹⁾				393 44% 29 43% 493 51%		0 - 2 Years Old				42 20% 18 - 19 Years Old 21 43%	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				123 14% 11 16% 96 10%		3 - 5 Years Old				30 15% 20 - 21 Years Old 21 43%	
	Black ⁽¹⁾				190 21% 20 30% 227 23%		6 - 11 Years Old				52 25% 22 - 23 Years Old 7 14%	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				35 4% 4 6% 38 4%		12 - 17 Years Old				82 40% 24 and Older 0 *	
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				0 * 0 * 0 *		Unspecified				0 * 0 *	
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0 * 0 * 1 *		Total In-Placement				206 100% 49 100%	
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				80 9% 2 3% 33 3%		24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18 Youth ≥18	
	Unable to Determine/Declined				24 3% 1 1% 44 5%		Female				103 50% 32 65%	
	Missing				52 6% 0 * 38 4%		Male				103 50% 17 35%	
	Total Consumers				897 100% 67 100% 970 100%		Intersex				0 * 0 *	
	⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding						Missing				0 * 0 *	
	⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races						Total In-Placement				206 100% 49 100%	
							25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17 Youth ≥18	
							Androgynous				0 * 2 4%	
							Female				77 47% 29 59%	
						Gender Nonconforming				0 * 0 *		
						Genderqueer				0 * 0 *		
						Non-Binary				0 * 0 *		
						Male				76 46% 16 33%		
						Questioning				2 1% 0 *		
						Transgender (FtM)				0 * 1 2%		
						Transgender (MtF)				0 * 0 *		
						Two Spirit				0 * 0 *		
						Not Listed/Other				1 * 1 2%		
						Does Not Wish to Answer				2 1% 0 *		
						Missing				6 4% 0 *		
						Total In-Placement				164 100% 49 100%		
						26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17 Youth ≥18		
						Asexual				1 * 4 8%		
						Bisexual				4 2% 6 12%		
						Gay				0 * 1 2%		
						Lesbian				1 * 0 *		
						Pansexual/Omnisexual				0 * 0 *		
						Queer				0 * 0 *		
						Questioning				3 2% 1 2%		
						Straight/Heterosexual				76 46% 27 55%		
						Not Listed/Other				40 24% 1 2%		
						Does Not Wish to Answer				32 20% 9 18%		
						Missing				7 4% 0 *		
						Total In-Placement				164 100% 49 100%		
						27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18 Youth ≥18		
						0.5 Years or Less				73 35% 3 6%		
						>0.5 Years - 1 Year				26 13% 4 8%		
						>1 Year - 2 Years				41 20% 3 6%		
						>2 Years - 4 Years				36 17% 17 35%		
						>4 Years				29 14% 22 45%		
						Blank				1 * 0 *		
						Total In-Placement				206 100% 49 100%		
Children and Youth In-Placement	20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				Child <18 Youth ≥18							
	51A Report				186 90% 38 78%							
	Voluntary Application				1 * 6 12%							
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				15 7% 4 8%							
	Institutional Abuse				3 1% 1 2%							
Safe Haven				0 * 0 *								
Other/Unspecified				1 * 0 *								
Total In-Placement				206 100% 49 100%								

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DCF Region: Southern

30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	606	88%	12	67%
Voluntary Application	0	*	2	11%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	60	9%	4	22%
Institutional Abuse	3	*	0	*
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*
Other/Unspecified	22	3%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	691	100%	18	100%

31. Race (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	290	42%	7	39%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	99	14%	3	17%
Black ⁽¹⁾	146	21%	6	33%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	33	5%	2	11%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	49	7%	0	*
Unable to Determine/Declined	22	3%	0	*
Missing	52	8%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	691	100%	18	100%

35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	9	2%	1	6%
Bisexual	4	*	1	6%
Gay	0	*	0	*
Lesbian	3	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*
Questioning	3	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	260	45%	10	56%
Not Listed/Other	50	9%	2	11%
Does Not Wish to Answer	92	16%	2	11%
Missing	154	27%	2	11%
Total Not In-Placement	575	100%	18	100%

37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		3	

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32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
0 - 2 Years Old	116	17%	18 - 19 Years Old	12 67%
3 - 5 Years Old	112	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	1 6%
6 - 11 Years Old	214	31%	22 - 23 Years Old	3 17%
12 - 17 Years Old	249	36%	24 and Older	2 11%
Unspecified	0	*		
Total Not In-Placement	691	100%	18	100%

33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Female	314	45%	12	67%
Male	361	52%	6	33%
Intersex	0	*	0	*
Missing	16	2%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	691	100%	18	100%

34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Androgynous	5	*	1	6%
Female	188	33%	12	67%
Gender Nonconforming	2	*	0	*
Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Non-Binary	3	*	0	*
Male	207	36%	3	17%
Questioning	3	*	0	*
Transgender (FTM)	0	*	0	*
Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	10	2%	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	7	1%	0	*
Missing	150	26%	2	11%
Total Not In-Placement	575	100%	18	100%

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DCF Region: Southern

Fall River

1. 51A Reports (FY2023, Q4)		811	
Screened-In for Response		414	51%
Screened-Out		361	45%
Screened-Out DA Referral		36	4%
2. Responses (FY2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)		362	
Supported		152	42%
Substantiated Concern		44	12%
Unsupported		166	46%
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY2023, Q4)		271	of 362 75%
Emergency Responses (5 business days)		46	of 51 90%
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)		225	of 311 72%
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		8.5%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		25.42	per 100,000

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)	92	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	1,266	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	998	79%
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	268	21%
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	106	40%
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	193	
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	106	55%
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)	42	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)	1,357	
Total Consumers	2,664	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)	19	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	14	74%

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Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases	Clinical Cases - Non Placement	567	85%
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	97	15%
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)	48	
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	52	

DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)	664	
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement	567	85%
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	97	15%
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)	48	
	14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)	52	

15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)	92	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	20	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	2	10%
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)	3	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.		

DCF Cases

	White ⁽¹⁾	580	46%	22	52%	738	54%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	295	23%	11	26%	237	17%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	137	11%	3	7%	187	14%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	*	0	*	10	*	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	2	*	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0	*	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	148	12%	4	10%	48	4%	
Unable to Determine/Declined	45	4%	1	2%	74	5%	
Missing	57	5%	1	2%	61	4%	
Total Consumers	1,266	100%	42	100%	1,357	100%	

⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races

18. Race (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults
White ⁽¹⁾	580 46%	22 52%	738 54%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	295 23%	11 26%	237 17%
Black ⁽¹⁾	137 11%	3 7%	187 14%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4 *	0 *	10 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *	2 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0 *	0 *	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	148 12%	4 10%	48 4%
Unable to Determine/Declined	45 4%	1 2%	74 5%
Missing	57 5%	1 2%	61 4%
Total Consumers	1,266 100%	42 100%	1,357 100%

⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races

(1) Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding
(2) Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, (3) Multi-racial = two or more races

English/Unknown	1,190	94%	41	98%	1,211	89%
Spanish	33	3%	0	*	63	5%
Portuguese	31	2%	0	*	49	4%
Other	3	*	0	*	12	*
Haitian Creole	1	*	0	*	5	*
Cape Verdean Creole	7	*	1	2%	14	1%
Chinese	0	*	0	*	0	*
Arabic	0	*	0	*	0	*
Khmer	0	*	0	*	1	*
Vietnamese	1	*	0	*	2	*
Russian	0	*	0	*	0	*
American Sign Language	0	*	0	*	0	*
French	0	*	0	*	0	*
Total Consumers	1,266	100%	42	100%	1,357	100%

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)	Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
English/Unknown	1,190	94%	41	98%	1,211	89%
Spanish	33	3%	0	*	63	5%
Portuguese	31	2%	0	*	49	4%
Other	3	*	0	*	12	*
Haitian Creole	1	*	0	*	5	*
Cape Verdean Creole	7	*	1	2%	14	1%
Chinese	0	*	0	*	0	*
Arabic	0	*	0	*	0	*
Khmer	0	*	0	*	1	*
Vietnamese	1	*	0	*	2	*
Russian	0	*	0	*	0	*
American Sign Language	0	*	0	*	0	*
French	0	*	0	*	0	*
Total Consumers	1,266	100%	42	100%	1,357	100%

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement	Congregate Care - Emergency Respite	7	3%	0	
	Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	1	*	5	56%
	Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	9	3%	2	6%
	Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	4	1%	0	*
	Total In-Placement	268	100%	36	100%
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
	White ⁽¹⁾	132	49%	20	56%
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	55	21%	9	25%
	Black ⁽¹⁾	30	11%	2	6%
	Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
	Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	47	18%	4	11%
	Unable to Determine/Declined	3	1%	1	3%
	Missing	1	*	0	*
	Total In-Placement	268	100%	36	100%
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
	Family Reunification	74	28%	1	3%
	Adoption	127	47%	0	*
	Guardianship	32	12%	0	*
	APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	15	6%	27	75%
	Stabilize Intact Family	8	3%	3	8%
	Permanent Care with Kin	9	3%	5	14%
	Unspecified as of run-date	3	1%	0	*
	Total In-Placement	268	100%	36	100%
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
	688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	5		4	
	Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11	
	Total In-Placement	9		15	

20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	252	94%	29	81%	0
Voluntary Application	0	*	4	11%	0
Court Referral/CRA Referral	16	6%	2	6%	0
Institutional Abuse	0	*	1	3%	0
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	0
Other/Unspecified	0	*	0	*	0
Total In-Placement	268	100%	36	100%	
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	106	40%	6	17%	0
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0	*	0	*	0
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	73	27%	0	*	0
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	14	5%	0	*	0
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	19	53%	0
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	26	10%	1	3%	0
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	17	6%	0	*	0
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0	*	0	*	0
Congregate Care - Residential School	11	4%	3	8%	0
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	7	3%	0	*	0
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	1	*	5	14%	0
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	9	3%	2	6%	0
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	4	1%	0	*	0
Total In-Placement	268	100%	36	100%	
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	132	49%	20	56%	0
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	55	21%	9	25%	0
Black ⁽¹⁾	30	11%	2	6%	0
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	47	18%	4	11%	0
Unable to Determine/Declined	3	1%	1	3%	0
Missing	1	*	0	*	0
Total In-Placement	268	100%	36	100%	
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Family Reunification	74	28%	1	3%	0
Adoption	127	47%	0	*	0
Guardianship	32	12%	0	*	0
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	15	6%	27	75%	0
Stabilize Intact Family	8	3%	3	8%	0
Permanent Care with Kin	9	3%	5	14%	0
Unspecified as of run-date	3	1%	0	*	0
Total In-Placement	268	100%	36	100%	
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	5		4		0
Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11		0
Total In-Placement	9		15		

	Child <17	Youth ≥18
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		
Asexual	5 2%	0 *
Bisexual	5 2%	0 *
Gay	1 *	2 6%
Lesbian	0 *	2 6%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0 *	1 3%
Queer	0 *	1 3%
Questioning	3 1%	0 *
Straight/Heterosexual	88 41%	19 53%
Not Listed/Other	22 10%	2 6%
Does Not Wish to Answer	87 41%	9 25%
Missing	3 1%	0 *
Total In-Placement	214 100%	36 100%
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)		
0.5 Years or Less	54 20%	2 6%
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	37 14%	3 8%
>1 Year - 2 Years	70 26%	6 17%
>2 Years - 4 Years	64 24%	4 11%
>4 Years	43 16%	21 58%
Blank	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	268 100%	36 100%

23. Age Group (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0 - 2 Years Old	54 20%	22 61%
3 - 5 Years Old	38 14%	11 31%
6 - 11 Years Old	63 24%	3 8%
12 - 17 Years Old	113 42%	0 *
Unspecified	0 *	
Total In-Placement	268 100%	36 100%

24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
Female	128 48%	20 56%
Male	140 52%	16 44%
Intersex	0 *	0 *
Missing	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	268 100%	36 100%

25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Androgynous	0 *	0 *
Female	83 39%	19 53%
Gender Nonconforming	1 *	1 3%
Genderqueer	0 *	0 *
Non-Binary	0 *	0 *
Male	93 43%	14 39%
Questioning	1 *	0 *
Transgender (FtM)	0 *	0 *
Transgender (MtF)	0 *	0 *
Two Spirit	0 *	0 *
Not Listed/Other	8 4%	1 3%
Does Not Wish to Answer	25 12%	1 3%
Missing	3 1%	0 *
Total In-Placement	214 100%	36 100%

26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)	Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Asexual	5 2%	0 *
Bisexual	5 2%	0 *
Gay	1 *	2 6%
Lesbian	0 *	2 6%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0 *	1 3%
Queer	0 *	1 3%
Questioning	3 1%	0 *
Straight/Heterosexual	88 41%	19 53%
Not Listed/Other	22 10%	2 6%
Does Not Wish to Answer	87 41%	9 25%
Missing	3 1%	0 *
Total In-Placement	214 100%	36 100%

27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)	Child <18	Youth ≥18
0.5 Years or Less	54 20%	2 6%
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	37 14%	3 8%
>1 Year - 2 Years	70 26%	6 17%
>2 Years - 4 Years	64 24%	4 11%
>4 Years	43 16%	21 58%
Blank	0 *	0 *
Total In-Placement	268 100%	36 100%

Children and Youth In-Placement

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DCF Region: Southern					Fall River				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	937	94%	6	100%	0 - 2 Years Old	199	20%	18 - 19 Years Old	4 67%
Voluntary Application	3	*	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	167	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	1 17%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	27	3%	0	*	6 - 11 Years Old	341	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 17%
Institutional Abuse	1	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	291	29%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	30	3%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	998	100%	6	100%	Total Not In-Placement	998	100%	6	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	448	45%	2	33%	Female	489	49%	3	50%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	240	24%	2	33%	Male	496	50%	3	50%
Black ⁽¹⁾	107	11%	1	17%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	*	0	*	Missing	13	1%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	998	100%	6	100%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	101	10%	0	*					
Unable to Determine/Declined	42	4%	0	*					
Missing	56	6%	1	17%					
Total Not In-Placement	998	100%	6	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	2	*	0	*	Androgynous	1	*	0	*
Bisexual	10	1%	0	*	Female	303	38%	3	50%
Gay	4	*	0	*	Gender Nonconforming	2	*	0	*
Lesbian	3	*	0	*	Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	0	*	Non-Binary	3	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Male	297	37%	1	17%
Questioning	6	*	0	*	Questioning	0	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	388	49%	3	50%	Transgender (FtM)	1	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	79	10%	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	141	18%	1	17%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	166	21%	2	33%	Not Listed/Other	21	3%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	799	100%	6	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	26	3%	0	*
					Missing	145	18%	2	33%
					Total Not In-Placement	799	100%	6	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		0						

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Southern

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)		937				
Screened-In for Response	585	62%				
Screened-Out	301	32%				
Screened-Out DA Referral	51	5%				
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)		480				
Supported	247	51%				
Substantiated Concern	30	6%				
Unsupported	203	42%				
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)		163	of 480 34%			
Emergency Responses (5 business days)	62	of 106	58%			
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	101	of 374	27%			
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		18.1%				
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.72%				
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		19.88 per 100,000 days				
12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)		985				
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	850	86%				
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	135	14%				
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		63				
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		68				
18. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults		
White ⁽¹⁾	710	38%	37	41%	896	46%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	667	35%	30	33%	568	29%
Black ⁽¹⁾	189	10%	17	19%	258	13%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*	1	1%	5	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	7	*	0	*	7	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	169	9%	4	4%	64	3%
Unable to Determine/Declined	53	3%	1	1%	100	5%
Missing	91	5%	1	1%	64	3%
Total Consumers	1,888	100%	91	100%	1,962	100%
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding						
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races						
20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18			
51A Report	330	98%	53	80%		
Voluntary Application	1	*	7	11%		
Court Referral/CRA Referral	2	*	5	8%		
Institutional Abuse	3	*	1	2%		
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	0	*	0	*		
Total In-Placement	336	100%	66	100%		
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18			
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	127	38%	6	9%		
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	1	*	0	*		
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	87	26%	1	2%		
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	16	5%	0	*		
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	35	53%		
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	58	17%	4	6%		
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	18	5%	4	6%		
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0	*	0	*		
Congregate Care - Residential School	16	5%	2	3%		
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	3	*	0	*		
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	0	*	13	20%		
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	4	1%	1	2%		
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	6	2%	0	*		
Total In-Placement	336	100%	66	100%		
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18			
White ⁽¹⁾	143	43%	28	42%		
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	91	27%	17	26%		
Black ⁽¹⁾	28	8%	16	24%		
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*		
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*		
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	70	21%	4	6%		
Unable to Determine/Declined	3	*	1	2%		
Missing	0	*	0	*		
Total In-Placement	336	100%	66	100%		
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18			
Family Reunification	92	27%	1	2%		
Adoption	159	47%	1	2%		
Guardianship	27	8%	1	2%		
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	13	4%	48	73%		
Stabilize Intact Family	16	5%	2	3%		
Permanent Care with Kin	21	6%	10	15%		
Unspecified as of run-date	8	2%	3	5%		
Total In-Placement	336	100%	66	100%		
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18			
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	1		1			
Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11			
Total In-Placement	5		12			

New Bedford

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)		124				
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,888				
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	1,552	82%				
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	336	18%				
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	128	38%				
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)		231				
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	128	55%				
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		91				
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,962				
Total Consumers		3,939				
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)		11				
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	6	55%				
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)		112				
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		16				
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	2	13%				
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		1				
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.						
19. Primary Language (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults		
English/Unknown	1,709	91%	83	91%	1,586	81%
Spanish	149	8%	6	7%	270	14%
Portuguese	3	*	0	*	35	2%
Other	3	*	1	1%	22	1%
Haitian Creole	3	*	0	*	4	*
Cape Verdean Creole	20	1%	0	*	36	2%
Chinese	0	*	0	*	0	*
Arabic	0	*	0	*	2	*
Khmer	1	*	1	1%	3	*
Vietnamese	0	*	0	*	0	*
Russian	0	*	0	*	1	*
American Sign Language	0	*	0	*	1	*
French	0	*	0	*	2	*
Total Consumers	1,888	100%	91	100%	1,962	100%
23. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18			
0 - 2 Years Old	57	17%	18	19 Years Old	33	50%
3 - 5 Years Old	64	19%	20	21 Years Old	22	33%
6 - 11 Years Old	99	29%	22	23 Years Old	10	15%
12 - 17 Years Old	116	35%	24	and Older	1	2%
Unspecified	0	*				
Total In-Placement	336	100%	66	100%		
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18			
Female	187	56%	35	53%		
Male	149	44%	31	47%		
Intersex	0	*	0	*		
Missing	0	*	0	*		
Total In-Placement	336	100%	66	100%		
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17	Youth ≥18			
Androgynous	0	*	0	*		
Female	136	49%	34	52%		
Gender Nonconforming	1	*	1	2%		
Genderqueer	0	*	0	*		
Non-Binary	5	2%	0	*		
Male	107	38%	28	42%		
Questioning	1	*	0	*		
Transgender (FtM)	2	*	1	2%		
Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*		
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*		
Not Listed/Other	12	4%	1	2%		
Does Not Wish to Answer	9	3%	1	2%		
Missing	6	2%	0	*		
Total In-Placement	279	100%	66	100%		
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17	Youth ≥18			
Asexual	9	3%	1	2%		
Bisexual	4	1%	5	8%		
Gay	1	*	2	3%		
Lesbian	5	2%	2	3%		
Pansexual/Omnisexual	2	*	3	5%		
Queer	0	*	1	2%		
Questioning	5	2%	1	2%		
Straight/Heterosexual	105	38%	41	62%		
Not Listed/Other	47	17%	3	5%		
Does Not Wish to Answer	95	34%	7	11%		
Missing	6	2%	0	*		
Total In-Placement	279	100%	66	100%		
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18			
0.5 Years or Less	68	20%	3	5%		
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	42	13%	1	2%		
>1 Year - 2 Years	97	29%	12	18%		
>2 Years - 4 Years	80	24%	20	30%		
>4 Years	48	14%	30	45%		
Blank	1	*	0	*		
Total In-Placement	336	100%	66	100%		

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DCF Region: Southern					New Bedford				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,490	96%	22	88%	0 - 2 Years Old	286	18%	18 - 19 Years Old	20 80%
Voluntary Application	0	*	2	8%	3 - 5 Years Old	285	18%	20 - 21 Years Old	4 16%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	6	*	1	4%	6 - 11 Years Old	504	32%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 4%
Institutional Abuse	0	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	477	31%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	56	4%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,552	100%	25	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,552	100%	25	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	567	37%	9	36%	Female	721	46%	15	60%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	576	37%	13	52%	Male	788	51%	10	40%
Black ⁽¹⁾	161	10%	1	4%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	*	1	4%	Missing	43	3%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	6	*	0	*					
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,552	100%	25	100%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	99	6%	0	*					
Unable to Determine/Declined	50	3%	0	*					
Missing	91	6%	1	4%					
Total Not In-Placement	1,552	100%	25	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	5	*	0	*	Androgynous	1	*	0	*
Bisexual	14	1%	0	*	Female	439	35%	12	48%
Gay	1	*	0	*	Gender Nonconforming	1	*	0	*
Lesbian	6	*	1	4%	Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	0	*	0	*	Non-Binary	7	*	0	*
Queer	1	*	0	*	Male	486	38%	9	36%
Questioning	8	*	1	4%	Questioning	4	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	571	45%	16	64%	Transgender (FtM)	3	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	173	14%	3	12%	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	1	4%
Does Not Wish to Answer	210	17%	3	12%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	277	22%	1	4%	Not Listed/Other	48	4%	2	8%
Total Not In-Placement	1,266	100%	25	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	33	3%	0	*
					Missing	244	19%	1	4%
					Total Not In-Placement	1,266	100%	25	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		0						

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)																																			
DCF Region: Southern						Plymouth																													
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)					873					7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)					119																			
	Screened-In for Response					502					58%					8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					1,273														
	Screened-Out					307					35%										1,028					81%									
	Screened-Out DA Referral					64					7%										245					19%									
																					90					37%									
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)					400																													
	Supported					155					39%																								
Substantiated Concern					65					16%																									
Unsupported					180					45%																									
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)					210 of 400					53%																									
Emergency Responses (5 business days)					39 of 54					72%																									
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)					171 of 346					49%																									
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)					3.0%																														
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)					1.72%																														
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)					14.84 per 100,000 days																														
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)					682																													
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement					575					84%																								
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement					107					16%																								
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)					55																														
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)					43																														
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18					Adults																			
	White ⁽¹⁾					796					63%					34					72%					930					69%				
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾					122					10%					6					13%					98					7%				
	Black ⁽¹⁾					91					7%					3					6%					97					7%				
	Asian ⁽¹⁾					5					*					0					*					7					*				
	Native American ⁽¹⁾					4					*					1					2%					11					*				
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾					2					*					0					*					2					*				
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}					122					10%					2					4%					38					3%				
	Unable to Determine/Declined					39					3%					1					2%					71					5%				
	Missing					92					7%					0					*					85					6%				
Total Consumers					1,273					100%					47					100%					1,339					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 (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18																								
	51A Report					227					93%					30					81%														
	Voluntary Application					1					*					5					14%														
	Court Referral/CRA Referral					14					6%					2					5%														
	Institutional Abuse					3					1%					0					*														
	Safe Haven					0					*					0					*														
	Other/Unspecified					0					*					0					*														
	Total In-Placement					245					100%					37					100%														
	21. Placement Type (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18																								
	DFC - Foster Care - Kinship					90					37%					1					3%														
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific					0					*					0					*															
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated					77					31%					4					11%															
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive					21					9%					0					*															
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living					0					*					22					59%															
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)					11					4%					2					5%															
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence					16					7%					0					*															
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence					0					*					0					*															
Congregate Care - Residential School					14					6%					2					5%															
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence					6					2%					0					*															
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult					0					*					5					14%															
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)					7					3%					1					3%															
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement					3					1%					0					*															
Total In-Placement					245					100%					37					100%															
22. Race (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18																									
White ⁽¹⁾					147					60%					28					76%															
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾					26					11%					5					14%															
Black ⁽¹⁾					20					8%					3					8%															
Asian ⁽¹⁾					0					*					0					*															
Native American ⁽¹⁾					1					*					0					*															
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾					1					*					0					*															
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}					46					19%					1					3%															
Unable to Determine/Declined					4					2%					0					*															
Missing					0					*					0					*															
Total In-Placement					245					100%					37					100%															
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18																									
Family Reunification					76					31%					1					3%															
Adoption					111					45%					0					*															
Guardianship					16					7%					0					*															
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement					16					7%					26					70%															
Stabilize Intact Family					13					5%					2					5%															
Permanent Care with Kin					10					4%					8					22%															
Unspecified as of run-date					3					1%					0					*															
Total In-Placement					245					100%					37					100%															
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18																									
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)					1					5																									
Interim Placement Policy Program					4					11																									
Total In-Placement					5					16																									
Children and Youth In-Placement	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18					Adults																			
	English/Unknown					1,246					98%					46					98%					1,260					94%				
	Spanish					4					*					0					*					13					*				
	Portuguese					16					1%					1					2%					40					3%				
	Other					1					*					0					*					14					1%				
	Haitian Creole					4					*					0					*					7					*				
	Cape Verdean Creole					2					*					0					*					4					*				
	Chinese					0					*					0					*					0					*				
	Arabic					0					*					0					*					1					*				
	Khmer					0					*					0					*					0					*				
Vietnamese					0					*					0					*					0					*					
Russian					0					*					0					*					0					*					
American Sign Language					0					*					0					*					0					*					
French					0					*					0					*					0					*					
Total Consumers					1,273					100%					47					100%					1,339					100%					
23. Age Group (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18																									
0 - 2 Years Old					44					18%					18 - 19 Years Old					17					46%										
3 - 5 Years Old					36					15%					20 - 21 Years Old					17					46%										
6 - 11 Years Old					73					30%					22 - 23 Years Old					3					8%										
12 - 17 Years Old					92					38%					24 and Older					0					*										
Unspecified					0					*																									
Total In-Placement					245					100%					37					100%															
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18																									
Female					116					47%					21					57%															
Male					129					53%					16					43%															
Intersex					0					*					0					*															
Missing					0					*					0					*															
Total In-Placement					245					100%					37					100%															
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)					Child 3-17					Youth ≥18																									
Androgynous					0					*					0					*															
Female					90					45%					18					49%															
Gender Nonconforming					1					*					0					*															
Genderqueer					0					*					0					*															
Non-Binary					1					*					0					*															
Male					100					50%					16					43%															
Questioning					1					*					0					*															
Transgender (FtM)					0					*					1					3%															
Transgender (MtF)					0					*					0					*															
Two Spirit					0					*					0					*															
Not Listed/Other					1					*					0					*															
Does Not Wish to Answer					5					2%					2					5%															
Missing					2					*					0					*															
Total In-Placement					201					100%					37					100%															
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Child 3-17					Youth ≥18																									
Asexual					7					3%					0					*															
Bisexual					4					2%					1					3%															
Gay					0					*					0					*															
Lesbian					0					*					1					3%															
Pansexual/Omnisexual					4					2%					0					*															
Queer					0					*					0					*															
Questioning					0					*					0					*															
Straight/Heterosexual					132					66%					25					68%															
Not Listed/Other					11					5%					5					14%															
Does Not Wish to Answer					41					20%					5					14%															
Missing					2					*					0					*															
Total In-Placement					201					100%					37					100%															
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)					Child <18					Youth ≥18																									
0.5 Years or Less					67					27%					2					5%															
>0.5 Years - 1 Year					32					13%					0					*															
>1 Year - 2 Years					65					27%					7					19%															
>2 Years - 4 Years					46					19%					12					32%															
>4 Years					35					14%					16					43%															
Blank					0					*					0					*															
Total In-Placement					245					100%					37					100%															

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DCF Region: Southern					Plymouth				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	957	93%	8	80%	0 - 2 Years Old	151	15%	18 - 19 Years Old	7 70%
Voluntary Application	3	*	1	10%	3 - 5 Years Old	188	18%	20 - 21 Years Old	2 20%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	38	4%	1	10%	6 - 11 Years Old	352	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 10%
Institutional Abuse	1	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	335	33%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	2	*		
Other/Unspecified	29	3%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,028	100%	10	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,028	100%	10	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	649	63%	6	60%	Female	481	47%	6	60%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	96	9%	1	10%	Male	497	48%	4	40%
Black ⁽¹⁾	71	7%	0	*	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	5	*	0	*	Missing	50	5%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3	*	1	10%	Total Not In-Placement	1,028	100%	10	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	76	7%	1	10%					
Unable to Determine/Declined	35	3%	1	10%					
Missing	92	9%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,028	100%	10	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	1	*	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	2	*	0	*	Female	274	31%	4	40%
Gay	1	*	0	*	Gender Nonconforming	0	*	0	*
Lesbian	1	*	0	*	Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	2	*	0	*	Non-Binary	3	*	0	*
Queer	1	*	0	*	Male	300	34%	3	30%
Questioning	2	*	0	*	Questioning	0	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	320	37%	8	80%	Transgender (FtM)	2	*	1	10%
Not Listed/Other	89	10%	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	1	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	194	22%	1	10%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	262	30%	1	10%	Not Listed/Other	31	4%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	875	100%	10	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	21	2%	1	10%
					Missing	243	28%	1	10%
					Total Not In-Placement	875	100%	10	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		0						

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Southern					Taunton/Attleboro						
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				803						
	Screened-In for Response				434		54%				
	Screened-Out				324		40%				
	Screened-Out DA Referral				45		6%				
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				376						
	Supported				145		39%				
	Substantiated Concern				73		19%				
Unsupported				158		42%					
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				301 of 376		80%					
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				53 of 59		90%					
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				248 of 317		78%					
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				9.4%							
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%							
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				6.19 per 100,000 days							
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				592						
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				592		100%				
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				0		0%				
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				37						
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				40							
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults				
	White ⁽¹⁾				573	53%	33	66%	693	62%	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				103	9%	3	6%	88	8%	
	Black ⁽¹⁾				156	14%	9	18%	181	16%	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				14	1%	0	*	11	*	
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				2	*	0	*	1	*	
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*	0	*	
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				126	12%	3	6%	32	3%	
	Unable to Determine/Declined				67	6%	2	4%	65	6%	
	Missing				44	4%	0	*	48	4%	
Total Consumers				1,085	100%	50	100%	1,119	100%		
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding											
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races											
All DCF Consumers	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults				
	English/Unknown				1,054	97%	50	100%	1,026	92%	
	Spanish				3	*	0	*	15	1%	
	Portuguese				1	*	0	*	11	*	
	Other				1	*	0	*	12	1%	
	Haitian Creole				16	1%	0	*	20	2%	
	Cape Verdean Creole				4	*	0	*	22	2%	
	Chinese				0	*	0	*	0	*	
	Arabic				6	*	0	*	7	*	
	Khmer				0	*	0	*	5	*	
Vietnamese				0	*	0	*	0	*		
Russian				0	*	0	*	1	*		
American Sign Language				0	*	0	*	0	*		
French				0	*	0	*	0	*		
Total Consumers				1,085	100%	50	100%	1,119	100%		
All DCF Consumers	23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Youth ≥18				
	0 - 2 Years Old				45	17%	18	19 Years Old	23	53%	
	3 - 5 Years Old				40	15%	20	21 Years Old	15	35%	
	6 - 11 Years Old				85	32%	22	23 Years Old	5	12%	
	12 - 17 Years Old				99	37%	24	Older	0	*	
	Unspecified				0	*					
	Total In-Placement				269	100%	43	100%			
	All DCF Consumers	24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
		Female				146	54%	25	58%		
		Male				123	46%	18	42%		
Intersex				0	*	0	*				
Missing				0	*	0	*				
Total In-Placement				269	100%	43	100%				
All DCF Consumers		25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18				
		Androgynous				1	*	0	*		
		Female				103	46%	22	51%		
		Gender Nonconforming				1	*	0	*		
	Genderqueer				0	*	0	*			
	Non-Binary				3	1%	0	*			
	Male				98	44%	18	42%			
	Questioning				1	*	0	*			
	Transgender (FTM)				2	*	1	2%			
	Transgender (MtF)				0	*	0	*			
Two Spirit				0	*	0	*				
Not Listed/Other				3	1%	0	*				
Does Not Wish to Answer				10	4%	2	5%				
Missing				2	*	0	*				
Total In-Placement				224	100%	43	100%				
All DCF Consumers	26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18					
	Asexual				0	*	1	2%			
	Bisexual				9	4%	1	2%			
	Gay				0	*	1	2%			
	Lesbian				1	*	0	*			
	Pansexual/Omnisexual				1	*	1	2%			
	Queer				0	*	0	*			
	Questioning				4	2%	2	5%			
	Straight/Heterosexual				111	50%	28	65%			
	Not Listed/Other				43	19%	2	5%			
Does Not Wish to Answer				52	23%	7	16%				
Missing				3	1%	0	*				
Total In-Placement				224	100%	43	100%				
All DCF Consumers	27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18					
	0.5 Years or Less				64	24%	0	*			
	>0.5 Years - 1 Year				39	14%	1	2%			
	>1 Year - 2 Years				77	29%	6	14%			
	>2 Years - 4 Years				65	24%	11	26%			
	>4 Years				23	9%	25	58%			
	Blank				1	*	0	*			
	Total In-Placement				269	100%	43	100%			
	Children and Youth In-Placement	20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
		51A Report				260	97%	38	88%		
Voluntary Application				0	*	1	2%				
Court Referral/CRA Referral				9	3%	4	9%				
Institutional Abuse				0	*	0	*				
Safe Haven				0	*	0	*				
Other/Unspecified				0	*	0	*				
Total In-Placement				269	100%	43	100%				
Children and Youth In-Placement		21. Placement Type (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
		DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				114	42%	4	9%		
	DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific				0	*	0	*			
	DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				73	27%	2	5%			
	DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive				12	4%	0	*			
	DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0	*	25	58%			
	Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				13	5%	2	5%			
	Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				21	8%	5	12%			
	Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence				1	*	0	*			
	Congregate Care - Residential School				17	6%	2	5%			
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				11	4%	0	*				
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult				2	*	3	7%				
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				2	*	0	*				
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				3	1%	0	*				
Total In-Placement				269	100%	43	100%				
Children and Youth In-Placement	22. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18					
	White ⁽¹⁾				144	54%	30	70%			
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				38	14%	2	5%			
	Black ⁽¹⁾				25	9%	8	19%			
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				5	2%	0	*			
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				1	*	0	*			
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*			
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				43	16%	2	5%			
	Unable to Determine/Declined				13	5%	1	2%			
	Missing				0	*	0	*			
Total In-Placement				269	100%	43	100%				
Children and Youth In-Placement	28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18					
	Family Reunification				78	29%	3	7%			
	Adoption				129	48%	1	2%			
	Guardianship				21	8%	0	*			
	APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				16	6%	32	74%			
	Stabilize Intact Family				12	4%	2	5%			
	Permanent Care with Kin				7	3%	4	9%			
	Unspecified as of run-date				6	2%	1	2%			
	Total In-Placement				269	100%	43	100%			
	Children and Youth In-Placement	29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				2		3					
Interim Placement Policy Program				4		11					
Total In-Placement				6		14					

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DCF Region: Southern					Taunton/Attleboro				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	742	91%	6	86%	0 - 2 Years Old	121	15%	18 - 19 Years Old	4 57%
Voluntary Application	3	*	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	122	15%	20 - 21 Years Old	2 29%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	41	5%	0	*	6 - 11 Years Old	284	35%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 14%
Institutional Abuse	2	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	289	35%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	28	3%	1	14%					
Total Not In-Placement	816	100%	7	100%	Total Not In-Placement	816	100%	7	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	429	53%	3	43%	Female	390	48%	3	43%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	65	8%	1	14%	Male	400	49%	4	57%
Black ⁽¹⁾	131	16%	1	14%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	9	1%	0	*	Missing	26	3%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	816	100%	7	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	83	10%	1	14%					
Unable to Determine/Declined	54	7%	1	14%					
Missing	44	5%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	816	100%	7	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	2	*	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	5	*	0	*	Female	220	32%	2	29%
Gay	1	*	1	14%	Gender Nonconforming	1	*	0	*
Lesbian	3	*	0	*	Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	2	*	0	*	Non-Binary	4	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Male	256	37%	4	57%
Questioning	5	*	0	*	Questioning	3	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	271	39%	5	71%	Transgender (FtM)	2	*	1	14%
Not Listed/Other	89	13%	1	14%	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	115	17%	0	*	Two Spirit	1	*	0	*
Missing	202	29%	0	*	Not Listed/Other	18	3%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	695	100%	7	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	11	2%	0	*
					Missing	179	26%	0	*
					Total Not In-Placement	695	100%	7	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		0						

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DCF Region: Western

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)		4,599	
Screened-In for Response	2,455	53%	
Screened-Out	1,830	40%	
Screened-Out DA Referral	314	7%	
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)		1,988	
Supported	831	42%	
Substantiated Concern	392	20%	
Unsupported	765	38%	
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)		1,303 of 1,988 66%	
Emergency Responses (5 business days)	205	of	367 56%
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	1,098	of	1,621 68%
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		11.8%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		26.01 per 100,000 days	
12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)		4,516	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement	3,814	84%	
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	702	16%	
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		225	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		254	
18. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18 Adults
White ⁽¹⁾	3,060	33%	146 42% 3,789 42%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	3,779	41%	136 39% 3,038 34%
Black ⁽¹⁾	907	10%	41 12% 1,049 12%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	52	*	3 * 74 *
Native American ⁽¹⁾	8	*	0 * 7 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0 * 4 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	564	6%	21 6% 211 2%
Unable to Determine/Declined	342	4%	1 * 435 5%
Missing	447	5%	2 * 371 4%
Total Consumers	9,159	100%	350 100% 8,978 100%
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding			
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			
20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18
STA Report	1,670	95%	173 65%
Voluntary Application	11	*	75 28%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	52	3%	16 6%
Institutional Abuse	8	*	2 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0 *
Other/Unspecified	10	*	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,751	100%	266 100%
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	666	38%	21 8%
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0	*	0 *
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	451	26%	13 5%
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	73	4%	1 *
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	143 54%
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	231	13%	27 10%
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	123	7%	12 5%
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	2	*	0 *
Congregate Care - Residential School	69	4%	16 6%
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	64	4%	0 *
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	4	*	28 11%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	33	2%	4 2%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	35	2%	1 *
Total In-Placement	1,751	100%	266 100%
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18
White ⁽¹⁾	566	32%	121 45%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	750	43%	91 34%
Black ⁽¹⁾	220	13%	33 12%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	6	*	3 1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	7	*	0 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	173	10%	17 6%
Unable to Determine/Declined	29	2%	1 *
Missing	0	*	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,751	100%	266 100%
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18
Family Reunification	570	33%	7 3%
Adoption	756	43%	1 *
Guardianship	115	7%	1 *
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	112	6%	227 85%
Stabilize Intact Family	134	8%	14 5%
Permanent Care with Kin	39	2%	14 5%
Unspecified as of run-date	25	1%	2 *
Total In-Placement	1,751	100%	266 100%
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	20		25
Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11
Total In-Placement	24		36

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Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)		468	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		9,159	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	7,408	81%	
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	1,751	19%	
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement	666	38%	
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	1,190		
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	666	56%	
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		350	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)		8,978	
Total Consumers		18,486	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)		96	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	52	54%	
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)		530	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		65	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	10	15%	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		9	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.			
19. Primary Language (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18 Adults
English/Unknown	8,588	94%	326 93% 7,858 88%
Spanish	459	5%	22 6% 896 10%
Portuguese	6	*	0 * 15 *
Other	62	*	1 * 155 2%
Haitian Creole	8	*	0 * 10 *
Cape Verdean Creole	0	*	0 * 1 *
Chinese	0	*	0 * 2 *
Arabic	10	*	0 * 7 *
Khmer	0	*	0 * 2 *
Vietnamese	5	*	0 * 10 *
Russian	19	*	1 * 16 *
American Sign Language	2	*	0 * 3 *
French	0	*	0 * 3 *
Total Consumers	9,159	100%	350 100% 8,978 100%
23. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18
0 - 2 Years Old	322	18%	18 - 19 Years Old 129 48%
3 - 5 Years Old	314	18%	20 - 21 Years Old 122 46%
6 - 11 Years Old	482	28%	22 - 23 Years Old 14 5%
12 - 17 Years Old	633	36%	24 and Older 1 *
Unspecified	0	*	
Total In-Placement	1,751	100%	266 100%
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18
Female	843	48%	145 55%
Male	908	52%	120 45%
Intersex	0	*	1 *
Missing	0	*	0 *
Total In-Placement	1,751	100%	266 100%
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Androgynous	0	*	0 *
Female	629	44%	133 50%
Gender Nonconforming	8	*	3 1%
Genderqueer	0	*	1 *
Non-Binary	7	*	1 *
Male	678	47%	113 42%
Questioning	10	*	1 *
Transgender (FtM)	5	*	6 2%
Transgender (MtF)	2	*	1 *
Two Spirit	0	*	0 *
Not Listed/Other	26	2%	0 *
Does Not Wish to Answer	45	3%	4 2%
Missing	19	1%	3 1%
Total In-Placement	1,429	100%	266 100%
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17	Youth ≥18
Asexual	9	*	3 1%
Bisexual	33	2%	17 6%
Gay	6	*	8 3%
Lesbian	5	*	5 2%
Pansexual/Omnisexual	9	*	1 *
Queer	0	*	1 *
Questioning	26	2%	0 *
Straight/Heterosexual	777	54%	177 67%
Not Listed/Other	175	12%	17 6%
Does Not Wish to Answer	364	25%	34 13%
Missing	25	2%	3 1%
Total In-Placement	1,429	100%	266 100%
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	328	19%	10 4%
>1 Year - 2 Years	244	14%	11 4%
>2 Years - 4 Years	374	21%	40 15%
>4 Years	497	28%	75 28%
Blank	307	18%	130 49%
Total In-Placement	1,751	100%	266 100%

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Western					Western				
	30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18				
	51A Report		6,843	92%	72	86%			
	Voluntary Application		41	*	7	8%			
	Court Referral/CRA Referral		212	3%	3	4%			
	Institutional Abuse		36	*	2	2%			
	Safe Haven		1	*	0	*			
	Other/Unspecified		275	4%	0	*			
	Total Not In-Placement		7,408	100%	84	100%			
	31. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18				
	White ⁽¹⁾		2,494	34%	25	30%			
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾		3,029	41%	45	54%				
Black ⁽¹⁾		687	9%	8	10%				
Asian ⁽¹⁾		46	*	0	*				
Native American ⁽¹⁾		1	*	0	*				
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾		0	*	0	*				
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}		391	5%	4	5%				
Unable to Determine/Declined		313	4%	0	*				
Missing		447	6%	2	2%				
Total Not In-Placement		7,408	100%	84	100%				
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18					
Asexual		15	*	0	*				
Bisexual		40	*	2	2%				
Gay		9	*	5	6%				
Lesbian		11	*	2	2%				
Pansexual/Omnisexual		16	*	1	1%				
Queer		5	*	0	*				
Questioning		53	*	0	*				
Straight/Heterosexual		2,828	46%	48	57%				
Not Listed/Other		628	10%	5	6%				
Does Not Wish to Answer		1,376	22%	13	15%				
Missing		1,222	20%	8	10%				
Total Not In-Placement		6,203	100%	84	100%				
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18					
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)		3		8					

32. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	0 - 2 Years Old	1,204	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	62	74%	
	3 - 5 Years Old	1,187	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	10	12%	
	6 - 11 Years Old	2,486	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	10	12%	
	12 - 17 Years Old	2,530	34%	24 and Older	2	2%	
	Unspecified	1	*				
Total Not In-Placement		7,408	100%		84	100%	
33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	Female	3,566	48%	47	56%		
	Male	3,676	50%	36	43%		
	Intersex	2	*	1	1%		
	Missing	164	2%	0	*		
Total Not In-Placement		7,408	100%	84	100%		
34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			
	Androgynous	3	*	0	*		
	Female	2,336	38%	40	48%		
	Gender Nonconforming	12	*	1	1%		
	Genderqueer	1	*	0	*		
	Non-Binary	16	*	1	1%		
	Male	2,375	38%	28	33%		
	Questioning	16	*	0	*		
	Transgender (FtM)	10	*	1	1%		
	Transgender (MtF)	4	*	1	1%		
	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*		
	Not Listed/Other	129	2%	1	1%		
	Does Not Wish to Answer	152	2%	3	4%		
	Missing	1,149	19%	8	10%		
Total Not In-Placement		6,203	100%	84	100%		

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)										
DCF Region: Western					Berkshire					
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				951					
	Screened-In for Response				474		50%			
	Screened-Out				385		40%			
	Screened-Out DA Referral				92		10%			
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				360					
	Supported				119		33%			
	Substantiated Concern				135		38%			
Unsupported				106		29%				
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				286 of 360		79%				
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				59 of 82		72%				
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				227 of 278		82%				
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				9.5%						
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%						
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				15.17 per 100,000 days						
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				793					
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				668		84%			
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				125		16%			
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				55					
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				50						
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults			
	White ⁽¹⁾				845	57%	50	64%	1,010	66%
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				213	14%	12	15%	163	11%
	Black ⁽¹⁾				90	6%	6	8%	143	9%
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				2	*	0	*	7	*
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				3	*	0	*	4	*
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*	0	*
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				208	14%	10	13%	59	4%
	Unable to Determine/Declined				53	4%	0	*	57	4%
	Missing				80	5%	0	*	78	5%
Total Consumers				1,494	100%	78	100%	1,521	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 (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
	51A Report				269	95%	5	7%		
	Voluntary Application				2	*	62	93%		
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				5	2%	0	*		
	Institutional Abuse				3	1%	0	*		
	Safe Haven				0	*	0	*		
	Other/Unspecified				3	1%	0	*		
	Total In-Placement				282	100%	67	100%		
	21. Placement Type (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
	DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				105	37%	4	6%		
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific				0	*	0	*			
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				75	27%	3	4%			
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive				14	5%	0	*			
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0	*	47	70%			
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				20	7%	3	4%			
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				40	14%	2	3%			
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence				0	*	0	*			
Congregate Care - Residential School				15	5%	3	4%			
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				11	4%	0	*			
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult				0	*	4	6%			
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				2	*	1	1%			
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				0	*	0	*			
Total In-Placement				282	100%	67	100%			
Children and Youth In-Placement	22. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
	White ⁽¹⁾				157	56%	42	63%		
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				49	17%	11	16%		
	Black ⁽¹⁾				23	8%	5	7%		
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				2	*	0	*		
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				2	*	0	*		
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*		
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				44	16%	9	13%		
	Unable to Determine/Declined				5	2%	0	*		
	Missing				0	*	0	*		
Total In-Placement				282	100%	67	100%			
Children and Youth In-Placement	28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
	Family Reunification				74	26%	1	1%		
	Adoption				130	46%	1	1%		
	Guardianship				14	5%	1	1%		
	APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				18	6%	58	87%		
	Stabilize Intact Family				33	12%	3	4%		
	Permanent Care with Kin				9	3%	3	4%		
	Unspecified as of run-date				4	1%	0	*		
	Total In-Placement				282	100%	67	100%		
	29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				1	4					
Interim Placement Policy Program				4	11					
Total In-Placement				5	15					
Reports & Consumer Counts	7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)				62					
	8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				1,494					
	Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement				1,212		81%			
	Consumer Children <18 In-Placement				282		19%			
	Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement				105		37%			
	Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				194					
	Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				105		54%			
	9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				78					
	10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)				1,521					
	Total Consumers				3,093					
DCF Cases	11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)				14					
	Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal				7		50%			
	15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)				93					
	16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				18					
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal				3		17%				
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				5						
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.										
All DCF Consumers	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults			
	English/Unknown				1,462	98%	77	99%	1,453	96%
	Spanish				25	2%	1	1%	44	3%
	Portuguese				0	*	0	*	4	*
	Other				7	*	0	*	17	1%
	Haitian Creole				0	*	0	*	0	*
	Cape Verdean Creole				0	*	0	*	0	*
	Chinese				0	*	0	*	1	*
	Arabic				0	*	0	*	0	*
	Khmer				0	*	0	*	0	*
Vietnamese				0	*	0	*	0	*	
Russian				0	*	0	*	0	*	
American Sign Language				0	*	0	*	0	*	
French				0	*	0	*	2	*	
Total Consumers				1,494	100%	78	100%	1,521	100%	
Children and Youth In-Placement	23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
	0 - 2 Years Old				57	20%	18	19 Years Old	27	40%
	3 - 5 Years Old				34	12%	20	21 Years Old	38	57%
	6 - 11 Years Old				90	32%	22	23 Years Old	2	3%
	12 - 17 Years Old				101	36%	24	Older	0	*
	Unspecified				0	*				
	Total In-Placement				282	100%	67	100%		
	24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
	Female				140	50%	34	51%		
	Male				142	50%	32	48%		
Intersex				0	*	1	1%			
Missing				0	*	0	*			
Total In-Placement				282	100%	67	100%			
Children and Youth In-Placement	25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18				
	Androgynous				0	*	0	*		
	Female				103	46%	30	45%		
	Gender Nonconforming				0	*	1	1%		
	Genderqueer				0	*	0	*		
	Non-Binary				0	*	1	1%		
	Male				110	49%	31	46%		
	Questioning				1	*	0	*		
	Transgender (FTM)				0	*	2	3%		
	Transgender (MtF)				0	*	0	*		
Two Spirit				0	*	0	*			
Not Listed/Other				1	*	0	*			
Does Not Wish to Answer				8	4%	1	1%			
Missing				2	*	1	1%			
Total In-Placement				225	100%	67	100%			
Children and Youth In-Placement	26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18				
	Asexual				0	*	1	1%		
	Bisexual				4	2%	3	4%		
	Gay				2	*	4	6%		
	Lesbian				1	*	2	3%		
	Pansexual/Omnisexual				2	*	0	*		
	Queer				0	*	0	*		
	Questioning				3	1%	0	*		
	Straight/Heterosexual				89	40%	42	63%		
	Not Listed/Other				23	10%	4	6%		
Does Not Wish to Answer				97	43%	10	15%			
Missing				4	2%	1	1%			
Total In-Placement				225	100%	67	100%			
Children and Youth In-Placement	27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18				
	0.5 Years or Less				45	16%	4	6%		
	>0.5 Years - 1 Year				40	14%	3	4%		
	>1 Year - 2 Years				67	24%	17	25%		
	>2 Years - 4 Years				81	29%	16	24%		
	>4 Years				49	17%	27	40%		
	Blank				0	*	0	*		
	Total In-Placement				282	100%	67	100%		

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DCF Region: Western					Berkshire				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,139	94%	6	55%	0 - 2 Years Old	210	17%	18 - 19 Years Old	8 73%
Voluntary Application	0	*	4	36%	3 - 5 Years Old	197	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	1 9%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	21	2%	0	*	6 - 11 Years Old	421	35%	22 - 23 Years Old	2 18%
Institutional Abuse	13	1%	1	9%	12 - 17 Years Old	383	32%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	1	*		
Other/Unspecified	39	3%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,212	100%	11	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,212	100%	11	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	688	57%	8	73%	Female	578	48%	6	55%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	164	14%	1	9%	Male	601	50%	5	45%
Black ⁽¹⁾	67	6%	1	9%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Missing	33	3%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,212	100%	11	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	164	14%	1	9%	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined	48	4%	0	*		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Missing	80	7%	0	*	Androgynous	1	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,212	100%	11	100%	Female	369	37%	4	36%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Gender Nonconforming	2	*	0	*
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Asexual	1	*	0	*	Non-Binary	2	*	0	*
Bisexual	7	*	0	*	Male	378	38%	3	27%
Gay	1	*	0	*	Questioning	2	*	0	*
Lesbian	1	*	0	*	Transgender (FtM)	1	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	4	*	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Questioning	10	*	0	*	Not Listed/Other	5	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	345	34%	5	45%	Does Not Wish to Answer	40	4%	3	27%
Not Listed/Other	93	9%	0	*	Missing	201	20%	1	9%
Does Not Wish to Answer	331	33%	5	45%	Total Not In-Placement	1,001	100%	11	100%
Missing	208	21%	1	9%					
Total Not In-Placement	1,001	100%	11	100%	37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)				
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)						Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)						0		1	

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Western

Reports & Consumer Counts

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)		710	
Screened-In for Response		422	59%
Screened-Out		221	31%
Screened-Out DA Referral		67	9%
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)		325	
Supported		157	48%
Substantiated Concern		51	16%
Unsupported		117	36%
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)		166 of 325	51%
Emergency Responses (5 business days)		27 of 57	47%
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)		139 of 268	52%
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		17.8%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)		22.04 per 100,000 days	

DCF Cases

12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)		674	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement		566	84%
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement		108	16%
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		38	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)		40	

All DCF Consumers

18. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾	690	56%	42	70%	888 65%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	283	23%	9	15%	229 17%
Black ⁽¹⁾	46	4%	3	5%	58 4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	10	*	2	3%	16 1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*	2 *
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	0 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	79	6%	4	7%	42 3%
Unable to Determine/Declined	52	4%	0	*	70 5%
Missing	64	5%	0	*	58 4%
Total Consumers	1,225	100%	60	100%	1,363 100%
⁽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 (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18	
51A Report	242	96%	35	81%
Voluntary Application	0	*	5	12%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	7	3%	3	7%
Institutional Abuse	1	*	0	*
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*
Other/Unspecified	1	*	0	*
Total In-Placement	251	100%	43	100%
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18	
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship	94	37%	1	2%
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific	0	*	0	*
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated	74	29%	6	14%
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	7	3%	1	2%
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living	0	*	21	49%
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	37	15%	4	9%
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence	12	5%	3	7%
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence	0	*	0	*
Congregate Care - Residential School	14	6%	4	9%
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence	6	2%	0	*
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult	0	*	1	2%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)	4	2%	2	5%
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	3	1%	0	*
Total In-Placement	251	100%	43	100%
22. Race (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	126	50%	33	77%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	62	25%	3	7%
Black ⁽¹⁾	21	8%	2	5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	2	5%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	34	14%	3	7%
Unable to Determine/Declined	6	2%	0	*
Missing	0	*	0	*
Total In-Placement	251	100%	43	100%
23. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18	
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)	7		5	
Interim Placement Policy Program	4		11	
Total In-Placement	11		16	

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Reports & Consumer Counts

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)		136	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,225	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement		974	80%
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement		251	20%
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement		94	37%
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)		175	
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)		94	54%
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)		60	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)		1,363	
Total Consumers		2,648	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)		14	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal		9 64%	
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)		78	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		14	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal		2 14%	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)		0	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.			

All DCF Consumers

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults	
English/Unknown	1,161	96%	60	100%	1,278 94%
Spanish	37	3%	0	*	53 4%
Portuguese	1	*	0	*	3 *
Other	2	*	0	*	24 2%
Haitian Creole	1	*	0	*	0 *
Cape Verdean Creole	0	*	0	*	0 *
Chinese	0	*	0	*	0 *
Arabic	1	*	0	*	0 *
Khmer	0	*	0	*	0 *
Vietnamese	1	*	0	*	3 *
Russian	0	*	0	*	1 *
American Sign Language	1	*	0	*	1 *
French	0	*	0	*	0 *
Total Consumers	1,225	100%	60	100%	1,363 100%
23. Age Group (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18		
0 - 2 Years Old	49	20%	18 - 19 Years Old	22 51%	
3 - 5 Years Old	50	20%	20 - 21 Years Old	17 40%	
6 - 11 Years Old	68	27%	22 - 23 Years Old	4 9%	
12 - 17 Years Old	84	33%	24 and Older	0 *	
Unspecified	0	*			
Total In-Placement	251	100%		43 100%	
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18		
Female	128	51%	26	60%	
Male	123	49%	17	40%	
Intersex	0	*	0	*	
Missing	0	*	0	*	
Total In-Placement	251	100%	43	100%	
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)		Child 3-17	Youth ≥18		
Androgynous	0	*	0	*	
Female	89	44%	22	51%	
Gender Nonconforming	4	2%	1	2%	
Genderqueer	0	*	1	2%	
Non-Binary	2	*	0	*	
Male	90	45%	16	37%	
Questioning	2	*	0	*	
Transgender (FtM)	4	2%	2	5%	
Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*	
Two Spirit	0	*	0	*	
Not Listed/Other	1	*	0	*	
Does Not Wish to Answer	7	3%	1	2%	
Missing	3	1%	0	*	
Total In-Placement	202	100%	43	100%	
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)		Child 3-17	Youth ≥18		
Asexual	3	1%	0	*	
Bisexual	7	3%	4	9%	
Gay	0	*	0	*	
Lesbian	1	*	0	*	
Pansexual/Omnisexual	2	*	0	*	
Queer	0	*	1	2%	
Questioning	4	2%	0	*	
Straight/Heterosexual	118	58%	24	56%	
Not Listed/Other	13	6%	6	14%	
Does Not Wish to Answer	51	25%	8	19%	
Missing	3	1%	0	*	
Total In-Placement	202	100%	43	100%	
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)		Child <18	Youth ≥18		
0.5 Years or Less	58	23%	2	5%	
>0.5 Years - 1 Year	34	14%	3	7%	
>1 Year - 2 Years	53	21%	2	5%	
>2 Years - 4 Years	81	32%	12	28%	
>4 Years	25	10%	24	56%	
Blank	0	*	0	*	
Total In-Placement	251	100%	43	100%	

Children and Youth In-Placement

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DCF Region: Western					Greenfield				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	916	94%	13	76%	0 - 2 Years Old	152	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	11 65%
Voluntary Application	1	*	1	6%	3 - 5 Years Old	181	19%	20 - 21 Years Old	2 12%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	21	2%	3	18%	6 - 11 Years Old	342	35%	22 - 23 Years Old	3 18%
Institutional Abuse	4	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	299	31%	24 and Older	1 6%
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	32	3%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	974	100%	17	100%	Total Not In-Placement	974	100%	17	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	564	58%	9	53%	Female	482	49%	8	47%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	221	23%	6	35%	Male	461	47%	9	53%
Black ⁽¹⁾	25	3%	1	6%	Intersex	1	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	9	*	0	*	Missing	30	3%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	974	100%	17	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	45	5%	1	6%					
Unable to Determine/Declined	46	5%	0	*					
Missing	64	7%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	974	100%	17	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	0	*	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Bisexual	8	*	1	6%	Female	301	37%	7	41%
Gay	0	*	1	6%	Gender Nonconforming	4	*	0	*
Lesbian	2	*	1	6%	Genderqueer	1	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	4	*	1	6%	Non-Binary	4	*	1	6%
Queer	2	*	0	*	Male	295	36%	9	53%
Questioning	7	*	0	*	Questioning	2	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	324	39%	10	59%	Transgender (FtM)	1	*	0	*
Not Listed/Other	55	7%	2	12%	Transgender (MtF)	1	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	230	28%	1	6%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	190	23%	0	*	Not Listed/Other	13	2%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	822	100%	17	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	26	3%	0	*
					Missing	174	21%	0	*
					Total Not In-Placement	822	100%	17	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	1		1						

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Western							Holyoke													
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				779			7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)					70							
	Screened-In for Response				377			8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					1,736							
	Screened-Out				384			Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement					1,451 84%							
	Screened-Out DA Referral				18			Consumer Children <18 In-Placement					285 16%							
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				301			Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement					114 40%							
	Supported				110			Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					193							
	Substantiated Concern				87			Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)					114 59%							
Unsupported				104			35%													
DCF Cases	3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				215 of 301 71%			9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)					63							
	Emergency Responses (5 business days)				35 of 68 51%			10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)					1,625							
	Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				180 of 233 77%			Total Consumers					3,424							
	4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				6.7%			11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)					19							
	5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%			Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal					7 37%							
	6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				27.29 per 100,000 days			15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)					90							
	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				815			16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					14							
Clinical Cases - Non Placement				708 87%			Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal					1 7%								
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				107 13%			17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)					0								
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				33			Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.													
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				33																
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	Adults						
	White ⁽¹⁾				532	31%	21	33%	629	39%	English/Unknown				1,611	93%	56	89%	1,357	84%
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				851	49%	31	49%	664	41%	Spanish				87	5%	6	10%	204	13%
	Black ⁽¹⁾				107	6%	9	14%	139	9%	Portuguese				0	*	0	*	2	*
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				17	*	0	*	21	1%	Other				22	1%	0	*	46	3%
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*	0	*	Haitian Creole				0	*	0	*	2	*
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*	0	*	Cape Verdean Creole				0	*	0	*	0	*
	Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				70	4%	2	3%	30	2%	Chinese				0	*	0	*	0	*
	Unable to Determine/Declined				71	4%	0	*	78	5%	Arabic				4	*	0	*	3	*
	Missing				88	5%	0	*	64	4%	Khmer				0	*	0	*	0	*
Total Consumers				1,736	100%	63	100%	1,625	100%	Vietnamese				0	*	0	*	2	*	
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding																				
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races																				
20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18									
51A Report				267	94%	38	81%	0 - 2 Years Old				53	19%	18 - 19 Years Old				25	53%	
Voluntary Application				4	1%	6	13%	3 - 5 Years Old				52	18%	20 - 21 Years Old				17	36%	
Court Referral/CRA Referral				12	4%	2	4%	6 - 11 Years Old				77	27%	22 - 23 Years Old				4	9%	
Institutional Abuse				0	*	1	2%	12 - 17 Years Old				103	36%	24 and Older				1	2%	
Safe Haven				0	*	0	*	Unspecified				0	*							
Other/Unspecified				2	*	0	*	Total In-Placement				285	100%	47				100%		
Total In-Placement				285	100%	47	100%													
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18	24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18									
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				114	40%	1	2%	Female				131	46%	24				51%		
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific				0	*	0	*	Male				154	54%	23				49%		
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				69	24%	2	4%	Intersex				0	*	0				*		
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive				10	4%	0	*	Missing				0	*	0				*		
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0	*	26	55%	Total In-Placement				285	100%	47				100%		
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				39	14%	5	11%	25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18							
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				23	8%	4	9%	Androgynous				0	*	0				*		
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence				0	*	0	*	Female				103	44%	23				49%		
Congregate Care - Residential School				8	3%	1	2%	Gender Nonconforming				1	*	1				2%		
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				9	3%	0	*	Genderqueer				0	*	0				*		
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult				3	1%	8	17%	Non-Binary				1	*	0				*		
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				8	3%	0	*	Male				118	51%	20				43%		
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				2	*	0	*	Questioning				1	*	0				*		
Total In-Placement				285	100%	47	100%	Transgender (FtM)				0	*	1				2%		
								Transgender (MtF)				0	*	0				*		
								Two Spirit				0	*	0				*		
								Not Listed/Other				0	*	0				*		
								Does Not Wish to Answer				3	1%	2				4%		
								Missing				5	2%	0				*		
								Total In-Placement				232	100%	47				100%		
								26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17	Youth ≥18							
								Asexual				1	*	1				2%		
								Bisexual				7	3%	0				*		
								Gay				1	*	3				6%		
								Lesbian				0	*	1				2%		
								Pansexual/Omnisexual				3	1%	0				*		
								Queer				0	*	0				*		
								Questioning				5	2%	0				*		
								Straight/Heterosexual				168	72%	35				74%		
								Not Listed/Other				9	4%	2				4%		
								Does Not Wish to Answer				33	14%	5				11%		
								Missing				5	2%	0				*		
								Total In-Placement				232	100%	47				100%		
								27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18	Youth ≥18							
								0.5 Years or Less				55	19%	1				2%		
								>0.5 Years - 1 Year				49	17%	2				4%		
								>1 Year - 2 Years				42	15%	4				9%		
								>2 Years - 4 Years				76	27%	16				34%		
								>4 Years				63	22%	24				51%		
								Blank				0	*	0				*		
								Total In-Placement				285	100%	47				100%		

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DCF Region: Western					Holyoke				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,303	90%	16	100%	0 - 2 Years Old	236	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	10 63%
Voluntary Application	37	3%	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	225	16%	20 - 21 Years Old	3 19%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	46	3%	0	*	6 - 11 Years Old	472	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	3 19%
Institutional Abuse	5	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	518	36%	24 and Older	0 *
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	60	4%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,451	100%	16	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,451	100%	16	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	442	30%	2	13%	Female	675	47%	12	75%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	704	49%	12	75%	Male	732	50%	4	25%
Black ⁽¹⁾	85	6%	2	13%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	17	1%	0	*	Missing	44	3%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,451	100%	16	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	46	3%	0	*	34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
Unable to Determine/Declined	69	5%	0	*		Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Missing	88	6%	0	*	Androgynous	0	*	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,451	100%	16	100%	Female	453	37%	10	63%
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Gender Nonconforming	1	*	1	6%
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Asexual	4	*	0	*	Non-Binary	2	*	0	*
Bisexual	10	*	0	*	Male	510	42%	4	25%
Gay	1	*	1	6%	Questioning	3	*	0	*
Lesbian	2	*	1	6%	Transgender (FtM)	1	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	3	*	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	2	*	0	*
Queer	0	*	0	*	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Questioning	12	*	0	*	Not Listed/Other	23	2%	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	665	55%	10	63%	Does Not Wish to Answer	29	2%	0	*
Not Listed/Other	97	8%	0	*	Missing	191	16%	1	6%
Does Not Wish to Answer	217	18%	3	19%	Total Not In-Placement	1,215	100%	16	100%
Missing	204	17%	1	6%					
Total Not In-Placement	1,215	100%	16	100%					
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	0		0						

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DCF Region: Western					Robert Van Wart					
Reports & Consumer Counts	1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				1,080					
	Screened-In for Response				584		54%			
	Screened-Out				432		40%			
	Screened-Out DA Referral				64		6%			
	2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				466					
	Supported				196		42%			
	Substantiated Concern				89		19%			
Unsupported				181		39%				
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				310 of 466		67%				
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				38 of 71		54%				
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				272 of 395		69%				
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				10.3%						
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%						
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				29.03		per 100,000 days				
DCF Cases	12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				1,145					
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement				975		85%			
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				170		15%			
	13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr- Jun 2023)				49					
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				51						
All DCF Consumers	18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
	White ⁽¹⁾				780 35%		25 38%		987 43%	
	Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				955 43%		32 49%		820 35%	
	Black ⁽¹⁾				234 10%		4 6%		290 12%	
	Asian ⁽¹⁾				7 *		0 *		9 *	
	Native American ⁽¹⁾				1 *		0 *		1 *	
	Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0 *		0 *		2 *	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				122 5%		3 5%		47 2%		
Unable to Determine/Declined				70 3%		0 *		91 4%		
Missing				73 3%		1 2%		74 3%		
Total Consumers				2,242 100%		65 100%		2,321 100%		
⁽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 (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
	51A Report				369 94%		41 89%			
	Voluntary Application				1 *		0 *			
	Court Referral/CRA Referral				16 4%		5 11%			
	Institutional Abuse				2 *		0 *			
	Safe Haven				0 *		0 *			
	Other/Unspecified				3 *		0 *			
Total In-Placement				391 100%		46 100%				
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				155 40%		5 11%				
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific				0 *		0 *				
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				91 23%		1 2%				
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive				16 4%		0 *				
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0 *		24 52%				
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				52 13%		3 7%				
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				23 6%		1 2%				
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence				0 *		0 *				
Congregate Care - Residential School				17 4%		4 9%				
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				19 5%		0 *				
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult				0 *		7 15%				
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				11 3%		1 2%				
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				7 2%		0 *				
Total In-Placement				391 100%		46 100%				
22. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
White ⁽¹⁾				152 39%		20 43%				
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				168 43%		20 43%				
Black ⁽¹⁾				27 7%		4 9%				
Asian ⁽¹⁾				3 *		0 *				
Native American ⁽¹⁾				1 *		0 *				
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0 *		0 *				
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				34 9%		2 4%				
Unable to Determine/Declined				6 2%		0 *				
Missing				0 *		0 *				
Total In-Placement				391 100%		46 100%				
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
Family Reunification				152 39%		2 4%				
Adoption				138 35%		0 *				
Guardianship				30 8%		0 *				
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				29 7%		39 85%				
Stabilize Intact Family				30 8%		4 9%				
Permanent Care with Kin				8 2%		0 *				
Unspecified as of run-date				4 1%		1 2%				
Total In-Placement				391 100%		46 100%				
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				4		3				
Interim Placement Policy Program				4		11				
Total In-Placement				8		14				
7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)				111						
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				2,242						
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement				1,851 83%						
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement				391 17%						
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement				155 40%						
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				262						
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				155 59%						
9. Consumer Youth ≥18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				65						
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)				2,321						
Total Consumers				4,628						
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)				24						
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal				18 75%						
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)				109						
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				15						
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal				3 20%						
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				2						
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.										
All DCF Consumers	19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
	English/Unknown				2,142 96%		61 94%		2,103 91%	
	Spanish				80 4%		4 6%		170 7%	
	Portuguese				1 *		0 *		3 *	
	Other				10 *		0 *		31 1%	
	Haitian Creole				0 *		0 *		2 *	
	Cape Verdean Creole				0 *		0 *		1 *	
Chinese				0 *		0 *		1 *		
Arabic				5 *		0 *		4 *		
Khmer				0 *		0 *		0 *		
Vietnamese				0 *		0 *		0 *		
Russian				3 *		0 *		5 *		
American Sign Language				1 *		0 *		0 *		
French				0 *		0 *		1 *		
Total Consumers				2,242 100%		65 100%		2,321 100%		
23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
0 - 2 Years Old				62 16%		18 - 19 Years Old		18 39%		
3 - 5 Years Old				67 17%		20 - 21 Years Old		27 59%		
6 - 11 Years Old				106 27%		22 - 23 Years Old		1 2%		
12 - 17 Years Old				156 40%		24 and Older		0 *		
Unspecified				0 *						
Total In-Placement				391 100%		46 100%				
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
Female				200 51%		29 63%				
Male				191 49%		17 37%				
Intersex				0 *		0 *				
Missing				0 *		0 *				
Total In-Placement				391 100%		46 100%				
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17		Youth ≥18				
Androgynous				0 *		0 *				
Female				158 48%		27 59%				
Gender Nonconforming				1 *		0 *				
Genderqueer				0 *		0 *				
Non-Binary				1 *		0 *				
Male				148 45%		17 37%				
Questioning				2 *		0 *				
Transgender (FTM)				0 *		1 2%				
Transgender (MtF)				2 *		1 2%				
Two Spirit				0 *		0 *				
Not Listed/Other				4 1%		0 *				
Does Not Wish to Answer				13 4%		0 *				
Missing				0 *		0 *				
Total In-Placement				329 100%		46 100%				
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17		Youth ≥18				
Asexual				2 *		0 *				
Bisexual				10 3%		4 9%				
Gay				1 *		1 2%				
Lesbian				1 *		2 4%				
Pansexual/Omnisexual				0 *		0 *				
Queer				0 *		0 *				
Questioning				5 2%		0 *				
Straight/Heterosexual				186 57%		33 72%				
Not Listed/Other				37 11%		1 2%				
Does Not Wish to Answer				87 26%		5 11%				
Missing				0 *		0 *				
Total In-Placement				329 100%		46 100%				
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18				
0.5 Years or Less				93 24%		2 4%				
>0.5 Years - 1 Year				47 12%		0 *				
>1 Year - 2 Years				89 23%		7 15%				
>2 Years - 4 Years				105 27%		9 20%				
>4 Years				57 15%		28 61%				
Blank				0 *		0 *				
Total In-Placement				391 100%		46 100%				

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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DCF Region: Western					Robert Van Wart				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					Child <18		Youth ≥18		
51A Report					1,720	93%	16	84%	
Voluntary Application					1	*	2	11%	
Court Referral/CRA Referral					46	2%	0	*	
Institutional Abuse					12	*	1	5%	
Safe Haven					1	*	0	*	
Other/Unspecified					71	4%	0	*	
Total Not In-Placement					1,851	100%	19	100%	
31. Race (06/30/23)					Child <18		Youth ≥18		
White ⁽¹⁾					628	34%	5	26%	
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾					787	43%	12	63%	
Black ⁽¹⁾					207	11%	0	*	
Asian ⁽¹⁾					4	*	0	*	
Native American ⁽¹⁾					0	*	0	*	
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾					0	*	0	*	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}					88	5%	1	5%	
Unable to Determine/Declined					64	3%	0	*	
Missing					73	4%	1	5%	
Total Not In-Placement					1,851	100%	19	100%	
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		
Asexual					6	*	0	*	
Bisexual					8	*	1	5%	
Gay					4	*	2	11%	
Lesbian					6	*	0	*	
Pansexual/Omnisexual					3	*	0	*	
Queer					1	*	0	*	
Questioning					11	*	0	*	
Straight/Heterosexual					779	50%	9	47%	
Not Listed/Other					205	13%	3	16%	
Does Not Wish to Answer					333	21%	3	16%	
Missing					204	13%	1	5%	
Total Not In-Placement					1,560	100%	19	100%	
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)					Child <18		Youth ≥18		
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)					1		2		

32. Age Group (06/30/23)					Child <18		Youth ≥18		
0 - 2 Years Old					291	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	16	84%
3 - 5 Years Old					313	17%	20 - 21 Years Old	2	11%
6 - 11 Years Old					606	33%	22 - 23 Years Old	1	5%
12 - 17 Years Old					641	35%	24 and Older	0	*
Unspecified					0	*			
Total Not In-Placement					1,851	100%		19	100%
33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)					Child <18		Youth ≥18		
Female					918	50%	11	58%	
Male					911	49%	7	37%	
Intersex					1	*	1	5%	
Missing					21	1%	0	*	
Total Not In-Placement					1,851	100%	19	100%	
34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)					Child 3-17		Youth ≥18		
Androgynous					1	*	0	*	
Female					655	42%	10	53%	
Gender Nonconforming					1	*	0	*	
Genderqueer					0	*	0	*	
Non-Binary					3	*	0	*	
Male					621	40%	6	32%	
Questioning					3	*	0	*	
Transgender (FtM)					3	*	0	*	
Transgender (MtF)					1	*	1	5%	
Two Spirit					0	*	0	*	
Not Listed/Other					47	3%	1	5%	
Does Not Wish to Answer					35	2%	0	*	
Missing					190	12%	1	5%	
Total Not In-Placement					1,560	100%	19	100%	

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES QUARTERLY PROFILE -- FY'2023, Q4 (04/01/23 - 06/30/23)

DCF Region: Western

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

1. 51A Reports (FY'2023, Q4)				1,079	
Screened-In for Response				598 55%	
Screened-Out				408 38%	
Screened-Out DA Referral				73 7%	
2. Responses (FY'2023, Q4) (includes Hotline)				536	
Supported				249 46%	
Substantiated Concern				30 6%	
Unsupported				257 48%	
3. Responses Completed On Time (FY'2023, Q4)				326 of 536 61%	
Emergency Responses (5 business days)				46 of 89 52%	
Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)				280 of 447 63%	
4. Recurrence of Maltreatment (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				12.8%	
5. SW Maltreatment in Foster Care (FC) (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				1.72%	
6. Maltreatment in FC p/100K Bed Days (12-mos. ending 06/30/23)				30.93 per 100,000 days	

12. Clinical Cases (06/30/23)				1,089	
Clinical Cases - Non Placement				897 82%	
Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement				192 18%	
13. Avg. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				50	
14. Avg. Clinical Cases Closed per Month (Apr - Jun 2023)				79	

18. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
White ⁽¹⁾				213	9%	8	10%	288	13%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				1,479	60%	52	62%	1,199	54%
Black ⁽¹⁾				430	17%	19	23%	429	19%
Asian ⁽¹⁾				16	*	1	1%	21	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾				3	*	0	*	1	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*	2	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				85	3%	2	2%	37	2%
Unable to Determine/Declined				96	4%	1	1%	139	6%
Missing				142	6%	1	1%	96	4%
Total Consumers				2,464	100%	84	100%	2,212	100%
⁽¹⁾ Excludes Hispanic/Latino, * = less than 1% after rounding									
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races									

20. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report				524	97%	54	86%
Voluntary Application				4	*	2	3%
Court Referral/CRA Referral				12	2%	6	10%
Institutional Abuse				2	*	1	2%
Safe Haven				0	*	0	*
Other/Unspecified				1	*	0	*
Total In-Placement				543	100%	63	100%
21. Placement Type (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18	
DFC - Foster Care - Kinship				199	37%	10	16%
DFC - Foster Care - Child-Specific				0	*	0	*
DFC - Foster Care - Unrelated				142	26%	1	2%
DFC - Foster Care - Pre-adoptive				26	5%	0	*
DFC - Foster Care - Independent Living				0	*	25	40%
Comprehensive Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)				83	15%	12	19%
Congregate Care - Treatment Residence				25	5%	2	3%
Congregate Care - Medically Complex Residence				2	*	0	*
Congregate Care - Residential School				15	3%	4	6%
Congregate Care - Emergency Residence				19	3%	0	*
Congregate Care - Youth and Young Adult				1	*	8	13%
Non-Referral Location (e.g., hospital, other state agency)				8	1%	0	*
Missing/Absent from Approved Placement				23	4%	1	2%
Total In-Placement				543	100%	63	100%
22. Race (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾				41	8%	7	11%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾				325	60%	38	60%
Black ⁽¹⁾				127	23%	15	24%
Asian ⁽¹⁾				0	*	1	2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾				3	*	0	*
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾				0	*	0	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}				37	7%	1	2%
Unable to Determine/Declined				10	2%	1	2%
Missing				0	*	0	*
Total In-Placement				543	100%	63	100%
28. Permanency Plan (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18	
Family Reunification				172	32%	2	3%
Adoption				258	48%	0	*
Guardianship				34	6%	0	*
APPLA - Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement				30	6%	50	79%
Stabilize Intact Family				35	6%	6	10%
Permanent Care with Kin				6	1%	4	6%
Unspecified as of run-date				8	1%	1	2%
Total In-Placement				543	100%	63	100%
29. 688 & Interim Placement Policy (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18	
688 In-Placement (subset of In-Placement count)				2		9	
Interim Placement Policy Program				4		11	
Total In-Placement				6		20	

Springfield

Reports & Consumer Counts

DCF Cases

All DCF Consumers

Children and Youth In-Placement

7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response (06/30/23)				89	
8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				2,464	
Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement				1,921 78%	
Consumer Children <18 In-Placement				543 22%	
Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 In-Placement				199 37%	
Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				367	
Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)				199 54%	
9. Consumer Youth ≥ 18 in Caseload (06/30/23)				84	
10. Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload (06/30/23)				2,212	
Total Consumers				4,760	
11. Reunifications (FY'2023, Q4)				25	
Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal				11 44%	
15. Adoption Cases (06/30/23)				160	
16. Adoptions Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				4	
Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal				1 25%	
17. Guardianships Legalized (FY'2023, Q4)				2	
Adoption and Guardianship counts could be undercounts at time of report production.					

19. Primary Language (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18		Adults	
English/Unknown				2,194	89%	72	86%	1,722	78%
Spanish				230	9%	11	13%	432	20%
Portuguese				4	*	0	*	3	*
Other				21	*	1	1%	39	2%
Haitian Creole				7	*	0	*	6	*
Cape Verdean Creole				0	*	0	*	0	*
Chinese				0	*	0	*	0	*
Arabic				0	*	0	*	0	*
Khmer				0	*	0	*	2	*
Vietnamese				4	*	0	*	5	*
Russian				4	*	0	*	1	*
American Sign Language				0	*	0	*	2	*
French				0	*	0	*	0	*
Total Consumers				2,464	100%	84	100%	2,212	100%
23. Age Group (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
0 - 2 Years Old				101	19%	18	19 Years Old	37	59%
3 - 5 Years Old				112	21%	20	21 Years Old	23	37%
6 - 11 Years Old				141	26%	22	23 Years Old	3	5%
12 - 17 Years Old				189	35%	24	Older	0	*
Unspecified				0	*				
Total In-Placement				543	100%			63	100%
24. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
Female				245 45%		32 51%			
Male				298 55%		31 49%			
Intersex				0 *		0 *			
Missing				0 *		0 *			
Total In-Placement				543 100%		63 100%			
25. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			
Androgynous				0 *		0 *			
Female				177 40%		31 49%			
Gender Nonconforming				2 *		0 *			
Genderqueer				0 *		0 *			
Non-Binary				3 *		0 *			
Male				212 48%		29 46%			
Questioning				4 *		1 2%			
Transgender (FTM)				1 *		0 *			
Transgender (MTF)				0 *		0 *			
Two Spirit				0 *		0 *			
Not Listed/Other				20 5%		0 *			
Does Not Wish to Answer				14 3%		0 *			
Missing				9 2%		2 3%			
Total In-Placement				442 100%		63 100%			
26. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)				Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			
Asexual				3 *		1 2%			
Bisexual				5 1%		6 10%			
Gay				2 *		0 *			
Lesbian				2 *		0 *			
Pansexual/Omnisexual				2 *		1 2%			
Queer				0 *		0 *			
Questioning				9 2%		0 *			
Straight/Heterosexual				216 49%		43 68%			
Not Listed/Other				94 21%		4 6%			
Does Not Wish to Answer				96 22%		6 10%			
Missing				13 3%		2 3%			
Total In-Placement				442 100%		63 100%			
27. Continuous Time in Placement (06/30/23)				Child <18		Youth ≥18			
0.5 Years or Less				78 14%		1 2%			
>0.5 Years - 1 Year				74 14%		3 5%			
>1 Year - 2 Years				123 23%		10 16%			
>2 Years - 4 Years				154 28%		22 35%			
>4 Years				113 21%		27 43%			
Blank				1 *		0 *			
Total In-Placement				543 100%		63 100%			

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DCF Region: Western					Springfield				
30. Most Recent Intake (06/30/23)					32. Age Group (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
51A Report	1,766	92%	21	100%	0 - 2 Years Old	315	16%	18 - 19 Years Old	17 81%
Voluntary Application	2	*	0	*	3 - 5 Years Old	271	14%	20 - 21 Years Old	2 10%
Court Referral/CRA Referral	78	4%	0	*	6 - 11 Years Old	645	34%	22 - 23 Years Old	1 5%
Institutional Abuse	2	*	0	*	12 - 17 Years Old	690	36%	24 and Older	1 5%
Safe Haven	0	*	0	*	Unspecified	0	*		
Other/Unspecified	73	4%	0	*					
Total Not In-Placement	1,921	100%	21	100%	Total Not In-Placement	1,921	100%	21	100%
31. Race (06/30/23)					33. Birth Sex (06/30/23)				
	Child <18		Youth ≥18			Child <18		Youth ≥18	
White ⁽¹⁾	172	9%	1	5%	Female	914	48%	10	48%
Hispanic/Latino/Latina ⁽²⁾	1,154	60%	14	67%	Male	971	51%	11	52%
Black ⁽¹⁾	303	16%	4	19%	Intersex	0	*	0	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	16	*	0	*	Missing	36	2%	0	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*	Total Not In-Placement	1,921	100%	21	100%
Pacific Islander ⁽¹⁾	0	*	0	*					
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	48	2%	1	5%					
Unable to Determine/Declined	86	4%	0	*					
Missing	142	7%	1	5%					
Total Not In-Placement	1,921	100%	21	100%					
35. Sexual Orientation (06/30/23)					34. Gender Identity/Expression (06/30/23)				
	Child 3-17		Youth ≥18			Child 3-17		Youth ≥18	
Asexual	4	*	0	*	Androgynous	1	*	0	*
Bisexual	7	*	0	*	Female	559	35%	9	43%
Gay	3	*	1	5%	Gender Nonconforming	4	*	0	*
Lesbian	0	*	0	*	Genderqueer	0	*	0	*
Pansexual/Omnisexual	2	*	0	*	Non-Binary	5	*	0	*
Queer	2	*	0	*	Male	571	36%	6	29%
Questioning	13	*	0	*	Questioning	6	*	0	*
Straight/Heterosexual	716	45%	14	67%	Transgender (FtM)	4	*	1	5%
Not Listed/Other	178	11%	0	*	Transgender (MtF)	0	*	0	*
Does Not Wish to Answer	265	17%	1	5%	Two Spirit	0	*	0	*
Missing	416	26%	5	24%	Not Listed/Other	41	3%	0	*
Total Not In-Placement	1,606	100%	21	100%	Does Not Wish to Answer	22	1%	0	*
					Missing	393	24%	5	24%
					Total Not In-Placement	1,606	100%	21	100%
37. 688 Not In-Placement (06/30/23)									
	Child <18		Youth ≥18						
688 Not In-Placement (subset of Not In-Placement)	1		3						

Children and Youth Not In-Placement

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A. Cumulative Counts		<p>The summation of all monthly counts made during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter. Applicable to items;</p> <p>1. <u>51A Reports</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Screened-In for Response •Screened-Out •Screened-Out DA Referral <p>2. <u>Responses</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Supported •Substantiated Concern •Unsupported <p>3. <u>Percent of Responses Completed on Time</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Emergency Response (5 Business days) •Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)
B. Unique Counts		<p>An unduplicated count of each individual DCF Consumer or Case at the Statewide, Region, and Area Office level. Applicable to items;</p> <p>7. Consumer Children <18 Pending Response to 37. 688 Not-in-Placement</p>
1. 51A Reports		<p>A cumulative count of 51A Reports (including Institutional abuse) approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter. A 51A is a report alleging maltreatment (abuse, neglect, sexual exploitation, and/or human trafficking) of one or more children under the age of 18 in the Commonwealth. The Department's hotline or intake units conduct a screening process to determine whether a report is appropriate for further action.</p> <p>There are two (2) phases of protective intake: (1) the screening of reports; and (2) a response to any report that is screened-in. The purpose of screening is to gather sufficient information to determine whether a Department response is necessary or might be necessary to ensure a child's safety and well-being. Screening is a key part of the overall process of reporting, identifying and assessing risks to child safety, permanency, and well-being. It is the first step in determining the Department's subsequent actions and intervention with the family. Activities for screening a report of child maltreatment are designed to determine, based on facts in the report and those gathered during screening:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - if there is an immediate concern for child safety; and - if a "reportable condition" under MGL c. 119 § 51A exists. <p>A "reportable condition" exists when there is information that a child may have been abused and/or neglected or may be at risk of being abused and/or neglected by a caregiver, or that a child may have been or may be at risk of sexual exploitation or human trafficking.</p> <p>Reports determined to be emergencies must be screened in immediately, and a response must be initiated within 2 hours. The screening of reports determined not to be emergencies must be completed within one working day. In very limited circumstances where it is necessary to complete activities critical to making the screening decision and with approval from a manager, screening of a non-emergency report may be extended for up to one additional working day.</p> <p>Based on the information received, collected, and analyzed during the screening process, the report will be:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Screened-In for Response; or 2. Screened-Out; or 3. Screened-Out DA Referral.
Screened-In for Response		<p>A cumulative count (and rate) of 51A Reports approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter that met the standards for a Departmental response to ensure a child's safety and well-being. The total Screened-in for Response in section 1 will not necessarily equal the total Responses in section 2, as some Responses will be from intakes filed in the previous quarter.</p> <p>There are two (2) possible screen-in outcomes:</p> <p>Screen-In - Emergency Response This is a determination that the report involves a situation where the failure to take immediate action would pose a substantial risk of death, serious emotional or physical injury, or sexual abuse to a child.</p> <p>Screen-In - Non-Emergency Response This is a determination that a child(ren) may have been abused and/or neglected or may be at risk of being abused and/or neglected by a caregiver, or that a child has been or may be at risk of sexual exploitation or human trafficking, AND that the situation as reported does NOT pose a substantial risk of death, serious emotional or physical injury, or sexual abuse to a child.</p>

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	Screened-Out	<p>A cumulative count (and rate) of 51A Reports approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter that did NOT meet the standards for a Departmental response to ensure a child's safety and well-being.</p> <p>This is determination that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- the report does not involve a child or the allegations are not within the Department's mandate concerning child abuse and neglect; and/or- there was no indication that a child(ren) has been or may have been abused or neglected or may be at risk of being abused and/or neglected by a caregiver; and/or- the alleged perpetrator has been identified and was not a caregiver, and the child(ren)'s caregiver is safely protecting the child(ren) from the alleged perpetrator, unless the allegations involve sexual exploitation or human trafficking; and/or- the specific injury or specific situation being reported is so old that it has no bearing on the current risk to the reported or other child(ren); and/or- there are NO other protective concerns, and the only issue is maternal use of appropriately prescribed medication resulting in a Substance Exposed Newborn (SEN), AND the only substance affecting the newborn(s) was appropriately prescribed medication, AND the mother was using the medication(s) as prescribed which can be verified by a qualified medical or other provider.
	Screened-Out DA Referral	<p>A cumulative count (and rate) of 51A Reports approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter that did NOT meet the standards for a Departmental response to ensure a child's safety and well-being. Nonetheless, the 51A Report involved (or may have involved) a crime that requires a mandatory (or discretionary) referral to the District Attorney and local law enforcement agency.</p>

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2.	Reponses	<p>A cumulative count of responses approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter. The total may include intakes from the previous quarter and exclude intakes from the current quarter that do not have a completed response. The Department assigns screened-in 51A reports for completion of a 51 B response in accordance with MGL c. 119, § 51 B. Based on the facts gathered during the response, the assessment of parental capacities, the results of the risk assessment tool and clinical judgment, the Response Worker, in consultation with the Supervisor determines:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A finding on the reported allegation(s) or discovered conditions, including a finding on any person(s) responsible; and 2. Whether Department intervention is necessary to safeguard child safety and well-being.
	Supported	<p>A cumulative count (and rate) of 51A Reports approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter with a "Support" finding.</p> <p>A "Support" finding means that there is reasonable cause to believe that a child(ren) was abused and/or neglected; and the actions or inactions by the parent(s)/caregiver(s) place the child(ren) in danger or pose substantial risk to the child(ren)'s safety or well-being; or the person was responsible for the child(ren) being a victim of sexual exploitation or human trafficking.</p> <p>Department intervention is needed to safeguard child(ren) safety and well-being with one of the following results:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a new case is opened; or - when allegations are "supported" on an open case, the information gathered during response is used by the currently assigned Social Worker, in consultation with the Supervisor, to determine if there is a change in risk level to the child(ren) that warrants an update to the family's current Assessment and Service (Action) Plan and/or a change to existing interventions/services. <p>In very limited circumstances, with approval from a manager, the Department may make a finding of "support" and determine that Department intervention is not necessary. For example, the alleged perpetrator was not a family member (e.g., babysitter, bus driver, etc.), and the parent(s)/caregiver(s) has taken necessary action to keep the child safe; or the alleged perpetrator poses no current or potential threat to the reported child(ren), is out of the home, and the parent(s)/caregiver(s) has taken necessary action to keep the child(ren) safe.</p>
	Substantiated Concern	<p>A cumulative count (and rate) of 51A Reports approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter with a "Substantiated Concern" finding.</p> <p>A "Substantiated Concern" finding means that there is reasonable cause to believe that the child was neglected; and the actions or inactions by the parent(s)/caregiver(s) create the potential for abuse or neglect, but there is no immediate danger to the child(ren)'s safety or well-being.</p> <p>Department intervention is needed to safeguard the child(ren)'s safety and well-being with one of the following results:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a new "case" is opened; or - when a substantiated concern is found on an open case, the information gathered during response is used by the currently assigned Social Worker, in consultation with the Supervisor, to determine if there has been a change in risk level to the child(ren) that warrants an update to the family's current Assessment and Service (Action) Plan and/or change to existing interventions/services.
	Unsupported	<p>A cumulative count (and rate) of 51A Reports approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter with an "Unsupport" finding.</p> <p>An "Unsupport" finding means that there is not reasonable cause to believe that a child(ren) was abused and/or neglected, or that the child(ren)'s safety or well-being is being compromised; or the person believed to be responsible for the abuse or neglect was not a caregiver, unless the abuse or neglect involves sexual exploitation or human trafficking where the caregiver distinction is not applied.</p> <p>Department intervention is not needed to safeguard the child(ren)'s safety and well-being.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Department does not open a new "case," but the family may apply for voluntary services from the Department and/or the Department may refer the family for services in the community if needed. - When allegations on an open case are "unsupported," the information gathered during response is used by the currently assigned Social Worker, in consultation with the Supervisor, to determine if there has been a change in risk level to the child(ren) that warrants an update to the family's current Assessment and Service (Action) Plan and/or change to existing interventions/services.

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3.	Percent of Responses Completed on Time	<p>A cumulative count (and rate) of responses approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter where all required response activities and a formal report documenting the response are completed within specified time parameters.</p> <p>Numerator: Count of approved responses completed within specified time parameters.</p> <p>Denominator: Total Count of approved responses.</p>
	Emergency Responses (5 business days)	<p>A cumulative count (and rate) of Emergency Responses approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter where all required response activities and a formal report documenting the response are completed within specified time parameters. Emergency responses must be initiated within two (2) hours and an initial determination of the child's safety must then be made within 24 hours. All required response activities and a formal report documenting the response must be completed within 5 working days.</p> <p>Numerator: Count of approved Emergency Responses completed within specified time parameters.</p> <p>Denominator: Total Count of approved Emergency Responses.</p>
	Non-Emergency Responses (15 business days)	<p>A cumulative count (and rate) of Non-Emergency Responses approved during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter where all required response activities and a formal report documenting the response are completed within specified time parameters. Non-Emergency responses must be initiated within two (2) working days and all required response activities and a formal report documenting the response activities must be completed within 15 working days. In very limited circumstances and with the approval of a manager, the due date for completing a nonemergency response may be extended for up to 5 working days to obtain information critical to the response decision.</p> <p>Numerator: Count of approved Non-Emergency Responses completed within specified time parameters.</p> <p>Denominator: Total Count of approved Non-Emergency Responses.</p>
4.	Recurrence of Maltreatment	<p>Federal Child and Family Service Review (CFSR-R2) safety outcome measure:</p> <p>Of all children who were victims of substantiated or indicated child abuse and/or neglect during the first 6 months of the year (i.e., 12-month period ending with the Quarterly Profile's target quarter), what percentage had another substantiated or indicated report within a 6-month period?</p>
5.	Maltreatment in Foster Care	<p>Federal Child and Family Service Review (CFSR-R2) safety outcome measure:</p> <p>Of all children who were in foster care (i.e., all DCF out-of-home placement) during the year (i.e., 12-month period ending with the Quarterly Profile's target quarter), what percentage were the subject of substantiated or indicated maltreatment by a foster parent or facility staff? The percentage represented on all Region and Area Offices is the Statewide percentage for the quarter.</p>
6.	Maltreatment in Foster Care per 100,000 Bed Days	<p>Federal Child and Family Service Review (CFSR-R3) safety outcome measure:</p> <p>Of all children who were in foster care (i.e., all DCF out-of-home placement) during a 12-month period (i.e., 12-month period ending with the Quarterly Profile's target quarter), what is the rate of victimization (by any perpetrator) per day of foster care (i.e., all DCF out-of-home placement)?</p> <p>This metric is calculated as a rate per 100,000 days of placement.</p>
7.	Consumer Children <18 Pending Response	<p>An unique count of children (i.e., under 18 years-of-age) not otherwise open in a DCF Clinical or Adoption Case who are subjects of DCF Response on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.</p> <p>NOTE: Children who are subjects of a DCF Response who are also open in a DCF Clinical or Adoption Case are NOT in this count. These children would be in "8. Consumer Children <18 in Caseload" counts.</p>

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8.	Consumer Children <18 in Caseload	A unique count of children (i.e., under 18 years-of-age) assigned to a DCF Social Worker in a Clinical or Adoption Case on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
	Consumer Children <18 Not In-Placement	A subset count (and rate) of Consumer Children <18 in Caseload , this is an unique count of children (i.e., under 18 years-of-age) assigned to a DCF Social Worker in a Clinical or Adoption Case on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, who are NOT in an out-of-home placement.
	Consumer Children <18 In-Placement	A subset count (and rate) of Consumer Children <18 in Caseload , this is a unique count of children (i.e., under 18 years-of-age) assigned to a DCF Social Worker in a Clinical or Adoption Case on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, who are in an out-of-home placement.
	Kin Placement Rate for ALL Children <18 in Placement	A subset of Consumer Children <18 In-Placement , this is an unique count (and rate) of ALL Consumer Children <18 In-Placement (placement of any type), who are placed in a Kinship or Child Specific home. NOTE: Kinship and Child-Specific includes biological family members and fictive kin (e.g., neighbors, teachers, coaches, etc.).
	Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC)	
	Kin Placement Rate for Children in Departmental Foster Care	A subset of Consumer Children <18 in Departmental Foster Care (DFC) , this is an unique count (and rate) of Consumer Children <18 in Department Foster Care (DFC) , who are placed with Kin. NOTE: Kin includes biological family members and fictive kin (e.g., neighbors, teachers, coaches, etc.).
9.	Consumer Youth ≥18 in Caseload	A unique count of children of Youth aged 18 and older with a DCF Consumer Role Type of Child, assigned to a DCF Social Worker in a Clinical or Adoption Case on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
10.	Consumer Role Type of Adult in Caseload	A unique count of children of Adults with a DCF Consumer Role Type of Adult, assigned to a DCF Social Worker in a Clinical or Adoption Case on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
11.	Reunifications	A unique count of consumer children reunified (i.e., returned home) within the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
	Reunifications within 12-months of Home Removal	Federal Child and Family Service Review (CFSR-R2) permanency outcome measure: Of all consumer children reunified (i.e., returned home) within the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, the count (and rate) who reunified within 12-months of their most recent Home Removal Episode (HRE).
12.	Clinical Cases	A unique count of Clinical Cases open for services (i.e., open in an assessment or case management) on the last day of the day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
	Clinical Cases - Non Placement	A subset of Clinical Cases , this is an unique count (and rate) of Clinical Cases with NO children <18 years-of-age in DCF out-of-home placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
	Clinical Cases with a Child <18 In-Placement	A subset of Clinical Cases , this is an unique count (and rate) of Clinical Cases with at minimum one child <18 years-of-age in DCF out-of-home placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
13.	Average Clinical Cases Opened per Month	The AVERAGE number of Clinical Cases OPENED each month during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
14.	Average Clinical Cases Closed per Month	The AVERAGE number of Clinical Cases CLOSED each month during the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
15.	Adoption Cases	A unique count of Adoption Cases on the last day of the day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.
16.	Adoptions Legalized	A unique count of consumer children (of any age) with a finalized adoption (i.e., legalization) within the Quarterly Profile's target quarter. NOTE: Adoption counts may be undercounts at time of report production.
	Adoptions Legalized within 24-months of Home Removal	Federal Child and Family Service Review (CFSR-R2) permanency outcome measure: Of all consumer children (of any age) with a finalized adoption (i.e., legalization) within the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, the count (and rate) who were adopted within 24-months of their most recent Home Removal Episode (HRE).

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17.	Guardianships Legalized	An unique count of consumer children (of any age) with a finalized guardianship (i.e., legalization) within the Quarterly Profile's target quarter. NOTE: Guardianship counts may be undercounts at time of report production.
18.	Race	An unique count of children (and rate) of self-reported RACE for ALL Consumers on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18, Adults). NOTE: Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races.
19.	Primary Language	An unique count (and rate) of PRIMARY LANGUAGE for ALL Consumers on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18, Adults).
20.	Most Recent Intake	An unique count (and rate) of MOST RECENT INTAKE type for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).
21.	Placement Type	An unique count (and rate) of PLACEMENT TYPE for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).
	Departmental Foster Care	Foster Care placements provide stability and safety for children/youth that have been brought into the protective care of the state. These foster care placement may be with family or extended family, or through unrelated caretakers who have completed training and are approved as a licensed family resource assigned a DCF social worker.
	DFC Kinship	Persons related by either blood, marriage or adoption (i.e., adult sibling, grandparent, aunt, uncle, first cousin) or significant other adult to whom the child and/or parent(s) ascribe the role of the family based on cultural and affectional ties or individual family values.
	DFC Child Specific	A non-kinship individual(s) is identified and licensed as a placement for a particular child (e.g., school teacher; parent(s) of the placed child's friend). This is a person who the family or child has a strong bond with, and is significant in their life.
	DFC Unrelated	An individual(s) who has been licensed by the Department as a partnership resource to provide foster/pre-adoptive care for a child usually not previously known to the individual(s).
	DFC Pre-Adoptive	A resource that has been identified as the child's family. The person(s) have been approved for the adoption and are licensed adoptive families. The child is required to be in that specific home for a minimum of six months before the adoption can be finalized.
	DFC Independent Living	Services may be provided at either scattered or centralized (e.g. apartment) sites within the community. Staff provides outreach and care coordination to youth and must be available for face-to-face crisis intervention 24 hours a day, seven days a week. This model serves youth 17.5 or older who are not able to be served in a family setting due to their clinical needs, but who are able to live on their own with support; independently manage community access; have attained a sufficient level of independent living skills to enable them to live without on-site staffing; require and are able to utilize staff support to strengthen these independent skills; exhibit a strong level of self-regulation; are enrolled in school or a GED program, or have completed the above and are working or involved in vocational training.
	IFC Contracted	Home based services where the family resource has an assigned worker from the contracted agency. These services are generally provided for children and youth for whom the traditional foster care environment is not suitable or sufficiently supportive.
	Congregate Care Group Home	Placement Services which provide an array of out-of-home treatment services supporting youth and their families (in cases where the families are available) when the youth cannot function safely at home, or in a family setting. Group Home Services provide flexible individualized treatment, rehabilitation, and support/supervision services that vary in intensity based upon individual youth and family needs.
	Congregate Care: Treatment Residence	Four congregate care, out-of-home treatment service models for youth with behavioral needs (moderate to severe) that reflect a lack of self-regulation. Specialized models address a specific need or group (CSEC, intellectual disabilities, Autism Spectrum).
	Congregate Care: Medically Complex Residence	Two congregate care, out-of-home treatment service models for youth with complex medical needs that may include behavioral health challenges which cannot be managed in a home setting due to the need for 24/7 direct skilled nursing or medical equipment. They will have a range of other challenges, which may include sensory impairments, intellectual disabilities, or physical impairments.
	Congregate Care: Residential School	Congregate care, out-of-home treatment services that are integrated with an on-site special education school. Youth receiving residential school services need a self-contained, integrated treatment, and educational program due to severity of behavioral risk to self or others preventing them from safely attending school off-site.

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	Congregate Care: Emergency Residence	Two congregate care, out-of-home treatment service models designed to accept emergency intakes, to provide stabilization and assessments for youth with behavioral needs (moderate to severe) that reflect a lack of self-regulation.
	Congregate Care: Youth and Young Adult	Four congregate care, out-of-home treatment service models for youth and young adults to increase their skill set towards independently managing community access and their behavioral health needs. Youth and young Adult includes a model specifically for pregnant and parenting youth.
	Non Referral Location (e.g., hospitalization, other state agency)	Any location other than home in which a child remains in the custody of DCF, but either does not have or is not utilizing a paid placement service.
	Missing/Absent from Approved Placement	<p>Children are "Missing" from Department Care or custody if their whereabouts are unknown. These include: Children who may have been abducted; Children who may have run away or be "on the run" from a Department placement whose whereabouts are unknown; Children whose whereabouts are unknown whether or not they make periodic contact with the Department or a placement resource; parent(s)/caregiver(s) or custodian, and a child who has come under Department jurisdiction on an emergency basis under MGL c.119, 51B, and the child's whereabouts become unknown before the initial court hearing.</p> <p>Children are "Absent from Approved Placement" if they have left (or run away from) their approved placement or their parent(s)/caregiver(s), but their whereabouts are known and they refuse to return.</p>
22.	Race	<p>An unique count (and rate) of self-reported RACE for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).</p> <p>NOTE: Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races</p>
23.	Age Group	An unique count (and rate) of AGE GROUP ranges for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).
24.	Birth Sex	An unique count (and rate) of self-reported BIRTH SEX for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).
25.	Gender Identity	An unique count (and rate) of self-reported GENDER IDENTITY for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children 3-17, Youth >18). Only Children aged 3-17 are reported in accordance with federal law.
26.	Sexual Orientation	An unique count (and rate) of self-reported SEXUAL ORIENTATION for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children 3-17, Youth >18). Only Children aged 3-17 are reported in accordance with federal law.
27.	Continuous Time in Placement	<p>An unique count (and rate) of CONTINUOUS TIME IN PLACEMENT ranges for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter.</p> <p>The continuous time in placement is calculated from the current Home Removal Episode start date and either the HRE End Date or the Last day of the quarter whichever comes first. Breaks in service of less than 30 days are considered continuous and all days in placement are summed together by child, the days out of placement are not included in the sum. Counts are stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18). A child may have multiple placements during this period if the break in service is greater than 30 days, or there are multiple HRE's within the period.</p>
28.	Permanency Plan	An unique count (and rate) of PERMANENCY PLAN for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).

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29.	688 & Interim Placement Policy	<p>Count of 688 IN-PLACEMENT & INTERIM PLACEMENT POLICY PROGRAM classification for Consumer Children and Youth In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).</p> <p>- 688 In-Placement: A subset (i.e., already included in the overall count) of Consumer Children <18 In-Placement, this is a unique count of children eligible for Chapter 688 services. To be eligible for Chapter 688 services, a person must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Be receiving special education paid for by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 2) Need continuing habilitative services at the time of turning 22, or graduating from special education, and 3) Be unable to work competitively (without specialized supports) for more than 20 hours per week at the time of leaving school. <p>An individual is automatically eligible for Chapter 688 if receiving SSI, SSDI, or registered with the Massachusetts Commission for the Blind. A student may also be eligible if they have been receiving services through DCF and have an active IEP. The student must still be in High School and a current registered student. Once the student graduates or turns 22 (whichever comes 1st), the 688 entitlements end. If the student moves out of Massachusetts, leaves school, or declines 688 planning, the 688 entitlements end.</p> <p>- Interim Placement Policy Program: Children/youth case managed by the Department of Developmental Services (DDS) requiring out-of-home services beyond respite level-of-care. While these children/youth do not present with protective concerns, DCF serves as a conduit for accessing placement funds through the Local Educational Agencies (LEA). The counts represented on all Region and Area Offices is the Statewide totals for the quarter.</p>
30.	Most Recent Intake	<p>An unique count (and rate) of MOST RECENT INTAKE type for Consumer Children and Youth NOT In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).</p>
31.	Race	<p>An unique count (and rate) of self-reported RACE for Consumer Children and Youth NOT In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).</p> <p>NOTE: Hispanic/Latino/Latina includes all races</p>
32.	Age Group	<p>An unique count (and rate) of AGE GROUP ranges for Consumer Children and Youth NOT In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).</p>
33.	Birth Sex	<p>An unique count (and rate) of self-reported BIRTH SEX for Consumer Children and Youth NOT In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).</p>
34.	Gender Identity	<p>An unique count (and rate) of self-reported GENDER IDENTITY for Consumer Children and Youth NOT In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children 3-17, Youth >18). Only Children aged 3-17 are reported in accordance with federal law.</p>
35.	Sexual Orientation	<p>An unique count (and rate) of self-reported SEXUAL ORIENTATION for Consumer Children and Youth NOT In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children 3-17, Youth >18). Only Children aged 3-17 are reported in accordance with federal law.</p>
36.	Permanency Plan	<p>An unique count (and rate) of PERMANENCY PLAN for Consumer Children and Youth NOT In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).</p>

#	MA DCF Quarterly Profile Report Metric	Description
37.	688 Not In-Placement	<p>Count of 688 NOT IN-PLACEMENT classification for Consumer Children and Youth <u>NOT</u> In-Placement on the last day of the Quarterly Profile's target quarter, stratified by age category (i.e., Children <18, Youth ≥18).</p> <p>- 688 Not In-Placement: A subset (i.e., already included in the overall count) of Consumer Children <18 <u>NOT</u> In-Placement, this is a count (and rate) of children eligible for Chapter 688 services. To be eligible for Chapter 688 services, a person must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Be receiving special education paid for by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts,2) Need continuing habilitative services at the time of turning 22, or graduating from special education, and3) Be unable to work competitively (without specialized supports) for more than 20 hours per week at the time of leaving school. <p>An individual is automatically eligible for Chapter 688 if receiving SSI, SSDI, or registered with the Massachusetts Commission for the Blind. A student may also be eligible if they have been receiving services through DCF and have an active IEP. The student must still be in High School and a current registered student. Once the student graduates or turns 22 (whichever comes 1st), the 688 entitlements end. If the student moves out of Massachusetts, leaves school, or declines 688 planning, the 688 entitlements end.</p>