

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES ANNUAL PROFILE

Statewide Totals		<i>(statewide statistics are based on regional offices and contracted agencies data)</i>			
51A Reports (CY'2013)	83,473			Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	37,714
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	34%			Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	7,677
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	21%			% of Child Caseload in Placement	20%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	22,587			Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	20,842
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	64%			Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	1,694
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	15,490			Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement	3,995
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	48%			(12/31/2013)	
				% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	1,515			Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	815
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	1,389			Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	345
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	32,840	44%	Spanish	4,651	6%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	19,301	26%	Khmer (Cambodian)	146	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	10,633	14%	Portuguese	302	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1,020	1%	Haitian Creole	359	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	145	*	Cape Verdean Creole	281	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	27	*	Vietnamese	98	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	2,127	3%	Chinese	52	*
Unable to Determine	3,011	4%	Lao	16	*
Missing	6,286	8%	American Sign Language	46	*
Total Consumers	75,390	100%	Other	1,168	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	68,271	91%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	75,390	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	6,424	84%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,538	20%
Alternative Response	472	6%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,199	16%
Voluntary Request	254	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	1,737	23%
CHINS Referral	299	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	3,202	42%
Court Referral	201	3%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	27	*	Total Children in Placement	7,677	100%
Total Children in Placement	7,677	100%			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	2,036	27%	.5 Years or Less	2,356	31%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	368	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	1,520	20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	1,812	24%	>1 Year - 2 Years	1,715	22%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	417	5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	1,294	17%
Foster Care - Independent Living	5	*	>4 Years	792	10%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	1,422	19%	Total Children in Placement	7,677	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	659	9%			
Congregate Care - Residential	393	5%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	320	4%	Male	4,065	53%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	10	*	Female	3,612	47%
Non-Referral Location	135	2%	Total Children in Placement	7,677	100%
"On Run" from Placement	100	1%			
Total Children in Placement	7,677	100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Race (12/31/2013)					
White ⁽¹⁾	3,615	47%	Family Reunification	3,306	43%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,983	26%	Adoption	2,233	29%
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,059	14%	Guardianship	639	8%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	86	1%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	492	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	14	*	Permanent Care with Kin	436	6%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Stabilize Intact Family	324	4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	532	7%	Unspecified as of run-date	247	3%
Unable to Determine	387	5%	Total Children in Placement	7,677	100%
Total Children in Placement	7,677	100%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	19,348	64%	0 - 2 Years Old	6,104	20%
Alternative Response	8,579	29%	3 - 5 Years Old	5,439	18%
Voluntary Request	551	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	9,735	32%
CHINS Referral	996	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	8,756	29%
Court Referral	507	2%	Unspecified	3	*
Other/Unspecified	56	*	Total Children Not in Placement	30,037	100%
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DCF Region: West		<i>(regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies data)</i>			
51A Reports (CY'2013)	22,167			Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	15,722
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	30%			Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	2,983
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	25%			% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	6,806			Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	8,137
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	66%			Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	652
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	5,840			Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	1,503
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	51%			% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	574			Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	331
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	520			Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	126
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	13,780	45%	Spanish	2,095	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	9,493	31%	Khmer (Cambodian)	2	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	2,673	9%	Portuguese	38	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	167	1%	Haitian Creole	19	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	42	*	Cape Verdean Creole	4	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	14	*	Vietnamese	26	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	747	2%	Chinese	6	*
Unable to Determine	1,141	4%	Lao	5	*
Missing	2,828	9%	American Sign Language	17	*
Total Consumers	30,885	100%	Other	526	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	28,147	91%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	30,885	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	2,533	85%	0 - 2 Years Old	595	20%
Alternative Response	168	6%	3 - 5 Years Old	491	16%
Voluntary Request	104	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	695	23%
CHINS Referral	97	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	1,202	40%
Court Referral	74	2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	7	*	Total Children in Placement	2,983	100%
Total Children in Placement	2,983	100%			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	793	27%	.5 Years or Less	938	31%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	172	6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	621	21%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	745	25%	>1 Year - 2 Years	659	22%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	182	6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	481	16%
Foster Care - Independent Living	3	*	>4 Years	284	10%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	531	18%	Total Children in Placement	2,983	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	244	8%			
Congregate Care - Residential	100	3%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	116	4%	Male	1,555	52%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	*	Female	1,428	48%
Non-Referral Location	56	2%	Total Children in Placement	2,983	100%
"On Run" from Placement	39	1%			
Total Children in Placement	2,983	100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Race (12/31/2013)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,460	49%	Adoption	1,303	44%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	918	31%	Guardianship	901	30%
Black ⁽¹⁾	259	9%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	214	7%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	10	*	Permanent Care with Kin	158	5%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5	*	Stabilize Intact Family	150	5%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Unspecified as of run-date	100	3%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	175	6%	Total Children in Placement	2,983	100%
Unable to Determine	156	5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	2,983	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	8,133	64%	0 - 2 Years Old	2,610	20%
Alternative Response	3,911	31%	3 - 5 Years Old	2,389	19%
Voluntary Request	236	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	4,136	32%
CHINS Referral	257	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	3,604	28%
Court Referral	178	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	24	*	Total Children Not in Placement	12,739	100%
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DCF Region: West		DCF Area Office: Greenfield	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,065	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,145
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	20%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	319
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	30%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	28%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	378	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	663
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	61%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	69
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	633	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	159
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	51%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	24%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	41	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	30
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	40	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	10

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,483	62%	Spanish	66	3%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	307	13%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	107	4%	Portuguese	---	---
Asian ⁽¹⁾	12	*	Haitian Creole	---	---
Native American ⁽¹⁾	4	*	Cape Verdean Creole	2	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	55	2%	Chinese	2	*
Unable to Determine	105	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	332	14%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	2,405	100%	Other	72	3%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,262	94%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,405	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	257	81%	0 - 2 Years Old	51	16%
Alternative Response	29	9%	3 - 5 Years Old	54	17%
Voluntary Request	14	4%	6 - 11 Years Old	80	25%
CHINS Referral	12	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	134	42%
Court Referral	6	2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children in Placement	319	100%
Total Children in Placement	319	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	83	26%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	68	21%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	39	12%	>1 Year - 2 Years	83	26%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	73	23%	>2 Years - 4 Years	48	15%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	28	9%	>4 Years	24	8%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	319	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	44	14%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	19	6%	Male	171	54%
Congregate Care - Residential	12	4%	Female	148	46%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	13	4%	Total Children in Placement	319	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	6	2%	Family Reunification	118	37%
"On Run" from Placement	2	1%	Adoption	102	32%
Total Children in Placement	319	100%	Guardianship	15	5%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	21	7%
White ⁽¹⁾	217	68%	Permanent Care with Kin	22	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	36	11%	Stabilize Intact Family	19	6%
Black ⁽¹⁾	19	6%	Unspecified as of run-date	22	7%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Total Children in Placement	319	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	21	7%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	24	8%			
Total Children in Placement	319	100%			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	451	55%	0 - 2 Years Old	156	19%
Alternative Response	320	39%	3 - 5 Years Old	184	22%
Voluntary Request	26	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	237	29%
CHINS Referral	18	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	249	30%
Court Referral	9	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	*	Total Children Not in Placement	826	100%
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DCF Region: West			DCF Area Office: Holyoke		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,396		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,232	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	35%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	254	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	19%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	842		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	669	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	50%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	49	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	472		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	134	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	48%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	42		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	51	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	45		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	17	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	879	35%	Spanish	308	12%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,139	46%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	109	4%	Portuguese	---	---
Asian ⁽¹⁾	11	*	Haitian Creole	---	---
Native American ⁽¹⁾	8	*	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	2	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	18	1%	Chinese	1	*
Unable to Determine	96	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	227	9%	American Sign Language	---	---
Total Consumers	2,488	100%	Other	52	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,124	85%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,488	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	229	90%	0 - 2 Years Old	44	17%
Alternative Response	8	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	49	19%
Voluntary Request	3	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	56	22%
CHINS Referral	8	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	105	41%
Court Referral	4	2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	1%	Total Children in Placement	254	100%
Total Children in Placement	254	100%			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	66	26%	.5 Years or Less	60	24%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	11	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	66	26%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	68	27%	>1 Year - 2 Years	43	17%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	15	6%	>2 Years - 4 Years	45	18%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	>4 Years	40	16%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	40	16%	Total Children in Placement	254	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	25	10%			
Congregate Care - Residential	11	4%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	11	4%	Male	138	54%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Female	116	46%
Non-Referral Location	5	2%	Total Children in Placement	254	100%
"On Run" from Placement	2	1%			
Total Children in Placement	254	100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Race (12/31/2013)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	87	34%	Adoption	108	43%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	135	53%	Guardianship	66	26%
Black ⁽¹⁾	15	6%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	27	11%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Permanent Care with Kin	17	7%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Stabilize Intact Family	12	5%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Unspecified as of run-date	5	2%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	5	2%	Total Children in Placement	254	100%
Unable to Determine	12	5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	254	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	665	68%	0 - 2 Years Old	216	22%
Alternative Response	275	28%	3 - 5 Years Old	209	21%
Voluntary Request	14	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	293	30%
CHINS Referral	6	1%	12 - 17 Years Old	260	27%
Court Referral	16	2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	*	Total Children Not in Placement	978	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	978	100%			

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DCF Region: West			DCF Area Office: North Central		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,417		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	2,467	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	33%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	410	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	25%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	17%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	849		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	1,240	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	73%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	92	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	666		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	202	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	64%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	90		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	32	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	67		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	31	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	2,609	53%	Spanish	299	6%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,276	26%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	236	5%	Portuguese	8	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	43	1%	Haitian Creole	4	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	8	*	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	138	3%	Chinese	2	*
Unable to Determine	148	3%	Lao	3	*
Missing	448	9%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	4,908	100%	Other	69	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	4,521	92%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	4,908	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	353	86%	0 - 2 Years Old	101	25%
Alternative Response	25	6%	3 - 5 Years Old	74	18%
Voluntary Request	15	4%	6 - 11 Years Old	99	24%
CHINS Referral	5	1%	12 - 17 Years Old	136	33%
Court Referral	12	3%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	410	100%
Total Children in Placement	410	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	158	39%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	95	23%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	13	3%	>1 Year - 2 Years	101	25%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	103	25%	>2 Years - 4 Years	38	9%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	28	7%	>4 Years	32	8%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	410	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	41	10%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	32	8%	Male	216	53%
Congregate Care - Residential	4	1%	Female	194	47%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	20	5%	Total Children in Placement	410	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	6	1%	Family Reunification	213	52%
"On Run" from Placement	5	1%	Adoption	121	30%
Total Children in Placement	410	100%	Guardianship	21	5%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	13	3%
White ⁽¹⁾	234	57%	Permanent Care with Kin	10	2%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	117	29%	Stabilize Intact Family	15	4%
Black ⁽¹⁾	16	4%	Unspecified as of run-date	17	4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	1%	Total Children in Placement	410	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	24	6%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	15	4%			
Total Children in Placement	410	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	1,265	61%	0 - 2 Years Old	413	20%
Alternative Response	671	33%	3 - 5 Years Old	438	21%
Voluntary Request	84	4%	6 - 11 Years Old	678	33%
CHINS Referral	7	*	12 - 17 Years Old	528	26%
Court Referral	28	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	*	Total Children Not in Placement	2,057	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	2,057	100%			

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DCF Region: West		DCF Area Office: Pittsfield	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	3,020	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,066
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	22%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	336
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	25%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	32%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	548	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	618
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	61%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	86
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	648	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	157
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	25%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	25%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	40	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	33
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	41	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	17

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)			
Race (12/31/2013)		Primary Language (12/31/2013)	
White ⁽¹⁾	1,415 66%	Spanish	11 1%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	141 7%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1 *
Black ⁽¹⁾	164 8%	Portuguese	1 *
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2 *	Haitian Creole	---
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Cape Verdean Creole	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	Vietnamese	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	144 7%	Chinese	---
Unable to Determine	59 3%	Lao	---
Missing	227 11%	American Sign Language	2 *
Total Consumers	2,153 100%	Other	31 1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	2,107 98%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	2,153 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	272 81%	0 - 2 Years Old	61 18%
Alternative Response	22 7%	3 - 5 Years Old	65 19%
Voluntary Request	23 7%	6 - 11 Years Old	89 26%
CHINS Referral	5 1%	12 - 17 Years Old	121 36%
Court Referral	14 4%	Unspecified	---
Other/Unspecified	---	Total Children in Placement	336 100%
Total Children in Placement	336 100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)	
Placement Type (12/31/2013)		.5 Years or Less	
Foster Care - Kinship	115 34%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	75 22%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	25 7%	>1 Year - 2 Years	95 28%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	86 26%	>2 Years - 4 Years	53 16%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	16 5%	>4 Years	15 4%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	Total Children in Placement	336 100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	38 11%	Gender (12/31/2013)	
Congregate Care - Group Home	28 8%	Male	165 49%
Congregate Care - Residential	9 3%	Female	171 51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	11 3%	Total Children in Placement	336 100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1 *	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)	
Non-Referral Location	3 1%	Family Reunification	137 41%
"On Run" from Placement	4 1%	Adoption	119 35%
Total Children in Placement	336 100%	Guardianship	43 13%
Race (12/31/2013)		APPLA ⁽¹⁾	14 4%
White ⁽¹⁾	211 63%	Permanent Care with Kin	11 3%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	36 11%	Stabilize Intact Family	7 2%
Black ⁽¹⁾	10 3%	Unspecified as of run-date	5 1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	Total Children in Placement	336 100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	55 16%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
Unable to Determine	24 7%		
Total Children in Placement	336 100%		

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	527 72%	0 - 2 Years Old	172 24%
Alternative Response	162 22%	3 - 5 Years Old	151 21%
Voluntary Request	18 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	233 32%
CHINS Referral	8 1%	12 - 17 Years Old	174 24%
Court Referral	12 2%	Unspecified	---
Other/Unspecified	3 *	Total Children Not in Placement	730 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	730 100%		

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DCF Region: West			DCF Area Office: Robert Van Wart		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,964		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	2,396	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	16%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	328	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	30%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	14%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	526		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	1,243	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	86%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	75	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	979		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	172	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	60%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	14%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	88		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	46	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	82		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	17	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	2,019	43%	Spanish	218	5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,438	31%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	452	10%	Portuguese	3	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	15	*	Haitian Creole	2	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	6	*	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	6	*	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	95	2%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	212	5%	Lao	1	*
Missing	465	10%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	4,708	100%	Other	60	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	4,423	94%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	4,708	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	276	84%	0 - 2 Years Old	64	20%
Alternative Response	30	9%	3 - 5 Years Old	59	18%
Voluntary Request	4	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	70	21%
CHINS Referral	12	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	135	41%
Court Referral	5	2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children in Placement	328	100%
Total Children in Placement	328	100%			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	56	17%	.5 Years or Less	105	32%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	12	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	66	20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	76	23%	>1 Year - 2 Years	78	24%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	24	7%	>2 Years - 4 Years	47	14%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	>4 Years	32	10%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	70	21%	Total Children in Placement	328	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	39	12%			
Congregate Care - Residential	16	5%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	14	4%	Male	161	49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Female	167	51%
Non-Referral Location	15	5%	Total Children in Placement	328	100%
"On Run" from Placement	5	2%			
Total Children in Placement	328	100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
			Family Reunification	131	40%
Race (12/31/2013)			Adoption	95	29%
White ⁽¹⁾	159	48%	Guardianship	27	8%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	104	32%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	19	6%
Black ⁽¹⁾	27	8%	Permanent Care with Kin	17	5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Stabilize Intact Family	32	10%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Unspecified as of run-date	7	2%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Total Children in Placement	328	100%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	18	5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Unable to Determine	19	6%			
Total Children in Placement	328	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	1,115	54%	0 - 2 Years Old	433	21%
Alternative Response	901	44%	3 - 5 Years Old	389	19%
Voluntary Request	6	*	6 - 11 Years Old	678	33%
CHINS Referral	34	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	568	27%
Court Referral	12	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children Not in Placement	2,068	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	2,068	100%			

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DCF Region: West			DCF Area Office: South Central		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,542		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,560	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	30%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	298	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	33%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	729		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	847	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	67%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	76	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	851		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	136	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	51%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	66		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	29	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	57		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	6	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,997	63%	Spanish	153	5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	560	18%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	69	2%	Portuguese	10	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	8	*	Haitian Creole	---	---
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Vietnamese	6	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	67	2%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	82	3%	Lao	1	*
Missing	375	12%	American Sign Language	4	*
Total Consumers	3,163	100%	Other	44	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,945	93%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	3,163	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	252	85%	0 - 2 Years Old	70	23%
Alternative Response	23	8%	3 - 5 Years Old	44	15%
Voluntary Request	16	5%	6 - 11 Years Old	72	24%
CHINS Referral	7	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	112	38%
Court Referral	---	---	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	298	100%
Total Children in Placement	298	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	90	30%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	59	20%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	19	6%	>1 Year - 2 Years	78	26%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	83	28%	>2 Years - 4 Years	48	16%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	29	10%	>4 Years	31	10%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	298	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	29	10%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	24	8%	Male	155	52%
Congregate Care - Residential	12	4%	Female	143	48%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	9	3%	Total Children in Placement	298	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	3	1%	Family Reunification	112	38%
"On Run" from Placement	---	---	Adoption	109	37%
Total Children in Placement	298	100%	Guardianship	31	10%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	13	4%
White ⁽¹⁾	213	71%	Permanent Care with Kin	15	5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	52	17%	Stabilize Intact Family	10	3%
Black ⁽¹⁾	10	3%	Unspecified as of run-date	8	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	1%	Total Children in Placement	298	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	7	2%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	14	5%			
Total Children in Placement	298	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	720	57%	0 - 2 Years Old	239	19%
Alternative Response	467	37%	3 - 5 Years Old	208	16%
Voluntary Request	25	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	426	34%
CHINS Referral	39	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	389	31%
Court Referral	10	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,262	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,262	100%			

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DCF Region: West		DCF Area Office: Springfield	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,816	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	2,582
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	38%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	377
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	25%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	15%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	1,123	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	1,190
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	70%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	80
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	788	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	186
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	50%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	16%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	95	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	42
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	82	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	8

Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	610	13%	Spanish	625	13%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	2,543	53%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	914	19%	Portuguese	4	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	10	*	Haitian Creole	---	---
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Cape Verdean Creole	2	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	3	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	55	1%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	209	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	460	10%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	4,804	100%	Other	62	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	4,106	85%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	4,804	100%

18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	328	87%	0 - 2 Years Old	67	18%
Alternative Response	13	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	57	15%
Voluntary Request	10	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	81	21%
CHINS Referral	22	6%	12 - 17 Years Old	172	46%
Court Referral	2	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	1%	Total Children in Placement	377	100%
Total Children in Placement	377	100%			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	69	18%	.5 Years or Less	99	26%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	22	6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	66	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	83	22%	>1 Year - 2 Years	81	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	20	5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	79	21%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	>4 Years	52	14%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	113	30%	Total Children in Placement	377	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	24	6%			
Congregate Care - Residential	20	5%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	10	3%	Male	196	52%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	0%	Female	181	48%
Non-Referral Location	4	1%	Total Children in Placement	377	100%
"On Run" from Placement	10	3%			
Total Children in Placement	377	100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Race (12/31/2013)			Family Reunification	146	39%
White ⁽¹⁾	76	20%	Adoption	125	33%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	181	48%	Guardianship	21	6%
Black ⁽¹⁾	88	23%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	20	5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Permanent Care with Kin	23	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Stabilize Intact Family	19	5%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Unspecified as of run-date	23	6%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	11	3%	Total Children in Placement	377	100%
Unable to Determine	21	6%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	377	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		

3 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	1,457	66%	0 - 2 Years Old	477	22%
Alternative Response	680	31%	3 - 5 Years Old	363	16%
Voluntary Request	7	*	6 - 11 Years Old	694	31%
CHINS Referral	51	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	671	30%
Court Referral	6	*	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	4	*	Total Children Not in Placement	2,205	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	2,205	100%			

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DCF Region: West			DCF Area Office: Worcester East		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,980		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,757	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	45%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	376	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	16%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	934		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	878	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	65%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	70	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	342		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	197	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	35%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	22%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	58		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	33	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	50		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	8	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,452	44%	Spanish	251	8%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,206	36%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	330	10%	Portuguese	5	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	23	1%	Haitian Creole	10	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5	*	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Vietnamese	6	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	94	3%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	99	3%	Lao	---	---
Missing	96	3%	American Sign Language	5	*
Total Consumers	3,307	100%	Other	68	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,962	90%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	3,307	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	334	89%	0 - 2 Years Old	71	19%
Alternative Response	6	2%	3 - 5 Years Old	53	14%
Voluntary Request	9	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	88	23%
CHINS Referral	12	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	164	44%
Court Referral	14	4%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children in Placement	376	100%
Total Children in Placement	376	100%			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	93	25%	.5 Years or Less	142	38%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	15	4%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	88	23%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	91	24%	>1 Year - 2 Years	47	13%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	13	3%	>2 Years - 4 Years	67	18%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	>4 Years	32	9%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	89	24%	Total Children in Placement	376	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	37	10%			
Congregate Care - Residential	8	2%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	17	5%	Male	197	52%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Female	179	48%
Non-Referral Location	9	2%	Total Children in Placement	376	100%
"On Run" from Placement	4	1%			
Total Children in Placement	376	100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Race (12/31/2013)			Family Reunification		
White ⁽¹⁾	141	38%	Adoption	203	54%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	157	42%	Guardianship	86	23%
Black ⁽¹⁾	44	12%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	10	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	1%	Permanent Care with Kin	23	6%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Stabilize Intact Family	24	6%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Unspecified as of run-date	25	7%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	19	5%	Total Children in Placement	376	100%
Unable to Determine	11	3%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	376	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	1,059	77%	0 - 2 Years Old	268	19%
Alternative Response	173	13%	3 - 5 Years Old	236	17%
Voluntary Request	41	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	472	34%
CHINS Referral	52	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	405	29%
Court Referral	50	4%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	6	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,381	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,381	100%			

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DCF Region: West			DCF Area Office: Worcester West		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,967		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,500	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	42%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	280	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	20%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	868		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	779	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	67%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	55	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	461		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	155	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	65%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	53		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	35	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	55		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	12	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,305	45%	Spanish	164	6%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	878	30%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	286	10%	Portuguese	7	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	43	1%	Haitian Creole	3	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5	*	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	9	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	78	3%	Chinese	1	*
Unable to Determine	128	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	189	6%	American Sign Language	---	---
Total Consumers	2,912	100%	Other	68	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,660	91%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,912	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	228	81%	0 - 2 Years Old	65	23%
Alternative Response	12	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	36	13%
Voluntary Request	10	4%	6 - 11 Years Old	59	21%
CHINS Referral	13	5%	12 - 17 Years Old	120	43%
Court Referral	17	6%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	280	100%
Total Children in Placement	280	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	61	22%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	37	13%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	16	6%	>1 Year - 2 Years	52	19%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	82	29%	>2 Years - 4 Years	55	20%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	9	3%	>4 Years	26	9%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	Total Children in Placement	280	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	65	23%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	16	6%	Male	155	55%
Congregate Care - Residential	7	3%	Female	125	45%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	11	4%	Total Children in Placement	280	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	5	2%	Family Reunification	131	47%
"On Run" from Placement	7	3%	Adoption	77	28%
Total Children in Placement	280	100%	Guardianship	19	7%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	15	5%
White ⁽¹⁾	120	43%	Permanent Care with Kin	19	7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	99	35%	Stabilize Intact Family	11	4%
Black ⁽¹⁾	30	11%	Unspecified as of run-date	8	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Total Children in Placement	280	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	15	5%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	14	5%			
Total Children in Placement	280	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	863	71%	0 - 2 Years Old	232	19%
Alternative Response	262	21%	3 - 5 Years Old	209	17%
Voluntary Request	15	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	423	35%
CHINS Referral	41	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	356	29%
Court Referral	35	3%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	4	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,220	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,220	100%			

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DCF Region: North		<i>(regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies data)</i>			
51A Reports (CY'2013)	14,434		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	7,070	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	21%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	1,496	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	23%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	3,176		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	4,199	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	60%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	312	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	3,862		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	850	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	48%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	305		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	155	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	292		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	51	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)		Primary Language (12/31/2013)			
White ⁽¹⁾	6,476 45%	Spanish	918	6%	
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	4,008 28%	Khmer (Cambodian)	129	1%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,340 9%	Portuguese	113	1%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	505 4%	Haitian Creole	98	1%	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	15 *	Cape Verdean Creole	15	*	
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	5 *	Vietnamese	15	*	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	408 3%	Chinese	14	*	
Unable to Determine	573 4%	Lao	10	*	
Missing	1,045 7%	American Sign Language	13	*	
Total Consumers	14,375 100%	Other	189	1%	
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	12,861	89%	
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	14,375	100%	
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)			
Protective	1,213 81%	0 - 2 Years Old	280	19%	
Alternative Response	118 8%	3 - 5 Years Old	204	14%	
Voluntary Request	44 3%	6 - 11 Years Old	298	20%	
CHINS Referral	54 4%	12 - 17 Years Old	713	48%	
Court Referral	64 4%	Unspecified	1	*	
Other/Unspecified	3 *	Total Children in Placement	1,496	100%	
Total Children in Placement	1,496 100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)		.5 Years or Less	448	30%	
Foster Care - Kinship	315 21%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	277	19%	
Foster Care - Child-Specific	60 4%	>1 Year - 2 Years	311	21%	
Foster Care - Unrestricted	358 24%	>2 Years - 4 Years	274	18%	
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	52 3%	>4 Years	186	12%	
Foster Care - Independent Living	1 *	Total Children in Placement	1,496	100%	
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	341 23%	Gender (12/31/2013)			
Congregate Care - Group Home	148 10%	Male	811	54%	
Congregate Care - Residential	101 7%	Female	685	46%	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	68 5%	Total Children in Placement	1,496	100%	
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	3 0%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)			
Non-Referral Location	33 2%	Family Reunification	615	41%	
"On Run" from Placement	16 1%	Adoption	392	26%	
Total Children in Placement	1,496 100%	Guardianship	142	9%	
Race (12/31/2013)		APPLA ⁽¹⁾	126	8%	
White ⁽¹⁾	696 47%	Permanent Care with Kin	122	8%	
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	477 32%	Stabilize Intact Family	49	3%	
Black ⁽¹⁾	121 8%	Unspecified as of run-date	50	3%	
Asian ⁽¹⁾	41 3%	Total Children in Placement	1,496	100%	
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement			
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.			
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	100 7%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off			
Unable to Determine	61 4%				
Total Children in Placement	1,496 100%				
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)			
Protective	3,144 56%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,081	19%	
Alternative Response	1,858 33%	3 - 5 Years Old	977	18%	
Voluntary Request	160 3%	6 - 11 Years Old	1,808	32%	
CHINS Referral	249 4%	12 - 17 Years Old	1,708	31%	
Court Referral	144 3%	Unspecified	---	---	
Other/Unspecified	19 *	Total Children Not in Placement	5,574	100%	
Total Children Not in Placement	5,574 100%				

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DCF Region: North		DCF Area Office: Cambridge	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,144	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	682
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	23%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	107
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	30%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	16%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	272	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	422
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	56%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	18
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	439	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	77
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	46%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	34	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	8
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	32	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	5

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)			
Race (12/31/2013)		Primary Language (12/31/2013)	
White ⁽¹⁾	599 43%	Spanish	94 7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	284 20%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1 *
Black ⁽¹⁾	307 22%	Portuguese	8 1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	22 2%	Haitian Creole	35 3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3 *	Cape Verdean Creole	6 *
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	Vietnamese	1 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	45 3%	Chinese	1 *
Unable to Determine	66 5%	Lao	---
Missing	66 5%	American Sign Language	2 *
Total Consumers	1,392 100%	Other	23 2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	1,221 88%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	1,392 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	86 80%	0 - 2 Years Old	14 13%
Alternative Response	11 10%	3 - 5 Years Old	18 17%
Voluntary Request	6 6%	6 - 11 Years Old	15 14%
CHINS Referral	2 2%	12 - 17 Years Old	60 56%
Court Referral	2 2%	Unspecified	---
Other/Unspecified	---	Total Children in Placement	107 100%
Total Children in Placement	107 100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)	
Placement Type (12/31/2013)		.5 Years or Less	
Foster Care - Kinship	14 13%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	10 9%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	9 8%	>1 Year - 2 Years	15 14%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	17 16%	>2 Years - 4 Years	29 27%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	4 4%	>4 Years	12 11%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	Total Children in Placement	107 100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	20 19%	Gender (12/31/2013)	
Congregate Care - Group Home	15 14%	Male	58 54%
Congregate Care - Residential	13 12%	Female	49 46%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	8 7%	Total Children in Placement	107 100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1 1%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)	
Non-Referral Location	4 4%	Family Reunification	44 41%
"On Run" from Placement	2 2%	Adoption	18 17%
Total Children in Placement	107 100%	Guardianship	9 8%
Race (12/31/2013)		APPLA ⁽¹⁾	8 7%
White ⁽¹⁾	42 39%	Permanent Care with Kin	20 19%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	29 27%	Stabilize Intact Family	5 5%
Black ⁽¹⁾	19 18%	Unspecified as of run-date	3 3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2 2%	Total Children in Placement	107 100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	11 10%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
Unable to Determine	4 4%		
Total Children in Placement	107 100%		

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	307 53%	0 - 2 Years Old	113 20%
Alternative Response	241 42%	3 - 5 Years Old	101 18%
Voluntary Request	17 3%	6 - 11 Years Old	179 31%
CHINS Referral	2 *	12 - 17 Years Old	182 32%
Court Referral	5 1%	Unspecified	---
Other/Unspecified	3 1%	Total Children Not in Placement	575 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	575 100%		

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DCF Region: North		DCF Area Office: Cape Ann	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,973	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	840
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	14%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	151
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	32%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	329	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	587
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	60%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	---
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	683	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	120
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	41%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	42	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	10
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	41	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	8

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,132	61%	Spanish	46	2%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	331	18%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	107	6%	Portuguese	9	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Haitian Creole	2	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	5	*	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	48	3%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	74	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	161	9%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	1,862	100%	Other	11	1%
			English/Unspecified	1,793	96%
			Total Consumers	1,862	100%

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

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	104	69%	0 - 2 Years Old	19	13%
Alternative Response	34	23%	3 - 5 Years Old	19	13%
Voluntary Request	4	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	26	17%
CHINS Referral	2	1%	12 - 17 Years Old	87	58%
Court Referral	7	5%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	151	100%
Total Children in Placement	151	100%			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	35	23%	.5 Years or Less	53	35%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	8	5%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	27	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	32	21%	>1 Year - 2 Years	34	23%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	---	---	>2 Years - 4 Years	17	11%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	>4 Years	20	13%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	34	23%	Total Children in Placement	151	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	22	15%			
Congregate Care - Residential	7	5%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	5	3%	Male	89	59%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Female	62	41%
Non-Referral Location	8	5%	Total Children in Placement	151	100%
"On Run" from Placement	---	---			
Total Children in Placement	151	100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Race (12/31/2013)			Family Reunification	89	59%
White ⁽¹⁾	113	75%	Adoption	1	1%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	18	12%	Guardianship	16	11%
Black ⁽¹⁾	9	6%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	24	16%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	1%	Permanent Care with Kin	18	12%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Stabilize Intact Family	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Unspecified as of run-date	3	2%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	5	3%	Total Children in Placement	151	100%
Unable to Determine	5	3%			
Total Children in Placement	151	100%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
			Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	294	43%	0 - 2 Years Old	108	16%
Alternative Response	312	45%	3 - 5 Years Old	127	18%
Voluntary Request	26	4%	6 - 11 Years Old	220	32%
CHINS Referral	4	1%	12 - 17 Years Old	234	34%
Court Referral	53	8%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children Not in Placement	689	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	689	100%			

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DCF Region: North			DCF Area Office: Framingham		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,783		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	907	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	10%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	153	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	29%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	17%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	200		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	534	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	70%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	40	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	612		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	80	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	67%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	15%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	44		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	24	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	38		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	5	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	893	50%	Spanish	93	5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	431	24%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	127	7%	Portuguese	64	4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	13	1%	Haitian Creole	4	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Cape Verdean Creole	2	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	2	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	39	2%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	105	6%	Lao	---	---
Missing	172	10%	American Sign Language	3	*
Total Consumers	1,781	100%	Other	23	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,590	89%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	1,781	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	117	76%	0 - 2 Years Old	32	21%
Alternative Response	11	7%	3 - 5 Years Old	20	13%
Voluntary Request	2	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	30	20%
CHINS Referral	10	7%	12 - 17 Years Old	71	46%
Court Referral	12	8%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	1	1%	Total Children in Placement	153	100%
Total Children in Placement	153	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	21	14%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	31	20%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	7	5%	>1 Year - 2 Years	43	28%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	44	29%	>2 Years - 4 Years	26	17%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	7	5%	>4 Years	13	8%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	153	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	29	19%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	10	7%	Male	81	53%
Congregate Care - Residential	14	9%	Female	72	47%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	16	10%	Total Children in Placement	153	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	1%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	3	2%	Family Reunification	50	33%
"On Run" from Placement	1	1%	Adoption	54	35%
Total Children in Placement	153	100%	Guardianship	14	9%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	12	8%
White ⁽¹⁾	86	56%	Permanent Care with Kin	6	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	41	27%	Stabilize Intact Family	9	6%
Black ⁽¹⁾	7	5%	Unspecified as of run-date	8	5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Total Children in Placement	153	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	10	7%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	9	6%	Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement		
Total Children in Placement	153	100%	Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			0 - 2 Years Old	153	20%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			3 - 5 Years Old	136	18%
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			6 - 11 Years Old	238	32%
Protective	358	47%	12 - 17 Years Old	227	30%
Alternative Response	341	45%	Unspecified	---	---
Voluntary Request	8	1%	Total Children Not in Placement	754	100%
CHINS Referral	28	4%			
Court Referral	19	3%			
Other/Unspecified	---	---			
Total Children Not in Placement	754	100%			

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DCF Region: North			DCF Area Office: Haverhill		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,883		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	644	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	24%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	124	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	25%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	433		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	369	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	46%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	27	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	505		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	64	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	39%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	17%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	27		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	20	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	22		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	8	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	787	60%	Spanish	41	3%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	261	20%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	56	4%	Portuguese	---	---
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Haitian Creole	---	---
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	1	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	27	2%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	48	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	121	9%	American Sign Language	---	---
Total Consumers	1,305	100%	Other	15	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,248	96%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	1,305	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	102	82%	0 - 2 Years Old	22	18%
Alternative Response	7	6%	3 - 5 Years Old	17	14%
Voluntary Request	3	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	33	27%
CHINS Referral	7	6%	12 - 17 Years Old	52	42%
Court Referral	5	4%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	124	100%
Total Children in Placement	124	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	41	33%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	23	19%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	---	---	>1 Year - 2 Years	30	24%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	19	15%	>2 Years - 4 Years	20	16%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	7	6%	>4 Years	24	19%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	124	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	27	22%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	20	16%	Male	74	60%
Congregate Care - Residential	6	5%	Female	50	40%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	2	2%	Total Children in Placement	124	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	1	1%	Family Reunification	37	30%
"On Run" from Placement	1	1%	Adoption	43	35%
Total Children in Placement	124	100%	Guardianship	19	15%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	6	5%
White ⁽¹⁾	74	60%	Permanent Care with Kin	14	11%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	34	27%	Stabilize Intact Family	3	2%
Black ⁽¹⁾	4	3%	Unspecified as of run-date	2	2%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Total Children in Placement	124	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	4	3%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	8	6%			
Total Children in Placement	124	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	272	52%	0 - 2 Years Old	98	19%
Alternative Response	186	36%	3 - 5 Years Old	91	18%
Voluntary Request	14	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	171	33%
CHINS Referral	35	7%	12 - 17 Years Old	160	31%
Court Referral	12	2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	520	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	520	100%			

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DCF Region: North		DCF Area Office: Lawrence	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,863	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	645
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	15%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	180
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	25%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	28%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	269	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	380
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	55%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	39
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	476	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	102
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	21%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	27%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	19	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	22
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	21	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	5

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	273	20%	Spanish	291	21%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	924	68%	Khmer (Cambodian)	4	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	46	3%	Portuguese	1	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	8	1%	Haitian Creole	1	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	3	*	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	52	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	51	4%	American Sign Language	4	*
Total Consumers	1,358	100%	Other	5	*
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,052	77%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	1,358	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	153	85%	0 - 2 Years Old	25	14%
Alternative Response	7	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	30	17%
Voluntary Request	5	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	36	20%
CHINS Referral	10	6%	12 - 17 Years Old	89	49%
Court Referral	5	3%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	180	100%
Total Children in Placement	180	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	42	23%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	30	17%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	10	6%	>1 Year - 2 Years	38	21%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	57	32%	>2 Years - 4 Years	27	15%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	3	2%	>4 Years	25	14%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	180	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	31	17%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	13	7%	Male	91	51%
Congregate Care - Residential	14	8%	Female	89	49%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	3	2%	Total Children in Placement	180	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	2	1%	Family Reunification	75	42%
"On Run" from Placement	5	3%	Adoption	43	24%
Total Children in Placement	180	100%	Guardianship	10	6%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	21	12%
White ⁽¹⁾	44	24%	Permanent Care with Kin	14	8%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	125	69%	Stabilize Intact Family	6	3%
Black ⁽¹⁾	3	2%	Unspecified as of run-date	11	6%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Total Children in Placement	180	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	1	1%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	7	4%			
Total Children in Placement	180	100%			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	240	52%	0 - 2 Years Old	93	20%
Alternative Response	122	26%	3 - 5 Years Old	72	15%
Voluntary Request	7	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	140	30%
CHINS Referral	77	17%	12 - 17 Years Old	160	34%
Court Referral	12	3%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	7	2%	Total Children Not in Placement	465	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	465	100%			

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DCF Region: North		DCF Area Office: Lowell	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,584	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,556
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	36%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	309
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	14%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	20%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	1,035	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	820
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	62%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	64
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	438	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	160
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	59%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	66	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	32
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	65	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	10

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,256	42%	Spanish	121	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	867	29%	Khmer (Cambodian)	107	4%
Black ⁽¹⁾	141	5%	Portuguese	6	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	342	11%	Haitian Creole	---	---
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	72	2%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	86	3%	Lao	10	*
Missing	230	8%	American Sign Language	3	*
Total Consumers	2,997	100%	Other	42	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,708	90%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,997	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	278	90%	0 - 2 Years Old	60	19%
Alternative Response	9	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	44	14%
Voluntary Request	5	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	63	20%
CHINS Referral	12	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	142	46%
Court Referral	3	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	1%	Total Children in Placement	309	100%
Total Children in Placement	309	100%			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	81	26%	.5 Years or Less	82	27%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	6	2%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	61	20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	97	31%	>1 Year - 2 Years	62	20%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	8	3%	>2 Years - 4 Years	61	20%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	>4 Years	43	14%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	57	18%	Total Children in Placement	309	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	24	8%			
Congregate Care - Residential	15	5%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	12	4%	Male	150	49%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Female	159	51%
Non-Referral Location	7	2%	Total Children in Placement	309	100%
"On Run" from Placement	2	1%			
Total Children in Placement	309	100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Race (12/31/2013)			Family Reunification	117	38%
White ⁽¹⁾	129	42%	Adoption	69	22%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	104	34%	Guardianship	52	17%
Black ⁽¹⁾	17	6%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	16	5%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	31	10%	Permanent Care with Kin	25	8%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Stabilize Intact Family	18	6%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Unspecified as of run-date	12	4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	20	6%	Total Children in Placement	309	100%
Unable to Determine	8	3%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Total Children in Placement	309	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	938	75%	0 - 2 Years Old	275	22%
Alternative Response	222	18%	3 - 5 Years Old	216	17%
Voluntary Request	41	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	416	33%
CHINS Referral	37	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	340	27%
Court Referral	4	*	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	5	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,247	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,247	100%			

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DCF Region: North			DCF Area Office: Lynn		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,613		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,052	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	15%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	310	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	22%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	29%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	228		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	593	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	71%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	93	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	405		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	137	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	60%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	23%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	35		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	24	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	31		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	5	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	742	36%	Spanish	162	8%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	641	31%	Khmer (Cambodian)	15	1%
Black ⁽¹⁾	295	14%	Portuguese	2	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	64	3%	Haitian Creole	6	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Cape Verdean Creole	2	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Vietnamese	6	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	135	6%	Chinese	3	*
Unable to Determine	101	5%	Lao	---	---
Missing	103	5%	American Sign Language	---	---
Total Consumers	2,084	100%	Other	45	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,843	88%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,084	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	256	83%	0 - 2 Years Old	83	27%
Alternative Response	28	9%	3 - 5 Years Old	42	14%
Voluntary Request	7	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	69	22%
CHINS Referral	10	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	116	37%
Court Referral	9	3%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	310	100%
Total Children in Placement	310	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	59	19%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	58	19%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	12	4%	>1 Year - 2 Years	65	21%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	66	21%	>2 Years - 4 Years	65	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	19	6%	>4 Years	30	10%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	Total Children in Placement	310	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	100	32%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	21	7%	Male	175	56%
Congregate Care - Residential	11	4%	Female	135	44%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	12	4%	Total Children in Placement	310	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	*	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	6	2%	Family Reunification	127	41%
"On Run" from Placement	2	1%	Adoption	137	44%
Total Children in Placement	310	100%	Guardianship	8	3%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	25	8%
White ⁽¹⁾	121	39%	Permanent Care with Kin	7	2%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	95	31%	Stabilize Intact Family	2	1%
Black ⁽¹⁾	41	13%	Unspecified as of run-date	4	1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	1%	Total Children in Placement	310	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	36	12%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	14	5%			
Total Children in Placement	310	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	363	49%	0 - 2 Years Old	148	20%
Alternative Response	278	37%	3 - 5 Years Old	144	19%
Voluntary Request	24	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	230	31%
CHINS Referral	65	9%	12 - 17 Years Old	220	30%
Court Referral	9	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	3	*	Total Children Not in Placement	742	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	742	100%			

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DCF Region: North			DCF Area Office: Malden		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,591		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	741	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	23%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	161	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	15%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	22%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	410		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	490	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	65%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	31	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	304		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	109	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	55%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	22%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	39		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	15	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	41		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	5	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	789	50%	Spanish	70	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	266	17%	Khmer (Cambodian)	2	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	261	16%	Portuguese	23	1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	50	3%	Haitian Creole	50	3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Cape Verdean Creole	4	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	6	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	38	2%	Chinese	10	1%
Unable to Determine	41	3%	Lao	---	---
Missing	140	9%	American Sign Language	---	---
Total Consumers	1,586	100%	Other	25	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,396	88%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	1,586	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	117	73%	0 - 2 Years Old	25	16%
Alternative Response	11	7%	3 - 5 Years Old	14	9%
Voluntary Request	12	7%	6 - 11 Years Old	26	16%
CHINS Referral	---	---	12 - 17 Years Old	95	59%
Court Referral	21	13%	Unspecified	1	1%
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	161	100%
Total Children in Placement	161	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	22	14%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	37	23%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	8	5%	>1 Year - 2 Years	24	15%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	26	16%	>2 Years - 4 Years	29	18%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	4	2%	>4 Years	19	12%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	161	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	43	27%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	22	14%	Male	92	57%
Congregate Care - Residential	21	13%	Female	69	43%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	10	6%	Total Children in Placement	161	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	2	1%	Family Reunification	75	47%
"On Run" from Placement	3	2%	Adoption	27	17%
Total Children in Placement	161	100%	Guardianship	14	9%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	14	9%
White ⁽¹⁾	86	53%	Permanent Care with Kin	18	11%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	31	19%	Stabilize Intact Family	6	4%
Black ⁽¹⁾	21	13%	Unspecified as of run-date	7	4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	2%	Total Children in Placement	161	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	13	8%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	6	4%			
Total Children in Placement	161	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	372	64%	0 - 2 Years Old	93	16%
Alternative Response	154	27%	3 - 5 Years Old	89	15%
Voluntary Request	23	4%	6 - 11 Years Old	213	37%
CHINS Referral	1	*	12 - 17 Years Old	185	32%
Court Referral	30	5%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children Not in Placement	580	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	580	100%			

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DCF Region: South		<i>(regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies data)</i>	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	14,617	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	9,571
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	31%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	2,025
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	27%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	5,065	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	5,478
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	66%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	430
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	4,794	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	1,065
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	44%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	422	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	182
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	385	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	115

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	10,969	55%	Spanish	554	3%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	2,615	13%	Khmer (Cambodian)	12	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	2,723	14%	Portuguese	137	1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	144	1%	Haitian Creole	118	1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	80	*	Cape Verdean Creole	148	1%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	6	*	Vietnamese	6	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	755	4%	Chinese	22	*
Unable to Determine	898	5%	Lao	1	*
Missing	1,725	9%	American Sign Language	8	*
Total Consumers	19,915	100%	Other	262	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	18,647	94%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	19,915	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	1,696	84%	0 - 2 Years Old	468	23%
Alternative Response	143	7%	3 - 5 Years Old	322	16%
Voluntary Request	41	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	453	22%
CHINS Referral	90	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	782	39%
Court Referral	48	2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	7	*	Total Children in Placement	2,025	100%
Total Children in Placement	2,025	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	607	30%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	396	20%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	80	4%	>1 Year - 2 Years	495	24%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	497	25%	>2 Years - 4 Years	280	14%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	95	5%	>4 Years	169	8%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	Total Children in Placement	2,025	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	311	15%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	158	8%	Male	1,082	53%
Congregate Care - Residential	119	6%	Female	943	47%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	111	5%	Total Children in Placement	2,025	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	*	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	23	1%	Family Reunification	972	48%
"On Run" from Placement	21	1%	Adoption	535	26%
Total Children in Placement	2,025	100%	Guardianship	176	9%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	135	7%
White ⁽¹⁾	1,167	58%	Permanent Care with Kin	77	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	269	13%	Stabilize Intact Family	73	4%
Black ⁽¹⁾	251	12%	Unspecified as of run-date	57	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	10	*	Total Children in Placement	2,025	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	8	*	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	194	10%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	125	6%			
Total Children in Placement	2,025	100%			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	4,857	64%	0 - 2 Years Old	1,608	21%
Alternative Response	2,122	28%	3 - 5 Years Old	1,340	18%
Voluntary Request	109	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	2,396	32%
CHINS Referral	304	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	2,201	29%
Court Referral	143	2%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	11	*	Total Children Not in Placement	7,546	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	7,546	100%			

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DCF Region: South		DCF Area Office: Arlington	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,331	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	654
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	16%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	157
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	25%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	24%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	312	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	441
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	64%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	21
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	493	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	103
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	44%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	23%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	36	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	4
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	39	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	10

Consumers (Adults and Children)

Race (12/31/2013)		Primary Language (12/31/2013)	
White ⁽¹⁾	747 51%	Spanish	107 7%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	279 19%	Khmer (Cambodian)	--- ---
Black ⁽¹⁾	189 13%	Portuguese	1 *
Asian ⁽¹⁾	41 3%	Haitian Creole	19 1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	--- ---	Cape Verdean Creole	4 *
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	--- ---	Vietnamese	--- ---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	34 2%	Chinese	5 *
Unable to Determine	79 5%	Lao	1 *
Missing	102 7%	American Sign Language	--- ---
Total Consumers	1,471 100%	Other	28 2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	1,306 89%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	1,471 100%

18 Years Old in Placement

Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	108 69%	0 - 2 Years Old	22 14%
Alternative Response	15 10%	3 - 5 Years Old	14 9%
Voluntary Request	12 8%	6 - 11 Years Old	33 21%
CHINS Referral	16 10%	12 - 17 Years Old	88 56%
Court Referral	6 4%	Unspecified	--- ---
Other/Unspecified	--- ---	Total Children in Placement	157 100%
Total Children in Placement	157 100%		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)		Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)	
Foster Care - Kinship	44 28%	.5 Years or Less	50 32%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	14 9%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	50 32%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	19 12%	>1 Year - 2 Years	34 22%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	7 4%	>2 Years - 4 Years	17 11%
Foster Care - Independent Living	--- ---	>4 Years	6 4%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	29 18%	Total Children in Placement	157 100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	18 11%		
Congregate Care - Residential	12 8%	Gender (12/31/2013)	
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	12 8%	Male	82 52%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	--- ---	Female	75 48%
Non-Referral Location	2 1%	Total Children in Placement	157 100%
"On Run" from Placement	--- ---		
Total Children in Placement	157 100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)	
Race (12/31/2013)		Family Reunification	87 55%
White ⁽¹⁾	89 57%	Adoption	20 13%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	27 17%	Guardianship	19 12%
Black ⁽¹⁾	18 11%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	17 11%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3 2%	Permanent Care with Kin	4 3%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	--- ---	Stabilize Intact Family	4 3%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	--- ---	Unspecified as of run-date	6 4%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	6 4%	Total Children in Placement	157 100%
Unable to Determine	14 9%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	
Total Children in Placement	157 100%		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		* = less than 1% after rounding-off	

3 Years Old Not in Placement

Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	270 54%	0 - 2 Years Old	106 21%
Alternative Response	178 36%	3 - 5 Years Old	77 15%
Voluntary Request	16 3%	6 - 11 Years Old	144 29%
CHINS Referral	26 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	170 34%
Court Referral	7 1%	Unspecified	--- ---
Other/Unspecified	--- ---	Total Children Not in Placement	497 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	497 100%		

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DCF Region: South		DCF Area Office: Brockton	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,939	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,329
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	34%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	252
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	18%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	790	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	684
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	72%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	49
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	445	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	125
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	40%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	52	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	20
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	49	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	22

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)				
Race (12/31/2013)		Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	909 33%	Spanish	57	2%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	333 12%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	980 36%	Portuguese	10	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	10 *	Haitian Creole	66	2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	11 *	Cape Verdean Creole	99	4%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	2 *	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	101 4%	Chinese	1	*
Unable to Determine	139 5%	Lao	---	---
Missing	253 9%	American Sign Language	---	---
Total Consumers	2,738 100%	Other	28	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	2,477	90%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	2,738	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement				
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	218 87%	0 - 2 Years Old	58	23%
Alternative Response	16 6%	3 - 5 Years Old	38	15%
Voluntary Request	---	6 - 11 Years Old	60	24%
CHINS Referral	12 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	96	38%
Court Referral	6 2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	Total Children in Placement	252	100%
Total Children in Placement	252 100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)		.5 Years or Less	89	35%
Foster Care - Kinship	74 29%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	45	18%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	7 3%	>1 Year - 2 Years	56	22%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	48 19%	>2 Years - 4 Years	38	15%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	19 8%	>4 Years	24	10%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	Total Children in Placement	252	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	59 23%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	11 4%	Male	136	54%
Congregate Care - Residential	14 6%	Female	116	46%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	13 5%	Total Children in Placement	252	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	4 2%	Family Reunification	111	44%
"On Run" from Placement	3 1%	Adoption	72	29%
Total Children in Placement	252 100%	Guardianship	29	12%
Race (12/31/2013)		APPLA ⁽¹⁾	17	7%
White ⁽¹⁾	97 38%	Permanent Care with Kin	14	6%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	30 12%	Stabilize Intact Family	5	2%
Black ⁽¹⁾	83 33%	Unspecified as of run-date	4	2%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Total Children in Placement	252	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1 *	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	29 12%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	11 4%			
Total Children in Placement	252 100%			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement				
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	819 76%	0 - 2 Years Old	225	21%
Alternative Response	172 16%	3 - 5 Years Old	201	19%
Voluntary Request	4 *	6 - 11 Years Old	347	32%
CHINS Referral	79 7%	12 - 17 Years Old	304	28%
Court Referral	---	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	3 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,077	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,077 100%			

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DCF Region: South		DCF Area Office: Cape Cod	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,705	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	895
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	26%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	206
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	26%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	23%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	392	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	585
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	57%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	28
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	479	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	130
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	54%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	22%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	44	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	17
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	43	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	18

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,159	61%	Spanish	24	1%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	150	8%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	144	8%	Portuguese	13	1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	4	*	Haitian Creole	4	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	29	2%	Cape Verdean Creole	2	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	119	6%	Chinese	2	*
Unable to Determine	91	5%	Lao	---	---
Missing	198	10%	American Sign Language	---	---
Total Consumers	1,895	100%	Other	31	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,819	96%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	1,895	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	155	75%	0 - 2 Years Old	47	23%
Alternative Response	25	12%	3 - 5 Years Old	43	21%
Voluntary Request	3	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	36	17%
CHINS Referral	11	5%	12 - 17 Years Old	80	39%
Court Referral	11	5%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children in Placement	206	100%
Total Children in Placement	206	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	60	29%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	28	14%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	10	5%	>1 Year - 2 Years	57	28%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	54	26%	>2 Years - 4 Years	29	14%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	8	4%	>4 Years	12	6%
Foster Care - Independent Living	1	*	Total Children in Placement	206	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	24	12%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	7	3%	Male	103	50%
Congregate Care - Residential	22	11%	Female	103	50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	11	5%	Total Children in Placement	206	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	1%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	4	2%	Family Reunification	109	53%
"On Run" from Placement	3	1%	Adoption	36	17%
Total Children in Placement	206	100%	Guardianship	21	10%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	20	10%
White ⁽¹⁾	134	65%	Permanent Care with Kin	3	1%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	24	12%	Stabilize Intact Family	9	4%
Black ⁽¹⁾	7	3%	Unspecified as of run-date	8	4%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Total Children in Placement	206	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3	1%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	28	14%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	10	5%			
Total Children in Placement	206	100%			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	405	59%	0 - 2 Years Old	149	22%
Alternative Response	213	31%	3 - 5 Years Old	123	18%
Voluntary Request	9	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	202	29%
CHINS Referral	26	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	214	31%
Court Referral	36	5%	Unspecified	1	*
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children Not in Placement	689	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	689	100%			

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DCF Region: South		DCF Area Office: Coastal	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,602	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	844
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	28%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	224
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	33%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	27%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	528	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	529
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	62%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	56
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	686	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	132
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	43%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	25%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	46	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	30
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	47	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	11

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,044	58%	Spanish	16	1%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	129	7%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	325	18%	Portuguese	5	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	34	2%	Haitian Creole	19	1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	8	*	Cape Verdean Creole	4	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	3	*	Vietnamese	5	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	75	4%	Chinese	7	*
Unable to Determine	40	2%	Lao	---	---
Missing	129	7%	American Sign Language	---	---
Total Consumers	1,787	100%	Other	27	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,704	95%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	1,787	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	165	74%	0 - 2 Years Old	39	17%
Alternative Response	29	13%	3 - 5 Years Old	33	15%
Voluntary Request	9	4%	6 - 11 Years Old	45	20%
CHINS Referral	16	7%	12 - 17 Years Old	107	48%
Court Referral	4	2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children in Placement	224	100%
Total Children in Placement	224	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	69	31%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	46	21%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	15	7%	>1 Year - 2 Years	44	20%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	41	18%	>2 Years - 4 Years	27	12%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	9	4%	>4 Years	19	8%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	224	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	37	17%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	25	11%	Male	117	52%
Congregate Care - Residential	14	6%	Female	107	48%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	11	5%	Total Children in Placement	224	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	3	1%	Family Reunification	110	49%
"On Run" from Placement	---	---	Adoption	51	23%
Total Children in Placement	224	100%	Guardianship	12	5%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	17	8%
White ⁽¹⁾	140	63%	Permanent Care with Kin	11	5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	12	5%	Stabilize Intact Family	16	7%
Black ⁽¹⁾	37	17%	Unspecified as of run-date	7	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Total Children in Placement	224	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	1%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	26	12%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	5	2%			
Total Children in Placement	224	100%			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	371	60%	0 - 2 Years Old	131	21%
Alternative Response	194	31%	3 - 5 Years Old	113	18%
Voluntary Request	10	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	191	31%
CHINS Referral	37	6%	12 - 17 Years Old	185	30%
Court Referral	5	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	3	*	Total Children Not in Placement	620	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	620	100%			

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DCF Region: South			DCF Area Office: Fall River		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,026		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,389	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	42%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	357	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	25%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	26%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	846		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	779	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	58%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	85	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	605		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	167	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	40%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	21%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	60		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	29	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	56		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	13	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,530	55%	Spanish	90	3%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	418	15%	Khmer (Cambodian)	11	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	250	9%	Portuguese	35	1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	24	1%	Haitian Creole	5	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Cape Verdean Creole	11	*
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	107	4%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	145	5%	Lao	---	---
Missing	301	11%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	2,776	100%	Other	40	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,582	93%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,776	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	318	89%	0 - 2 Years Old	96	27%
Alternative Response	18	5%	3 - 5 Years Old	60	17%
Voluntary Request	10	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	79	22%
CHINS Referral	6	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	122	34%
Court Referral	3	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	1%	Total Children in Placement	357	100%
Total Children in Placement	357	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	122	34%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	83	23%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	2	1%	>1 Year - 2 Years	83	23%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	116	32%	>2 Years - 4 Years	55	15%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	12	3%	>4 Years	42	12%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	357	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	29	8%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	32	9%	Male	193	54%
Congregate Care - Residential	14	4%	Female	164	46%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	20	6%	Total Children in Placement	357	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	4	1%	Family Reunification	160	45%
"On Run" from Placement	6	2%	Adoption	114	32%
Total Children in Placement	357	100%	Guardianship	34	10%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	18	5%
White ⁽¹⁾	206	58%	Permanent Care with Kin	12	3%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	63	18%	Stabilize Intact Family	10	3%
Black ⁽¹⁾	26	7%	Unspecified as of run-date	9	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	3	1%	Total Children in Placement	357	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	29	8%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	30	8%			
Total Children in Placement	357	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	676	66%	0 - 2 Years Old	238	23%
Alternative Response	273	26%	3 - 5 Years Old	190	18%
Voluntary Request	32	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	330	32%
CHINS Referral	40	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	274	27%
Court Referral	11	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children Not in Placement	1,032	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,032	100%			

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DCF Region: South			DCF Area Office: New Bedford		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,218		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	2,119	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	38%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	384	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	29%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	957		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	1,123	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	74%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	97	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	729		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	171	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	55%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	15%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	80		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	41	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	59		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	16	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	2,159	49%	Spanish	231	5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	983	22%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	545	12%	Portuguese	48	1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	14	*	Haitian Creole	5	*
Native American ⁽¹⁾	16	*	Cape Verdean Creole	23	1%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	150	3%	Chinese	4	*
Unable to Determine	156	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	385	9%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	4,408	100%	Other	50	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	4,045	92%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	4,408	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	351	91%	0 - 2 Years Old	113	29%
Alternative Response	15	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	65	17%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	87	23%
CHINS Referral	11	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	119	31%
Court Referral	4	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	1%	Total Children in Placement	384	100%
Total Children in Placement	384	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Gender (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	107	28%	.5 Years or Less	126	33%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	13	3%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	68	18%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	93	24%	>1 Year - 2 Years	95	25%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	19	5%	>2 Years - 4 Years	58	15%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	>4 Years	37	10%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	71	18%	Total Children in Placement	384	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	33	9%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Residential	19	5%	Family Reunification	176	46%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	21	5%	Adoption	121	32%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Guardianship	22	6%
Non-Referral Location	2	1%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	22	6%
"On Run" from Placement	6	2%	Permanent Care with Kin	13	3%
Total Children in Placement	384	100%	Stabilize Intact Family	15	4%
Race (12/31/2013)			Total Children in Placement		
White ⁽¹⁾	192	50%	Unspecified as of run-date	15	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	80	21%	Total Children in Placement	384	100%
Black ⁽¹⁾	55	14%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---			
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	35	9%			
Unable to Determine	22	6%			
Total Children in Placement	384	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	1,208	70%	0 - 2 Years Old	355	20%
Alternative Response	448	26%	3 - 5 Years Old	311	18%
Voluntary Request	21	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	575	33%
CHINS Referral	44	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	494	28%
Court Referral	11	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	3	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,735	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,735	100%			

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DCF Region: South			DCF Area Office: Plymouth		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	2,027		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,254	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	30%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	229	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	27%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	696		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	705	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	69%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	46	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	711		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	128	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	37%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	57		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	22	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	43		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	14	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,951	74%	Spanish	8	*
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	109	4%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	124	5%	Portuguese	12	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	7	*	Haitian Creole	---	---
Native American ⁽¹⁾	14	1%	Cape Verdean Creole	---	---
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	97	4%	Chinese	3	*
Unable to Determine	104	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	214	8%	American Sign Language	---	---
Total Consumers	2,620	100%	Other	31	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,566	98%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,620	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	204	89%	0 - 2 Years Old	50	22%
Alternative Response	10	4%	3 - 5 Years Old	38	17%
Voluntary Request	1	*	6 - 11 Years Old	63	28%
CHINS Referral	6	3%	12 - 17 Years Old	78	34%
Court Referral	8	3%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	229	100%
Total Children in Placement	229	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	65	28%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	34	15%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	9	4%	>1 Year - 2 Years	63	28%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	75	33%	>2 Years - 4 Years	20	9%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	6	3%	>4 Years	19	8%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	229	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	38	17%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	15	7%	Male	131	57%
Congregate Care - Residential	7	3%	Female	98	43%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	11	5%	Total Children in Placement	229	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	2	1%	Family Reunification	124	54%
"On Run" from Placement	1	*	Adoption	55	24%
Total Children in Placement	229	100%	Guardianship	15	7%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	12	5%
White ⁽¹⁾	171	75%	Permanent Care with Kin	12	5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	11	5%	Stabilize Intact Family	6	3%
Black ⁽¹⁾	9	4%	Unspecified as of run-date	5	2%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	2	1%	Total Children in Placement	229	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	1%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	21	9%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	13	6%			
Total Children in Placement	229	100%			
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino					
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	646	63%	0 - 2 Years Old	224	22%
Alternative Response	323	32%	3 - 5 Years Old	184	18%
Voluntary Request	---	---	6 - 11 Years Old	333	32%
CHINS Referral	11	1%	12 - 17 Years Old	284	28%
Court Referral	44	4%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	1	*	Total Children Not in Placement	1,025	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,025	100%			

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DCF Region: South		DCF Area Office: Taunton/Attleboro	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,769	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,069
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	27%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	214
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	33%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	20%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	541	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	623
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	59%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	48
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	646	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	107
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	43%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	17%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	47	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	19
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	48	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	11

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)			
Race (12/31/2013)		Primary Language (12/31/2013)	
White ⁽¹⁾	1,458 67%	Spanish	20 1%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	202 9%	Khmer (Cambodian)	1 *
Black ⁽¹⁾	164 8%	Portuguese	13 1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	10 *	Haitian Creole	--- ---
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Cape Verdean Creole	5 *
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	--- ---	Vietnamese	1 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	70 3%	Chinese	--- ---
Unable to Determine	143 7%	Lao	--- ---
Missing	138 6%	American Sign Language	4 *
Total Consumers	2,186 100%	Other	25 1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	2,117 97%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	2,186 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	175 82%	0 - 2 Years Old	43 20%
Alternative Response	15 7%	3 - 5 Years Old	30 14%
Voluntary Request	5 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	50 23%
CHINS Referral	12 6%	12 - 17 Years Old	91 43%
Court Referral	6 3%	Unspecified	--- ---
Other/Unspecified	1 *	Total Children in Placement	214 100%
Total Children in Placement	214 100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)	
Placement Type (12/31/2013)		.5 Years or Less	
Foster Care - Kinship	65 30%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	42 20%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	10 5%	>1 Year - 2 Years	62 29%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	51 24%	>2 Years - 4 Years	36 17%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	15 7%	>4 Years	10 5%
Foster Care - Independent Living	--- ---	Total Children in Placement	214 100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	23 11%	Gender (12/31/2013)	
Congregate Care - Group Home	17 8%	Male	104 49%
Congregate Care - Residential	17 8%	Female	110 51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	12 6%	Total Children in Placement	214 100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	--- ---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)	
Non-Referral Location	2 1%	Family Reunification	94 44%
"On Run" from Placement	2 1%	Adoption	66 31%
Total Children in Placement	214 100%	Guardianship	24 11%
Race (12/31/2013)		APPLA ⁽¹⁾	11 5%
White ⁽¹⁾	137 64%	Permanent Care with Kin	8 4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	21 10%	Stabilize Intact Family	8 4%
Black ⁽¹⁾	16 7%	Unspecified as of run-date	3 1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	--- ---	Total Children in Placement	214 100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	--- ---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	--- ---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	20 9%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
Unable to Determine	20 9%		
Total Children in Placement	214 100%		

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	447 52%	0 - 2 Years Old	178 21%
Alternative Response	321 38%	3 - 5 Years Old	137 16%
Voluntary Request	17 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	271 32%
CHINS Referral	40 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	269 31%
Court Referral	29 3%	Unspecified	--- ---
Other/Unspecified	1 *	Total Children Not in Placement	855 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	855 100%		

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DCF Region: Boston		<i>(regional statistics are based on area offices and contracted agencies data)</i>	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	5,942	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	5,068
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	45%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	909
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	13%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	18%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	2,977	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	2,878
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	65%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	155
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	994	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	542
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	53%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	19%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	210	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	76
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	189	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	34

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	1,489	15%	Spanish	995	10%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	3,051	31%	Khmer (Cambodian)	3	*
Black ⁽¹⁾	3,835	39%	Portuguese	14	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	167	2%	Haitian Creole	124	1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	7	*	Cape Verdean Creole	114	1%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Vietnamese	51	1%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	196	2%	Chinese	9	*
Unable to Determine	372	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	684	7%	American Sign Language	8	*
Total Consumers	9,803	100%	Other	128	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	8,357	85%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	9,803	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	772	85%	0 - 2 Years Old	163	18%
Alternative Response	43	5%	3 - 5 Years Old	119	13%
Voluntary Request	18	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	204	22%
CHINS Referral	57	6%	12 - 17 Years Old	423	47%
Court Referral	15	2%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	4	*	Total Children in Placement	909	100%
Total Children in Placement	909	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	274	30%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	273	30%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	45	5%	>1 Year - 2 Years	211	23%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	161	18%	>2 Years - 4 Years	188	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	24	3%	>4 Years	145	16%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	909	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	156	17%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	106	12%	Male	456	50%
Congregate Care - Residential	71	8%	Female	453	50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	24	3%	Total Children in Placement	909	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	3	*	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	21	2%	Family Reunification	413	45%
"On Run" from Placement	24	3%	Adoption	196	22%
Total Children in Placement	909	100%	Guardianship	101	11%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	64	7%
White ⁽¹⁾	181	20%	Permanent Care with Kin	54	6%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	258	28%	Stabilize Intact Family	52	6%
Black ⁽¹⁾	394	43%	Unspecified as of run-date	29	3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	9	1%	Total Children in Placement	909	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	42	5%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	25	3%			
Total Children in Placement	909	100%			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	3,198	77%	0 - 2 Years Old	801	19%
Alternative Response	688	17%	3 - 5 Years Old	724	17%
Voluntary Request	43	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	1,390	33%
CHINS Referral	186	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	1,242	30%
Court Referral	42	1%	Unspecified	2	*
Other/Unspecified	2	*	Total Children Not in Placement	4,159	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	4,159	100%			

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DCF Region: Boston		DCF Area Office: Dimock Street	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,458	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,120
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	50%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	237
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	9%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	21%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	718	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	604
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	59%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	75
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	181	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	110
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	52%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	18%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	50	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	36
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	42	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	10

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	229	11%	Spanish	162	8%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	640	30%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	962	46%	Portuguese	3	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	11	1%	Haitian Creole	28	1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	2	*	Cape Verdean Creole	28	1%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Vietnamese	---	---
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	41	2%	Chinese	1	*
Unable to Determine	90	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	129	6%	American Sign Language	5	*
Total Consumers	2,105	100%	Other	41	2%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,837	87%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,105	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	203	86%	0 - 2 Years Old	55	23%
Alternative Response	11	5%	3 - 5 Years Old	28	12%
Voluntary Request	5	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	59	25%
CHINS Referral	13	5%	12 - 17 Years Old	95	40%
Court Referral	3	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	1%	Total Children in Placement	237	100%
Total Children in Placement	237	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	68	29%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	58	24%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	13	5%	>1 Year - 2 Years	57	24%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	48	20%	>2 Years - 4 Years	39	16%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	11	5%	>4 Years	21	9%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	237	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	38	16%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	23	10%	Male	121	51%
Congregate Care - Residential	21	9%	Female	116	49%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	7	3%	Total Children in Placement	237	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	5	2%	Family Reunification	84	35%
"On Run" from Placement	3	1%	Adoption	89	38%
Total Children in Placement	237	100%	Guardianship	30	13%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	9	4%
White ⁽¹⁾	30	13%	Permanent Care with Kin	9	4%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	67	28%	Stabilize Intact Family	13	5%
Black ⁽¹⁾	122	51%	Unspecified as of run-date	3	1%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Total Children in Placement	237	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	12	5%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	5	2%			
Total Children in Placement	237	100%			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	685	78%	0 - 2 Years Old	190	22%
Alternative Response	152	17%	3 - 5 Years Old	145	16%
Voluntary Request	7	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	293	33%
CHINS Referral	37	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	255	29%
Court Referral	2	*	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children Not in Placement	883	100%
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DCF Region: Boston		DCF Area Office: Harbor	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,336	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,373
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	39%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	224
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	23%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	16%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	594	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	785
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	72%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	39
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	395	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	133
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	50%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	17%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	57	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	20
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	52	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	4

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)			
Race (12/31/2013)		Primary Language (12/31/2013)	
White ⁽¹⁾	737 27%	Spanish	585 21%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	1,239 45%	Khmer (Cambodian)	3 *
Black ⁽¹⁾	298 11%	Portuguese	8 *
Asian ⁽¹⁾	36 1%	Haitian Creole	16 1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	3 *	Cape Verdean Creole	1 *
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	1 *	Vietnamese	1 *
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	51 2%	Chinese	---
Unable to Determine	99 4%	Lao	---
Missing	266 10%	American Sign Language	---
Total Consumers	2,730 100%	Other	28 1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino		English/Unspecified	2,088 76%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races		Total Consumers	2,730 100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	187 83%	0 - 2 Years Old	40 18%
Alternative Response	18 8%	3 - 5 Years Old	28 13%
Voluntary Request	4 2%	6 - 11 Years Old	49 22%
CHINS Referral	14 6%	12 - 17 Years Old	107 48%
Court Referral	1 *	Unspecified	---
Other/Unspecified	---	Total Children in Placement	224 100%
Total Children in Placement	224 100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)	
Placement Type (12/31/2013)		.5 Years or Less	
Foster Care - Kinship	69 31%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	45 20%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	13 6%	>1 Year - 2 Years	47 21%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	19 8%	>2 Years - 4 Years	43 19%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	5 2%	>4 Years	29 13%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	Total Children in Placement	224 100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	52 23%	Gender (12/31/2013)	
Congregate Care - Group Home	32 14%	Male	113 50%
Congregate Care - Residential	15 7%	Female	111 50%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	4 2%	Total Children in Placement	224 100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	---	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)	
Non-Referral Location	6 3%	Family Reunification	94 42%
"On Run" from Placement	9 4%	Adoption	52 23%
Total Children in Placement	224 100%	Guardianship	26 12%
Race (12/31/2013)		APPLA ⁽¹⁾	15 7%
White ⁽¹⁾	86 38%	Permanent Care with Kin	13 6%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	95 42%	Stabilize Intact Family	17 8%
Black ⁽¹⁾	22 10%	Unspecified as of run-date	7 3%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	Total Children in Placement	224 100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.	
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	9 4%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off	
Unable to Determine	12 5%		
Total Children in Placement	224 100%		

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement			
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)		Age Groups (12/31/2013)	
Protective	831 72%	0 - 2 Years Old	216 19%
Alternative Response	233 20%	3 - 5 Years Old	211 18%
Voluntary Request	13 1%	6 - 11 Years Old	387 34%
CHINS Referral	58 5%	12 - 17 Years Old	335 29%
Court Referral	12 1%	Unspecified	---
Other/Unspecified	2 *	Total Children Not in Placement	1,149 100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,149 100%		

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DCF Region: Boston		DCF Area Office: Hyde Park	
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,555	Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,083
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	47%	Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	168
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	11%	% of Child Caseload in Placement	16%
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	865	Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	662
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	60%	Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	---
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	203	Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	130
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	53%	% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	20%
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	48	Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	#N/A
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	42	Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	9

All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	199	9%	Spanish	116	6%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	468	22%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,177	56%	Portuguese	1	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	10	*	Haitian Creole	51	2%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Cape Verdean Creole	17	1%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	1	*
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	25	1%	Chinese	---	---
Unable to Determine	59	3%	Lao	---	---
Missing	158	8%	American Sign Language	1	*
Total Consumers	2,097	100%	Other	28	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	1,882	90%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,097	100%

Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	138	82%	0 - 2 Years Old	17	10%
Alternative Response	5	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	21	13%
Voluntary Request	5	3%	6 - 11 Years Old	27	16%
CHINS Referral	18	11%	12 - 17 Years Old	103	61%
Court Referral	2	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children in Placement	168	100%
Total Children in Placement	168	100%	Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			.5 Years or Less		
Foster Care - Kinship	50	30%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	43	26%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	3	2%	>1 Year - 2 Years	26	15%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	36	21%	>2 Years - 4 Years	26	15%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	---	---	>4 Years	15	9%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	Total Children in Placement	168	100%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	25	15%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - Group Home	26	15%	Male	83	49%
Congregate Care - Residential	16	10%	Female	85	51%
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	4	2%	Total Children in Placement	168	100%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	1	1%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
Non-Referral Location	3	2%	Family Reunification	98	58%
"On Run" from Placement	4	2%	Adoption	---	---
Total Children in Placement	168	100%	Guardianship	13	8%
Race (12/31/2013)			APPLA ⁽¹⁾	25	15%
White ⁽¹⁾	21	13%	Permanent Care with Kin	14	8%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	30	18%	Stabilize Intact Family	8	5%
Black ⁽¹⁾	107	64%	Unspecified as of run-date	10	6%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Total Children in Placement	168	100%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	6	4%	* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
Unable to Determine	4	2%			
Total Children in Placement	168	100%			

Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	710	78%	0 - 2 Years Old	168	18%
Alternative Response	117	13%	3 - 5 Years Old	134	15%
Voluntary Request	14	2%	6 - 11 Years Old	302	33%
CHINS Referral	64	7%	12 - 17 Years Old	311	34%
Court Referral	10	1%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children Not in Placement	915	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	915	100%			

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DCF Region: Boston			DCF Area Office: Park Street		
51A Reports (CY'2013)	1,593		Children Under 18 in Caseload (12/31/2013)	1,486	
% Screened-In for Investigation (CY'2013)	43%		Children Under 18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	280	
% Screened-In for Initial Assessment (CY'2013)	10%		% of Child Caseload in Placement	19%	
Investigations (CY'2013) (includes Hotline)	800		Clinical Cases (12/31/2013)	822	
% Supported Investigations (CY'2013)	69%		Adoption Cases (12/31/2013)	41	
Initial Assessments (CY'2013)	215		Clinical Cases w/Children <18 in Placement (12/31/2013)	169	
% Concern Found (CY'2013)	60%		% Clinical Cases that are Placement Cases	21%	
Ave. Clinical Cases Opened per Month (Jan-Dec 2013)	55		Adoptions Legalized (FY'2013)	20	
Ave. Clinical Cases Closed Per Month (Jan - Dec 2013)	53		Guardianships Legalized (FY'2013)	11	
All DCF Consumers (Adults and Children)					
Race (12/31/2013)			Primary Language (12/31/2013)		
White ⁽¹⁾	321	11%	Spanish	132	5%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	704	25%	Khmer (Cambodian)	---	---
Black ⁽¹⁾	1,390	49%	Portuguese	2	*
Asian ⁽¹⁾	110	4%	Haitian Creole	29	1%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	1	*	Cape Verdean Creole	68	2%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Vietnamese	49	2%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	79	3%	Chinese	8	*
Unable to Determine	124	4%	Lao	---	---
Missing	129	5%	American Sign Language	2	*
Total Consumers	2,858	100%	Other	30	1%
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			English/Unspecified	2,538	89%
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races			Total Consumers	2,858	100%
Children Less than 18 Years Old in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	244	87%	0 - 2 Years Old	51	18%
Alternative Response	9	3%	3 - 5 Years Old	42	15%
Voluntary Request	4	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	69	25%
CHINS Referral	12	4%	12 - 17 Years Old	118	42%
Court Referral	9	3%	Unspecified	---	---
Other/Unspecified	2	1%	Total Children in Placement	280	100%
Total Children in Placement	280	100%			
Placement Type (12/31/2013)			Continuous Time in Placement (12/31/2013)		
Foster Care - Kinship	87	31%	.5 Years or Less	93	33%
Foster Care - Child-Specific	16	6%	>.5 Years - 1 Year	65	23%
Foster Care - Unrestricted	58	21%	>1 Year - 2 Years	58	21%
Foster Care - Pre-adoptive	8	3%	>2 Years - 4 Years	37	13%
Foster Care - Independent Living	---	---	>4 Years	27	10%
Foster Care - IFC (Contracted)	41	15%	Total Children in Placement	280	100%
Congregate Care - Group Home	25	9%			
Congregate Care - Residential	19	7%	Gender (12/31/2013)		
Congregate Care - STARR (short-term residential)	9	3%	Male	139	50%
Congregate Care - Teen Parenting	2	1%	Female	141	50%
Non-Referral Location	7	3%	Total Children in Placement	280	100%
"On Run" from Placement	8	3%			
Total Children in Placement	280	100%	Service Plan Goal (12/31/2013)		
			Family Reunification	137	49%
Race (12/31/2013)			Adoption	55	20%
White ⁽¹⁾	44	16%	Guardianship	32	11%
Hispanic/Latino ⁽²⁾	66	24%	APPLA ⁽¹⁾	15	5%
Black ⁽¹⁾	143	51%	Permanent Care with Kin	18	6%
Asian ⁽¹⁾	8	3%	Stabilize Intact Family	14	5%
Native American ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Unspecified as of run-date	9	3%
Pacific Islanders ⁽¹⁾	---	---	Total Children in Placement	280	100%
Multi-Racial ^{(1) (3)}	15	5%	⁽¹⁾ Alternative Planned Permanent Living Arrangement		
Unable to Determine	4	1%			
Total Children in Placement	280	100%	Summation of percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding-off.		
⁽¹⁾ Excluding Hispanic/Latino			* = less than 1% after rounding-off		
⁽²⁾ Hispanic/Latino includes all races, ⁽³⁾ Multi-racial = two or more races					
Children Less than 18 Years Old Not in Placement					
Most Recent Intake (12/31/2013)			Age Groups (12/31/2013)		
Protective	966	80%	0 - 2 Years Old	225	19%
Alternative Response	186	15%	3 - 5 Years Old	234	19%
Voluntary Request	9	1%	6 - 11 Years Old	407	34%
CHINS Referral	27	2%	12 - 17 Years Old	338	28%
Court Referral	18	1%	Unspecified	2	*
Other/Unspecified	---	---	Total Children Not in Placement	1,206	100%
Total Children Not in Placement	1,206	100%			