

Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia

Data As Of: 12/1/2014

	Number Children	Percent Children
Sex		
Male	2655	51.95%
Female	2456	48.05%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	5111	
Age As Of 12/1/2014		
Less than 1	208	4.07%
1 thru 3	794	15.54%
4 thru 6	642	12.56%
7 thru 9	593	11.60%
10 thru 12	527	10.31%
13 thru 15	834	16.32%
16 thru 17	951	18.61%
18	274	5.36%
19 and up	288	5.63%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Episodes of Removal From Own Home		
1 Removal	5111	100.00%
2 Removals	0	0.00%
3 Removals	0	0.00%
4 Removals	0	0.00%
5 Removals	0	0.00%
6 or More Removals	0	0.00%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Age at Last Removal from Own Home		
Less than 1	566	11.07%
1 thru 3	747	14.62%
4 thru 6	723	14.15%
7 thru 9	678	13.27%
10 thru 12	741	14.50%
13 thru 15	1122	21.95%
16 thru 18	526	10.29%
19 and up	0	0.00%
Unknown	8	0.16%
Type of Most Recent Placement		
Non-relative Foster Home	3315	64.86%
Institution	564	11.04%
Group Home	252	4.93%
Pre-adoptive Home	180	3.52%
Trial Home Visit	204	3.99%
Independent Living	221	4.32%
Relative Foster Home	241	4.72%
Runaway	35	0.68%
Unknown	99	1.94%

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Conditions of Last Removal		
Child's Behavior Problem	1079	21.11%
Neglect	2566	50.21%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	602	11.78%
Relinquishment	333	6.52%
Physical Abuse	783	15.32%
Parent's Drug Abuse	1016	19.88%
Inadequate Housing	782	15.30%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	288	5.63%
Sexual Abuse	243	4.75%
Abandonment	260	5.09%
Child's Disability	94	1.84%
Incarceration of Parent	324	6.34%
Child's Drug Abuse	107	2.09%
Death of Parent	39	0.76%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	39	0.76%
Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode		
1 Placement	1771	34.65%
2 Placements	1283	25.10%
3 Placements	662	12.95%
4 Placements	410	8.02%
5 Placements	283	5.54%
6 or More Placements	604	11.82%
Unknown	98	1.92%
Most Recent Placement Out of State?		
No	4921	96.28%
Yes	96	1.88%
Most Recent Case Plan Goal		
Long Term Foster Care	585	11.45%
Emancipation	99	1.94%
Reunification	2139	41.85%
Adoption	1420	27.78%
Live With Other Relatives	446	8.73%
Not Yet Established	422	8.26%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Disabilities		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	183	3.58%
Mental Retardation	58	1.13%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	10	0.20%
Physically Disabled	158	3.09%
Emotionally Disturbed	118	2.31%
Other Medical Condition	20	0.39%