

# Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia

Data As Of: 10/1/2011

	Number of Children	Percentage of Children
<b>Sex</b>		
Male	2907	52.34%
Female	2647	47.66%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	5554	
<b>Age As Of 10/1/2011</b>		
Less than 1	183	3.29%
1 thru 3	727	13.09%
4 thru 6	598	10.77%
7 thru 9	507	9.13%
10 thru 12	634	11.42%
13 thru 15	894	16.10%
16 thru 18	1538	27.69%
19 and up	471	8.48%
Unknown	2	0.04%
<b>Episodes of Removal From Own Home</b>		
1 Removal	5550	99.93%
2 Removals	4	0.07%
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%
<b>Age at Last Removal from Own Home</b>		
Less than 1	512	9.22%
1 thru 3	767	13.81%
4 thru 6	733	13.20%
7 thru 9	746	13.43%
10 thru 12	922	16.60%
13 thru 15	1298	23.37%
16 thru 18	565	10.17%
19 and up	0	0.00%
Unknown	11	0.20%
<b>Type of Most Recent Placement</b>		
Non-relative Foster Home	3366	60.60%
Institution	453	8.16%
Group Home	276	4.97%
Pre-adoptive Home	239	4.30%
Trial Home Visit	302	5.44%
Independent Living	338	6.09%
Relative Foster Home	312	5.62%
Runaway	33	0.59%
Unknown	235	4.23%

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<b>Conditions of Last Removal</b>		
Child's Behavior Problem	1222	22.00%
Neglect	2707	48.74%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	724	13.04%
Relinquishment	459	8.26%
Physical Abuse	798	14.37%
Parent's Drug Abuse	887	15.97%
Inadequate Housing	831	14.96%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	339	6.10%
Sexual Abuse	284	5.11%
Abandonment	332	5.98%
Child's Disability	129	2.32%
Incarceration of Parent	380	6.84%
Child's Drug Abuse	93	1.67%
Death of Parent	61	1.10%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	41	0.74%
<b>Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode</b>		
1 Placement	1635	29.44%
2 Placements	1321	23.78%
3 Placements	832	14.98%
4 Placements	454	8.17%
5 Placements	321	5.78%
6 or More Placements	839	15.11%
Unknown	152	2.74%
<b>Most Recent Placement Out of State?</b>		
No	5205	93.72%
Yes	118	2.12%
<b>Most Recent Case Plan Goal</b>		
Long Term Foster Care	694	12.50%
Emancipation	940	16.92%
Reunification	1774	31.94%
Adoption	1292	23.26%
Live With Other Relatives	334	6.01%
Not Yet Established	520	9.36%
Unknown	0	0.00%
<b>Disabilities</b>		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	629	11.33%
Mental Retardation	162	2.92%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	34	0.61%
Physically Disabled	422	7.60%
Emotionally Disturbed	304	5.47%
Other Medical Condition	44	0.79%