

# Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia

Data As Of: 3/1/2012

	Number of Children	Percentage of Children
<b>Sex</b>		
Male	2731	51.68%
Female	2553	48.32%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	5284	
<b>Age As Of 3/1/2012</b>		
Less than 1	182	3.44%
1 thru 3	704	13.32%
4 thru 6	585	11.07%
7 thru 9	508	9.61%
10 thru 12	555	10.50%
13 thru 15	895	16.94%
16 thru 18	1423	26.93%
19 and up	432	8.18%
Unknown	0	0.00%
<b>Episodes of Removal From Own Home</b>		
1 Removal	5280	99.92%
2 Removals	4	0.08%
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	503	9.52%
1 thru 3	725	13.72%
4 thru 6	708	13.40%
7 thru 9	708	13.40%
10 thru 12	885	16.75%
13 thru 15	1225	23.18%
16 thru 18	522	9.88%
19 and up	0	0.00%
Unknown	8	0.15%
<b>Type of Most Recent Placement</b>		
Non-relative Foster Home	3361	63.61%
Institution	479	9.07%
Group Home	260	4.92%
Pre-adoptive Home	174	3.29%
Trial Home Visit	202	3.82%
Independent Living	314	5.94%
Relative Foster Home	311	5.89%
Runaway	21	0.40%
Unknown	162	3.07%

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<b>Conditions of Last Removal</b>		
Child's Behavior Problem	1148	21.73%
Neglect	2604	49.28%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	683	12.93%
Relinquishment	425	8.04%
Physical Abuse	791	14.97%
Parent's Drug Abuse	861	16.29%
Inadequate Housing	757	14.33%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	296	5.60%
Sexual Abuse	271	5.13%
Abandonment	303	5.73%
Child's Disability	113	2.14%
Incarceration of Parent	344	6.51%
Child's Drug Abuse	82	1.55%
Death of Parent	52	0.98%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	37	0.70%
<b>Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode</b>		
1 Placement	1614	30.55%
2 Placements	1248	23.62%
3 Placements	806	15.25%
4 Placements	431	8.16%
5 Placements	302	5.72%
6 or More Placements	797	15.08%
Unknown	86	1.63%
<b>Most Recent Placement Out of State?</b>		
No	5001	94.64%
Yes	122	2.31%
<b>Most Recent Case Plan Goal</b>		
Long Term Foster Care	672	12.72%
Emancipation	692	13.10%
Reunification	1773	33.55%
Adoption	1319	24.96%
Live With Other Relatives	360	6.81%
Not Yet Established	468	8.86%
Unknown	0	0.00%
<b>Disabilities</b>		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	554	10.48%
Mental Retardation	144	2.73%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	29	0.55%
Physically Disabled	375	7.10%
Emotionally Disturbed	270	5.11%
Other Medical Condition	40	0.76%