

Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia		
Data As Of:	1/1/2017	
	Number Children	Percent Children
Sex		
Male	2691	51.65%
Female	2519	48.35%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	5210	
Age As Of		
1/1/2017		
Less than 1	241	4.63%
1 thru 3	871	16.72%
4 thru 6	635	12.19%
7 thru 9	590	11.32%
10 thru 12	619	11.88%
13 thru 15	838	16.08%
16 thru 17	929	17.83%
18	279	5.36%
19 and up	208	3.99%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Episodes of Removal From Own Home		
1 Removal	4552	87.37%
2 Removals	565	10.84%
3 Removals	79	1.52%
4 Removals	12	0.23%
5 Removals	2	0.04%
6 or More Removals	0	0.00%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Age at Last Removal from Own Home		
Less than 1	681	13.07%
1 thru 3	771	14.80%
4 thru 6	690	13.24%
7 thru 9	674	12.94%
10 thru 12	783	15.03%
13 thru 15	1112	21.34%
16 thru 18	492	9.44%
19 and up	0	0.00%
Unknown	7	0.13%
Type of Most Recent Placement		
Non-relative Foster Home	3272	62.80%
Institution	530	10.17%
Group Home	248	4.76%
Pre-adoptive Home	236	4.53%
Trial Home Visit	222	4.26%
Independent Living	251	4.82%
Relative Foster Home	274	5.26%
Runaway	1	0.02%
Unknown	176	3.38%

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Conditions of Last Removal		
Child's Behavior Problem	1039	19.94%
Neglect	2691	51.65%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	523	10.04%
Relinquishment	357	6.85%
Physical Abuse	799	15.34%
Parent's Drug Abuse	1239	23.78%
Inadequate Housing	855	16.41%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	338	6.49%
Sexual Abuse	246	4.72%
Abandonment	293	5.62%
Child's Disability	77	1.48%
Incarceration of Parent	386	7.41%
Child's Drug Abuse	121	2.32%
Death of Parent	42	0.81%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	29	0.56%
Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode		
1 Placement	1807	34.68%
2 Placements	1290	24.76%
3 Placements	667	12.80%
4 Placements	437	8.39%
5 Placements	237	4.55%
6 or More Placements	653	12.53%
Unknown	119	2.28%
Most Recent Placement Out of State?		
No	4927	94.57%
Yes	111	2.13%
Most Recent Case Plan Goal		
Long Term Foster Care	405	7.77%
Emancipation	114	2.19%
Reunification	2053	39.40%
Adoption	1679	32.23%
Live With Other Relatives	520	9.98%
Not Yet Established	439	8.43%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Disabilities		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	72	1.38%
Mental Retardation	18	0.35%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	1	0.02%
Physically Disabled	61	1.17%
Emotionally Disturbed	53	1.02%
Other Medical Condition	10	0.19%