

Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia		
Data As Of:	1/1/2020	
	Number Children	Percent Children
Sex		
Male	2742	53.32%
Female	2401	46.68%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	5143	
Age As Of 1/1/2020		
Less than 1	260	5.06%
1 thru 3	757	14.72%
4 thru 6	643	12.50%
7 thru 9	582	11.32%
10 thru 12	603	11.72%
13 thru 15	796	15.48%
16 thru 17	757	14.72%
18	297	5.77%
19 and up	448	8.71%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Episodes of Removal From Own Home		
1 Removal	4397	85.49%
2 Removals	624	12.13%
3 Removals	107	2.08%
4 Removals	11	0.21%
5 Removals	4	0.08%
6 or More Removals	0	0.00%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Age at Last Removal from Own Home		
Less than 1	637	12.39%
1 thru 3	697	13.55%
4 thru 6	687	13.36%
7 thru 9	631	12.27%
10 thru 12	727	14.14%
13 thru 15	1062	20.65%
16 thru 18	649	12.62%
19 and up	48	0.93%
Unknown	5	0.10%
Type of Most Recent Placement		
Non-relative Foster Home	1953	37.97%
Institution	408	7.93%
Group Home	227	4.41%
Pre-adoptive Home	1450	28.19%
Trial Home Visit	24	0.47%
Independent Living	634	12.33%
Relative Foster Home	413	8.03%
Runaway	11	0.21%
Unknown	23	0.45%

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Conditions of Last Removal		
Child's Behavior Problem	963	18.72%
Neglect	2566	49.89%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	415	8.07%
Relinquishment	368	7.16%
Physical Abuse	743	14.45%
Parent's Drug Abuse	1470	28.58%
Inadequate Housing	793	15.42%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	283	5.50%
Sexual Abuse	240	4.67%
Abandonment	276	5.37%
Child's Disability	64	1.24%
Incarceration of Parent	353	6.86%
Child's Drug Abuse	134	2.61%
Death of Parent	43	0.84%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	31	0.60%
Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode		
1 Placement	1548	30.10%
2 Placements	1403	27.28%
3 Placements	758	14.74%
4 Placements	440	8.56%
5 Placements	286	5.56%
6 or More Placements	699	13.59%
Unknown	9	0.17%
Most Recent Placement Out of State?		
No	4948	96.21%
Yes	111	2.16%
Most Recent Case Plan Goal		
Long Term Foster Care	243	4.72%
Emancipation	595	11.57%
Reunification	1804	35.08%
Adoption	1763	34.28%
Live With Other Relatives	415	8.07%
Not Yet Established	323	6.28%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Disabilities		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	27	0.52%
Mental Retardation	5	0.10%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	1	0.02%
Physically Disabled	23	0.45%
Emotionally Disturbed	19	0.37%
Other Medical Condition	2	0.04%