

Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia		
Data As Of:	8/1/2020	
	Number Children	Percent Children
Sex		
Male	2667	52.12%
Female	2450	47.88%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	5117	
Age As Of 8/1/2020		
Less than 1	260	5.08%
1 thru 3	790	15.44%
4 thru 6	641	12.53%
7 thru 9	575	11.24%
10 thru 12	570	11.14%
13 thru 15	777	15.18%
16 thru 17	738	14.42%
18	296	5.78%
19 and up	470	9.19%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Episodes of Removal From Own Home		
1 Removal	4407	86.12%
2 Removals	586	11.45%
3 Removals	106	2.07%
4 Removals	12	0.23%
5 Removals	6	0.12%
6 or More Removals	0	0.00%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Age at Last Removal from Own Home		
Less than 1	661	12.92%
1 thru 3	707	13.82%
4 thru 6	679	13.27%
7 thru 9	636	12.43%
10 thru 12	703	13.74%
13 thru 15	1044	20.40%
16 thru 18	628	12.27%
19 and up	52	1.02%
Unknown	7	0.14%
Type of Most Recent Placement		
Non-relative Foster Home	2001	39.10%
Institution	369	7.21%
Group Home	197	3.85%
Pre-adoptive Home	1351	26.40%
Trial Home Visit	48	0.94%
Independent Living	673	13.15%
Relative Foster Home	436	8.52%
Runaway	8	0.16%
Unknown	34	0.66%

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Conditions of Last Removal		
Child's Behavior Problem	932	18.21%
Neglect	2567	50.17%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	398	7.78%
Relinquishment	368	7.19%
Physical Abuse	756	14.77%
Parent's Drug Abuse	1547	30.23%
Inadequate Housing	800	15.63%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	299	5.84%
Sexual Abuse	245	4.79%
Abandonment	274	5.35%
Child's Disability	57	1.11%
Incarceration of Parent	349	6.82%
Child's Drug Abuse	124	2.42%
Death of Parent	48	0.94%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	26	0.51%
Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode		
1 Placement	1555	30.39%
2 Placements	1386	27.09%
3 Placements	736	14.38%
4 Placements	432	8.44%
5 Placements	298	5.82%
6 or More Placements	700	13.68%
Unknown	10	0.20%
Most Recent Placement Out of State?		
No	4899	95.74%
Yes	117	2.29%
Most Recent Case Plan Goal		
Long Term Foster Care	219	4.28%
Emancipation	647	12.64%
Reunification	1775	34.69%
Adoption	1766	34.51%
Live With Other Relatives	416	8.13%
Not Yet Established	294	5.75%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Disabilities		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	21	0.41%
Mental Retardation	4	0.08%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	0	0.00%
Physically Disabled	15	0.29%
Emotionally Disturbed	16	0.31%
Other Medical Condition	2	0.04%