

Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia		
Data As Of:	6/1/2021	
	Number Children	Percent Children
Sex		
Male	2662	51.79%
Female	2478	48.21%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	5140	
Age As Of 6/1/2021		
Less than 1	234	4.55%
1 thru 3	765	14.88%
4 thru 6	591	11.50%
7 thru 9	544	10.58%
10 thru 12	517	10.06%
13 thru 15	753	14.65%
16 thru 17	738	14.36%
18	306	5.95%
19 and up	692	13.46%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Episodes of Removal From Own Home		
1 Removal	4292	83.50%
2 Removals	670	13.04%
3 Removals	142	2.76%
4 Removals	31	0.60%
5 Removals	4	0.08%
6 or More Removals	1	0.02%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Age at Last Removal from Own Home		
Less than 1	642	12.49%
1 thru 3	692	13.46%
4 thru 6	623	12.12%
7 thru 9	598	11.63%
10 thru 12	662	12.88%
13 thru 15	1049	20.41%
16 thru 18	712	13.85%
19 and up	153	2.98%
Unknown	9	0.18%
Type of Most Recent Placement		
Non-relative Foster Home	2121	41.26%
Institution	343	6.67%
Group Home	188	3.66%
Pre-adoptive Home	969	18.85%
Trial Home Visit	102	1.98%
Independent Living	889	17.30%
Relative Foster Home	497	9.67%
Runaway	5	0.10%
Unknown	26	0.51%

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Conditions of Last Removal		
Child's Behavior Problem	931	18.11%
Neglect	2518	48.99%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	400	7.78%
Relinquishment	376	7.32%
Physical Abuse	761	14.81%
Parent's Drug Abuse	1557	30.29%
Inadequate Housing	731	14.22%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	288	5.60%
Sexual Abuse	235	4.57%
Abandonment	291	5.66%
Child's Disability	62	1.21%
Incarceration of Parent	286	5.56%
Child's Drug Abuse	118	2.30%
Death of Parent	54	1.05%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	26	0.51%
Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode		
1 Placement	1542	30.00%
2 Placements	1296	25.21%
3 Placements	718	13.97%
4 Placements	430	8.37%
5 Placements	303	5.89%
6 or More Placements	830	16.15%
Unknown	21	0.41%
Most Recent Placement Out of State?		
No	4928	95.88%
Yes	141	2.74%
Most Recent Case Plan Goal		
Long Term Foster Care	213	4.14%
Emancipation	869	16.91%
Reunification	1534	29.84%
Adoption	1802	35.06%
Live With Other Relatives	403	7.84%
Not Yet Established	319	6.21%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Disabilities		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	26	0.51%
Mental Retardation	7	0.14%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	2	0.04%
Physically Disabled	22	0.43%
Emotionally Disturbed	18	0.35%
Other Medical Condition	2	0.04%