

2018 BRIGHT SPOTS DATA PACKAGE PERMANENCY

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Question 11: Children Obtaining Permanency

Question: What percentage of children in foster care are discharged to permanency? How do these percentages differ by length of time in care?



Answer: Statewide, 35.6% (N=2,568) of children admitted to foster care between 4/1/16 and 3/31/17, were discharged to permanency within 12 months (Figure 11a). For children in care between 12 and 23 months on 4/1/18, 31.1% (N=1,140) were discharged to permanency within a year (Figure 11b). Among children in care for more than 24 months, 33.8% (N=1,970) obtained permanency within the next year (Figure 11c).

Among children admitted to foster care between 4/1/16 and 3/31/17 who were discharged to permanency within 12 months, 7.9% re-entered foster care (Figure 11d).

Things to Consider:

- How might foster care admission rate (Figure 7a) impact the risk/needs level of children served and subsequent permanency outcomes?

For More Information: See CFSR County packets for break outs by child age, gender, race.

Figure 11a: % of Children Entering Foster Care Obtaining Permanency within 12 Months (CFSR P1, Wave 6)

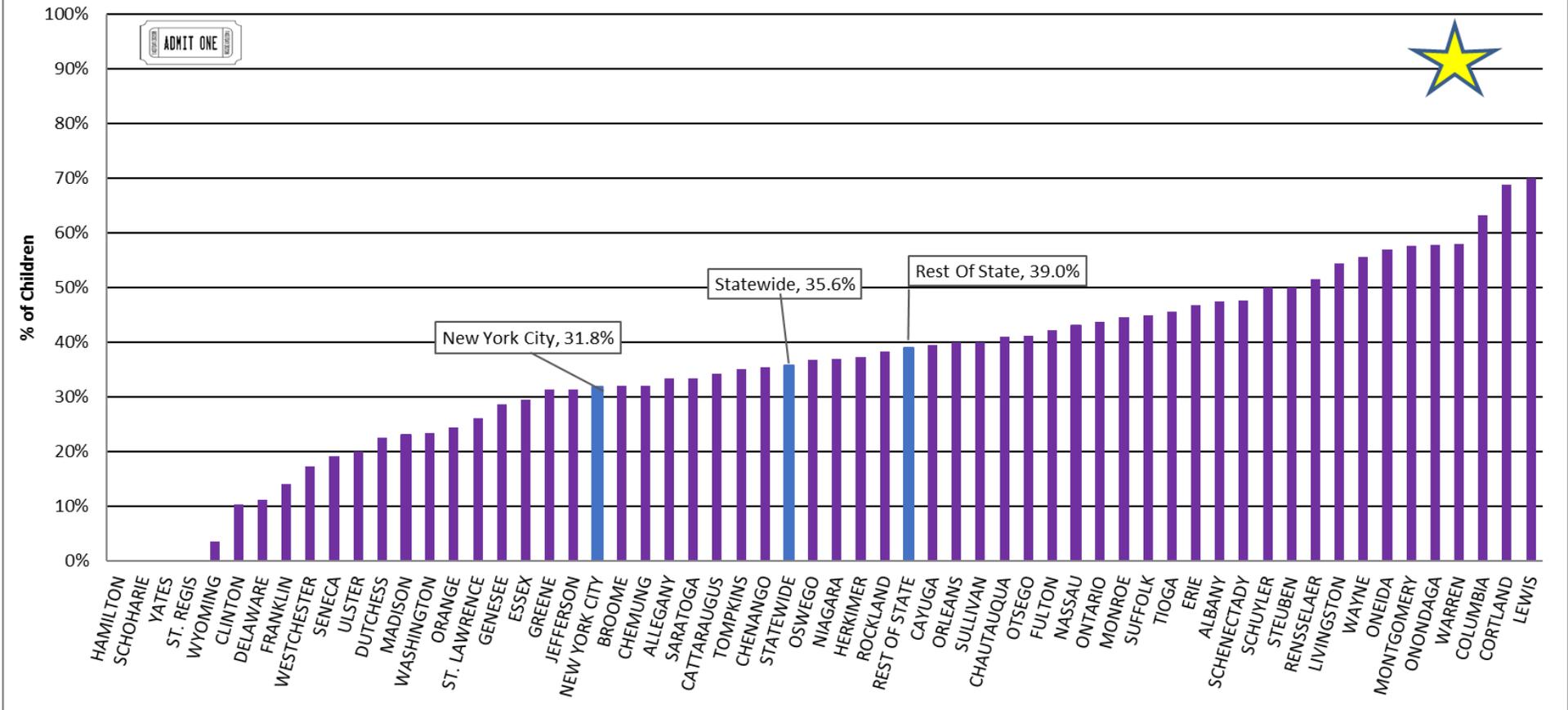


Table 11a: % of Children Entering Foster Care Obtaining Permanency Within 12 Months (CFSR P1, Wave 6)			
Location	# of Children That Entered Care Between 4/1/16 And 3/31/17	Children Discharged to Permanency	
		N	%
Nat'l Average			40.5%
Statewide	7,208	2,568	35.6%
New York City	3,335	1,059	31.8%
Rest Of State	3,873	1,509	39%
Albany	150	71	47.3%
Allegany	21	7	33.3%
Broome	119	38	31.9%
Cattaraugus	38	13	34.2%
Cayuga	38	15	39.5%
Chautauqua	66	27	40.9%
Chemung	50	16	32.0%
Chenango	17	6	35.3%
Clinton	29	3	10.3%
Columbia	19	12	63.2%
Cortland	16	11	68.8%
Delaware	9	1	11.1%
Dutchess	151	34	22.5%
Erie	524	245	46.8%
Essex	17	5	29.4%
Franklin	64	9	14.1%
Fulton	19	8	42.1%
Genesee	28	8	28.6%
Greene	32	10	31.3%
Hamilton	1	-	0.0%
Herkimer	51	19	37.3%
Jefferson	67	21	31.3%
Lewis	10	7	70.0%
Livingston	35	19	54.3%
Madison	13	3	23.1%
Monroe	267	119	44.6%
Montgomery	40	23	57.5%
Nassau	79	34	43.0%
Niagara	103	38	36.9%
Oneida	132	75	56.8%
Onondaga	220	127	57.7%
Ontario	32	14	43.8%
Orange	152	37	24.3%
Orleans	25	10	40.0%
Oswego	49	18	36.7%
Otsego	17	7	41.2%
Putnam	10	7	70.0%
Rensselaer	35	18	51.4%
Rockland	34	13	38.2%
St. Lawrence	77	20	26.0%
Saratoga	27	9	33.3%
Schenectady	101	48	47.5%
Schoharie	23	-	0.0%
Schuyler	4	2	50.0%
Seneca	21	4	19.0%
Steuben	60	30	50.0%
Suffolk	279	125	44.8%
Sullivan	40	16	40.0%
Tioga	11	5	45.5%
Tompkins	60	21	35.0%
Ulster	90	18	20.0%
Warren	19	11	57.9%
Washington	30	7	23.3%
Wayne	18	10	55.6%
Westchester	197	34	17.3%
Wyoming	29	1	3.4%
Yates	2	-	0.0%
St. Regis	6	-	0.0%

Figure 11b: % Of Children in Foster Care for 12-23 Months on 4/1/18 Obtaining Permanency within 12 Months (CFSR P2, Wave 6)

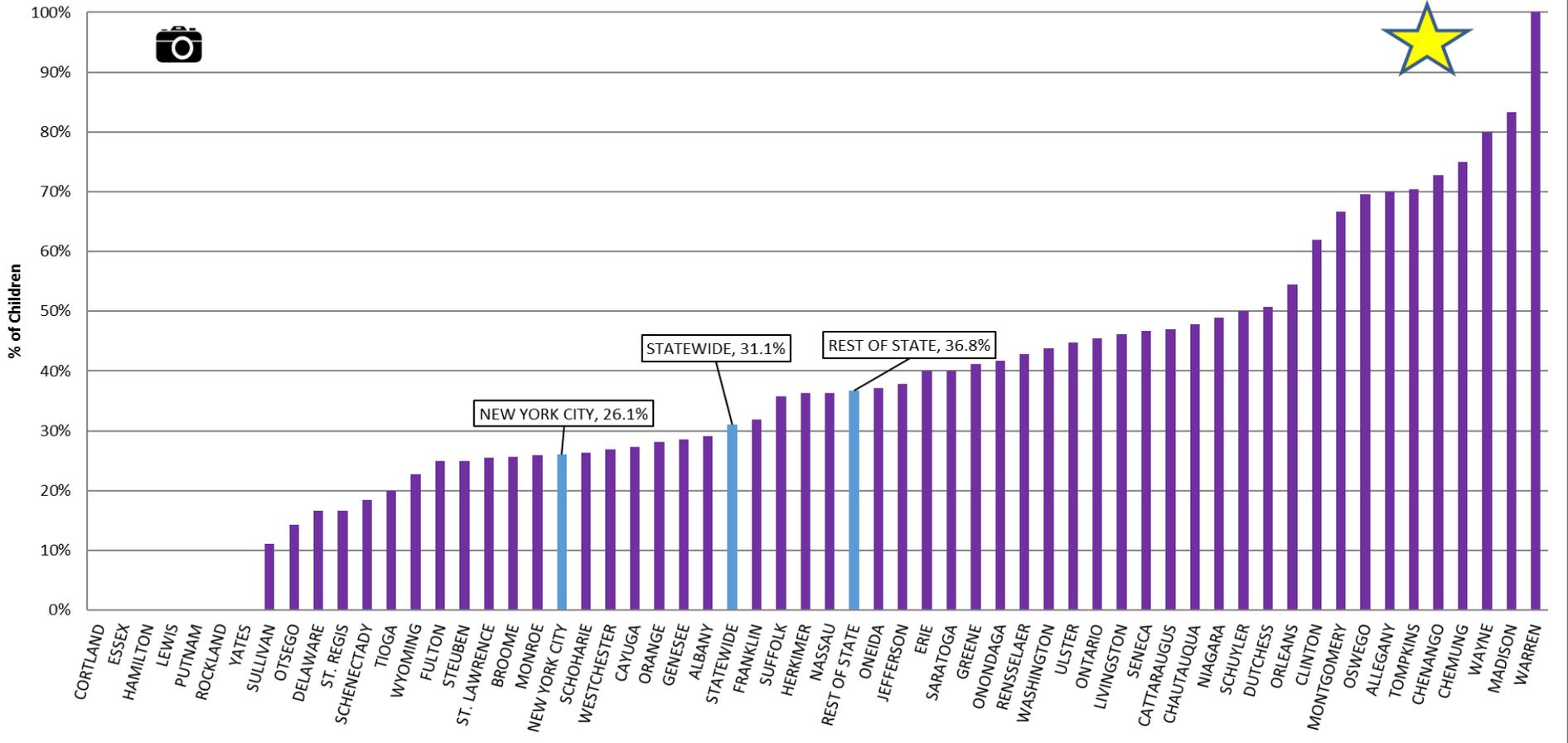


Table 11b: % Of Children in Foster Care for 12-23 Months on 4/1/18 Obtaining Permanency Within 12 Months (CFSR P2, Wave 6)			
Location	# Children in Care for 12-23 Months on 4/1/2018	Children Discharged to Permanency in 12 Months for Children in Care 12-23 Months as of 4/1/18	
		N	%
Nat'l Average			43.60%
Statewide	5,824	1,970	33.8%
New York City	3,778	1,197	31.7%
Rest Of State	2,046	773	37.8%
Albany	54	18	33.3%
Allegany	23	6	26.1%
Broome	83	16	19.3%
Cattaraugus	16	6	37.5%
Cayuga	13	5	38.5%
Chautauqua	19	10	52.6%
Chemung	21	7	33.3%
Chenango	19	6	31.6%
Clinton	15	7	46.7%
Columbia	16	2	12.5%
Cortland	17	8	47.1%
Delaware	22	10	45.5%
Dutchess	62	32	51.6%
Erie	295	134	45.4%
Essex	17	2	11.8%
Franklin	42	9	21.4%
Fulton	9	2	22.2%
Genesee	26	9	34.6%
Greene	14	4	28.6%
Hamilton	1	1	100.0%
Herkimer	11	3	27.3%
Jefferson	32	13	40.6%
Lewis	.	.	.
Livingston	6	5	83.3%
Madison	4	2	50.0%
Monroe	78	33	42.3%
Montgomery	19	11	57.9%
Nassau	40	7	17.5%
Niagara	33	20	60.6%
Oneida	48	17	35.4%
Onondaga	98	38	38.8%
Ontario	28	18	64.3%
Orange	127	42	33.1%
Orleans	8	4	50.0%
Oswego	11	4	36.4%
Otsego	5	3	60.0%
Putnam	1	1	100.0%
Rensselaer	23	4	17.4%
Rockland	10	4	40.0%
St. Lawrence	58	18	31.0%
Saratoga	16	4	25.0%
Schenectady	82	32	39.0%
Schoharie	16	5	31.3%
Schuyler	11	3	27.3%
Seneca	13	5	38.5%
Steuben	29	12	41.4%
Suffolk	156	71	45.5%
Sullivan	36	2	5.6%
Tioga	9	5	55.6%
Tompkins	23	15	65.2%
Ulster	26	6	23.1%
Warren	12	5	41.7%
Washington	11	2	18.2%
Wayne	5	3	60.0%
Westchester	162	54	33.3%
Wyoming	6	3	50.0%
Yates	6	2	33.3%
St. Regis	3	3	100.0%

Figure 11c: % of Children in Foster Care for 24+ Months on 4/1/18 Obtaining Permanency within 12 Months (CFSR P3, Wave 6)

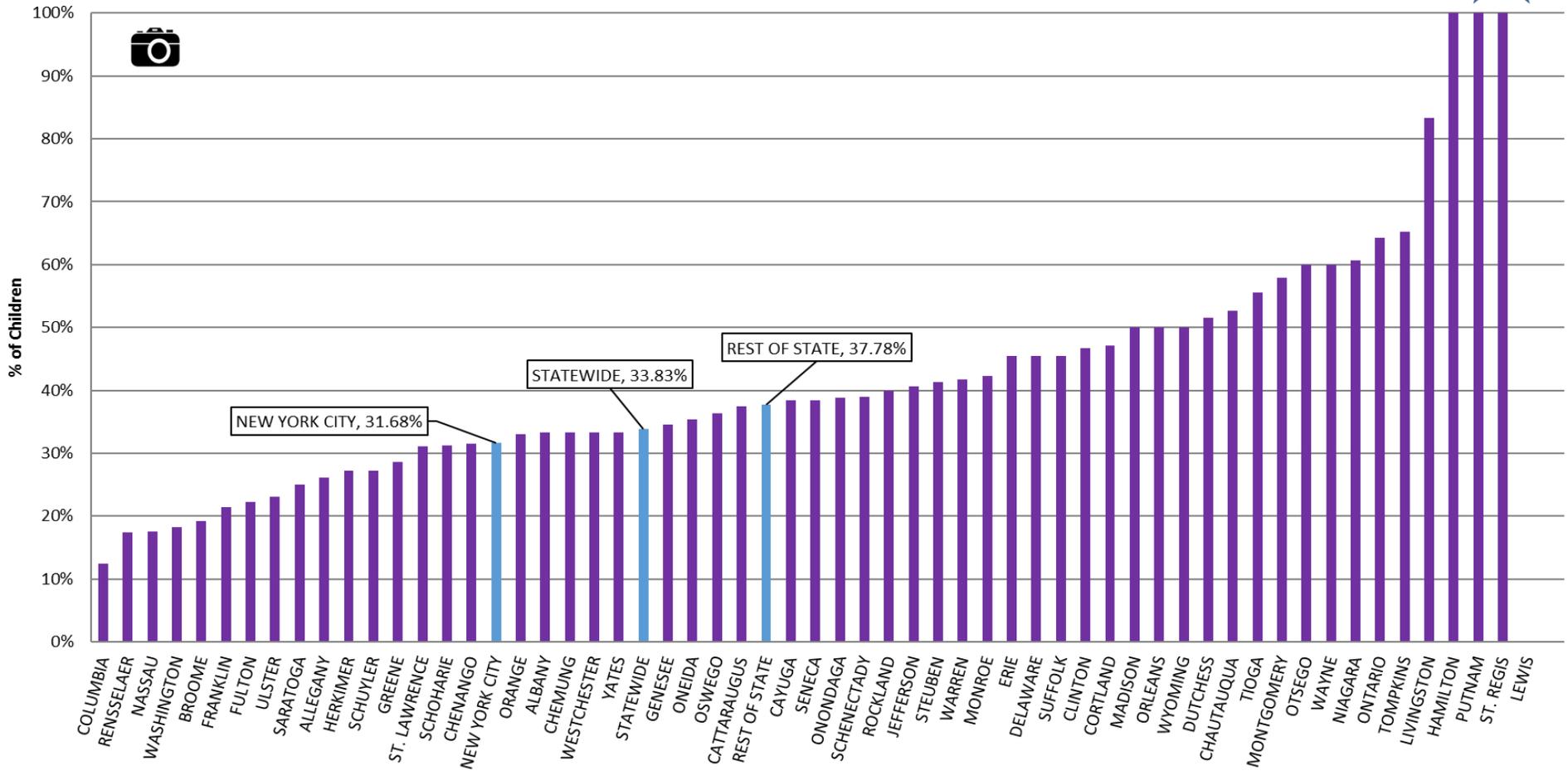
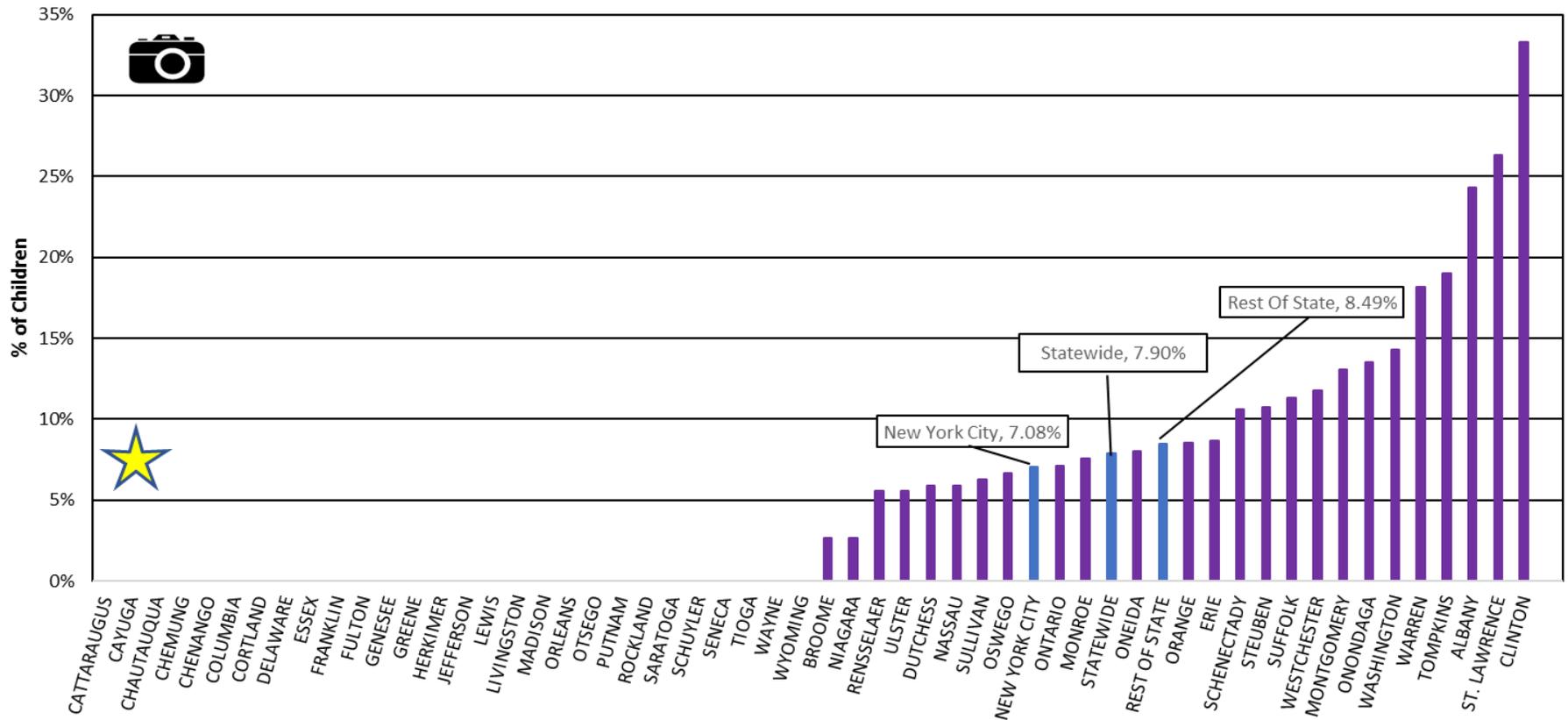


Table 11c: % Children in Foster Care for 24+ Months on 4/1/18 Obtaining Permanency Within 12 Months (CFSR P3, Wave 6)			
Location	# Children in Care 24 Months or More as of 4/1/18	Children Discharged to Permanency in 12 Months for Children in Care 24 Months or More as of 4/1/18	
		N	%
Nat'l Average			30.30%
Statewide	5,824	1,970	33.80%
New York City	3,778	1,197	31.70%
Rest Of State	2,046	773	37.80%
Albany	54	18	33.30%
Allegany	23	6	26.10%
Broome	83	16	19.30%
Cattaraugus	16	6	37.50%
Cayuga	13	5	38.50%
Chautauqua	19	10	52.60%
Chemung	21	7	33.30%
Chenango	19	6	31.60%
Clinton	15	7	46.70%
Columbia	16	2	12.50%
Cortland	17	8	47.10%
Delaware	22	10	45.50%
Dutchess	62	32	51.60%
Erie	295	134	45.40%
Essex	17	2	11.80%
Franklin	42	9	21.40%
Fulton	9	2	22.20%
Genesee	26	9	34.60%
Greene	14	4	28.60%
Hamilton	1	1	100.00%
Herkimer	11	3	27.30%
Jefferson	32	13	40.60%
Lewis	.	.	.
Livingston	6	5	83.30%
Madison	4	2	50.00%
Monroe	78	33	42.30%
Montgomery	19	11	57.90%
Nassau	40	7	17.50%
Niagara	33	20	60.60%
Oneida	48	17	35.40%
Onondaga	98	38	38.80%
Ontario	28	18	64.30%
Orange	127	42	33.10%
Orleans	8	4	50.00%
Oswego	11	4	36.40%
Otsego	5	3	60.00%
Putnam	1	1	100.00%
Rensselaer	23	4	17.40%
Rockland	10	4	40.00%
St. Lawrence	58	18	31.00%
Saratoga	16	4	25.00%
Schenectady	82	32	39.00%
Schoharie	16	5	31.30%
Schuyler	11	3	27.30%
Seneca	13	5	38.50%
Steuben	29	12	41.40%
Suffolk	156	71	45.50%
Sullivan	36	2	5.60%
Tioga	9	5	55.60%
Tompkins	23	15	65.20%
Ulster	26	6	23.10%
Warren	12	5	41.70%
Washington	11	2	18.20%
Wayne	5	3	60.00%
Westchester	162	54	33.30%
Wyoming	6	3	50.00%
Yates	6	2	33.30%
St. Regis	3	3	100.00%

Figure 11d: Re-entry : % of P1 Children Discharged to Permanency within 12 Months Who Re-enter Care within 12 Months (CFSR P4, Wave 6)



* Children discharged to adoption are excluded because they cannot be tracked for re-entry.

Location	# Children Entering Foster Care in FFY 2017 and Discharged to Permanency Within 12 Months*	Children Re-Entering Care Within 12 Months of Discharge	
		N	%
Nat'l Average			8.30%
Statewide	2,543	201	7.90%
New York City	1,059	75	7.08%
Rest Of State	1,484	126	8.49%
Albany	70	17	24.29%
Allegany	7	0	0.00%
Broome	38	1	2.63%
Cattaraugus	12	0	0.00%
Cayuga	15	0	0.00%
Chautauqua	27	0	0.00%
Chemung	15	0	0.00%
Chenango	6	0	0.00%
Clinton	3	1	33.33%
Columbia	12	0	0.00%
Cortland	11	0	0.00%
Delaware	1	0	0.00%
Dutchess	34	2	5.88%
Erie	243	21	8.64%
Essex	5	0	0.00%
Franklin	9	0	0.00%
Fulton	8	0	0.00%
Genesee	6	0	0.00%
Greene	10	0	0.00%
Hamilton	.	.	.
Herkimer	19	0	0.00%
Jefferson	19	0	0.00%
Lewis	6	0	0.00%
Livingston	18	0	0.00%
Madison	3	0	0.00%
Monroe	119	9	7.56%
Montgomery	23	3	13.04%
Nassau	34	2	5.88%
Niagara	38	1	2.63%
Oneida	75	6	8.00%
Onondaga	126	17	13.49%
Ontario	14	1	7.14%
Orange	35	3	8.57%
Orleans	10	0	0.00%
Oswego	15	1	6.67%
Otsego	7	0	0.00%
Putnam	6	0	0.00%
Rensselaer	18	1	5.56%
Rockland	13	0	0.00%
St. Lawrence	19	5	26.32%
Saratoga	9	0	0.00%
Schenectady	47	5	10.64%
Schoharie	.	.	.
Schuyler	1	0	0.00%
Seneca	3	0	0.00%
Steuben	28	3	10.71%
Suffolk	124	14	11.29%
Sullivan	16	1	6.25%
Tioga	5	0	0.00%
Tompkins	21	4	19.05%
Ulster	18	1	5.56%
Warren	11	2	18.18%
Washington	7	1	14.29%
Wayne	10	0	0.00%
Westchester	34	4	11.76%
Wyoming	1	0	0.00%
Yates	.	.	.
St. Regis	.	.	.