

**Statewide
Children in Care and Custody of LDSS - Quarter Ending Mar 31, 2024**

	ADMISSIONS			INCARE			DISCHARGES				
	01 - 03/24		01 - 03/23	3/31/24		3/31/23	01 - 03/24		01 - 03/23		
	Percent	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Number		
STATEWIDE	100 %	1,644	1,658	100 %	13,309	13,576	100 %	1,490	1,654		
SEX											
Male	50%	827	845	51%	6,798	6,961	54%	803	822		
Female	50%	817	813	49%	6,510	6,614	46%	687	832		
AGE											
5 and Under	44%	716	769	37%	4,948	5,195	35%	523	589		
6 - 9	15%	254	277	19%	2,540	2,577	20%	305	288		
10 - 13	17%	276	261	16%	2,106	2,201	16%	240	243		
14+	24%	398	351	28%	3,714	3,602	28%	422	534		
RACE/ ETHNICITY											
African American	32%	532	546	35%	4,722	4,836	34%	501	578		
Hispanic	25%	418	470	27%	3,540	3,537	27%	400	441		
White	29%	469	481	26%	3,491	3,633	27%	409	455		
Other/ Unknown	14%	225	161	12%	1,556	1,570	12%	180	180		
LOCATION											
New York City	46%	750	721	51%	6,754	6,915	49%	727	817		
Rest of State	54%	894	937	49%	6,555	6,661	51%	763	837		
TYPE OF PLACEMENT											
NON-CONGREGATE	62%	1,024	1,061	87%	11,557	11,777	80%	1,185	1,266		
Foster Boarding Home	8%	139	145	14%	1,909	1,998	16%	235	224		
Foster Adoptive Home	26%	425	469	36%	4,817	5,036	35%	520	536		
Approved Relative Home	28%	460	447	36%	4,831	4,743	29%	430	506		
CONGREGATE	38%	620	597	13%	1,752	1,799	20%	305	388		
Institution	28%	459	421	7%	980	988	12%	182	207		
Group Home	4%	70	61	3%	337	322	3%	50	77		
Group Residence	1%	11	89	1%	115	125	1%	19	47		
Agency Operated Boarding Home	4%	66	10	1%	163	137	2%	30	23		
Other	1%	14	16	1%	157	227	2%	24	34		
PERMANENCY PLANNING GOAL/DISCHARGE DESTINATION (From Connections Activity Module)										Current Median Years	Previous Median Years
Return Home	29%	472	458	60%	7,964	7,823	42%	622	612	1.25	1.33
Adoption	0%	6	7	24%	3,230	3,491	18%	274	332	3.79	3.67
Another Planned Living Arrangement	0%	3	9	7%	931	1,024	8%	120	134	3.17	3.92
Other	71%	1,163	1,184	9%	1,184	1,238	32%	474	576	0.33	0.33
MEDIAN YEARS IN CARE											
Statewide					1.50	1.58		1.33	1.42		
New York City					1.75	1.92		1.92	1.83		
Rest of State					1.33	1.33		1.08	1.33		
PINS In Care					12						
JD's In Care					274						
		Children in care as of			Children who are legally adopted						
ADOPTION	Awaiting Adoption * (with a goal of adoption)	With a Goal of adoption and completely freed	With a Goal of adoption and placed in adoptive home	Children Discharge to adoption/ Legally Adopted	Median Years to Adoption						
Statewide	3,304	1,598	928	263	1.33						
New York City	1,640	535	418	125	1.92						
Rest of State	1,664	1,063	510	138	1.08						

*- IN CARE numbers include only youth in "Active" (04) status.

NOTE - Numbers may differ from those that appear on other routine reports distributed by OCFS either because they are taken from the database on different dates or because the definition of a term differs.

The following revisions were made effective as of Q1 2015: (a) Race/Ethnicity is that from Connections (previously from CCRS); (b) new placement category "Foster Adoptive Homes" has been added to reflect a system change in Connections; and (c) methodology for PINS/JDs InCare calculation has been improved.