

Summit County: Children Services Profile

June 2020

County Demographics 2019

Population	541,334	
Race	White	79%
	African American	15%
	Multi-racial	3%
	Other	4%
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)	2%	
Child Population	114,221	
Per Capita Income	\$33,606	
Poverty Rate	All Ages	13%
	Children	19%
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren	3,552	

Agency Response SFY 2020

Reports Screened-In by Agency	3,463	
By Type	Physical Abuse	27%
	Neglect	29%
	Sexual Abuse	6%
	Emotional Maltreatment	1%
	Multiple Allegations	18%
	Families in Need of Assistance, Dependency, Other	16%
By Category	Abuse or Neglect (Traditional Response)	21%
	Abuse or Neglect (Alternative Response)	63%
	Dependency	10%
	Families in Need of Assistance	6%
Cases Transferred to Ongoing	482	

Children in Custody	SFY 2018	SFY 2020	Change
Total in custody anytime during year	1,462	1,544	6%
Rate per 1,000 children	12.8	13.5	6%

Permanency

Children who gained permanency through	SFY 2018	SFY 2020	Change
Reunification	377	404	7%
Guardianship	60	41	-32%
Custody to Relative	171	174	2%
Adoption	63	73	16%
Children waiting to be adopted	158	105	-34%

Youth Aged Out of Care

	SFY 2018	SFY 2020	Change
Number Aged Out	37	34	-8%

Children Served

	On 7/1/2018		On 7/1/2020	
Total	1,432		1,482	
In Custody	765	53%	807	54%
In Home	667	47%	675	46%

Profile of Children in Custody on 7/1/2020

Gender

Female	49%
Male	51%

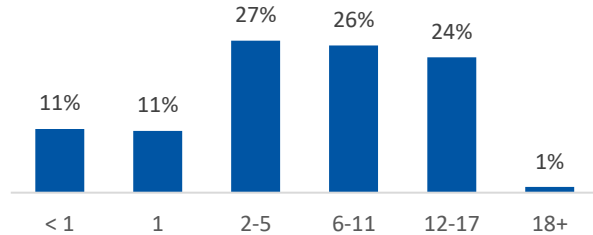
Race

White	47%
African American	27%
Multiracial	25%
Other	1%

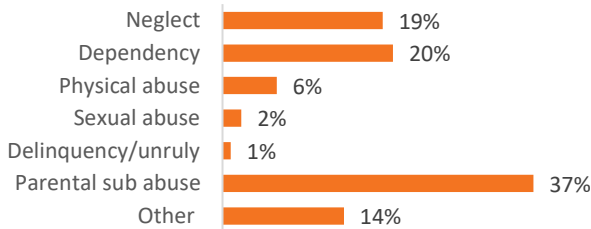
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

4%

Age in Years



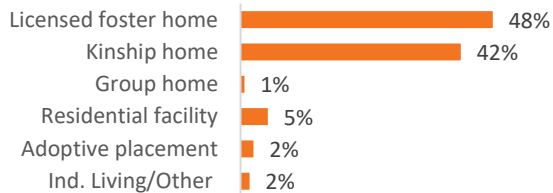
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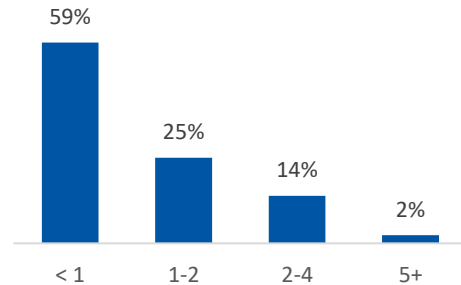
Type of Custody

Temporary	81%
Permanent	17%
Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	1%

Placement Type



Years in Custody



Profile of Children in Home on 7/1/2020

Gender

Female	48%
Male	52%

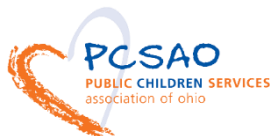
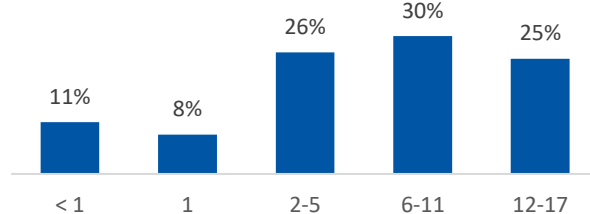
Race

White	51%
African American	26%
Multiracial	23%
Other	0%

Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

4%

Age in Years



Contact Information

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For data sources and notes, go to
<https://www.pcsao.org/pdf/factbook/2020/Sources.pdf>