

Wood County: Children Services Profile

June 2023

County Demographics 2022

Population		131,564
Race	White	89%
	African American	2%
	Multi-racial	5%
	Other	4%
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)		6%
Child Population		26,576
Per Capita Income		\$39,771
Poverty Rate	All Ages	13%
	Children	11%
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren		700

Agency Response SFY 2023

Reports Screened-In by Agency		951
By Type	Physical Abuse	18%
	Neglect	34%
	Sexual Abuse	10%
	Emotional Maltreatment	1%
	Multiple Allegations	28%
	Family in Need of Services, Dependency, Other	8%
By Category	Abuse or Neglect (Traditional Response)	43%
	Abuse or Neglect (Alternative Response)	49%
	Dependency	2%
	Family in Need of Services	6%
Cases Transferred to Ongoing		43

Children in Custody	SFY 2022	SFY 2023	Change
Total in custody anytime during year	76	80	5%
Rate per 1,000 children	2.9	3.0	5%

Permanency

Children who gained permanency through	SFY 2022	SFY 2023	Change
Reunification	4	13	225%
Guardianship	0	0	-
Custody to Relative	4	8	100%
Adoption	5	4	-20%
Children waiting to be adopted	15	14	-7%

Youth Aged Out of Care

	SFY 2022	SFY 2023	Change
Number Aged Out	8	7	-13%

Children Served

	On 7/1/2022		On 7/1/2023	
Total	156		121	
In Custody	51	33%	46	38%
In Home	105	67%	75	62%

Profile of Children in Custody on 7/1/2023

Gender

Female	54%
Male	46%

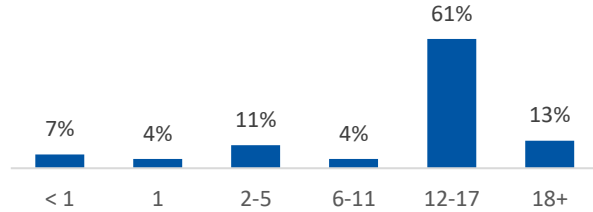
Race

White	61%
African American	7%
Multiracial	33%
Other	0%

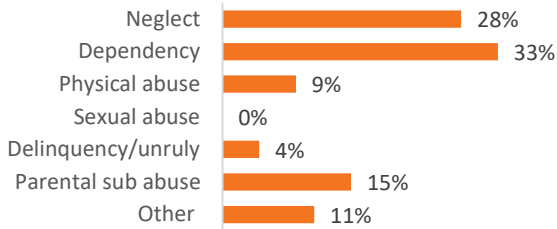
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

28%

Age in Years



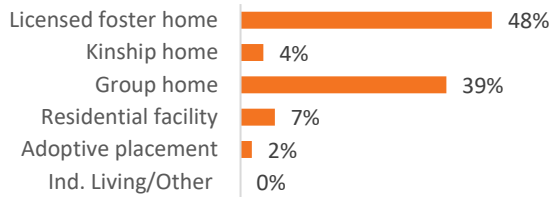
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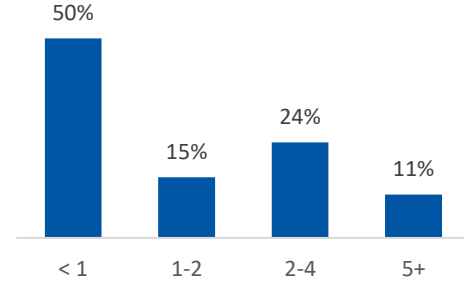
Type of Custody

Temporary	57%
Permanent	26%
Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	17%

Placement Type



Years in Custody



Profile of Children in Home on 7/1/2023

Gender

Female	45%
Male	55%

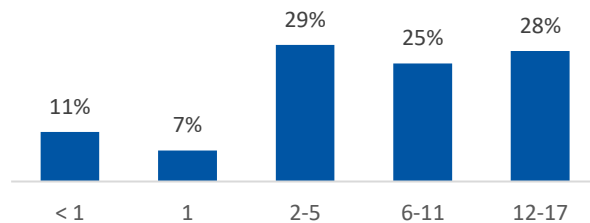
Race

White	68%
African American	4%
Multiracial	28%
Other	0%

Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

19%

Age in Years



Contact Information

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For data sources and notes, go to
<https://www.pcsao.org/pdf/factbook/2023/Sources.pdf>