

Butler County: Children Services Profile

June 2024

County Demographics 2023

Population		389,910
Race	White	78%
	African American	8%
	Multi-racial	7%
	Other	7%
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)		7%
Child Population		92,019
Per Capita Income		\$39,425
Poverty Rate	All Ages	12%
	Children	13%
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren		3,146

Agency Response SFY 2024

Reports Screened-In by Agency		2,623
By Type	Physical Abuse	37%
	Neglect	24%
	Sexual Abuse	8%
	Emotional Maltreatment	1%
	Multiple Allegations	12%
	Family in Need of Services, Dependency, Other	15%
By Category	Abuse or Neglect (Traditional Response)	31%
	Abuse or Neglect (Alternative Response)	54%
	Dependency	3%
	Family in Need of Services	12%
Cases Transferred to Ongoing		137

Children in Custody

	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Total in custody anytime during year	452	417	-8%
Rate per 1,000 children	4.9	4.5	-8%

Permanency

Children who gained permanency through	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Reunification	76	41	-46%
Guardianship	20	32	60%
Custody to Relative	29	32	10%
Adoption	49	46	-6%
Children waiting to be adopted	105	90	-14%

Youth Aged Out of Care

	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Number Aged Out	17	23	35%

Children Served

	On 7/1/2023		On 7/1/2024	
Total	512		490	
In Custody	271	53%	244	50%
In Home	241	47%	246	50%

Profile of Children in Custody on 7/1/2024

Gender

Female	47%
Male	53%

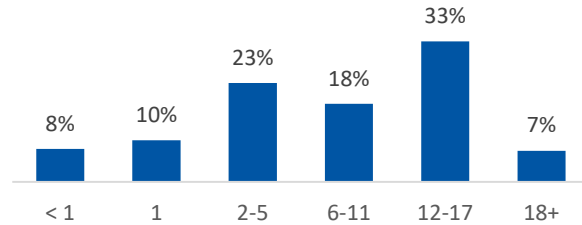
Race

White	68%
African American	11%
Multiracial	21%
Other	0%

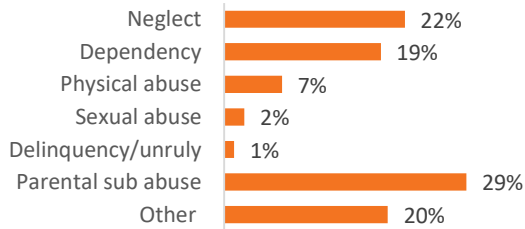
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

9%

Age in Years



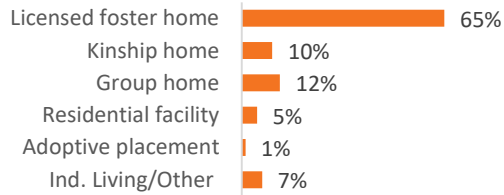
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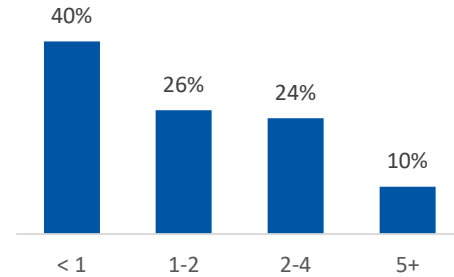
Type of Custody

Temporary	56%
Permanent	36%
Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	8%

Placement Type



Years in Custody



Profile of Children in Home on 7/1/2024

Gender

Female	50%
Male	50%

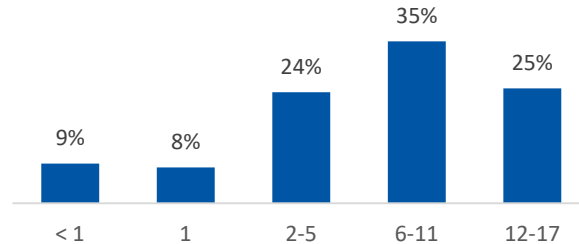
Race

White	66%
African American	15%
Multiracial	16%
Other	2%

Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

7%

Age in Years



Contact Information

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For data sources and notes, go to <https://www.pcsao.org/pdf/factbook/2024/Sources.pdf>