

Ottawa County: Children Services Profile

June 2024

County Demographics 2023

Population		40,161
Race	White	93%
	African American	1%
	Multi-racial	4%
	Other	3%
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)		5%
Child Population		7,108
Per Capita Income		\$47,629
Poverty Rate	All Ages	8%
	Children	12%
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren		228

Agency Response SFY 2024

Reports Screened-In by Agency		170
By Type	Physical Abuse	34%
	Neglect	19%
	Sexual Abuse	18%
	Emotional Maltreatment	2%
	Multiple Allegations	9%
	Family in Need of Services, Dependency, Other	13%
By Category	Abuse or Neglect (Traditional Response)	33%
	Abuse or Neglect (Alternative Response)	54%
	Dependency	4%
	Family in Need of Services	9%
Cases Transferred to Ongoing		16

Children in Custody

	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Total in custody anytime during year	37	39	5%
Rate per 1,000 children	5.2	5.5	5%

Permanency

Children who gained permanency through	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Reunification	6	5	-17%
Guardianship	2	1	-50%
Custody to Relative	8	4	-50%
Adoption	0	3	-
Children waiting to be adopted	1	5	400%

Youth Aged Out of Care

	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Number Aged Out	0	2	-

Children Served

	On 7/1/2023		On 7/1/2024	
Total	41		63	
In Custody	21	51%	25	40%
In Home	20	49%	38	60%

Profile of Children in Custody on 7/1/2024

Gender

Female	44%
Male	56%

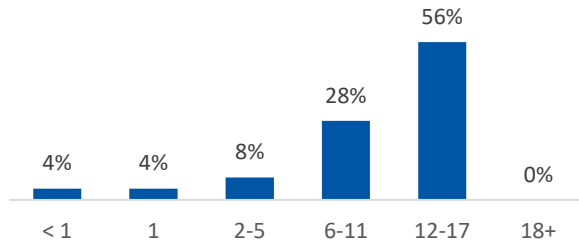
Race

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

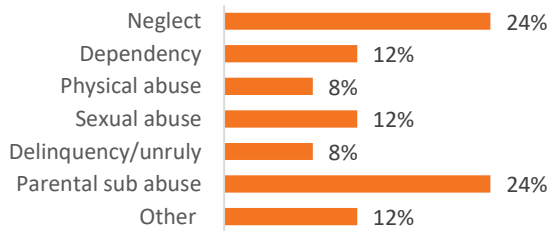
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

8%

Age in Years



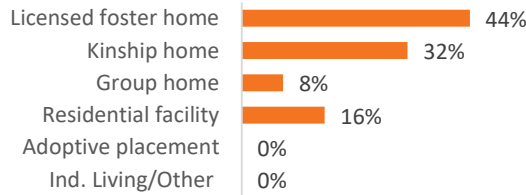
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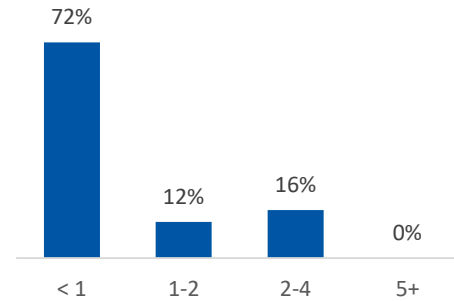
Type of Custody

Temporary	76%
Permanent	12%
Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	8%

Placement Type



Years in Custody



Profile of Children in Home on 7/1/2024

Gender

Female	47%
Male	53%

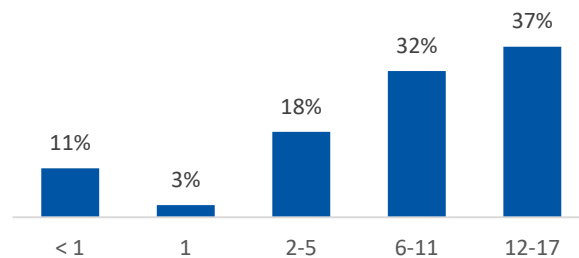
Race

White	100%
African American	0%
Multiracial	0%
Other	0%

Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

24%

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>