

# Summit County: Children Services Profile

June 2024

## County Demographics 2023

<b>Population</b>		538,087
<b>Race</b>	White	75%
	African American	14%
	Multi-racial	6%
	Other	5%
<b>Ethnicity (% Hispanic)</b>		3%
<b>Child Population</b>		111,922
<b>Per Capita Income</b>		\$42,749
<b>Poverty Rate</b>	All Ages	13%
	Children	18%
<b>Grandparents Raising Grandchildren</b>		3,049

## Agency Response SFY 2024

<b>Reports Screened-In by Agency</b>		3,307
<b>By Type</b>	Physical Abuse	28%
	Neglect	25%
	Sexual Abuse	6%
	Emotional Maltreatment	4%
	Multiple Allegations	20%
	Family in Need of Services, Dependency, Other	14%
<b>By Category</b>	Abuse or Neglect (Traditional Response)	20%
	Abuse or Neglect (Alternative Response)	66%
	Dependency	9%
	Family in Need of Services	5%
<b>Cases Transferred to Ongoing</b>		407

## Children in Custody

	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Total in custody anytime during year	1,622	1,630	0%
Rate per 1,000 children	14.5	14.6	0%

## Permanency

Children who gained permanency through	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Reunification	443	482	9%
Guardianship	22	20	-9%
Custody to Relative	162	230	42%
Adoption	97	64	-34%
<b>Children waiting to be adopted</b>	153	159	4%

## Youth Aged Out of Care

	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Number Aged Out	32	28	-13%

## Children Served

	On 7/1/2023		On 7/1/2024	
Total	1,475		1,354	
In Custody	886	60%	840	62%
In Home	589	40%	514	38%

## Profile of Children in Custody on 7/1/2024

### Gender

Female	51%
Male	49%

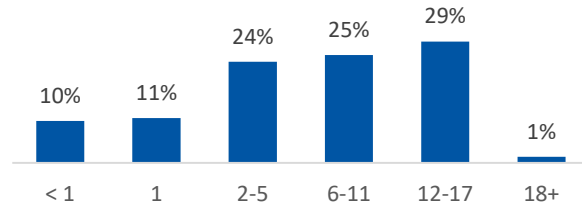
### Race

White	43%
African American	31%
Multiracial	25%
Other	1%

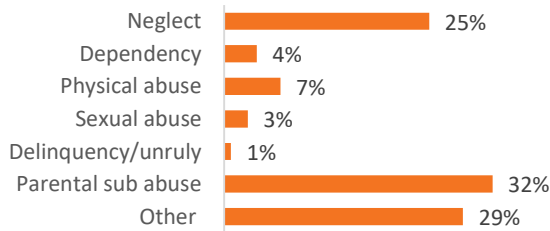
### Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

7%

### Age in Years



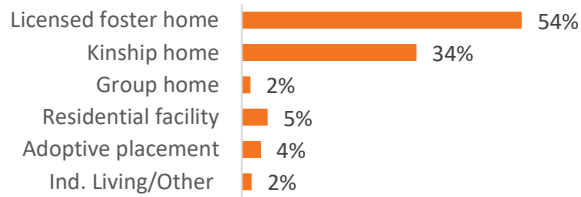
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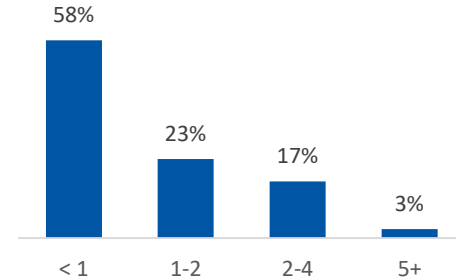
### Type of Custody

Temporary	74%
Permanent	24%
Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	1%

### Placement Type



### Years in Custody



## Profile of Children in Home on 7/1/2024

### Gender

Female	49%
Male	51%

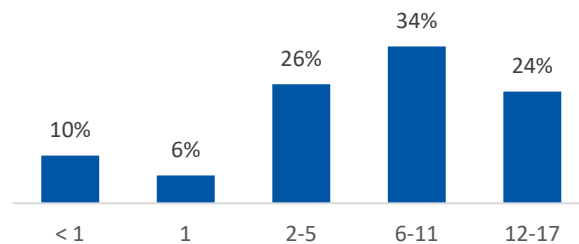
### Race

White	47%
African American	23%
Multiracial	28%
Other	2%

### Ethnicity (% Hispanic)

6%

### Age in Years



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