

**Statewide
Children in Care and Custody of LDSS - Quarter Ending 09/30/15**

	ADMISSIONS			IN CARE*			DISCHARGES		
	07-09/15 Percent	Number	07-09/14 Number	9/30/15 Percent	Number	9/30/14 Number	07-09/15 Percent	Number	07-09/14 Number
STATEWIDE	100%	2,171	2,385	100%	18,397	19,228	100%	2,356	2,569
GENDER									
Male	53%	1,151	1,259	52%	9,550	9,966	53%	1,237	1,310
Female	47%	1,020	1,126	48%	8,847	9,262	47%	1,119	1,259
AGE									
5 and under	46%	988	1,019	35%	6,435	6,743	31%	737	751
6-9	15%	315	335	17%	3,165	3,270	17%	392	394
10-13	13%	281	348	14%	2,560	2,694	13%	308	288
14+	27%	587	683	34%	6,237	6,521	39%	919	1,136
ETHNICITY									
African American	8%	178	560	20%	3,690	4,994	21%	506	801
Hispanic	5%	110	152	9%	1,577	2,052	9%	203	328
White	9%	199	612	14%	2,591	3,518	18%	414	658
Other/Unknown	78%	1,684	1,061	57%	10,539	8,664	52%	1,233	782
LOCATION									
New York City	43%	935	1,066	58%	10,598	11,418	48%	1,131	1,164
Rest of State	57%	1,236	1,319	42%	7,799	7,810	52%	1,225	1,405
TYPE OF PLACEMENT									
NON-CONGREGATE	36%	789	1,590	62%	11,454	15,743	54%	1,281	1,851
Foster Boarding Home	20%	441	1,194	40%	7,302	11,237	33%	789	1,396
Approved Relative Home	16%	348	396	23%	4,152	4,506	21%	492	455
CONGREGATE	64%	1,382	795	38%	6,943	3,485	46%	1,075	718
Institution	22%	472	503	11%	2,091	2,031	14%	337	444
Group Home	5%	107	135	3%	547	613	6%	140	154
Group Residence	2%	48	57	1%	190	190	2%	47	42
Agency Operated Boarding Home	1%	15	15	1%	193	184	1%	26	36
Other	34%	740	85	21%	3,922	467	22%	525	42
PERMANENCY PLANNING GOAL/DISCHARGE DESTINATION**									
Return Home	65%	1,402	1,606	54%	9,887	10,040	63%	1,491	1,652
Adoption	0%	10	54	27%	4,992	5,583	18%	434	433
Another Planned Living Arrangement	1%	16	25	11%	2,111	2,404	12%	273	323
Other	34%	743	700	8%	1,407	1,201	5%	122	127
OCFS Custody	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2%	36	34
MEDIAN YEARS IN CARE									
Statewide					1.69	1.67		1.39	1.37
New York City					2.17	2.25		2.29	2.23
Rest of State					1.30	1.16		1.01	1.08
PINS In Care					535				
JDs In Care					***933				

****ADOPTION	Total Children Awaiting Adoption	Have Goal, Not Freed	Freed, Not Placed	Adoptively Placed, but still in LDSS Custody	Total Adopted	Median Years to Adoption
Statewide	3,889	179	354	277	404	3.98
New York City	1,396	47	227	203	209	5.14
Rest of State	1,393	132	127	74	195	2.84

*- IN CARE numbers include only youth in "Active" (04) status.

**- While Permanency Planning Goal (PPG) is currently entered in both Connections and CCRS, the source of PPG for the Commissioner's Quarterly Report is CCRS at the present time.

***-Report methodology has been updated to accurately reflect the Close to Home Juvenile Delinquent (JD) population.

**** Total Children Awaiting Adoption as of 10/2/15. Milestones numbers reflect achievements made within the quarter.

NOTE - Numbers may differ from those that appear on other routine reports distributed by OCFS either because they are taken from the database on different dates or because the definition of a term differs.