



INDIANA ASSOCIATION OF RESOURCES AND CHILD ADVOCACY
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IN DCS Placement Trends

First quarter 2022 to First quarter 2024

Every month, Indiana Department of Child Services releases information about where children are receiving services. The charts below provide two-year trend information for the first quarter in each year.

You can also review month-to-month trends (and placements by county) by looking at DCS's Practice Indicator Reports on their website.

March 2024

March 2023

March 2022

Statewide

With parent(s)	3711	2850	3129
With other relative	4653	4312	5222
With foster family	3589	3749	4470
Residential	433	462	476
Other	147	174	175
Total CHINS	12533	11547	13472
Total IAs	1790	1922	2179

Region 1

With parent(s)	250	237	220
With other relative	173	218	229
With foster family	214	231	309
Residential	23	23	31
Other	18	20	32
Total CHINS	678	729	821
Total IAs	109	102	122

Region 2

With parent(s)	122	91	92
With other relative	193	202	175
With Foster Family	125	127	131
Residential	16	8	7
Other	17	12	6
Total CHINS	473	440	411
Total IAs	75	78	69

Region 3

With parent(s)	294	209	270
With other relative	353	225	330
With foster family	243	233	269
Residential	18	19	23
Other	10	18	14
Total CHINS	918	704	906
Total IAs	85	79	103

March 2024

March 2023

March 2022

Region 4

With parent(s)	307	339	319
With other relative	411	403	462
With foster family	272	299	384
Residential	19	25	21
Other	15	23	17
Total CHINS	1024	1089	1203
Total IAs	110	125	136

Region 5

With parent(s)	103	89	97
With other relative	97	111	152
With foster family	104	111	120
Residential	13	19	13
Other	3	0	3
Total	320	330	385
Total IAs	51	36	61

Region 6

With parent(s)	97	46	58
With other relative	154	147	165
With foster family	112	131	156
Residential	10	16	9
Other	2	0	2
Total	375	340	390
Total IAs	82	82	109

Region 7

With parent(s)	232	210	178
With other relative	276	239	273
With foster family	131	155	183
Residential	29	32	26
Other	6	4	7
Total	674	640	667
Total IAs	167	192	164

Region 8

With parent(s)	204	127	149
With other relative	241	214	247
With foster family	214	209	228
Residential	17	23	27
Other	8	5	2
Total	684	578	653
Total IAs	197	136	180

Region 9

With parent(s)	108	110	130
With other relative	144	174	229
With foster family	94	116	135
Residential	14	17	17
Other	1	3	2
Total	361	420	513
Total IAs	73	65	80

Region 10

With parent(s)	476	359	453
With other relative	839	797	1101
With foster family	825	835	997
Residential	74	91	115
Other	24	31	36
Total	2238	2113	2702
Total IAs	97	182	235

Region 11

With parent(s)	288	219	268
With other relative	379	316	379
With foster family	287	322	364
Residential	42	45	45
Other	7	4	11
Total	1003	906	1067
Total IAs	72	67	95

Region 12

With parent(s)	32	37	59
With other relative	135	123	125
With foster family	121	105	108
Residential	2	8	5
Other	2	3	4
Total	292	276	301
Total IAs	86	124	130

Region 13

With parent(s)	126	92	139
With other relative	182	221	271
With foster family	137	132	174
Residential	37	21	24
Other	3	7	6
Total	485	473	614
Total IAs	102	113	93

Region 14

With parent(s)	123	86	102
With other relative	136	138	233
With foster family	116	130	142
Residential	16	14	22
Other	3	3	1
Total	394	371	500
Total IAs	49	60	79

Region 15

With parent(s)	124	107	109
With other relative	142	99	118
With foster family	84	72	89
Residential	13	7	15
Other	4	7	7
Total	367	292	338
Total IAs	98	119	94

Region 16

With parent(s)	504	266	263
With other relative	393	315	313
With foster family	204	190	246
Residential	32	27	22
Other	15	17	14
Total	1148	815	858
Total IAs	97	136	157

Region 17

With parent(s)	94	73	74
With other relative	169	126	160
With foster family	96	98	118
Residential	21	19	14
Other	2	11	2
Total	382	327	368
Total IAs	133	96	113

Region 18

With parent(s)	227	153	149
With other relative	236	244	260
With foster family	210	253	317
Residential	37	48	40
Other	7	6	9
Total	717	704	775
Total IAs	107	130	160