



INDIANA ASSOCIATION OF RESOURCES AND CHILD ADVOCACY
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IN DCS Placement Trends

Third quarter 2022 to Third 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.

September 2024 September 2023 September 2022

Statewide

With parent(s)	4333	3049	3075
With other relative	5106	4412	4776
With foster family	3726	3551	4155
Residential	398	448	454
Other	179	184	170
Total CHINS	13742	11644	12630
Total IAs	2034	1794	1899

Region 1

With parent(s)	247	209	225
With other relative	177	213	227
With foster family	208	225	265
Residential	24	27	24
Other	26	24	30
Total CHINS	682	698	771
Total IAs	141	96	122

Region 2

With parent(s)	112	98	90
With other relative	202	202	188
With Foster Family	134	115	118
Residential	15	16	8
Other	12	14	10
Total CHINS	475	445	414
Total IAs	148	100	86

Region 3

With parent(s)	308	201	267
With other relative	398	316	296
With foster family	244	222	244
Residential	20	22	26
Other	15	13	15
Total CHINS	985	774	848
Total IAs	146	101	86

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Region 4

With parent(s)	302	308	339
With other relative	505	401	438
With foster family	286	271	324
Residential	20	22	20
Other	20	24	24
Total CHINS	1133	1206	1145
Total IAs	130	119	118

Region 5

With parent(s)	132	88	72
With other relative	121	101	139
With foster family	133	113	115
Residential	15	16	11
Other	7	2	1
Total	408	320	338
Total IAs	28	31	29

Region 6

With parent(s)	137	90	82
With other relative	186	141	158
With foster family	104	102	143
Residential	14	14	13
Other	6	2	1
Total	447	349	397
Total IAs	93	56	59

Region 7

With parent(s)	207	226	195
With other relative	326	262	260
With foster family	142	141	157
Residential	22	32	25
Other	5	10	9
Total	702	671	646
Total IAs	205	190	174

Region 8

With parent(s)	326	171	179
With other relative	275	190	208
With foster family	207	207	247
Residential	21	24	23
Other	5	5	3
Total	834	597	660
Total IAs	166	158	180

Region 9

With parent(s)	135	89	106
With other relative	160	168	206
With foster family	85	97	131
Residential	18	15	22
Other	7	1	4
Total	405	370	469
Total IAs	73	42	54

Region 10

With parent(s)	487	434	407
With other relative	840	792	937
With foster family	852	832	907
Residential	60	91	114
Other	23	26	29
Total	2262	2175	2394
Total IAs	120	146	193

Region 11

With parent(s)	345	231	232
With other relative	409	320	388
With foster family	288	296	360
Residential	33	38	37
Other	20	8	10
Total	1095	893	1027
Total IAs	84	94	53

Region 12

With parent(s)	65	55	39
With other relative	118	127	111
With foster family	116	90	123
Residential	5	5	6
Other	1	4	1
Total	305	281	280
Total IAs	116	82	114

Region 13

With parent(s)	161	104	112
With other relative	177	220	229
With foster family	136	137	153
Residential	26	26	23
Other	3	5	2
Total	503	492	519
Total IAs	124	99	89

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Region 14

With parent(s)	175	79	104
With other relative	180	126	180
With foster family	149	121	142
Residential	13	9	16
Other	2	4	0
Total	519	339	442
Total IAs	58	45	79

Region 15

With parent(s)	159	99	83
With other relative	156	94	103
With foster family	80	62	95
Residential	15	9	9
Other	4	7	3
Total	414	271	293
Total IAs	78	103	105

Region 16

With parent(s)	703	285	270
With other relative	463	382	337
With foster family	278	191	228
Residential	35	24	20
Other	13	16	12
Total	1492	898	867
Total IAs	56	122	129

Region 17

With parent(s)	135	82	88
With other relative	166	142	143
With foster family	126	94	120
Residential	14	21	18
Other	2	11	7
Total	443	350	376
Total IAs	126	114	93

Region 18

With parent(s)	197	200	185
With other relative	247	215	228
With foster family	158	235	283
Residential	28	37	39
Other	8	8	9
Total	638	695	744
Total IAs	142	96	136