

## 2023 Child Welfare, Juvenile Justice and Child Care Voucher Snapshot

### Community District 4, Elmhurst/Corona, Queens

	Citywide	Borough	Community District
<b>Child Abuse and Neglect (CY 2023)</b>			
Number of CARES Cases	10,057	1,733	120
Number of Investigations	42,864	10,080	830
Reporters (Investigations and CARES)			
Education	11,324	2,873	311
Social Service	9,799	2,150	166
Medical/Mental Health	5,013	1,137	108
Law Enforcement	9,974	2,079	166
Child Care/Substitute Care	682	138	13
Other Mandated	278	65	^
Non-Mandated	15,851	3,371	182
Allegations (Investigations Only)			
Educational Neglect Only	1,120	247	31
Educational Neglect with Other Allegations	2,237	408	36
Lack of Medical Care	3,746	852	73
Other Neglect	39,528	9,146	740
Physical Abuse	10,579	2,394	199
Psychological Abuse	890	238	24
Sexual Abuse	2,643	563	58
Substance Abuse	8,002	1,808	161
Other	1,453	498	31
<b>Child Welfare Prevention Services (CY 2023)</b>			
Families Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	13,726	2,605	245
Children Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	29,879	5,479	523
<b>Foster Care (CY 2023 and December 31, 2023)</b>			
New Entries to Foster Care From the Community, CY 2023	2,953	509	27
Children in Foster Care In the Community, December 31, 2023	6,337	1,011	14
Percent in Kinship Homes	45.1	44.3	64.3
<b>Juvenile Justice (CY 2023)</b>			
Detention Admissions From the Community	1,886	366	33
Close to Home Admissions From the Community	111	24	0
<b>Child Care Vouchers (CY 2023)</b>			
Children Receiving Child Care Vouchers During the Year	91,325	9,623	514
ACS-Issued Child Care Vouchers	63,429	7,733	474
HRA-Issued Child Care Vouchers	27,896	1,890	40
<b>Population Rates per 1,000 Child Population (CY 2023)</b>			
Population <18 Years Old	1,740,142	456,007	38,322
Number of Children in Indicated Investigations	18,212	4,038	354
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Indicated Investigations	10.5	8.9	9.2
Children Receiving Prevention	29,879	5,479	523
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Prevention Services	17.2	12.0	13.6
Children Placed in Foster Care	2,953	509	27
Population Rate/1,000 Children Placed in Foster Care	1.7	1.1	0.7
Population 12-18 Years Old	691,020	185,020	15,624
Detention Admissions	1,886	366	33
Population Rate/1,000 Children Detention Admissions	2.7	2.0	2.1

^Values and related rates are not shown when they are between 1 and 5 to protect confidentiality.

Sources: Connections, Preventive Organization Management System (PROMIS), Child Care Review Services (CCRS), Juvenile Detention Automation System (JDAS), Juvenile Justice Information Systems (JIS), Automated Child Care Information System (ACCIS), 2020 Census Privacy-Protected Microdata File (PPMF) from <https://www.census.gov/data/tables/2024/dec/2020-census-ppmf.html#data>

Notes:

1) Rate definitions: rates are calculated by dividing the program counts by the total population of children citywide and in specific boroughs/community districts, multiplied by 1,000. The population of children under 18 years old is used for children in indicated investigations, prevention and foster care. The population of youth 12-18 is used for detention. The program counts are defined as follows: children in indicated investigations are unique children in investigations with a preponderance of evidence of abuse and/or neglect; children receiving prevention are unique children in child welfare prevention cases during the year; foster care placements are unique children placed in foster care during the year excluding those placed in Close to Home; and detention admissions are unique youth admitted to detention during the year.

