

2023 Child Welfare, Juvenile Justice and Child Care Voucher Snapshot

Community District 1, Saint George/Stapleton, Staten Island

	Citywide	Borough	Community District
Child Abuse and Neglect (CY 2023)			
Number of CARES Cases	10,057	872	532
Number of Investigations	42,864	2,006	1,248
Reporters (Investigations and CARES)			
Education	11,324	724	419
Social Service	9,799	503	336
Medical/Mental Health	5,013	283	164
Law Enforcement	9,974	493	329
Child Care/Substitute Care	682	33	15
Other Mandated	278	14	7
Non-Mandated	15,851	828	510
Allegations (Investigations Only)			
Educational Neglect Only	1,120	32	20
Educational Neglect with Other Allegations	2,237	80	53
Lack of Medical Care	3,746	179	103
Other Neglect	39,528	1,855	1,165
Physical Abuse	10,579	544	327
Psychological Abuse	890	39	13
Sexual Abuse	2,643	127	75
Substance Abuse	8,002	411	234
Other	1,453	72	35
Child Welfare Prevention Services (CY 2023)			
Families Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	13,726	902	580
Children Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	29,879	2,137	1,466
Foster Care (CY 2023 and December 31, 2023)			
New Entries to Foster Care From the Community, CY 2023	2,953	147	102
Children in Foster Care In the Community, December 31, 2023	6,337	323	234
Percent in Kinship Homes	45.1	59.8	57.3
Juvenile Justice (CY 2023)			
Detention Admissions From the Community	1,886	99	78
Close to Home Admissions From the Community	111	8	^
Child Care Vouchers (CY 2023)			
Children Receiving Child Care Vouchers During the Year	91,325	3,683	2,111
ACS-Issued Child Care Vouchers	63,429	2,634	1,409
HRA-Issued Child Care Vouchers	27,896	1,049	702
Population Rates per 1,000 Child Population (CY 2023)			
Population <18 Years Old	1,740,142	106,354	44,216
Number of Children in Indicated Investigations	18,212	723	473
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Indicated Investigations	10.5	6.8	10.7
Children Receiving Prevention	29,879	2,137	1,466
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Prevention Services	17.2	20.1	33.2
Children Placed in Foster Care	2,953	147	102
Population Rate/1,000 Children Placed in Foster Care	1.7	1.4	2.3
Population 12-18 Years Old	691,020	44,900	18,676
Detention Admissions	1,886	99	78
Population Rate/1,000 Children Detention Admissions	2.7	2.2	4.2

^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 (JJIS), 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.