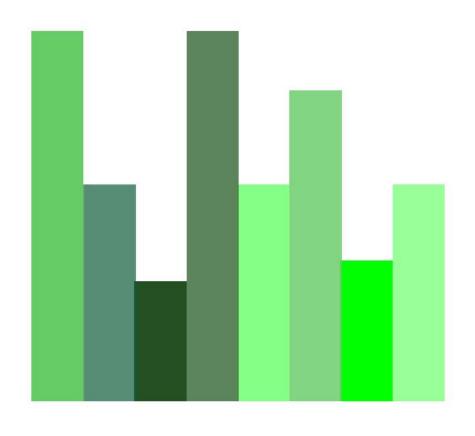
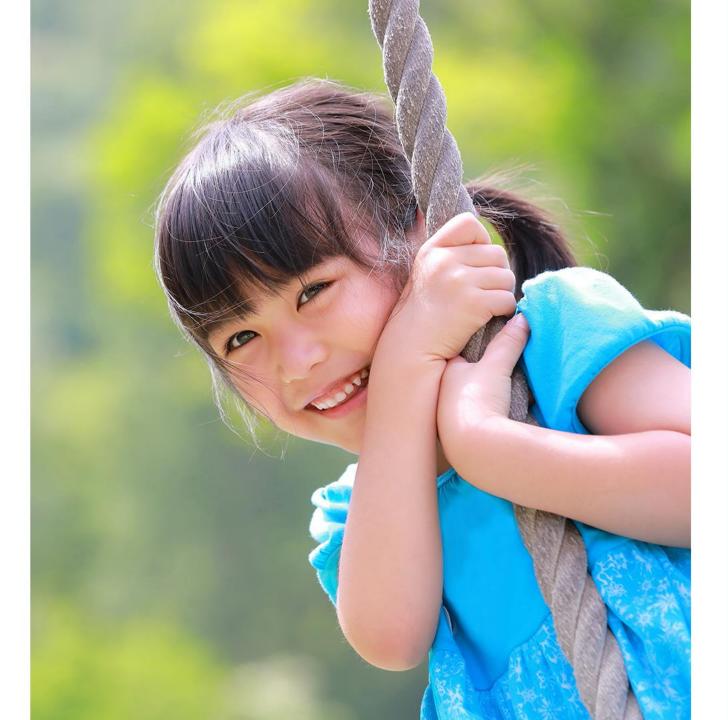
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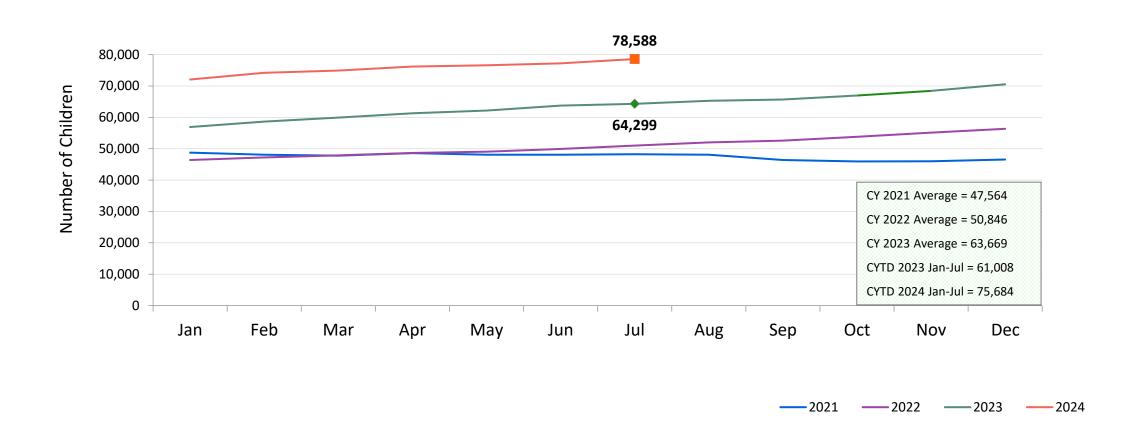


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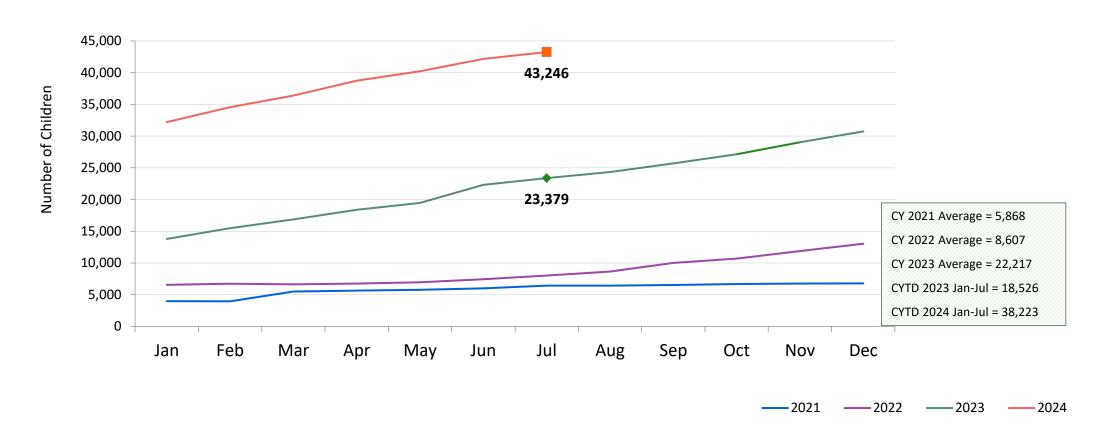
Children Using Vouchers for Child Care January 2021 – July 2024 (End of Month)





Child Care

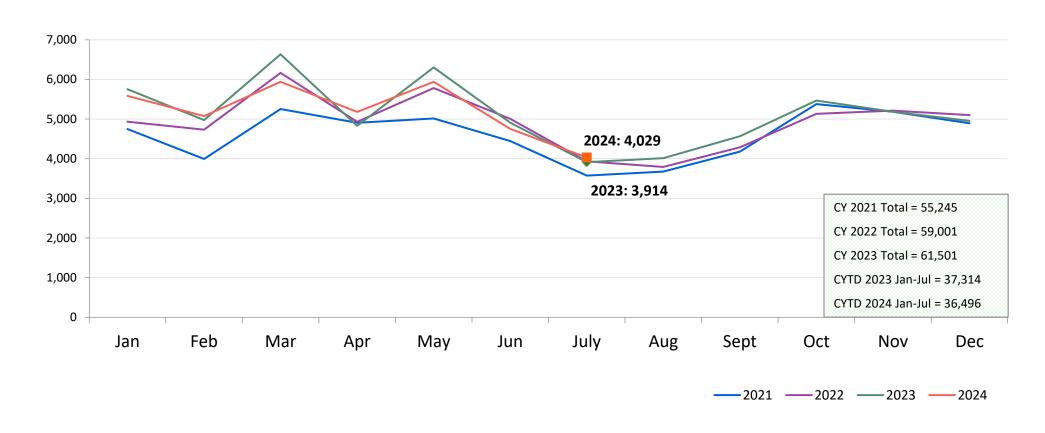
Children Using ACS-Issued Low-Income Child Care Vouchers* January 2021 – July 2024 (End of Month)



^{*}This represents the subset of enrollments in child care with ACS-issued low-income vouchers funded by the NY State Child Care Block Grant (CCBG).



SCR Intakes January 2021 – July 2024

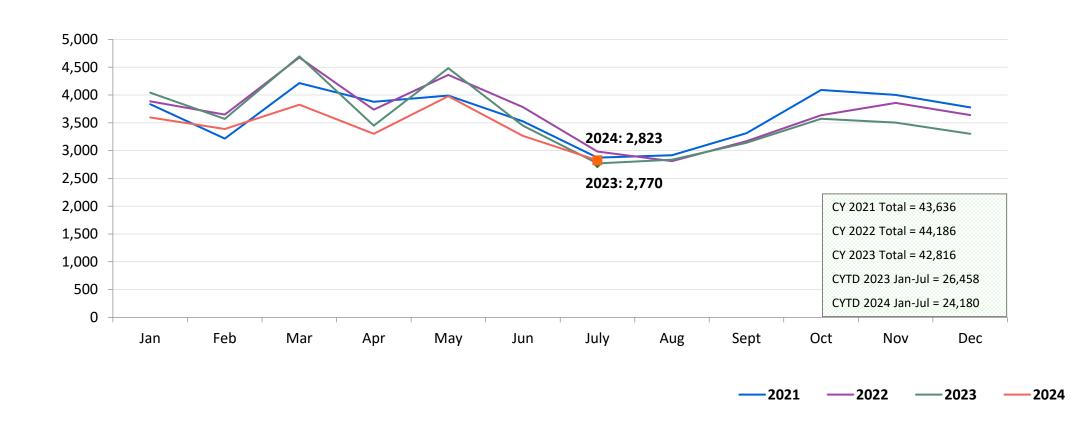


Note: SCR intakes can be followed by investigation or Collaborative Assessment Response and Support (CARES).

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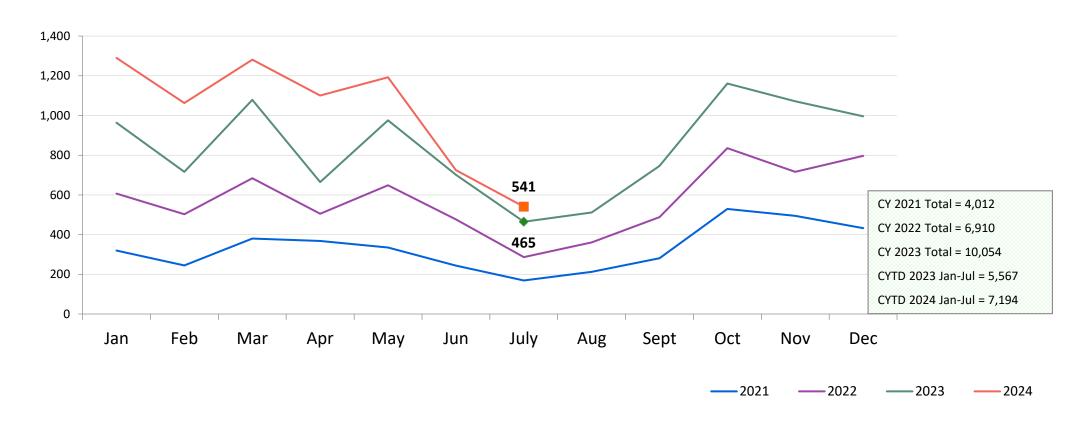


Consolidated Investigations January 2021 – July 2024





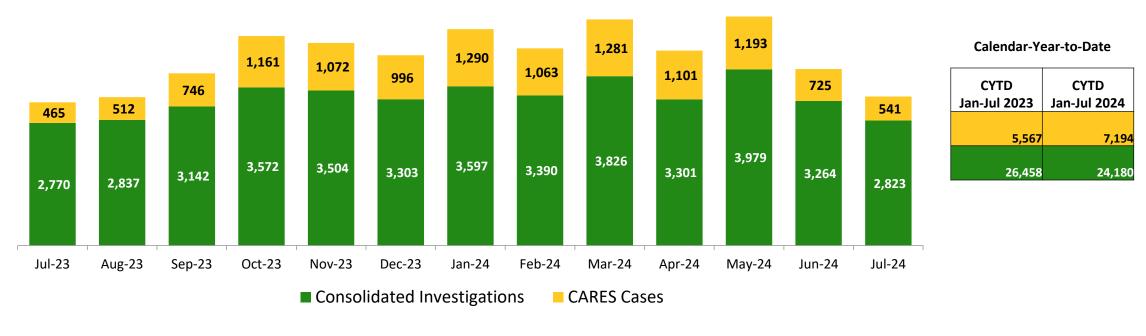
CARES* Cases January 2021 – July 2024



^{*}CARES (Collaborative Assessment, Response, Engagement and Support, formerly known as FAR) is an alternative Child Protective response to some reports of child maltreatment. CARES does not require an investigation and determination of allegations and individual culpability for families reported to the SCR. It is an alternative approach to providing protection to children by engaging families in an assessment of child safety and of family needs, in finding solutions to family problems and in identifying informal and formal supports to meet their needs and increase their ability to care for their children.

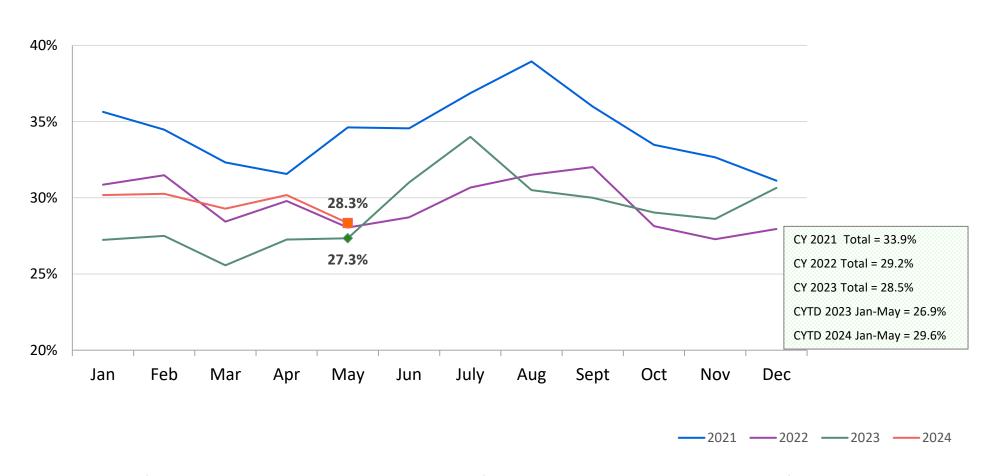


Protective Diagnostic Cases (Consolidated Investigations and CARES) July 2023 – July 2024



	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	CYTD	CYTD
	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024	Jan-Jul 2023	Jan-Jul 2024
Number of Investigations & CARES cases	3,235	3,349	3,888	4,733	4,576	4,299	4,887	4,453	5,107	4,402	5,172	3,989	3,364	32,025	31,374

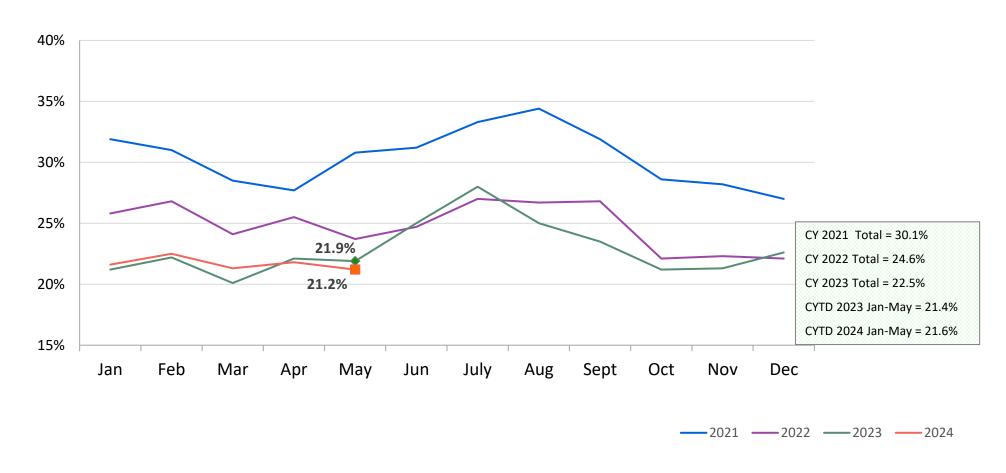
Investigation Indication Rate* January 2021 – May 2024



^{*}Beginning January 1, 2022 the standard of evidence required to indicate an investigation changed from some credible evidence to a preponderance of evidence



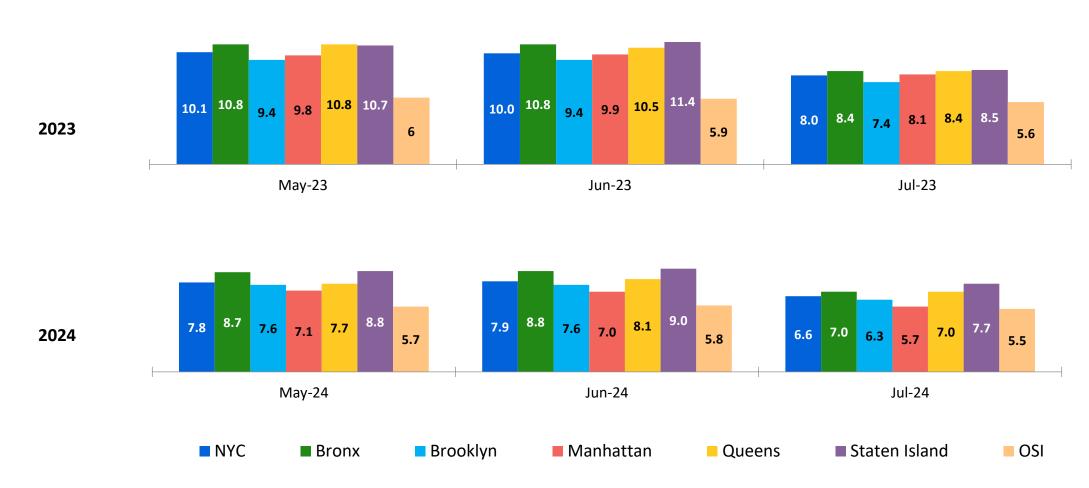
Percent of Protective Diagnostic Cases (Consolidated Investigations and CARES) with Indicated Investigations* January 2021 – May 2024



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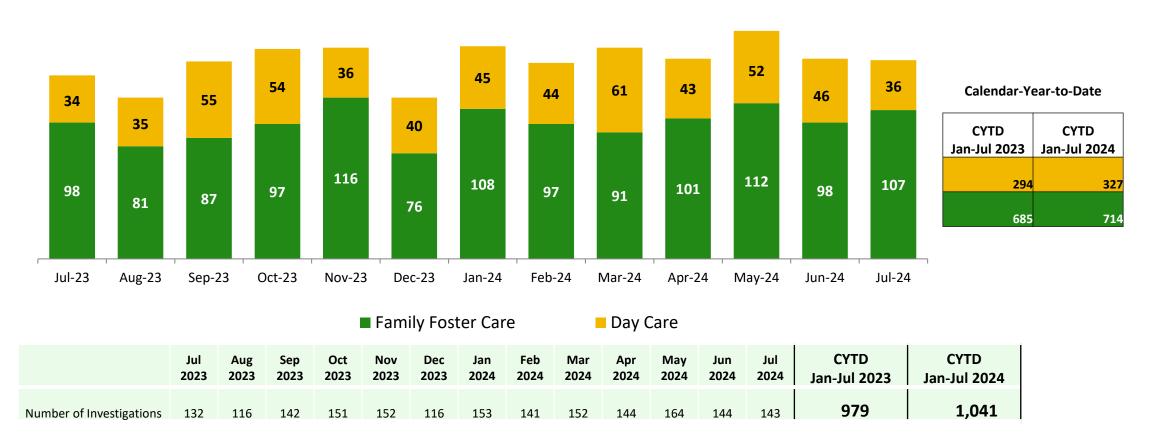
Average Child Protection Caseload* May 2023 – July 2023 and May 2024 – July 2024



^{*}includes all caseload carrying Child Protection Specialists (CPS) in investigative and CARES Units in Primary and Case Manager roles.



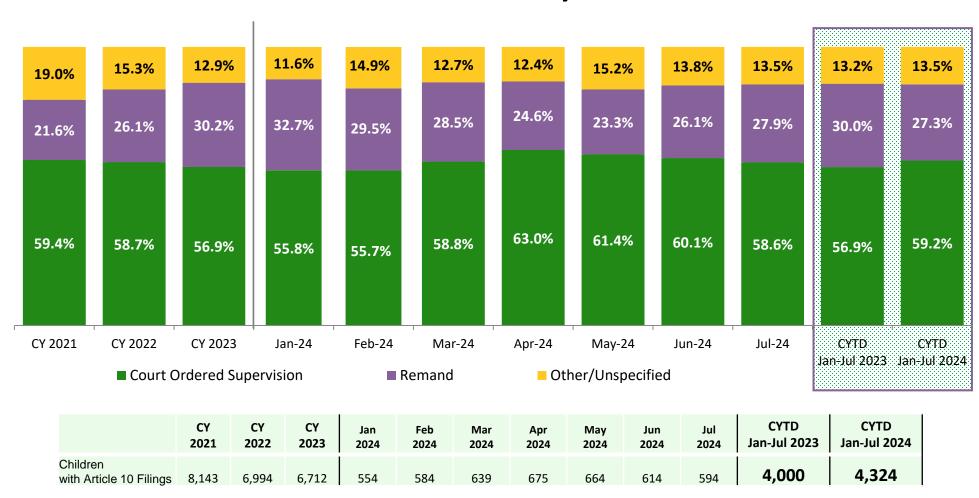
OSI Family Foster Care and Day Care* Investigations July 2023 – July 2024



^{*}Day Care investigations include alleged abuse or maltreatment of children perpetrated by someone who cares for children in a setting that is not the child's familial home and that requires state or local government approval and is subject to state laws, regulations, and oversight. This includes, but is not limited to, ACS/DOE Early Care and Education programs. Foster care investigations include alleged abuse or maltreatment of children in foster care and children of foster parents.



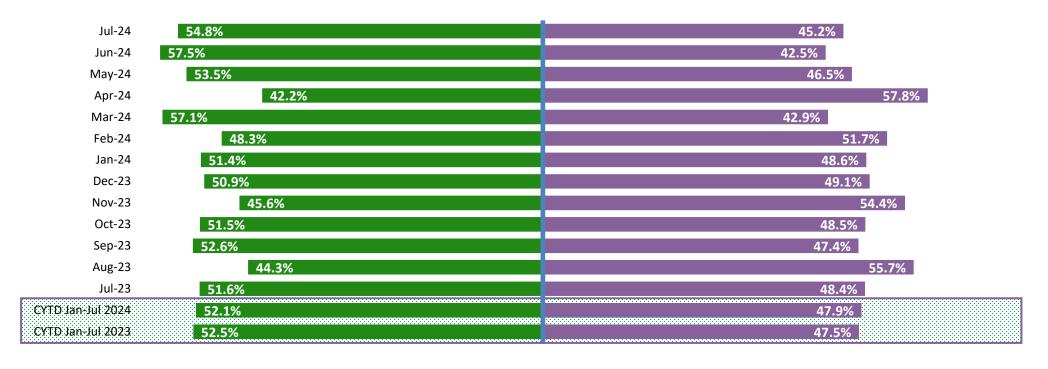
Article 10 Filings and Initial Hearing Outcomes, Children CY 2021 – July 2024



Note: The category "Other/Unspecified" includes released with no supervision, no order issued and no outcome specified.



Remands Approved at Initial Article 10 Hearing by Removal Status July 2023 – July 2024



■ Pre-Filing Emergency Removals (court approved at initial hearing)

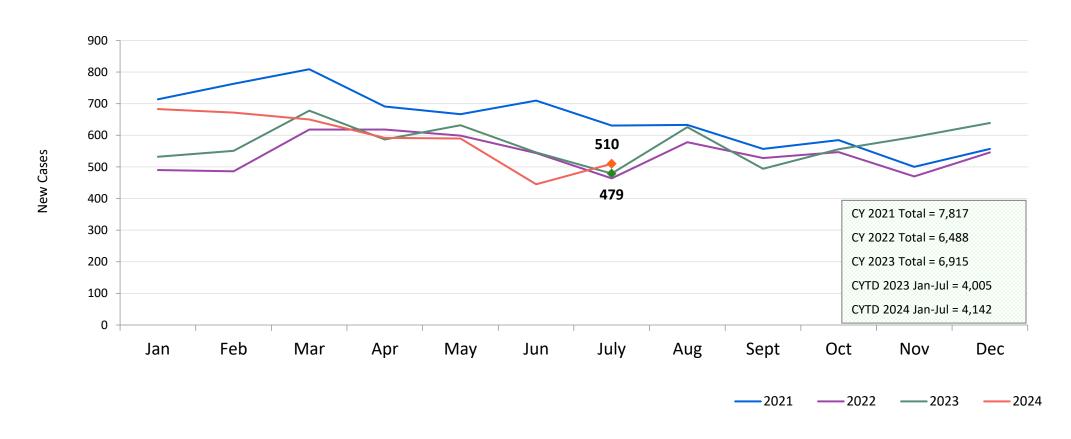
■ Post-Filing Removals (court ordered at initial hearing)

	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	CYTD	CYTD
	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024	Jan-Jul 2023	Jan-Jul 2024
Children Remanded	159	140	175	196	147	169	181	172	182	166	155	160	166	1,198	1,182



Preventive Services

New Child Welfare Prevention Cases January 2021 – July 2024



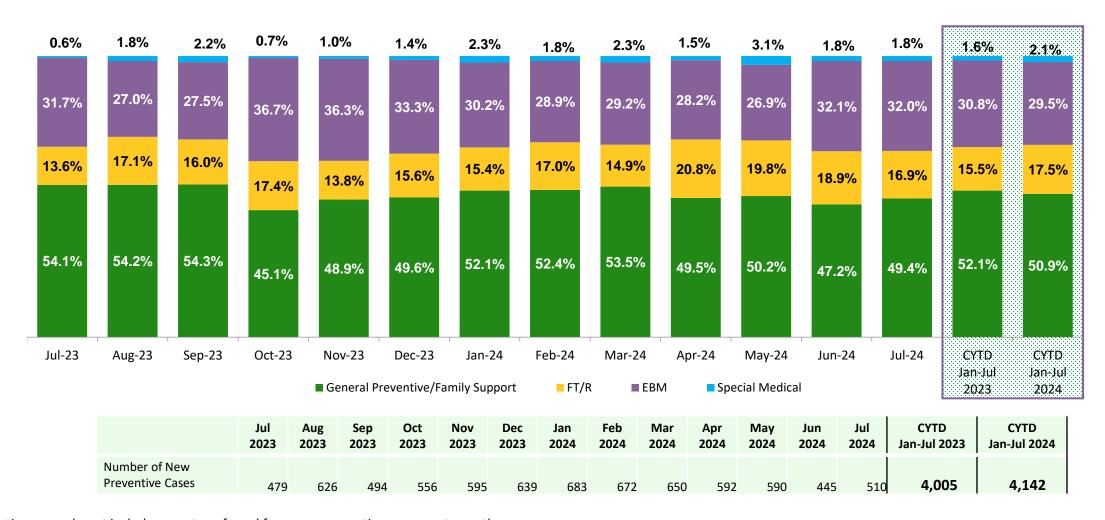
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Preventive Services

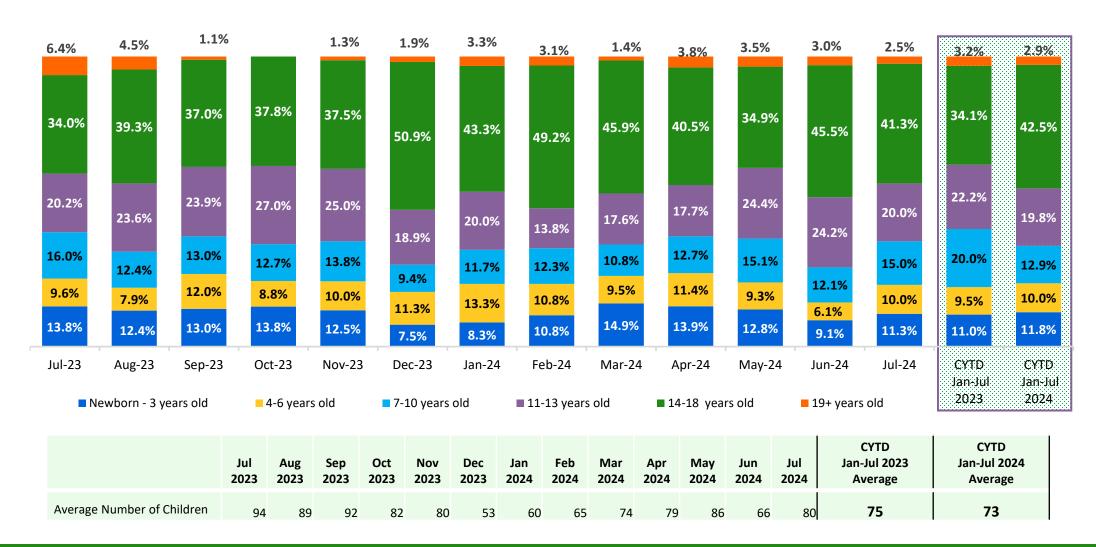
New Child Welfare Prevention Cases by Program Type* July 2023 – July 2024



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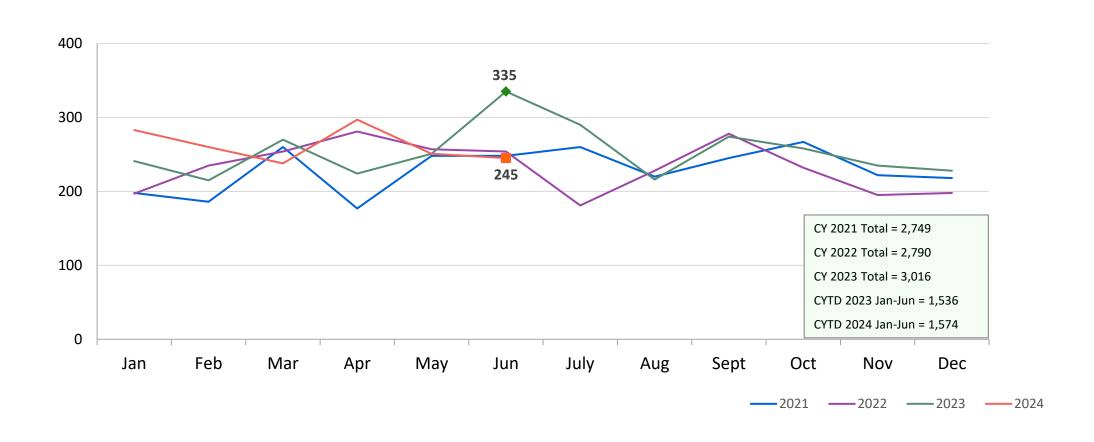


Average Daily Children's Center Population July 2023 – July 2024

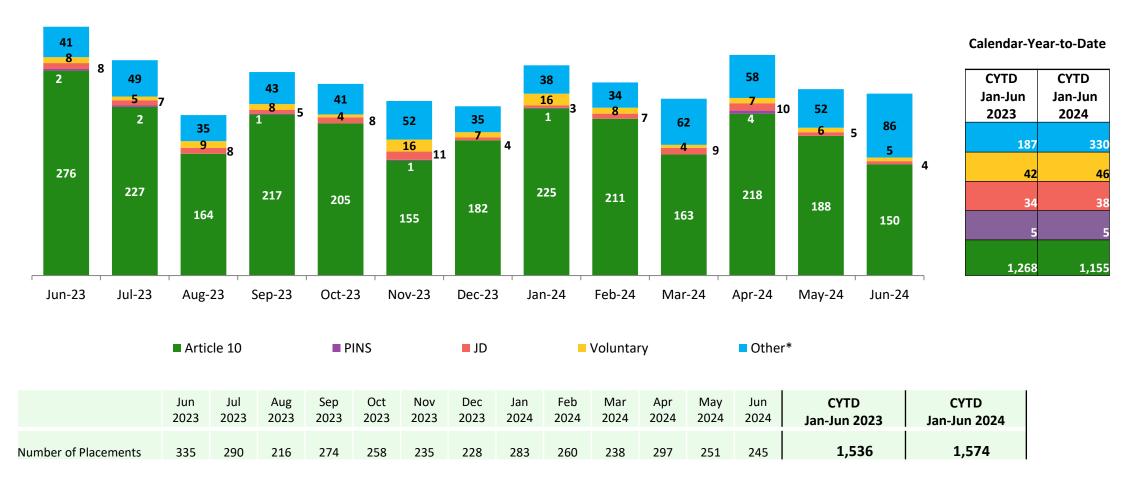




New Placements of Children into Foster Care January 2021 – June 2024



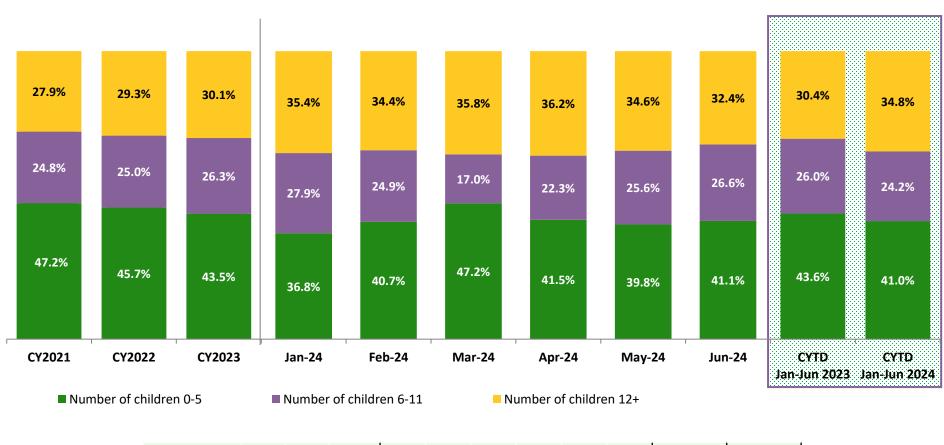
Reason for New Placements of Children into Foster Care June 2023 – June 2024



^{*}Due to data entry lags, many placements currently categorized as "Other" in recent months will be re-categorized in future Flash reports.



New Placements of Children into Foster Care* by Age CY 2021 – June 2024

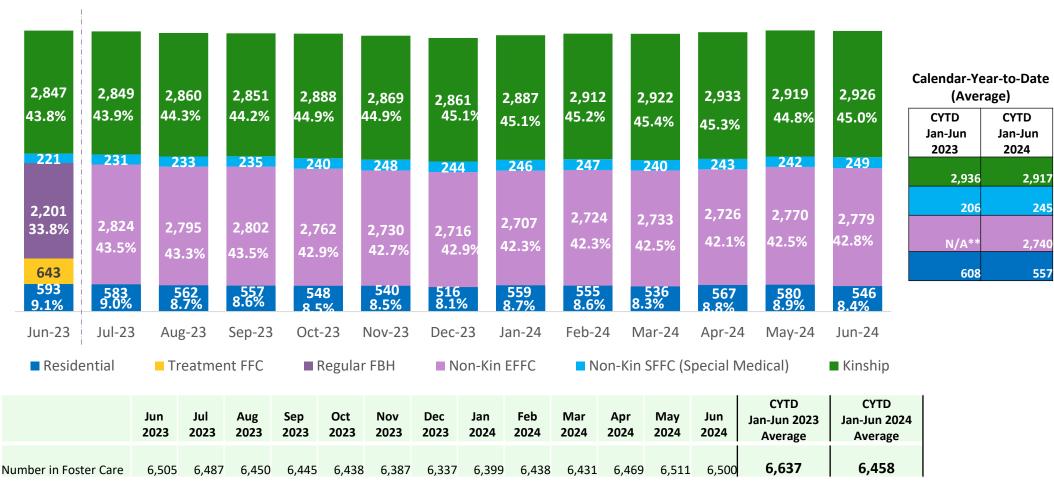


	CY 2021	CY 2022	CY 2023	Jan 2024	Feb 2024	Mar 2024	Apr 2024	May 2024	Jun 2024	CYTD Jan-Jun 2023	CYTD Jan-Jun 2024
Number of Placements	2,703	2,721	2,960	280	253	229	287	246	241	1,502	1,536





Children in Foster Care* June 2023 – June 2024 (end of month)

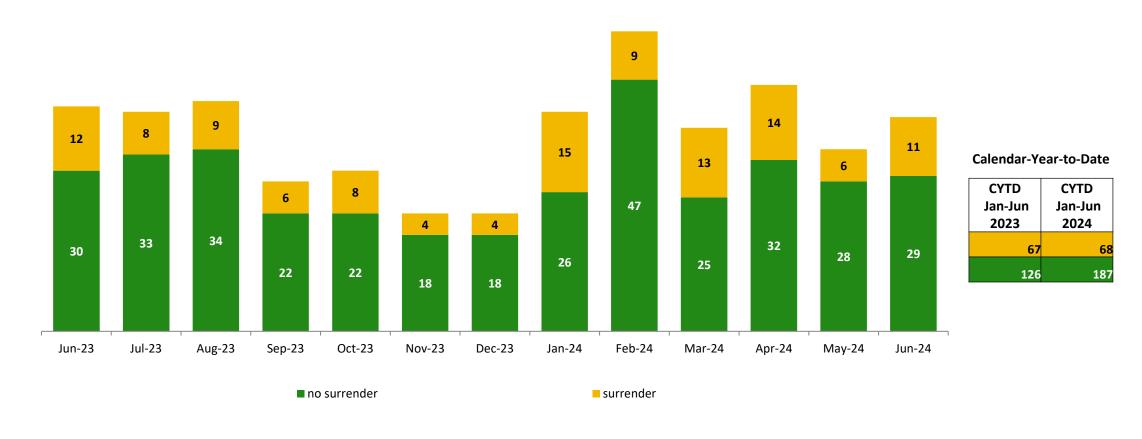


^{*}Excludes CTH placements and includes children in 24-hour care and approximately 60 young children who are living in foster homes or residential care facilities with their mothers who are in foster care (8D children).

^{**}Beginning in July 2023, category labels and grouping have been revised to ensure consistency with the new contracts. The categories Regular FBH and Therapeutic FFC have been combined to create a Non-Kin EFFC category. As a result, the Non-Kin EFFC 2023 YTD data is not available.



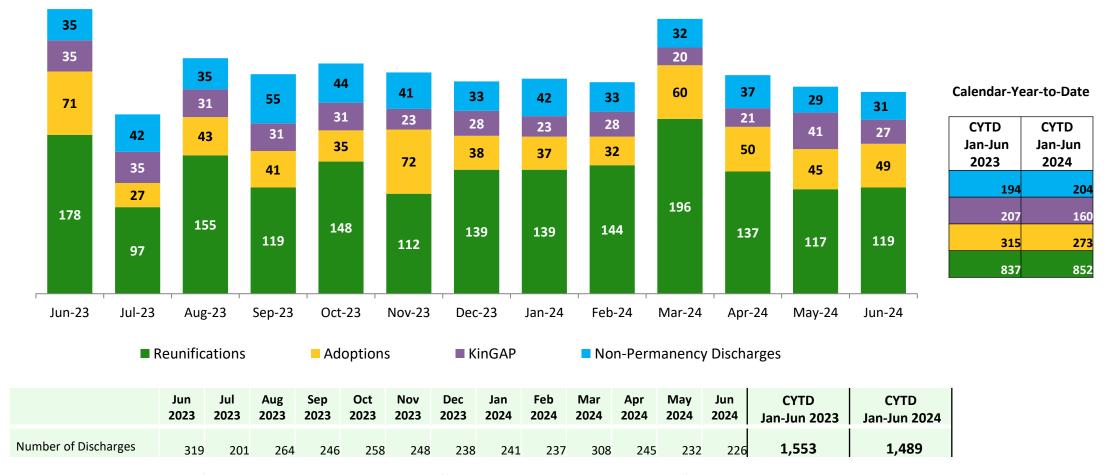
Children Freed for Adoption, Surrender by at Least One Parent June 2023 – June 2024



	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	CYTD	CYTD
	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024	Jan-Jun 2023	Jan-Jun 2024
Number Freed for Adoption	42	41	43	28	30	22	22	41	56	38	46	34	40	193	255



Permanency and Non-Permanency* Discharges from Foster Care** June 2023 – June 2024

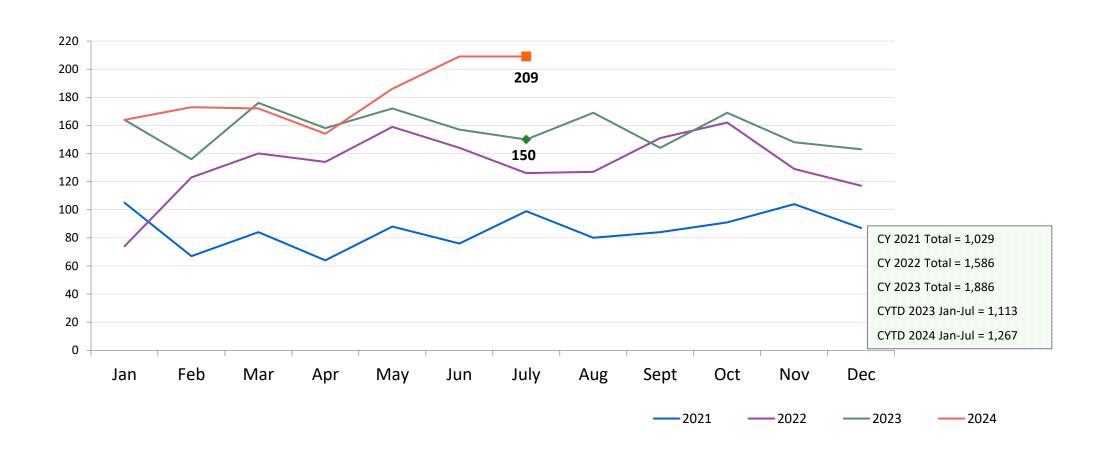


^{*}Non-permanency discharges include AWOL, APPLA (youth 18-20 years old discharged to self and youth who reached 21 while in care), and other discharge destinations such as psychiatric institutions and correctional facilities and discharges with unspecified destinations.

^{**}Excludes discharges of youth from CTH placements.

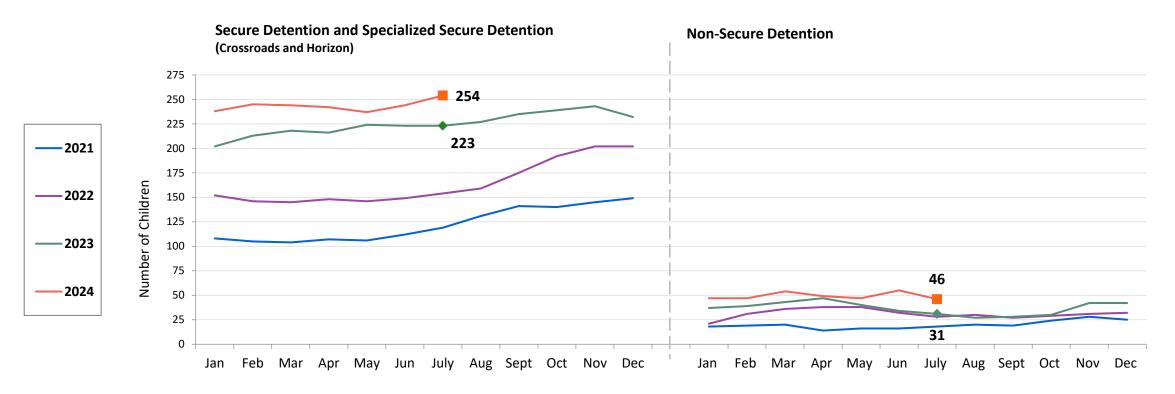


Total Monthly Admissions to Detention January 2021 – July 2024



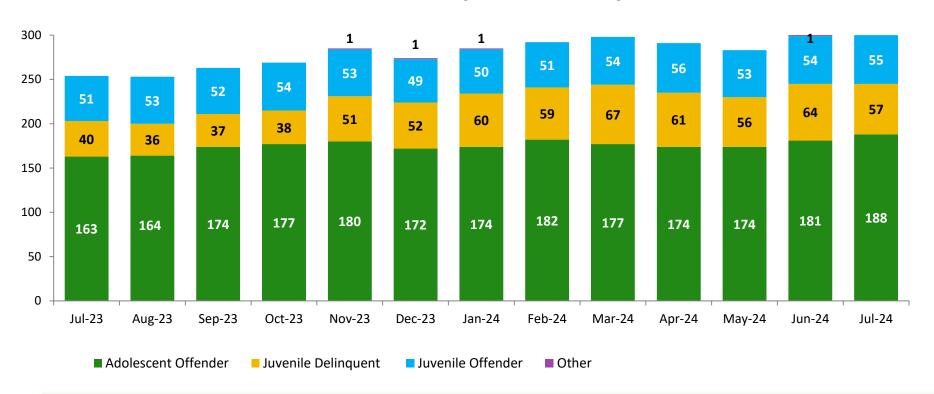


Detention Monthly Average Daily Population January 2021 – July 2024



	CYTD Jan-Jul 2023	CYTD Jan-Jul 2024
Secure Detention and Specialized Secure Detention	217.1	243.3
Non-Secure Detention	38.7	49.3

Detention Total Monthly Average Daily Population by Case Type* July 2023 – July 2024



Ave	Average									
CYTD	CYTD									
Jan-Jul 2023	Jan-Jul 2024									
0.3	0.3									
48.4	53.3									
48.0	60.4									
159.1	178.7									

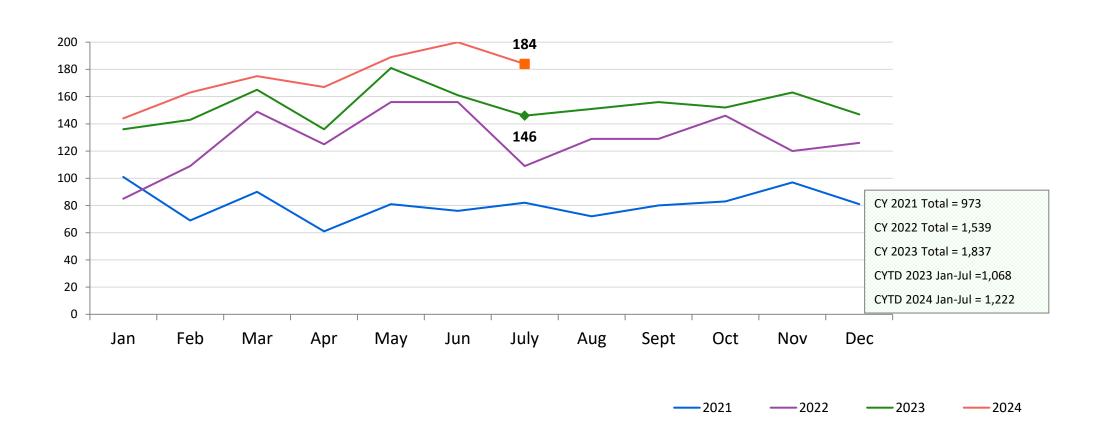
Calendar-Year-to-Date

Total Ave	rage Daily	Population												
Jul 2023	Aug 2023	Sep 2023	Oct 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2023	Jan 2024	Feb 2024	Mar 2024	Apr 2024	May 2024	Jun 2024	Jul 2024	CYTD Jan-Jul 2023 Average	CYTD Jan-Jul 2024 Average
254	253	264	269	285	274	285	292	297	290	284	299	300	255.8	292.6

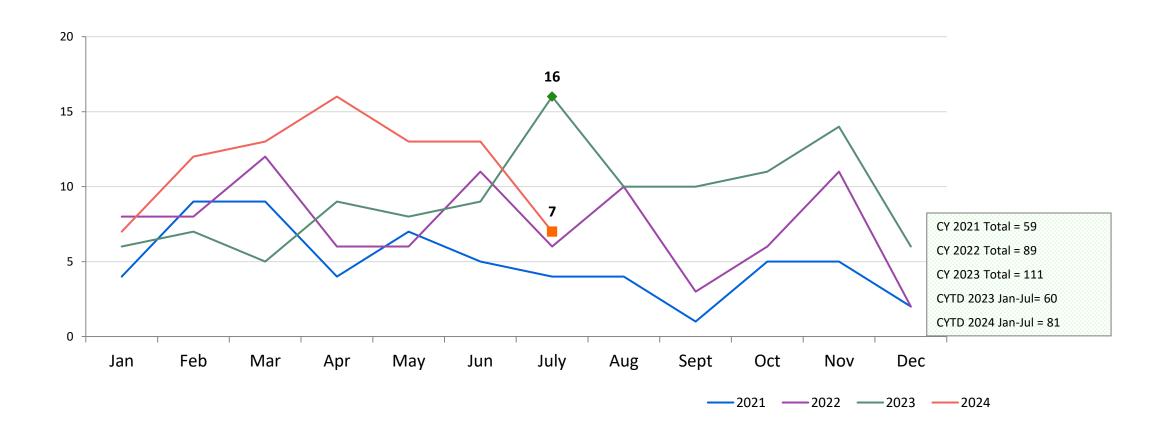
*Case Type definitions: Adolescent Offender (AO) is a person 16 or 17 years of age charged with a felony; Juvenile Delinquent (JD) is a person 7-15 years of age who has committed an act which would be considered a crime if the person were old enough and capable of being treated as an adult. Sixteen- and seventeen-year-olds charged with a misdemeanor are also JDs; Juvenile Offender (JO) a person 13-15 years of age with a serious violent felony charge; and Other case type includes youth detained for other authorities and ACS warrants.



Total Monthly Releases from Detention January 2021 – July 2024



Close to Home Admissions January 2021 – July 2024



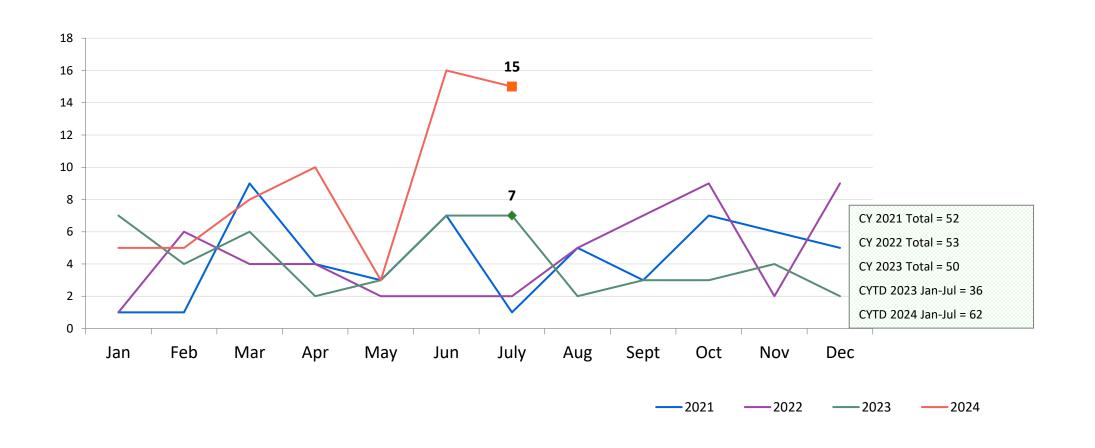


CTH Placement, in 24-hour Care **July 2023 – July 2024 (end of month)**

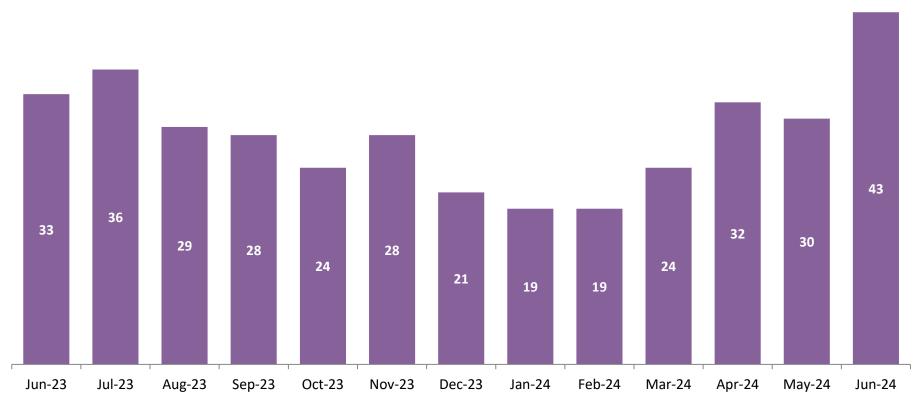




Releases from Close to Home Placement to Aftercare January 2021 – July 2024



CTH Aftercare Census June 2023 – June 2024



Calendar-Year-to-Date Average

CYTD	CYTD
Jan-Jun 2023	Jan-Jun 2024
33	28

Appendix

Figure 1: SCR Intakes by Reporter Group
May 2023 – July 2023 and May 2024 – July 2024

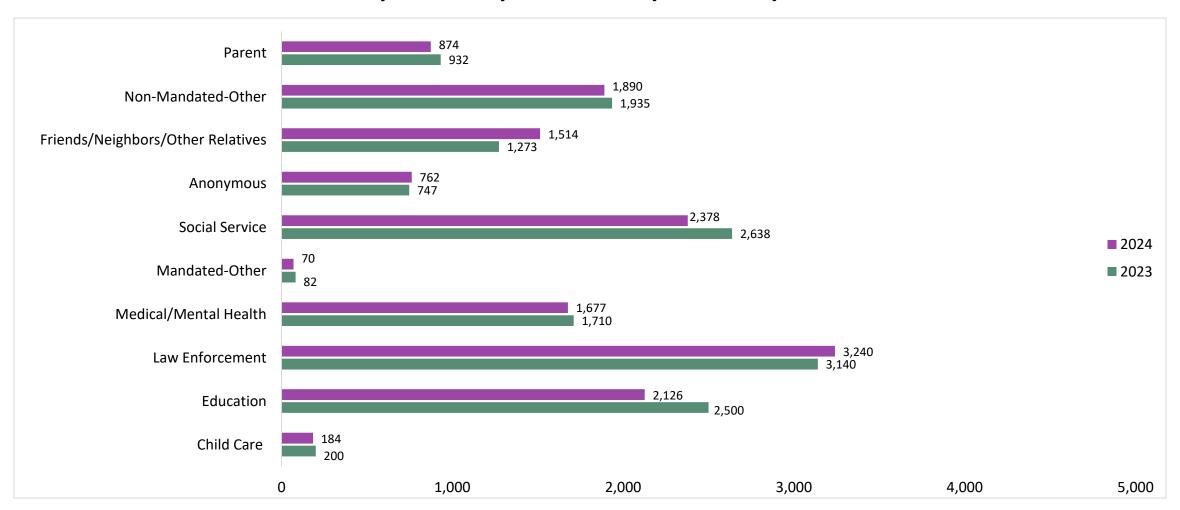
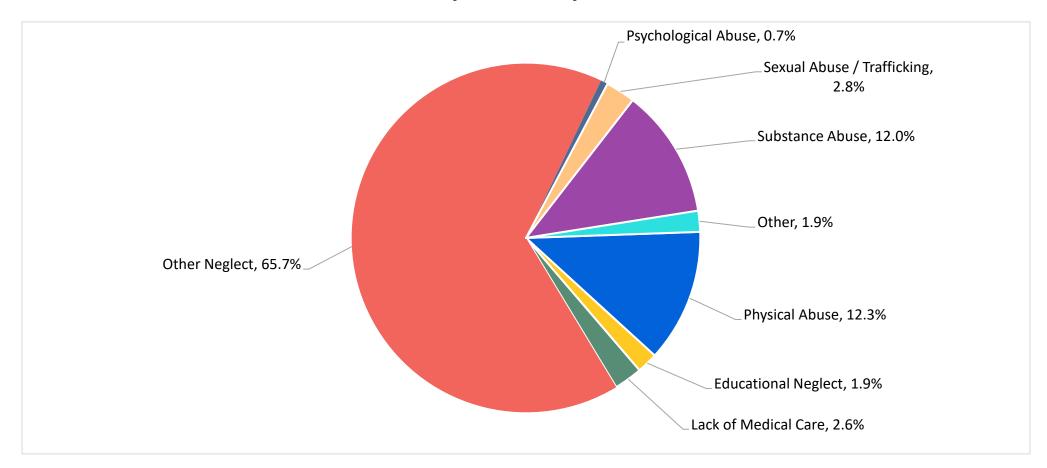




Figure 2: SCR Allegations in Investigations
May 2024 – July 2024



Total Allegations = 28,295

Note: Individual investigations often include multiple allegations. Allegations are grouped as follows: Physical Abuse - burn, fatality, fracture, choking, twisting, shaking, excessive corporal punishment, internal injuries, lacerations, bruises, welts, poisoning, noxious substances; Educational Neglect – educational neglect; Lack of Medical Care – lack of medical care; Other Neglect - inadequate guardianship, inadequate food, clothing, shelter, lack of supervision, malnutrition, failure to thrive, swelling, dislocations, sprains; Psychological Abuse - isolation, emotional neglect; Sexual Abuse/Trafficking – sexual abuse, sex trafficking; Substance Abuse - parental drug use, child drug use; and Other -abandonment, inappropriate custodial conduct, labor trafficking.



Figure 3: SCR Investigations by Borough
May 2023 – July 2023 and May 2024 – July 2024

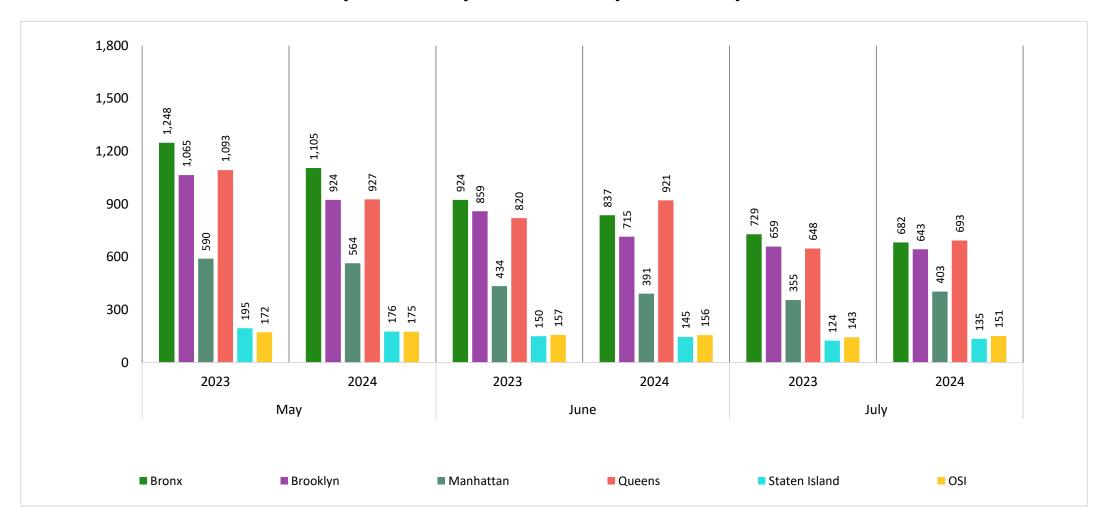


Table 1: SCR Investigations Changes by Borough May 2023 – July 2023 and May 2024 – July 2024

Month	Year	Bronx	Brooklyn	Manhattan	Queens	Staten Island	OSI	Other	Total
	2023	1,248	1,065	590	1,093	195	172	130	4,493
May	2024	1,105	924	564	927	176	175	108	3,979
	% Change	-11.5%	-13.2%	-4.4%	-15.2%	-9.7%	1.7%	-16.9%	-11.4%
	2023	924	859	434	820	150	157	112	3,456
June	2024	837	715	391	921	145	156	99	3,264
	% Change	-9.4%	-16.8%	-9.9%	12.3%	-3.3%	-0.6%	-11.6%	-5.6%
	2023	729	659	355	648	124	143	119	2,777
July	2024	682	643	403	693	135	151	116	2,823
	% Change	-6.4%	-2.4%	13.5%	6.9%	8.9%	5.6%	-2.5%	1.7%
	2023	2,901	2,583	1,379	2,561	469	472	361	10,726
Total	2024	2,624	2,282	1,358	2,541	456	482	323	10,066
	% Change	-9.5%	-11.7%	-1.5%	-0.8%	-2.8%	2.1%	-10.5%	-6.2%

Table 2: Child Welfare Prevention Cases: New and Closed January 2022 - July 2024

Year	Month	New Cases	Closed Cases		
	Jan-22	490	522		
	Feb-22	486	556		
	Mar-22	618	766		
	Apr-22	618	725		
	May-22	599	613		
0000	Jun-22	544	623		
2022	Jul-22	464	707		
	Aug-22	578	700		
	Sep-22	528	596		
	Oct-22	547	592		
	Nov-22	470	544		
	Dec-22	546	526		
	Jan-23	532	404		
	Feb-23	551	586		
	Mar-23	678	569		
	Apr-23	587	516		
	May-23	632	658		
2022	Jun-23	546	647		
2023	Jul-23	479	571		
	Aug-23	626	662		
	Sep-23	494	537		
	Oct-23	556	487		
	Nov-23	595	512		
	Dec-23	639	459		
	Jan-24	683	378		
	Feb-24	672	557		
	Mar-24	650	592		
2024	Apr-24	592	653		
	May-24	590	820		
	Jun-24	445	665		
	Jul-24	510	671		

Note: Data excludes transfers.

Table 3: Referrals to Child Welfare Prevention Services by Source January 2022 - July 2024

Year	Month	Total Referrals	DCP	FC Agencies	PPRS Transfer	School	Self	Other Sources*
	Jan-22	753	83.5%	1.3%	9.3%	1.5%	2.5%	1.9%
	Feb-22	818	82.8%	1.8%	10.0%	0.9%	2.3%	2.2%
	Mar-22	934	87.8%	1.2%	6.7%	1.4%	1.4%	1.5%
	Apr-22	979	85.9%	1.6%	8.0%	0.8%	2.0%	1.6%
	May-22	859	85.4%	1.2%	7.6%	1.4%	2.2%	2.2%
2022	Jun-22	743	87.2%	1.2%	6.9%	1.2%	1.5%	2.0%
2022	Jul-22	797	82.9%	2.0%	9.5%	1.9%	1.6%	2.0%
	Aug-22	861	85.9%	1.0%	7.1%	0.9%	3.1%	1.9%
	Sep-22	795	83.0%	1.6%	8.9%	0.9%	3.0%	2.5%
	Oct-22	853	80.9%	1.1%	9.8%	1.3%	3.6%	3.3%
	Nov-22	731	74.3%	2.1%	11.6%	3.1%	3.8%	5.1%
	Dec-22	731	77.7%	1.6%	10.4%	2.2%	5.7%	2.3%
	Jan-23	830	78.4%	1.4%	9.3%	3.1%	4.6%	3.1%
	Feb-23	781	78.9%	2.3%	8.3%	2.4%	4.9%	3.2%
	Mar-23	940	79.3%	2.3%	9.4%	2.3%	4.0%	2.7%
	Apr-23	868	76.2%	2.3%	10.7%	0.8%	6.2%	3.8%
	May-23	1,040	69.2%	2.3%	17.2%	2.2%	5.2%	3.8%
2023	Jun-23	770	69.2%	2.3%	13.2%	3.4%	8.2%	3.6%
2023	Jul-23	803	77.8%	2.6%	10.6%	0.9%	3.7%	4.4%
	Aug-23	861	77.5%	1.0%	12.0%	0.7%	4.4%	4.4%
	Sep-23	792	76.5%	2.4%	9.8%	1.1%	6.3%	3.8%
	Oct-23	827	68.1%	2.3%	11.4%	3.3%	8.1%	6.9%
	Nov-23	814	65.5%	2.3%	9.5%	5.5%	9.5%	7.7%
	Dec-23	853	68.3%	1.9%	8.9%	4.1%	11.1%	5.6%
	Jan-24	983	68.1%	2.0%	7.8%	5.8%	9.1%	7.2%
	Feb-24	961	61.3%	2.5%	10.7%	5.1%	7.9%	12.5%
	Mar-24	918	64.3%	1.7%	12.6%	3.1%	6.9%	11.4%
2024	Apr-24	948	66.4%	2.2%	14.6%	3.4%	3.7%	9.8%
	May-24	953	67.4%	1.2%	15.6%	3.1%	4.1%	8.6%
	Jun-24	712	72.2%	1.5%	11.8%	1.8%	4.6%	8.0%
	Jul-24	851	67.9%	2.1%	15.3%	2.7%	5.3%	6.7%

Note: Data includes all referrals – accepted and rejected

^{*}Other Community Sources includes the Department of Homeless Services, Family Court, FAP, Hospitals and Medical facilities, the NYC Housing Authority, Probation, and Sponsor Agencies.

