

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

### Community District 1, Astoria, Queens

	Citywide	Borough	Community District
<b>Child Abuse and Neglect (CY 2023)</b>			
Number of CARES Cases	10,057	1,733	170
Number of Investigations	42,864	10,080	937
Reporters (Investigations and CARES)			
Education	11,324	2,873	215
Social Service	9,799	2,150	182
Medical/Mental Health	5,013	1,137	116
Law Enforcement	9,974	2,079	170
Child Care/Substitute Care	682	138	14
Other Mandated	278	65	15
Non-Mandated	15,851	3,371	395
Allegations (Investigations Only)			
Educational Neglect Only	1,120	247	27
Educational Neglect with Other Allegations	2,237	408	42
Lack of Medical Care	3,746	852	86
Other Neglect	39,528	9,146	867
Physical Abuse	10,579	2,394	188
Psychological Abuse	890	238	16
Sexual Abuse	2,643	563	32
Substance Abuse	8,002	1,808	187
Other	1,453	498	30
<b>Child Welfare Prevention Services (CY 2023)</b>			
Families Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	13,726	2,605	182
Children Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	29,879	5,479	378
<b>Foster Care (CY 2023 and December 31, 2023)</b>			
New Entries to Foster Care From the Community, CY 2023	2,953	509	71
Children in Foster Care In the Community, December 31, 2023	6,337	1,011	54
Percent in Kinship Homes	45.1	44.3	77.8
<b>Juvenile Justice (CY 2023)</b>			
Detention Admissions From the Community	1,886	366	35
Close to Home Admissions From the Community	111	24	^
<b>Child Care Vouchers (CY 2023)</b>			
Children Receiving Child Care Vouchers During the Year	91,325	9,623	470
ACS-Issued Child Care Vouchers	63,429	7,733	324
HRA-Issued Child Care Vouchers	27,896	1,890	146
<b>Population Rates per 1,000 Child Population (CY 2023)</b>			
Population <18 Years Old	1,740,142	456,007	27,312
Number of Children in Indicated Investigations	18,212	4,038	333
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Indicated Investigations	10.5	8.9	12.2
Children Receiving Prevention	29,879	5,479	378
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Prevention Services	17.2	12.0	13.8
Children Placed in Foster Care	2,953	509	71
Population Rate/1,000 Children Placed in Foster Care	1.7	1.1	2.6
Population 12-18 Years Old	691,020	185,020	10,485
Detention Admissions	1,886	366	35
Population Rate/1,000 Children Detention Admissions	2.7	2.0	3.3

^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.