Reference Material – Summary of Dashboards and Reports

Knowledge Base Article

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Overview

As of March 30, 2023, the Office of Families and Children has available 29 Dashboard Reports, 72 ROM reports, and 362 Ohio SACWIS reports as described below.

Additional child welfare data available outside of OFC but originating with OFC through data sharing agreements may be found here:

- Data sent to the PCSAO for the Factbook PCSAO - Factbook
- Data sent to the Department of Public Safety for their Ohio Human Trafficking Reporting - Human Trafficking Task Force (ohio.gov)
- Supreme Court of Ohio – They currently share Permanency Docket Quarterly (PDQ) data with their agencies but will be making the data available through a website

OFC submits reports to the Administration for Children and Families for the following:

- NCANDS – National Child Abuse and Neglect Data System
- AFCARS – Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System
- NYTD – National Youth in Transition Database

National Data Archive on Child Abuse and Neglect (NDACAN) (hhs.gov) then makes datasets available to the research community for secondary analysis. Prevention Services will probably be added to this list when those files reach NDACAN.

Other data is shared regularly for reports that may be made available to the public by the following agencies:

- Children's Defense Fund
- Save Abandoned Babies
- Ohio Children's Trust Fund

Public Facing Dashboards Managed by the Office of Families and Children

Ohio's Interactive Children Services Dashboard

This dashboard displays 7 Dashboard Reports. This is currently the only public facing dashboard made available by OFC. Each of the 7 Dashboard Reports allow filtering of data. These Reports are:

Point in Time Count of Children in Care

- o The base population for this report is children in custody.
- o Drilldowns include period, agency type, agency name, custody type, placement type

Point in Time Count of Participants on an Open Child Abuse and Neglect Case

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o The base population for this report is distinct count of active case participants on open child abuse and neglect cases.
o Drilldowns include period, agency type, agency name, case category, age group

Child Abuse and Neglect Referrals and Outcomes

o The base population for this report is child abuse and neglect intakes received during a period of time.
o Drilldowns include period, agency type, agency name, disposition, intake type, screening decision

Children Removed from Home due to Parental Substance Use/Abuse

o The base population for this report looks at all removals and displays the percentage of those removals that have parental substance abuse/use as a removal reason.
o Drilldowns include period, agency type, agency name

Adoption Related Summary

o The base population for this report is children in permanent custody. The dashboard displays children available for adoption, children who entered permanent custody, children who exited permanent custody, children who exited custody without finalized permanency and children whose adoption finalized.
o Drilldowns include period, agency type, agency name, adoption measures.

Summary of Children Removed during the Period

o The base population for this report is the count of child removals during the period.
o Drilldowns include period, agency type, agency name, removal reason, age group, caretaker structure, custody type

Summary of Children Discharged from Care during the Period

o The base population for this report is children discharged from custody during the period.
o Drilldowns include period, agency type, agency name, age group, reason for termination, custody type

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<u>Non-Public</u> Facing, County Level Access Dashboards and Reports Managed by the Office of Families and Children

There are 22 dashboard type reports available to children services agencies as well as 72 Results Oriented Management (ROM) Reports and 362 Ohio SACWIS Reports.

Performance Measures is an interactive dashboard available to all directors and their designees. This dashboard allows for several views of aggregate data per county. The reports are categorized within Practice, Outcome, and System types as follows:

Practice Reports

- Safety Assessment Completion
- Family Assessment Completion
- Initial Case Plan Completion
- Completed Caseworker Visits with Children
- Completed Caseworker Visits with Adults
- Pending Overdue Child Abuse and/or Neglect Intakes

Outcome

- Children in Care by Setting
- Recurrence of Maltreatment
- Child Abuse/Neglect Report Recurrence
- Re-entry into Care
- Children Aging Out of Care

System

- Caseworker Caseload Estimates
- Caseworker Counts
- Intake Assessment/Screening
- Transfers to Ongoing by Risk Level

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The Office of Families and Children makes available to ODJFS and county agencies the **Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (CARA)** interactive dashboard allowing for several views of CARA data.

Point in time Dashboard Reports

The Office of Families and Children sends several monthly point in time **dashboard reports** to our children services agencies. There are **6** reports that are sent monthly and include:

Snapshot Dashboards

- Children in Care
- Foster Homes
- Racial Disparity

Best Practice Reports

- Composite Visitation
- Intake Investigation

Comprehensive Visitation Report

Results Oriented Management (ROM)

OFC makes **72** reports available in our **Results Oriented Management (ROM)** reporting system. These reports are available to users who request access via a digital 7078.   All ROM reports have county level drilldowns and special filters available.

CPS Reports

- Child Protection Reports – Displays all CPS reports by screening decision
- Report Conclusions/Findings – Displays reports by disposition
- Maltreatment Allegations – Count of all maltreatment allegations based on the date CPS report received.
- Initiation Contact Timely - Percent/count of accepted reports for investigation or assessment initiated within the required time. Displays met and not met by Alternative Response and Traditional Response.

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- Investigations Completed Within Required Time - Percent/count of CPS investigations and assessments completed by the required due date. Displays met and not met by AR and TR.

- Pending CPS Reports- Displays status of accepted CPS reports not completed as of the "data current date"

- Safe from Maltreatment Recurrence for 6 Months - Of all substantiated or indicated child maltreatment reports (victim) from 6 months ago, what percent of children had another substantiated or indicated maltreatment report within a 6 month observation period from each substantiated or indicated report?

- CPS Report Recurrence - Of all children with a screened-in CPS report of maltreatment during a 12 month target period (regardless of finding), what percent had another screened-in report within 12 months from the date of the initial report?

- CPS Report Recurrence by CPS Report Type - Of all children with a screened-in CPS report of maltreatment during a 12 month target period (regardless of finding), what percent had another screened-in report within 12 months from the date of the initial report? This includes the type of report, by Alternative Response and Traditional Response.

- Removal Rate per 1,000 - Number of children removed in the 12 month period ending in the Report Period and the rate of removal per 1,000 children in the population.

In-Home Reports

- Children Safe Each Month of In-Home Services- Percent of children receiving with a substantiated or indicated report of maltreatment during In-home Intact status each month.

- Permanency Maintained for Children Exiting In-home- Percent of children exiting State Involvement in In-home Intact status who were maintained with their family (thus not entering foster care).

- Maltreatment Reports During In-Home- Count of CPS screened-in reports for children occurring anytime during an In-Home episode reported by finding (disposition).

- Maltreatment Rate per 100,000 Days In-Home Services- Of all children In-Home during a 12-month target period, what is the rate of victimization per 100,000 days of In-Home services.

Federal Indicators

- Recurrence of Maltreatment- Of all children who were victims of a substantiated or indicated report of maltreatment during a 12-month target period, what percent were victims of another substantiated or indicated maltreatment allegation within 12 months of their initial report?

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- Maltreatment in Foster Care- Of all children in foster care during a 12-month target period, what is the rate of victimization per 100,000 days of foster care.

- Permanency in 12 Months- Of all children who enter foster care in a target 12-month period, what percent discharged to permanency within 12 months of entering foster care.

- Permanency in 12 Months for Children in Foster care 12-23 Months- Of all children in foster care on the first day of a 12- month period who had been in foster care (in that episode) between 12 and 23 months, what percent discharged from foster care to permanency within 12 months of the first day of the 12-month period.

- Permanency in 12 Months for Children in Foster Care 24+ Months- Of all children in foster care on the first day of a 12- month period who had been in foster care (in that episode) 24 months or more, what percent discharged from foster care to permanency within 12 months of the first day of the 12-month period.

- Placement Stability- Of all children who enter foster care in a 12-month target period, what is the rate of placement moves 1,000 per day of foster care

- Re-Entry to Foster Care- Of all children who enter foster care in a 12-month target period and discharged within 12 months to reunification, living with a relative(s), or guardianship, what percent re-entered foster care within 12 months of discharge.

Foster Care

- Foster Care Counts- Total number of children on a FC caseload at the start of the report period (in care first day of the report period who were also in care the day before)

- Children in Foster Care 17+ Months- Number of children in care 17 months or longer at the start of the report period (in care 17+ months both on the first day of the report period and the day before)

- Average Daily Foster Care Population per 1000- Average Daily Population Rate Per 1000 is calculated as Average Daily Population (ADP) divided by the Child Population multiplied by 1000

- Discharge Reasons- Total number of children discharged during each Report Period

- Median Length of Stay at Exit- Median months to discharge (median is middle score, so half were discharged in more months and half less

- Initial Placement with Relative- Initial placement with relatives (of those entering care)

- Placement Type- Placement Type (of those in care the last day of the month)

- Siblings Placed Together- Child is in an out-of-home placement and has a sibling in a removal episode excluding those back home (e.g. Trial Home Visit) on the last day in the report period.

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- Placement in Same or Adjoining County- Total in out-of-home placement last day of month or "Data Current through date" for the current month

- Median Length of Time in Foster Care-   The period of time that children were in foster care (the cohort) in each Report Period

- Removal Reasons for Children Entering Foster Care- Percent/count of Removal Categories of Children Removed, over time

Outcomes

- Maltreatment Reports During Foster Care- Count of CPS screened-in reports for children occurring anytime during a removal episode reported by finding (disposition)

- Permanency in 12 Months of Entry- Percent of children who entered care 12 months ago who achieved permanency in less than 12 months

- Permanency in 24 Months of Entry- Percent of children who entered care 24 months ago who achieved permanency in less than 24 months

- Permanency During Year for Children in Care 12-23 mos.- Children in care between 12 to 23 months on the first day of the federal fiscal year

- Permanency During Year for Children in Care 24+ mos.- Children in care 24 mos. or more on the first day of the federal fiscal year

- Placement Moves rate per 1,000 Days of Care- Moves per 1,000 days of care provided to children who were in foster care during the report period

- Permanency Maintained 12 Months Following Exit- Children whose 12 month observation period ended (from discharge) during each Report Period for discharge reasons of reunification, living with a relative, or guardianship

Emancipated Youth

- Youth Emancipating from Custody- Total number of youth emancipated during the report period

Countdown to Outcomes

- Countdown to Permanency- Number of children who were removed in the last 24 months as grouped by the number of months ago they were removed (relative to the "Data current through" date)

- Countdown to TPR- Number of children grouped by the number of months ago they started their 17th month over the last 24 months; children without TPR who achieved permanency other than adoption are excluded.

- Countdown to Adoption/Other Permanency- Number of children who were granted TPR (free for adoption) in the last 24 months as grouped by the number of months ago TPR occurred

State Involved: Counts

- State Involved Child Counts- Total number of children involved at the start of the report period (in care first day of the report period who were also in care the day before)

- Current Child Status by Involvement Entry Cohort- Current status of children who entered state involvement during the entry cohort month

- (New Report) Average Daily Population by Placement Type- The average number of children in foster care during a report period calculated as the total of the number of days children were in foster care divided by the number of days in the report period for each child by placement setting.

State Involved: Length of Services

- Length of time State Involved- Count/percent of children Involved on the last day of the report period by the length of time in that type.

- Median Length of time State Involved- Median months to discharge (median is middle score, so half were discharged in more months and half less)

State Involved: Outcomes

- Safe From Maltreatment 6 Mos. After Involvement- Children exiting State Involvement 6 months ago who did not have a substantiated or indicated CPS report in the 6-month observation period following their exit from State Involvement.

- No Re-Involvement in 6 Months After Exit- Children exiting state involvement 6 months ago who did not require further state involvement for 6 months

- No Re-Involvement in 12 Months After Exit- Children exiting state involvement 12 months ago who did not require further state involvement for 12 months

Racial Disproportionality: Overview

- Decision Polit Analysis- Comparison of race group percentages across selected child populations and decision points

- Outcomes Summary by Race-Comparison graphs of Safe from Maltreatment Recurrence for 6 months, Permanency in 12 and 24 months, Re-entry to Foster Care, Placement Stability, Siblings placed together, Placement Type.

Racial Disproportionality

Children with an identified race by population and decision point cohort for the following (the ratio of the race percent at the decision point divided by the same race percent in the base population)**:**

- All Child Reports
- Accepted Referrals
- Child Victim
- Entered Foster Care
- In Foster Care
- Exit Foster Care

Racial Disparity

Disparity Ratio (DR) is the ratio of Disproportionality Index (DI) of the race to white children at same decision point for the following reports:

- All Child Reports
- Accepted Referrals
- Child Victim
- Entered Foster Care
- In Foster Care
- Exit Foster Care

Summary Reports

- Involved Episode Summary- Combined reports of Median length of time involved, median length of time in foster care and median length of time in-home intact
- Outcomes Summary by Administrative Unit- Combined Federal reports of
  - [Foster Care Count: Ending Caseload,](#)
  - [In-home Count: Ending Caseload](#),
  - [Recurrence of Maltreatment: Percent Safe](#),
  - [Maltreatment in Foster Care: Rate](#),
  - [Permanency in 12 Months: Percent Met](#),
  - [Permanency in 12 Months for Children in Foster Care 12-23 Months: Percent Met](#),
  - [Permanency in 12 Months for Children in Foster Care 24+ Months: Percent Met](#),

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- o [Placement Stability: Placement Stability Rate](#),
- o [Re-Entry to Foster Care: Percent Maintained Permanency](#)

- Federal Outcome Indicators Summary-
  - o [Combined Federal Reports of Recurrence of Maltreatment](#),
  - o [Maltreatment in Foster Care](#),
  - o [Permanency in 12 Months](#),
  - o [Permanency in 12 Months for Children in Foster Care 12 to 23 Months](#),
  - o [Permanency in 12 Months for Children in Foster Care 24 Months or More](#),
  - o [Placement Stability - Moves per 1,000 Days in Care](#), [Re-entry to Foster Care](#)

Usage

- User Report Activity- Reports Viewed Per Month

Ohio SACWIS Reports

OFC currently makes available **362 Ohio SACWIS reports** that are located in various modules within Ohio SACWIS. The most widely used or most impactful Ohio SACWIS Administrative Reports Include:

- **Agency Independent Living Summary Report**

  The report provides information surrounding independent living plans for children 13 1/2 years old and up that are in agency custody.

- **Case Draft Activity Log Report**

  The report displays activity logs with a status of draft and provides users the ability to run the report for an entire agency or a specific worker.

- **Comprehensive Visitation Report**

  The report displays needed and completed visitation information for children and adults being served on an ongoing basis. The report provides a detailed and a summary view

- **Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act Report**

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The report will provide information pertaining to CARA cases where at least one infant has been identified as impacted by substance use on the Intake and/or Family Assessment.

- **Child Fatality or Near Fatality Summary Report**

  All Child Fatality and Near Fatality events are displayed on this report, along with in-depth statistical information surrounding the event.

- **Client Characteristics Report**

  The report displays a numerical breakdown of clients with specified characteristics.

- **Family Assessment Risk Contributor Report**

  The report displays the risk contributors for the family assessments, per case for a selected time period, as well as the risk levels and final case decisions. The report includes risk assessment statistics on the second tab.

- **Identified Father's Report**

  The Identified Fathers Report displays information regarding all active child participants on open ongoing cases, excluding children in permanent custody and permanent surrender.

- **Intake Assessment Lifecycle Report for Child Abuse, Neglect, and Dependency**

  This report is designed to track important measures for child abuse, neglect and dependency intakes from the point of screen-in until intake completion. The focus will be on tracking important intake due dates, completion dates, and timely compliance of these activities.

- **Intake Designated Drug Type Report**

  This report identifies drugs from the intake report which are categorized by drug type and is available in an Excel document to allow for filtering or as a PDF document.

- **Intake Details and Statistics Report**

  Provides the user with a daily summary of intakes for a specified time period; intakes are organized by date received and then intake decision. The daily intakes are also totaled with a count of the number received.

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- **Medication Detail Report**

  This report returns details on children in custody and identifies their prescribed medications and whether those medications are psychotropic (if this information is known to Ohio SACWIS).

- **Ongoing and Adoption Case Activities Report**

  This is a point-in-time report designed to track important case activities and due dates for all active Ongoing, Ongoing Alternative Response, and Adoption cases.

- **Out of State Placement Report**

  All out of state placements that intersect at least one day of the parameter date period will be returned for the specified agency.

- **Prevention Services Eligibility Admin Report**

  This report displays Prevention Services Eligibility Records for a specified agency, for a specified period.

- **Provider Characteristics Report**

  Known provider characteristics including race, ethnicity, gender, language spoken, and religion are numerically tallied for a selected agency.

- **Provider Maltreatment and Licensing Violation Report**

  This report can be generated for homes licensed by the selected agency or for intakes recorded for the selected agency. It will return all child abuse or neglect reports where a foster parent or substitute caregiver is the alleged perpetrator, as well as provide information regarding all Information Only/Licensing Violation reports.

- **QRTP Program Compliance Report**

  This report will provide details regarding Agency QRTP Compliance that have a License Certification Effective Date and License Certification End Date that intersects with the user entered parameter dates.

- **Shaken Baby Summary Report**

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This report provides a summary of information about children who are identified on an Intake, as Physical Abuse-Shaken Baby or has a harm description of Shaken Baby, within user selected dates.

- Various **financial reports** are also available.

If you need additional information or assistance, please contact the OFC Automated Systems Help Desk at SACWIS_HELP_DESK@jfs.ohio.gov .

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