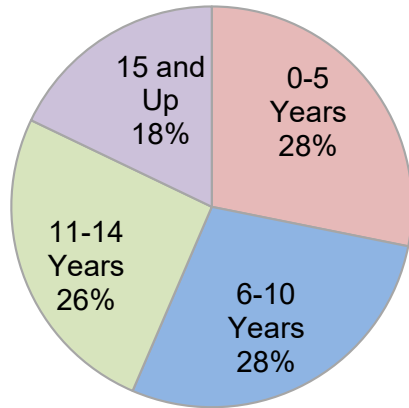


Child Welfare Services Fiscal Year 2021/22 Statistics

Age of Children In Referrals



**39,025 abuse/neglect reports were made to the Hotline
which represents 67,824 children.**

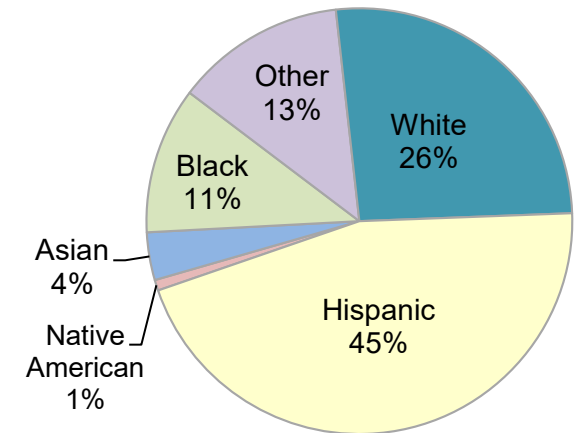
(Children can be counted more than once if referred multiple times throughout the year)

**20,805 of those reports, including 39,225 of
those children were assigned
for investigation.**

**364 new Voluntary Services cases
were opened during the year.**

**952 new petitions
were filed on behalf
of children.**

Ethnicity of Children In Referrals



Children Receiving Services as of July 1, 2022

2,967 children and youth in an open case:

- 255 young adults in Extended Foster Care (EFC)
- 607 children were receiving services in their home.
- 2,105 children were in out-of-home care:
 - 35% Kinship Care
 - 54% Non-kinship care
 - 27% Resource Family Homes
 - 11% Guardian and Court Specified Homes
 - 9% Foster Family Agency Homes
 - 4% Group Home
 - 2% San Pasqual Academy
 - 2% Temporary Shelter Care Facility
 - 3% Adoptions pending/finalized
 - 8% Other (e.g. trial home visits with parents, non-foster care placements)

Allegation Types

General Neglect	43%
Emotional Abuse	31%
Physical Abuse	29%
At Risk, Sibling Abused	21%
Sexual Abuse	21%
Severe Neglect	2%
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	1%
Exploitation	0.4%

Children may have multiple allegations, therefore the percents will not equal 100%

304 children were placed in adoptive homes during FY2021/22

Child Welfare Services Fiscal Year 2021/22 Regional Statistics

North Coastal⁴

5,514 children (3,004 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2022:

190 children were receiving services

- 68% were dependents¹
- 31% were in voluntary services
- 1% were pending

136 were in out-of-home care

- 26% kinship care
- 74% non-kinship care
- 0% other

North Central³

4,879 children (2,638 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2022:

204 children were receiving services

- 79% were dependents¹
- 18% were in voluntary services
- 3% were pending

101 were in out-of-home care

- 32% kinship care
- 65% non-kinship care
- 3% other

Central

7,223 children (3,695 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2022:

392 children receiving services

- 80% were dependents¹
- 18% were in voluntary services
- 3% were pending

269 children were in out-of-home care

- 33% kinship care
- 63% non-kinship care
- 4% other

Centralized Child Welfare Services (CCWS)²

28,172 children (17,942 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2022:

899 children were receiving services

- 99% were dependents
- 1% were in voluntary services
- 0% were pending

An additional 255 youth were in EFC

846 children were in out-of-home care

- 37% kinship care
- 56% non-kinship care
- 0% other
- 7% adoptions pending

North Inland⁴

7,059 children (3,752 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2022:

255 children were receiving services

- 77% were dependents¹
- 19% were in voluntary services
- 4% were pending

130 were in out-of-home care

- 42% kinship care
- 50% non-kinship care
- 8% other

East

8,008 children (4,274 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2022:

377 children receiving services

- 76% were dependents¹
- 23% were in voluntary services
- 1% were pending

257 were in out-of-home care

- 49% kinship care
- 48% non-kinship care
- 4% other

South

6,968 children (3,720 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2022:

354 children were receiving services

- 71% dependents¹
- 28% were in voluntary services
- 1% were pending

240 were in out-of-home care

- 35% kinship care
- 60% non-kinship care
- 5% other

Safety Enhanced Together (SET)
*Through Teamwork and Family Engagement:
 In San Diego, Our Families Are SET to Live Well!*



¹ Children can be in three types of status: dependents, which are children receiving services ordered by the Juvenile Court; voluntary services; or pending.

² CCWS consists of Residential Services, Adoptions, Child Abuse Hotline, Extended Foster Care, Indian Specialty Unit, San Pasqual Academy, and Open Case Investigations. These programs serve all six regions

³ The North Central Region includes the Medical/Deaf Services Unit

⁴ When a voluntary cases is opened in North Coastal, the case is transferred to North Inland.