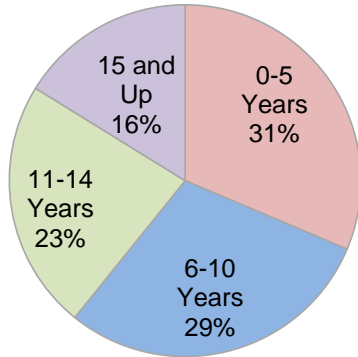


# Child Welfare Services Fiscal Year 2017/18 Statistics

## Age of Children In Referrals



## Children Receiving Services as of July 1, 2018

- 3,159 children and youth in an open case:
- 308 young adults in Extended Foster Care (EFC)
  - 799 children were receiving services in their home.
  - 2,052 children were in out-of-home care:
    - 36% Kinship care
    - 59% Non-kinship care
      - 30% foster family homes
      - 12% guardian and court specified homes
      - 8% foster family agency homes
      - 4% group homes
      - 3% San Pasqual Academy
      - 1% shelter care
    - 2% Other (e.g. trial visits with parents, non-foster care placements)
    - 3% Adoptions pending/finalized

420 children were placed in adoptive homes during FY2017/18

**44,049 abuse/neglect reports were made to the Hotline which represents 79,716 children.**

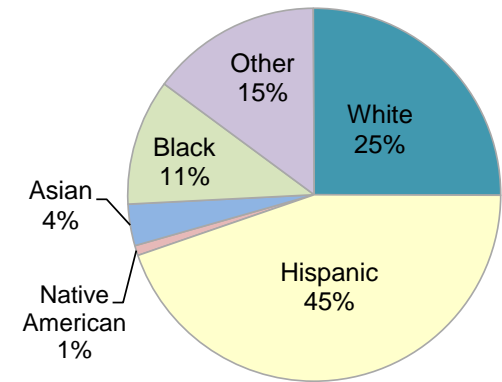
*(Children can be counted more than once if referred multiple times throughout the year)*

**22,242 of those reports, including 43,251 of those children were assigned for investigation.**

**1,202 children had a Voluntary Services case open at some point during the year.**

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

## Ethnicity of Children In Referrals



## Allegation Types

General Neglect	45%
Emotional Abuse	31%
Physical Abuse	31%
At Risk, Sibling Abused	22%
Sexual Abuse	19%
Severe Neglect	3%
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	2%
Exploitation	0.4%

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

## Child Welfare Services Fiscal Year 2017/18 Regional Statistics

### North Coastal

7,453 children (3,909 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2018:

144 children were receiving services

- 69% were dependents<sup>1</sup>
- 20% were in voluntary services
- 11% were pending

85 were in out-of-home care

- 33% kinship care
- 67% non-kinship care

### North Central<sup>3</sup>

6,102 children (3,342 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2018:

166 children were receiving services

- 65% were dependents<sup>1</sup>
- 31% were in voluntary services
- 4% were pending

*An additional 5 youth were in EFC*

105 were in out-of-home care

- 30% kinship care
- 65% non-kinship care
- 3% other
- 2% adoptions pending

### Central

11,080 children (5,511 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2018:

396 children receiving services

- 74% were dependents<sup>1</sup>
- 24% were in voluntary services
- 2% were pending

*An additional 1 youth was in EFC*

288 children were in out-of-home care

- 23% kinship care
- 77% non-kinship care

### Centralized Child Welfare Services (CCWS)<sup>2</sup>

26,695 children (16,626 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2018:

968 children were receiving services

- 98% were dependents
- 1% were in voluntary services
- .2% were pending

*An additional 298 youth were in EFC*

910 children were in out-of-home care

- 42% kinship care
- 48% non-kinship care
- 3% other
- 7% adoptions pending

### North Inland

10,110 children (5,136 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2018:

320 children were receiving services

- 60% were dependents<sup>1</sup>
- 35% were in voluntary services
- 5% were pending

*An additional 4 youth were in EFC*

163 were in out-of-home care

- 37% kinship care
- 60% non-kinship care
- 2% other

### East

9,953 children (5,211 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2018:

391 children receiving services

- 72% were dependents<sup>1</sup>
- 24% were in voluntary services
- 4% were pending

257 were in out-of-home care

- 37% kinship care
- 60% non-kinship care
- 2% other

### South

8,323 children (4,313 families) referred with allegations of abuse or neglect.

On July 1, 2018:

466 children were receiving services

- 67% dependents<sup>1</sup>
- 28% were in voluntary services
- 5% were pending

244 were in out-of-home care

- 27% kinship care
- 72% non-kinship care
- 1% other

**Safety Enhanced Together (SET)**  
*Through Teamwork and Family Engagement:  
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<sup>1</sup> Children can be in three types of status: dependents, which are children receiving services ordered by the Juvenile Court; voluntary services; or pending.

<sup>2</sup> CCWS consists of Residential Services, Adoptions, Critical Assessment for Release Early (CARE), Child Abuse Hotline, Extended Foster Care, and San Pasqual Academy. These programs serve all six regions.

<sup>3</sup> The North Central region includes the Medical/Deaf Services Unit