

A silhouette of a child sitting on a parent's shoulders, with their arms raised in a joyful gesture. The background is a soft, hazy sunset sky with warm tones of orange and yellow. The image is positioned on the left side of the page, partially overlapping the text.

FAMILY PRESERVATION SERVICES

**AN ASSESSMENT OF
RECENT DCFS PERFORMANCE
AND OUTCOMES
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INTRODUCTION

Act 906 of the 2001 session of the Arkansas legislature requires the Arkansas Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) to conduct an annual evaluation of family preservation services. The Act specifies several types of services, including those designed to prevent the removal of children from their homes, facilitate the reunification of families with children who have been removed from their homes, and help children attain safe and appropriate permanent living arrangements in the event that reunification does not occur.

These services encompass virtually all activities DCFS performs in its work with families and children. In this sense, any child or family that DCFS has assessed and/or for whom the agency has opened a case can be said to be in need of family preservation services. This report addresses whether the assistance and services that children and their families receive lead to positive results.

Within this context, the following report examines DCFS's performance during calendar year 2022 compared with its performance during the preceding two years. Many of the metrics analyzed herein replicate indicators currently monitored by the federal Children's Bureau, while other metrics are commonly used within Arkansas's and other states' child welfare systems. The report metrics are structured around safety, permanency, and well-being.

In addition to assessing statewide performance, this report examines individual service areas and counties' ability to keep children safe, help them gain permanency, and promote their well-being; their performance is detailed in the report as well.

SAFETY

REPORTS ACCEPTED FOR CHILD MALTREATMENT ASSESSMENT

During 2022, Arkansas accepted 27,547 child maltreatment reports for an investigation. The number of reports accepted for investigation was similar to the previous year.

Of those investigations, 21,337 (77%) were assigned to DCFS; the remaining 6,210 (23%) were assigned to the Arkansas State Police Crimes Against Children Division.

DCFS was also responsible for all 4,871 reports that were accepted for differential response (DR) during the year. The number of DRs received increased by 11% from the previous year (Figure 1).

Of assessments (investigations and DRs combined) assigned to DCFS during 2022, 19% originated from Area 1 and 12% originated from Area 8. DCFS staff from Area 10 received the fewest total assessments, followed by those in Areas 7 and 4 (Figure 2).

Figure 1
Accepted Child Maltreatment Reports Statewide

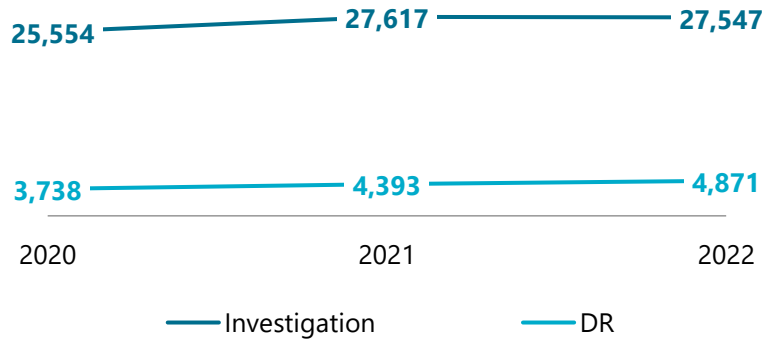
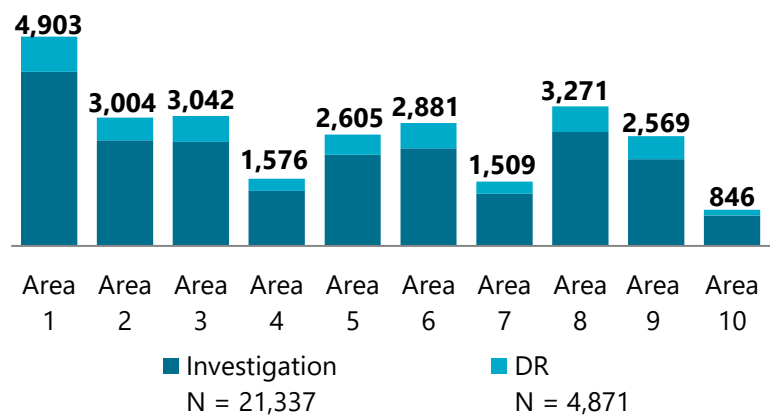


Figure 2
Total Reports Assigned to DCFS by Area



Note: Two reports did not have a county and area identified for the incident.

CHILD MALTREATMENT INVESTIGATIONS

TIMELINESS OF INITIATING INVESTIGATIONS

DCFS staff must see alleged victims within 24 hours of receipt of a priority one report and 72 hours of receipt of a priority two report. Agency staff statewide initiated 79% of their investigations on time during 2022 (Figure 3).

Area 10 had the highest rate (91%) of investigations initiated in a timely manner during the year, followed closely by Areas 9, 2, and 8. Within each of these areas, the better performing counties were Arkansas, Ashley, and Monroe (Area 10); Cleburne, Independence, Stone, and White (Area 9); Crawford and Johnson (Area 2); and Clay, Iazard, and Sharp (Area 8).

For the fourth consecutive year, the lowest timely initiation rate was observed in Area 6 (67%), i.e., Pulaski County (Figure 4).

Among other individual counties, the struggle to initiate investigations on time in Garland (68%) and Saline (71%) Counties negatively impacted Area 3's initiation rate, Union (64%) and Columbia (70%) Counties for Area 4, and Madison (72%) and Washington (73%) Counties for Area 2.

Appendix Table A1 displays, by county, the percentage of investigations with timely initiation.

Figure 3
Timely Investigation Initiation Statewide

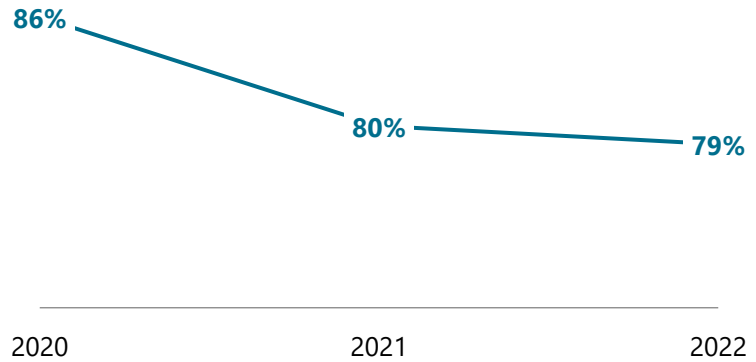
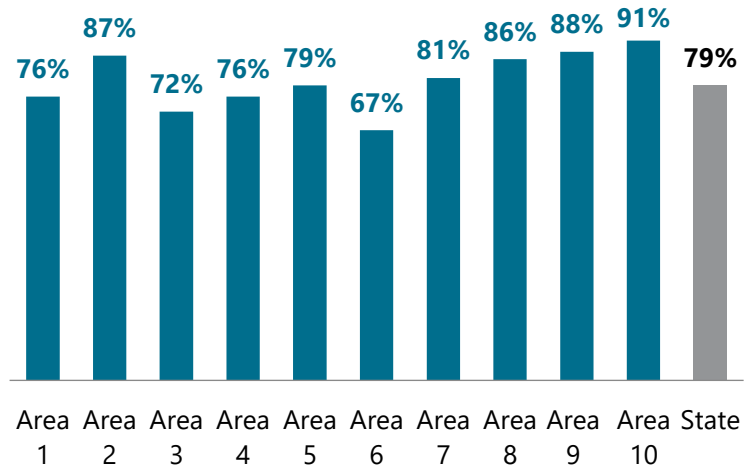


Figure 4
Timely Investigation Initiation by Area



TIMELINESS OF COMPLETING INVESTIGATIONS

Investigations are to be completed within 45 days of receipt of the report. In select instances, a 15-day extension may be granted, resulting in a 60-day completion requirement. DCFS completed 73% of its investigations on time in 2022, similar to the previous year (Figure 5).

Areas 6 and 10 completed nearly all of their investigations on time, and Areas 7 and 8 had comparably high timely completion rates (Figure 6). Though Area 6 struggled the most at *initiating* investigations on time, it performed the best at completing them on time. Within Area 10, all counties completed at least 95% of investigations on time.

For the second consecutive year, less than 60% of the investigations from each of Areas 3, 4, and 5 were completed on time. Many counties in these areas struggled to complete even half their investigations on time, including Garland and Perry Counties in Area 3; Columbia, Hempstead, Lafayette, Nevada, and Union Counties in Area 4; and Boone, Conway, Faulkner, Searcy, and Van Buren Counties in Area 5.

Appendix Table A2 displays the percentage of investigations completed on time by county.

Figure 5
Timely Investigation Completion Statewide

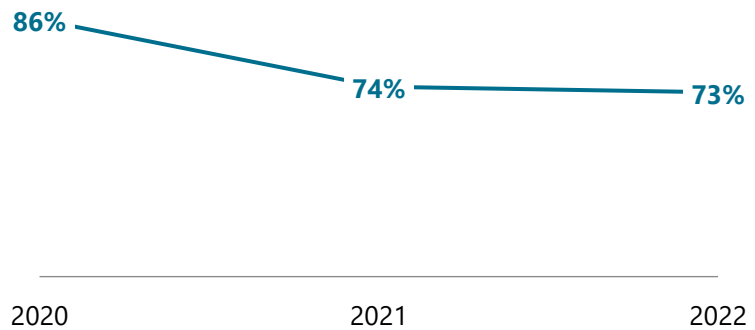
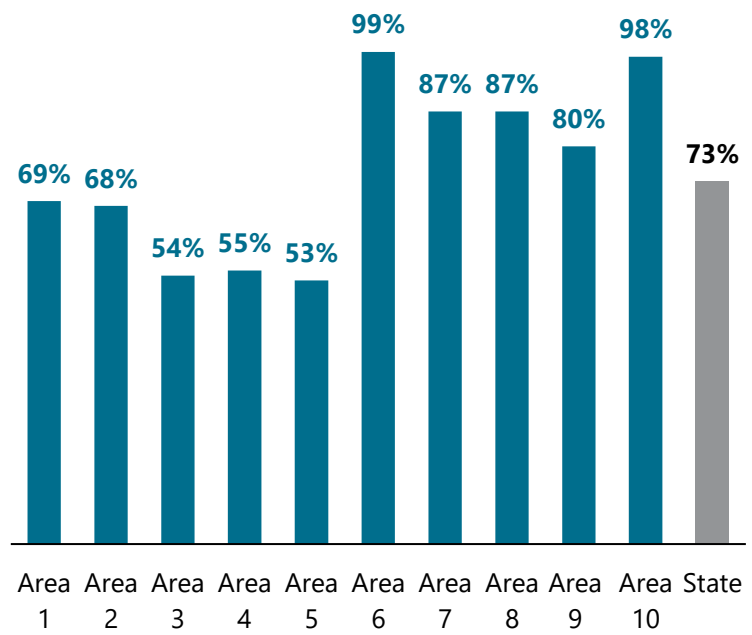


Figure 6
Timely Investigation Completion by Area



SUBSTANTIATION OF INVESTIGATIONS

Of all DCFS investigations received during 2022, 22% were substantiated, a rate lower than in the previous two years (Figure 7).

DCFS staff from Areas 4 and 10 (29% each) had the highest rates of substantiated investigations, which was also the case during the previous year. Area 2 (26%) had the third-highest rate of substantiated investigations. For the fourth consecutive year, Areas 1 and 7 had the lowest substantiated rates (Figure 8).

Among individual counties, investigations were substantiated at the lowest rates in Benton and Washington (Area 1), Montgomery and Perry (Area 3), Van Buren (Area 5), Grant and Lonoke (Area 7), Mississippi (Area 8), and White (Area 9). Meanwhile, over one third of investigations were substantiated for the following counties: Franklin (Area 2); Miller and Nevada (Area 4); Woodruff (Area 9); and Chicot, Lee, Phillips, and St. Francis (Area 10).

Appendix Table A3 displays the percentage of substantiated investigations by county.

Figure 7
Percentage of Substantiated DCFS Investigations Statewide

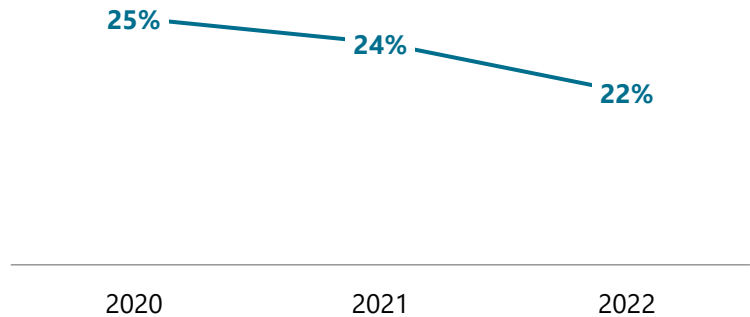
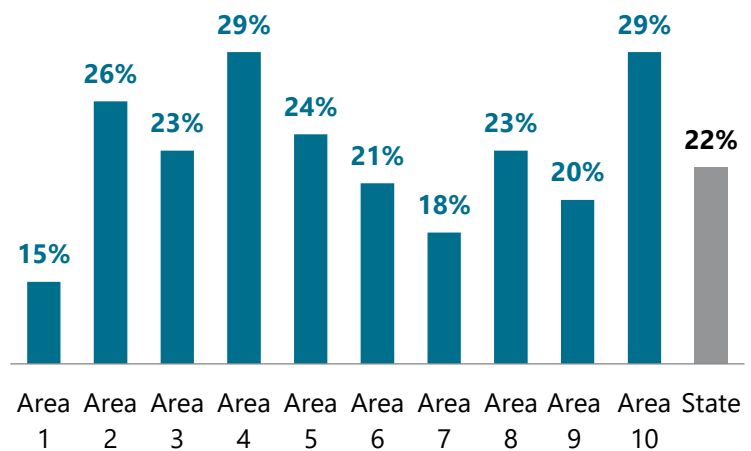


Figure 8
Percentage of Substantiated DCFS Investigations by Area



PREVENTING MALTREATMENT RECURRENCE

Recurrence of maltreatment is measured by examining all victim children maltreated during a 12-month period and identifying how many were revictimized within the next 12 months. For example, for 2022, all child victims of maltreatment during 2021 were tracked to see whether they were victims of a subsequent maltreatment report within 12 months of the initial report.

Of victim children in Arkansas, just under 5% experienced a recurrence of maltreatment within 12 months of a substantiation for 2022. DCFS met the national standard with respect to the recurrence of maltreatment for each of the past three years (Figure 9). All 10 areas achieved the national standard (Figure 10).

Nearly all counties (70 of 75) in Arkansas met the standard individually; those that did not were Baxter, Chicot, Fulton, Newton, and Searcy Counties. These counties are generally rural (i.e., sparsely populated).

Appendix Table A4 displays the percentage of children who experienced maltreatment recurrence by county.

Figure 9
Recurrence Within 12 Months Statewide

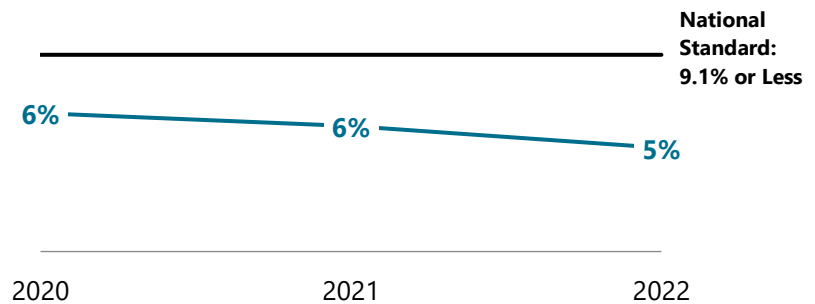
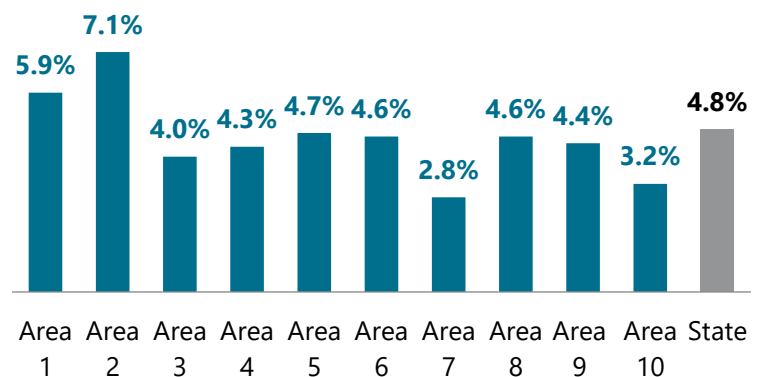


Figure 10
Recurrence Within 12 Months by Area



DIFFERENTIAL RESPONSE ASSESSMENTS

TIMELINESS OF INITIATING DR REFERRAL

DCFS must see all alleged victim children and at least one caregiver within 72 hours for DR referrals. Arkansas initiated 62% of DRs on time during 2022, a decline from each of the past two years (Figure 11).

Only Areas 8 (91%) and 10 (86%) performed comparatively well at initiating DRs on time (Figure 12). Only nine of the 75 Arkansas counties initiated over 90% of DRs on time; those were Clay, Fulton, Greene, Mississippi, and Randolph (Area 8); Independence (Area 9); and Lee, Monroe, and Phillips (Area 10).

Area 3 struggled the most at initiating DRs on time, doing so just over one third of the time, though Areas 2, 4, and 6 struggled as well. Less than half of DRs were initiated on time in numerous counties throughout these four areas, including Crawford, Franklin, Johnson, and Scott (Area 2); Garland, Hot Spring, Howard, Perry, and Saline (Area 3); Columbia, Lafayette, Little River, Ouachita, and Union (Area 4); and Pulaski (Area 6).

Appendix Table A5 displays the percentage of timely DRs initiated by county.

Figure 11
Timely DR Referral Initiation Statewide

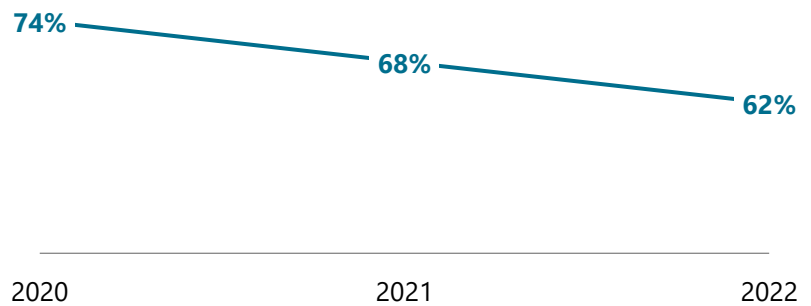
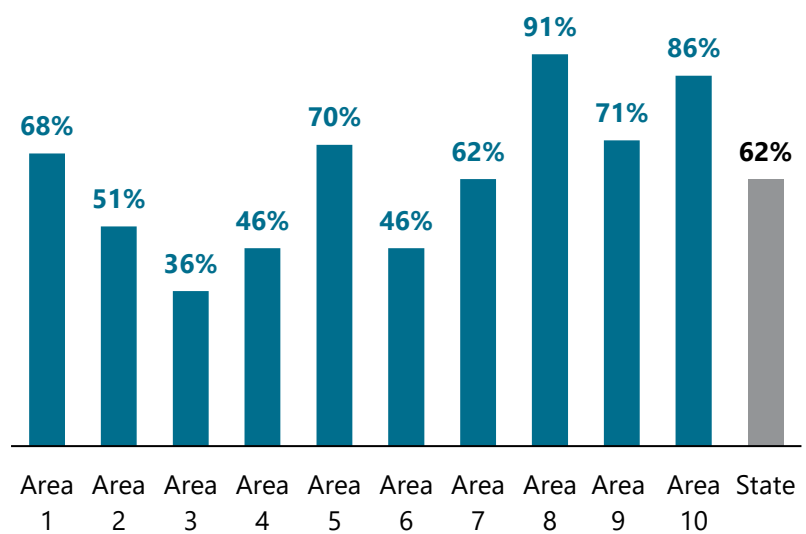


Figure 12
Timely DR Referral Initiation by Area



TIMELINESS OF COMPLETING DR REFERRALS

Reports assigned for DR must be closed within 30 days of receipt of the report. In certain instances when the families' needs necessitate longer involvement, up to two 15-day extensions can be granted, for a total of 60 days. DCFS completed 66% of DRs on time for 2022, identical to the on-time completion rate observed one year prior (Figure 13).

Five of the 10 areas—Areas 2, 7, 8, 9, and 10—performed reasonably well with regard to completing DRs on time. The vast majority of counties within these areas performed well, including Sebastian (94%) in Area 2, Jefferson and Lonoke (92% each) in Area 7, Craighead (93%) in Area 8, and Independence (98%) in Area 9.

The remaining five areas completed timely DRs at rate either identical to or less than the statewide average (66%). Less than half of DRs were completed on time in Areas 3, 4, and 6. Within Areas 3 and 4, not a single county even came close to matching the statewide completion rate. Area 6's completion rate (25%) was the lowest in the state for the second consecutive year.

Appendix Table A6 displays timely DR completion by county.

Figure 13
Timely DR Referral Completion Statewide

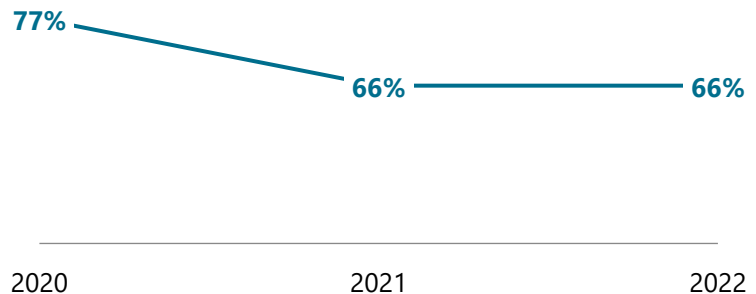
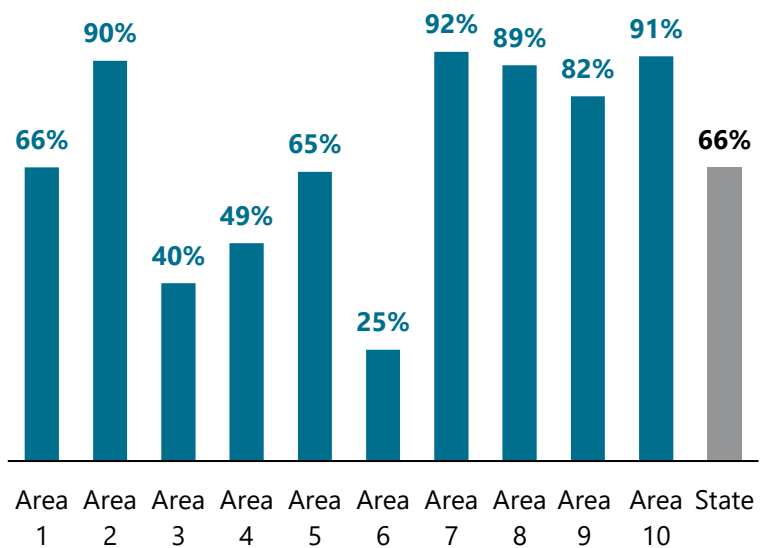


Figure 14
Timely DR Referral Completion by Area



IN-HOME PROTECTIVE SERVICES CASES

When child maltreatment necessitates DCFS involvement with a family but there is no immediate threat to any child’s safety, the agency can provide in-home protective services to the family in which no children are removed from the home. DCFS was responsible for 2,093 open in-home cases at the end of 2022, which was less than the number of open cases in the previous year (Figure 15).

Figure 16 displays the number of in-home cases by area, which decreased in eight of the 10 areas since the end of 2021. The largest declines occurred in Areas 6 (416 to 228), 5 (295 to 219), and 1 (317 to 261). The only increases in in-home cases from 2021 to 2022 occurred in Areas 2 (310 to 342) and 4 (178 to 189).

Aside from Pulaski County (i.e., Area 6), the largest net decreases in in-home cases occurred in Faulkner (108 to 65), Benton (123 to 88), Jefferson (86 to 56), Sebastian (141 to 117), and Washington (171 to 152) Counties. The largest net increases in in-home cases occurred in Crawford (69 to 104), Miller (42 to 60), and Crittenden (42 to 56) Counties.

Appendix Table A7 reviews the number of in-home protective services cases open at the end of the year by county.

Figure 15
Open In-Home Protective Services Cases Statewide

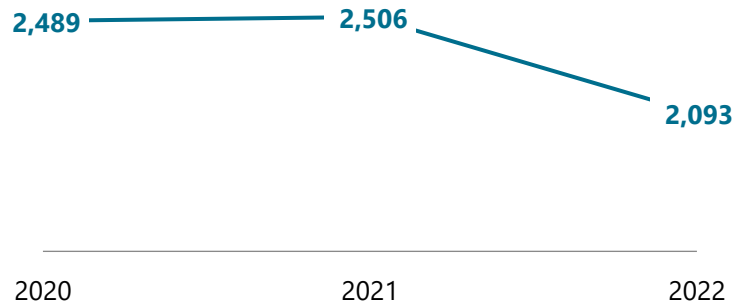
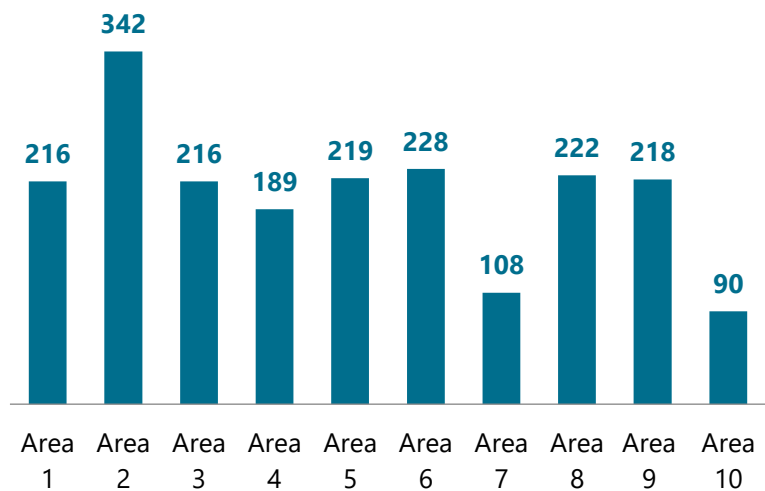


Figure 16
Open In-Home Protective Services Cases by Area



N = 2,093

DISCUSSION

STRENGTHS

Arkansas accepted 27,547 child maltreatment reports for investigation and another 4,871 for DR in 2022. Compared to the previous year, the number of investigations accepted essentially stayed the same and DRs increased by 11%. In 2022, DCFS was responsible for 21,337 (77%) investigations and all DRs received.

DCFS does well at preventing the recurrence of maltreatment within 12 months of a substantiated report, bettering the national standard (9.1% or less) for each of the last three years. All 10 areas met the standard for 2022, and nearly all counties did so as well.

Arkansas has taken deliberate steps to improve the process by which it assesses children's safety in recent years. Child welfare staff receive training on Safety Organized Practice (SOP) guidelines and Structured Decision Making (SDM), which ensures that safety decisions being made in response to allegations of maltreatment are consistent and uniform across the state. Furthermore, DCFS has implemented and expanded Team Decision Making (TDM)—an evidence-based approach that involves agency staff meeting with the child who is at risk of removal, the child's family, and other family supports to collaborate as to how to best keep the child safe—into four areas as of early 2023, with plans to go statewide in the near future.

AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT

Performance must improve across the state to ensure that the children and families cited in reports of maltreatment are seen and assessed sooner. Agency workers initiated 79% and completed 73% of their investigations on time during 2022, and they initiated 62% and completed 66% of DRs on time.

Investigations and DRs originating from certain areas were less likely to be initiated and completed on time than those from other parts of the state. It was especially challenging for DCFS staff to initiate and complete the investigations and DRs originating from Areas 3, 4, and 6.

PERMANENCY

CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE

THE POPULATION

A total of 4,080 children were in foster care at the end of 2022, a 12% decrease from one year prior (Figure 17). The number of children in foster care is approximately 22% lower than the all-time high of 5,234 in 2016 (not shown). Figure 18 displays children in care by area.

The foster child population declined in all 10 areas during the year. The largest decline was in Area 6 (i.e., Pulaski County), but considerable decreases were also observed in Areas 2 (802 to 705 children), 5 (460 to 372), 7 (343 to 272), and 1 (479 to 413).

Within those areas, the largest net decreases occurred in Sebastian County (487 to 406) in Area 2, Faulkner (149 to 111) in Area 5, Jefferson (152 to 115) and Lonoke (119 to 94) in Area 7, and Washington (273 to 237) in Area 1.

The number of children in care increased in less than a quarter of the state's counties (18 of 75). The largest net increases occurred in Franklin (22 to 49), Saline (62 to 82), and Randolph (19 to 36) counties.

Appendix Table A8 displays the number of children in care at the end of the year by county.

Figure 17
Children in Foster Care Statewide

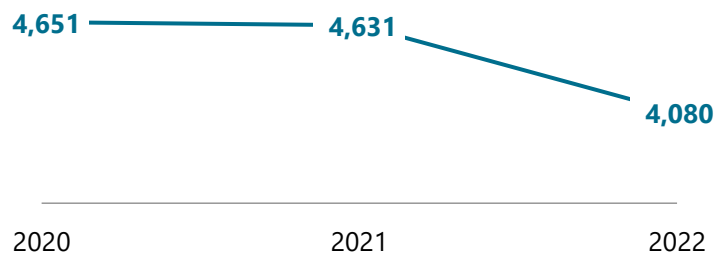
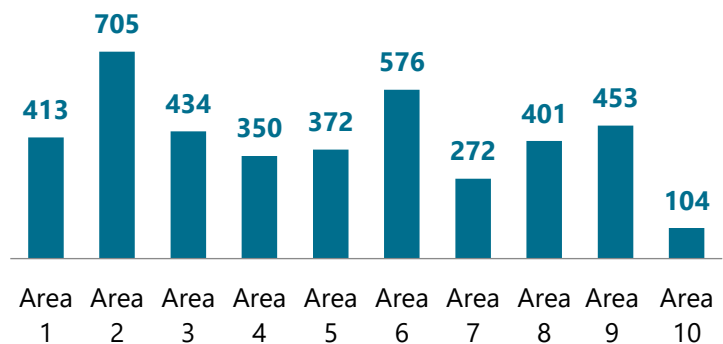


Figure 18
Children in Foster Care by Area



N = 4,080

PROXIMITY OF CHILDREN'S PLACEMENTS

Of children in care at the end of 2022, 69% were residing in a placement setting either within the same county from which they were removed or a neighboring county (Figure 19). This was similar to the previous two years.

Approximately 80 percent of children from Areas 1 and 6 were placed in close proximity to their homes, a higher rate than in the remaining eight areas (Figure 20). Benton (89%) and Washington (78%) Counties drove performance within Area 1.

At the other end of the spectrum, approximately 60% of children from Areas 9 and 10 were placed in close proximity to their homes. Aside from some exceptions—Cross in Area 9 and Desha, Drew, Lee, and Phillips in Area 10—most counties in these areas struggled to place children close to home.

Counties that drove performance within the remaining areas included Crawford (30%) and Sebastian (70%) in Area 2, Garland (73%) and Saline (75%) in Area 3, Hempstead (49%) and Miller (55%) in Area 4, Faulkner (63%) and Pope (70%) in Area 5, Jefferson (86%) and Lonoke (70%) in Area 7, and Craighead (59%) and Greene (68%) in Area 8.

Appendix Table A9 displays the percentage of foster children placed in (1) their home county and (2) their home county or a neighboring county, by removal county.

Figure 19
Proximity of Child's Placement
(Same or Neighboring County) Statewide

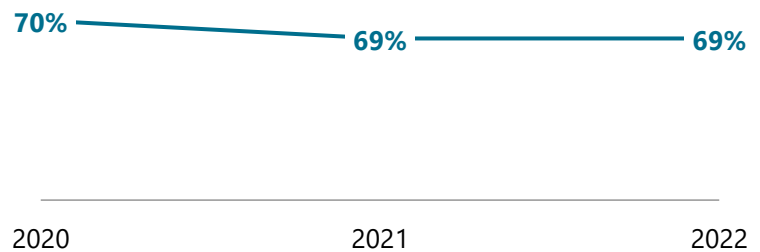
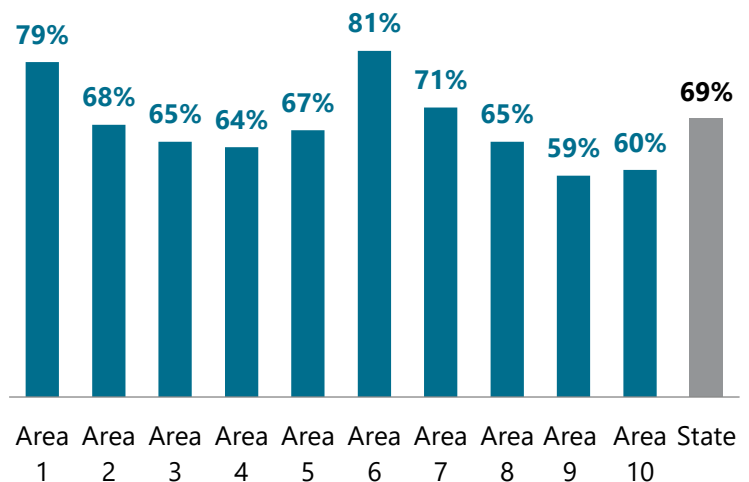


Figure 20
Proximity of Child's Placement
(Same or Neighboring County) by Area



CHILD REMOVALS AFTER SUBSTANTIATION

DCFS staff removed 16% of victim children in response to a true report (i.e., the children were removed from their home either during the investigation or within 10 days of its closure) in 2022, which was a lower rate than in the previous two years (Figure 21).

For the third consecutive year, victim children from Area 10 (9%) were least likely to be removed in response to a true report (i.e., substantiation). The removal rate was less than 10% for six of the nine counties in the Area (Figure 22).

The next-lowest removal rates were observed for Areas 8 (14%) and 1 (15%). Clay (3%) and Craighead (9%) Counties had the lowest removal rates in Area 8, and Benton (12%) had the lowest in Area 1.

For the fourth consecutive year, the Area where victim children were most likely to be removed in response to a true report was Area 4 (24%). Within Area 4, over a quarter of victim children from Lafayette, Miller, Ouachita, and Sevier Counties were removed from their homes.

Appendix Table A10 displays the percentage of children removed from their homes in response to a true report by county.

Figure 21
Child Removal After Substantiation Statewide

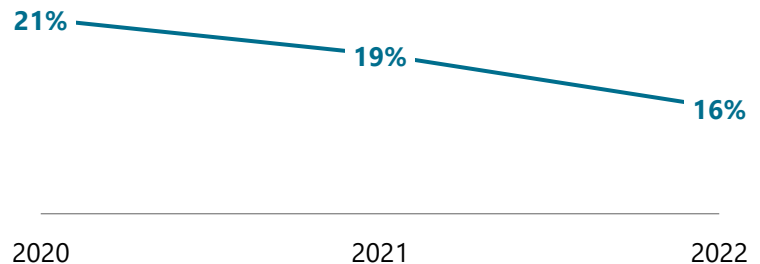
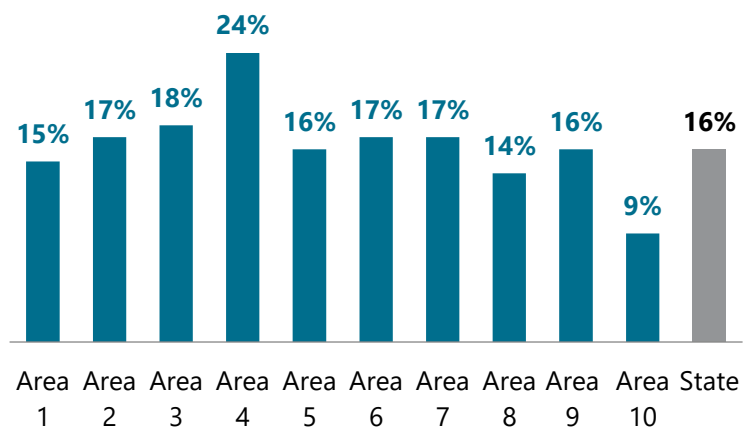


Figure 22
Child Removal After Substantiation by Area



PERFORMANCE METRICS ON PERMANENCY

PLACEMENT WITH RELATIVES

Data show that children placed with relatives achieve better outcomes than those placed with non-relatives. As a result, DCFS has made a deliberate effort in recent years to use relatives as appropriate foster care placements. As of the end of 2022, 38% of children in care were in relative placements, lower than the rate observed for the previous year (Figure 23). Seven years ago (2015), the relative placement rate was just under 20% (not shown).

Six of the 10 areas—Areas 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 10—either met or came close to meeting the agency’s goal of 40% (Figure 24). Following are the counties that performed best within each area: Logan (Area 2), Columbia (Area 4), Searcy (Area 5), Prairie (Area 7), Izard (Area 8), and Ashley (Area 10). Area 6’s relative placement rate (36%) declined from the previous year (40%) but was still well above their rate of 20% three years ago (not shown).

Less than one third of the children in care from Areas 1 and 3 resided with relatives at the end of 2022 (Figure 24). Within Area 1, Carroll County struggled to place children with relatives (15%), as did Montgomery (0%), Pike (13%), and Polk (11%) Counties within Area 3.

Appendix Table A11 displays the percentage of children in care residing with relatives by county.

Figure 23
Placement With Relatives Statewide

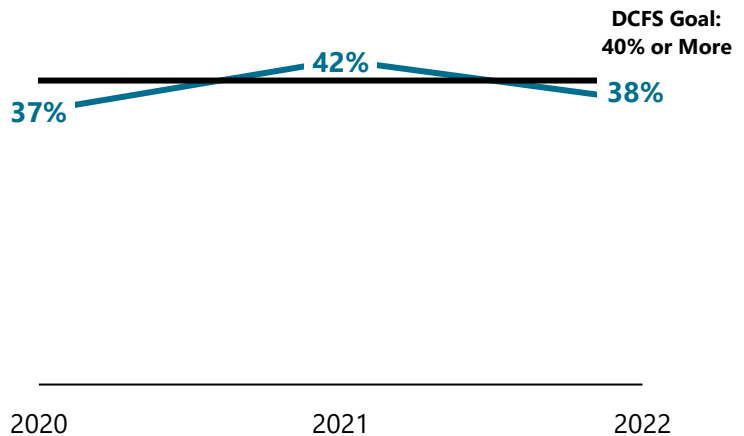
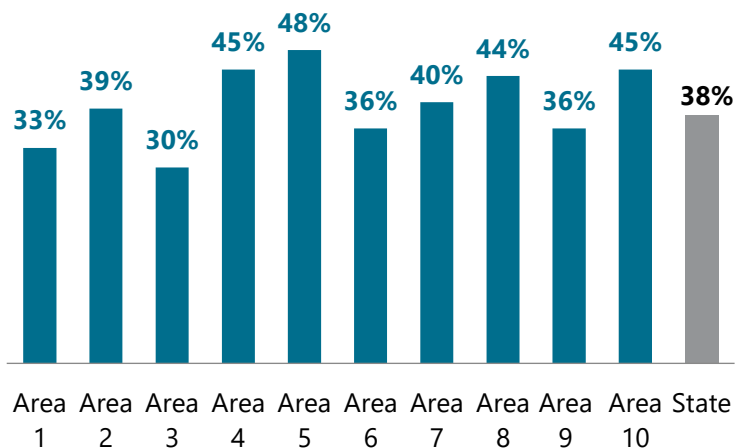


Figure 24
Placement With Relatives by Area



PLACEMENT STABILITY

Placement stability is measured by the rate of placement moves per 1,000 days in care for children who enter care over a 12-month period. The national standard is a rate of 4.12 or less.

For 2022, the placement stability rate was 5.43, slightly higher than the rate observed for the previous year and higher than the national standard (Figure 25). In 2015, the placement stability rate was 7.54 (not shown).

Children entering care from Area 10 reached, on average, greater placement stability than those from any other area, followed by those from Area 5 (Figure 26). Compared to the previous year, the placement rate improved in five areas, with the greatest decline observed in Area 10 (4.52 to 3.38).

Areas 5 (4.37) and 10 (3.38) were the only areas to meet or come close to meeting the national standard. The majority of counties in these areas—Ashley, Chicot, Desha, Drew, Lee, Monroe, and Phillips in Area 1 and Boone, Conway, Faulkner, Newton, and Van Buren in Area 5—excelled at limiting children’s moves.

Meanwhile, children entering care from Area 1 experienced the highest number of moves on average. Benton (8.09) and Madison (10.13) Counties negatively impacted the area’s placement stability rate.

Appendix Table A12 displays placement stability rates by county.

Figure 25
Placement Stability Rate Statewide

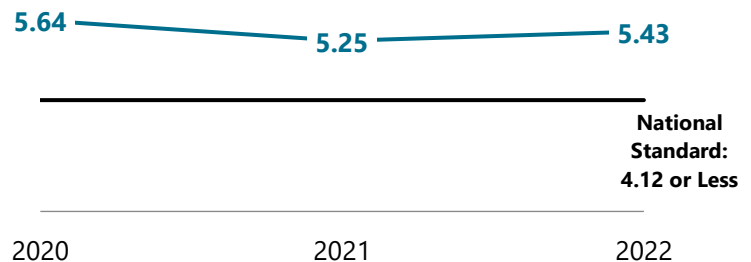
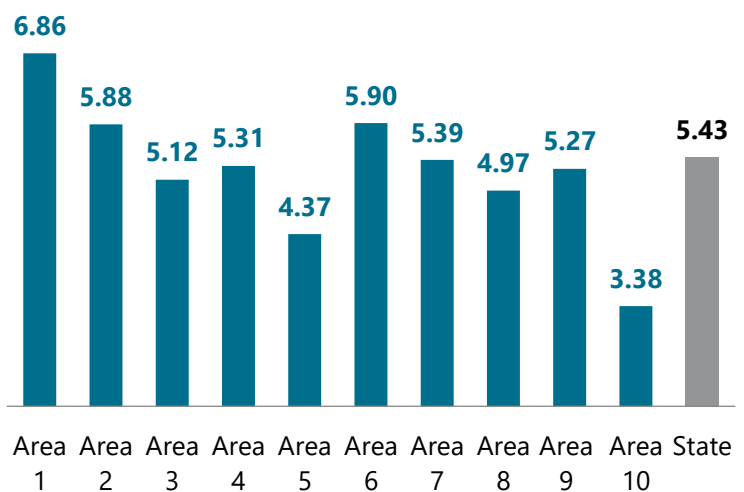


Figure 26
Placement Stability Rate by Area



REACHING PERMANENCY

For 2022, Arkansas came very close to meeting the national standard of 40.5% or more for achieving permanency for children within 12 months of removal (Figure 27). Discharges from foster care due to reunification, relative custody, noncustodial parent custody, guardianship, adoption, and non-relative custody are considered to be permanent living situations.

Five of the 10 areas—Areas 1, 3, 4, 5, and 10—met the national standard, while Areas 7, 8, and 9 came close (Figure 28).

The state met the national standards of 43.6% for children in care for 12 to 23 months who reached permanency within the subsequent 12 months (58%) and the national standard of 30.3% for children in care for 24 months or longer who reached permanency within the ensuing 12 months (39%). All 10 areas met the standard for the 12- to 23-month interval. For the interval of 24 months or longer, seven of the 10 areas met the standard; Areas 4, 5, and 7 were the exceptions (not shown).

Appendix Tables A13–A15 display the state’s performance with respect to achieving permanency for these three intervals by county.

Figure 27
Permanency Within 12 Months of Entering Care Statewide

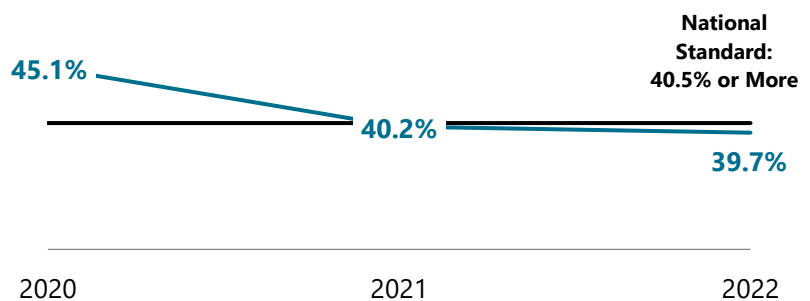
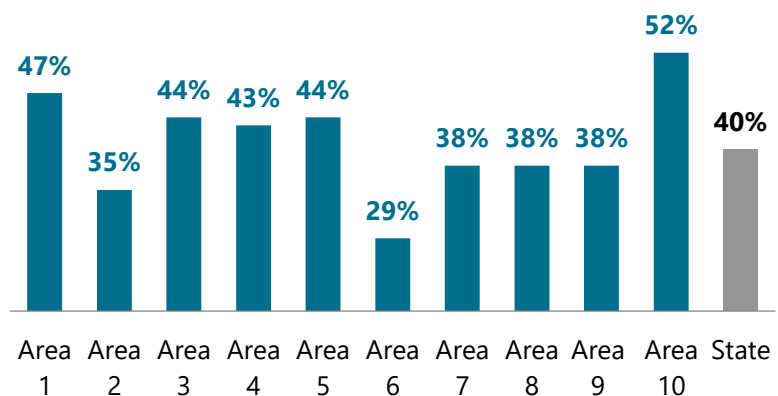


Figure 28
Permanency Within 12 Months of Entering Care by Area



PREVENTING FOSTER CARE REENTRY

Arkansas consistently meets the national standard (8.3% or less) for preventing child reentry into foster care within 12 months of discharge. For 2022, the statewide reentry rate was lower than the previous two years (Figure 29).

Nine of the 10 areas met the standard for limiting child reentry into care; only Area 6 did not. Just over 18% of the children who had reunified in Area 6 subsequently reentered care within 12 months (Figure 30).

Most counties generally performed well at limiting reentries in 2022. The only noteworthy county that performed less well on this measure than Pulaski in Area 6 was Faulkner (29%). Craighead, Garland, Lincoln, Madison, Union Counties also struggled on this measure.

Appendix Table A16 displays child foster care reentry rates by county.

Figure 29
Reentries Within 12 Months Statewide

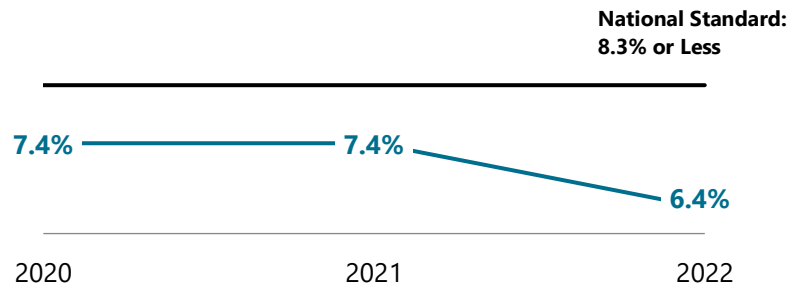
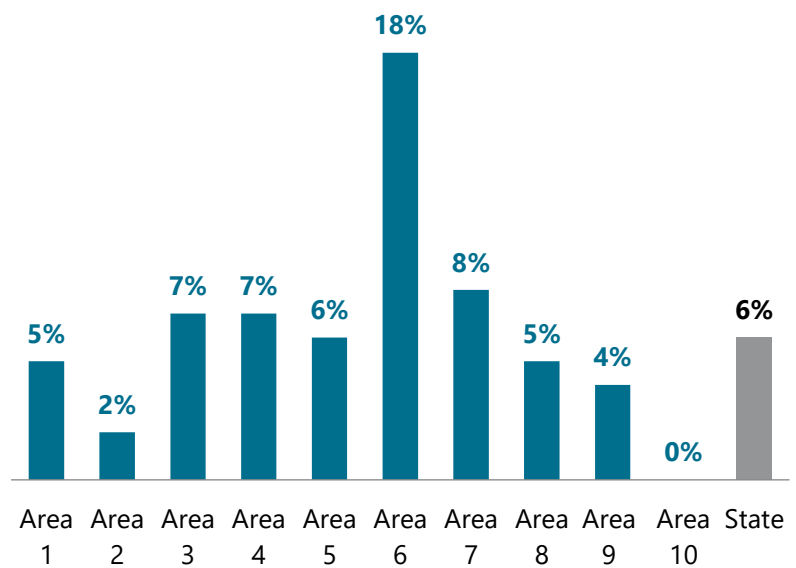


Figure 30
Reentries Within 12 Months by Area



TIME TO ADOPTION

Arkansas finalized adoptions for 861 children during 2022 (Figure 31); this was 9% higher than the number finalized during 2021 and 21% higher than in 2020 (not shown).

The average length of time from termination of parental rights (TPR) until adoption finalization was 11 months for 2022, similar to the previous year and nearly three months sooner than in 2020 (Figure 32). Arkansas bettered the national average of 13 months for the second consecutive year.

In nine of the 10 areas, adoptions were finalized faster than the national average of 13 months. For the second consecutive year, Area 4 took an average of six months to finalize adoptions, by far the shortest waiting time. Area 10 took an average of eight months, and Area 3 took nine months. Areas 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 took an average of between nine and 12 months.

Adoptions finalized in Area 2 took just over 14 months, on average. Adoptions in Yell County took 24 months, those in Sebastian 15 months, and those in Crawford 14 months.

Appendix Table A17 displays the number of finalized adoptions and the average time from TPR to adoption finalization by county.

Figure 31
Number of Finalized Adoptions Statewide

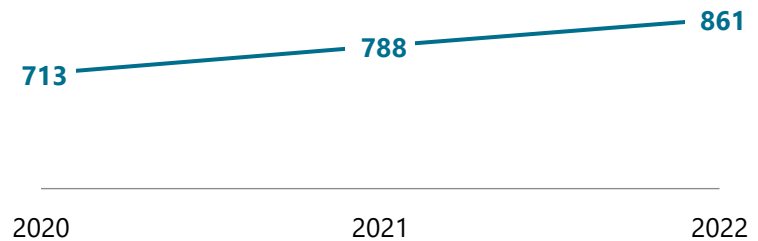
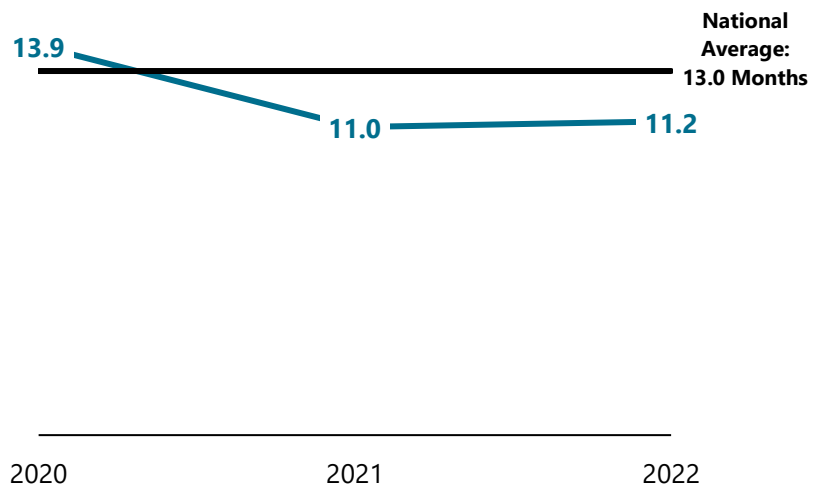


Figure 32
Time in Months From TPR to Adoption Finalization Statewide



DISCUSSION

STRENGTHS

The number of children in foster care declined during 2022; at the end of the year, 4,080 children were in care. DCFS generally performed well on most activities designed to preserve children's existing connections and expedite permanency.

Arkansas's research has shown that children placed with relatives have achieved better outcomes than those placed with nonrelatives. As of the end of 2022, 38% of children in foster care were residing with relatives, lower than the previous year but still almost double the rate observed seven years prior (20%), when relatives were underutilized in many parts of the state. The use of relative placements likely has had a positive impact on Arkansas's placement stability rate, which decreased considerably over this same timeframe—from 7.54 in 2015 to 5.43 in 2022.

DCFS does fairly well at moving children in care toward permanency regardless of their length of time in care. For each of the past three years, the agency either met or narrowly missed the federal standards with respect to achieving permanency within 12 months for (1) children who entered care during the year, (2) children in care for 12 to 23 months, and (3) children in care for 24 months or longer.

Arkansas also performs well at moving children needing permanency toward adoption. For the 861 adoptions finalized during 2022, the average length of time from TPR to finalization was 11.2 months, almost two months sooner than the national average of 13 months.

DCFS likewise does well at preventing children in foster care who reunify with their families from reentering care within 12 months. Arkansas met the national standard of 8.3% or less for the fifth consecutive year.

Arkansas' improved performance on so many permanency metrics, in conjunction with the overall decline in Arkansas's foster child population, in recent years was likely impacted, at least in part, by DCFS's efforts to implement and expand a range of evidence-based prevention services over this same period. In other words, DCFS now offers multiple services—i.e., SafeCare, Triple P, and intensive in-home services—that can provide children and their families with a proven alternative to immediate placement in foster care. As of 2023, these prevention services are available statewide.

AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT

Although DCFS has made considerable improvements in children's foster care placement stability in recent years, the rate still falls below the national standard. While the agency's focus on relative homes has moved the needle, the agency remains committed to exploring additional ways to identify and onboard more nonrelative foster homes through contracted recruitment agencies and its new partnership with *Every Child Arkansas*, a recently formed coalition of child welfare advocates, faith-based organizations, and other stakeholder agencies that seeks to conduct targeted recruitment of foster homes in each county in the state.

A successful effort to improve Arkansas's foster care placement options would also likely lead to a higher share of foster children residing in a placement setting in close proximity to their homes, i.e., either within their removal county or a neighboring county. For each of the past three years, seven of every 10 children in care were placed in close proximity to their homes.

WELL-BEING

ASSESSING AND VISITING CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

DCFS must assess children and families in in-home and foster care cases on an ongoing basis to identify their needs and provide appropriate services. DCFS’s primary means of assessing and monitoring children and families is consistent face-to-face visits. Workers must visit each child in care in the placement setting once a month; for in-home protective services cases, workers must visit family members in their home at least once a month.

DCFS workers completed 70% of visits to in-home families during 2022, lower than its performance for the previous two years and lower than DCFS’s goal of 85% (Figure 33).

Area 10 (93%) was the lone area to surpass DCFS’s goal for 2022, though Area 8 came close (Figure 34). All counties from Area 10 and most counties (six of nine) from Area 8 completed over 80% of their required in-home visits.

The in-home visitation rate fell to 55% in Area 3, the lowest of all areas and far below the Area’s performance from just one year ago (72%). Areas 1 and 6 also struggled to complete their required in-home visits. Within Area 1, Washington County completed less than half of its required in-home visits for the second consecutive year.

Appendix Table A18 displays the agency’s performance at visiting in-home families by county.

Figure 33
Monthly Worker Visitation With In-Home Families Statewide

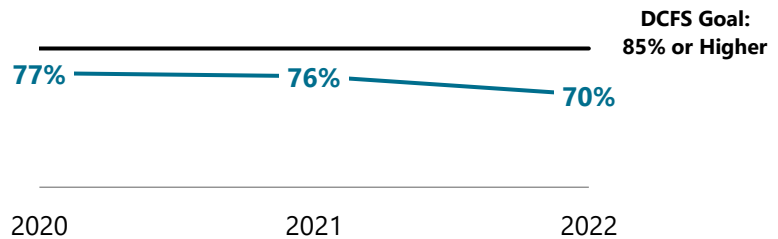
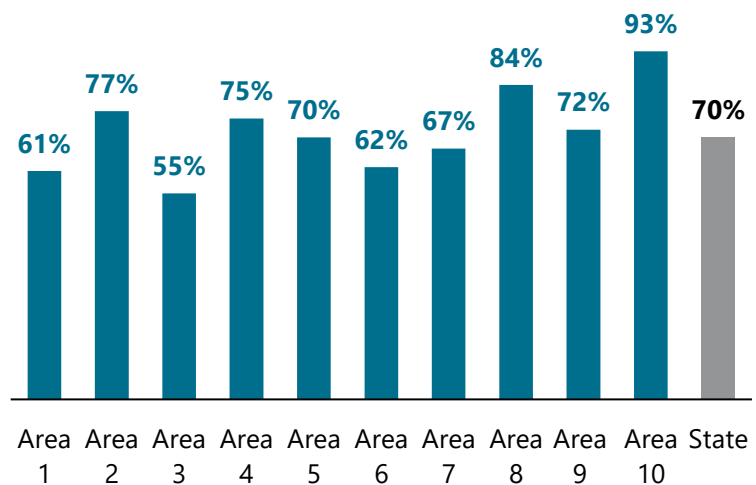


Figure 34
Monthly Worker Visitation With In-Home Families by Area



VISITING CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE

DCFS completed 75% of its required monthly visits to see foster children in their placements during 2022, which was two percentage points lower than the visitation rate observed for the previous year (Figure 35).

As was the case with the in-home visitation rate, only Area 10 met DCFS’s goal of 95% for monthly visits to see foster children during 2022 (Figure 36). Among the remaining areas, Areas 4 (88%), 1 (84%), and 8 (84%) came next-closest to meeting the agency’s goal. Nearly all counties within these four areas completed at least 90% of their visits, and all completed over 80%.

Area 6 (i.e., Pulaski County) had the lowest foster child visitation rate for the third consecutive year.

Aside from Pulaski County, DCFS staff made less than two thirds of required foster child visits in the following counties: Scott in Area 2; Hot Spring, Perry, and Saline in Area 3; Marion in Area 5; Jefferson and Lonoke in Area 7; and Crittenden and White in Area 9. Appendix Table A19 displays the agency’s rate of visiting children in care by county.

Figure 35
Monthly Worker Visitation With Children in Foster Care Statewide

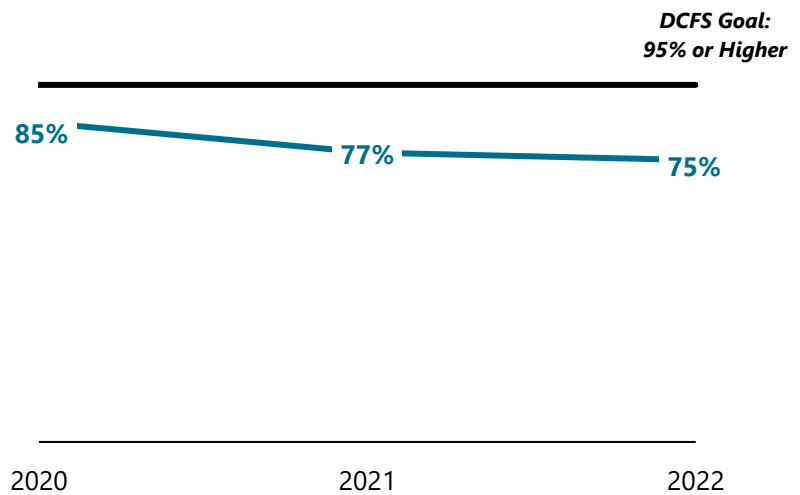
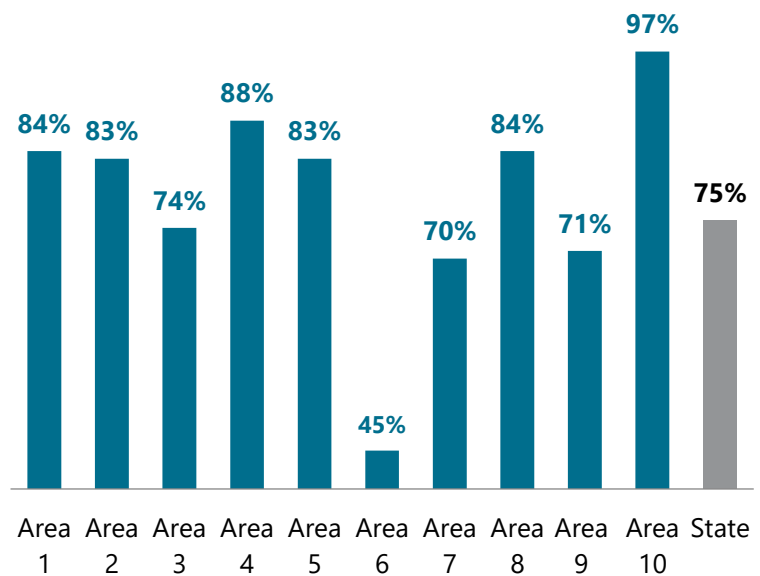


Figure 36
Foster Child Monthly Visits by Area



DISCUSSION

STRENGTHS

DCFS performed less well at making visits to see families with in-home cases (70%) and children in foster care (75%) in 2022 than it did during either of the previous two years. Even so, agency workers in certain parts of the state performed relatively well at making their required in-home and foster child visits. Specifically, Areas 2, 4, 8, and 10 each completed at least 75% of in-home visits and 83% of visits to see children in foster care, well above the statewide averages.

AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT

DCFS's efforts will need to become more consistent to reach its in-home visitation goal of 85% and foster child visitation goal of 95%. Area 10 was the only area to meet these marks for 2022. Improvement is more imperative in certain areas of the state than others. Areas 1, 3, 6, and 7 completed no more than two thirds of their required in-home visits, and Area 6 completed less than half of its required foster care visits.

Concerted efforts are currently being made to address the multi-year struggles observed in Area 6 (i.e., Pulaski County), which should hopefully result in improved monitoring of families in children for 2023.

APPENDIX: TABLES

TABLE A1			
PERCENTAGE OF INVESTIGATIONS WITH TIMELY INITIATION			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	89.1%	78.5%	76.3%
Carroll	86.0%	87.4%	90.5%
Madison	85.9%	68.0%	72.5%
Washington	74.8%	84.7%	73.4%
Total	82.4%	81.6%	75.7%
Area 2			
Crawford	91.4%	89.4%	92.5%
Franklin	92.0%	81.6%	88.1%
Johnson	93.2%	95.2%	93.4%
Logan	89.5%	91.2%	87.8%
Scott	91.6%	88.4%	65.6%
Sebastian	88.6%	88.3%	84.1%
Yell	90.2%	87.9%	88.4%
Total	90.1%	88.9%	86.8%
Area 3			
Clark	90.7%	75.6%	77.0%
Garland	71.5%	50.1%	67.6%
Hot Spring	95.0%	87.0%	85.5%
Howard	91.7%	83.3%	84.1%
Montgomery	93.6%	96.5%	83.6%
Perry	71.0%	50.0%	47.1%
Pike	93.4%	80.9%	69.1%
Polk	94.0%	93.1%	85.6%
Saline	79.7%	71.8%	70.8%
Total	80.9%	68.0%	72.3%

TABLE A1			
PERCENTAGE OF INVESTIGATIONS WITH TIMELY INITIATION			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	89.6%	79.0%	69.9%
Hempstead	84.8%	80.3%	74.0%
Lafayette	80.0%	68.4%	63.4%
Little River	95.1%	87.9%	77.6%
Miller	91.3%	83.9%	84.8%
Nevada	73.9%	80.0%	62.9%
Ouachita	85.6%	78.8%	71.3%
Sevier	94.9%	93.5%	84.7%
Union	83.7%	64.3%	68.8%
Total	88.0%	80.0%	75.6%
Area 5			
Baxter	95.9%	91.9%	84.0%
Boone	90.1%	76.0%	58.0%
Conway	85.9%	89.8%	80.0%
Faulkner	83.6%	81.6%	76.7%
Marion	98.3%	97.5%	96.3%
Newton	95.1%	82.9%	87.2%
Pope	80.7%	83.9%	92.2%
Searcy	80.4%	68.4%	80.0%
Van Buren	82.0%	77.3%	73.2%
Total	86.5%	83.5%	79.1%
Area 6			
Pulaski	75.3%	59.1%	66.8%
Total	75.3%	59.1%	66.8%

TABLE A1			
PERCENTAGE OF INVESTIGATIONS WITH TIMELY INITIATION			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	73.2%	68.8%	73.3%
Calhoun	77.8%	63.6%	73.7%
Cleveland	92.9%	81.1%	67.7%
Dallas	88.8%	86.3%	81.7%
Grant	95.9%	64.3%	70.4%
Jefferson	69.5%	59.2%	73.8%
Lincoln	93.8%	90.0%	75.5%
Lonoke	96.3%	90.1%	89.0%
Prairie	100.0%	89.7%	92.1%
Total	86.8%	77.2%	80.5%
Area 8			
Clay	99.0%	99.2%	99.1%
Craighead	90.6%	89.5%	88.6%
Fulton	94.6%	96.4%	90.1%
Greene	89.2%	72.4%	80.2%
Izard	97.1%	92.8%	97.5%
Lawrence	96.3%	80.1%	82.3%
Mississippi	92.9%	86.0%	76.4%
Randolph	96.7%	88.5%	90.7%
Sharp	94.8%	90.6%	93.8%
Total	92.3%	85.4%	86.1%
Area 9			
Cleburne	99.5%	97.5%	94.2%
Crittenden	69.0%	75.6%	69.0%
Cross	92.2%	88.0%	87.0%
Independence	94.2%	95.5%	94.2%
Jackson	87.0%	83.1%	82.1%
Poinsett	86.5%	83.5%	90.1%
Stone	97.2%	98.9%	95.1%
White	90.9%	93.7%	93.4%
Woodruff	94.9%	90.0%	76.4%
Total	88.6%	89.5%	88.3%

TABLE A1			
PERCENTAGE OF INVESTIGATIONS WITH TIMELY INITIATION			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	96.9%	88.6%	96.3%
Ashley	94.4%	92.6%	95.7%
Chicot	93.8%	93.6%	90.0%
Desha	97.9%	90.3%	86.4%
Drew	97.1%	87.8%	92.0%
Lee	97.7%	83.8%	81.1%
Monroe	89.3%	89.5%	95.7%
Phillips	86.5%	86.1%	81.6%
St. Francis	91.3%	84.5%	91.7%
Total	93.4%	88.0%	90.7%
TOTAL	85.6%	79.8%	79.3%

TABLE A2			
PERCENTAGE OF INVESTIGATIONS WITH TIMELY COMPLETION			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	93.2%	83.3%	68.6%
Carroll	97.3%	86.6%	91.3%
Madison	96.9%	58.7%	76.1%
Washington	77.3%	81.4%	64.9%
Total	86.6%	81.7%	68.6%
Area 2			
Crawford	95.4%	79.8%	88.2%
Franklin	100.0%	78.7%	94.8%
Johnson	99.0%	99.0%	100.0%
Logan	98.3%	95.1%	77.2%
Scott	91.6%	91.9%	47.4%
Sebastian	91.8%	51.1%	45.5%
Yell	96.1%	92.2%	92.5%
Total	94.5%	70.4%	67.7%
Area 3			
Clark	96.6%	64.7%	79.1%
Garland	74.5%	30.7%	32.8%
Hot Spring	93.7%	88.7%	94.4%
Howard	94.0%	88.2%	73.2%
Montgomery	100.0%	100.0%	80.0%
Perry	54.8%	16.2%	7.1%
Pike	95.1%	94.1%	76.5%
Polk	88.8%	70.1%	70.5%
Saline	73.1%	67.1%	57.2%
Total	79.8%	57.8%	54.3%

TABLE A2

PERCENTAGE OF INVESTIGATIONS WITH TIMELY COMPLETION

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	51.9%	41.0%	29.3%
Hempstead	76.5%	58.3%	40.0%
Lafayette	53.3%	39.5%	43.9%
Little River	91.2%	56.6%	56.5%
Miller	87.8%	70.6%	74.4%
Nevada	60.9%	40.0%	22.2%
Ouachita	70.7%	39.2%	59.2%
Sevier	87.9%	67.3%	63.7%
Union	67.0%	48.9%	45.0%
Total	75.9%	55.7%	54.6%
Area 5			
Baxter	95.5%	83.7%	78.5%
Boone	81.5%	49.8%	45.3%
Conway	52.3%	25.3%	25.5%
Faulkner	47.9%	62.0%	33.6%
Marion	97.4%	77.3%	82.4%
Newton	90.2%	85.7%	87.2%
Pope	42.2%	48.8%	82.8%
Searcy	66.7%	47.4%	50.0%
Van Buren	55.0%	31.0%	45.7%
Total	61.7%	57.0%	52.9%
Area 6			
Pulaski	91.0%	70.3%	99.8%
Total	91.0%	70.3%	99.8%

TABLE A2

PERCENTAGE OF INVESTIGATIONS WITH TIMELY COMPLETION

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	89.3%	79.7%	57.3%
Calhoun	94.4%	63.6%	63.2%
Cleveland	89.3%	89.2%	71.0%
Dallas	91.3%	52.9%	43.3%
Grant	99.0%	52.7%	95.4%
Jefferson	66.4%	48.2%	81.3%
Lincoln	83.3%	98.0%	77.4%
Lonoke	100.0%	99.8%	99.6%
Prairie	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Total	88.3%	77.2%	86.5%
Area 8			
Clay	99.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Craighead	99.0%	93.6%	95.9%
Fulton	100.0%	98.8%	97.8%
Greene	99.1%	68.9%	81.5%
Izard	100.0%	99.1%	100.0%
Lawrence	100.0%	97.0%	51.8%
Mississippi	100.0%	99.0%	98.5%
Randolph	99.3%	65.6%	56.3%
Sharp	98.7%	99.3%	75.3%
Total	99.3%	88.4%	87.3%
Area 9			
Cleburne	100.0%	99.5%	94.7%
Crittenden	76.9%	56.4%	37.3%
Cross	97.8%	77.2%	84.8%
Independence	100.0%	94.5%	78.2%
Jackson	81.3%	35.3%	74.6%
Poinsett	94.9%	92.3%	77.2%
Stone	100.0%	97.8%	100.0%
White	93.6%	99.4%	99.0%
Woodruff	89.7%	62.0%	21.8%
Total	92.6%	85.5%	79.6%

TABLE A2			
PERCENTAGE OF INVESTIGATIONS WITH TIMELY COMPLETION			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	97.9%	100.0%	97.2%
Ashley	100.0%	97.2%	98.9%
Chicot	97.9%	100.0%	100.0%
Desha	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Drew	98.6%	100.0%	100.0%
Lee	100.0%	91.9%	94.6%
Monroe	96.4%	97.4%	100.0%
Phillips	100.0%	95.9%	98.1%
St. Francis	99.4%	99.4%	97.7%
Total	99.1%	98.3%	98.4%
TOTAL	86.3%	73.8%	73.2%

TABLE A3

PERCENTAGE OF SUBSTANTIATED INVESTIGATIONS

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	17.0%	16.1%	12.6%
Carroll	28.4%	26.1%	19.8%
Madison	43.6%	24.7%	19.6%
Washington	20.7%	17.2%	17.3%
Total	20.4%	17.6%	15.4%
Area 2			
Crawford	26.7%	26.8%	23.4%
Franklin	29.9%	32.6%	33.6%
Johnson	26.6%	24.0%	27.9%
Logan	25.6%	28.0%	19.4%
Scott	31.6%	37.2%	24.7%
Sebastian	33.7%	28.7%	26.7%
Yell	26.1%	17.0%	26.5%
Total	30.0%	27.7%	25.8%
Area 3			
Clark	32.2%	24.4%	20.9%
Garland	26.9%	25.9%	26.8%
Hot Spring	27.0%	28.9%	22.1%
Howard	16.7%	24.5%	28.0%
Montgomery	25.5%	24.1%	10.9%
Perry	19.7%	20.3%	15.5%
Pike	27.9%	30.9%	23.5%
Polk	30.3%	28.5%	20.5%
Saline	23.2%	19.3%	19.0%
Total	25.8%	24.2%	22.5%

TABLE A3

PERCENTAGE OF SUBSTANTIATED INVESTIGATIONS

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	29.2%	22.9%	22.0%
Hempstead	31.8%	29.9%	28.0%
Lafayette	33.3%	26.3%	22.0%
Little River	36.3%	31.6%	30.6%
Miller	34.1%	35.1%	35.7%
Nevada	28.3%	22.2%	44.4%
Ouachita	26.1%	27.5%	30.5%
Sevier	41.4%	34.4%	24.2%
Union	30.5%	23.8%	26.0%
Total	32.1%	29.6%	29.4%
Area 5			
Baxter	25.7%	27.2%	25.1%
Boone	30.6%	30.3%	22.8%
Conway	25.0%	21.1%	22.8%
Faulkner	24.2%	29.6%	22.8%
Marion	38.8%	31.1%	27.8%
Newton	24.4%	28.6%	28.2%
Pope	30.9%	30.0%	25.8%
Searcy	21.6%	36.8%	27.5%
Van Buren	24.0%	24.0%	14.1%
Total	27.2%	28.7%	23.5%
Area 6			
Pulaski	24.5%	23.4%	21.3%
Total	24.5%	23.4%	21.3%

TABLE A3

PERCENTAGE OF SUBSTANTIATED INVESTIGATIONS

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	19.6%	26.6%	18.7%
Calhoun	11.1%	18.2%	31.6%
Cleveland	32.1%	45.9%	22.6%
Dallas	22.5%	7.8%	16.7%
Grant	29.9%	15.2%	13.9%
Jefferson	24.5%	29.6%	25.9%
Lincoln	31.3%	26.0%	24.5%
Lonoke	13.5%	12.4%	11.4%
Prairie	14.3%	15.4%	15.8%
Total	19.9%	19.8%	17.7%
Area 8			
Clay	13.5%	22.8%	19.7%
Craighead	24.8%	21.1%	20.0%
Fulton	23.9%	29.8%	26.4%
Greene	35.0%	29.8%	27.5%
Izard	29.1%	36.0%	26.3%
Lawrence	9.6%	18.1%	28.5%
Mississippi	23.9%	16.5%	15.0%
Randolph	19.3%	31.2%	21.2%
Sharp	30.3%	28.9%	28.3%
Total	25.8%	24.2%	22.6%
Area 9			
Cleburne	24.0%	17.8%	19.0%
Crittenden	28.8%	27.9%	24.1%
Cross	28.9%	28.3%	26.1%
Independence	29.2%	25.3%	17.5%
Jackson	26.0%	33.9%	26.1%
Poinsett	25.5%	36.4%	27.2%
Stone	22.2%	34.8%	16.7%
White	17.2%	14.4%	11.3%
Woodruff	53.8%	32.0%	38.2%
Total	24.5%	24.2%	19.5%

TABLE A3			
PERCENTAGE OF SUBSTANTIATED INVESTIGATIONS			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	37.5%	30.4%	25.9%
Ashley	28.9%	25.9%	24.2%
Chicot	20.8%	38.3%	35.0%
Desha	27.7%	22.6%	20.3%
Drew	31.9%	26.7%	23.6%
Lee	34.9%	29.7%	35.1%
Monroe	21.4%	26.3%	30.4%
Phillips	31.5%	34.4%	34.0%
St. Francis	41.3%	38.1%	34.8%
Total	33.1%	31.3%	29.1%
TOTAL	25.4%	24.1%	21.6%

TABLE A4

**PERCENTAGE OF VICTIM CHILDREN WHO EXPERIENCED MALTREATMENT RECURRENCE WITHIN
12 MONTHS OF INITIAL REPORT
NATIONAL STANDARD: 9.1%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	8.8%	7.4%	7.5%
Carroll	6.1%	12.1%	8.3%
Madison	14.0%	12.5%	4.4%
Washington	6.1%	6.9%	4.2%
Total	7.6%	8.0%	5.9%
Area 2			
Crawford	7.7%	6.9%	5.4%
Franklin	4.4%	15.7%	7.7%
Johnson	8.5%	3.7%	7.8%
Logan	4.2%	10.4%	2.7%
Scott	8.0%	4.7%	6.7%
Sebastian	10.7%	7.1%	8.7%
Yell	9.5%	1.7%	3.9%
Total	8.9%	7.1%	7.1%
Area 3			
Clark	0.0%	4.4%	1.7%
Garland	6.7%	4.4%	6.2%
Hot Spring	11.0%	5.7%	5.2%
Howard	7.3%	3.7%	0.0%
Montgomery	0.0%	0.0%	9.1%
Perry	8.0%	15.8%	0.0%
Pike	10.5%	2.8%	2.2%
Polk	4.3%	12.5%	3.4%
Saline	3.3%	6.3%	1.9%
Total	5.9%	5.7%	4.0%

TABLE A4

**PERCENTAGE OF VICTIM CHILDREN WHO EXPERIENCED MALTREATMENT RECURRENCE WITHIN
12 MONTHS OF INITIAL REPORT
NATIONAL STANDARD: 9.1%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	4.8%	6.8%	0.0%
Hempstead	6.2%	6.6%	1.8%
Lafayette	12.5%	12.5%	9.1%
Little River	13.6%	3.3%	3.5%
Miller	1.5%	4.4%	5.3%
Nevada	0.0%	0.0%	9.1%
Ouachita	0.0%	0.0%	2.7%
Sevier	12.1%	9.7%	9.0%
Union	4.2%	0.0%	1.3%
Total	4.5%	4.0%	4.3%
Area 5			
Baxter	7.6%	10.3%	10.1%
Boone	13.5%	9.3%	7.1%
Conway	0.0%	0.0%	4.8%
Faulkner	1.0%	2.7%	3.2%
Marion	5.0%	3.2%	3.5%
Newton	0.0%	0.0%	16.7%
Pope	3.1%	9.2%	2.5%
Searcy	11.8%	0.0%	9.5%
Van Buren	2.8%	16.2%	1.8%
Total	5.1%	6.2%	4.7%
Area 6			
Pulaski	7.3%	5.4%	4.6%
Total	7.3%	5.4%	4.6%

TABLE A4

**PERCENTAGE OF VICTIM CHILDREN WHO EXPERIENCED MALTREATMENT RECURRENCE WITHIN
12 MONTHS OF INITIAL REPORT
NATIONAL STANDARD: 9.1%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	9.1%	4.4%	4.4%
Calhoun	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Cleveland	10.0%	0.0%	3.7%
Dallas	4.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Grant	8.6%	6.1%	0.0%
Jefferson	0.8%	3.0%	2.9%
Lincoln	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Lonoke	4.5%	0.0%	3.9%
Prairie	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	4.1%	2.0%	2.8%
Area 8			
Clay	0.0%	9.1%	2.0%
Craighead	9.1%	6.9%	2.7%
Fulton	0.0%	6.1%	9.7%
Greene	4.9%	7.0%	6.6%
Izard	10.8%	3.2%	6.0%
Lawrence	2.6%	6.5%	5.8%
Mississippi	3.7%	5.0%	2.7%
Randolph	6.6%	0.0%	6.7%
Sharp	6.1%	8.8%	3.1%
Total	6.4%	6.3%	4.6%

TABLE A4

**PERCENTAGE OF VICTIM CHILDREN WHO EXPERIENCED MALTREATMENT RECURRENCE WITHIN
12 MONTHS OF INITIAL REPORT
NATIONAL STANDARD: 9.1%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 9			
Cleburne	2.0%	4.8%	7.3%
Crittenden	5.6%	0.0%	2.3%
Cross	2.0%	5.9%	2.0%
Independence	5.2%	5.9%	2.7%
Jackson	16.9%	3.1%	5.2%
Poinsett	4.9%	3.9%	3.3%
Stone	4.9%	8.7%	6.4%
White	8.2%	6.3%	6.7%
Woodruff	11.1%	3.9%	4.4%
Total	6.6%	4.5%	4.4%
Area 10			
Arkansas	0.0%	1.8%	0.0%
Ashley	10.8%	7.0%	3.6%
Chicot	4.6%	0.0%	13.8%
Desha	0.0%	9.5%	0.0%
Drew	5.4%	12.7%	4.0%
Lee	0.0%	5.6%	6.3%
Monroe	0.0%	0.0%	7.1%
Phillips	1.9%	2.9%	0.0%
St. Francis	6.1%	1.1%	2.0%
Total	3.8%	4.5%	3.2%
TOTAL	6.4%	5.8%	4.8%

TABLE A5

PERCENTAGE OF DR REFERRALS WITH TIMELY INITIATION

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	68.4%	77.1%	77.6%
Carroll	81.1%	70.6%	80.8%
Madison	90.9%	78.1%	80.0%
Washington	71.2%	61.6%	51.4%
Total	71.3%	70.4%	67.5%
Area 2			
Crawford	77.8%	28.7%	33.1%
Franklin	80.0%	11.8%	38.6%
Johnson	82.6%	46.5%	39.5%
Logan	85.7%	20.0%	63.0%
Scott	58.1%	63.2%	45.5%
Sebastian	75.3%	67.1%	63.3%
Yell	74.4%	38.6%	63.3%
Total	76.3%	45.9%	51.2%
Area 3			
Clark	76.7%	61.3%	61.8%
Garland	59.2%	50.0%	37.7%
Hot Spring	67.3%	67.9%	31.4%
Howard	50.0%	76.7%	48.6%
Montgomery	47.4%	69.2%	50.0%
Perry	43.5%	40.0%	9.7%
Pike	46.7%	88.2%	52.6%
Polk	91.9%	76.9%	68.4%
Saline	47.4%	49.0%	25.0%
Total	58.3%	56.9%	35.6%

TABLE A5

PERCENTAGE OF DR REFERRALS WITH TIMELY INITIATION

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	72.0%	94.4%	20.0%
Hempstead	85.7%	83.3%	65.6%
Lafayette	83.3%	80.0%	28.6%
Little River	88.9%	68.4%	41.7%
Miller	77.3%	62.3%	74.4%
Nevada	70.6%	75.0%	50.0%
Ouachita	100.0%	69.2%	12.5%
Sevier	86.7%	73.3%	66.7%
Union	62.5%	66.1%	17.4%
Total	77.5%	70.6%	45.8%
Area 5			
Baxter	94.0%	81.6%	66.7%
Boone	96.2%	86.7%	80.2%
Conway	93.2%	92.1%	76.1%
Faulkner	86.8%	69.2%	56.7%
Marion	76.9%	80.0%	79.2%
Newton	100.0%	81.8%	66.7%
Pope	92.3%	80.7%	83.8%
Searcy	90.0%	77.8%	40.0%
Van Buren	90.9%	76.9%	54.5%
Total	91.1%	79.8%	70.1%
Area 6			
Pulaski	66.1%	64.0%	45.5%
Total	66.1%	64.0%	45.5%

TABLE A5			
PERCENTAGE OF DR REFERRALS WITH TIMELY INITIATION			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	41.7%	36.4%	53.3%
Calhoun	0.0%	25.0%	25.0%
Cleveland	14.3%	40.0%	64.3%
Dallas	28.6%	11.1%	33.3%
Grant	78.9%	82.8%	64.0%
Jefferson	39.4%	45.8%	45.1%
Lincoln	30.8%	70.0%	63.6%
Lonoke	80.7%	73.0%	74.0%
Prairie	82.4%	75.0%	83.3%
Total	61.5%	61.2%	62.3%
Area 8			
Clay	93.8%	96.3%	100.0%
Craighead	83.7%	95.3%	87.4%
Fulton	85.0%	100.0%	93.3%
Greene	88.0%	96.8%	96.3%
Izard	92.9%	94.7%	77.3%
Lawrence	91.2%	97.6%	86.8%
Mississippi	84.8%	95.5%	93.7%
Randolph	84.0%	96.2%	95.2%
Sharp	84.6%	95.2%	81.3%
Total	86.0%	96.0%	90.8%
Area 9			
Cleburne	60.0%	42.9%	73.3%
Crittenden	78.7%	43.1%	44.4%
Cross	86.7%	57.1%	100.0%
Independence	62.3%	73.8%	83.6%
Jackson	60.0%	81.8%	79.3%
Poinsett	93.0%	60.8%	85.1%
Stone	78.6%	88.2%	86.7%
White	68.3%	46.1%	68.0%
Woodruff	76.5%	30.0%	71.4%
Total	72.4%	54.8%	71.4%

TABLE A5			
PERCENTAGE OF DR REFERRALS WITH TIMELY INITIATION			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	95.0%	68.2%	80.0%
Ashley	82.6%	77.3%	76.9%
Chicot	87.5%	66.7%	75.0%
Desha	81.8%	100.0%	86.7%
Drew	94.7%	79.2%	85.7%
Lee	85.7%	100.0%	100.0%
Monroe	100.0%	80.0%	90.9%
Phillips	73.7%	85.7%	100.0%
St. Francis	85.0%	93.3%	88.9%
Total	86.6%	81.8%	86.1%
TOTAL	73.9%	67.5%	61.6%

TABLE A6

PERCENTAGE OF DR REFERRALS WITH TIMELY COMPLETION

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	87.0%	69.6%	78.8%
Carroll	84.9%	76.5%	51.9%
Madison	86.4%	78.1%	56.7%
Washington	77.7%	66.1%	52.6%
Total	83.0%	69.0%	65.9%
Area 2			
Crawford	66.7%	54.9%	81.1%
Franklin	80.0%	47.1%	95.5%
Johnson	87.0%	76.7%	86.0%
Logan	91.4%	42.2%	87.0%
Scott	100.0%	89.5%	100.0%
Sebastian	95.6%	82.6%	94.0%
Yell	89.7%	79.5%	90.0%
Total	87.6%	69.6%	89.8%
Area 3			
Clark	36.7%	25.8%	32.4%
Garland	32.7%	53.3%	45.3%
Hot Spring	42.3%	33.9%	41.4%
Howard	8.3%	13.3%	17.1%
Montgomery	10.5%	7.7%	12.5%
Perry	60.9%	60.0%	41.9%
Pike	6.7%	5.9%	0.0%
Polk	27.0%	3.8%	15.8%
Saline	60.9%	60.9%	50.5%
Total	39.8%	44.1%	40.4%

TABLE A6

PERCENTAGE OF DR REFERRALS WITH TIMELY COMPLETION

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	76.0%	77.8%	40.0%
Hempstead	92.9%	58.3%	34.4%
Lafayette	100.0%	40.0%	42.9%
Little River	94.4%	78.9%	58.3%
Miller	97.0%	72.1%	63.4%
Nevada	88.2%	50.0%	40.0%
Ouachita	82.4%	57.7%	50.0%
Sevier	100.0%	73.3%	59.3%
Union	62.5%	59.3%	39.1%
Total	86.2%	65.8%	49.3%
Area 5			
Baxter	96.0%	63.2%	33.3%
Boone	96.2%	55.4%	72.8%
Conway	86.4%	78.9%	82.6%
Faulkner	91.2%	79.4%	42.5%
Marion	100.0%	50.0%	75.0%
Newton	100.0%	54.5%	44.4%
Pope	87.7%	82.6%	90.9%
Searcy	100.0%	66.7%	70.0%
Van Buren	81.8%	65.4%	69.7%
Total	91.9%	71.2%	65.2%
Area 6			
Pulaski	49.6%	39.6%	24.5%
Total	49.6%	39.6%	24.5%

TABLE A6

PERCENTAGE OF DR REFERRALS WITH TIMELY COMPLETION

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	83.3%	45.5%	93.3%
Calhoun	100.0%	75.0%	100.0%
Cleveland	85.7%	90.0%	92.9%
Dallas	100.0%	55.6%	55.6%
Grant	100.0%	93.1%	100.0%
Jefferson	60.6%	69.9%	91.5%
Lincoln	84.6%	80.0%	100.0%
Lonoke	95.6%	88.5%	91.9%
Prairie	100.0%	81.3%	83.3%
Total	85.5%	80.3%	91.5%
Area 8			
Clay	100.0%	85.2%	66.7%
Craighead	96.4%	98.2%	92.6%
Fulton	100.0%	100.0%	93.3%
Greene	97.0%	84.9%	73.1%
Izard	100.0%	100.0%	86.4%
Lawrence	100.0%	95.1%	94.7%
Mississippi	93.7%	97.7%	97.6%
Randolph	100.0%	84.6%	90.5%
Sharp	92.3%	95.2%	100.0%
Total	96.7%	93.4%	88.7%
Area 9			
Cleburne	85.0%	82.1%	93.3%
Crittenden	68.1%	21.5%	49.4%
Cross	60.0%	42.9%	84.2%
Independence	70.5%	98.4%	98.4%
Jackson	70.0%	90.9%	96.6%
Poinsett	60.5%	23.5%	78.4%
Stone	92.9%	76.5%	100.0%
White	82.7%	69.1%	84.5%
Woodruff	82.4%	70.0%	85.7%
Total	74.5%	61.3%	81.8%

TABLE A6

PERCENTAGE OF DR REFERRALS WITH TIMELY COMPLETION

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	95.0%	72.7%	93.3%
Ashley	43.5%	68.2%	92.3%
Chicot	62.5%	41.7%	100.0%
Desha	45.5%	77.8%	100.0%
Drew	21.1%	75.0%	89.3%
Lee	100.0%	50.0%	100.0%
Monroe	100.0%	100.0%	72.7%
Phillips	100.0%	66.7%	87.5%
St. Francis	100.0%	66.7%	88.9%
Total	71.6%	70.3%	90.5%
TOTAL	76.5%	65.7%	65.9%

TABLE A7

NUMBER OF IN-HOME PROTECTIVE SERVICES CASES AT END OF YEAR

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	132	123	88
Carroll	19	14	9
Madison	24	9	12
Washington	210	171	152
Total	385	317	261
Area 2			
Crawford	82	69	104
Franklin	28	21	13
Johnson	19	18	27
Logan	30	29	39
Scott	16	17	26
Sebastian	122	141	117
Yell	20	15	16
Total	317	310	342
Area 3			
Clark	20	17	5
Garland	68	68	57
Hot Spring	20	29	30
Howard	7	11	6
Montgomery	1	5	5
Perry	8	14	10
Pike	7	4	4
Polk	9	15	18
Saline	62	70	81
Total	202	233	216

TABLE A7

NUMBER OF IN-HOME PROTECTIVE SERVICES CASES AT END OF YEAR

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	16	13	9
Hempstead	38	25	21
Lafayette	5	5	6
Little River	12	10	15
Miller	42	42	60
Nevada	8	8	5
Ouachita	27	26	25
Sevier	21	18	20
Union	22	31	28
Total	191	178	189
Area 5			
Baxter	38	31	26
Boone	41	42	38
Conway	17	14	22
Faulkner	70	108	65
Marion	17	19	11
Newton	6	8	5
Pope	53	61	43
Searcy	3	3	4
Van Buren	13	9	5
Total	258	295	219
Area 6			
Pulaski	419	416	228
Total	419	416	228

TABLE A7

NUMBER OF IN-HOME PROTECTIVE SERVICES CASES AT END OF YEAR

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	4	6	5
Calhoun	0	0	4
Cleveland	4	4	1
Dallas	3	2	3
Grant	8	7	5
Jefferson	72	86	56
Lincoln	5	3	2
Lonoke	25	41	30
Prairie	3	2	2
Total	124	151	108
Area 8			
Clay	6	8	5
Craighead	135	80	65
Fulton	5	9	8
Greene	60	52	57
Izard	6	10	9
Lawrence	12	21	32
Mississippi	25	13	18
Randolph	11	19	15
Sharp	21	20	13
Total	281	232	222
Area 9			
Cleburne	17	14	19
Crittenden	29	42	56
Cross	12	10	9
Independence	31	30	25
Jackson	11	29	19
Poinsett	26	44	23
Stone	6	7	5
White	66	70	50
Woodruff	7	11	12
Total	205	257	218

TABLE A7

NUMBER OF IN-HOME PROTECTIVE SERVICES CASES AT END OF YEAR

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	15	8	13
Ashley	16	21	12
Chicot	8	8	9
Desha	7	5	7
Drew	7	11	4
Lee	6	7	3
Monroe	5	3	2
Phillips	14	28	18
St. Francis	29	26	22
Total	107	117	90
TOTAL	2,489	2,506	2,093

TABLE A8

NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE AT END OF YEAR

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	184	127	112
Carroll	50	44	38
Madison	64	35	26
Washington	283	273	237
Total	581	479	413
Area 2			
Crawford	69	85	76
Franklin	26	22	49
Johnson	28	31	36
Logan	65	71	60
Scott	50	47	37
Sebastian	556	487	406
Yell	63	59	41
Total	857	802	705
Area 3			
Clark	17	40	36
Garland	177	205	206
Hot Spring	47	45	38
Howard	11	18	16
Montgomery	7	8	2
Perry	12	20	20
Pike	13	23	15
Polk	35	30	19
Saline	93	62	82
Total	412	451	434

TABLE A8			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE AT END OF YEAR			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	24	32	24
Hempstead	44	41	44
Lafayette	12	7	6
Little River	39	48	36
Miller	131	110	122
Nevada	13	9	10
Ouachita	25	35	39
Sevier	44	44	30
Union	55	42	39
Total	387	368	350
Area 5			
Baxter	46	37	41
Boone	71	63	46
Conway	65	52	38
Faulkner	115	149	111
Marion	15	18	13
Newton	1	5	5
Pope	64	90	81
Searcy	12	15	11
Van Buren	13	31	26
Total	402	460	372
Area 6			
Pulaski	621	678	576
Total	621	678	576

TABLE A8			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE AT END OF YEAR			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	19	9	9
Calhoun	0	6	6
Cleveland	2	6	6
Dallas	13	8	15
Grant	32	22	10
Jefferson	119	152	115
Lincoln	9	8	5
Lonoke	126	119	94
Prairie	3	13	12
Total	323	343	272
Area 8			
Clay	14	13	7
Craighead	97	95	85
Fulton	18	14	19
Greene	117	138	105
Izard	21	35	35
Lawrence	21	28	41
Mississippi	76	48	31
Randolph	18	19	36
Sharp	31	42	42
Total	413	432	401
Area 9			
Cleburne	54	35	29
Crittenden	54	57	69
Cross	40	45	44
Independence	72	56	39
Jackson	49	61	38
Poinsett	65	79	86
Stone	14	11	7
White	118	118	110
Woodruff	24	21	31
Total	490	483	453

TABLE A8			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE AT END OF YEAR			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	31	21	17
Ashley	17	22	18
Chicot	12	13	8
Desha	6	10	2
Drew	24	10	12
Lee	5	2	3
Monroe	13	10	11
Phillips	14	16	8
St. Francis	43	31	25
Total	165	135	104
TOTAL	4,651	4,631	4,080

TABLE A9						
PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE PLACED IN OR NEAR HOME COUNTY AS OF END OF THE YEAR						
COUNTY	CY 2020		CY 2021		CY 2022	
	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY
Area 1						
Benton	69.1%	91.9%	71.1%	89.5%	59.7%	88.9%
Carroll	37.8%	75.7%	17.6%	73.5%	22.6%	67.7%
Madison	29.3%	75.6%	26.9%	57.7%	45.0%	70.0%
Washington	37.8%	71.8%	42.0%	71.5%	41.9%	78.2%
Total	47.0%	79.0%	44.9%	74.6%	44.4%	79.1%
Area 2						
Crawford	26.5%	28.6%	23.1%	34.6%	19.6%	30.4%
Franklin	25.0%	58.3%	20.0%	53.3%	43.2%	86.5%
Johnson	33.3%	66.7%	52.6%	57.9%	70.0%	85.0%
Logan	43.4%	84.9%	49.1%	66.0%	42.9%	61.9%
Scott	24.2%	60.6%	39.4%	87.9%	23.8%	71.4%
Sebastian	45.1%	66.0%	44.2%	68.5%	49.8%	69.5%
Yell	41.5%	60.4%	28.9%	57.9%	39.1%	78.3%
Total	41.0%	63.7%	40.8%	64.5%	44.8%	67.5%
Area 3						
Clark	21.4%	64.3%	40.0%	60.0%	38.1%	57.1%
Garland	59.3%	73.6%	59.2%	75.2%	49.4%	73.4%
Hot Spring	21.6%	62.2%	24.1%	72.4%	24.0%	48.0%
Howard	81.8%	81.8%	46.7%	86.7%	6.7%	20.0%
Montgomery	75.0%	75.0%	33.3%	50.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Perry	10.0%	20.0%	0.0%	41.2%	0.0%	30.8%
Pike	20.0%	30.0%	6.3%	18.8%	23.1%	46.2%
Polk	66.7%	70.4%	25.0%	50.0%	22.2%	66.7%
Saline	52.3%	75.4%	77.5%	87.5%	57.9%	75.4%
Total	50.6%	69.2%	47.9%	69.1%	41.7%	65.0%

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**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE PLACED IN OR NEAR HOME COUNTY
AS OF END OF THE YEAR**

COUNTY	CY 2020		CY 2021		CY 2022	
	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY
Area 4						
Columbia	63.6%	77.3%	56.0%	76.0%	26.9%	76.9%
Hempstead	34.8%	52.2%	34.4%	59.4%	24.3%	48.6%
Lafayette	45.5%	54.5%	16.7%	50.0%	25.0%	75.0%
Little River	46.9%	81.3%	51.2%	76.7%	50.0%	80.8%
Miller	54.5%	61.8%	50.6%	54.0%	50.0%	55.2%
Nevada	9.1%	27.3%	16.7%	100.0%	42.9%	42.9%
Ouachita	26.3%	52.6%	37.9%	79.3%	51.5%	81.8%
Sevier	42.4%	54.5%	43.2%	70.3%	35.0%	70.0%
Union	72.5%	87.5%	70.8%	83.3%	45.5%	68.2%
Total	50.2%	64.8%	47.4%	67.8%	42.4%	64.2%
Area 5						
Baxter	29.7%	35.1%	44.0%	52.0%	45.7%	60.0%
Boone	58.5%	71.7%	61.1%	66.7%	41.7%	47.2%
Conway	25.9%	74.1%	39.1%	60.9%	35.5%	80.6%
Faulkner	47.2%	67.4%	57.4%	69.6%	53.3%	62.7%
Marion	0.0%	72.7%	28.6%	85.7%	55.6%	77.8%
Newton	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	75.0%	20.0%	100.0%
Pope	51.2%	70.7%	50.8%	71.4%	63.2%	70.2%
Searcy	37.5%	100.0%	60.0%	80.0%	75.0%	83.3%
Van Buren	50.0%	75.0%	20.7%	62.1%	36.8%	84.2%
Total	41.8%	67.3%	48.9%	67.5%	50.2%	67.4%
Area 6						
Pulaski	66.2%	81.9%	63.1%	78.8%	64.0%	80.9%
Total	66.2%	81.9%	63.1%	78.8%	64.0%	80.9%

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**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE PLACED IN OR NEAR HOME COUNTY
AS OF END OF THE YEAR**

COUNTY	CY 2020		CY 2021		CY 2022	
	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY
Area 7						
Bradley	35.7%	42.9%	16.7%	16.7%	20.0%	20.0%
Calhoun	N/A	N/A	16.7%	50.0%	16.7%	50.0%
Cleveland	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	25.0%
Dallas	50.0%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%	23.1%
Grant	22.2%	51.9%	25.0%	50.0%	0.0%	33.3%
Jefferson	57.3%	79.8%	53.3%	78.3%	65.9%	85.7%
Lincoln	0.0%	75.0%	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	50.0%
Lonoke	45.9%	75.3%	57.5%	86.2%	44.1%	69.5%
Prairie	50.0%	50.0%	8.3%	75.0%	22.2%	88.9%
Total	45.9%	72.1%	48.6%	75.7%	46.7%	70.8%
Area 8						
Clay	22.2%	33.3%	30.8%	46.2%	66.7%	83.3%
Craighead	60.0%	78.5%	67.7%	85.5%	37.5%	58.9%
Fulton	63.6%	90.9%	20.0%	80.0%	33.3%	66.7%
Greene	34.1%	65.9%	37.3%	70.9%	31.8%	68.2%
Izard	61.5%	61.5%	39.3%	64.3%	37.5%	50.0%
Lawrence	20.0%	53.3%	55.6%	94.4%	45.2%	83.9%
Mississippi	59.6%	73.7%	51.3%	64.1%	57.1%	61.9%
Randolph	25.0%	58.3%	53.3%	73.3%	44.4%	59.3%
Sharp	45.5%	54.5%	29.4%	44.1%	35.3%	58.8%
Total	46.9%	68.2%	45.0%	70.2%	38.8%	64.5%

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**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE PLACED IN OR NEAR HOME COUNTY
AS OF END OF THE YEAR**

COUNTY	CY 2020		CY 2021		CY 2022	
	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME COUNTY	PLACED IN SAME OR NEIGHBORING COUNTY
Area 9						
Cleburne	44.7%	50.0%	52.2%	73.9%	23.8%	42.9%
Crittenden	69.2%	88.5%	35.9%	53.8%	39.6%	54.7%
Cross	26.1%	60.9%	31.4%	62.9%	45.5%	75.8%
Independence	48.9%	72.3%	40.0%	76.7%	46.4%	67.9%
Jackson	0.0%	60.6%	25.6%	76.7%	16.0%	56.0%
Poinsett	15.5%	51.7%	25.8%	51.5%	33.3%	63.8%
Stone	25.0%	66.7%	50.0%	60.0%	0.0%	0.0%
White	37.0%	67.9%	44.0%	68.0%	35.6%	58.9%
Woodruff	4.5%	36.4%	13.6%	45.5%	0.0%	40.0%
Total	31.5%	62.1%	34.4%	63.3%	32.6%	58.8%
Area 10						
Arkansas	20.8%	62.5%	0.0%	0.0%	40.0%	50.0%
Ashley	54.5%	63.6%	47.1%	58.8%	38.5%	53.8%
Chicot	0.0%	25.0%	18.2%	45.5%	0.0%	57.1%
Desha	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	22.2%	0.0%	100.0%
Drew	29.4%	64.7%	14.3%	57.1%	25.0%	75.0%
Lee	60.0%	60.0%	100.0%	100.0%	66.7%	100.0%
Monroe	38.5%	92.3%	80.0%	100.0%	33.3%	44.4%
Phillips	40.0%	40.0%	90.9%	90.9%	100.0%	100.0%
St. Francis	41.9%	54.8%	14.3%	38.1%	6.7%	53.3%
Total	34.2%	59.2%	32.6%	50.0%	28.6%	60.0%
TOTAL	46.5%	69.6%	46.8%	69.1%	45.2%	68.8%

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PERCENTAGE OF VICTIM CHILDREN REMOVED IN RESPONSE TO SUBSTANTIATED REPORT

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	19.1%	14.1%	11.6%
Carroll	27.7%	21.6%	24.1%
Madison	36.6%	26.1%	29.7%
Washington	20.6%	19.4%	14.9%
Total	21.8%	17.8%	15.1%
Area 2			
Crawford	6.3%	10.8%	8.1%
Franklin	14.3%	14.0%	22.0%
Johnson	17.0%	11.9%	25.7%
Logan	20.9%	15.3%	19.5%
Scott	32.8%	31.7%	23.7%
Sebastian	27.8%	18.4%	16.8%
Yell	13.3%	29.3%	15.2%
Total	21.1%	16.8%	16.8%
Area 3			
Clark	17.9%	26.5%	7.6%
Garland	34.7%	30.2%	24.0%
Hot Spring	16.9%	16.9%	12.3%
Howard	6.3%	32.0%	11.1%
Montgomery	15.8%	12.0%	10.5%
Perry	12.0%	28.6%	23.1%
Pike	16.7%	11.3%	20.4%
Polk	20.8%	16.7%	5.1%
Saline	12.5%	15.2%	17.0%
Total	21.8%	22.0%	18.1%

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PERCENTAGE OF VICTIM CHILDREN REMOVED IN RESPONSE TO SUBSTANTIATED REPORT

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	24.1%	31.0%	16.7%
Hempstead	22.7%	26.2%	18.0%
Lafayette	41.7%	16.7%	28.6%
Little River	42.0%	38.3%	22.2%
Miller	37.4%	27.9%	25.3%
Nevada	25.0%	19.0%	23.5%
Ouachita	11.8%	17.8%	27.6%
Sevier	52.6%	42.3%	26.4%
Union	30.2%	24.2%	22.1%
Total	32.7%	29.0%	23.7%
Area 5			
Baxter	11.9%	13.1%	18.9%
Boone	19.8%	17.0%	4.2%
Conway	32.2%	17.9%	25.0%
Faulkner	13.5%	19.7%	12.9%
Marion	14.3%	12.5%	12.8%
Newton	6.7%	4.2%	6.9%
Pope	17.7%	22.5%	18.6%
Searcy	27.8%	18.8%	55.6%
Van Buren	18.3%	24.6%	34.1%
Total	17.1%	18.6%	15.7%
Area 6			
Pulaski	25.3%	21.5%	16.8%
Total	25.3%	21.5%	16.8%

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PERCENTAGE OF VICTIM CHILDREN REMOVED IN RESPONSE TO SUBSTANTIATED REPORT

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	56.0%	14.3%	14.7%
Calhoun	0.0%	20.0%	5.9%
Cleveland	5.0%	20.0%	4.8%
Dallas	6.9%	23.1%	42.1%
Grant	51.7%	20.6%	25.8%
Jefferson	25.9%	19.5%	21.2%
Lincoln	11.4%	17.4%	4.2%
Lonoke	18.3%	18.0%	10.1%
Prairie	14.3%	58.3%	15.4%
Total	24.6%	19.8%	16.6%
Area 8			
Clay	16.1%	18.2%	3.3%
Craighead	12.3%	7.8%	9.1%
Fulton	18.9%	30.8%	10.0%
Greene	21.0%	17.7%	11.3%
Izard	33.3%	28.3%	28.1%
Lawrence	15.6%	21.1%	28.7%
Mississippi	18.2%	21.1%	15.0%
Randolph	17.2%	9.6%	21.3%
Sharp	26.8%	34.0%	13.3%
Total	18.3%	17.1%	13.7%
Area 9			
Cleburne	30.4%	30.6%	10.8%
Crittenden	15.3%	9.0%	12.2%
Cross	41.7%	34.6%	15.9%
Independence	19.9%	12.0%	17.1%
Jackson	21.4%	30.6%	21.4%
Poinsett	16.0%	14.7%	13.5%
Stone	3.6%	14.7%	22.9%
White	16.8%	23.4%	12.9%
Woodruff	22.2%	20.6%	37.8%
Total	19.6%	19.2%	15.7%

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PERCENTAGE OF VICTIM CHILDREN REMOVED IN RESPONSE TO SUBSTANTIATED REPORT

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	6.7%	14.3%	1.5%
Ashley	7.4%	15.7%	9.6%
Chicot	9.5%	3.4%	19.4%
Desha	16.0%	59.1%	0.0%
Drew	4.1%	1.5%	3.8%
Lee	7.1%	14.3%	4.8%
Monroe	7.7%	11.8%	19.2%
Phillips	13.8%	4.7%	15.1%
St. Francis	9.4%	6.8%	8.2%
Total	8.7%	10.7%	8.5%
TOTAL	21.4%	19.3%	16.2%

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PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE PLACED WITH RELATIVES AS OF END OF THE YEAR

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	48.5%	38.9%	34.0%
Carroll	27.3%	26.3%	15.4%
Madison	42.0%	39.4%	66.7%
Washington	32.1%	38.3%	30.7%
Total	37.7%	37.5%	32.5%
Area 2			
Crawford	18.0%	39.2%	27.8%
Franklin	44.0%	15.8%	40.0%
Johnson	25.9%	62.1%	63.3%
Logan	48.4%	64.1%	66.0%
Scott	14.6%	36.4%	36.7%
Sebastian	35.3%	37.8%	34.0%
Yell	49.2%	48.2%	51.4%
Total	35.0%	41.3%	38.6%
Area 3			
Clark	60.0%	63.6%	33.3%
Garland	37.3%	41.3%	29.6%
Hot Spring	38.6%	36.6%	41.7%
Howard	40.0%	43.8%	33.3%
Montgomery	71.4%	42.9%	0.0%
Perry	75.0%	45.0%	35.0%
Pike	46.2%	50.0%	13.3%
Polk	35.3%	7.1%	11.1%
Saline	28.7%	24.1%	30.8%
Total	38.4%	38.5%	30.0%

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PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE PLACED WITH RELATIVES AS OF END OF THE YEAR

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	73.9%	46.4%	71.4%
Hempstead	54.8%	53.7%	44.2%
Lafayette	66.7%	42.9%	50.0%
Little River	57.9%	57.4%	45.2%
Miller	43.9%	43.9%	37.8%
Nevada	69.2%	75.0%	33.3%
Ouachita	44.0%	55.9%	56.4%
Sevier	51.4%	61.0%	40.0%
Union	38.2%	43.9%	38.9%
Total	49.9%	50.8%	44.6%
Area 5			
Baxter	31.1%	24.3%	43.6%
Boone	31.7%	51.6%	50.0%
Conway	58.5%	65.4%	63.9%
Faulkner	44.6%	52.2%	42.6%
Marion	23.1%	11.1%	38.5%
Newton	100.0%	25.0%	20.0%
Pope	35.9%	45.7%	45.7%
Searcy	33.3%	90.9%	100.0%
Van Buren	38.5%	25.8%	39.1%
Total	40.8%	47.2%	47.9%
Area 6			
Pulaski	32.1%	40.4%	35.3%
Total	32.1%	40.4%	35.3%

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PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE PLACED WITH RELATIVES AS OF END OF THE YEAR

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	27.8%	22.2%	25.0%
Calhoun	N/A	100.0%	50.0%
Cleveland	100.0%	66.7%	66.7%
Dallas	36.4%	25.0%	26.7%
Grant	63.3%	60.0%	71.4%
Jefferson	40.0%	55.5%	55.7%
Lincoln	63.6%	25.0%	50.0%
Lonoke	17.3%	23.9%	12.3%
Prairie	66.7%	84.6%	88.9%
Total	34.9%	44.6%	40.1%
Area 8			
Clay	20.0%	69.2%	28.6%
Craighead	34.8%	36.0%	35.1%
Fulton	56.3%	61.5%	40.0%
Greene	26.7%	53.8%	39.8%
Izard	38.9%	42.4%	59.3%
Lawrence	47.6%	42.9%	48.7%
Mississippi	36.6%	52.2%	40.0%
Randolph	52.9%	31.6%	50.0%
Sharp	58.6%	45.0%	57.1%
Total	37.1%	47.0%	43.9%
Area 9			
Cleburne	55.6%	43.8%	50.0%
Crittenden	31.6%	19.1%	33.3%
Cross	20.6%	46.7%	65.0%
Independence	33.3%	26.7%	28.6%
Jackson	24.4%	37.5%	43.8%
Poinsett	25.0%	32.5%	34.1%
Stone	28.6%	36.4%	0.0%
White	16.0%	26.0%	31.0%
Woodruff	21.7%	22.7%	6.9%
Total	27.4%	31.5%	35.3%

TABLE A11			
PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE PLACED WITH RELATIVES AS OF END OF THE YEAR			
COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	63.3%	45.0%	35.3%
Ashley	41.2%	70.0%	68.8%
Chicot	25.0%	38.5%	12.5%
Desha	25.0%	55.6%	50.0%
Drew	54.2%	50.0%	50.0%
Lee	80.0%	100.0%	0.0%
Monroe	61.5%	37.5%	63.6%
Phillips	41.7%	76.9%	60.0%
St. Francis	56.4%	35.7%	37.5%
Total	52.6%	51.2%	44.9%
TOTAL	37.1%	42.0%	38.4%

TABLE A12

**PLACEMENT STABILITY RATE (MOVES PER 1,000 DAYS IN CARE)
NATIONAL STANDARD: 4.12**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	5.72	4.84	8.09
Carroll	5.14	4.64	5.11
Madison	4.59	3.63	10.13
Washington	4.90	5.97	6.18
Total	5.17	5.35	6.86
Area 2			
Crawford	7.52	3.03	4.54
Franklin	1.83	15.75	3.97
Johnson	6.34	3.79	7.46
Logan	1.22	5.06	2.11
Scott	5.72	7.20	9.68
Sebastian	4.64	5.17	7.17
Yell	4.35	4.80	3.44
Total	4.62	5.09	5.88
Area 3			
Clark	13.47	5.54	4.36
Garland	4.40	5.79	5.35
Hot Spring	7.76	7.18	5.24
Howard	3.79	6.46	7.42
Montgomery	1.23	19.78	0.00
Perry	0.00	3.94	2.68
Pike	3.76	7.82	6.95
Polk	4.04	8.22	9.76
Saline	3.90	4.06	4.54
Total	4.92	5.81	5.12

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**PLACEMENT STABILITY RATE (MOVES PER 1,000 DAYS IN CARE)
NATIONAL STANDARD: 4.12**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	5.77	4.92	7.49
Hempstead	5.55	4.05	5.74
Lafayette	6.83	2.19	3.23
Little River	1.41	4.27	3.43
Miller	7.21	6.38	5.94
Nevada	0.00	2.27	4.27
Ouachita	5.89	6.85	4.37
Sevier	4.80	3.62	3.06
Union	8.50	6.13	5.43
Total	5.64	5.30	5.31
Area 5			
Baxter	1.70	4.90	4.80
Boone	6.57	6.16	1.85
Conway	2.31	3.27	4.10
Faulkner	5.45	4.96	3.66
Marion	4.26	4.67	8.21
Newton	0.00	6.37	0.00
Pope	4.83	5.79	6.21
Searcy	0.73	2.96	5.08
Van Buren	5.51	5.77	2.74
Total	4.56	5.02	4.37
Area 6			
Pulaski	7.37	5.35	5.90
Total	7.37	5.35	5.90

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**PLACEMENT STABILITY RATE (MOVES PER 1,000 DAYS IN CARE)
NATIONAL STANDARD: 4.12**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	9.29	5.95	6.68
Calhoun	N/A	0.00	N/A
Cleveland	5.88	3.43	0.00
Dallas	2.15	10.78	10.59
Grant	8.42	1.52	0.75
Jefferson	4.32	4.41	4.76
Lincoln	2.10	8.37	1.37
Lonoke	8.00	3.25	6.04
Prairie	0.00	0.68	1.45
Total	6.16	4.00	5.39
Area 8			
Clay	3.93	2.53	0.00
Craighead	6.63	3.36	5.13
Fulton	6.42	6.49	9.77
Greene	9.49	4.30	7.51
Izard	5.91	11.19	1.58
Lawrence	4.33	13.76	4.55
Mississippi	2.80	2.93	4.46
Randolph	8.42	3.06	5.69
Sharp	5.64	4.69	2.70
Total	7.00	5.05	4.97
Area 9			
Cleburne	2.73	6.74	7.07
Crittenden	6.91	7.37	5.30
Cross	6.73	5.38	7.58
Independence	5.53	2.80	3.03
Jackson	6.12	6.98	10.09
Poinsett	4.94	5.24	4.42
Stone	4.99	3.72	5.36
White	3.56	7.08	3.13
Woodruff	1.37	12.94	5.42
Total	5.07	6.11	5.27

TABLE A12

**PLACEMENT STABILITY RATE (MOVES PER 1,000 DAYS IN CARE)
NATIONAL STANDARD: 4.12**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	11.17	4.24	19.50
Ashley	3.03	1.83	4.01
Chicot	0.00	14.74	3.78
Desha	8.14	5.03	0.00
Drew	5.53	1.62	0.00
Lee	2.08	4.46	0.00
Monroe	0.00	10.38	3.55
Phillips	7.58	2.24	0.00
St. Francis	5.55	7.46	4.92
Total	6.28	4.52	3.38
TOTAL	5.64	5.25	5.43

TABLE A13

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN WHO REACHED PERMANENCY WITHIN 12 MONTHS OF ENTERING CARE
NATIONAL STANDARD: 40.5%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	48.2%	54.5%	56.8%
Carroll	51.6%	56.8%	60.6%
Madison	38.3%	59.6%	47.4%
Washington	47.1%	35.6%	37.5%
Total	46.8%	47.2%	46.6%
Area 2			
Crawford	36.8%	40.0%	54.9%
Franklin	60.0%	60.0%	42.9%
Johnson	30.8%	43.8%	36.8%
Logan	27.8%	44.4%	30.2%
Scott	42.1%	25.0%	22.2%
Sebastian	26.0%	29.8%	33.0%
Yell	18.0%	12.5%	17.4%
Total	28.0%	32.9%	34.9%
Area 3			
Clark	36.4%	33.3%	29.6%
Garland	53.4%	44.3%	51.3%
Hot Spring	68.2%	40.0%	21.1%
Howard	60.0%	0.0%	60.0%
Montgomery	0.0%	100.0%	57.1%
Perry	33.3%	33.3%	0.0%
Pike	58.3%	11.1%	46.2%
Polk	56.5%	10.5%	36.8%
Saline	45.3%	29.8%	41.3%
Total	52.4%	37.1%	43.6%

TABLE A13

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN WHO REACHED PERMANENCY WITHIN 12 MONTHS OF ENTERING CARE
NATIONAL STANDARD: 40.5%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	75.0%	29.4%	14.3%
Hempstead	70.8%	53.5%	13.6%
Lafayette	0.0%	57.1%	33.3%
Little River	38.9%	51.2%	20.7%
Miller	35.6%	59.8%	44.7%
Nevada	33.3%	25.0%	100.0%
Ouachita	31.8%	38.9%	42.9%
Sevier	57.1%	67.9%	74.6%
Union	52.8%	46.3%	28.6%
Total	47.4%	53.9%	43.0%
Area 5			
Baxter	42.6%	46.2%	23.1%
Boone	37.2%	37.3%	13.9%
Conway	35.4%	27.3%	41.2%
Faulkner	38.7%	25.4%	53.4%
Marion	57.1%	40.0%	56.3%
Newton	N/A	100.0%	40.0%
Pope	46.0%	53.5%	51.4%
Searcy	37.5%	50.0%	33.3%
Van Buren	68.8%	15.4%	29.2%
Total	41.8%	36.1%	43.7%
Area 6			
Pulaski	27.8%	26.0%	29.2%
Total	27.8%	26.0%	29.2%

TABLE A13

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN WHO REACHED PERMANENCY WITHIN 12 MONTHS OF ENTERING CARE
NATIONAL STANDARD: 40.5%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	100.0%	29.4%	50.0%
Calhoun	100.0%	N/A	N/A
Cleveland	87.5%	100.0%	0.0%
Dallas	100.0%	83.3%	50.0%
Grant	71.4%	48.7%	78.6%
Jefferson	60.0%	43.7%	42.9%
Lincoln	53.9%	75.0%	75.0%
Lonoke	28.6%	16.7%	26.0%
Prairie	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	53.9%	38.0%	37.6%
Area 8			
Clay	0.0%	20.0%	90.9%
Craighead	55.7%	32.7%	31.8%
Fulton	73.7%	92.9%	11.1%
Greene	68.4%	36.2%	33.0%
Izard	66.7%	61.9%	55.2%
Lawrence	50.0%	57.1%	42.1%
Mississippi	67.1%	61.4%	43.3%
Randolph	56.7%	60.0%	18.8%
Sharp	71.1%	44.4%	37.8%
Total	61.5%	45.8%	38.1%
Area 9			
Cleburne	45.2%	58.1%	44.0%
Crittenden	64.8%	63.5%	51.1%
Cross	70.0%	76.7%	17.7%
Independence	50.0%	47.8%	56.0%
Jackson	43.6%	26.5%	61.0%
Poinsett	44.8%	28.6%	14.6%
Stone	25.0%	0.0%	72.7%
White	47.8%	53.1%	29.7%
Woodruff	15.0%	30.0%	0.0%
Total	50.4%	50.0%	37.7%

TABLE A13

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN WHO REACHED PERMANENCY WITHIN 12 MONTHS OF ENTERING CARE
NATIONAL STANDARD: 40.5%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	52.9%	12.5%	25.0%
Ashley	42.9%	14.3%	16.7%
Chicot	25.0%	0.0%	33.3%
Desha	100.0%	40.0%	60.0%
Drew	66.7%	42.9%	66.7%
Lee	100.0%	50.0%	100.0%
Monroe	25.0%	0.0%	50.0%
Phillips	50.0%	72.7%	100.0%
St. Francis	40.7%	29.4%	33.3%
Total	46.6%	31.9%	51.5%
TOTAL	45.1%	40.2%	39.7%

TABLE A14

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE FOR 12 TO 23 MONTHS WHO REACHED PERMANENCY WITHIN THE SUBSEQUENT 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 43.6%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	57.1%	77.6%	73.7%
Carroll	72.0%	66.7%	27.3%
Madison	60.0%	71.4%	50.0%
Washington	61.1%	49.2%	68.5%
Total	62.4%	63.3%	65.2%
Area 2			
Crawford	75.0%	37.5%	52.9%
Franklin	100.0%	50.0%	85.7%
Johnson	75.0%	60.0%	80.0%
Logan	20.0%	47.8%	92.3%
Scott	75.0%	50.0%	57.9%
Sebastian	55.0%	47.5%	47.3%
Yell	55.6%	70.0%	75.0%
Total	60.0%	49.8%	55.4%
Area 3			
Clark	100.0%	50.0%	30.0%
Garland	70.0%	50.0%	53.5%
Hot Spring	50.0%	62.5%	66.7%
Howard	N/A	50.0%	71.4%
Montgomery	N/A	100.0%	N/A
Perry	0.0%	50.0%	16.7%
Pike	50.0%	0.0%	50.0%
Polk	78.6%	28.6%	60.0%
Saline	57.1%	67.9%	33.3%
Total	65.4%	54.5%	49.5%

TABLE A14

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE FOR 12 TO 23 MONTHS WHO REACHED PERMANENCY WITHIN THE SUBSEQUENT 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 43.6%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	100.0%	100.0%	55.6%
Hempstead	N/A	66.7%	37.5%
Lafayette	100.0%	66.7%	0.0%
Little River	100.0%	50.0%	80.0%
Miller	33.3%	66.7%	57.9%
Nevada	0.0%	50.0%	100.0%
Ouachita	75.0%	50.0%	60.0%
Sevier	40.0%	80.0%	80.0%
Union	60.0%	92.3%	100.0%
Total	58.5%	70.4%	67.4%
Area 5			
Baxter	66.7%	45.8%	28.6%
Boone	50.0%	61.9%	57.1%
Conway	54.6%	88.0%	87.5%
Faulkner	60.0%	69.2%	93.3%
Marion	57.1%	100.0%	62.5%
Newton	100.0%	N/A	N/A
Pope	55.6%	92.9%	50.0%
Searcy	100.0%	71.4%	100.0%
Van Buren	N/A	50.0%	44.4%
Total	60.2%	70.0%	70.2%
Area 6			
Pulaski	45.8%	32.4%	47.9%
Total	45.8%	32.4%	47.9%

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**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE FOR 12 TO 23 MONTHS WHO REACHED PERMANENCY WITHIN THE SUBSEQUENT 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 43.6%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	0.0%	N/A	20.0%
Calhoun	N/A	N/A	N/A
Cleveland	100.0%	100.0%	N/A
Dallas	100.0%	N/A	100.0%
Grant	100.0%	100.0%	91.7%
Jefferson	29.2%	55.0%	63.3%
Lincoln	N/A	100.0%	N/A
Lonoke	64.5%	65.1%	42.2%
Prairie	N/A	N/A	100.0%
Total	52.4%	65.7%	57.0%
Area 8			
Clay	N/A	100.0%	100.0%
Craighead	46.4%	26.7%	75.9%
Fulton	60.0%	75.0%	N/A
Greene	64.3%	81.8%	71.1%
Izard	66.7%	100.0%	25.0%
Lawrence	50.0%	71.4%	33.3%
Mississippi	60.0%	87.5%	64.3%
Randolph	100.0%	90.0%	0.0%
Sharp	80.0%	66.7%	11.1%
Total	61.1%	72.0%	62.0%

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**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE FOR 12 TO 23 MONTHS WHO REACHED PERMANENCY WITHIN THE SUBSEQUENT 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 43.6%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 9			
Cleburne	9.1%	100.0%	44.4%
Crittenden	66.7%	10.0%	84.6%
Cross	45.5%	66.7%	60.0%
Independence	89.5%	75.0%	77.3%
Jackson	55.6%	85.7%	58.8%
Poinsett	78.6%	54.2%	38.5%
Stone	85.7%	60.0%	100.0%
White	65.0%	65.8%	75.0%
Woodruff	33.3%	22.2%	50.0%
Total	62.5%	62.6%	66.4%
Area 10			
Arkansas	52.9%	87.5%	62.5%
Ashley	42.9%	0.0%	33.3%
Chicot	25.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Desha	100.0%	N/A	50.0%
Drew	66.7%	100.0%	0.0%
Lee	100.0%	N/A	100.0%
Monroe	25.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Phillips	50.0%	40.0%	100.0%
St. Francis	40.7%	28.6%	50.0%
Total	52.9%	38.3%	58.6%
TOTAL	59.3%	56.5%	58.2%

TABLE A15

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE 24 MONTHS OR LONGER WHO REACHED PERMANENCY
WITHIN THE SUBSEQUENT 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 30.3%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	41.2%	15.4%	47.1%
Carroll	100.0%	14.3%	88.9%
Madison	50.0%	50.0%	77.8%
Washington	41.8%	29.2%	45.0%
Total	45.2%	28.2%	52.6%
Area 2			
Crawford	38.5%	16.7%	38.9%
Franklin	66.7%	100.0%	100.0%
Johnson	40.0%	25.0%	0.0%
Logan	50.0%	57.1%	43.8%
Scott	14.3%	50.0%	37.5%
Sebastian	36.0%	30.5%	46.1%
Yell	21.4%	7.7%	47.6%
Total	36.3%	30.6%	44.7%
Area 3			
Clark	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%
Garland	30.4%	36.4%	46.9%
Hot Spring	27.3%	0.0%	33.3%
Howard	N/A	N/A	100.0%
Montgomery	N/A	N/A	N/A
Perry	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Pike	72.7%	0.0%	25.0%
Polk	22.2%	42.9%	33.3%
Saline	22.2%	81.3%	33.3%
Total	33.3%	38.7%	40.9%

TABLE A15

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE 24 MONTHS OR LONGER WHO REACHED PERMANENCY
WITHIN THE SUBSEQUENT 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 30.3%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	55.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Hempstead	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%
Lafayette	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Little River	0.0%	0.0%	14.3%
Miller	36.4%	13.6%	25.0%
Nevada	0.0%	25.0%	50.0%
Ouachita	66.7%	50.0%	40.0%
Sevier	20.0%	50.0%	25.0%
Union	8.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	28.8%	18.0%	24.1%
Area 5			
Baxter	50.0%	0.0%	43.8%
Boone	25.0%	50.0%	0.0%
Conway	20.0%	11.1%	12.5%
Faulkner	28.6%	52.4%	17.6%
Marion	100.0%	100.0%	N/A
Newton	N/A	N/A	N/A
Pope	21.4%	33.3%	36.4%
Searcy	100.0%	N/A	100.0%
Van Buren	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%
Total	28.6%	40.7%	26.2%
Area 6			
Pulaski	36.8%	30.1%	38.1%
Total	36.8%	30.1%	38.1%

TABLE A15

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE 24 MONTHS OR LONGER WHO REACHED PERMANENCY
WITHIN THE SUBSEQUENT 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 30.3%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Calhoun	N/A	N/A	N/A
Cleveland	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dallas	0.0%	42.9%	25.0%
Grant	0.0%	40.0%	N/A
Jefferson	20.0%	19.1%	28.0%
Lincoln	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Lonoke	22.2%	30.0%	26.9%
Prairie	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	15.9%	26.3%	25.4%
Area 8			
Clay	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%
Craighead	45.0%	29.2%	41.7%
Fulton	75.0%	33.3%	33.3%
Greene	52.6%	30.8%	28.6%
Izard	40.0%	25.0%	0.0%
Lawrence	12.5%	0.0%	20.0%
Mississippi	53.3%	29.4%	41.7%
Randolph	40.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Sharp	40.0%	66.7%	66.7%
Total	43.5%	29.3%	35.6%

TABLE A15

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE 24 MONTHS OR LONGER WHO REACHED PERMANENCY
WITHIN THE SUBSEQUENT 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 30.3%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 9			
Cleburne	60.0%	72.7%	0.0%
Crittenden	50.0%	0.0%	50.0%
Cross	80.0%	0.0%	60.0%
Independence	22.2%	12.5%	10.0%
Jackson	45.5%	33.3%	50.0%
Poinsett	30.4%	18.8%	9.1%
Stone	0.0%	33.3%	33.3%
White	16.7%	34.6%	46.4%
Woodruff	0.0%	14.3%	33.3%
Total	31.5%	28.4%	33.7%
Area 10			
Arkansas	40.0%	50.0%	0.0%
Ashley	66.7%	100.0%	60.0%
Chicot	33.3%	50.0%	66.7%
Desha	N/A	100.0%	N/A
Drew	0.0%	44.4%	33.3%
Lee	0.0%	0.0%	N/A
Monroe	33.3%	71.4%	60.0%
Phillips	44.4%	33.3%	50.0%
St. Francis	21.4%	53.9%	40.0%
Total	28.3%	54.5%	46.3%
TOTAL	34.8%	31.6%	38.8%

TABLE A16

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN WHO REENTERED CARE WITHIN 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 8.3%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	16.7%	4.8%	3.5%
Carroll	5.0%	6.7%	4.8%
Madison	0.0%	11.1%	17.2%
Washington	4.3%	5.1%	1.6%
Total	8.3%	5.7%	5.1%
Area 2			
Crawford	12.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Franklin	5.9%	0.0%	13.3%
Johnson	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Logan	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Scott	0.0%	22.2%	0.0%
Sebastian	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Yell	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	5.1%	1.7%	1.6%
Area 3			
Clark	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Garland	14.3%	5.3%	9.7%
Hot Spring	0.0%	14.3%	0.0%
Howard	0.0%	0.0%	N/A
Montgomery	0.0%	N/A	0.0%
Perry	N/A	N/A	0.0%
Pike	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Polk	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Saline	9.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	9.1%	4.3%	7.3%

TABLE A16

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN WHO REENTERED CARE WITHIN 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 8.3%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Hempstead	0.0%	0.0%	4.3%
Lafayette	N/A	N/A	50.0%
Little River	0.0%	0.0%	9.5%
Miller	0.0%	5.0%	8.2%
Nevada	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Ouachita	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Sevier	0.0%	38.5%	2.8%
Union	40.0%	15.8%	16.7%
Total	6.6%	9.2%	6.9%
Area 5			
Baxter	31.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Boone	0.0%	12.5%	0.0%
Conway	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Faulkner	12.1%	8.7%	28.6%
Marion	20.0%	0.0%	16.7%
Newton	N/A	N/A	0.0%
Pope	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Searcy	16.7%	33.3%	0.0%
Van Buren	0.0%	20.0%	0.0%
Total	10.7%	6.5%	5.7%
Area 6			
Pulaski	3.3%	25.8%	18.3%
Total	3.3%	25.8%	18.3%

TABLE A16

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN WHO REENTERED CARE WITHIN 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 8.3%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Calhoun	0.0%	0.0%	N/A
Cleveland	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Dallas	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Grant	12.5%	30.0%	11.1%
Jefferson	28.6%	11.9%	8.9%
Lincoln	0.0%	0.0%	16.7%
Lonoke	21.1%	4.5%	0.0%
Prairie	N/A	0.0%	N/A
Total	20.3%	8.1%	7.8%
Area 8			
Clay	14.3%	N/A	N/A
Craighead	0.0%	17.9%	16.7%
Fulton	0.0%	7.7%	0.0%
Greene	1.6%	14.3%	2.8%
Izard	7.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Lawrence	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Mississippi	10.0%	10.6%	0.0%
Randolph	4.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Sharp	0.0%	14.8%	16.7%
Total	4.0%	11.5%	4.8%
Area 9			
Cleburne	15.4%	0.0%	5.6%
Crittenden	5.6%	5.7%	9.1%
Cross	5.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Independence	2.8%	17.9%	9.5%
Jackson	27.3%	5.9%	0.0%
Poinsett	0.0%	7.7%	0.0%
Stone	11.1%	0.0%	N/A
White	5.8%	4.7%	0.0%
Woodruff	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	7.1%	5.6%	4.1%

TABLE A16

**PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN WHO REENTERED CARE WITHIN 12 MONTHS
NATIONAL STANDARD: 8.3%**

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	0.0%	0.0%	N/A
Ashley	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Chicot	0.0%	0.0%	N/A
Desha	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Drew	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Lee	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Monroe	0.0%	0.0%	N/A
Phillips	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
St. Francis	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	5.3%	0.0%	0.0%
TOTAL	7.4%	7.4%	6.4%

TABLE A17

AVERAGE TIME FROM TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS TO ADOPTION FINALIZATION

COUNTY	CY 2020		CY 2021		CY 2022	
	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)
Area 1						
Benton	18	16.4	18	12.0	24	9.8
Carroll	8	24.2	5	9.4	9	21.2
Madison	12	13.3	15	8.9	10	14.0
Washington	58	14.9	62	15.3	85	12.4
Total	96	15.7	100	13.5	128	12.6
Area 2						
Crawford	21	19.0	6	19.8	11	14.2
Franklin	10	18.7	4	5.4	3	11.9
Johnson	10	9.8	6	6.0	12	3.0
Logan	10	15.0	25	12.1	18	10.8
Scott	13	15.5	12	11.7	12	10.0
Sebastian	98	20.8	103	16.6	102	15.0
Yell	8	22.3	18	5.1	18	23.7
Total	170	19.1	174	13.9	176	14.2
Area 3						
Clark	5	2.4	1	3.0	2	7.6
Garland	28	8.1	40	11.0	32	10.2
Hot Spring	7	16.2	4	4.7	10	7.2
Howard	0	N/A	2	8.4	4	7.0
Montgomery	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
Perry	1	3.8	3	7.5	5	5.4
Pike	10	7.8	1	2.8	7	8.3
Polk	2	7.3	9	4.9	4	13.9
Saline	9	8.3	26	12.1	12	8.4
Total	62	8.5	86	10.1	76	9.0

TABLE A17

AVERAGE TIME FROM TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS TO ADOPTION FINALIZATION

COUNTY	CY 2020		CY 2021		CY 2022	
	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)
Area 4						
Columbia	7	16.6	3	4.7	3	4.6
Hempstead	0	N/A	3	4.3	2	3.5
Lafayette	0	N/A	1	2.1	2	16.8
Little River	4	3.4	3	2.3	11	3.9
Miller	16	16.1	19	5.4	22	7.1
Nevada	0	N/A	4	5.8	0	N/A
Ouachita	10	10.3	6	6.3	12	4.4
Sevier	3	4.1	1	3.0	5	2.4
Union	5	13.6	7	10.5	12	7.7
Total	45	12.7	47	5.9	69	6.0
Area 5						
Baxter	8	11.8	9	9.6	9	13.1
Boone	4	4.8	14	6.1	10	6.7
Conway	10	12.0	26	9.1	18	9.0
Faulkner	19	9.5	30	13.7	21	6.4
Marion	1	5.8	5	14.3	7	4.2
Newton	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
Pope	11	18.7	14	9.6	12	20.5
Searcy	4	15.7	4	7.8	7	7.2
Van Buren	1	4.0	1	57.0	8	8.8
Total	58	11.9	103	10.8	92	9.5
Area 6						
Pulaski	66	16.3	54	14.1	97	11.2
Total	66	16.3	54	14.1	97	11.2

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AVERAGE TIME FROM TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS TO ADOPTION FINALIZATION

COUNTY	CY 2020		CY 2021		CY 2022	
	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)
Area 7						
Bradley	0	N/A	1	4.1	0	N/A
Calhoun	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
Cleveland	0	N/A	2	4.1	0	N/A
Dallas	2	3.6	3	14.0	2	46.6
Grant	3	10.7	5	15.8	1	3.2
Jefferson	6	11.2	8	5.9	21	11.6
Lincoln	2	6.0	7	7.0	0	N/A
Lonoke	22	7.9	21	11.1	29	8.4
Prairie	0	N/A	0	N/A	2	8.4
Total	35	8.4	47	9.9	55	10.9
Area 8						
Clay	5	3.7	5	20.9	1	2.2
Craighead	13	17.9	12	9.7	13	19.4
Fulton	6	19.9	6	4.9	1	15.8
Greene	22	19.2	10	14.6	30	9.6
Izard	5	12.5	2	13.6	1	0.9
Lawrence	1	26.7	5	1.2	1	15.6
Mississippi	18	7.2	12	11.9	12	12.5
Randolph	9	14.1	5	2.1	0	N/A
Sharp	4	3.9	9	5.3	14	7.4
Total	83	13.9	66	9.5	73	11.3

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COUNTY	CY 2020		CY 2021		CY 2022	
	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)	NUMBER OF ADOPTIONS	TIME (MONTHS)
Area 9						
Cleburne	3	11.0	22	6.0	2	3.6
Crittenden	9	9.0	1	6.9	7	10.6
Cross	5	6.1	4	7.9	8	12.3
Independence	10	3.9	3	2.1	9	6.1
Jackson	12	6.7	9	6.1	11	9.0
Poinsett	14	9.0	17	12.1	3	14.1
Stone	0	N/A	2	10.3	1	24.1
White	11	15.4	17	5.1	16	16.1
Woodruff	6	4.0	2	11.5	6	17.9
Total	70	8.3	77	7.4	63	12.2
Area 10						
Arkansas	4	17.5	12	8.3	5	6.4
Ashley	3	13.1	2	14.8	2	15.7
Chicot	6	15.5	0	N/A	8	8.2
Desha	0	N/A	0	N/A	3	4.4
Drew	2	3.0	1	7.2	1	27.9
Lee	1	1.6	0	N/A	0	N/A
Monroe	3	2.2	5	4.8	0	N/A
Phillips	5	10.6	5	4.5	2	4.5
St. Francis	4	4.9	9	8.3	11	7.0
Total	28	10.3	34	7.6	32	8.0
TOTAL	713	13.9	788	11.0	861	11.2

TABLE A18

PERCENTAGE OF REQUIRED VISITS MADE FOR IN-HOME CASES

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	73.0%	80.2%	79.9%
Carroll	84.2%	81.6%	90.1%
Madison	87.1%	84.4%	69.6%
Washington	58.6%	47.2%	44.4%
Total	66.5%	62.4%	60.8%
Area 2			
Crawford	94.1%	88.6%	85.6%
Franklin	83.1%	76.8%	87.4%
Johnson	95.0%	87.7%	91.4%
Logan	95.3%	88.2%	52.0%
Scott	81.1%	60.8%	51.9%
Sebastian	87.8%	81.2%	77.6%
Yell	92.9%	83.9%	89.7%
Total	90.2%	82.6%	76.8%
Area 3			
Clark	58.4%	70.7%	41.6%
Garland	69.5%	59.7%	67.3%
Hot Spring	79.9%	80.1%	43.2%
Howard	77.6%	82.8%	76.7%
Montgomery	97.5%	100.0%	52.9%
Perry	88.6%	62.2%	39.1%
Pike	78.0%	91.8%	78.6%
Polk	97.6%	94.2%	70.8%
Saline	66.0%	73.8%	46.6%
Total	71.3%	72.1%	54.5%

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PERCENTAGE OF REQUIRED VISITS MADE FOR IN-HOME CASES

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	92.0%	92.7%	89.5%
Hempstead	90.1%	89.5%	82.7%
Lafayette	98.6%	88.9%	87.5%
Little River	90.6%	91.3%	80.0%
Miller	85.1%	80.9%	60.8%
Nevada	100.0%	92.2%	79.6%
Ouachita	95.8%	81.5%	73.5%
Sevier	82.0%	88.8%	92.5%
Union	97.0%	84.5%	74.5%
Total	90.1%	85.9%	75.1%
Area 5			
Baxter	88.2%	68.8%	41.2%
Boone	79.5%	73.3%	73.3%
Conway	84.6%	88.3%	83.4%
Faulkner	86.7%	78.1%	74.0%
Marion	91.1%	58.0%	48.6%
Newton	78.3%	68.3%	65.3%
Pope	77.5%	64.3%	82.3%
Searcy	97.4%	64.9%	68.8%
Van Buren	80.7%	69.0%	82.6%
Total	83.3%	71.4%	70.0%
Area 6			
Pulaski	56.2%	36.5%	61.8%
Total	56.2%	36.5%	61.8%

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PERCENTAGE OF REQUIRED VISITS MADE FOR IN-HOME CASES

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	94.7%	69.2%	86.4%
Calhoun	90.5%	100.0%	56.3%
Cleveland	65.4%	91.7%	96.8%
Dallas	75.0%	69.7%	86.7%
Grant	89.7%	91.9%	83.1%
Jefferson	61.4%	38.3%	52.8%
Lincoln	92.5%	90.9%	91.4%
Lonoke	96.1%	89.5%	83.9%
Prairie	100.0%	96.0%	77.3%
Total	75.5%	59.7%	67.1%
Area 8			
Clay	98.3%	100.0%	98.9%
Craighead	75.2%	78.3%	84.8%
Fulton	89.0%	94.4%	82.9%
Greene	94.6%	92.8%	94.7%
Izard	93.0%	98.8%	97.1%
Lawrence	100.0%	94.3%	84.1%
Mississippi	51.5%	59.5%	73.1%
Randolph	91.0%	78.9%	58.3%
Sharp	100.0%	86.3%	68.0%
Total	82.2%	83.8%	83.9%
Area 9			
Cleburne	96.6%	94.4%	94.8%
Crittenden	75.6%	65.2%	38.4%
Cross	80.7%	82.7%	84.9%
Independence	90.3%	87.3%	76.8%
Jackson	89.4%	92.1%	85.9%
Poinsett	87.0%	81.1%	73.0%
Stone	94.4%	91.8%	98.0%
White	83.0%	64.0%	80.2%
Woodruff	93.0%	67.9%	52.6%
Total	85.3%	76.3%	71.8%

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PERCENTAGE OF REQUIRED VISITS MADE FOR IN-HOME CASES

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	86.5%	91.9%	91.4%
Ashley	93.5%	77.2%	97.4%
Chicot	72.7%	52.0%	82.6%
Desha	98.2%	85.4%	98.8%
Drew	100.0%	96.3%	89.7%
Lee	98.9%	90.9%	100.0%
Monroe	90.4%	90.3%	94.9%
Phillips	83.2%	79.3%	93.5%
St. Francis	67.9%	70.5%	88.3%
Total	84.2%	77.9%	92.5%
TOTAL	76.6%	75.6%	70.0%

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PERCENTAGE OF REQUIRED VISITS MADE FOR CHILDREN IN CARE

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 1			
Benton	76.7%	75.7%	80.7%
Carroll	94.5%	93.3%	97.5%
Madison	88.8%	80.3%	90.2%
Washington	77.0%	75.8%	82.0%
Total	79.9%	77.6%	83.9%
Area 2			
Crawford	94.7%	86.3%	90.9%
Franklin	98.3%	90.4%	96.2%
Johnson	94.4%	96.9%	94.5%
Logan	98.0%	98.3%	89.8%
Scott	87.4%	74.6%	66.2%
Sebastian	83.4%	67.4%	79.8%
Yell	96.0%	89.5%	93.5%
Total	87.4%	75.4%	83.3%
Area 3			
Clark	89.9%	91.0%	67.6%
Garland	82.8%	83.8%	79.9%
Hot Spring	92.8%	94.0%	55.6%
Howard	88.7%	91.1%	88.6%
Montgomery	82.9%	95.7%	85.5%
Perry	81.8%	81.3%	59.3%
Pike	86.3%	93.6%	93.2%
Polk	97.2%	97.4%	84.3%
Saline	79.6%	85.1%	60.0%
Total	84.8%	87.3%	73.6%

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PERCENTAGE OF REQUIRED VISITS MADE FOR CHILDREN IN CARE

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 4			
Columbia	99.1%	95.5%	96.3%
Hempstead	98.8%	96.9%	93.5%
Lafayette	98.4%	93.3%	95.4%
Little River	95.3%	98.1%	94.1%
Miller	96.0%	88.0%	80.1%
Nevada	96.7%	91.1%	92.7%
Ouachita	98.8%	93.9%	87.7%
Sevier	92.4%	94.7%	92.2%
Union	98.6%	92.5%	91.1%
Total	96.7%	92.7%	88.4%
Area 5			
Baxter	98.0%	86.4%	73.3%
Boone	76.8%	73.6%	73.4%
Conway	91.3%	79.9%	86.3%
Faulkner	97.0%	83.2%	87.4%
Marion	96.6%	72.5%	60.6%
Newton	88.5%	61.3%	91.2%
Pope	95.4%	79.1%	85.1%
Searcy	95.0%	95.7%	100.0%
Van Buren	98.5%	91.5%	89.7%
Total	92.7%	81.2%	83.2%
Area 6			
Pulaski	64.9%	54.1%	44.5%
Total	64.9%	54.1%	44.5%

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PERCENTAGE OF REQUIRED VISITS MADE FOR CHILDREN IN CARE

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 7			
Bradley	100.0%	89.9%	97.4%
Calhoun	N/A	100.0%	90.0%
Cleveland	98.0%	92.5%	100.0%
Dallas	95.8%	84.1%	84.5%
Grant	98.6%	94.6%	98.3%
Jefferson	78.3%	62.6%	63.0%
Lincoln	97.1%	86.2%	87.9%
Lonoke	96.6%	94.0%	65.9%
Prairie	92.7%	100.0%	88.7%
Total	90.1%	80.7%	69.8%
Area 8			
Clay	96.7%	98.4%	100.0%
Craighead	87.4%	80.0%	92.6%
Fulton	91.1%	94.2%	86.4%
Greene	92.4%	85.9%	71.8%
Izard	96.9%	98.3%	99.5%
Lawrence	99.6%	96.8%	89.9%
Mississippi	56.8%	58.4%	77.0%
Randolph	91.1%	82.4%	84.7%
Sharp	98.3%	97.7%	84.9%
Total	85.3%	83.5%	84.0%
Area 9			
Cleburne	96.2%	90.8%	86.7%
Crittenden	83.4%	63.9%	50.1%
Cross	95.2%	79.7%	82.7%
Independence	95.8%	94.3%	82.7%
Jackson	94.1%	76.5%	72.5%
Poinsett	89.5%	86.1%	75.7%
Stone	100.0%	90.3%	86.0%
White	78.4%	57.8%	62.1%
Woodruff	84.1%	78.6%	75.1%
Total	88.7%	76.7%	71.0%

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PERCENTAGE OF REQUIRED VISITS MADE FOR CHILDREN IN CARE

COUNTY	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022
Area 10			
Arkansas	90.4%	91.9%	98.8%
Ashley	95.8%	84.6%	94.8%
Chicot	90.4%	82.1%	91.8%
Desha	97.4%	86.2%	100.0%
Drew	100.0%	94.8%	100.0%
Lee	97.3%	98.0%	100.0%
Monroe	98.9%	98.2%	100.0%
Phillips	94.7%	97.2%	98.4%
St. Francis	90.0%	95.5%	94.3%
Total	93.7%	92.3%	96.7%
TOTAL	85.2%	77.3%	75.1%