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Purpose and Organization of the Performance Report

PURPOSE

Performance Reports are produced semi-annually by the Quality Assurance vendor for the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services. This report uses FACSIS data¹ to explore adoption trends and to assess the performance of Ohio and its 88 public children's services agencies (PCSAs) that are responsible for the care of children in public custody. Individual county reports are also produced twice per year.

ORGANIZATION

This Performance Report contains the following sections.

- 1) **Statewide Data Highlights** provides an overview of the achievements in Ohio and the challenges in achieving permanency for the children in permanent custody.
- 2) **Children Available for Adoption** describes the children entering permanent custody during the years discussed in this report and the children waiting and placed for adoption at the start of the federal fiscal years.
- 3) **Outcomes for Children in Permanent Custody** looks at five measures of progress:
 - a) total adoptions;
 - b) outcomes achieved by the end of the year;
 - c) rates of success;
 - d) rates of adoption; and
 - e) the federal adoption measure.
- 4) The next chapter contains **Recommendations** for consideration by ODJFS.
- 5) **Table Features** describes the contents of the **Data Tables**.
- 6) Lastly is a list of **Definitions** of terms used in the data tables which may need additional explanation.

¹ FACSIS download as of 10/27/05.

Statewide Data Highlights

ACHIEVEMENTS

Statewide there were 1,989 adoptions in FFY 2005. While this is 133 fewer than the previous year, still the proportion of available children at the start of the 2005 to all adoptions achieved by the end of the year remained at 53 percent as in 2004. The lower number of adoptions is attributable to a 12 percent drop in the number of children entering permanent custody during the year and a six percent drop in the number of children available for adoption at the start of the year (from 3,985 in 2004 to 3,732 in 2005).

While the adoption rate remained the same, there were different outcomes for the subpopulations of children considered harder to place for adoption: older children, African American children and those in care the longest. A small improvement was seen in the rate of adoption for older children (ages 10-20). The FFY 2004 rate for these children was 25 percent; in the most recent FFY that rate rose to 26.5 percent. In FFY 2005, African American children were adopted at the same rate as in the prior year (45%). Improvement in adoption rates for children in care more than two years was not seen. The rates dropped from 40 percent in 2004 to 39 percent in FFY 2005.

According to the October FACSIS download upon which the data are based, Ohio has nearly achieved its Program Improvement Plan (PIP) goal for adoption. Of all adopted children in FFY 2005, 30.9 percent were adopted within two years of initial custody. The PIP calls for 31.1 percent while the federal standard is 32 percent.

Improvement is seen in both the front end of the adoption process, the time from initial custody to permanent custody, and the back end of it, the time from permanent custody to finalization. Between 2001 and 2004, it was taking longer to move children into permanent custody. In FFY 2005, nearly one in three adopted children (31.0%) moved from initial to permanent custody within one year, up from 29.5 percent in 2004, 30.7 percent in 2003 and 30.8 percent in 2002.

The second part of the process, permanent custody to finalization has been steadily improving each year since FFY 2001. In that year, 30.4 percent of the adopted children achieved adoption within a year of permanent custody. By FFY 2005, that proportion had risen to 47 percent.

CHALLENGES TO THE ACHIEVEMENT OF DESIRED OUTCOMES FOR OHIO'S CHILDREN

The desired outcome for the children in permanent custody is, of course, permanency with an adoptive family. This report examines not only the numbers of children who achieve adoption, but looks at the rates at which different subpopulations achieve it. Timeliness to adoption is explored as Ohio works to meet its PIP goals related to adoption. In working towards permanency for all of the state's children in public custody, Ohio is essentially working toward competing goals. On one hand, it is aiming to have nearly one in every three adoptions occur within two years of the child coming into care. On the other hand, many of the children in permanent custody are those who are harder to place for adoption and have therefore spent more time in care. In most cases, to do right by those that are harder to place, Ohio's public agencies are working against the federal adoption standard. Age, length of time in care and race are three of the characteristics which make permanency more challenging.

Of the 3,732 children available for adoption² at the start of FFY 2005:

² "Available children" includes children waiting for adoption and those in adoptive placement.

- Over half are older children (ages 10-20) and
- 2,723 of them (or nearly one in every four) have been in care longer than two years

These two factors alone add difficulty to the achievement of permanency. Compounding this challenge is that 1,650 of the available children (44%) are older *and* have been in care more than two years.

Race is another characteristic adding to the challenges in adoption work. Just over half of the children available for adoption at the beginning of FFY 2005 are African American. Because this is the case at a time when the proportion of children entering permanent custody who are African American is declining (43% in 2003, 42% in 2004 and 38% in 2005), it is clear that African American children are spending more time in care than would be expected given the trend among children coming into care. In fact, an examination of rates of adoption show that African American children are not moving through to adoption at the same rate as white children. Six hundred seventy of the 1,908 African American children available for adoption at the start of FFY 2005 were adopted (35%), compared to 744 of the 1,773 white children (42%). Adding to the challenge is that 53 percent of the African American children available for adoption also fall into the “older children” category.

The remainder of this report explores these issues in more depth. Trends among children entering permanent custody and trends among the available children are discussed in detail as are the outcomes for these children. Given the extreme variation in the size of the public children services agencies, CPOE county groupings are used to examine trends and performance, because these are often masked by looking only at the state level.

Children Available for Adoption

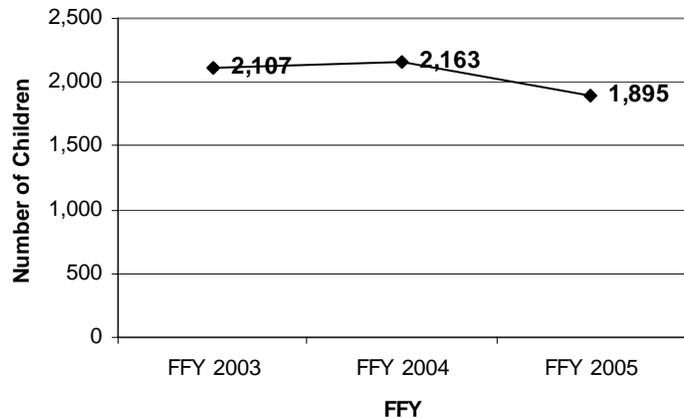
This chapter will look at the children available for adoption in Ohio. In this context, “available” means that the children are in permanent custody, have the goal of adoption and have not yet had their adoptions finalized. Recent trends will be discussed as well as the characteristics of the available children. The chapter is broken down into two parts: children *entering* permanent custody during a given year and children *in* permanent custody at the start of a given year.

CHILDREN ENTERING PERMANENT CUSTODY

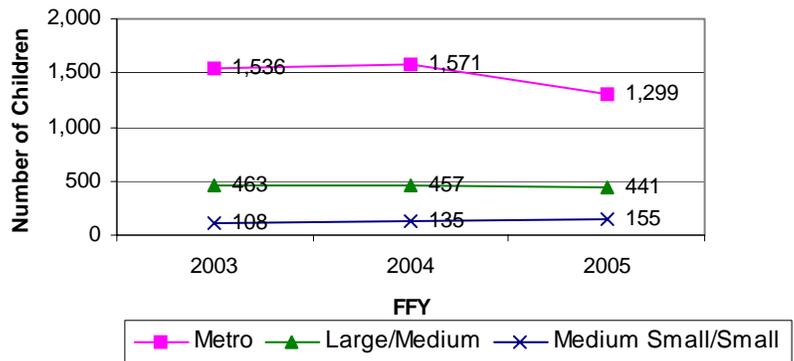
During FFY 2004, 2,163 children entered permanent custody (PC). In the most recent year, 268 fewer children came into PC. Together, the major metro and metro counties (as defined by CPOE) had 69 percent (or 1,299) of the children entering PC in FFY 2005. This is a decrease from the prior two years when this group of counties had 73 percent of the PC entries statewide. The three major metros alone account for one of every three children coming into permanent custody. Not surprisingly, the major metro counties, Cuyahoga, Franklin and Hamilton, have children with different characteristics than the other counties. Fifty-eight percent of the children in the major metro counties who entered PC in FFY 2005 are African American. This is the only group of counties for which over half of the children are African American. There are other counties, however, with more than half of the PC entries who are African American. These are:

- Mahoning 66.7%
- Montgomery 60.9%
- Huron 60.0%

Children Entering Permanent Custody, FFY 2003-2005



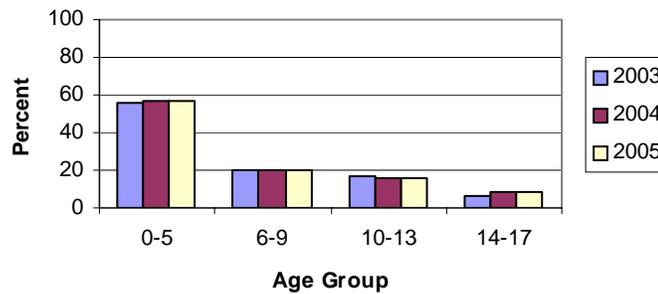
Children Entering Permanent Custody by County Size, FFY 2003-2005



The reason for noting this is that African American children are more difficult to place than white children. Age is another characteristic which adds difficulty to the adoption work of the PCSAs. Statewide, the proportion of younger children (ages 0-9) is holding steady, while there has been a slight shift among the

older age groups in the past two years. A smaller proportion of children ages ten to 13 are entering permanent custody. compared to FFY 2003. Conversely, a greater percentage of young people between age 14 and 17 are becoming available for adoption. The implications of this are significant because the latter group is the least likely to be adopted.

Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age Group, FFY 2003-2005



Interestingly, the challenge presented by age is not more of an issue for the largest counties (at least in terms of percentages). The proportion of older children (ages 10 to 17) is highest in the medium (34.1%) and the medium small counties (32.4%). This is significant because smaller agencies may have fewer resources available to them to work towards permanency for the older children.

Size	Percent
Major Metro	24.5
Metro	19.2
Large	22.9
Medium	34.1
Medium Small	32.4
Small	23.8

Tables 1, 2a, 2b, 2c, 3a, 3b and 3c provide breakdowns by county of the numbers and percentages of children entering PC.

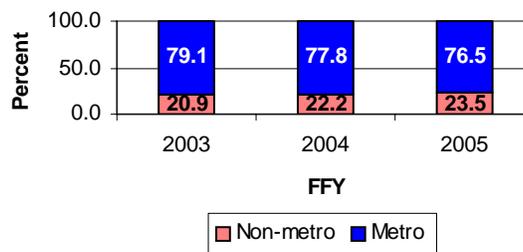
CHILDREN IN PERMANENT CUSTODY

Children Who Are Waiting for Adoption³

As with the number of children entering permanent custody in the past three years, there has also been a decline in the number of children waiting for adoption. These are children with the goal of adoption who are in PC and who are not yet in an adoptive placement. There were 2,831 children waiting at the start of FFY 2005. This is a seven percent decrease from FFY 2004. Together, the major metro and metro counties continue to have more than three-quarters of the

FFY	Number
2003	3,250
2004	3,032
2005	2,831

Proportion of All Waiting Children by County Size, FFY 2003-2005



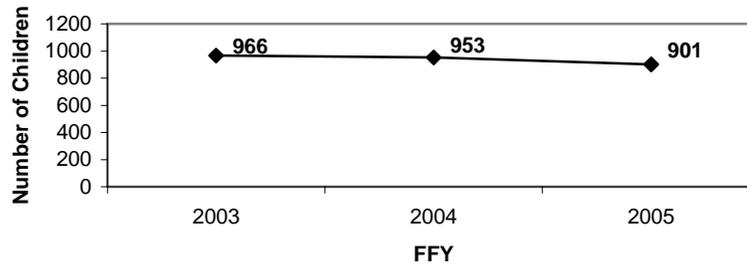
³ Does not include those in adoptive placement.

waiting children, yet this proportion is declining. In FFY 2003, these counties had 79.1 percent of the waiting children. By the start of FFY 2005, this proportion was down to 76.5 percent.

Children In Adoptive Placement

Given the downward trend in the number of children available for adoption, it is no surprise that the number of children in adoptive placements at the beginning of FFY 2005 is down by five percent from the previous year.

Children in Adoptive Placement at the Beginning of FFY 2003, 2004 and 2005



At the start of FFY 2005, over half of the children in adoptive placements were in the major metro counties (461 of the 901 placed children statewide).

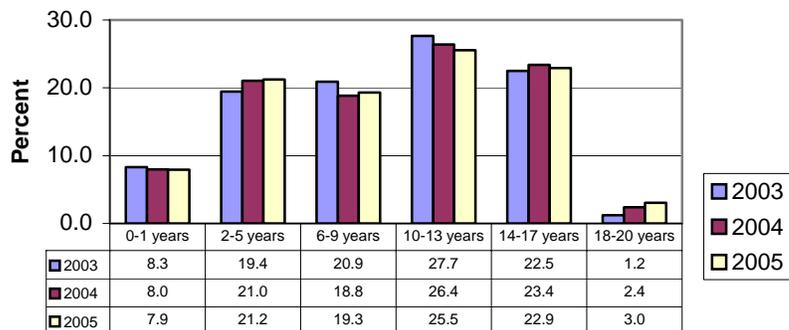
The numbers of children who are waiting and who are in adoptive placement are shown in Tables 4a, 4b and 4c. Together the waiting and placed children make up the children available for adoption.

Characteristics of the Children Available for Adoption in Ohio

So, who are the children who are available for adoption in Ohio?

Age. Over the past three years there have not been any significant changes in the age of the children available for adoption. The ten to 13 age group continues to comprise the greatest proportion of children (over a quarter), with the 14 to 17 year olds making up just under one-quarter of the population. Together the older children (ages 10 to 20) represent over half (between 51 and 52%) of all available children.

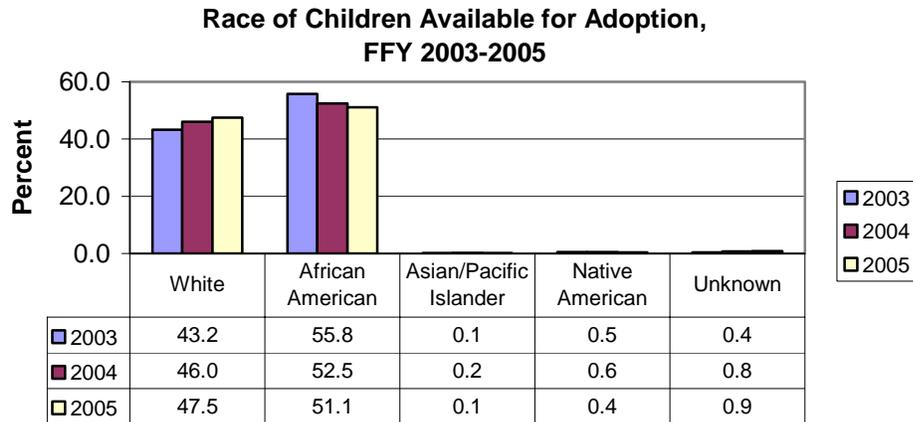
Age of Children Available for Adoption, FFY 2003-2005



Three of every four of the older children in PC is in the care of a major metro or metro county. In fact, Cuyahoga County alone has one-third of all the children in the age ten to 20 group.

Gender. Male children continue to be the majority of children in care - around 55 percent of the population.

Race. There has been a small shift in the racial composition among the group of available children. Since 2003, the proportion of children who are African American has declined (from 56% in 2003 to 53% in 2004 to 51% in 2005).



One thousand eight hundred-eleven of the 1,908 African American children (94%) in PC are in the care of the major metro and metro counties. Again, Cuyahoga County has the largest number of these children (993 or 52% of all the African American children statewide). Hamilton County (175 children) and Franklin County (154 children) have the next largest numbers of African American children in PC.

In addition to age and race, length of time in care impacts adoption work. Two different timeframes are important: time since initial custody and time in permanent custody. Time since initial custody is measured from the initial custody date to the start of the FFY; time in PC is measured from the date of permanent custody to the start of the FFY.

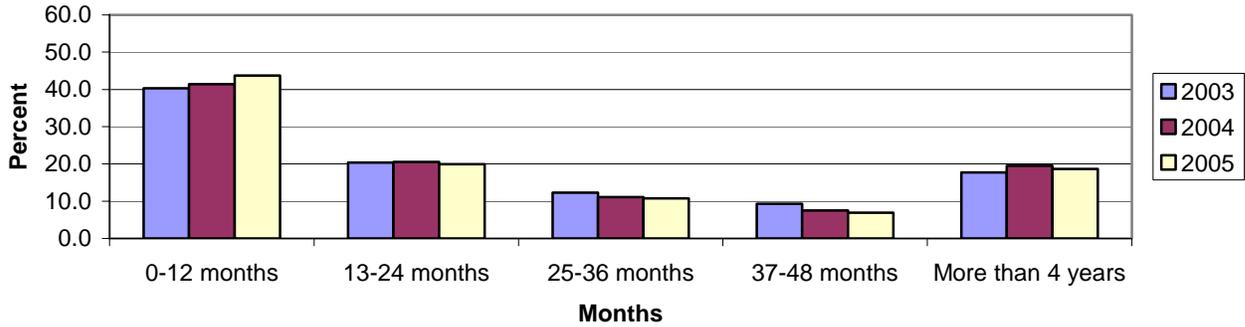
Time Since Initial Custody. At the start of FFY 2005, there were 2,723 children for whom more than two years had elapsed since initial custody. Eighty percent of those are in the major metro and metro counties.

Statewide, just one in four available children had spent under two years in care (i.e., since initial custody). As mentioned in the previous chapter, this has implications for trying to meet the federal adoption measure while doing the best for the children in care.

Time Elapsed Since Initial Custody for Children Available for Adoption, FFY 2003-2005			
Time	2003	2004	2005
0-12 months	6.1	5.8	6.8
13-24 months	19.8	20.5	20.2
25-36 months	20.8	23.0	22.6
37-48 months	16.9	14.8	16.1
More than 4 years	36.4	35.9	34.3

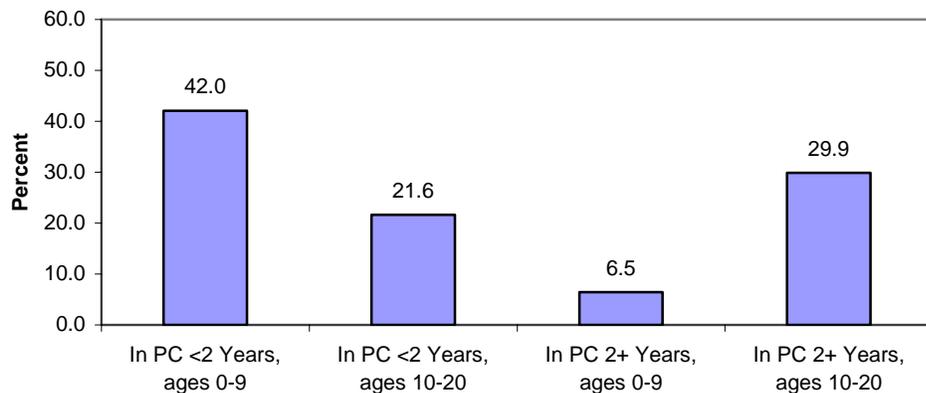
Time in Permanent Custody. The proportion of children who have been in PC two years or less is increasing (61% at the start of FFY 2003, 62% in 2004 and 64% in 2005). While this is a positive trend, of particular concern is that one-quarter of all available children have been in PC more than three years.

Time in Permanent Custody at the Start of FFY 2003, 2004 and 2005



Looking at age and time in PC together provides another example of the difficulty in meeting the permanency needs of the children in care and the federal adoption standard at the same time. As shown below, 30 percent of the children in PC have been in PC more than two years and are ages ten to 20. The implications of this are the subject of the next chapter.

Comparison of Length of Time in Permanent Custody by Age Group, FFY 2005



Tables 5a, 5b and 5c show the characteristics of the children available for adoption discussed in this section. The data presented by county are shown in Tables 7c, 8c and 9c.

Special Need. Tables 6a, 6b and 6c in the Data Tables section of this report show the characteristics and progress of children with special needs. Among the children available for adoption in FFY 2005:

- 40% of those with a physical special need are age ten or older, and
- 2 of every 3 children with a mental or emotional health need are between the ages of 10 and 20.

The “Special Needs” section of Tables 6a, 6b and 6c show the needs among the group of children for whom it has been determined that “the child cannot be placed with appropriate adoptive parents without the provision of Adoption Assistance because of a specific factor or condition relating to the child”⁴.

⁴ Micro-FACSIS Usage Document, Ohio Department of Job and Family Service, Office of Children and Family Services, updated May 2001.

These data show that in FFY 2005, more than one-third of those for whom Adoption Assistance is necessary have one or more needs. One in five is considered special need due to age and one in five are considered special need due to being a minority child.

Special Needs Among Children for whom Adoption Assistance is Determined to be Necessary	
Special Need	Percent
Age	20%
Minority	20%
Ethnic	7%
Siblings	18%
One or more needs	35%

Outcomes for Children in Permanent Custody

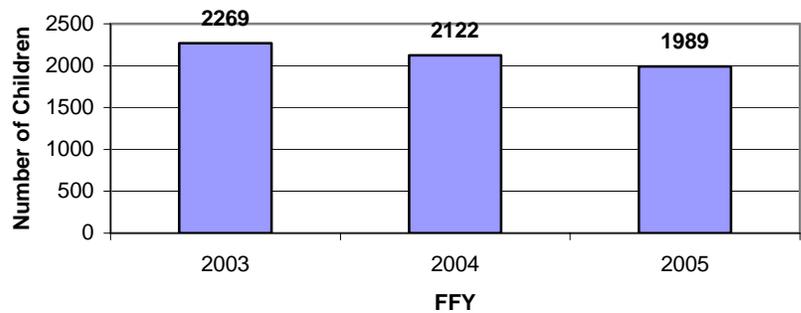
This chapter focuses on what happens to the children who are available for adoption through the lens of five measures of adoption performance:

- Total adoptions,
- Outcomes achieved by the end of the year,
- Rates of success,
- Rates of adoption and
- The federal adoption measure.

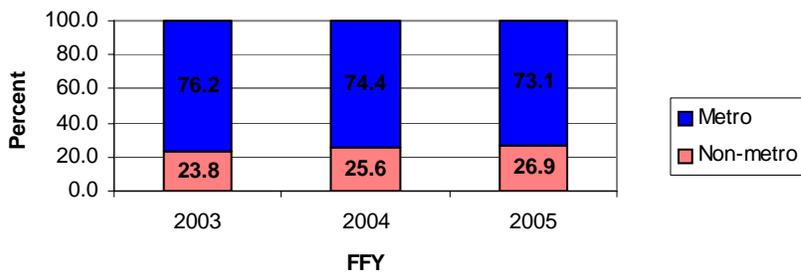
TOTAL ADOPTIONS

In FFY 2005, there were 1,989 adoptions, a six percent decrease from the previous year. While this decrease might initially cause alarm, it happens at the same time that there was a similar decline (6.6%) in the number of children waiting for adoption at the start of those years and a 12 percent decrease in the number of children who entered permanent custody during those years.

Total Number of Adoptions, FFY 2003-2005



Proportion of Total Adoptions by County Size, FFY 2003-2005



The majority of adoptions occur within the major metro and metro counties. Together they achieve around three in every four adoptions. Cuyahoga alone accounts for one in four adoptions statewide (521 of 1,989 adoptions). Franklin County had the second largest number of adoptions (282) and Lucas County had the third most, with 141.

OUTCOMES ACHIEVED BY THE END OF THE YEAR

Besides a straightforward count of adoptions, another way to measure progress in adoptions is to consider the children who are available for adoption at the start of a given year and ask, "What is the status of those same children at the end of that same year?"

Still Waiting at the End of the Year. Of the 3,732 children available for adoption (again, this includes waiting children and those in adoptive placements) at the start of FFY 2005, 1,666, or 45 percent, were still waiting for adoption at the end of the year.

So, what do the children who were still waiting at the end of FFY 2005 look like (Table 5c)?

Age

- One in five of the children (19%) are ages birth to five;
- Another 20% are between the ages of six and nine; and
- 61% are age ten or older.

Gender

- 58% are male and 42% are female.

Race

- More than half (55%) are African American.

Time in Permanent Custody

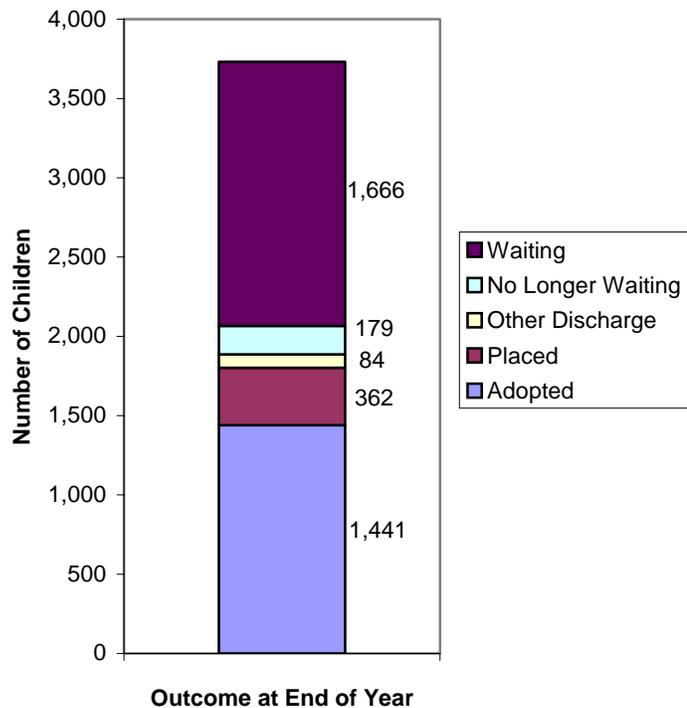
- 60% have been in PC two years or less;
- 21% have been in PC between 25 and 48 months; and
- 18% have spent more than four years in PC.

Placed. One in ten children available at the beginning of FFY 2005 was in an adoptive placement at the end of the year. Seventy-one percent were in the older age category (ages 10 to 20). The placed children are similar in proportion to the waiting children in terms of race, 53 percent are African American, but very different in terms of time in permanent custody. Over half (52%) had been in PC more than four years (Table 5c).

Adopted. Thirty-nine percent, or 1,441 of the children either waiting or placed at the beginning of the most recent federal fiscal year were adopted by the end of it (Table 5c). As expected, the characteristics of the group of children who were adopted by the end of the year differ from the group initially waiting and placed.

- 48% of those available for adoption at the start of the FFY 2005 were under the age of ten; conversely, 72% of the population of children adopted by the end of the year was under age ten.

Outcomes for Children Available for Adoption at the Start of FFY 2005



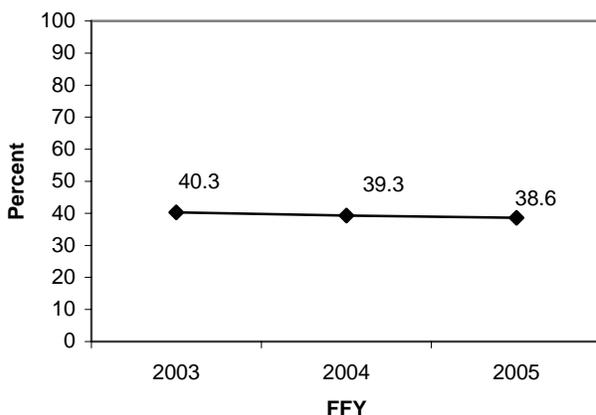
- African American children are 46% of the children adopted by the end of FFY 2005, whereas they comprised just over half (51%) of those waiting or placed at the beginning of the year.
- When compared with the children waiting and placed at the start of the year, 36% of whom had been in PC more than two years, the group of adopted children in PC for that length of time comprised just 18% of all the children adopted by the end of the year.

Tables 10a, 10b and 10c show who is adopting the available children. Just over half of the adoptions in FFY 2005 were by families who provided foster care to the child prior to adoption (not counting relative foster families). The next largest group of adoptions (36%) can be categorized as “stranger adoptions,” meaning that the adoptive parents are not related to the child and did not provide foster care to the child. The remaining 22 percent of adoptions were by relatives, some of whom provided foster care and some of whom did not. There are differences among the various county size groups. Foster parent adoptions are the most common among the largest counties, while stranger adoptions are most common in the smaller counties.

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster/Kinship		No Relationship		Total Adoptions
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Major Metro	454	50.8	98	11.0	94	10.5	248	27.7	894
Metro	345	61.6	18	3.2	5	0.9	192	34.3	560
Large	144	61.8	5	2.1	1	0.4	83	35.6	233
Medium	61	32.4	12	6.4	0	0.0	115	61.2	188
Medium Small	21	38.9	2	3.7	0	0.0	31	57.4	54
Small	12	20.0	1	1.7	0	0.0	47	78.3	60

Other outcomes. In addition to adopted, placed and still waiting, a child can have some other discharge from care or could be no longer waiting. Eighty-four of the 3,732 children available at the start of FFY 2005 could be categorized as “other discharge,” meaning their custody was terminated for some other reason besides adoption. They may have been returned home, aged out of foster care or discharged to independent living. Eighty-one of the 84 children in this category were age 14 or older. Sixty-one of the children had been in care more than four years.

Rate of Success, FFY 2003-2005



Five percent of the available children (179 of 3,732) fall into the “no longer waiting” category. These are children who are no longer in PC or whose goal is no longer adoption. One hundred fifty-six of the children were age ten or older, 103 or 56 percent are African American and over half (55%) had spent more than four years in care.

RATES OF SUCCESS

The “rate of success” measurement was introduced in the Performance Reports produced in the first half of FFY 2005. The rate of success

essentially takes all of the waiting and placed children at the start of a year and asks, “What proportion of those children was adopted by the end of the year?” For FFY 2005, the rate of success for Ohio is 38.6 percent, down slightly from the previous two years. Rather interestingly, it is the small counties as a

group that have the lowest success rate (34.2%). The medium small counties perform best on this measure with 46.1 percent of all the waiting and placed children at the start of FFY 2005 adopted by the end of the year.

Franklin County shows a higher rate of success (65.7%) than the other major metro and metro counties. Among this same grouping, Trumbull County has the second highest rate (58.9%). Tables 4a, 4b and 4c show the rates of success for the last three federal fiscal years by county.

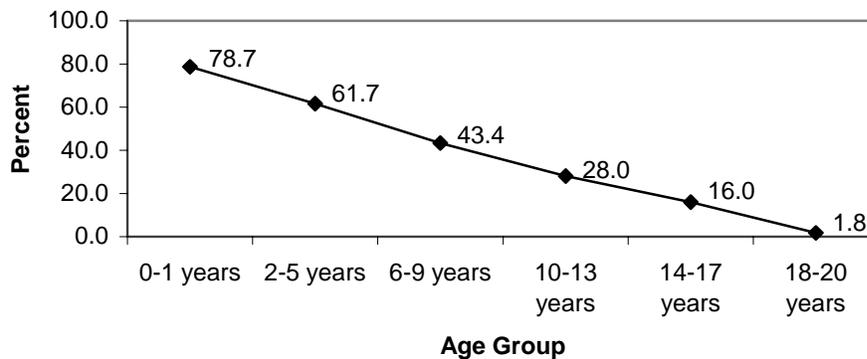
Rates of success are particularly interesting when applied to subpopulations of children, specifically older children, those who have been in care the longest and African American children.

The state's rate of success for older children has been between 21 and 23 percent in the last three federal fiscal years. Aside from the small counties' rates declining, there are no real trends up or down on the rates of success for children ages ten to 20. Tables 7a, 7b and 7c show the rates for each county.

	2003	2004	2005
Major Metro	24.5	22.6	23.4
Metro	20.3	21.5	17.7
Large	26.7	23.3	23.9
Medium	17.2	16.1	20.0
Medium Small	20.3	20.0	22.2
Small	21.8	17.0	12.7

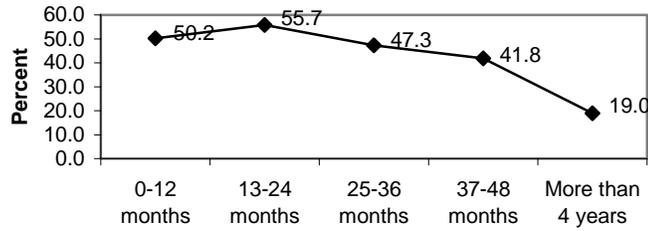
More telling than looking at the rates across the various county sizes is to break the population of children into age groups and compare rates of success. The line graph below shows the impact of age on adoptions. There is no question that younger children clearly have a better chance at adoption.

Rates of Success by Age Group, FFY 2005

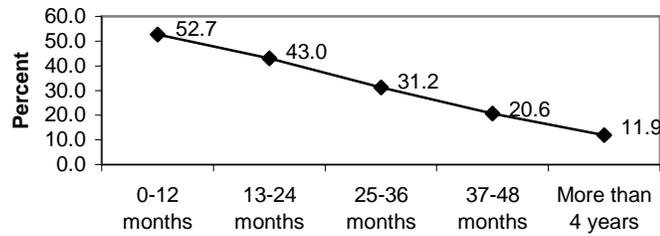


A similar trend is seen when the length of time children have been in custody (i.e., time since initial custody and time in PC) is examined. As the two charts below show, the longer a child is in care the less likely he or she is to be adopted.

Rates of Success by Length of Time Since Initial Custody, FFY 2005

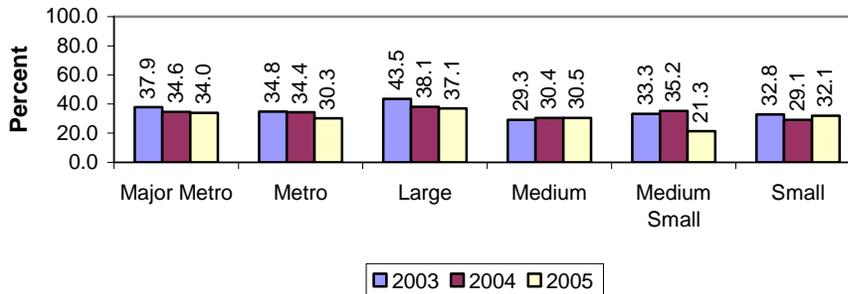


Rates of Success by Length of Time in Permanent Custody, FFY 2005



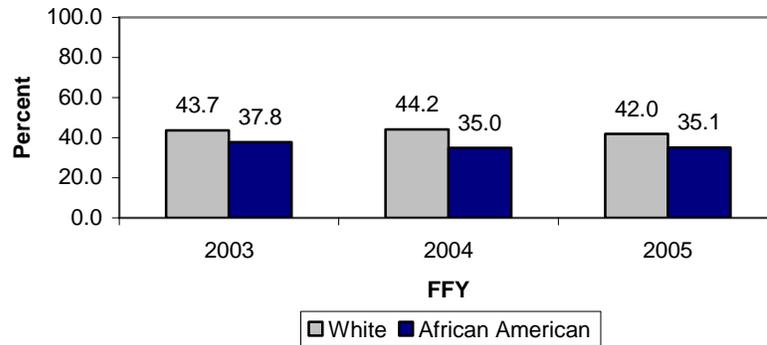
The statewide rate of success for children for whom two years have elapsed since initial custody is 32.8 in FFY 2005, down from the prior two years (37.0 in 2003 and 34.4 in 2004). In general, the larger counties seem to do a better job at getting children adopted who have been in custody more than two years. (See Tables 9a, 9b and 9c.)

Rates of Success by County Size for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, FFY 2003-2005



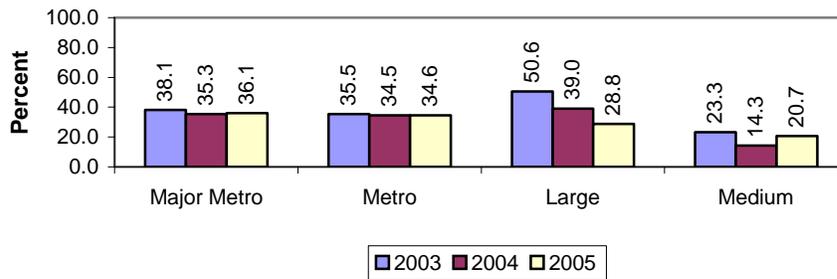
Ohio's rate of success for the population of African American children available at the beginning of FFY 2005 was 35 percent, for white children the rate was 42 percent.

Rates of Success for White and African American Children, FFY 2003-2005



The rates of success for African American children are consistent across the last three years for the major metro counties and metro counties. There has been a consistent decrease in the rates for African American children in the large county group.⁵

Rates of Success by County Size for African American Children, FFY 2003-2005

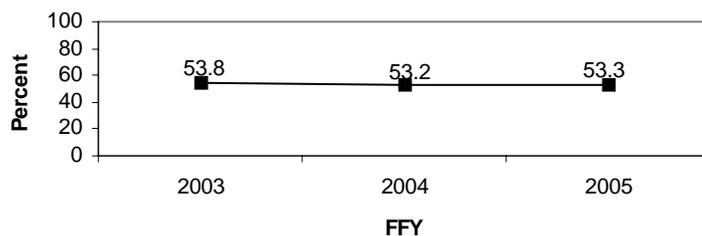


See Tables 8a, 8b and 8c for the rates by county.

RATES OF ADOPTION

A different way to look at adoption progress is with “rates of adoption.” These are different from rates of success in that they include not only children waiting or placed at the start of the year who were adopted during the year, but also *include those children adopted who entered PC that same year*. The rate of adoption is calculated in the following way: total number of adoptions divided by the sum of those waiting and placed at the beginning of the year.

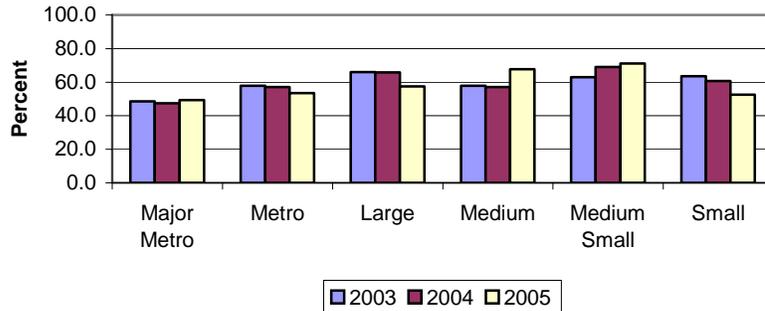
Rates of Adoption, FFY 2003-2005



⁵ The rates of success for African American children for the two smallest county size groups are not discussed here because of the small numbers of African American children available in those counties.

The rates of adoption are holding fairly steady for the state as a whole, between 53 and 54 percent in the last three years. Because the statewide rates are driven in large part by the rates in the major metro county group, their consistency is masking the changes among the various sized counties. The rates for the metro, large and small counties are declining steadily.

Rates of Adoption by County Size, FFY 2003-2005



Besides using the rate of adoption as a straight measure of performance it can also be used to predict the number of adoptions to expect in future years.

For example:

There were 3,732 children available for adoption at the start of FFY 2005. If this number is multiplied by the FFY 2004 rate of adoption (53.2%), the result is 1,985 – just four adoptions under the actual number for FFY 2005.

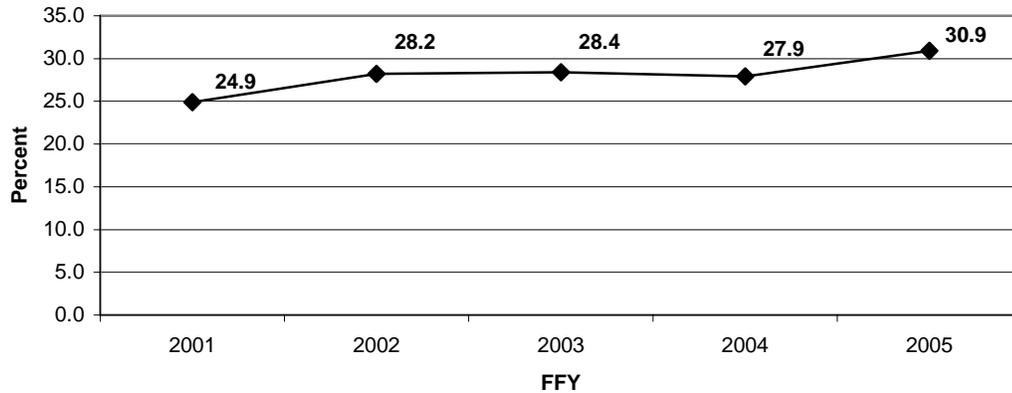
Using this methodology it is expected that there will be 1,815 adoptions statewide in FFY 2006. This is based on 3,405 children available at the start of FFY 2006 and the FFY 2005 rate of adoption (53.3%).

The rates of adoption for the state, county size groups and each county are shown in Tables 4a, 4b and 4c.

THE FEDERAL ADOPTION MEASURE

In an effort to work towards meeting the federal adoption standard (32%), Ohio’s PIP goal calls for 31.1 percent of all adoptions to be finalized within two years of initial custody. The October FACSIS download used for this report places the state at 30.9 percent for FFY 2005. This means that 615 adoptions were finalized within two years.

**Percent of Adopted Children
Adopted within Two Years of Initial Custody, FFY 2001-2005**



Using the number of adoptions expected to be finalized in FFY 2006 (1,815 adoptions), 564 of the adoptions would need to be finalized within 24 months of initial custody to meet the PIP goal and 581 to meet the federal standard. If the number of adoptions holds steady at 1,989 rather than declining, Ohio would need to accomplish 619 adoptions within the federal time frame to meet the PIP goal (or 636 to meet the federal standard).

The major metro, metro and medium small counties improved their performance on the measure from FFY 2004 to 2005.

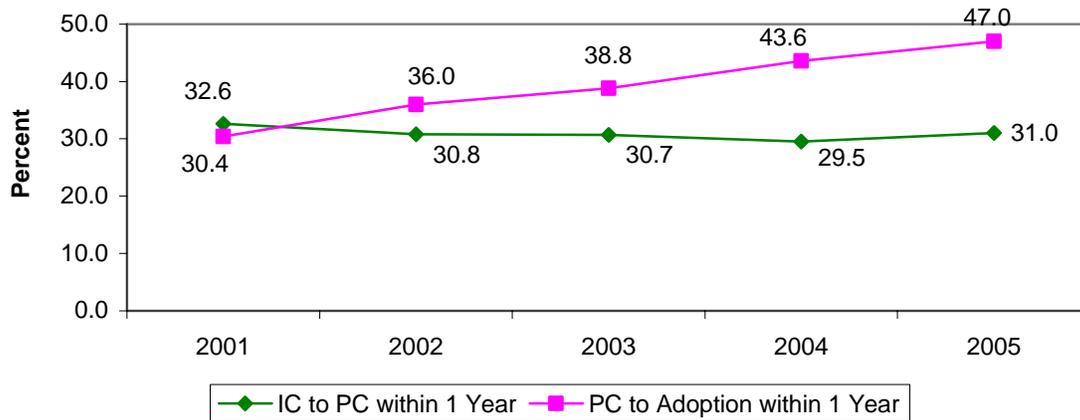
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Major Metro	21.7	19.0	23.1	24.8	25.7
Metro	25.7	32.5	29.1	27.2	36.1
Large	26.5	37.5	39.1	28.1	27.9
Medium	33.6	46.6	35.3	40.8	38.8
Medium Small	25.5	50.0	47.6	34.5	40.7
Small	41.0	34.8	35.7	43.1	36.7
Ohio	24.9	28.2	28.4	27.9	30.9

One way to identify where improvements in timeliness have occurred and where they need to be made is to consider the adoption process in two steps:

1. Initial custody to permanent custody (Table 12) and
2. Permanent custody to adoption (Table 13).

After three years of a decline in the percentage of children entering PC within a year of coming into care, FFY 2005 saw an increase. Thirty-one percent entered PC in one year, the highest proportion since 2001.

**Percent of Adopted Children Entering Permanent Custody
Within One Year of Initial Custody and
Percent of Adopted within One Year of Permanent Custody,
FFY 2001-2005**



Efforts to finalize adoptions in a timely way once permanent custody is achieved continue to show improvement. In FFY 2005, nearly half of the adopted children (47%) had finalized adoptions within 12 months of their entry into permanent custody.

Recommendations

Given that Ohio is very close to meeting its PIP goal on the percentage of adoptions completed within two years, the recommendations presented are for ODJFS to work with specific public children services agencies in order to achieve the goal.

RECOMMENDATION: Shift the technical assistance resources for the federal adoption standard, the majority of which have been geared toward the Cuyahoga and Franklin counties, to Hamilton County and specific metro and large counties.

RATIONALE: Even with the resources focused on Cuyahoga County, Cuyahoga has maintained the same level of performance on the federal adoption standard over the past three years. This is exemplified by the fact that, of the children available at the beginning of FFY 2005 in Cuyahoga, 446 were adopted by the end of the year – and, 320 of those adopted children had been in care (since initial custody) more than two years.

Franklin County has made great strides in improvement on the 32 percent standard. The agency began with 14.1 percent in FFY 2001 on the adoption standard and has improved each year. In FFY 2005, the agency achieved 30.9 percent of its adoptions within two years of initial custody.

Hamilton County Job and Family Services. The assistance to Hamilton County should be focused on efforts to increase the time it takes to move children from permanent custody to finalized adoption. Among the three major metro counties, Hamilton has the lowest percentage of adoptions finalized within one year of permanent custody (34%). Improvement on the back end of the adoption process should improve the agency’s overall performance.

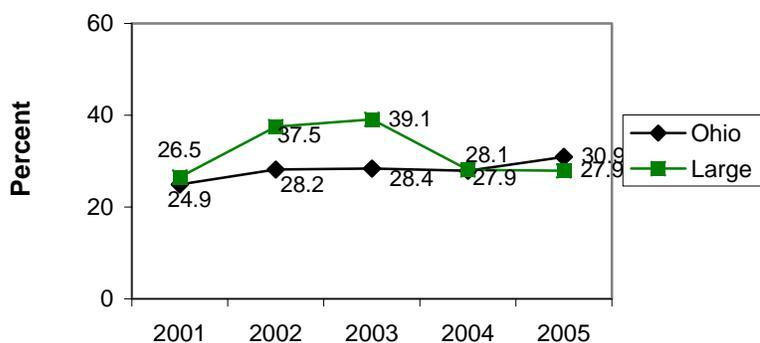
Metro Counties. The metro counties together had 36.1 percent of their adoptions in FFY 2005 completed within two years of initial custody. While that is far above the major metro counties (25.7%), the performance of the metro counties as a group is driven by the outstanding performance of a few agencies in FFY 2005. These agencies are: Lorain (66.7%); Lucas (44.0%) and Trumbull (41%). Montgomery (39.0%) and Butler (36.7%) also exceeded the federal adoption standard in FFY 2005. Neither had accomplished this in the previous four years. The table below lists those metro agencies to which ODJFS should consider providing technical assistance on the 32 percent standard. The goal of the assistance and reason for it are listed in the table. The last two columns indicate where attention should be focused: 1) increasing timeliness from initial custody to the achievement of permanent custody; 2) increasing timeliness from permanent custody to adoption; or 3) both. An “X” in these columns indicates that the county fell below the metro county average in FFY 2005 on the initial custody to PC measure and on the PC to adoption measure.

Metro Counties Recommended to Receive Technical Assistance from ODJFS				
County (FFY 2005 % of Adoptions within 2 Years)	Goal	Reason	Focus	
			IC to PC	PC to Adoption
Butler (36.7%)	Maintain FFY 2005 level	Had not previously exceeded 17%	X	X
Lake (0.0%)	Improve performance/meet standard	No adoptions within two years in FFY 2005; inconsistent performance in the last five years	X	X

Metro Counties Recommended to Receive Technical Assistance from ODJFS				
County (FFY 2005 % of Adoptions within 2 Years)	Goal	Reason	Focus	
			IC to PC	PC to Adoption
Mahoning (5.3%)	Improve performance/meet standard	Has not exceeded 20% in the last five years	X	
Montgomery (39.0%)	Maintain FFY 2005 level	Met standard in FFY 2005 for first time since FFY 2001	X	
Stark (25.5%)	Improve performance/meet standard	Has not met the standard since FFY 2001		X
Summit 30.6%	Improve performance/meet standard	Has not met the standard in the last five years	X	X

Large counties. As the graph below shows, performance on the federal adoption standard among the large counties as a group has declined over the past three years and fell below the state average in FFY 2005 (27.9%).

**Percent of Adopted Children Adopted Within Two Years of Initial Custody:
Ohio and the Large Counties, FFY 2001-2005**



The goal of the technical assistance to the large counties is to increase the overall performance of this group. They went from 39.1 percent in FFY 2003 to 28.1 percent in 2004 to 27.9 percent in the most recent year. It is suggested that ODJFS work with the four counties listed in the following table.

Large Counties Recommended to Receive Technical Assistance from ODFJS				
County (FFY 2005 % of Adoptions within 2 Years)	Goal	Reason	Focus	
			IC to PC	PC for Adoption
Columbiana 0.0%	Improve performance/meet standard	Since the start of FFY 2001, only one of the 31 children adopted was adopted within 24 months of initial custody.	X	X
Greene 14.3%	Improve performance/meet standard	Has not met the standard in any of the past three years. Since the start of FFY 2003, only three of the 32 children adopted in the county were adopted within 24 months of initial custody.		X
Licking 15.7%	Improve performance/meet standard	Has not met the 32 percent standard in the past five years		X

Large Counties Recommended to Receive Technical Assistance from ODFJS				
County (FFY 2005 % of Adoptions within 2 Years)	Goal	Reason	Focus	
			IC to PC	PC for Adoption
Portage 26.3%	Improve performance/meet standard	Portage County achieved 26 percent of its adoptions within 24 months of initial custody, its highest percentage since the start of FFY 2001, but still shy of the national standard.	X	X

Table Features

With each version of the Performance Report, new features are added to make the information more useful and more meaningful. For this report, the most obvious change is that PCSAs are now grouped according to the same classifications as are used in the CPOE reports. Instead of just two categories, the largest eight PCSAs and the remaining 80, there are now six categories, so that agencies can compare their performance to other similar counties more easily. In addition, all footnotes have been eliminated and the report includes a set of definitions at the end which explain the key terms used in the tables. The remainder of this introductory section describes each of the tables and explains the new features which are specific to each table.

Tables 1 through 3c show the number and characteristics of the children entering permanent custody during each of the last three federal fiscal years, i.e., FFY 2003, FFY 2004 and FFY 2005. These are not all the children waiting for adoption, just those who became eligible for adoption during the period by entering permanent custody.

Tables 4a through 4c keep the two new measures introduced in the last version of the Performance Report: the rate of success and the rate of adoption. For those still unfamiliar with the meaning of those measures, the Report Definitions section describes how they are calculated.

Tables 5a through 6c show the number of waiting and placed children with different characteristics, as well as the status of those children at the end of the year. Only children who were waiting or placed for adoption at the start of the year are included in the tables.

Tables 7a through 9c focus on the children who are most difficult to place, showing the rates of success and adoption for each group of these children. Tables 7a through 7c highlight children ten years of age and older; tables 8a through 8c show African American children; and tables 9a through 9c display children for whom more than two years have elapsed since initial custody.

Tables 10a through 10c show the characteristics of all children adopted during the year by the type of adoptive parent. This information is intended to allow counties to determine whether foster adoptive parents, kinship adoptive parents or unrelated adoptive parents are most likely to adopt children with each of the relevant characteristics.

Tables 11 through 13 focus on the federal adoption outcome measure. Table 11 shows the percentage of adoptions in each county which are completed within 24 months of initial custody. The federal standard for that measure is 32 percent, so counties at or above that figure are meeting the federal standard and counties below it are not. Table 12 shows the percentage of adopted children who achieved permanent custody within one year of initial custody. Reaching permanent custody within that time period makes it more likely that a child will be adopted within the two year guideline. Table 13 shows the other half of the process, i.e., the percentage of adopted children who are adopted within one year of permanent custody. Like the measure in Table 12, this is not a federal guideline, but if a child reaches permanent custody within one year of initial custody and is adopted within one year of permanent custody, he or she will obviously meet the federal guideline. By comparing their results on Tables 12 and 13, PCSAs can determine which, if either, of the processes needs to be improved to meet the federal standard.

Table 1: Children Entering Permanent Custody by County and Fiscal Year

	FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Ohio	2,107	100.0	2,163	100.0	1,895	100.0
Major Metro Counties	1,002	47.6	913	42.2	728	38.4
Cuyahoga	684	32.5	553	25.6	375	19.8
Franklin	200	9.5	250	11.6	217	11.5
Hamilton	118	5.6	110	5.1	136	7.2
Metro Counties	534	25.3	658	30.4	571	30.1
Butler	32	1.5	57	2.6	53	2.8
Lake	6	0.3	13	0.6	13	0.7
Lorain	41	1.9	23	1.1	25	1.3
Lucas	143	6.8	165	7.6	114	6.0
Mahoning	10	0.5	28	1.3	12	0.6
Montgomery	106	5.0	110	5.1	128	6.8
Stark	99	4.7	119	5.5	79	4.2
Summit	76	3.6	104	4.8	92	4.9
Trumbull	21	1.0	39	1.8	55	2.9
Large Counties	265	12.6	279	12.9	271	14.3
Allen	12	0.6	10	0.5	10	0.5
Ashtabula	28	1.3	16	0.7	22	1.2
Clark	42	2.0	21	1.0	13	0.7
Clermont	19	0.9	49	2.3	41	2.2
Columbiana	2	0.1	11	0.5	16	0.8
Delaware	1	0.0	10	0.5	9	0.5
Fairfield	26	1.2	26	1.2	32	1.7
Greene	7	0.3	14	0.6	12	0.6
Licking	35	1.7	42	1.9	52	2.7
Medina	7	0.3	5	0.2	4	0.2
Portage	21	1.0	33	1.5	12	0.6
Richland	39	1.9	13	0.6	29	1.5
Warren	10	0.5	11	0.5	12	0.6
Wayne	12	0.6	13	0.6	3	0.2
Wood	4	0.2	5	0.2	4	0.2

Table 1: Children Entering Permanent Custody by County and Fiscal Year

	FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Medium Counties	198	9.4	178	8.2	170	9.0
Ashland	6	0.3	3	0.1	10	0.5
Athens	27	1.3	24	1.1	15	0.8
Belmont	14	0.7	13	0.6	12	0.6
Darke	4	0.2	4	0.2	4	0.2
Erie	5	0.2	2	0.1	6	0.3
Geauga	18	0.9	8	0.4	6	0.3
Hancock	8	0.4	11	0.5	11	0.6
Huron	5	0.2	2	0.1	5	0.3
Jefferson	24	1.1	1	0.0	10	0.5
Knox	4	0.2	1	0.0	1	0.1
Lawrence	13	0.6	13	0.6	2	0.1
Marion	1	0.0	7	0.3	4	0.2
Miami	8	0.4	7	0.3	18	0.9
Muskingum	17	0.8	26	1.2	24	1.3
Pickaway	0	0.0	6	0.3	4	0.2
Ross	2	0.1	23	1.1	4	0.2
Sandusky	12	0.6	3	0.1	5	0.3
Scioto	5	0.2	2	0.1	6	0.3
Seneca	8	0.4	7	0.3	5	0.3
Tuscarawas	12	0.6	11	0.5	16	0.8
Washington	5	0.2	4	0.2	2	0.1
Medium Small Counties	53	2.5	53	2.5	71	3.7
Auglaize	1	0.0	5	0.2	1	0.1
Brown	1	0.0	2	0.1	5	0.3
Clinton	8	0.4	11	0.5	13	0.7
Crawford	5	0.2	5	0.2	6	0.3
Fulton	1	0.0	2	0.1	0	0.0
Guernsey	7	0.3	4	0.2	8	0.4
Highland	1	0.0	4	0.2	6	0.3
Logan	7	0.3	3	0.1	3	0.2
Madison	2	0.1	5	0.2	3	0.2
Mercer	6	0.3	4	0.2	0	0.0
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preble	2	0.1	5	0.2	8	0.4
Shelby	7	0.3	1	0.0	6	0.3
Union	5	0.2	2	0.1	12	0.6

Table 1: Children Entering Permanent Custody by County and Fiscal Year

	FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Small Counties	55	2.6	82	3.8	84	4.4
Adams	6	0.3	5	0.2	0	0.0
Carroll	4	0.2	4	0.2	4	0.2
Champaign	3	0.1	4	0.2	11	0.6
Coshocton	4	0.2	4	0.2	1	0.1
Defiance	2	0.1	6	0.3	1	0.1
Fayette	2	0.1	4	0.2	3	0.2
Gallia	2	0.1	4	0.2	9	0.5
Hardin	5	0.2	19	0.9	5	0.3
Harrison	1	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.1
Henry	2	0.1	2	0.1	3	0.2
Hocking	9	0.4	5	0.2	13	0.7
Holmes	0	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.1
Jackson	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.1
Meigs	1	0.0	3	0.1	1	0.1
Monroe	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.1
Morgan	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Morrow	2	0.1	1	0.0	0	0.0
Noble	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.1
Paulding	2	0.1	3	0.1	0	0.0
Perry	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	0.5
Pike	1	0.0	8	0.4	1	0.1
Putnam	1	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Van Wert	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1
Williams	3	0.1	2	0.1	3	0.2
Wyandot	4	0.2	3	0.1	10	0.5

Table 2a: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2003

	White		African American		Other Races		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,169	55.5	896	42.5	42	2.0	2,107
Major Metro Counties	349	34.8	639	63.8	14	1.4	1,002
Cuyahoga	178	26.0	494	72.2	12	1.8	684
Franklin	123	61.5	75	37.5	2	1.0	200
Hamilton	48	40.7	70	59.3	0	0.0	118
Metro Counties	301	56.4	210	39.3	23	4.3	534
Butler	25	78.1	7	21.9	0	0.0	32
Lake	4	66.7	2	33.3	0	0.0	6
Lorain	18	43.9	14	34.1	9	22.0	41
Lucas	68	47.6	64	44.8	11	7.7	143
Mahoning	4	40.0	6	60.0	0	0.0	10
Montgomery	44	41.5	60	56.6	2	1.9	106
Stark	73	73.7	25	25.3	1	1.0	99
Summit	46	60.5	30	39.5	0	0.0	76
Trumbull	19	90.5	2	9.5	0	0.0	21
Large Counties	238	89.8	26	9.8	1	0.4	265
Allen	8	66.7	4	33.3	0	0.0	12
Ashtabula	24	85.7	4	14.3	0	0.0	28
Clark	39	92.9	3	7.1	0	0.0	42
Clermont	18	94.7	0	0.0	1	5.3	19
Columbiana	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Delaware	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Fairfield	24	92.3	2	7.7	0	0.0	26
Greene	5	71.4	2	28.6	0	0.0	7
Licking	35	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	35
Medina	7	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Portage	21	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	21
Richland	28	71.8	11	28.2	0	0.0	39
Warren	10	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10
Wayne	12	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12
Wood	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4

Table 2a: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2003

	White		African American		Other Races		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	182	91.9	15	7.6	1	0.5	198
Ashland	5	83.3	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Athens	26	96.3	1	3.7	0	0.0	27
Belmont	13	92.9	1	7.1	0	0.0	14
Darke	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Erie	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Geauga	18	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	18
Hancock	5	62.5	3	37.5	0	0.0	8
Huron	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Jefferson	21	87.5	3	12.5	0	0.0	24
Knox	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Lawrence	10	76.9	3	23.1	0	0.0	13
Marion	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Miami	8	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Muskingum	15	88.2	2	11.8	0	0.0	17
Pickaway	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Ross	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Sandusky	12	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12
Scioto	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Seneca	7	87.5	1	12.5	0	0.0	8
Tuscarawas	12	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12
Washington	4	80.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	5
Medium Small Counties	48	90.6	4	7.5	1	1.9	53
Auglaize	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Brown	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Clinton	8	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Crawford	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Fulton	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Guernsey	4	57.1	2	28.6	1	14.3	7
Highland	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Logan	7	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Madison	0	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	2
Mercer	6	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Preble	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Shelby	7	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Union	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5

Table 2a: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2003

	White		African American		Other Races		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	51	92.7	2	3.6	2	3.6	55
Adams	6	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Carroll	3	75.0	0	0.0	1	25.0	4
Champaign	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Coshocton	3	75.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Defiance	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Fayette	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Gallia	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Hardin	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Harrison	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Henry	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Hocking	9	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	9
Holmes	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Jackson	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Meigs	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	1
Monroe	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Morgan	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Morrow	1	50.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	2
Noble	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Paulding	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Perry	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Pike	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Putnam	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Van Wert	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Vinton	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Williams	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Wyandot	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4

Table 2b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2004

	White		African American		Other Races		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,229	56.8	909	42.0	25	1.2	2,163
Major Metro Counties	299	32.7	598	65.5	16	1.8	913
Cuyahoga	136	24.6	404	73.1	13	2.4	553
Franklin	129	51.6	118	47.2	3	1.2	250
Hamilton	34	30.9	76	69.1	0	0.0	110
Metro Counties	393	59.7	258	39.2	7	1.1	658
Butler	47	82.5	10	17.5	0	0.0	57
Lake	12	92.3	1	7.7	0	0.0	13
Lorain	8	34.8	14	60.9	1	4.3	23
Lucas	86	52.1	75	45.5	4	2.4	165
Mahoning	10	35.7	18	64.3	0	0.0	28
Montgomery	58	52.7	52	47.3	0	0.0	110
Stark	82	68.9	37	31.1	0	0.0	119
Summit	58	55.8	44	42.3	2	1.9	104
Trumbull	32	82.1	7	17.9	0	0.0	39
Large Counties	243	87.1	35	12.5	1	0.4	279
Allen	8	80.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	10
Ashtabula	12	75.0	4	25.0	0	0.0	16
Clark	13	61.9	8	38.1	0	0.0	21
Clermont	49	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	49
Columbiana	9	81.8	1	9.1	1	9.1	11
Delaware	10	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10
Fairfield	26	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	26
Greene	13	92.9	1	7.1	0	0.0	14
Licking	39	92.9	3	7.1	0	0.0	42
Medina	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Portage	32	97.0	1	3.0	0	0.0	33
Richland	1	7.7	12	92.3	0	0.0	13
Warren	11	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Wayne	11	84.6	2	15.4	0	0.0	13
Wood	4	80.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5

Table 2b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2004

	White		African American		Other Races		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	168	94.4	9	5.1	1	0.6	178
Ashland	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Athens	23	95.8	1	4.2	0	0.0	24
Belmont	13	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	13
Darke	2	50.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	4
Erie	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	2
Geauga	8	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Hancock	11	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Huron	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Jefferson	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Knox	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Lawrence	13	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	13
Marion	6	85.7	0	0.0	1	14.3	7
Miami	7	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Muskingum	26	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	26
Pickaway	6	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Ross	21	91.3	2	8.7	0	0.0	23
Sandusky	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Scioto	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Seneca	4	57.1	3	42.9	0	0.0	7
Tuscarawas	11	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Washington	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Medium Small Counties	47	88.7	6	11.3	0	0.0	53
Auglaize	4	80.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Brown	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Clinton	11	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Crawford	2	40.0	3	60.0	0	0.0	5
Fulton	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Guernsey	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Highland	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Logan	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Madison	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Mercer	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Preble	3	60.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5
Shelby	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Union	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2

Table 2b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2004

	White		African American		Other Races		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	79	96.3	3	3.7	0	0.0	82
Adams	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Carroll	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Champaign	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Coshocton	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Defiance	5	83.3	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Fayette	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Gallia	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Hardin	19	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	19
Harrison	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Henry	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Hocking	3	60.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5
Holmes	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Jackson	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Meigs	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Monroe	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Morgan	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Morrow	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Noble	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Paulding	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Perry	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Pike	8	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Putnam	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Van Wert	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Vinton	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Williams	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Wyandot	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3

Table 2c: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2005

	White		African American		Other Races		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,137	60.0	711	37.5	47	2.5	1,895
Major Metro Counties	279	38.3	425	58.4	24	3.3	728
Cuyahoga	105	28.0	247	65.9	23	6.1	375
Franklin	110	50.7	106	48.8	1	0.5	217
Hamilton	64	47.1	72	52.9	0	0.0	136
Metro Counties	332	58.1	224	39.2	15	2.6	571
Butler	45	84.9	8	15.1	0	0.0	53
Lake	11	84.6	2	15.4	0	0.0	13
Lorain	16	64.0	2	8.0	7	28.0	25
Lucas	63	55.3	51	44.7	0	0.0	114
Mahoning	4	33.3	8	66.7	0	0.0	12
Montgomery	46	35.9	78	60.9	4	3.1	128
Stark	62	78.5	17	21.5	0	0.0	79
Summit	48	52.2	41	44.6	3	3.3	92
Trumbull	37	67.3	17	30.9	1	1.8	55
Large Counties	237	87.5	32	11.8	2	0.7	271
Allen	8	80.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	10
Ashtabula	15	68.2	7	31.8	0	0.0	22
Clark	12	92.3	1	7.7	0	0.0	13
Clermont	40	97.6	1	2.4	0	0.0	41
Columbiana	15	93.8	1	6.3	0	0.0	16
Delaware	9	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	9
Fairfield	32	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	32
Greene	10	83.3	2	16.7	0	0.0	12
Licking	47	90.4	3	5.8	2	3.8	52
Medina	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Portage	11	91.7	1	8.3	0	0.0	12
Richland	15	51.7	14	48.3	0	0.0	29
Warren	12	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12
Wayne	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Wood	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4

Table 2c: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2005

	White		African American		Other Races		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	148	87.1	20	11.8	2	1.2	170
Ashland	8	80.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	10
Athens	14	93.3	1	6.7	0	0.0	15
Belmont	12	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12
Darke	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Erie	2	33.3	3	50.0	1	16.7	6
Geauga	6	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Hancock	7	63.6	4	36.4	0	0.0	11
Huron	2	40.0	3	60.0	0	0.0	5
Jefferson	10	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10
Knox	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Lawrence	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	2
Marion	3	75.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Miami	16	88.9	2	11.1	0	0.0	18
Muskingum	21	87.5	2	8.3	1	4.2	24
Pickaway	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Ross	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Sandusky	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Scioto	5	83.3	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Seneca	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Tuscarawas	16	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	16
Washington	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Medium Small Counties	61	85.9	8	11.3	2	2.8	71
Auglaize	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Brown	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Clinton	11	84.6	2	15.4	0	0.0	13
Crawford	6	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Fulton	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Guernsey	8	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Highland	4	66.7	0	0.0	2	33.3	6
Logan	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Madison	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Mercer	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Preble	7	87.5	1	12.5	0	0.0	8
Shelby	6	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Union	7	58.3	5	41.7	0	0.0	12

Table 2c: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2005

	White		African American		Other Races		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	80	95.2	2	2.4	2	2.4	84
Adams	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Carroll	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Champaign	11	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Coshocton	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Defiance	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	1
Fayette	2	66.7	1	33.3	0	0.0	3
Gallia	8	88.9	0	0.0	1	11.1	9
Hardin	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Harrison	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Henry	2	66.7	1	33.3	0	0.0	3
Hocking	13	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	13
Holmes	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Jackson	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Meigs	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Monroe	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Morgan	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Morrow	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Noble	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Paulding	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Perry	10	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10
Pike	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Putnam	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Van Wert	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Vinton	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Williams	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Wyandot	10	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10

Table 3a: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, FFY 2003

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,184	56.2	428	20.3	354	16.8	140	6.6	1	0.0	2,107
Major Metro Counties	548	54.7	212	21.2	173	17.3	68	6.8	1	0.1	1,002
Cuyahoga	372	54.4	149	21.8	121	17.7	41	6.0	1	0.1	684
Franklin	121	60.5	35	17.5	26	13.0	18	9.0	0	0.0	200
Hamilton	55	46.6	28	23.7	26	22.0	9	7.6	0	0.0	118
Metro Counties	306	57.3	112	21.0	91	17.0	25	4.7	0	0.0	534
Butler	20	62.5	6	18.8	5	15.6	1	3.1	0	0.0	32
Lake	3	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	50.0	0	0.0	6
Lorain	25	61.0	8	19.5	7	17.1	1	2.4	0	0.0	41
Lucas	78	54.5	31	21.7	26	18.2	8	5.6	0	0.0	143
Mahoning	10	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10
Montgomery	56	52.8	27	25.5	19	17.9	4	3.8	0	0.0	106
Stark	48	48.5	19	19.2	25	25.3	7	7.1	0	0.0	99
Summit	49	64.5	18	23.7	8	10.5	1	1.3	0	0.0	76
Trumbull	17	81.0	3	14.3	1	4.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	21
Large Counties	173	65.3	47	17.7	33	12.5	12	4.5	0	0.0	265
Allen	10	83.3	0	0.0	1	8.3	1	8.3	0	0.0	12
Ashtabula	20	71.4	3	10.7	3	10.7	2	7.1	0	0.0	28
Clark	23	54.8	11	26.2	7	16.7	1	2.4	0	0.0	42
Clermont	17	89.5	2	10.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	19
Columbiana	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Delaware	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Fairfield	19	73.1	3	11.5	2	7.7	2	7.7	0	0.0	26
Greene	6	85.7	1	14.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Licking	17	48.6	12	34.3	5	14.3	1	2.9	0	0.0	35
Medina	6	85.7	0	0.0	1	14.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Portage	13	61.9	3	14.3	4	19.0	1	4.8	0	0.0	21
Richland	24	61.5	6	15.4	7	17.9	2	5.1	0	0.0	39
Warren	5	50.0	2	20.0	1	10.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	10
Wayne	8	66.7	4	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12
Wood	2	50.0	0	0.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4

Table 3a: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, FFY 2003

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	101	51.0	37	18.7	37	18.7	23	11.6	0	0.0	198
Ashland	4	66.7	2	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Athens	11	40.7	6	22.2	8	29.6	2	7.4	0	0.0	27
Belmont	4	28.6	7	50.0	2	14.3	1	7.1	0	0.0	14
Darke	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Erie	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	40.0	3	60.0	0	0.0	5
Geauga	8	44.4	3	16.7	3	16.7	4	22.2	0	0.0	18
Hancock	7	87.5	0	0.0	1	12.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Huron	1	20.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5
Jefferson	12	50.0	3	12.5	7	29.2	2	8.3	0	0.0	24
Knox	1	25.0	2	50.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Lawrence	10	76.9	1	7.7	2	15.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	13
Marion	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Miami	2	25.0	0	0.0	4	50.0	2	25.0	0	0.0	8
Muskingum	11	64.7	3	17.6	2	11.8	1	5.9	0	0.0	17
Pickaway	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Ross	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Sandusky	5	41.7	4	33.3	2	16.7	1	8.3	0	0.0	12
Scioto	1	20.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	3	60.0	0	0.0	5
Seneca	7	87.5	1	12.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Tuscarawas	6	50.0	3	25.0	1	8.3	2	16.7	0	0.0	12
Washington	4	80.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Medium Small Counties	33	62.3	7	13.2	8	15.1	5	9.4	0	0.0	53
Auglaize	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Brown	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Clinton	7	87.5	0	0.0	1	12.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Crawford	3	60.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Fulton	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	1
Guernsey	7	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Highland	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Logan	4	57.1	2	28.6	1	14.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Madison	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Mercer	4	66.7	1	16.7	1	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Preble	1	50.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Shelby	4	57.1	1	14.3	1	14.3	1	14.3	0	0.0	7
Union	1	20.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5

Table 3a: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, FFY 2003

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	23	41.8	13	23.6	12	21.8	7	12.7	0	0.0	55
Adams	3	50.0	1	16.7	1	16.7	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Carroll	2	50.0	0	0.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Champaign	1	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	66.7	0	0.0	3
Coshocton	3	75.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Defiance	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Fayette	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	2
Gallia	1	50.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Hardin	3	60.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Harrison	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Henry	0	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Hocking	3	33.3	4	44.4	1	11.1	1	11.1	0	0.0	9
Holmes	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Jackson	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Meigs	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Monroe	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Morgan	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Morrow	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Noble	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Paulding	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Perry	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Pike	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Putnam	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Van Wert	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Vinton	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Williams	1	33.3	0	0.0	1	33.3	1	33.3	0	0.0	3
Wyandot	1	25.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4

Table 3b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, FFY 2004

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,223	56.5	425	19.6	340	15.7	175	8.1	0	0.0	2,163
Major Metro Counties	531	58.2	186	20.4	136	14.9	60	6.6	0	0.0	913
Cuyahoga	337	60.9	97	17.5	84	15.2	35	6.3	0	0.0	553
Franklin	142	56.8	61	24.4	31	12.4	16	6.4	0	0.0	250
Hamilton	52	47.3	28	25.5	21	19.1	9	8.2	0	0.0	110
Metro Counties	375	57.0	113	17.2	116	17.6	54	8.2	0	0.0	658
Butler	24	42.1	10	17.5	14	24.6	9	15.8	0	0.0	57
Lake	6	46.2	2	15.4	5	38.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	13
Lorain	18	78.3	2	8.7	0	0.0	3	13.0	0	0.0	23
Lucas	112	67.9	29	17.6	18	10.9	6	3.6	0	0.0	165
Mahoning	6	21.4	9	32.1	11	39.3	2	7.1	0	0.0	28
Montgomery	58	52.7	16	14.5	21	19.1	15	13.6	0	0.0	110
Stark	65	54.6	21	17.6	22	18.5	11	9.2	0	0.0	119
Summit	54	51.9	21	20.2	24	23.1	5	4.8	0	0.0	104
Trumbull	32	82.1	3	7.7	1	2.6	3	7.7	0	0.0	39
Large Counties	160	57.3	62	22.2	36	12.9	21	7.5	0	0.0	279
Allen	5	50.0	3	30.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10
Ashtabula	10	62.5	1	6.3	5	31.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	16
Clark	14	66.7	5	23.8	1	4.8	1	4.8	0	0.0	21
Clermont	30	61.2	15	30.6	4	8.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	49
Columbiana	6	54.5	4	36.4	0	0.0	1	9.1	0	0.0	11
Delaware	3	30.0	3	30.0	3	30.0	1	10.0	0	0.0	10
Fairfield	20	76.9	2	7.7	3	11.5	1	3.8	0	0.0	26
Greene	4	28.6	4	28.6	1	7.1	5	35.7	0	0.0	14
Licking	25	59.5	13	31.0	4	9.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	42
Medina	2	40.0	0	0.0	2	40.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Portage	13	39.4	8	24.2	5	15.2	7	21.2	0	0.0	33
Richland	10	76.9	0	0.0	2	15.4	1	7.7	0	0.0	13
Warren	7	63.6	3	27.3	1	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Wayne	9	69.2	1	7.7	2	15.4	1	7.7	0	0.0	13
Wood	2	40.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5

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	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	92	51.7	33	18.5	28	15.7	25	14.0	0	0.0	178
Ashland	2	66.7	1	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Athens	8	33.3	4	16.7	6	25.0	6	25.0	0	0.0	24
Belmont	7	53.8	1	7.7	4	30.8	1	7.7	0	0.0	13
Darke	3	75.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Erie	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Geauga	3	37.5	2	25.0	3	37.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Hancock	8	72.7	3	27.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Huron	0	0.0	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Jefferson	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Knox	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Lawrence	2	15.4	5	38.5	3	23.1	3	23.1	0	0.0	13
Marion	4	57.1	2	28.6	0	0.0	1	14.3	0	0.0	7
Miami	2	28.6	0	0.0	2	28.6	3	42.9	0	0.0	7
Muskingum	15	57.7	7	26.9	2	7.7	2	7.7	0	0.0	26
Pickaway	4	66.7	1	16.7	1	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Ross	13	56.5	3	13.0	2	8.7	5	21.7	0	0.0	23
Sandusky	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Scioto	1	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	2
Seneca	5	71.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	28.6	0	0.0	7
Tuscarawas	9	81.8	0	0.0	2	18.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Washington	0	0.0	1	25.0	2	50.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Medium Small Counties	32	60.4	9	17.0	8	15.1	4	7.5	0	0.0	53
Auglaize	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Brown	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Clinton	8	72.7	2	18.2	1	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Crawford	0	0.0	3	60.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Fulton	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Guernsey	1	25.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Highland	0	0.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	4
Logan	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Madison	4	80.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Mercer	2	50.0	0	0.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Preble	3	60.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Shelby	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Union	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2

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	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	33	40.2	22	26.8	16	19.5	11	13.4	0	0.0	82
Adams	3	60.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Carroll	1	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	75.0	0	0.0	4
Champaign	2	50.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Coshocton	3	75.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Defiance	4	66.7	1	16.7	1	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Fayette	1	25.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Gallia	0	0.0	2	50.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Hardin	7	36.8	7	36.8	3	15.8	2	10.5	0	0.0	19
Harrison	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	1
Henry	1	50.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Hocking	2	40.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Holmes	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Jackson	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Meigs	0	0.0	2	66.7	0	0.0	1	33.3	0	0.0	3
Monroe	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Morgan	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Morrow	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Noble	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Paulding	1	33.3	2	66.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Perry	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Pike	1	12.5	2	25.0	4	50.0	1	12.5	0	0.0	8
Putnam	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Van Wert	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Vinton	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Williams	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Wyandot	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3

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	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,077	56.8	364	19.2	293	15.5	159	8.4	2	0.1	1,895
Major Metro Counties	401	55.1	148	20.3	119	16.3	60	8.2	0	0.0	728
Cuyahoga	212	56.5	65	17.3	69	18.4	29	7.7	0	0.0	375
Franklin	112	51.6	47	21.7	36	16.6	22	10.1	0	0.0	217
Hamilton	77	56.6	36	26.5	14	10.3	9	6.6	0	0.0	136
Metro Counties	355	62.2	105	18.4	79	13.8	31	5.4	1	0.2	571
Butler	32	60.4	4	7.5	8	15.1	9	17.0	0	0.0	53
Lake	9	69.2	0	0.0	4	30.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	13
Lorain	13	52.0	7	28.0	2	8.0	3	12.0	0	0.0	25
Lucas	86	75.4	16	14.0	10	8.8	2	1.8	0	0.0	114
Mahoning	9	75.0	1	8.3	2	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	12
Montgomery	65	50.8	29	22.7	27	21.1	7	5.5	0	0.0	128
Stark	55	69.6	14	17.7	8	10.1	2	2.5	0	0.0	79
Summit	51	55.4	20	21.7	15	16.3	5	5.4	1	1.1	92
Trumbull	35	63.6	14	25.5	3	5.5	3	5.5	0	0.0	55
Large Counties	160	59.0	49	18.1	40	14.8	22	8.1	0	0.0	271
Allen	3	30.0	3	30.0	3	30.0	1	10.0	0	0.0	10
Ashtabula	13	59.1	5	22.7	3	13.6	1	4.5	0	0.0	22
Clark	8	61.5	4	30.8	1	7.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	13
Clermont	32	78.0	4	9.8	4	9.8	1	2.4	0	0.0	41
Columbiana	7	43.8	3	18.8	4	25.0	2	12.5	0	0.0	16
Delaware	3	33.3	1	11.1	3	33.3	2	22.2	0	0.0	9
Fairfield	21	65.6	4	12.5	4	12.5	3	9.4	0	0.0	32
Greene	6	50.0	1	8.3	2	16.7	3	25.0	0	0.0	12
Licking	31	59.6	14	26.9	4	7.7	3	5.8	0	0.0	52
Medina	1	25.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Portage	11	91.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	8.3	0	0.0	12
Richland	15	51.7	5	17.2	7	24.1	2	6.9	0	0.0	29
Warren	6	50.0	3	25.0	3	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12
Wayne	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Wood	0	0.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	4

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	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	79	46.5	32	18.8	30	17.6	28	16.5	1	0.6	170
Ashland	2	20.0	3	30.0	0	0.0	4	40.0	1	10.0	10
Athens	4	26.7	6	40.0	1	6.7	4	26.7	0	0.0	15
Belmont	7	58.3	1	8.3	1	8.3	3	25.0	0	0.0	12
Darke	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Erie	6	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Geauga	3	50.0	0	0.0	2	33.3	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Hancock	2	18.2	1	9.1	6	54.5	2	18.2	0	0.0	11
Huron	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	40.0	3	60.0	0	0.0	5
Jefferson	3	30.0	4	40.0	3	30.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10
Knox	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Lawrence	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Marion	1	25.0	0	0.0	1	25.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	4
Miami	11	61.1	5	27.8	2	11.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	18
Muskingum	12	50.0	6	25.0	2	8.3	4	16.7	0	0.0	24
Pickaway	0	0.0	1	25.0	2	50.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Ross	3	75.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Sandusky	1	20.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Scioto	4	66.7	1	16.7	1	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Seneca	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	60.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5
Tuscarawas	11	68.8	3	18.8	2	12.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	16
Washington	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Medium Small Counties	35	49.3	13	18.3	11	15.5	12	16.9	0	0.0	71
Auglaize	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Brown	4	80.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Clinton	6	46.2	2	15.4	0	0.0	5	38.5	0	0.0	13
Crawford	3	50.0	2	33.3	1	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Fulton	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Guernsey	4	50.0	2	25.0	1	12.5	1	12.5	0	0.0	8
Highland	2	33.3	1	16.7	2	33.3	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Logan	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Madison	2	66.7	0	0.0	1	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Mercer	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Preble	3	37.5	1	12.5	2	25.0	2	25.0	0	0.0	8
Shelby	3	50.0	1	16.7	0	0.0	2	33.3	0	0.0	6
Union	4	33.3	3	25.0	4	33.3	1	8.3	0	0.0	12

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	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	47	56.0	17	20.2	14	16.7	6	7.1	0	0.0	84
Adams	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Carroll	2	50.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Champaign	5	45.5	5	45.5	1	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Coshocton	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Defiance	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Fayette	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	33.3	2	66.7	0	0.0	3
Gallia	4	44.4	3	33.3	2	22.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	9
Hardin	4	80.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Harrison	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Henry	1	33.3	0	0.0	2	66.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Hocking	10	76.9	2	15.4	1	7.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	13
Holmes	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Jackson	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Meigs	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Monroe	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Morgan	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Morrow	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Noble	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Paulding	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Perry	5	50.0	2	20.0	3	30.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10
Pike	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	1
Putnam	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Van Wert	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Vinton	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Williams	1	33.3	2	66.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Wyandot	5	50.0	1	10.0	2	20.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	10

Table 4a: Rates of Adoption and Success, FFY 2003

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	3,250	966	1,700	40.3	331	238	2,269	53.8
Major Metro Counties	1,743	575	945	40.8	167	15	1,127	48.6
Cuyahoga	1,107	434	594	38.5	102	6	702	45.6
Franklin	391	91	274	56.8	47	9	330	68.5
Hamilton	245	50	77	26.1	18	0	95	32.2
Metro Counties	827	213	400	38.5	66	136	602	57.9
Butler	77	7	44	52.4	2	11	57	67.9
Lake	6	3	7	77.8	3	0	10	111.1
Lorain	48	16	38	59.4	4	2	44	68.8
Lucas	115	53	67	39.9	28	25	120	71.4
Mahoning	22	6	11	39.3	0	0	11	39.3
Montgomery	137	33	70	41.2	11	33	114	67.1
Stark	184	39	62	27.8	12	47	121	54.3
Summit	190	43	72	30.9	3	14	89	38.2
Trumbull	48	13	29	47.5	3	4	36	59.0
Large Counties	318	93	194	47.2	47	30	271	65.9
Allen	21	4	7	28.0	0	2	9	36.0
Ashtabula	17	10	15	55.6	6	0	21	77.8
Clark	40	11	18	35.3	4	0	22	43.1
Clermont	19	5	10	41.7	6	3	19	79.2
Columbiana	15	5	5	25.0	0	0	5	25.0
Delaware	8	0	5	62.5	0	0	5	62.5
Fairfield	23	11	19	55.9	2	7	28	82.4
Greene	43	3	11	23.9	0	1	12	26.1
Licking	43	16	26	44.1	1	10	37	62.7
Medina	15	4	13	68.4	1	0	14	73.7
Portage	17	7	14	58.3	3	4	21	87.5
Richland	23	6	24	82.8	21	0	45	155.2
Warren	15	0	13	86.7	0	3	16	106.7
Wayne	14	6	8	40.0	3	0	11	55.0
Wood	5	5	6	60.0	0	0	6	60.0

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	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	217	42	86	33.2	28	36	150	57.9
Ashland	2	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	50.0
Athens	23	8	17	54.8	2	1	20	64.5
Belmont	8	0	5	62.5	6	2	13	162.5
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	0.0
Erie	32	6	7	18.4	0	1	8	21.1
Geauga	9	0	3	33.3	6	1	10	111.1
Hancock	8	2	4	40.0	2	2	8	80.0
Huron	3	0	1	33.3	0	6	7	233.3
Jefferson	17	5	11	50.0	0	2	13	59.1
Knox	4	0	0	0.0	2	0	2	50.0
Lawrence	9	0	4	44.4	0	0	4	44.4
Marion	6	1	1	14.3	1	7	9	128.6
Miami	29	3	12	37.5	2	6	20	62.5
Muskingum	4	0	0	0.0	3	0	3	75.0
Pickaway	1	0	1	100.0	0	1	2	200.0
Ross	7	0	3	42.9	0	2	5	71.4
Sandusky	15	4	9	47.4	0	0	9	47.4
Scioto	18	4	2	9.1	1	1	4	18.2
Seneca	6	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Tuscarawas	8	1	4	44.4	2	2	8	88.9
Washington	8	6	2	14.3	0	0	2	14.3
Medium Small Counties	79	21	38	38.0	13	12	63	63.0
Auglaize	2	3	3	60.0	0	1	4	80.0
Brown	0	1	1	100.0	0	5	6	600.0
Clinton	10	0	3	30.0	3	0	6	60.0
Crawford	8	4	4	33.3	0	0	4	33.3
Fulton	4	0	3	75.0	0	0	3	75.0
Guernsey	12	1	4	30.8	2	1	7	53.8
Highland	6	0	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Logan	10	4	5	35.7	2	0	7	50.0
Madison	7	1	2	25.0	1	0	3	37.5
Mercer	7	0	2	28.6	0	2	4	57.1
Ottawa	2	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	50.0
Preble	5	0	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Shelby	4	4	7	87.5	4	2	13	162.5
Union	2	3	2	40.0	1	0	3	60.0

Table 4a: Rates of Adoption and Success, FFY 2003

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	66	22	37	42.0	10	9	56	63.6
Adams	7	4	7	63.6	3	0	10	90.9
Carroll	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Champaign	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Coshocton	3	0	3	100.0	1	1	5	166.7
Defiance	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	4	0	1	25.0	0	4	5	125.0
Hardin	5	2	2	28.6	1	1	4	57.1
Harrison	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	8	1	4	44.4	0	0	4	44.4
Hocking	4	0	0	0.0	4	0	4	100.0
Holmes	1	1	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Morgan	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	2	2	2	50.0	1	0	3	75.0
Noble	1	1	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Paulding	3	0	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Perry	14	1	2	13.3	0	0	2	13.3
Pike	3	2	3	60.0	0	0	3	60.0
Putnam	2	0	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Van Wert	1	1	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wyandot	3	4	4	57.1	0	0	4	57.1

Table 4b: Rates of Adoption and Success, FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	3,032	953	1,567	39.3	376	179	2,122	53.2
Major Metro Counties	1,559	518	795	38.3	176	15	986	47.5
Cuyahoga	1,025	410	523	36.4	98	7	628	43.8
Franklin	280	56	196	58.3	58	7	261	77.7
Hamilton	254	52	76	24.8	20	1	97	31.7
Metro Counties	801	238	421	40.5	100	72	593	57.1
Butler	59	9	39	57.4	10	6	55	80.9
Lake	6	0	1	16.7	2	0	3	50.0
Lorain	43	15	30	51.7	11	4	45	77.6
Lucas	163	40	88	43.3	30	12	130	64.0
Mahoning	16	3	8	42.1	1	2	11	57.9
Montgomery	108	71	93	52.0	28	21	142	79.3
Stark	189	42	68	29.4	10	19	97	42.0
Summit	172	53	68	30.2	6	8	82	36.4
Trumbull	45	5	26	52.0	2	0	28	56.0
Large Counties	301	95	184	46.5	42	34	260	65.7
Allen	22	4	14	53.8	0	7	21	80.8
Ashtabula	20	10	22	73.3	4	1	27	90.0
Clark	57	8	24	36.9	6	0	30	46.2
Clermont	13	13	9	34.6	11	0	20	76.9
Columbiana	10	2	5	41.7	0	1	6	50.0
Delaware	2	1	1	33.3	4	3	8	266.7
Fairfield	33	2	16	45.7	3	4	23	65.7
Greene	38	3	12	29.3	1	0	13	31.7
Licking	50	18	29	42.6	2	8	39	57.4
Medina	4	2	3	50.0	2	6	11	183.3
Portage	13	13	16	61.5	5	1	22	84.6
Richland	11	10	15	71.4	3	3	21	100.0
Warren	9	2	5	45.5	0	0	5	45.5
Wayne	15	4	9	47.4	0	0	9	47.4
Wood	4	3	4	57.1	1	0	5	71.4

Table 4b: Rates of Adoption and Success, FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	249	56	107	35.1	34	33	174	57.0
Ashland	7	0	3	42.9	0	0	3	42.9
Athens	25	10	10	28.6	2	0	12	34.3
Belmont	9	0	4	44.4	4	1	9	100.0
Darke	1	2	2	66.7	0	1	3	100.0
Erie	29	6	5	14.3	0	0	5	14.3
Geauga	13	0	4	30.8	0	4	8	61.5
Hancock	7	2	6	66.7	1	3	10	111.1
Huron	3	2	4	80.0	0	3	7	140.0
Jefferson	31	3	7	20.6	0	1	8	23.5
Knox	6	0	4	66.7	0	0	4	66.7
Lawrence	13	0	3	23.1	0	6	9	69.2
Marion	5	1	1	16.7	1	3	5	83.3
Miami	20	3	3	13.0	1	3	7	30.4
Muskingum	12	3	11	73.3	11	0	22	146.7
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	4	2	4	66.7	8	0	12	200.0
Sandusky	16	4	8	40.0	3	0	11	55.0
Scioto	21	2	6	26.1	0	0	6	26.1
Seneca	7	6	4	30.8	1	3	8	61.5
Tuscarawas	11	2	8	61.5	2	4	14	107.7
Washington	9	8	10	58.8	0	1	11	64.7
Medium Small Counties	60	24	34	40.5	12	12	58	69.0
Auglaize	1	0	0	0.0	4	4	8	800.0
Brown	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Clinton	7	4	9	81.8	4	0	13	118.2
Crawford	8	2	4	40.0	0	2	6	60.0
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Guernsey	6	4	6	60.0	0	1	7	70.0
Highland	4	0	0	0.0	2	0	2	50.0
Logan	9	3	4	33.3	0	2	6	50.0
Madison	4	3	4	57.1	0	0	4	57.1
Mercer	4	6	6	60.0	0	0	6	60.0
Ottawa	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	6	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	4	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	25.0
Union	3	2	1	20.0	2	0	3	60.0

Table 4b: Rates of Adoption and Success, FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	62	22	26	31.0	12	13	51	60.7
Adams	3	2	2	40.0	4	3	9	180.0
Carroll	3	1	2	50.0	1	1	4	100.0
Champaign	2	2	2	50.0	0	1	3	75.0
Coshocton	1	0	0	0.0	0	4	4	400.0
Defiance	3	0	1	33.3	1	0	2	66.7
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Gallia	4	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	4	4	1	12.5	0	0	1	12.5
Harrison	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Henry	5	0	0	0.0	1	1	2	40.0
Hocking	7	0	3	42.9	1	0	4	57.1
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	1	1	2	100.0	0	1	3	150.0
Monroe	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Morgan	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	2	1	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Noble	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	3	0	2	66.7	2	0	4	133.3
Perry	8	6	7	50.0	0	0	7	50.0
Pike	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	3	1	1	25.0	0	1	2	50.0
Wyandot	6	1	1	14.3	0	0	1	14.3

Table 4c: Rates of Adoption and Success, FFY 2005

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	2,831	901	1,441	38.6	379	169	1,989	53.3
Major Metro Counties	1,351	461	703	38.8	176	15	894	49.3
Cuyahoga	943	339	446	34.8	74	1	521	40.6
Franklin	216	64	184	65.7	89	9	282	100.7
Hamilton	192	58	73	29.2	13	5	91	36.4
Metro Counties	815	232	392	37.4	94	74	560	53.5
Butler	54	18	29	40.3	13	7	49	68.1
Lake	10	2	4	33.3	0	3	7	58.3
Lorain	20	13	15	45.5	11	1	27	81.8
Lucas	174	56	102	44.3	25	14	141	61.3
Mahoning	27	10	17	45.9	1	1	19	51.4
Montgomery	107	33	41	29.3	24	17	82	58.6
Stark	184	47	69	29.9	4	25	98	42.4
Summit	187	49	82	34.7	10	6	98	41.5
Trumbull	52	4	33	58.9	6	0	39	69.6
Large Counties	311	94	163	40.2	51	19	233	57.5
Allen	14	1	2	13.3	1	0	3	20.0
Ashtabula	16	3	10	52.6	4	0	14	73.7
Clark	44	7	18	35.3	5	4	27	52.9
Clermont	43	10	20	37.7	13	3	36	67.9
Columbiana	10	9	9	47.4	0	0	9	47.4
Delaware	7	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	14.3
Fairfield	28	12	24	60.0	6	2	32	80.0
Greene	35	3	5	13.2	2	0	7	18.4
Licking	50	15	37	56.9	4	10	51	78.5
Medina	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	19	16	19	54.3	0	0	19	54.3
Richland	10	6	12	75.0	13	0	25	156.3
Warren	9	8	1	5.9	0	0	1	5.9
Wayne	15	3	4	22.2	2	0	6	33.3
Wood	6	1	2	28.6	0	0	2	28.6

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	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	208	70	109	39.2	34	45	188	67.6
Ashland	7	0	2	28.6	1	0	3	42.9
Athens	25	11	17	47.2	3	7	27	75.0
Belmont	8	2	3	30.0	1	3	7	70.0
Darke	2	2	4	100.0	1	1	6	150.0
Erie	20	6	7	26.9	0	0	7	26.9
Geauga	11	2	5	38.5	2	3	10	76.9
Hancock	6	6	6	50.0	2	2	10	83.3
Huron	3	1	1	25.0	2	0	3	75.0
Jefferson	22	4	3	11.5	0	2	5	19.2
Knox	2	0	0	0.0	0	3	3	150.0
Lawrence	18	2	5	25.0	0	0	5	25.0
Marion	10	1	7	63.6	1	4	12	109.1
Miami	20	2	4	18.2	3	1	8	36.4
Muskingum	11	5	11	68.8	11	0	22	137.5
Pickaway	6	0	5	83.3	1	0	6	100.0
Ross	7	4	4	36.4	2	3	9	81.8
Sandusky	5	1	2	33.3	1	4	7	116.7
Scioto	11	5	8	50.0	0	0	8	50.0
Seneca	1	9	5	50.0	0	3	8	80.0
Tuscarawas	8	5	9	69.2	3	6	18	138.5
Washington	5	2	1	14.3	0	3	4	57.1
Medium Small Counties	55	21	35	46.1	9	10	54	71.1
Auglaize	2	0	1	50.0	1	0	2	100.0
Brown	1	1	1	50.0	0	3	4	200.0
Clinton	7	2	7	77.8	0	0	7	77.8
Crawford	6	1	2	28.6	1	3	6	85.7
Fulton	3	0	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Guernsey	1	1	1	50.0	0	2	3	150.0
Highland	4	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	25.0
Logan	5	6	9	81.8	2	0	11	100.0
Madison	4	4	4	50.0	0	0	4	50.0
Mercer	4	4	4	50.0	0	0	4	50.0
Ottawa	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	10	0	3	30.0	1	1	5	50.0
Shelby	5	0	1	20.0	1	0	2	40.0
Union	1	2	0	0.0	3	0	3	100.0

Table 4c: Rates of Adoption and Success, FFY 2005

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	91	23	39	34.2	15	6	60	52.6
Adams	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	3	2	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Champaign	4	0	0	0.0	3	0	3	75.0
Coshocton	2	4	4	66.7	0	0	4	66.7
Defiance	4	2	4	66.7	0	1	5	83.3
Fayette	3	0	3	100.0	0	2	5	166.7
Gallia	7	0	1	14.3	1	1	3	42.9
Hardin	18	7	4	16.0	0	0	4	16.0
Harrison	1	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	100.0
Henry	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Hocking	4	3	3	42.9	5	0	8	114.3
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	3	0	3	100.0	0	0	3	100.0
Monroe	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Morgan	1	2	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Morrow	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Paulding	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Perry	7	1	3	37.5	4	0	7	87.5
Pike	8	1	3	33.3	0	0	3	33.3
Putnam	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	5	0	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Wyandot	6	0	4	66.7	0	2	6	100.0

Table 5a: Characteristics and Progress of Children Waiting and Placed at the Start of FFY 2003

	Population Waiting or Placed at Start of FFY					Outcome by End of FFY									
	0-9 Years		10-20 Years		Total Available	Adopted		Placed		Other Discharge		No Longer Waiting		Waiting	
	#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Age															
0-1 years	349	17.0	0	0.0	349	264	75.6	7	2.0	0	0.0	3	0.9	75	21.5
2-5 years	820	40.0	0	0.0	820	516	62.9	33	4.0	0	0.0	11	1.3	260	31.7
6-9 years	881	43.0	0	0.0	881	423	48.0	57	6.5	3	0.3	3	0.3	395	44.8
10-13 years	0	0.0	1,166	53.8	1,166	342	29.3	96	8.2	2	0.2	18	1.5	708	60.7
14-17 years	0	0.0	948	43.8	948	155	16.4	134	14.1	48	5.1	96	10.1	515	54.3
18-20 years	0	0.0	52	2.4	52	0	0.0	40	76.9	7	13.5	4	7.7	1	1.9
Sex															
Male	1,121	54.7	1,199	55.4	2,320	884	38.1	200	8.6	27	1.2	83	3.6	1,126	48.5
Female	929	45.3	967	44.6	1,896	816	43.0	167	8.8	33	1.7	52	2.7	828	43.7
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Race															
White	887	43.3	935	43.2	1,822	796	43.7	149	8.2	36	2.0	47	2.6	794	43.6
African American	1,137	55.5	1,214	56.0	2,351	889	37.8	213	9.1	24	1.0	86	3.7	1,139	48.4
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	0.0	2	0.1	3	0	0.0	1	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	66.7
Native American	12	0.6	11	0.5	23	10	43.5	3	13.0	0	0.0	1	4.3	9	39.1
Unknown	13	0.6	4	0.2	17	5	29.4	1	5.9	0	0.0	1	5.9	10	58.8
Time Since Initial Custody															
0-12 months	199	9.7	57	2.6	256	154	60.2	1	0.4	1	0.4	5	2.0	95	37.1
13-24 months	591	28.8	244	11.3	835	391	46.8	29	3.5	5	0.6	28	3.4	382	45.7
25-36 months	556	27.1	320	14.8	876	431	49.2	26	3.0	7	0.8	13	1.5	399	45.5
37-48 months	367	17.9	347	16.0	714	323	45.2	46	6.4	6	0.8	18	2.5	321	45.0
More than 4 years	337	16.4	1,198	55.3	1,535	401	26.1	265	17.3	41	2.7	71	4.6	757	49.3
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Time in Permanent Custody															
0-12 months	1,202	58.6	498	23.0	1,700	865	50.9	39	2.3	5	0.3	39	2.3	752	44.2
13-24 months	466	22.7	393	18.1	859	394	45.9	41	4.8	14	1.6	20	2.3	390	45.4
25-36 months	200	9.8	319	14.7	519	196	37.8	44	8.5	7	1.3	16	3.1	256	49.3
37-48 months	111	5.4	279	12.9	390	119	30.5	50	12.8	4	1.0	12	3.1	205	52.6
More than 4 years	71	3.5	677	31.3	748	126	16.8	193	25.8	30	4.0	48	6.4	351	46.9
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	2,050	100.0	2,166	100.0	4,216	1,700	40.3	367	8.7	60	1.4	135	3.2	1,954	46.3

Table 5b: Characteristics and Progress of Children Waiting and Placed at the Start of FFY 2004

	Population Waiting or Placed at Start of FFY					Outcome by End of FFY									
	0-9 Years		10-20 Years		Total Available	Adopted		Placed		Other Discharge		No Longer Waiting		Waiting	
	#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Age															
0-1 years	318	16.7	0	0.0	318	245	77.0	6	1.9	1	0.3	2	0.6	64	20.1
2-5 years	838	44.0	0	0.0	838	536	64.0	33	3.9	2	0.2	13	1.6	254	30.3
6-9 years	750	39.3	0	0.0	750	336	44.8	49	6.5	0	0.0	16	2.1	349	46.5
10-13 years	0	0.0	1,051	50.6	1,051	310	29.5	88	8.4	1	0.1	33	3.1	619	58.9
14-17 years	0	0.0	932	44.8	932	136	14.6	129	13.8	75	8.0	159	17.1	433	46.5
18-20 years	0	0.0	96	4.6	96	4	4.2	48	50.0	31	32.3	3	3.1	10	10.4
Sex															
Male	1,035	54.3	1,163	55.9	2,198	821	37.4	188	8.6	57	2.6	123	5.6	1,009	45.9
Female	871	45.7	916	44.1	1,787	746	41.7	165	9.2	53	3.0	103	5.8	720	40.3
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Race															
White	905	47.5	927	44.6	1,832	809	44.2	153	8.4	67	3.7	82	4.5	721	39.4
African American	959	50.3	1,133	54.5	2,092	732	35.0	193	9.2	43	2.1	141	6.7	983	47.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	6	0.3	2	0.1	8	4	50.0	1	12.5	0	0.0	2	25.0	1	12.5
Native American	11	0.6	11	0.5	22	8	36.4	4	18.2	0	0.0	1	4.5	9	40.9
Unknown	25	1.3	6	0.3	31	14	45.2	2	6.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	15	48.4
Time Since Initial Custody															
0-12 months	179	9.4	53	2.5	232	116	50.0	11	4.7	0	0.0	7	3.0	98	42.2
13-24 months	582	30.5	236	11.4	818	440	53.8	23	2.8	4	0.5	16	2.0	335	41.0
25-36 months	601	31.5	314	15.1	915	440	48.1	36	3.9	12	1.3	44	4.8	383	41.9
37-48 months	297	15.6	292	14.0	589	257	43.6	40	6.8	12	2.0	25	4.2	255	43.3
More than 4 years	247	13.0	1,184	57.0	1,431	314	21.9	243	17.0	82	5.7	134	9.4	658	46.0
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Time in Permanent Custody															
0-12 months	1,201	63.0	448	21.5	1,649	856	51.9	44	2.7	10	0.6	59	3.6	680	41.2
13-24 months	419	22.0	398	19.1	817	379	46.4	48	5.9	9	1.1	33	4.0	348	42.6
25-36 months	155	8.1	286	13.8	441	144	32.7	45	10.2	17	3.9	21	4.8	214	48.5
37-48 months	72	3.8	228	11.0	300	73	24.3	23	7.7	26	8.7	25	8.3	153	51.0
More than 4 years	59	3.1	719	34.6	778	115	14.8	193	24.8	48	6.2	88	11.3	334	42.9
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	1,906	100.0	2,079	100.0	3,985	1,567	39.3	353	8.9	110	2.8	226	5.7	1,729	43.4

Table 5c: Characteristics and Progress of Children Waiting and Placed at the Start of FFY 2005

	Population Waiting or Placed at Start of FFY					Outcome by End of FFY									
	0-9 Years		10-20 Years		Total Available	Adopted		Placed		Other Discharge		No Longer Waiting		Waiting	
	#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Age															
0-1 years	296	16.4	0	0.0	296	233	78.7	4	1.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	59	19.9
2-5 years	793	43.8	0	0.0	793	489	61.7	42	5.3	2	0.3	12	1.5	248	31.3
6-9 years	721	39.8	0	0.0	721	313	43.4	58	8.0	0	0.0	11	1.5	339	47.0
10-13 years	0	0.0	953	49.6	953	267	28.0	76	8.0	1	0.1	41	4.3	568	59.6
14-17 years	0	0.0	856	44.5	856	137	16.0	118	13.8	60	7.0	107	12.5	434	50.7
18-20 years	0	0.0	113	5.9	113	2	1.8	64	56.6	21	18.6	8	7.1	18	15.9
Sex															
Male	988	54.6	1,084	56.4	2,072	775	37.4	195	9.4	44	2.1	100	4.8	958	46.2
Female	822	45.4	838	43.6	1,660	666	40.1	167	10.1	40	2.4	79	4.8	708	42.7
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Race															
White	883	48.8	890	46.3	1,773	744	42.0	164	9.2	50	2.8	76	4.3	739	41.7
African American	892	49.3	1,016	52.9	1,908	670	35.1	192	10.1	34	1.8	103	5.4	909	47.6
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	0.1	2	0.1	4	0	0.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	50.0
Native American	9	0.5	6	0.3	15	10	66.7	2	13.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	20.0
Unknown	24	1.3	8	0.4	32	17	53.1	2	6.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	13	40.6
Time Since Initial Custody															
0-12 months	191	10.6	64	3.3	255	128	50.2	3	1.2	6	2.4	13	5.1	105	41.2
13-24 months	546	30.2	208	10.8	754	420	55.7	29	3.8	1	0.1	13	1.7	291	38.6
25-36 months	511	28.2	332	17.3	843	399	47.3	48	5.7	7	0.8	31	3.7	358	42.5
37-48 months	319	17.6	281	14.6	600	251	41.8	32	5.3	9	1.5	23	3.8	285	47.5
More than 4 years	243	13.4	1,037	54.0	1,280	243	19.0	250	19.5	61	4.8	99	7.7	627	49.0
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Time in Permanent Custody															
0-12 months	1,161	64.1	471	24.5	1,632	860	52.7	39	2.4	9	0.6	61	3.7	663	40.6
13-24 months	408	22.5	336	17.5	744	320	43.0	62	8.3	7	0.9	14	1.9	341	45.8
25-36 months	130	7.2	271	14.1	401	125	31.2	38	9.5	12	3.0	25	6.2	201	50.1
37-48 months	50	2.8	207	10.8	257	53	20.6	35	13.6	8	3.1	7	2.7	154	59.9
More than 4 years	61	3.4	637	33.1	698	83	11.9	188	26.9	48	6.9	72	10.3	307	44.0
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	1,810	100.0	1,922	100.0	3,732	1,441	38.6	362	9.7	84	2.3	179	4.8	1,666	44.6

Table 6a: Characteristics and Progress of Special Needs Children Waiting and Placed at the Start of FFY 2003

	Population Waiting or Placed at Start of FFY					Outcome by End of FFY									
	0-9 Years		10-20 Years		Total Available	Adopted		Placed		Other Discharge		No Longer Waiting		Waiting	
	#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Physical Assessment															
Severe	32	1.6	29	1.3	61	21	34.4	3	4.9	1	1.6	3	4.9	33	54.1
Moderate	125	6.1	100	4.6	225	104	46.2	13	5.8	2	0.9	6	2.7	100	44.4
None	1,893	92.3	2,037	94.0	3,930	1,575	40.1	351	8.9	57	1.5	126	3.2	1,821	46.3
Mental Assessment															
Severe	20	1.0	52	2.4	72	16	22.2	2	2.8	3	4.2	4	5.6	47	65.3
Moderate	151	7.4	320	14.8	471	129	27.4	30	6.4	13	2.8	18	3.8	281	59.7
None	1,879	91.7	1,794	82.8	3,673	1,555	42.3	335	9.1	44	1.2	113	3.1	1,626	44.3
Emotional Assessment															
Severe	87	4.2	179	8.3	266	54	20.3	10	3.8	6	2.3	8	3.0	188	70.7
Moderate	295	14.4	547	25.3	842	269	31.9	56	6.7	23	2.7	29	3.4	465	55.2
None	1,668	81.4	1,440	66.5	3,108	1,377	44.3	301	9.7	31	1.0	98	3.2	1,301	41.9
Special Needs															
Age	191	9.3	311	14.4	502	315	62.7	113	22.5	5	1.0	4	0.8	65	12.9
Minority	262	12.8	209	9.6	471	299	63.5	121	25.7	2	0.4	6	1.3	43	9.1
Ethnic	86	4.2	59	2.7	145	102	70.3	25	17.2	0	0.0	2	1.4	16	11.0
Siblings	254	12.4	187	8.6	441	301	68.3	96	21.8	5	1.1	2	0.5	37	8.4
One or more needs	462	22.5	396	18.3	858	554	64.6	206	24.0	7	0.8	6	0.7	85	9.9
Total	2,050	100.0	2,166	100.0	4,216	1,700	40.3	367	8.7	60	1.4	135	3.2	1,954	46.3

Table 6b: Characteristics and Progress of Special Needs Children Waiting and Placed at the Start of FFY 2004

	Population Waiting or Placed at Start of FFY					Outcome by End of FFY									
	0-9 Years		10-20 Years		Total Available	Adopted		Placed		Other Discharge		No Longer Waiting		Waiting	
	#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Physical Assessment															
Severe	36	1.9	30	1.4	66	26	39.4	3	4.5	1	1.5	3	4.5	33	50.0
Moderate	134	7.0	95	4.6	229	101	44.1	14	6.1	7	3.1	13	5.7	94	41.0
None	1,736	91.1	1,954	94.0	3,690	1,440	39.0	336	9.1	102	2.8	210	5.7	1,602	43.4
Mental Assessment															
Severe	21	1.1	51	2.5	72	14	19.4	1	1.4	3	4.2	4	5.6	50	69.4
Moderate	148	7.8	310	14.9	458	123	26.9	31	6.8	27	5.9	44	9.6	233	50.9
None	1,737	91.1	1,718	82.6	3,455	1,430	41.4	321	9.3	80	2.3	178	5.2	1,446	41.9
Emotional Assessment															
Severe	58	3.0	193	9.3	251	40	15.9	12	4.8	16	6.4	31	12.4	152	60.6
Moderate	299	15.7	515	24.8	814	254	31.2	60	7.4	29	3.6	63	7.7	408	50.1
None	1,549	81.3	1,371	65.9	2,920	1,273	43.6	281	9.6	65	2.2	132	4.5	1,169	40.0
Special Needs															
Age	167	8.8	330	15.9	497	313	63.0	111	22.3	7	1.4	9	1.8	57	11.5
Minority	261	13.7	235	11.3	496	331	66.7	113	22.8	3	0.6	5	1.0	44	8.9
Ethnic	94	4.9	78	3.8	172	121	70.3	36	20.9	0	0.0	3	1.7	12	7.0
Siblings	240	12.6	203	9.8	443	319	72.0	88	19.9	1	0.2	4	0.9	31	7.0
One or more needs	446	23.4	426	20.5	872	575	65.9	204	23.4	7	0.8	13	1.5	73	8.4
Total	1,906	100.0	2,079	100.0	3,985	1,567	39.3	353	8.9	110	2.8	226	5.7	1,729	43.4

Table 6c: Characteristics and Progress of Special Needs Children Waiting and Placed at the Start of FFY 2005

	Population Waiting or Placed at Start of FFY					Outcome by End of FFY									
	0-9 Years		10-20 Years		Total Available	Adopted		Placed		Other Discharge		No Longer Waiting		Waiting	
	#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Physical Assessment															
Severe	34	1.9	27	1.4	61	24	39.3	3	4.9	2	3.3	7	11.5	25	41.0
Moderate	144	8.0	91	4.7	235	118	50.2	14	6.0	5	2.1	9	3.8	89	37.9
None	1,632	90.2	1,804	93.9	3,436	1,299	37.8	345	10.0	77	2.2	163	4.7	1,552	45.2
Mental Assessment															
Severe	17	0.9	54	2.8	71	12	16.9	3	4.2	3	4.2	8	11.3	45	63.4
Moderate	158	8.7	293	15.2	451	141	31.3	36	8.0	17	3.8	28	6.2	229	50.8
None	1,635	90.3	1,575	81.9	3,210	1,288	40.1	323	10.1	64	2.0	143	4.5	1,392	43.4
Emotional Assessment															
Severe	34	1.9	161	8.4	195	27	13.8	14	7.2	8	4.1	26	13.3	120	61.5
Moderate	310	17.1	498	25.9	808	278	34.4	52	6.4	34	4.2	49	6.1	395	48.9
None	1,466	81.0	1,263	65.7	2,729	1,136	41.6	296	10.8	42	1.5	104	3.8	1,151	42.2
Special Needs															
Age	148	8.2	312	16.2	460	272	59.1	123	26.7	2	0.4	8	1.7	55	12.0
Minority	226	12.5	231	12.0	457	290	63.5	119	26.0	2	0.4	7	1.5	39	8.5
Ethnic	79	4.4	79	4.1	158	109	69.0	34	21.5	1	0.6	1	0.6	13	8.2
Siblings	208	11.5	210	10.9	418	276	66.0	102	24.4	2	0.5	4	1.0	34	8.1
One or more needs	404	22.3	407	21.2	811	507	62.5	220	27.1	3	0.4	10	1.2	71	8.8
Total	1,810	100.0	1,922	100.0	3,732	1,441	38.6	362	9.7	84	2.3	179	4.8	1,666	44.6

Table 7a: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), FFY 2003

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	1,717	449	497	22.9	37	76	610	28.2
Major Metro Counties	906	262	286	24.5	21	15	322	27.6
Cuyahoga	561	214	174	22.5	14	6	194	25.0
Franklin	205	32	98	41.4	4	9	111	46.8
Hamilton	140	16	14	9.0	3	0	17	10.9
Metro Counties	419	123	110	20.3	9	36	155	28.6
Butler	36	3	18	46.2	0	4	22	56.4
Lake	2	1	1	33.3	2	0	3	100.0
Lorain	20	15	14	40.0	0	0	14	40.0
Lucas	54	30	14	16.7	5	5	24	28.6
Mahoning	11	0	1	9.1	0	0	1	9.1
Montgomery	78	15	23	24.7	1	11	35	37.6
Stark	111	22	18	13.5	1	11	30	22.6
Summit	86	31	13	11.1	0	3	16	13.7
Trumbull	21	6	8	29.6	0	2	10	37.0
Large Counties	159	32	51	26.7	5	7	63	33.0
Allen	13	1	1	7.1	0	0	1	7.1
Ashtabula	7	5	3	25.0	1	0	4	33.3
Clark	29	3	5	15.6	0	0	5	15.6
Clermont	6	0	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Columbiana	3	4	1	14.3	0	0	1	14.3
Delaware	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	12	4	4	25.0	1	1	6	37.5
Greene	17	1	2	11.1	0	1	3	16.7
Licking	21	5	9	34.6	0	2	11	42.3
Medina	9	0	5	55.6	0	0	5	55.6
Portage	9	4	5	38.5	1	2	8	61.5
Richland	10	1	9	81.8	2	0	11	100.0
Warren	4	0	2	50.0	0	1	3	75.0
Wayne	12	3	3	20.0	0	0	3	20.0
Wood	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0

Table 7a: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), FFY 2003

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	135	16	26	17.2	1	10	37	24.5
Ashland	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	16	1	5	29.4	0	1	6	35.3
Belmont	5	0	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	23	3	2	7.7	0	0	2	7.7
Geauga	6	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	16.7
Hancock	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Huron	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	5	3	1	12.5	0	2	3	37.5
Knox	1	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	100.0
Lawrence	5	0	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Marion	1	1	0	0.0	0	1	1	50.0
Miami	20	1	4	19.0	0	3	7	33.3
Muskingum	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	5	0	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Sandusky	14	1	5	33.3	0	0	5	33.3
Scioto	13	1	1	7.1	0	0	1	7.1
Seneca	4	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Tuscarawas	5	1	1	16.7	0	2	3	50.0
Washington	5	3	2	25.0	0	0	2	25.0
Medium Small Counties	53	6	12	20.3	1	5	18	30.5
Auglaize	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Clinton	3	0	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Crawford	7	2	2	22.2	0	0	2	22.2
Fulton	4	0	3	75.0	0	0	3	75.0
Guernsey	8	0	1	12.5	0	0	1	12.5
Highland	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Logan	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Madison	6	1	2	28.6	0	0	2	28.6
Mercer	6	0	1	16.7	0	2	3	50.0
Ottawa	2	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	50.0
Preble	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	0	1	1	100.0	0	2	3	300.0
Union	2	1	0	0.0	1	0	1	33.3

Table 7a: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), FFY 2003

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	45	10	12	21.8	0	3	15	27.3
Adams	6	1	4	57.1	0	0	4	57.1
Carroll	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Champaign	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Coshocton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Defiance	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	3	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	33.3
Hardin	5	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	20.0
Harrison	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Hocking	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Holmes	1	1	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Morgan	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	2	1	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Noble	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	9	1	2	20.0	0	0	2	20.0
Pike	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wyandot	2	2	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0

Table 7b: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	1,624	455	450	21.6	22	48	520	25.0
Major Metro Counties	822	265	246	22.6	12	7	265	24.4
Cuyahoga	505	232	169	22.9	8	2	179	24.3
Franklin	151	15	56	33.7	3	5	64	38.6
Hamilton	166	18	21	11.4	1	0	22	12.0
Metro Counties	425	114	116	21.5	7	18	141	26.2
Butler	25	5	12	40.0	0	2	14	46.7
Lake	4	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	25.0
Lorain	15	12	10	37.0	0	0	10	37.0
Lucas	71	21	18	19.6	0	4	22	23.9
Mahoning	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Montgomery	72	27	28	28.3	5	5	38	38.4
Stark	129	19	23	15.5	0	4	27	18.2
Summit	86	27	19	16.8	1	3	23	20.4
Trumbull	18	2	5	25.0	0	0	5	25.0
Large Counties	138	38	41	23.3	0	5	46	26.1
Allen	11	3	2	14.3	0	0	2	14.3
Ashtabula	7	6	7	53.8	0	1	8	61.5
Clark	29	4	9	27.3	0	0	9	27.3
Clermont	4	3	1	14.3	0	0	1	14.3
Columbiana	2	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Delaware	2	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	50.0
Fairfield	15	2	4	23.5	0	0	4	23.5
Greene	15	3	1	5.6	0	0	1	5.6
Licking	17	6	6	26.1	0	1	7	30.4
Medina	3	1	1	25.0	0	1	2	50.0
Portage	10	2	3	25.0	0	0	3	25.0
Richland	8	2	5	50.0	0	1	6	60.0
Warren	3	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wayne	9	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wood	3	2	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0

Table 7b: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	153	21	28	16.1	1	10	39	22.4
Ashland	3	0	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Athens	13	5	4	22.2	0	0	4	22.2
Belmont	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	26	3	2	6.9	0	0	2	6.9
Geauga	11	0	2	18.2	0	2	4	36.4
Hancock	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Huron	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Jefferson	14	2	0	0.0	0	1	1	6.3
Knox	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lawrence	6	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Marion	3	0	1	33.3	0	3	4	133.3
Miami	19	1	2	10.0	0	0	2	10.0
Muskingum	4	0	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	3	1	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Sandusky	11	0	1	9.1	0	0	1	9.1
Scioto	19	0	4	21.1	0	0	4	21.1
Seneca	3	4	2	28.6	0	1	3	42.9
Tuscarawas	5	1	2	33.3	1	2	5	83.3
Washington	3	4	3	42.9	0	0	3	42.9
Medium Small Counties	42	8	10	20.0	1	6	17	34.0
Auglaize	1	0	0	0.0	0	4	4	400.0
Brown	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Clinton	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Crawford	6	1	1	14.3	0	0	1	14.3
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	4	2	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
Highland	4	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	25.0
Logan	5	1	2	33.3	0	2	4	66.7
Madison	4	1	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Mercer	4	2	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
Ottawa	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Union	2	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 7b: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	44	9	9	17.0	1	2	12	22.6
Adams	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Champaign	2	1	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Coshocton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Defiance	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Gallia	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Harrison	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	3	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	33.3
Hocking	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	3	0	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Perry	4	5	5	55.6	0	0	5	55.6
Pike	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	3	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	33.3
Wyandot	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 7c: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), FFY 2005

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	1,474	448	406	21.1	49	55	510	26.5
Major Metro Counties	667	258	216	23.4	28	10	254	27.5
Cuyahoga	458	197	136	20.8	13	1	150	22.9
Franklin	94	29	55	44.7	15	8	78	63.4
Hamilton	115	32	25	17.0	0	1	26	17.7
Metro Counties	447	106	98	17.7	7	14	119	21.5
Butler	31	10	11	26.8	2	1	14	34.1
Lake	4	1	0	0.0	0	2	2	40.0
Lorain	9	7	1	6.3	2	0	3	18.8
Lucas	69	19	15	17.0	1	4	20	22.7
Mahoning	13	4	7	41.2	0	0	7	41.2
Montgomery	83	18	19	18.8	1	4	24	23.8
Stark	121	22	21	14.7	0	3	24	16.8
Summit	102	25	20	15.7	1	0	21	16.5
Trumbull	15	0	4	26.7	0	0	4	26.7
Large Counties	139	37	42	23.9	6	8	56	31.8
Allen	8	1	1	11.1	0	0	1	11.1
Ashtabula	5	2	1	14.3	2	0	3	42.9
Clark	22	2	4	16.7	1	3	8	33.3
Clermont	9	3	3	25.0	0	1	4	33.3
Columbiana	3	5	5	62.5	0	0	5	62.5
Delaware	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	12	3	4	26.7	1	0	5	33.3
Greene	20	1	3	14.3	0	0	3	14.3
Licking	19	3	7	31.8	0	4	11	50.0
Medina	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	12	8	8	40.0	0	0	8	40.0
Richland	4	4	4	50.0	2	0	6	75.0
Warren	2	3	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Wayne	8	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wood	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7

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	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	133	27	32	20.0	8	17	57	35.6
Ashland	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	18	4	8	36.4	1	2	11	50.0
Belmont	8	0	1	12.5	1	2	4	50.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	17	4	5	23.8	0	0	5	23.8
Geauga	8	2	2	20.0	2	1	5	50.0
Hancock	1	1	0	0.0	1	0	1	50.0
Huron	3	1	1	25.0	2	0	3	75.0
Jefferson	13	2	0	0.0	0	1	1	6.7
Knox	1	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	200.0
Lawrence	10	0	1	10.0	0	0	1	10.0
Marion	4	1	3	60.0	0	2	5	100.0
Miami	18	1	3	15.8	0	1	4	21.1
Muskingum	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Pickaway	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	4	1	0	0.0	0	1	1	20.0
Sandusky	5	0	1	20.0	1	3	5	100.0
Scioto	10	3	5	38.5	0	0	5	38.5
Seneca	0	3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Tuscarawas	3	2	1	20.0	0	2	3	60.0
Washington	4	2	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Medium Small Counties	34	11	10	22.2	0	3	13	28.9
Auglaize	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Clinton	1	2	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Crawford	5	1	1	16.7	0	2	3	50.0
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Highland	4	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	25.0
Logan	2	3	3	60.0	0	0	3	60.0
Madison	3	1	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
Mercer	4	2	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
Ottawa	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	4	0	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
Union	1	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

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	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	54	9	8	12.7	0	3	11	17.5
Adams	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	3	2	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Champaign	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Coshocton	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Defiance	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	0.0
Gallia	5	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	20.0
Hardin	8	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Harrison	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hocking	3	2	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	1	2	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Morrow	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Paulding	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	6	0	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
Pike	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Putnam	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wyandot	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 8a: Rates of Adoption and Success for African American Children, FFY 2003

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	1,823	528	889	37.8	124	78	1,091	46.4
Major Metro Counties	1,318	390	651	38.1	86	10	747	43.7
Cuyahoga	898	315	444	36.6	63	5	512	42.2
Franklin	244	38	149	52.8	15	5	169	59.9
Hamilton	176	37	58	27.2	8	0	66	31.0
Metro Counties	418	103	185	35.5	27	55	267	51.2
Butler	28	0	15	53.6	0	2	17	60.7
Lake	2	0	2	100.0	1	0	3	150.0
Lorain	19	6	12	48.0	2	1	15	60.0
Lucas	59	29	33	37.5	11	9	53	60.2
Mahoning	15	5	6	30.0	0	0	6	30.0
Montgomery	105	22	46	36.2	8	20	74	58.3
Stark	66	17	21	25.3	3	11	35	42.2
Summit	103	19	39	32.0	2	12	53	43.4
Trumbull	21	5	11	42.3	0	0	11	42.3
Large Counties	58	23	41	50.6	6	7	54	66.7
Allen	7	2	2	22.2	0	2	4	44.4
Ashtabula	2	2	4	100.0	1	0	5	125.0
Clark	14	5	9	47.4	0	0	9	47.4
Clermont	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Columbiana	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Delaware	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Greene	9	0	1	11.1	0	0	1	11.1
Licking	3	7	9	90.0	0	1	10	100.0
Medina	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	4	3	4	57.1	0	4	8	114.3
Richland	7	2	6	66.7	5	0	11	122.2
Warren	5	0	4	80.0	0	0	4	80.0
Wayne	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Wood	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

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Medium Counties	22	8	7	23.3	3	5	15	50.0
Ashland	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	0	3	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Belmont	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	12	3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Geauga	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hancock	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	2	0.0
Huron	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	2	1	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Knox	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lawrence	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Marion	0	0	0	0.0	0	4	4	0.0
Miami	1	1	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Muskingum	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Sandusky	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Scioto	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Seneca	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Tuscarawas	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Washington	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Medium Small Counties	3	1	1	25.0	2	0	3	75.0
Auglaize	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Clinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Crawford	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fulton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Highland	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Logan	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Madison	2	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	50.0
Mercer	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ottawa	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Union	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 8a: Rates of Adoption and Success for African American Children, FFY 2003

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	4	3	4	57.1	0	1	5	71.4
Adams	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Champaign	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Coshocton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Defiance	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Hardin	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Harrison	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hocking	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Paulding	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	2	1	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Pike	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wyandot	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 8b: Rates of Adoption and Success for African American Children, FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	1,578	514	732	35.0	142	60	934	44.6
Major Metro Counties	1,136	378	534	35.3	97	10	641	42.3
Cuyahoga	816	308	398	35.4	72	6	476	42.3
Franklin	143	37	89	49.4	16	4	109	60.6
Hamilton	177	33	47	22.4	9	0	56	26.7
Metro Counties	364	117	166	34.5	40	38	244	50.7
Butler	20	1	14	66.7	1	0	15	71.4
Lake	1	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	100.0
Lorain	13	9	8	36.4	4	4	16	72.7
Lucas	87	13	35	35.0	11	7	53	53.0
Mahoning	9	3	4	33.3	1	2	7	58.3
Montgomery	68	56	64	51.6	13	12	89	71.8
Stark	62	14	15	19.7	6	6	27	35.5
Summit	89	20	24	22.0	3	7	34	31.2
Trumbull	15	1	2	12.5	0	0	2	12.5
Large Counties	47	12	23	39.0	4	3	30	50.8
Allen	10	1	3	27.3	0	1	4	36.4
Ashtabula	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Clark	10	1	3	27.3	0	0	3	27.3
Clermont	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Columbiana	2	0	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Delaware	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	4	0	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Greene	10	0	1	10.0	0	0	1	10.0
Licking	1	4	3	60.0	0	2	5	100.0
Medina	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Richland	3	6	8	88.9	3	0	11	122.2
Warren	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wayne	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wood	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0

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	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	23	5	4	14.3	0	8	12	42.9
Ashland	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	1	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Belmont	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	10	4	2	14.3	0	0	2	14.3
Geauga	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hancock	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Huron	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Knox	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lawrence	1	0	0	0.0	0	3	3	300.0
Marion	0	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	0.0
Miami	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Muskingum	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Sandusky	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Scioto	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Seneca	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Tuscarawas	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Washington	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Medium Small Counties	4	1	3	60.0	1	0	4	80.0
Auglaize	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Brown	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Clinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Crawford	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fulton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Highland	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Logan	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Madison	2	1	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Mercer	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ottawa	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Union	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 8b: Rates of Adoption and Success for African American Children, FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	4	1	2	40.0	0	1	3	60.0
Adams	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Champaign	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Coshocton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Defiance	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Harrison	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hocking	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	1	0	1	100.0	0	1	2	200.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Pike	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wyandot	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0

Table 8c: Rates of Adoption and Success for African American Children, FFY 2005

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	1,467	441	670	35.1	141	44	855	44.8
Major Metro Counties	1,005	317	477	36.1	99	10	586	44.3
Cuyahoga	748	245	333	33.5	51	1	385	38.8
Franklin	117	37	96	62.3	42	5	143	92.9
Hamilton	140	35	48	27.4	6	4	58	33.1
Metro Counties	386	103	169	34.6	34	29	232	47.4
Butler	13	3	7	43.8	4	0	11	68.8
Lake	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lorain	9	13	9	40.9	0	1	10	45.5
Lucas	87	27	52	45.6	7	9	68	59.6
Mahoning	18	7	8	32.0	1	1	10	40.0
Montgomery	73	18	19	20.9	17	10	46	50.5
Stark	73	11	21	25.0	1	5	27	32.1
Summit	95	23	42	35.6	2	3	47	39.8
Trumbull	17	1	11	61.1	2	0	13	72.2
Large Counties	49	10	17	28.8	7	1	25	42.4
Allen	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Ashtabula	5	1	3	50.0	1	0	4	66.7
Clark	13	1	1	7.1	0	1	2	14.3
Clermont	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Columbiana	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Delaware	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Greene	9	1	1	10.0	0	0	1	10.0
Licking	3	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Medina	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Richland	5	5	10	100.0	6	0	16	160.0
Warren	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wayne	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wood	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0

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	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	20	9	6	20.7	1	1	8	27.6
Ashland	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	2	1	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Belmont	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Darke	0	2	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Erie	7	3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Geauga	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hancock	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Huron	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	3	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Knox	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lawrence	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Marion	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Miami	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Muskingum	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	2	0	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Sandusky	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Scioto	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Seneca	0	2	0	0.0	0	1	1	50.0
Tuscarawas	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Washington	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Medium Small Counties	4	0	1	25.0	0	3	4	100.0
Auglaize	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Clinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Crawford	0	0	0	0.0	0	3	3	0.0
Fulton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Highland	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Logan	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Madison	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Mercer	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ottawa	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	3	0	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Shelby	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Union	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 8c: Rates of Adoption and Success for African American Children, FFY 2005

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	3	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Adams	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Champaign	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Coshocton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Defiance	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Harrison	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hocking	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Pike	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wyandot	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 9a: Rates of Adoption and Success for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, FFY 2003

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	2,338	787	1,155	37.0	39	143	1,337	42.8
Major Metro Counties	1,342	493	695	37.9	28	15	738	40.2
Cuyahoga	844	390	447	36.2	18	6	471	38.2
Franklin	308	69	207	54.9	5	9	221	58.6
Hamilton	190	34	41	18.3	5	0	46	20.5
Metro Counties	522	174	242	34.8	3	85	330	47.4
Butler	58	6	35	54.7	0	4	39	60.9
Lake	6	3	7	77.8	2	0	9	100.0
Lorain	16	7	9	39.1	0	0	9	39.1
Lucas	55	42	31	32.0	0	14	45	46.4
Mahoning	15	6	9	42.9	0	0	9	42.9
Montgomery	107	22	50	38.8	1	26	77	59.7
Stark	119	37	41	26.3	0	26	67	42.9
Summit	112	41	42	27.5	0	12	54	35.3
Trumbull	34	10	18	40.9	0	3	21	47.7
Large Counties	213	65	121	43.5	1	15	137	49.3
Allen	17	1	3	16.7	0	2	5	27.8
Ashtabula	15	8	13	56.5	0	0	13	56.5
Clark	28	8	11	30.6	0	0	11	30.6
Clermont	8	4	3	25.0	0	0	3	25.0
Columbiana	9	5	5	35.7	0	0	5	35.7
Delaware	5	0	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Fairfield	14	9	12	52.2	0	4	16	69.6
Greene	24	3	7	25.9	0	0	7	25.9
Licking	30	15	20	44.4	0	5	25	55.6
Medina	11	0	7	63.6	0	0	7	63.6
Portage	11	3	7	50.0	0	4	11	78.6
Richland	15	3	16	88.9	1	0	17	94.4
Warren	12	0	10	83.3	0	0	10	83.3
Wayne	11	3	2	14.3	0	0	2	14.3
Wood	3	3	3	50.0	0	0	3	50.0

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	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	168	30	58	29.3	5	23	86	43.4
Ashland	2	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	50.0
Athens	20	6	13	50.0	0	0	13	50.0
Belmont	4	0	3	75.0	2	2	7	175.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	0.0
Erie	32	4	7	19.4	0	0	7	19.4
Geauga	3	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	33.3
Hancock	3	1	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Huron	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	13	5	10	55.6	0	2	12	66.7
Knox	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lawrence	9	0	4	44.4	0	0	4	44.4
Marion	5	0	0	0.0	0	7	7	140.0
Miami	22	2	7	29.2	0	4	11	45.8
Muskingum	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Pickaway	1	0	1	100.0	0	1	2	200.0
Ross	7	0	3	42.9	0	1	4	57.1
Sandusky	10	0	5	50.0	0	0	5	50.0
Scioto	18	4	2	9.1	0	1	3	13.6
Seneca	6	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Tuscarawas	3	0	0	0.0	2	2	4	133.3
Washington	6	6	1	8.3	0	0	1	8.3
Medium Small Counties	44	13	19	33.3	1	3	23	40.4
Auglaize	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Clinton	7	0	3	42.9	0	0	3	42.9
Crawford	5	3	3	37.5	0	0	3	37.5
Fulton	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Guernsey	9	1	1	10.0	0	0	1	10.0
Highland	4	0	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
Logan	2	2	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Madison	4	1	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Mercer	5	0	1	20.0	0	2	3	60.0
Ottawa	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Preble	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	0	2	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Union	1	3	2	50.0	1	0	3	75.0

Table 9a: Rates of Adoption and Success for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, FFY 2003

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	49	12	20	32.8	1	2	23	37.7
Adams	5	1	4	66.7	0	0	4	66.7
Carroll	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Champaign	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Coshocton	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Defiance	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	5	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	20.0
Harrison	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	8	1	4	44.4	0	0	4	44.4
Hocking	2	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	50.0
Holmes	1	1	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	2	2	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Noble	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	10	1	2	18.2	0	0	2	18.2
Pike	3	2	3	60.0	0	0	3	60.0
Putnam	2	0	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Van Wert	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wyandot	2	2	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0

Table 9b: Rates of Adoption and Success for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	2,167	768	1,011	34.4	50	106	1,167	39.8
Major Metro Counties	1,188	438	562	34.6	35	13	610	37.5
Cuyahoga	789	353	390	34.2	21	6	417	36.5
Franklin	194	46	125	52.1	11	7	143	59.6
Hamilton	205	39	47	19.3	3	0	50	20.5
Metro Counties	530	193	249	34.4	10	49	308	42.6
Butler	43	7	32	64.0	1	6	39	78.0
Lake	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lorain	16	15	11	35.5	0	0	11	35.5
Lucas	84	31	35	30.4	2	9	46	40.0
Mahoning	12	3	4	26.7	0	2	6	40.0
Montgomery	83	56	68	48.9	5	12	85	61.2
Stark	122	33	44	28.4	0	14	58	37.4
Summit	134	43	38	21.5	2	6	46	26.0
Trumbull	32	5	17	45.9	0	0	17	45.9
Large Counties	191	69	99	38.1	4	15	118	45.4
Allen	16	4	8	40.0	0	7	15	75.0
Ashtabula	14	5	13	68.4	0	1	14	73.7
Clark	32	7	12	30.8	1	0	13	33.3
Clermont	6	11	5	29.4	0	0	5	29.4
Columbiana	10	2	5	41.7	0	0	5	41.7
Delaware	2	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	50.0
Fairfield	20	2	7	31.8	1	0	8	36.4
Greene	30	3	7	21.2	1	0	8	24.2
Licking	25	17	19	45.2	1	1	21	50.0
Medina	4	2	3	50.0	0	2	5	83.3
Portage	7	5	6	50.0	0	0	6	50.0
Richland	6	5	7	63.6	0	3	10	90.9
Warren	5	2	2	28.6	0	0	2	28.6
Wayne	12	2	4	28.6	0	0	4	28.6
Wood	2	2	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0

Table 9b: Rates of Adoption and Success for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Medium Counties	177	40	66	30.4	0	14	80	36.9
Ashland	7	0	3	42.9	0	0	3	42.9
Athens	14	7	5	23.8	0	0	5	23.8
Belmont	5	0	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Darke	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Erie	29	6	5	14.3	0	0	5	14.3
Geauga	5	0	3	60.0	0	0	3	60.0
Hancock	1	1	0	0.0	0	2	2	100.0
Huron	2	2	4	100.0	0	1	5	125.0
Jefferson	23	2	6	24.0	0	1	7	28.0
Knox	6	0	4	66.7	0	0	4	66.7
Lawrence	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Marion	5	1	1	16.7	0	3	4	66.7
Miami	17	3	3	15.0	0	2	5	25.0
Muskingum	7	0	4	57.1	0	0	4	57.1
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	4	1	3	60.0	0	0	3	60.0
Sandusky	13	2	5	33.3	0	0	5	33.3
Scioto	21	2	6	26.1	0	0	6	26.1
Seneca	3	5	3	37.5	0	2	5	62.5
Tuscarawas	4	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	50.0
Washington	6	7	9	69.2	0	1	10	76.9
Medium Small Counties	41	13	19	35.2	1	10	30	55.6
Auglaize	1	0	0	0.0	0	4	4	400.0
Brown	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Clinton	6	4	8	80.0	1	0	9	90.0
Crawford	4	2	3	50.0	0	2	5	83.3
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	4	4	4	50.0	0	0	4	50.0
Highland	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Logan	7	0	2	28.6	0	2	4	57.1
Madison	2	2	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Mercer	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ottawa	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Union	1	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 9b: Rates of Adoption and Success for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, FFY 2004

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	40	15	16	29.1	0	5	21	38.2
Adams	2	2	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Carroll	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Champaign	0	2	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Coshocton	0	0	0	0.0	0	3	3	0.0
Defiance	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Harrison	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	5	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	20.0
Hocking	4	0	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	1	1	2	100.0	0	1	3	150.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	5	6	7	63.6	0	0	7	63.6
Pike	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wyandot	6	1	1	14.3	0	0	1	14.3

Table 9c: Rates of Adoption and Success for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, FFY 2005

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Ohio	2,012	711	893	32.8	59	122	1,074	39.4
Major Metro Counties	1,026	396	484	34.0	37	12	533	37.5
Cuyahoga	732	305	320	30.9	12	1	333	32.1
Franklin	146	48	113	58.2	22	8	143	73.7
Hamilton	148	43	51	26.7	3	3	57	29.8
Metro Counties	563	184	226	30.3	9	49	284	38.0
Butler	36	18	24	44.4	0	4	28	51.9
Lake	9	2	3	27.3	0	3	6	54.5
Lorain	13	10	8	34.8	0	0	8	34.8
Lucas	97	37	47	35.1	5	11	63	47.0
Mahoning	24	9	16	48.5	0	1	17	51.5
Montgomery	82	29	27	24.3	3	13	43	38.7
Stark	133	33	32	19.3	0	15	47	28.3
Summit	139	43	54	29.7	1	2	57	31.3
Trumbull	30	3	15	45.5	0	0	15	45.5
Large Counties	194	70	98	37.1	8	13	119	45.1
Allen	13	1	1	7.1	0	0	1	7.1
Ashtabula	7	2	5	55.6	2	0	7	77.8
Clark	32	7	11	28.2	0	4	15	38.5
Clermont	18	10	10	35.7	0	1	11	39.3
Columbiana	9	9	9	50.0	0	0	9	50.0
Delaware	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	18	3	11	52.4	1	1	13	61.9
Greene	33	2	4	11.4	1	0	5	14.3
Licking	27	15	25	59.5	0	7	32	76.2
Medina	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	7	10	10	58.8	0	0	10	58.8
Richland	5	5	7	70.0	4	0	11	110.0
Warren	3	4	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wayne	13	1	3	21.4	0	0	3	21.4
Wood	4	1	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0

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Medium Counties	143	44	57	30.5	3	33	93	49.7
Ashland	7	0	2	28.6	1	0	3	42.9
Athens	11	6	7	41.2	0	6	13	76.5
Belmont	8	2	3	30.0	0	2	5	50.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	19	6	7	28.0	0	0	7	28.0
Geauga	8	1	3	33.3	0	1	4	44.4
Hancock	1	1	0	0.0	0	2	2	100.0
Huron	3	1	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
Jefferson	18	4	2	9.1	0	2	4	18.2
Knox	1	0	0	0.0	0	3	3	300.0
Lawrence	14	1	5	33.3	0	0	5	33.3
Marion	6	0	2	33.3	0	4	6	100.0
Miami	17	2	3	15.8	0	1	4	21.1
Muskingum	3	2	3	60.0	1	0	4	80.0
Pickaway	3	0	3	100.0	1	0	4	133.3
Ross	4	1	0	0.0	0	3	3	60.0
Sandusky	5	0	1	20.0	0	4	5	100.0
Scioto	10	5	8	53.3	0	0	8	53.3
Seneca	1	7	4	50.0	0	1	5	62.5
Tuscarawas	2	3	2	40.0	0	1	3	60.0
Washington	2	2	1	25.0	0	3	4	100.0
Medium Small Counties	38	9	10	21.3	0	10	20	42.6
Auglaize	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	1	0	0	0.0	0	3	3	300.0
Clinton	2	2	3	75.0	0	0	3	75.0
Crawford	4	1	0	0.0	0	3	3	60.0
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	1	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	200.0
Highland	4	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	25.0
Logan	2	3	3	60.0	0	0	3	60.0
Madison	3	2	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Mercer	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ottawa	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	7	0	1	14.3	0	1	2	28.6
Shelby	5	0	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Union	1	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 9c: Rates of Adoption and Success for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, FFY 2005

	Waiting at Start of FFY	Placed at Start of FFY	Waiting or Placed at Start, Adopted during FFY	Rate of Success	Adopted who Entered PC during FFY	Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	Total Adoptions	Rate of Adoption
Small Counties	48	8	18	32.1	2	5	25	44.6
Adams	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Champaign	1	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	100.0
Coshocton	1	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Defiance	1	1	2	100.0	0	1	3	150.0
Fayette	3	0	3	100.0	0	2	5	166.7
Gallia	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Harrison	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Hocking	3	1	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jackson	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	2	0	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Monroe	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	1	2	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Morrow	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Paulding	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Perry	7	1	3	37.5	1	0	4	50.0
Pike	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Putnam	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wyandot	3	0	1	33.3	0	2	3	100.0

Table 10a: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2003: Statewide

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	190	18.3	21	8.7	12	13.3	102	11.3	325
2-5 years	358	34.5	81	33.6	24	26.7	297	33.0	760
6-9 years	194	18.7	56	23.2	21	23.3	222	24.7	493
10-13 years	200	19.3	49	20.3	21	23.3	188	20.9	458
14-17 years	96	9.2	34	14.1	11	12.2	90	10.0	231
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.1	1	0.1	2
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	545	52.5	124	51.5	41	45.6	466	51.8	1,176
Female	493	47.5	117	48.5	49	54.4	434	48.2	1,093
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	536	51.6	92	38.2	18	20.0	510	56.7	1,156
African American	491	47.3	149	61.8	72	80.0	379	42.1	1,091
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	0.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Native American	4	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	1.0	13
Unknown	6	0.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.2	8
Special Needs									
Age	403	38.8	121	50.2	49	54.4	396	44.0	969
Minority	434	41.8	139	57.7	69	76.7	352	39.1	994
Ethnic	156	15.0	46	19.1	34	37.8	122	13.6	358
Siblings	430	41.4	133	55.2	61	67.8	398	44.2	1,022
One or more needs	844	81.3	219	90.9	86	95.6	747	83.0	1,896
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	513	49.4	57	23.7	37	41.1	273	30.3	880
13-24 months	246	23.7	99	41.1	30	33.3	291	32.3	666
25-36 months	122	11.8	45	18.7	8	8.9	147	16.3	322
37-48 months	65	6.3	24	10.0	9	10.0	92	10.2	190
More than 4 years	85	8.2	14	5.8	6	6.7	76	8.4	181
No recorded time	7	0.7	2	0.8	0	0.0	21	2.3	30
Total	1,038	100.0	241	100.0	90	100.0	900	100.0	2,269

Table 10a: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2003: Major Metro Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	93	18.3	12	6.7	10	12.2	44	12.3	159
2-5 years	168	33.1	57	31.7	22	26.8	116	32.4	363
6-9 years	93	18.3	43	23.9	21	25.6	82	22.9	239
10-13 years	101	19.9	42	23.3	18	22.0	85	23.7	246
14-17 years	52	10.3	26	14.4	10	12.2	31	8.7	119
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.2	0	0.0	1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	261	51.5	94	52.2	37	45.1	172	48.0	564
Female	246	48.5	86	47.8	45	54.9	186	52.0	563
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	180	35.5	45	25.0	16	19.5	134	37.4	375
African American	323	63.7	135	75.0	66	80.5	223	62.3	747
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.3	3
Unknown	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Special Needs									
Age	214	42.2	94	52.2	46	56.1	184	51.4	538
Minority	265	52.3	133	73.9	64	78.0	203	56.7	665
Ethnic	125	24.7	41	22.8	32	39.0	93	26.0	291
Siblings	198	39.1	98	54.4	57	69.5	169	47.2	522
One or more needs	399	78.7	168	93.3	79	96.3	322	89.9	968
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	256	50.5	28	15.6	34	41.5	98	27.4	416
13-24 months	106	20.9	75	41.7	26	31.7	103	28.8	310
25-36 months	64	12.6	40	22.2	7	8.5	77	21.5	188
37-48 months	31	6.1	23	12.8	9	11.0	42	11.7	105
More than 4 years	50	9.9	13	7.2	6	7.3	38	10.6	107
No recorded time	0	0.0	1	0.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Total	507	100.0	180	100.0	82	100.0	358	100.0	1,127

Table 10a: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2003: Metro Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	61	19.2	2	14.3	1	33.3	33	12.3	97
2-5 years	117	36.9	8	57.1	0	0.0	88	32.8	213
6-9 years	57	18.0	1	7.1	0	0.0	60	22.4	118
10-13 years	58	18.3	1	7.1	1	33.3	56	20.9	116
14-17 years	24	7.6	2	14.3	1	33.3	30	11.2	57
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.4	1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	170	53.6	3	21.4	2	66.7	142	53.0	317
Female	147	46.4	11	78.6	1	33.3	126	47.0	285
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	178	56.2	7	50.0	1	33.3	137	51.1	323
African American	135	42.6	7	50.0	2	66.7	123	45.9	267
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Native American	2	0.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	8	3.0	10
Unknown	1	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Special Needs									
Age	103	32.5	2	14.3	1	33.3	119	44.4	225
Minority	129	40.7	5	35.7	2	66.7	127	47.4	263
Ethnic	17	5.4	3	21.4	0	0.0	14	5.2	34
Siblings	154	48.6	11	78.6	2	66.7	125	46.6	292
One or more needs	290	91.5	14	100.0	3	100.0	242	90.3	549
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	137	43.2	6	42.9	1	33.3	77	28.7	221
13-24 months	84	26.5	4	28.6	1	33.3	101	37.7	190
25-36 months	46	14.5	2	14.3	1	33.3	38	14.2	87
37-48 months	18	5.7	1	7.1	0	0.0	23	8.6	42
More than 4 years	31	9.8	1	7.1	0	0.0	29	10.8	61
No recorded time	1	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Total	317	100.0	14	100.0	3	100.0	268	100.0	602

Table 10a: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2003: Large Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	26	19.1	6	14.6	1	25.0	8	8.9	41
2-5 years	46	33.8	14	34.1	1	25.0	32	35.6	93
6-9 years	29	21.3	12	29.3	0	0.0	27	30.0	68
10-13 years	23	16.9	6	14.6	2	50.0	14	15.6	45
14-17 years	12	8.8	3	7.3	0	0.0	9	10.0	24
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	73	53.7	23	56.1	2	50.0	52	57.8	150
Female	63	46.3	18	43.9	2	50.0	38	42.2	121
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	103	75.7	35	85.4	0	0.0	75	83.3	213
African American	30	22.1	6	14.6	4	100.0	14	15.6	54
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	3	2.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.1	4
Special Needs									
Age	57	41.9	20	48.8	2	50.0	36	40.0	115
Minority	37	27.2	0	0.0	3	75.0	13	14.4	53
Ethnic	9	6.6	1	2.4	1	25.0	1	1.1	12
Siblings	51	37.5	23	56.1	2	50.0	39	43.3	115
One or more needs	100	73.5	31	75.6	3	75.0	68	75.6	202
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	77	56.6	20	48.8	1	25.0	23	25.6	121
13-24 months	41	30.1	18	43.9	3	75.0	34	37.8	96
25-36 months	6	4.4	3	7.3	0	0.0	16	17.8	25
37-48 months	8	5.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	8	8.9	16
More than 4 years	3	2.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	3.3	6
No recorded time	1	0.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	6.7	7
Total	136	100.0	41	100.0	4	100.0	90	100.0	271

Table 10a: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2003: Medium Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	6	14.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	6.7	13
2-5 years	12	28.6	1	25.0	0	0.0	35	33.7	48
6-9 years	5	11.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	37	35.6	42
10-13 years	13	31.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	17	16.3	30
14-17 years	6	14.3	3	75.0	0	0.0	8	7.7	17
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	21	50.0	3	75.0	0	0.0	51	49.0	75
Female	21	50.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	53	51.0	75
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	39	92.9	3	75.0	0	0.0	92	88.5	134
African American	3	7.1	1	25.0	0	0.0	11	10.6	15
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.0	1
Special Needs									
Age	19	45.2	4	100.0	0	0.0	28	26.9	51
Minority	2	4.8	1	25.0	0	0.0	5	4.8	8
Ethnic	2	4.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	9.6	12
Siblings	15	35.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	41	39.4	56
One or more needs	32	76.2	4	100.0	0	0.0	67	64.4	103
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	19	45.2	3	75.0	0	0.0	41	39.4	63
13-24 months	13	31.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	27	26.0	41
25-36 months	5	11.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	14	13.5	19
37-48 months	4	9.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	13	12.5	17
More than 4 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.0	1
No recorded time	1	2.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	8	7.7	9
Total	42	100.0	4	100.0	0	0.0	104	100.0	150

Table 10a: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2003: Medium Small Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	3	13.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	15.4	9
2-5 years	10	45.5	1	100.0	1	100.0	16	41.0	28
6-9 years	6	27.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.6	7
10-13 years	2	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	25.6	12
14-17 years	1	4.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	15.4	7
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	12	54.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	23	59.0	35
Female	10	45.5	1	100.0	1	100.0	16	41.0	28
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	22	100.0	1	100.0	1	100.0	36	92.3	60
African American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	7.7	3
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	6	27.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	12	30.8	18
Minority	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	5.1	2
Ethnic	2	9.1	1	100.0	1	100.0	1	2.6	5
Siblings	10	45.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	17.9	17
One or more needs	15	68.2	1	100.0	1	100.0	22	56.4	39
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	14	63.6	0	0.0	1	100.0	18	46.2	33
13-24 months	1	4.5	1	100.0	0	0.0	12	30.8	14
25-36 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	5.1	2
37-48 months	3	13.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	5.1	5
More than 4 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	7.7	3
No recorded time	4	18.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	5.1	6
Total	22	100.0	1	100.0	1	100.0	39	100.0	63

Table 10a: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2003: Small Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	1	7.1	1	100.0	0	0.0	4	9.8	6
2-5 years	5	35.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	24.4	15
6-9 years	4	28.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	15	36.6	19
10-13 years	3	21.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	14.6	9
14-17 years	1	7.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	14.6	7
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	8	57.1	1	100.0	0	0.0	26	63.4	35
Female	6	42.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	15	36.6	21
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	14	100.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	36	87.8	51
African American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	12.2	5
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	4	28.6	1	100.0	0	0.0	17	41.5	22
Minority	1	7.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	4.9	3
Ethnic	1	7.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	7.3	4
Siblings	2	14.3	1	100.0	0	0.0	17	41.5	20
One or more needs	8	57.1	1	100.0	0	0.0	26	63.4	35
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	10	71.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	16	39.0	26
13-24 months	1	7.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	14	34.1	15
25-36 months	1	7.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
37-48 months	1	7.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	9.8	5
More than 4 years	1	7.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	4.9	3
No recorded time	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	5	12.2	6
Total	14	100.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	41	100.0	56

Table 10b: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2004: Statewide

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	198	19.4	19	11.1	5	5.6	93	11.1	315
2-5 years	410	40.1	56	32.7	36	40.4	302	36.0	804
6-9 years	181	17.7	42	24.6	21	23.6	193	23.0	437
10-13 years	147	14.4	30	17.5	16	18.0	176	21.0	369
14-17 years	82	8.0	24	14.0	11	12.4	73	8.7	190
18-20 years	4	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.4	7
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	529	51.8	83	48.5	45	50.6	445	53.0	1,102
Female	493	48.2	88	51.5	44	49.4	395	47.0	1,020
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	563	55.1	55	32.2	18	20.2	521	62.0	1,157
African American	444	43.4	115	67.3	71	79.8	304	36.2	934
Asian/Pacific Islander	3	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1	4
Native American	3	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	0.8	10
Unknown	9	0.9	1	0.6	0	0.0	7	0.8	17
Special Needs									
Age	396	38.7	85	49.7	47	52.8	373	44.4	901
Minority	419	41.0	101	59.1	65	73.0	290	34.5	875
Ethnic	152	14.9	31	18.1	33	37.1	95	11.3	311
Siblings	401	39.2	91	53.2	63	70.8	396	47.1	951
One or more needs	864	84.5	152	88.9	83	93.3	689	82.0	1,788
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	549	53.7	39	22.8	52	58.4	285	33.9	925
13-24 months	267	26.1	79	46.2	18	20.2	304	36.2	668
25-36 months	86	8.4	21	12.3	7	7.9	136	16.2	250
37-48 months	45	4.4	17	9.9	2	2.2	44	5.2	108
More than 4 years	69	6.8	15	8.8	10	11.2	62	7.4	156
No recorded time	6	0.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	1.1	15
Total	1,022	100.0	171	100.0	89	100.0	840	100.0	2,122

Table 10b: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2004: Major Metro Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	107	21.9	10	8.3	5	6.0	37	12.6	159
2-5 years	170	34.8	35	29.2	33	39.3	100	34.0	338
6-9 years	81	16.6	32	26.7	19	22.6	73	24.8	205
10-13 years	74	15.2	25	20.8	16	19.0	57	19.4	172
14-17 years	54	11.1	18	15.0	11	13.1	27	9.2	110
18-20 years	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	255	52.3	57	47.5	41	48.8	161	54.8	514
Female	233	47.7	63	52.5	43	51.2	133	45.2	472
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	192	39.3	13	10.8	14	16.7	112	38.1	331
African American	288	59.0	106	88.3	70	83.3	177	60.2	641
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.3	3
Native American	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.7	4
Unknown	4	0.8	1	0.8	0	0.0	2	0.7	7
Special Needs									
Age	233	47.7	67	55.8	46	54.8	162	55.1	508
Minority	258	52.9	91	75.8	64	76.2	156	53.1	569
Ethnic	127	26.0	29	24.2	33	39.3	69	23.5	258
Siblings	176	36.1	65	54.2	60	71.4	120	40.8	421
One or more needs	433	88.7	111	92.5	79	94.0	255	86.7	878
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	254	52.0	17	14.2	47	56.0	85	28.9	403
13-24 months	127	26.0	57	47.5	18	21.4	109	37.1	311
25-36 months	37	7.6	15	12.5	7	8.3	54	18.4	113
37-48 months	27	5.5	16	13.3	2	2.4	20	6.8	65
More than 4 years	43	8.8	15	12.5	10	11.9	25	8.5	93
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.3	1
Total	488	100.0	120	100.0	84	100.0	294	100.0	986

Table 10b: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2004: Metro Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	55	17.9	2	9.5	0	0.0	23	8.8	80
2-5 years	130	42.2	12	57.1	2	50.0	94	36.2	238
6-9 years	56	18.2	5	23.8	2	50.0	60	23.1	123
10-13 years	49	15.9	1	4.8	0	0.0	60	23.1	110
14-17 years	17	5.5	1	4.8	0	0.0	21	8.1	39
18-20 years	1	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.8	3
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	153	49.7	10	47.6	4	100.0	144	55.4	311
Female	155	50.3	11	52.4	0	0.0	116	44.6	282
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	168	54.5	16	76.2	3	75.0	150	57.7	337
African American	134	43.5	5	23.8	1	25.0	104	40.0	244
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	1	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	1.5	5
Unknown	5	1.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.8	7
Special Needs									
Age	103	33.4	5	23.8	1	25.0	112	43.1	221
Minority	141	45.8	7	33.3	1	25.0	116	44.6	265
Ethnic	15	4.9	2	9.5	0	0.0	17	6.5	34
Siblings	144	46.8	12	57.1	2	50.0	155	59.6	313
One or more needs	268	87.0	18	85.7	3	75.0	242	93.1	531
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	167	54.2	7	33.3	4	100.0	90	34.6	268
13-24 months	81	26.3	11	52.4	0	0.0	92	35.4	184
25-36 months	29	9.4	3	14.3	0	0.0	46	17.7	78
37-48 months	13	4.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	11	4.2	24
More than 4 years	18	5.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	20	7.7	38
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.4	1
Total	308	100.0	21	100.0	4	100.0	260	100.0	593

Table 10b: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2004: Large Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	23	17.4	2	13.3	0	0.0	7	6.3	32
2-5 years	68	51.5	7	46.7	1	100.0	46	41.1	122
6-9 years	24	18.2	4	26.7	0	0.0	26	23.2	54
10-13 years	8	6.1	1	6.7	0	0.0	24	21.4	33
14-17 years	8	6.1	1	6.7	0	0.0	9	8.0	18
18-20 years	1	0.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	68	51.5	10	66.7	0	0.0	56	50.0	134
Female	64	48.5	5	33.3	1	100.0	56	50.0	126
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	118	89.4	11	73.3	1	100.0	100	89.3	230
African American	14	10.6	4	26.7	0	0.0	12	10.7	30
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	35	26.5	7	46.7	0	0.0	45	40.2	87
Minority	15	11.4	3	20.0	0	0.0	13	11.6	31
Ethnic	7	5.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	1.8	9
Siblings	43	32.6	8	53.3	1	100.0	51	45.5	103
One or more needs	102	77.3	13	86.7	1	100.0	80	71.4	196
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	77	58.3	6	40.0	1	100.0	30	26.8	114
13-24 months	36	27.3	8	53.3	0	0.0	52	46.4	96
25-36 months	11	8.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	19	17.0	30
37-48 months	2	1.5	1	6.7	0	0.0	6	5.4	9
More than 4 years	6	4.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	1.8	8
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	2.7	3
Total	132	100.0	15	100.0	1	100.0	112	100.0	260

Table 10b: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2004: Medium Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	8	15.4	5	50.0	0	0.0	16	14.3	29
2-5 years	24	46.2	1	10.0	0	0.0	44	39.3	69
6-9 years	10	19.2	1	10.0	0	0.0	23	20.5	34
10-13 years	9	17.3	1	10.0	0	0.0	16	14.3	26
14-17 years	1	1.9	2	20.0	0	0.0	12	10.7	15
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.9	1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	34	65.4	4	40.0	0	0.0	51	45.5	89
Female	18	34.6	6	60.0	0	0.0	61	54.5	85
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	48	92.3	10	100.0	0	0.0	102	91.1	160
African American	3	5.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	8.0	12
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	1.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.9	1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	15	28.8	3	30.0	0	0.0	25	22.3	43
Minority	4	7.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	3.6	8
Ethnic	2	3.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	6.3	9
Siblings	20	38.5	2	20.0	0	0.0	51	45.5	73
One or more needs	38	73.1	6	60.0	0	0.0	76	67.9	120
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	26	50.0	7	70.0	0	0.0	59	52.7	92
13-24 months	14	26.9	3	30.0	0	0.0	27	24.1	44
25-36 months	5	9.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	14	12.5	19
37-48 months	2	3.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	2.7	5
More than 4 years	2	3.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	8.0	11
No recorded time	3	5.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Total	52	100.0	10	100.0	0	0.0	112	100.0	174

Table 10b: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2004: Medium Small Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	2	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	8.6	5
2-5 years	10	45.5	1	100.0	0	0.0	10	28.6	21
6-9 years	4	18.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	17.1	10
10-13 years	5	22.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	13	37.1	18
14-17 years	1	4.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	8.6	4
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	9	40.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	20	57.1	29
Female	13	59.1	1	100.0	0	0.0	15	42.9	29
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	19	86.4	1	100.0	0	0.0	33	94.3	53
African American	3	13.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.9	4
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.9	1
Special Needs									
Age	5	22.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	21	60.0	26
Minority	1	4.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Ethnic	1	4.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Siblings	10	45.5	1	100.0	0	0.0	17	48.6	28
One or more needs	14	63.6	1	100.0	0	0.0	24	68.6	39
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	12	54.5	1	100.0	0	0.0	8	22.9	21
13-24 months	5	22.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	17	48.6	22
25-36 months	4	18.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	5.7	6
37-48 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	11.4	4
More than 4 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	11.4	4
No recorded time	1	4.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Total	22	100.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	35	100.0	58

Table 10b: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2004: Small Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	3	15.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	25.9	10
2-5 years	8	40.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8	29.6	16
6-9 years	6	30.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	18.5	11
10-13 years	2	10.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	6	22.2	10
14-17 years	1	5.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	1	3.7	4
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	10	50.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	13	48.1	25
Female	10	50.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	14	51.9	26
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	18	90.0	4	100.0	0	0.0	24	88.9	46
African American	2	10.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.7	3
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	7.4	2
Special Needs									
Age	5	25.0	3	75.0	0	0.0	8	29.6	16
Minority	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.7	1
Ethnic	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Siblings	8	40.0	3	75.0	0	0.0	2	7.4	13
One or more needs	9	45.0	3	75.0	0	0.0	12	44.4	24
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	13	65.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	13	48.1	27
13-24 months	4	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	25.9	11
25-36 months	0	0.0	3	75.0	0	0.0	1	3.7	4
37-48 months	1	5.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
More than 4 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	7.4	2
No recorded time	2	10.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	14.8	6
Total	20	100.0	4	100.0	0	0.0	27	100.0	51

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2005: Statewide

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	209	20.2	14	10.3	10	10.0	85	11.9	318
2-5 years	382	36.8	44	32.4	29	29.0	239	33.4	694
6-9 years	191	18.4	31	22.8	27	27.0	168	23.5	417
10-13 years	162	15.6	23	16.9	14	14.0	152	21.2	351
14-17 years	90	8.7	24	17.6	20	20.0	70	9.8	204
18-20 years	3	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.3	5
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	558	53.8	74	54.4	48	48.0	381	53.2	1,061
Female	479	46.2	62	45.6	52	52.0	335	46.8	928
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	575	55.4	40	29.4	28	28.0	451	63.0	1,094
African American	441	42.5	95	69.9	70	70.0	249	34.8	855
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	0.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Native American	8	0.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	1.4	18
Unknown	11	1.1	1	0.7	2	2.0	6	0.8	20
Special Needs									
Age	364	35.1	64	47.1	46	46.0	309	43.2	783
Minority	396	38.2	92	67.6	69	69.0	241	33.7	798
Ethnic	161	15.5	36	26.5	43	43.0	101	14.1	341
Siblings	427	41.2	67	49.3	67	67.0	309	43.2	870
One or more needs	857	82.6	124	91.2	94	94.0	547	76.4	1,622
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	610	58.8	28	20.6	44	44.0	252	35.2	934
13-24 months	272	26.2	59	43.4	37	37.0	282	39.4	650
25-36 months	64	6.2	25	18.4	11	11.0	101	14.1	201
37-48 months	31	3.0	9	6.6	1	1.0	25	3.5	66
More than 4 years	53	5.1	15	11.0	7	7.0	54	7.5	129
No recorded time	7	0.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.3	9
Total	1,037	100.0	136	100.0	100	100.0	716	100.0	1,989

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2005: Major Metro Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	107	23.6	8	8.2	9	9.6	32	12.9	156
2-5 years	158	34.8	32	32.7	26	27.7	67	27.0	283
6-9 years	74	16.3	18	18.4	25	26.6	60	24.2	177
10-13 years	73	16.1	18	18.4	14	14.9	60	24.2	165
14-17 years	39	8.6	22	22.4	20	21.3	27	10.9	108
18-20 years	3	0.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.8	5
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	263	57.9	48	49.0	44	46.8	139	56.0	494
Female	191	42.1	50	51.0	50	53.2	109	44.0	400
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	159	35.0	14	14.3	22	23.4	97	39.1	292
African American	285	62.8	83	84.7	70	74.5	148	59.7	586
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.4	1
Unknown	10	2.2	1	1.0	2	2.1	2	0.8	15
Special Needs									
Age	175	38.5	47	48.0	46	48.9	155	62.5	423
Minority	243	53.5	77	78.6	69	73.4	139	56.0	528
Ethnic	126	27.8	35	35.7	43	45.7	87	35.1	291
Siblings	140	30.8	48	49.0	62	66.0	116	46.8	366
One or more needs	362	79.7	95	96.9	88	93.6	218	87.9	763
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	269	59.3	12	12.2	42	44.7	84	33.9	407
13-24 months	107	23.6	39	39.8	33	35.1	85	34.3	264
25-36 months	38	8.4	25	25.5	11	11.7	36	14.5	110
37-48 months	16	3.5	9	9.2	1	1.1	14	5.6	40
More than 4 years	22	4.8	13	13.3	7	7.4	29	11.7	71
No recorded time	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Total	454	100.0	98	100.0	94	100.0	248	100.0	894

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2005: Metro Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	68	19.7	1	5.6	1	20.0	21	10.9	91
2-5 years	142	41.2	5	27.8	2	40.0	68	35.4	217
6-9 years	59	17.1	5	27.8	2	40.0	51	26.6	117
10-13 years	52	15.1	5	27.8	0	0.0	35	18.2	92
14-17 years	24	7.0	2	11.1	0	0.0	17	8.9	43
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	178	51.6	9	50.0	3	60.0	101	52.6	291
Female	167	48.4	9	50.0	2	40.0	91	47.4	269
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	204	59.1	7	38.9	5	100.0	93	48.4	309
African American	131	38.0	11	61.1	0	0.0	90	46.9	232
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	0.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Native American	8	2.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	3.1	14
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	1.6	3
Special Needs									
Age	92	26.7	13	72.2	0	0.0	78	40.6	183
Minority	124	35.9	14	77.8	0	0.0	96	50.0	234
Ethnic	22	6.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	13	6.8	35
Siblings	179	51.9	13	72.2	4	80.0	92	47.9	288
One or more needs	299	86.7	18	100.0	5	100.0	169	88.0	491
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	201	58.3	2	11.1	1	20.0	66	34.4	270
13-24 months	94	27.2	14	77.8	4	80.0	83	43.2	195
25-36 months	16	4.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	27	14.1	43
37-48 months	11	3.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	2.6	16
More than 4 years	20	5.8	2	11.1	0	0.0	10	5.2	32
No recorded time	3	0.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.5	4
Total	345	100.0	18	100.0	5	100.0	192	100.0	560

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2005: Large Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	17	11.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	11	13.3	28
2-5 years	56	38.9	3	60.0	1	100.0	29	34.9	89
6-9 years	32	22.2	2	40.0	0	0.0	22	26.5	56
10-13 years	24	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	19	22.9	43
14-17 years	15	10.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2.4	17
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	71	49.3	5	100.0	1	100.0	47	56.6	124
Female	73	50.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	36	43.4	109
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	122	84.7	4	80.0	1	100.0	80	96.4	207
African American	21	14.6	1	20.0	0	0.0	3	3.6	25
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	1	0.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Special Needs									
Age	61	42.4	3	60.0	0	0.0	29	34.9	93
Minority	24	16.7	1	20.0	0	0.0	3	3.6	28
Ethnic	8	5.6	1	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	9
Siblings	57	39.6	1	20.0	1	100.0	29	34.9	88
One or more needs	118	81.9	5	100.0	1	100.0	54	65.1	178
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	87	60.4	2	40.0	1	100.0	16	19.3	106
13-24 months	42	29.2	3	60.0	0	0.0	39	47.0	84
25-36 months	7	4.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	18	21.7	25
37-48 months	1	0.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2.4	3
More than 4 years	7	4.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	8	9.6	15
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Total	144	100.0	5	100.0	1	100.0	83	100.0	233

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2005: Medium Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	11	18.0	4	33.3	0	0.0	14	12.2	29
2-5 years	13	21.3	3	25.0	0	0.0	42	36.5	58
6-9 years	17	27.9	5	41.7	0	0.0	20	17.4	42
10-13 years	8	13.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	21	18.3	29
14-17 years	12	19.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	18	15.7	30
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	29	47.5	10	83.3	0	0.0	60	52.2	99
Female	32	52.5	2	16.7	0	0.0	55	47.8	89
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	60	98.4	12	100.0	0	0.0	105	91.3	177
African American	1	1.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	6.1	8
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	2.6	3
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	24	39.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	28	24.3	52
Minority	2	3.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	1.7	4
Ethnic	5	8.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Siblings	35	57.4	4	33.3	0	0.0	48	41.7	87
One or more needs	54	88.5	5	41.7	0	0.0	66	57.4	125
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	31	50.8	11	91.7	0	0.0	44	38.3	86
13-24 months	21	34.4	1	8.3	0	0.0	49	42.6	71
25-36 months	3	4.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	13	11.3	16
37-48 months	3	4.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	2.6	6
More than 4 years	3	4.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	5.2	9
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Total	61	100.0	12	100.0	0	0.0	115	100.0	188

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2005: Medium Small Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	5	23.8	1	50.0	0	0.0	4	12.9	10
2-5 years	7	33.3	1	50.0	0	0.0	14	45.2	22
6-9 years	5	23.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	9.7	8
10-13 years	4	19.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8	25.8	12
14-17 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	6.5	2
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	10	47.6	2	100.0	0	0.0	17	54.8	29
Female	11	52.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	14	45.2	25
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	18	85.7	2	100.0	0	0.0	30	96.8	50
African American	3	14.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.2	4
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	5	23.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	32.3	15
Minority	3	14.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.2	4
Ethnic	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.2	1
Siblings	11	52.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	32.3	21
One or more needs	15	71.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	17	54.8	32
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	14	66.7	1	50.0	0	0.0	18	58.1	33
13-24 months	5	23.8	1	50.0	0	0.0	6	19.4	12
25-36 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	16.1	5
37-48 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.2	1
More than 4 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
No recorded time	2	9.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.2	3
Total	21	100.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	31	100.0	54

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, FFY 2005: Small Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 years	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	6.4	4
2-5 years	6	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	19	40.4	25
6-9 years	4	33.3	1	100.0	0	0.0	12	25.5	17
10-13 years	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	19.1	10
14-17 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	8.5	4
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	7	58.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	17	36.2	24
Female	5	41.7	1	100.0	0	0.0	30	63.8	36
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	12	100.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	46	97.9	59
African American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.1	1
Special Needs									
Age	7	58.3	1	100.0	0	0.0	9	19.1	17
Minority	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Ethnic	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Siblings	5	41.7	1	100.0	0	0.0	14	29.8	20
One or more needs	9	75.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	23	48.9	33
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	8	66.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	24	51.1	32
13-24 months	3	25.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	20	42.6	24
25-36 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	4.3	2
37-48 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
More than 4 years	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.1	2
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Total	12	100.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	47	100.0	60

Table 11: Percent of Adopted Children Adopted Within Two Years of Initial Custody

County	FFY 2001		FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005	
	Adopted	% Within 2 Years								
Ohio	1,986	24.9	2,260	28.2	2,269	28.4	2,122	27.9	1,989	30.9
Major Metro Counties	920	21.7	1,084	19.0	1,127	23.1	986	24.8	894	25.7
Cuyahoga	567	24.3	712	19.0	702	22.2	628	22.3	521	22.3
Franklin	249	14.1	283	18.4	330	20.6	261	29.5	282	30.9
Hamilton	104	26.0	89	21.3	95	37.9	97	28.9	91	29.7
Metro Counties	565	25.7	588	32.5	602	29.1	593	27.2	560	36.1
Butler	40	12.5	42	16.7	57	12.3	55	12.7	49	36.7
Lake	5	40.0	9	33.3	10	0.0	3	66.7	7	0.0
Lorain	38	39.5	59	66.1	44	56.8	45	55.6	27	66.7
Lucas	135	45.2	132	48.5	120	51.7	130	46.2	141	44.0
Mahoning	31	9.7	15	20.0	11	18.2	11	18.2	19	5.3
Montgomery	125	8.0	116	22.4	114	21.9	142	21.8	82	39.0
Stark	87	34.5	107	27.1	121	24.0	97	19.6	98	25.5
Summit	82	17.1	89	15.7	89	21.3	82	11.0	98	30.6
Trumbull	22	22.7	19	31.6	36	16.7	28	21.4	39	41.0
Large Counties	257	26.5	280	37.5	271	39.1	260	28.1	233	27.9
Allen	11	27.3	10	30.0	9	44.4	21	19.0	3	0.0
Ashtabula	24	12.5	29	51.7	21	38.1	27	14.8	14	14.3
Clark	42	26.2	29	31.0	22	40.9	30	46.7	27	40.7
Clermont	31	38.7	45	40.0	19	57.9	20	55.0	36	30.6
Columbiana	6	16.7	5	0.0	5	0.0	6	0.0	9	0.0
Delaware	8	37.5	3	100.0	5	20.0	8	50.0	1	0.0
Fairfield	11	27.3	21	42.9	28	35.7	23	39.1	32	34.4
Greene	13	53.8	15	40.0	12	16.7	13	0.0	7	14.3
Licking	27	14.8	42	16.7	37	27.0	39	20.5	51	15.7
Medina	2	50.0	7	42.9	14	21.4	11	36.4	0	0.0
Portage	14	14.3	12	16.7	21	23.8	22	9.1	19	26.3
Richland	46	23.9	28	57.1	45	60.0	21	42.9	25	52.0
Warren	10	30.0	14	7.1	16	37.5	5	20.0	1	0.0
Wayne	7	14.3	14	71.4	11	63.6	9	11.1	6	50.0
Wood	5	60.0	6	50.0	6	50.0	5	40.0	2	0.0

Table 11: Percent of Adopted Children Adopted Within Two Years of Initial Custody

County	FFY 2001		FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005	
	Adopted	% Within 2 Years								
Medium Counties	128	33.6	163	46.6	150	35.3	174	40.8	188	38.8
Ashland	4	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0
Athens	6	50.0	18	44.4	20	25.0	12	50.0	27	29.6
Belmont	6	83.3	12	66.7	13	38.5	9	88.9	7	28.6
Darke	5	40.0	3	33.3	2	0.0	3	66.7	6	66.7
Erie	4	0.0	2	0.0	8	12.5	5	0.0	7	0.0
Geauga	7	42.9	16	81.3	10	90.0	8	62.5	10	30.0
Hancock	5	0.0	6	100.0	8	50.0	10	70.0	10	40.0
Huron	4	25.0	0	0.0	7	85.7	7	0.0	3	66.7
Jefferson	2	0.0	7	0.0	13	7.7	8	12.5	5	0.0
Knox	3	0.0	2	50.0	2	50.0	4	0.0	3	0.0
Lawrence	3	66.7	3	0.0	4	0.0	9	55.6	5	0.0
Marion	2	0.0	15	40.0	9	22.2	5	20.0	12	41.7
Miami	10	50.0	16	50.0	20	45.0	7	28.6	8	50.0
Muskingum	11	100.0	11	81.8	3	66.7	22	72.7	22	77.3
Pickaway	1	0.0	3	33.3	2	0.0	0	0.0	6	0.0
Ross	17	5.9	1	0.0	5	20.0	12	41.7	9	66.7
Sandusky	6	16.7	14	28.6	9	44.4	11	36.4	7	28.6
Scioto	9	0.0	10	20.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	8	0.0
Seneca	10	40.0	3	66.7	0	0.0	8	25.0	8	25.0
Tuscarawas	9	55.6	21	33.3	8	37.5	14	42.9	18	77.8
Washington	4	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.0	11	9.1	4	0.0
Medium Small Counties	55	25.5	56	50.0	63	47.6	58	34.5	54	40.7
Auglaize	10	50.0	11	81.8	4	100.0	8	50.0	2	100.0
Brown	6	0.0	8	50.0	6	66.7	1	0.0	4	25.0
Clinton	5	20.0	0	0.0	6	16.7	13	23.1	7	28.6
Crawford	0	0.0	1	0.0	4	25.0	6	0.0	6	16.7
Fulton	2	50.0	5	20.0	3	66.7	1	0.0	2	100.0
Guernsey	10	40.0	5	20.0	7	57.1	7	42.9	3	33.3
Highland	6	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	1	0.0
Logan	3	33.3	11	36.4	7	42.9	6	33.3	11	45.5
Madison	1	0.0	4	50.0	3	33.3	4	50.0	4	50.0
Mercer	1	0.0	1	100.0	4	0.0	6	83.3	4	100.0
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preble	4	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	5	20.0
Shelby	3	0.0	8	62.5	13	69.2	1	0.0	2	50.0
Union	4	50.0	1	100.0	3	0.0	3	33.3	3	0.0

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County	FFY 2001		FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005	
	Adopted	% Within 2 Years								
Small Counties	61	41.0	89	34.8	56	35.7	51	43.1	60	36.7
Adams	1	0.0	6	16.7	10	30.0	9	44.4	0	0.0
Carroll	1	100.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	4	100.0	1	0.0
Champaign	3	0.0	4	50.0	0	0.0	3	33.3	3	33.3
Coshocton	2	100.0	5	40.0	5	20.0	4	25.0	4	75.0
Defiance	12	25.0	2	100.0	1	100.0	2	50.0	5	40.0
Fayette	1	100.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	5	0.0
Gallia	2	50.0	5	100.0	5	100.0	0	0.0	3	100.0
Hardin	1	100.0	8	37.5	4	75.0	1	0.0	4	100.0
Harrison	3	100.0	3	33.3	0	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0
Henry	0	0.0	3	0.0	4	0.0	2	50.0	1	0.0
Hocking	4	75.0	7	100.0	4	50.0	4	75.0	8	12.5
Holmes	2	50.0	3	0.0	2	0.0	1	100.0	1	100.0
Jackson	2	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	3	0.0	3	33.3
Monroe	3	66.7	3	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0
Morgan	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0
Morrow	4	50.0	0	0.0	3	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0
Noble	1	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	1	0.0
Paulding	3	33.3	8	12.5	2	50.0	4	75.0	1	0.0
Perry	2	0.0	11	9.1	2	0.0	7	0.0	7	0.0
Pike	5	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.0
Putnam	0	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Van Wert	3	66.7	4	25.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0.0	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Williams	0	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	2	100.0	1	100.0
Wyandot	5	40.0	4	0.0	4	0.0	1	0.0	6	50.0

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Hamilton	104	40.4	89	36.0	95	50.5	97	39.2	91	36.3
Metro Counties	565	35.0	588	35.9	602	34.7	593	29.8	560	31.8
Butler	40	17.5	42	16.7	57	24.6	55	18.2	49	14.3
Lake	5	20.0	9	33.3	10	0.0	3	0.0	7	0.0
Lorain	38	36.8	59	54.2	44	59.1	45	55.6	27	37.0
Lucas	135	57.8	132	50.8	120	46.7	130	52.3	141	48.9
Mahoning	31	12.9	15	26.7	11	18.2	11	0.0	19	5.3
Montgomery	125	11.2	116	24.1	114	27.2	142	14.8	82	18.3
Stark	87	43.7	107	28.0	121	28.9	97	21.6	98	34.7
Summit	82	42.7	89	33.7	89	40.4	82	31.7	98	27.6
Trumbull	22	31.8	19	52.6	36	25.0	28	21.4	39	38.5
Large Counties	257	22.6	280	34.3	271	35.1	260	33.1	233	30.0
Allen	11	18.2	10	40.0	9	11.1	21	14.3	3	33.3
Ashtabula	24	12.5	29	44.8	21	28.6	27	22.2	14	28.6
Clark	42	33.3	29	31.0	22	36.4	30	40.0	27	22.2
Clermont	31	16.1	45	33.3	19	26.3	20	35.0	36	25.0
Columbiana	6	0.0	5	20.0	5	20.0	6	50.0	9	22.2
Delaware	8	25.0	3	33.3	5	0.0	8	50.0	1	0.0
Fairfield	11	36.4	21	33.3	28	35.7	23	43.5	32	50.0
Greene	13	38.5	15	33.3	12	25.0	13	30.8	7	42.9
Licking	27	22.2	42	28.6	37	45.9	39	53.8	51	25.5
Medina	2	50.0	7	57.1	14	35.7	11	18.2	0	0.0
Portage	14	14.3	12	16.7	21	33.3	22	13.6	19	26.3
Richland	46	19.6	28	42.9	45	44.4	21	42.9	25	32.0
Warren	10	20.0	14	0.0	16	18.8	5	20.0	1	0.0
Wayne	7	14.3	14	57.1	11	54.5	9	0.0	6	50.0
Wood	5	40.0	6	50.0	6	50.0	5	20.0	2	0.0

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Athens	6	83.3	18	61.1	20	25.0	12	33.3	27	22.2
Belmont	6	83.3	12	58.3	13	30.8	9	44.4	7	28.6
Darke	5	80.0	3	0.0	2	0.0	3	66.7	6	50.0
Erie	4	0.0	2	0.0	8	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.0
Geauga	7	28.6	16	56.3	10	80.0	8	37.5	10	70.0
Hancock	5	20.0	6	100.0	8	0.0	10	40.0	10	30.0
Huron	4	25.0	0	0.0	7	0.0	7	0.0	3	33.3
Jefferson	2	0.0	7	14.3	13	30.8	8	12.5	5	0.0
Knox	3	0.0	2	0.0	2	0.0	4	0.0	3	0.0
Lawrence	3	66.7	3	0.0	4	75.0	9	11.1	5	20.0
Marion	2	0.0	15	20.0	9	11.1	5	40.0	12	41.7
Miami	10	30.0	16	6.3	20	30.0	7	14.3	8	37.5
Muskingum	11	72.7	11	54.5	3	33.3	22	40.9	22	68.2
Pickaway	1	0.0	3	33.3	2	0.0	0	0.0	6	0.0
Ross	17	5.9	1	0.0	5	20.0	12	8.3	9	55.6
Sandusky	6	0.0	14	28.6	9	44.4	11	27.3	7	42.9
Scioto	9	0.0	10	10.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	8	0.0
Seneca	10	30.0	3	100.0	0	0.0	8	12.5	8	25.0
Tuscarawas	9	55.6	21	42.9	8	25.0	14	28.6	18	72.2
Washington	4	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.0	11	18.2	4	0.0
Medium Small Counties	55	20.0	56	37.5	63	36.5	58	36.2	54	40.7
Auglaize	10	40.0	11	45.5	4	75.0	8	62.5	2	100.0
Brown	6	0.0	8	0.0	6	16.7	1	0.0	4	25.0
Clinton	5	0.0	0	0.0	6	0.0	13	0.0	7	0.0
Crawford	0	0.0	1	0.0	4	25.0	6	0.0	6	0.0
Fulton	2	50.0	5	60.0	3	100.0	1	0.0	2	100.0
Guernsey	10	20.0	5	100.0	7	57.1	7	71.4	3	100.0
Highland	6	16.7	0	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	1	0.0
Logan	3	33.3	11	9.1	7	42.9	6	0.0	11	45.5
Madison	1	0.0	4	25.0	3	0.0	4	100.0	4	75.0
Mercer	1	0.0	1	0.0	4	25.0	6	100.0	4	100.0
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preble	4	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	5	20.0
Shelby	3	0.0	8	75.0	13	53.8	1	100.0	2	50.0
Union	4	50.0	1	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0

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	Adopted	% Within 1 Year								
Small Counties	61	39.3	89	20.2	56	23.2	51	25.5	60	23.3
Adams	1	0.0	6	16.7	10	10.0	9	0.0	0	0.0
Carroll	1	100.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	4	50.0	1	100.0
Champaign	3	0.0	4	50.0	0	0.0	3	33.3	3	33.3
Coshocton	2	100.0	5	40.0	5	80.0	4	0.0	4	0.0
Defiance	12	33.3	2	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	5	20.0
Fayette	1	100.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	5	0.0
Gallia	2	50.0	5	0.0	5	20.0	0	0.0	3	100.0
Hardin	1	0.0	8	12.5	4	100.0	1	0.0	4	0.0
Harrison	3	100.0	3	33.3	0	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0
Henry	0	0.0	3	0.0	4	0.0	2	50.0	1	0.0
Hocking	4	75.0	7	57.1	4	0.0	4	50.0	8	12.5
Holmes	2	100.0	3	0.0	2	0.0	1	100.0	1	0.0
Jackson	2	0.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	3	0.0	3	33.3
Monroe	3	66.7	3	33.3	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0
Morgan	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0
Morrow	4	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0
Noble	1	100.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	1	100.0
Paulding	3	0.0	8	0.0	2	0.0	4	75.0	1	0.0
Perry	2	0.0	11	0.0	2	0.0	7	0.0	7	28.6
Pike	5	0.0	3	33.3	3	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.0
Putnam	0	0.0	1	100.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Van Wert	3	100.0	4	25.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0.0	3	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Williams	0	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	2	100.0	1	100.0
Wyandot	5	20.0	4	0.0	4	0.0	1	0.0	6	0.0

Table 13: Percent of Adopted Children Adopted within One Year of Permanent Custody

County	FFY 2001		FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005	
	Adopted	% Within 1 Year								
Ohio	1,986	30.4	2,260	36.0	2,269	38.8	2,122	43.6	1,989	47.0
Major Metro Counties	920	21.4	1,084	27.2	1,127	36.9	986	40.9	894	45.5
Cuyahoga	567	20.5	712	24.6	702	33.0	628	37.6	521	36.5
Franklin	249	22.9	283	33.9	330	42.7	261	51.3	282	66.0
Hamilton	104	23.1	89	27.0	95	45.3	97	34.0	91	34.1
Metro Counties	565	32.0	588	37.8	602	36.7	593	45.2	560	48.2
Butler	40	22.5	42	21.4	57	19.3	55	25.5	49	44.9
Lake	5	80.0	9	22.2	10	50.0	3	100.0	7	28.6
Lorain	38	52.6	59	69.5	44	56.8	45	80.0	27	66.7
Lucas	135	40.0	132	56.1	120	52.5	130	65.4	141	53.9
Mahoning	31	12.9	15	26.7	11	45.5	11	54.5	19	63.2
Montgomery	125	28.0	116	31.0	114	40.4	142	50.7	82	62.2
Stark	87	39.1	107	39.3	121	34.7	97	29.9	98	35.7
Summit	82	12.2	89	11.2	89	18.0	82	18.3	98	34.7
Trumbull	22	50.0	19	21.1	36	22.2	28	28.6	39	51.3
Large Counties	257	41.6	280	42.5	271	44.6	260	43.8	233	45.5
Allen	11	63.6	10	30.0	9	66.7	21	33.3	3	66.7
Ashtabula	24	20.8	29	65.5	21	28.6	27	25.9	14	42.9
Clark	42	38.1	29	41.4	22	40.9	30	60.0	27	40.7
Clermont	31	51.6	45	48.9	19	73.7	20	70.0	36	69.4
Columbiana	6	0.0	5	0.0	5	80.0	6	0.0	9	22.2
Delaware	8	12.5	3	100.0	5	100.0	8	87.5	1	100.0
Fairfield	11	45.5	21	38.1	28	28.6	23	34.8	32	31.3
Greene	13	69.2	15	40.0	12	25.0	13	38.5	7	28.6
Licking	27	0.0	42	21.4	37	16.2	39	12.8	51	25.5
Medina	2	50.0	7	14.3	14	64.3	11	36.4	0	0.0
Portage	14	28.6	12	16.7	21	23.8	22	59.1	19	36.8
Richland	46	65.2	28	67.9	45	82.2	21	57.1	25	92.0
Warren	10	50.0	14	21.4	16	18.8	5	80.0	1	100.0
Wayne	7	42.9	14	64.3	11	45.5	9	77.8	6	33.3
Wood	5	100.0	6	50.0	6	16.7	5	60.0	2	50.0

Table 13: Percent of Adopted Children Adopted within One Year of Permanent Custody

County	FFY 2001		FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005	
	Adopted	% Within 1 Year								
Medium Counties	128	46.1	163	61.3	150	42.0	174	52.9	188	45.7
Ashland	4	100.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	3	66.7	3	100.0
Athens	6	50.0	18	50.0	20	30.0	12	66.7	27	22.2
Belmont	6	83.3	12	83.3	13	61.5	9	100.0	7	42.9
Darke	5	60.0	3	100.0	2	0.0	3	33.3	6	50.0
Erie	4	0.0	2	0.0	8	12.5	5	0.0	7	0.0
Geauga	7	71.4	16	75.0	10	100.0	8	75.0	10	50.0
Hancock	5	0.0	6	100.0	8	87.5	10	50.0	10	60.0
Huron	4	75.0	0	0.0	7	0.0	7	14.3	3	66.7
Jefferson	2	50.0	7	42.9	13	61.5	8	0.0	5	20.0
Knox	3	0.0	2	100.0	2	100.0	4	0.0	3	0.0
Lawrence	3	33.3	3	0.0	4	0.0	9	100.0	5	0.0
Marion	2	100.0	15	40.0	9	22.2	5	20.0	12	66.7
Miami	10	40.0	16	87.5	20	35.0	7	14.3	8	50.0
Muskingum	11	63.6	11	81.8	3	100.0	22	100.0	22	95.5
Pickaway	1	0.0	3	33.3	2	0.0	0	0.0	6	16.7
Ross	17	17.6	1	0.0	5	0.0	12	75.0	9	33.3
Sandusky	6	16.7	14	64.3	9	0.0	11	36.4	7	14.3
Scioto	9	0.0	10	10.0	4	25.0	6	0.0	8	12.5
Seneca	10	70.0	3	33.3	0	0.0	8	37.5	8	25.0
Tuscarawas	9	88.9	21	66.7	8	75.0	14	57.1	18	88.9
Washington	4	50.0	0	0.0	2	50.0	11	27.3	4	0.0
Medium Small Counties	55	38.2	56	42.9	63	52.4	58	36.2	54	61.1
Auglaize	10	10.0	11	81.8	4	75.0	8	50.0	2	100.0
Brown	6	0.0	8	0.0	6	0.0	1	0.0	4	50.0
Clinton	5	20.0	0	0.0	6	66.7	13	38.5	7	57.1
Crawford	0	0.0	1	0.0	4	100.0	6	0.0	6	100.0
Fulton	2	50.0	5	60.0	3	66.7	1	100.0	2	50.0
Guernsey	10	40.0	5	20.0	7	42.9	7	42.9	3	33.3
Highland	6	50.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	2	100.0	1	0.0
Logan	3	33.3	11	36.4	7	71.4	6	33.3	11	45.5
Madison	1	100.0	4	25.0	3	33.3	4	25.0	4	50.0
Mercer	1	100.0	1	100.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	4	75.0
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preble	4	50.0	1	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	5	60.0
Shelby	3	66.7	8	62.5	13	61.5	1	0.0	2	50.0
Union	4	100.0	1	0.0	3	33.3	3	100.0	3	100.0

Table 13: Percent of Adopted Children Adopted within One Year of Permanent Custody

County	FFY 2001		FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005	
	Adopted	% Within 1 Year								
Small Counties	61	63.9	89	60.7	56	46.4	51	52.9	60	53.3
Adams	1	0.0	6	33.3	10	60.0	9	55.6	0	0.0
Carroll	1	100.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	4	100.0	1	0.0
Champaign	3	0.0	4	0.0	0	0.0	3	33.3	3	100.0
Coshocton	2	100.0	5	80.0	5	20.0	4	25.0	4	75.0
Defiance	12	75.0	2	100.0	1	100.0	2	100.0	5	20.0
Fayette	1	100.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	5	0.0
Gallia	2	100.0	5	100.0	5	20.0	0	0.0	3	33.3
Hardin	1	100.0	8	50.0	4	75.0	1	0.0	4	100.0
Harrison	3	100.0	3	33.3	0	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0
Henry	0	0.0	3	66.7	4	0.0	2	50.0	1	0.0
Hocking	4	75.0	7	85.7	4	100.0	4	75.0	8	75.0
Holmes	2	50.0	3	0.0	2	0.0	1	100.0	1	100.0
Jackson	2	100.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	3	33.3	3	66.7
Monroe	3	33.3	3	66.7	1	0.0	1	100.0	1	100.0
Morgan	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0
Morrow	4	50.0	0	0.0	3	33.3	1	100.0	0	0.0
Noble	1	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	1	0.0
Paulding	3	33.3	8	75.0	2	50.0	4	100.0	1	0.0
Perry	2	100.0	11	63.6	2	0.0	7	0.0	7	57.1
Pike	5	0.0	3	0.0	3	66.7	0	0.0	3	0.0
Putnam	0	0.0	1	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Van Wert	3	66.7	4	100.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0.0	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Williams	0	0.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	2	50.0	1	100.0
Wyandot	5	100.0	4	100.0	4	75.0	1	0.0	6	50.0

Definitions

Key Terms	Tables	Definition
Age	3a, 3b, 3c	Age upon entering permanency custody.
Age	5a, 5b, 5c, 6a, 6b, 6c, 7a, 7b, 7c	Age at the beginning of the federal fiscal year.
Age	10a, 10b, 10c	Age at time of adoption.
Asian/Pacific Islander	5a, 5b, 5c, 10a, 10b, 10c	This category includes two classifications: 1) Asian and 2) Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.
Foster Parent	10a, 10b, 10c	Adoptive parents who provided foster care to the child prior to adoption and are not related to the child.
Foster Parent and Kinship	10a, 10b, 10c	Adoptive parents who are related to the child and who provided foster care prior to adoption.
Kinship	10a, 10b, 10c	Adoptive parents who are related to the child and who did not provide foster care prior to adoption.
More than Two Years Since Initial Custody	9a, 9b, 9c	Time in initial custody as of the beginning of the federal fiscal year.
Native American	5a, 5b, 5c, 10a, 10b, 10c	This race category includes both American Indians and Alaska Natives.
No Longer Waiting	5a, 5b, 5c, 6a, 6b, 6c	Children who are no longer in permanent custody or whose goal is no longer adoption, maintain in home, or return to parent/guardian/custodian, indicating that they are no longer waiting.
No Relationship	10a, 10b, 10c	Parents unknown to the child, that is, parents who were not foster care providers and are not related. These types of adoptions are often referred to as "stranger adoptions". "No Relationship" includes those parents that have missing relationship information.
Adoptions with IL or PPLA Goal	4a, 4b, 4c, 7a, 7b, 7c, 8a, 8b, 8c, 9a, 9b, 9c	Children who were adopted who do not show up in FACSIS as having been in permanent custody or who were not counted as waiting or placed at the start of the year because they had a goal of independent living or permanent placement or their goal was missing.
Other Discharge	5a, 5b, 5c, 6a, 6b, 6c	Children whose custody was terminated for a reason other than adoption, e.g., they were returned home or discharged to independent living or who were 21 years of age or older at the end of the fiscal year.

Key Terms	Tables	Definition
Rate of Adoption	4a, 4b, 4c, 7a, 7b, 7c, 8a, 8b, 8c, 9a, 9b, 9c	<p>The rate of adoption represents the total number of adoptions divided by the sum of those waiting and placed at the beginning of the year. There is a difference between the theoretical and actual calculation. Theoretically, the total number of adoptions is the sum of those adopted who were waiting or placed at the beginning of the year and those adopted who entered permanent custody during the year. However, there are a number of children who get adopted without ever having permanent custody entered into FACSIS or who have a goal of "independent living" or "permanent placement." These are not included in the number considered waiting or placed at the beginning of the year and they are generally not included in the number entering permanent custody during the year. Thus, the total number of adoptions can be greater than the sum of the waiting and placed who were adopted and the number entering permanent custody who were adopted.</p> <p>The rate of adoption provides a means for counties to estimate how many adoptions they will finalize during the year, if their historical trends continue. Because it is the ratio of total adoptions to the sum of those waiting and placed at the beginning of the year, the county can apply the historical ratio to the current year's number of waiting and placed children to estimate its total adoptions for the year. This will be larger than the total number waiting and placed when the rate of adoption is over 100 percent.</p>
Rate of Success	4a, 4b, 4c, 7a, 7b, 7c, 8a, 8b, 8c, 9a, 9b, 9c	<p>Formula: Total adoptions / (waiting at beginning of FFY + placed at beginning of FFY)</p> <p>The rate of success begins with the children who were either waiting for adoption or placed in an adoptive home at the beginning of the period and calculates the percentage of just those children who had finalized adoptions during the year. Those waiting theoretically include only those who are in permanent custody and have a goal of adoption. However, because the goal of adoption is not always recorded properly, those with goals of "maintain in own home" and "return to parent/guardian/custodian" are also included. Children in permanent custody with goals of "independent living" and "permanent placement" are not included. The combination of the waiting and placed children represents the group for whom adoption might be expected during the year, so the percentage of that group which is actually adopted is the rate of success.</p>
Time Since Initial Custody	5a, 5b, 5c	<p>Formula: Total number of adopted children who were waiting or placed at the start of the FFY / (waiting at beginning of FFY + placed at beginning of FFY).</p> <p>Time in initial custody as of the beginning of the federal fiscal year. (See definition for "More than Two Years Since Initial Custody" for the definition used in Tables 9a, 9b and 9c.)</p>
Time in Permanent Custody	5a, 5b, 5c	Time in permanent custody as of the beginning of the federal fiscal year.
Time in Permanent Custody	10a, 10b, 10c	Time in permanent custody as of the date of adoption.