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Purpose and Organization of the Report

PURPOSE

Performance Reports are produced semi-annually by the Quality Assurance vendor for the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services. This report covers the period through the first half of federal fiscal year 2006, i.e., through March 31, 2006. It utilizes 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.

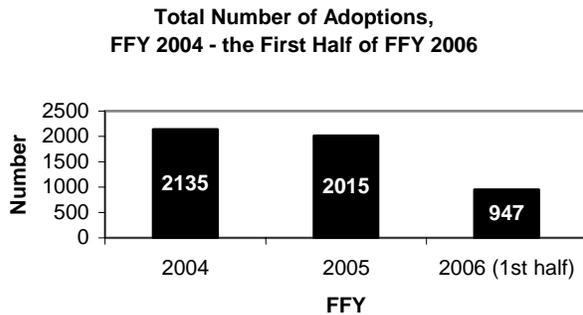
- 1) **Statewide Data Highlights** provides an overview of the achievements in Ohio and the challenges in achieving permanency for the children in permanent custody.
- 2) **Children Available for Adoption** describes the children entering permanent custody during the years discussed in this report and 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 a brief **Summary** of the FFY 2006 findings.
- 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 the end of April 2006

Statewide Data Highlights

OUTLOOK FROM THE FIRST HALF OF FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2006

With 947 adoptions finalized statewide in the first six months of FFY 2006, it looks as if there will be fewer total adoptions than in FFY 2005 (2,015). This smaller number of adoptions is occurring in the



context of fewer children entering permanent custody and fewer children available for adoption at the start of the year. Nine hundred thirty-seven children have become available for adoption in the first half of 2006. If this pace continues, 39 fewer children will enter permanent custody than did so in FFY 2005. On October 1, 2005, 3,447 children were available for adoption. One year before that, there were 3,770 waiting or placed for adoption.

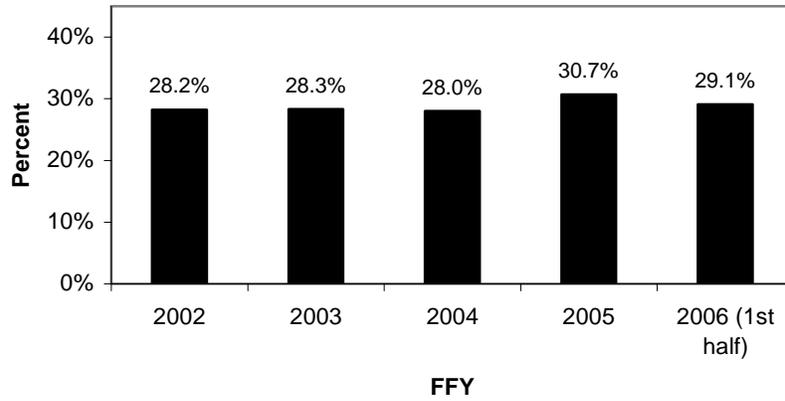
The available children are similar in characteristics to those available for adoption in FFY 2005. Over half (54%) are between the ages of ten and 20 and there are more males than females. Fifty-four percent of the available children have been in care more than three years. The one exception to the similarities across years is that at the start of FFY 2006, there are more white children than African American children available for adoption. In the previous years, African American children were the majority.

Ohio is seeing a greater rate of adoption in the first six months of FFY 2006 than in the last two years. If the half year rate (27.5%) continues, the State will end the year with a rate of adoption of 55 percent. The rate in FFY 2004 and 2005 was 53 percent. While this is true for the population of children as a whole, certain populations of children are still less likely to be adopted. Of the children available at the start of FFY 2006, those adopted within the first six months of the year tend to be under the age of ten, white and in care for a shorter length of time.

Of particular concern is the group of older children available for adoption. By the end of the year, it is expected that just one in five of the 1,874 children ages ten to 20 who were available at the start of the year will be adopted. In the population as a whole it is expected that one of every two children available at the start will be adopted by the end of the year. The outlook is more positive for the two other groups for whom it is more difficult to find adoptive homes, African American children and children who have been in care more than two years. It is anticipated that by September 30, 2006, 45 to 47 percent of the available children in these groups will have a finalized adoption. This is an improvement over FFY 2005 levels.

So far in FFY 2006, smaller proportions of the adopted children moved from initial custody to permanent custody and from permanent custody to adoption within one year's time than was the case for children adopted in FFY 2005. This translates into a longer time overall from initial custody to adoption.

**Percent of Adopted Children Adopted within Two Years of
Initial Custody,
FFY 2002-First Half of FFY 2006**



The federal adoption standard calls for 32 percent of all adopted children to move from initial custody to adoption within 24 months. Ohio came closest to meeting this measure in FFY 2005 with a rate of 30.7 percent. Halfway through FFY 2006, the rate has fallen to 29.1 percent.

Children Available for Adoption

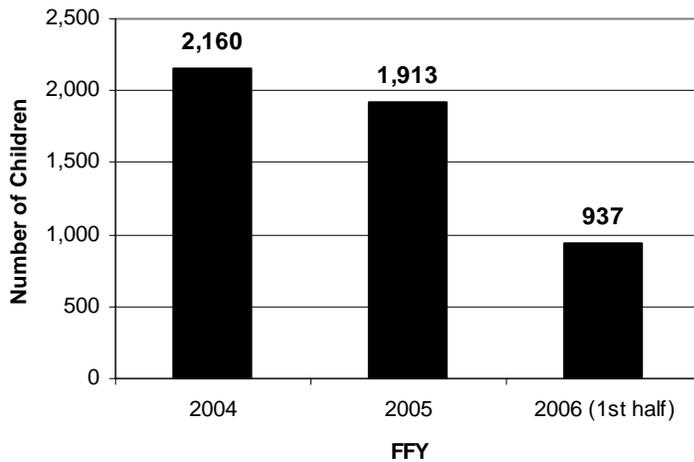
Available children are those who are in permanent custody and have the goal of adoption, but whose adoptions have not been finalized. This chapter looks at the available children including those who entered permanent custody in a given year, those who are waiting and the children in adoptive placement. It is broken into two sections: those *entering* permanent custody and those *in* permanent custody.

CHILDREN ENTERING PERMANENT CUSTODY

In the first half of FFY 2006, Ohio has seen 937 children become available for adoption. If children continue to come into custody at this pace, there will be fewer entries into permanent custody (PC)

by the end of this year than there were in either of the past two full federal fiscal years. In FFY 2005, 1,913 children entered PC, down from 2,160 in the prior year.

**Children Entering Permanent Custody,
FFY 2004 - 1st Half of 2006**



Each year, the major metro counties (Cuyahoga, Franklin and Hamilton) make up a smaller proportion of all entries into PC. In FFY 2004, 42.2 percent of all of the children who entered permanent custody were in one of the three major metro counties. That proportion dropped to 37.1 in FFY 2005 and 33.5 in the first six months of the current year. The medium and medium small counties are showing a steady increase in their proportions of children entering PC.

In the first half of FFY 2006, Cuyahoga has had the largest number of children come into PC (150). Lucas (121), Franklin (87) and Hamilton (77) have had the next largest numbers enter PC. These same four agencies had the largest number of African American children enter PC between October 2005 and March 2006. In total, 361 African American children came into PC during these six months (38.5% of all children).

From FFY 2004 to 2005, there was a decline in the number (from 908 to 708) and proportion (from 42% to 37%) of African American children entering PC. The figures from the first six months of FFY 2006 indicate that this year will be similar to FFY 2005.

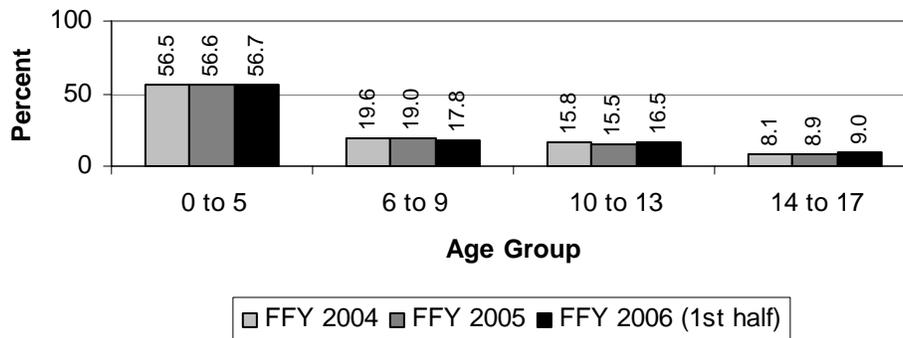
**African American Children
Entering Permanent Custody**

FFY	Number	Percent
2004	908	42.0
2005	708	37.0
2006 (1 st half)	361	38.5

The major metro counties are the only group in which more children entering PC are African American than white. In the past three years, nearly two of every three children becoming available for adoption in the major metro counties are African American.

In terms of the age of children becoming available for adoption, there has been no change in three years in the proportions of children between the ages of birth to five. Fifty-seven percent of the children entering PC fall into this age group. In fact, there is relatively little change in any of the age groups of children entering PC. The only exception is a slight shift from the six to nine age group to the ten to 13 age group in the first part of the current federal fiscal year.

Age of Children Entering Permanent Custody FFY 2004 - 1st Half of 2006



It is the smaller counties which have the greatest proportions of the older children (ages 10-20) entering permanent custody.

Tables 1 in the Data Tables section of the report shows the numbers and percentages of children entering PC. Tables 2 and 3 provide breakdowns by race and age of these same children.

Proportion of Children Entering Permanent Custody who are Ages 10 to 20

	FFY 2004	FFY 2005	FFY 2006 (1st half)
Major Metro	23.9	25.2	26.1
Metro	25.8	19.5	18.9
Large	20.0	23.5	23.9
Medium	29.7	35.4	36.9
Medium small	24.1	32.4	33.4
Small	33.8	25.9	33.3

CHILDREN IN PERMANENT CUSTODY

“Children *in* permanent custody” refers to those children who are waiting for adoption or are in adoptive placement. For the purposes of this report these are the children available at the start of a federal fiscal year. The following two sub-sections describe separately the waiting and placed populations. The third sub-section groups them together and describes their characteristics.

Children Waiting for Adoption²

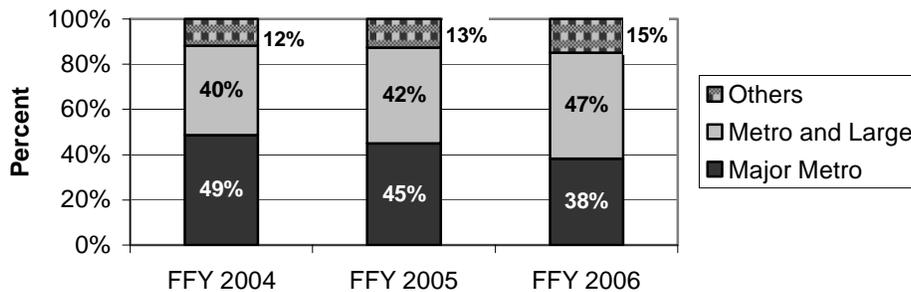
Number of Children Waiting for Adoption at the Start of the FFY	Number
2004	3,139
2005	2,937
2006	2,643

As of October 1, 2005, there were 2,643 children waiting for adoption. This is down 13 percent from FFY 2004 and seven percent from the FFY 2005 level. The major metro and metro counties together as a group continue to account for nearly three of every four children waiting for adoption (72% at the start of FFY 2006). The proportion of children waiting in the three major metro counties continues to decline, down from 49 percent in 2004 to 45 percent in 2005 to 38 percent at

² “Waiting children” does not include those children in adoptive placement.

the start of the most recent federal fiscal year. Not only are the proportions decreasing, but the numbers are declining as well. The number of waiting children in the three major metro counties at the start of the current year (1,013) is down 23 percent from the prior year and 34 percent from the start of FFY 2004. The metro and large counties are seeing an increase in the proportion of all available children that they comprise. In terms of numbers of waiting children, metro counties have fewer children waiting, down two to three percent from previous years, while the number of children waiting for adoption in the large counties is increasing slowly (329 in FFY 2004, 342 in FFY 2005 and 348 in FFY 2006).

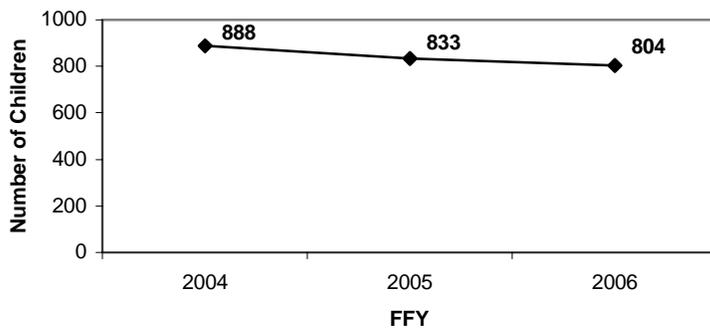
Proportion of Waiting Children at the Start of the Year by County Size: FFY 2004 - 2006



Children in Adoptive Placement

Since fewer children have been waiting for adoption over the past few years, it is no surprise that fewer children are placed with adoptive families. At the start of FFY 2006, 804 children were in adoptive placements. From FFY 2004 levels to the following year, there was a six percent decrease in the number of placed children. From FFY 2005 to the current year, there was a nearly four percent decrease.

Children in Adoptive Placement at the Start of FFY 2004, 2005 and 2006



Similar proportions among the various county size groupings are seen for placed children as are seen with waiting children. The major metro and metro counties have three of every four children in adoptive placement (579 children of 804). At the start of

FFY 2006, around half of the children in adoptive placement are in the major metro counties (46%). Twenty-six percent of the children in placement are in metro counties.

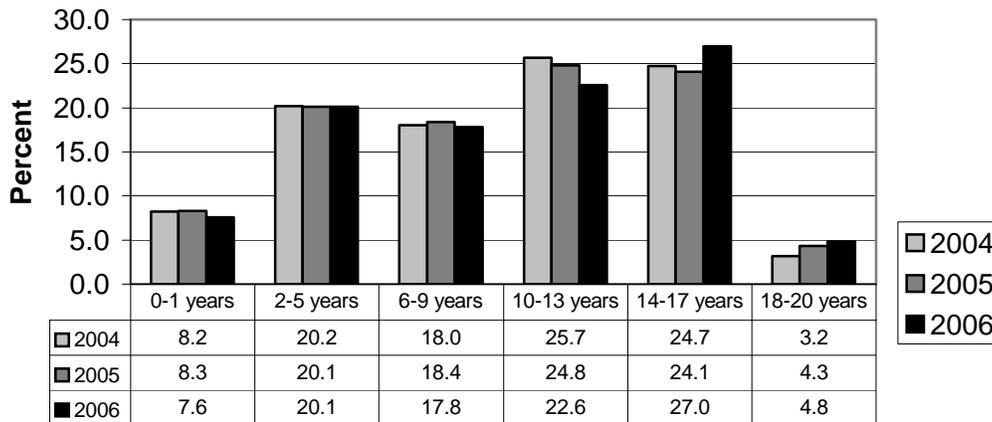
Tables 4a, 4b and 4c show the numbers of children waiting and the numbers of children placed. The children waiting for adoption and those in adoptive placement together are the children available for adoption. The following section describes the characteristics of the available children at the start of the last few years.

Characteristics of the Children Available for Adoption

As of October 1, 2005, there were 3,447 children available for adoption. The population is fairly evenly split between the birth to age nine group and the ten and older group. There are slightly more males than females and slightly more white children than African American children. Three of every four children has been in care (time since initial custody) more than two years and just under half of the children have spent more than two years in permanent custody.

Age. There have not been any large shifts in the age of available children over the past three years. One change to note is that 14 to 17 year olds now comprise the largest age group (27.0%). In the two earlier years, 2004 and 2005, the ten to 13 year olds represented the largest proportion of available children. This change is not solely attributable to entries into permanent custody. A greater proportion (15.5%) and larger number (296) of ten to 13 year olds entered PC in FFY 2005 than did the older teenagers (171 or 8.9%). Rather, the difference lies largely in the rates at which the two groups are adopted. For example, 29 percent of the children ages ten to 13 available for adoption at the start of FFY 2005 had been adopted by the end of that same year. In contrast, just 16 percent of the 14 to 17 year olds were adopted by the end of the year. These types of outcomes are discussed in more detail in the next chapter.

**Age of Children Available for Adoption,
FFY 2004 - 2006**



Cuyahoga County has 30 percent, or 564, of the State's 1,874 older children (ages 10 to 20). The table to the right shows Cuyahoga and the five other counties with more than 100 children in this age group.

**Counties With More than 100
Older Children Available,
FFY 2006**

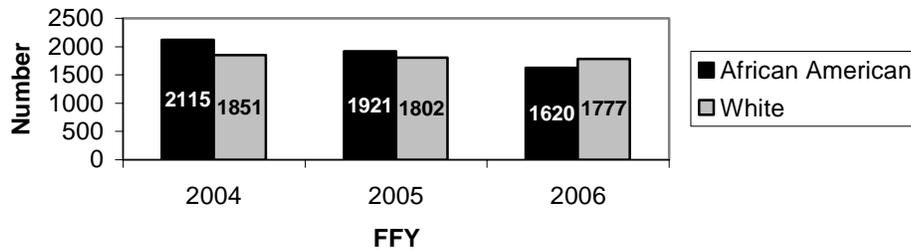
Cuyahoga	564
Hamilton	147
Summit	142
Montgomery	136
Stark	133
Lucas	104

Gender. Males have consistently comprised between 55 and 57 percent of the population of available children in the past three years. As of October 1, 2005, there were 1,912 males and 1,535 females among the children waiting and placed.

Race. For the first time in the last three years, there are more

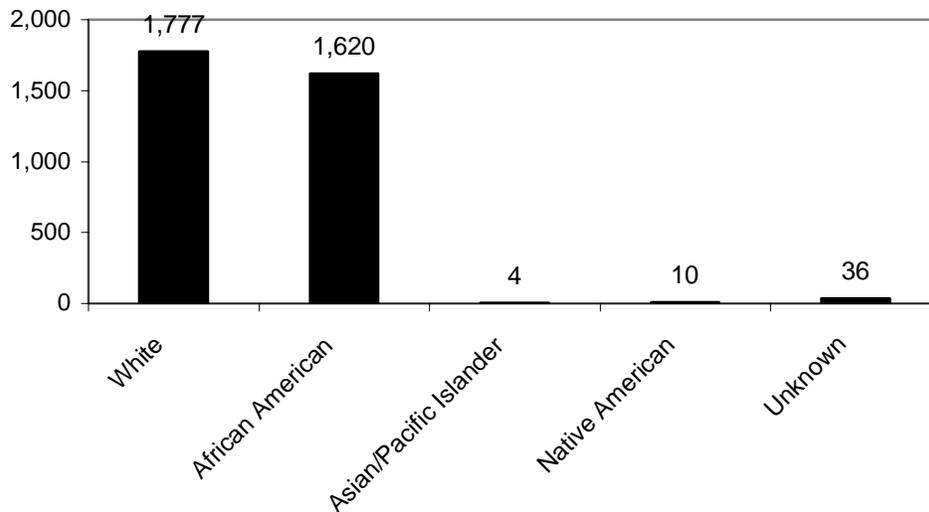
white children available for adoption than African American children. At the start of the current federal fiscal year, there were 1,620 African American children and 1,777 white children available. This is consistent with the increasing proportion of the children who are from non-metro counties.

Number of African American and White Children Available for Adoption at the Start of FFY 2004, 2005 and 2006



Other races still make up relatively small proportions of the population. The following graph shows the racial breakdown of the population of waiting and placed children.

Number of Available Children by Race at the Start of FFY 2006



Counties With More than 100 African American Children Available, FFY 2006

Cuyahoga	752
Hamilton	167
Montgomery	145
Summit	111
Lucas	104

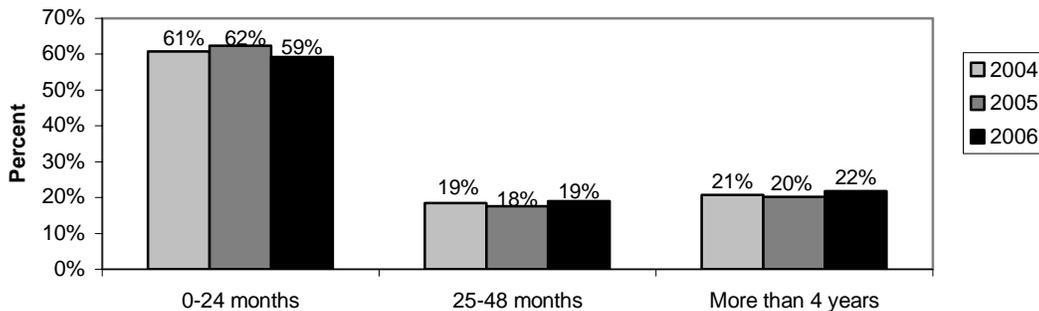
Ninety-three percent (1,505 of 1,620) of the African American children available for adoption are in a major metro or metro county. The five counties with the largest numbers of African American children are listed in the table to the left. These numbers are important especially when looking at outcomes for different types of children in the next chapter. African American children continue to be adopted at a lower rate than white children.

Time Since Initial Custody. At the start of the most recent federal fiscal year, 831 of the 3,447 available children had been in care two years or less. This means that for three of every four children in care statewide more than two years have elapsed since entry into initial custody. As the table to the right shows, the length of time the available children have spent in care has not changed in any substantial way in the past three years.

Time	2004	2005	2006
0-12 months	6%	6%	5%
13-24 months	21%	20%	19%
25-36 months	22%	22%	22%
37-48 months	14%	16%	16%
More than 4 years	37%	36%	38%

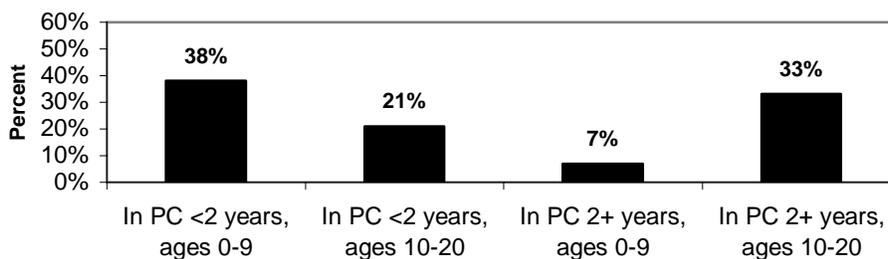
Time in Permanent Custody. Fifty-nine percent of the children available for adoption at the start of the current federal fiscal year have been in PC two years or less, compared with 62 percent in FFY 2005 and 61 percent in FFY 2004. The decline in the most recent year is due to a smaller proportion of children in PC in one year or less. In 2005, 43 percent of the available children had been in PC a year or less. By the start of FFY 2006, that proportion dropped to 39 percent.

Length of Time in Permanent Custody, FFY 2004-2006



While the majority of the population has been in PC two years or less, there are clear differences in terms of age. Of the children in PC, one-third are over the age of nine and have been in PC more than two years. The younger children in PC more than two years represent just seven percent of the population.

Comparison of Length of Time in Permanent Custody by Age Group, FFY 2006



Information about the characteristics of children waiting and placed is shown in Tables 5a, 5b and 5c.

Outcomes for Children in Permanent Custody

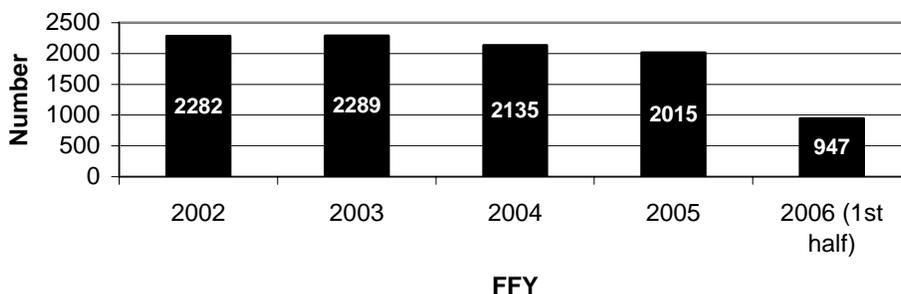
In the last chapter, we saw that, given the number of children who entered PC in the first half of FFY 2006, there will most likely be fewer children becoming available for adoption this year. Ohio is also starting the year with fewer children waiting for adoption (2,643 compared with 2,937 at the beginning of FFY 2005) and fewer children in adoptive placement (29 fewer than in FFY 2005). With these numbers, fewer adoptions are expected. Also, one might assume that the children available for adoption would have better outcomes than in previous years since there are fewer children for whom adoptive homes are needed.

While the numbers of children entering PC during the first half of the year and in PC at the start of FFY 2006 are down from FFY 2005, it is important to carefully consider the characteristics of the population of available children before assuming that better outcomes will be achieved. In the first half of FFY 2006, we see a larger proportion of those children for whom it has historically proven more difficult to find adoptive homes. These groups include children over the age of nine, African American children and children who have been in care more than two years. Slight increases are seen in the proportions of older children entering PC and there is an increase in the proportion of 14 to 17 year olds waiting or placed for adoption at the start of the year. Thirty-nine percent of those entering PC in the first six months of this year are African American, up from 37 percent in the previous year. Finally, there is a greater percentage of children, compared with FFY 2005, who have been in care more than two years. This last point has implications not only for the achievement of adoptions for children, but also for the federal adoption measure.

TOTAL ADOPTIONS

In FFY 2005, there were 2,015 adoptions, down six percent from FFY 2004. In the first six months of FFY 2006, Ohio has finalized 947 adoptions. At this pace, the number of adoptions is expected to be lower than in FFY 2005. This downward trend mirrors the seven percent fewer children waiting for adoption at the start of the year.

**Total Number of Adoptions,
FFY 2002 - the First Half of FFY 2006**



Together, the major metro and metro counties account for 70 percent of the adoptions. More than one-third of the adoptions in the first six months of FFY 2006 occurred in the major metro counties. Cuyahoga (199) and Franklin (120) account for all but 42 of the 361 adoptions among the three major metro counties. Three hundred one of the adoptions were achieved in the metro counties.

Among that group, Lucas County has finalized the largest number of adoptions (80), followed next by Montgomery County (59) and Summit County (58). In the large counties, Licking (29) and Clermont (23) account for 52 of the 138 adoptions in that group of counties.

OUTCOMES ACHIEVED BY THE END OF THE FIRST HALF OF FFY 2006

The previous chapter discussed the characteristics of those children available for adoption at the start of FFY 2006. Where are those children six months into the current year?

Still Waiting. Sixty-one percent (2,115 of 3,447) of the children available for adoption at the start of FFY 2006 are still waiting as of March 31, 2006. In all of FFY 2005, 49 percent were still waiting for adoption at the end of that 12 month period.

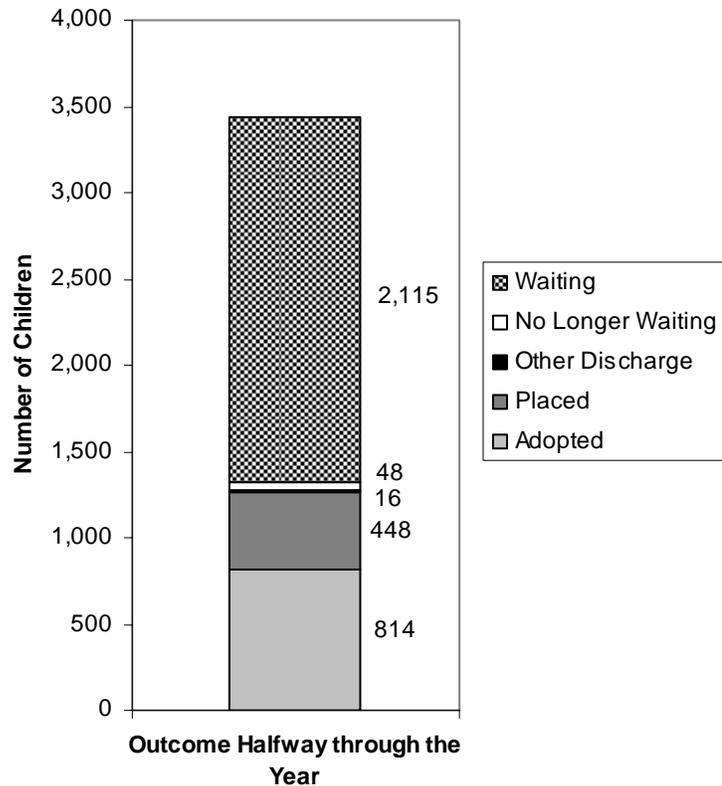
Nearly two of every three of those still waiting (62%) are age ten or older. There are 1,020 African American children waiting and fifty more white children (1,070) in this category.

At this halfway mark in the year, the length of time in care since initial custody is a predictor of which children are still waiting to be adopted. Three of every four children (1,620 of 2,115) who were available at the start of the year and who had been in care more than two years are still waiting.

Placed. Four hundred forty-eight (13%) of the available children are in adoptive placement six months into the year. Like the waiting children, two-thirds of the children in placement are older than the age of nine. Just over half (52%) are African American; 47 percent are white. Three hundred ninety-eight of them (89%) had been in care more than two years as of the start of the year. Just under half of the placed children have been in PC more than four years.

Adopted. By the end of March 2006, 814 of the 3,447 children available as of October 1, 2005 have been adopted. The adopted children have different characteristics than those waiting and placed, particularly in terms of age. The adopted children tend to be younger. Three-quarters are under the age of ten. A slightly greater proportion (34%) has been in care two years or less than those still waiting (23%). More of the children with finalized adoptions six months into the year are white (468) than are African American (327). Over half (55%) of the adopted children had been in PC one year or less at the start of FFY 2006.

Outcomes for Children Available for Adoption at the Start of FFY 2006



So, who is adopting the children in FFY 2006? More than half of the adoptions statewide (520 of 947) are by foster parents. To date, there have been 91 adoptions by kin, 25 of whom are recorded as having also provided foster care to the children they adopted. Another third of the adoptions (336) are by persons unrelated to the children who did not provide foster care to them prior to adoption. The following table shows the number of adoptions by each type of family for the State and for each group of counties in the first half of FFY 2006.

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster/Kinship		No Relationship		Total Adoptions
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Major Metro	218	60.4	39	10.8	22	6.1	82	22.7	361
Metro	180	59.8	10	3.3	3	1.0	108	35.9	301
Large	69	50.0	12	8.7	0	0.0	57	41.3	138
Medium	26	30.9	4	4.8	0	0.0	54	64.3	84
Medium Small	12	44.4	1	3.7	0	0.0	14	51.9	27
Small	15	41.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	21	58.3	36
Ohio	520	54.9	66	7.0	25	2.6	336	35.5	947

There is a greater proportion of foster parent adoptions (55%) as compared with the past two federal fiscal years (48% in FFY 2004 and 52% in FFY 2005). Adoptions by relatives are down slightly to ten percent from 12 percent in the last two years.

In the *major metro counties*:

- 60% of the adoptions are by foster parents.
 - Foster parents tend to adopt children under the age of ten (71%);
 - Are slightly more likely to adopt African American children (54%) than white children (42%) but are less likely than either kinship families or unrelated families to adopt African American children; and
 - Largely adopted children who had been in PC for two years or less (78%).
- Related caregivers in these three counties account for 61 of the 91 kinship adoptions statewide.
 - 82% the children adopted by kin are African American.
- Families unrelated to the adopted children accounted for 82 of the 361 adoptions in the three major metro counties. These families are more likely to adopt:
 - Children under age ten (71%);
 - African American children (67%); and
 - Children in PC in 24 months or less (68%).

Like the major metro counties, 60 percent of the adoptions in the *metro counties* are by foster parents (180 of 301).

- 81% of the foster parents adopted children under age ten.
 - Foster parents in the metro counties adopted more white children (114) than African American children (64).

- The adoptions by non-relatives³ tend to be of younger (71%), white (59%) children in PC two years or less (77%).
- Kinship adoption is largely not utilized in these counties; just 13 of the adoptions are of this type. In fact, it is used less and less as county size decreases.

In the *large counties*:

- There have been 138 adoptions in the first six months of FFY 2006, half of which were by foster parents (69).
 - 9 out of 10 of the foster parent adoptions were of children under age ten;
 - Foster parents tended to adopt white children (84%) and children in PC less than 24 months (85%).
- 57 of the 138 adoptions were by non-relatives.
 - They also largely adopted younger (77%), white (86%) children in PC less than two years (67%). Thus, non-relatives are proportionately more likely than foster parents to adopt older children and children in care more than two years.

In the *medium, medium small and small counties*, there are more adoptions by unrelated families than foster parents.

Statewide, if as many of the children available at the beginning of FFY 2006 are adopted in the second part of the year as were adopted in the first half of the year, a larger proportion will be adopted than in the previous two years. This is discussed further in the “Rates of Success” section.

Other outcomes. Some of the children who began the federal fiscal year available for adoption are not adopted, placed or waiting at the six month mark of the year. Sixteen children were not adopted but were discharged from care for some other reason. These children may have been returned home, discharged to independent living or may have aged out of foster care. All 16 are in the ages 14 to 20 age group. All had been in PC more than four years.

Another 48 children are considered “no longer waiting.” They are no longer in PC or their goal is not adoption. All but two of these children are over age nine. Thirty-five of them are African American and 26 had been in PC more than two years.

Tables 5a, 5b and 5c show the outcomes for the children available for adoption at the start of each of the last two and one-half years. Tables 10a, 10b, and 10c provide more detail on the children adopted by the type of family adopting.

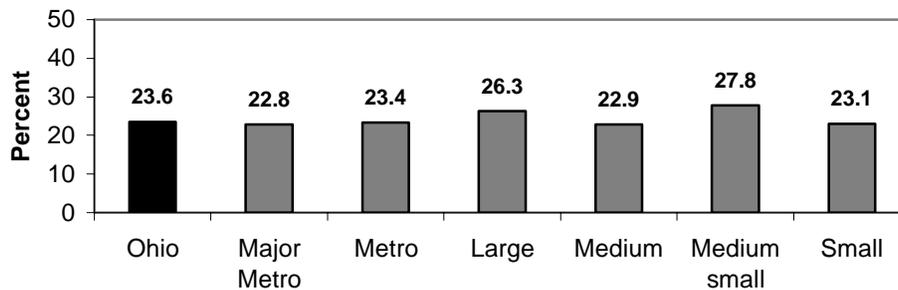
RATES OF SUCCESS

The “rate of success” is another way to look at adoption outcomes. It takes all of the children available for adoption (waiting and placed) at the beginning of a year and looks at the proportion of that population that was adopted by the end of the year. In FFY 2005, 38.3 percent of the children available on October 1, 2004 were adopted by September 30, 2005. Halfway through FFY 2006, 23.6 percent of the 3,447 children have been adopted. Annualizing this rate (47.2%), it looks as if Ohio will end FFY 2006 with a better rate of success than FFY 2005 and FFY 2004 (39.5%).

³ Non-relative or stranger adoptions are adoptions by persons unrelated to the child who also did not serve as foster parents to the child.

As in FFY 2005, it is the medium-small sized counties as a group that has the highest rate of success (27.8%). The three major metro counties as a group have a rate of 22.8 percent, but it is important to note that Franklin County's rate of 65 percent is the third highest in the state. Only Tuscarawas and Defiance Counties, each with a rate of 66.7 percent, are higher. Tables 4a, 4b and 4c show the rates of success by county for the last two and one-half years.

FFY 2006 Half Year Rates of Success by County Size

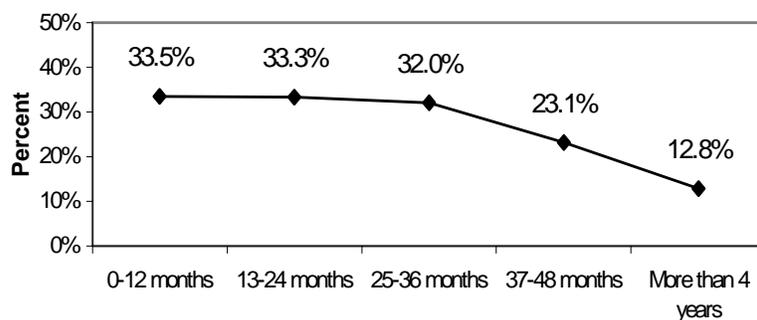


An interesting application of the rate of success is to apply it to the subpopulations of children for whom it is most difficult to find adoptive homes.

Older children. Of the 1,874 children ages ten to 20 statewide who were available at the start of FFY 2006, 202 have been adopted in the first six months of the year. This half year rate of 10.8 percent, when annualized, puts the state at about the same pace as in all of FFY 2005 when 20.6 percent of the older children available at the beginning of the year were adopted by the end of it. Franklin County has the highest rate of success at the half year mark (48.1%) among the major metro, metro, large and medium sized counties, with Columbiana (36.4%) and Erie (35.7%) second and third highest. Guernsey (50.0%), Logan (50.0%), Crawford (40.0%) and Carroll (40.0%) have the highest rates among the medium small and small counties. The FFY 2006 half year rates of success for older children are shown in Table 7c.

The graph to the right shows the impact of age on the rate of success. Clearly, the younger the child the more likely the child is to be adopted.

FFY 2006 Half Year Rates of Success for Children for whom Two Years Has Elapsed Since Initial Custody



Length of Time in Care. A second subpopulation of children for whom it is more challenging to find permanent homes is those children for whom more than two years has elapsed since their entry into care (initial custody). In Ohio, these children fare better as a group than does the group of children over age nine. In the first half of 2006, one of every five children in care (20.5%) more than two years at the start of the year has been adopted. This rate, when annualized (41.0%), is higher than the rates of the prior two years. The rate of success for this group of children was 34.0 percent in FFY 2004 and 32.5 percent in FFY 2005.

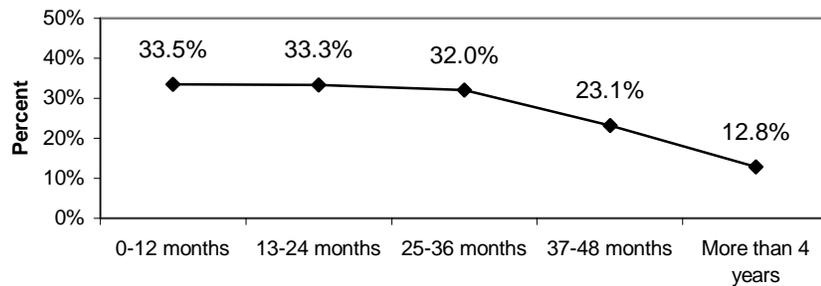
Six counties have more than 100 children who have been in care more than two years. They are listed below with their rates of success for this subpopulation at the half year mark:

- Cuyahoga 17.0
- Hamilton 11.8
- Lucas 22.5
- Montgomery 22.5
- Stark 10.9
- Summit 20.4

Only Lucas and Montgomery are above the State's rate of 20.5.

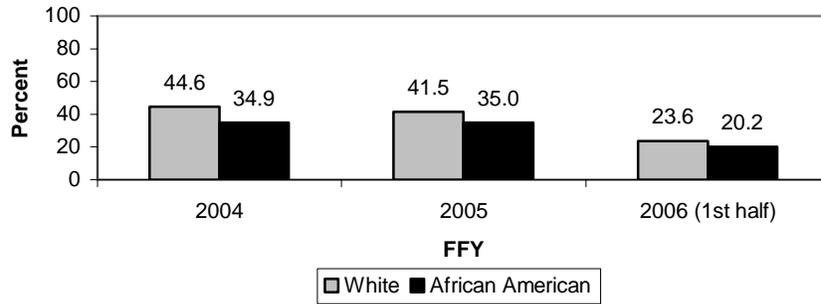
While the impact of the length of time in care on the likelihood of adoption during the same year is less dramatic than the impact of age, the graph to the right clearly shows that those in care the longest at the start of a given year have the least chance of being adopted during the year.

FFY 2006 Half Year Rates of Success for Children for whom Two Years Has Elapsed Since Initial Custody



African American Children. African American children as a group fare better than do older children and those in care more than two years. In FFY 2005, 35 percent of African American children available at the start of the year had been adopted by the end of the year. FFY 2006 is looking to surpass that level. In the first half of the year, one in five African American children has been adopted. Annualized, 40 percent will be adopted. Still, white children are adopted at a higher rate. To date, one in four (26.3%) available white children has a finalized adoption.

Rates of Success for White and African American Children, FFY 2004 - First Half of 2006



The table below shows those counties with more than 50 African American children waiting or placed at the start of FFY 2006 and their rates of success for this population. Franklin, Lucas and Summit exceed the statewide rate of 20.2 percent. In FFY 2005, among these same counties, Franklin

County	Number of African American Children	FFY 2006 Half Year Rate of Success
Cuyahoga	752	16.9
Hamilton	167	13.2
Montgomery	145	19.3
Summit	111	24.3
Lucas	104	30.8
Franklin	78	61.5
Stark	75	10.7

(62.6%), Cuyahoga (35.0%) and Lucas (35.0%) ended the year with the highest rates.

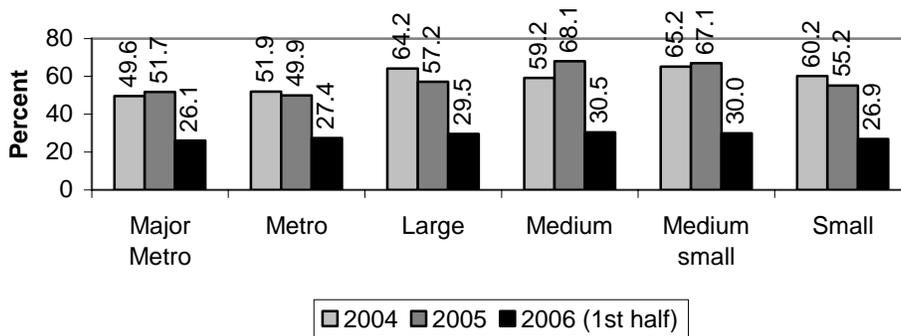
Tables 8c and 9c show the rates for African American children and children in care more than two years.

RATES OF ADOPTION

Besides looking at the proportion of available children who are adopted by the end of a period, one can also look at all adoptions that occur in a given year as a percent of the available children at the start of the year. This calculation includes adoptions of children who enter PC during the year and any other adoptions of children, for example, from independent living or permanent planned living arrangements. This is called the “rate of adoption.” The rate of adoption (again, total adoptions divided by the number of available children) in federal fiscal years 2004 and 2005 was 53 percent. In the first half of the current year, the rate of adoption is 27.5 percent. Annualized, the rate would be 55 percent, slightly better than prior years. Applying this rate to the number of waiting and placed children as of October 1, 2005, Ohio can expect 1,896 adoptions by the end of FFY 2006. If the year ends with similar rates as experienced in the past, there would be 69 fewer, or 1,827 adoptions.

To date, Franklin County has the highest rate of adoption (87.6%) among the major metro, metro and large counties. Butler (43.3%), Lorain (40.7) and Lucas (38.8%) have the highest rates among the metro counties and Allen (41.2%), Wayne (41.2%) and Ashtabula (40.0%) counties show the best rates at the half year mark among the large counties. In fact, it is the large counties as a group that has the best rate of adoption so far this year.

**Rates of Adoption by County Size,
FFY 2004 - First Half of FFY 2006**

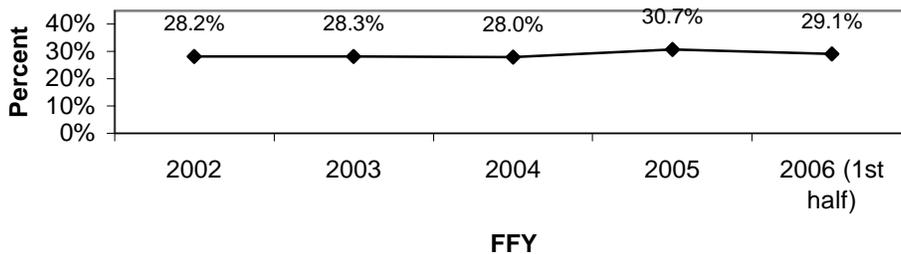


THE FEDERAL ADOPTION MEASURE

For federal fiscal years 2002 through 2004, Ohio saw 28 percent of all its adoptions finalized within two years of initial custody, falling short of the federal adoption measure of 32 percent. In FFY 2005, Ohio came close (30.7%) to meeting the federal measure, but closer to achieving its Program Improvement Plan goal of 31.1 percent of all adoptions finalized within two years of initial custody. This means that 619 of the 2,015 adoptions that year were finalized in that time frame.

In the first six months of FFY 2006, 276 of the 947 adoptions, or 29.1 percent, have been within two years of initial custody. If one assumes that the same number of adoptions is achieved in the second half of the year, Ohio would need to have 322 more adoptions finalized within 24 months of initial custody, or 34 percent of the adoptions.

**Percent of Adopted Children Adopted within Two Years of
Initial Custody,
FFY 2002-First Half of FFY 2006**



The only groups of counties showing improvement on this measure from FFY 2005 to the first half of the current year are the medium small (41.8% to 51.9%) and small (37.5% to 44.4%) counties.

Grouping the counties by size and comparing their rates on this measure does not present an accurate picture because there is such large variation within the groups. For example, the percentages of adoptions finalized within two years of initial custody so far in 2006 among the large counties ranges from 0.0 percent to 66.7 percent.

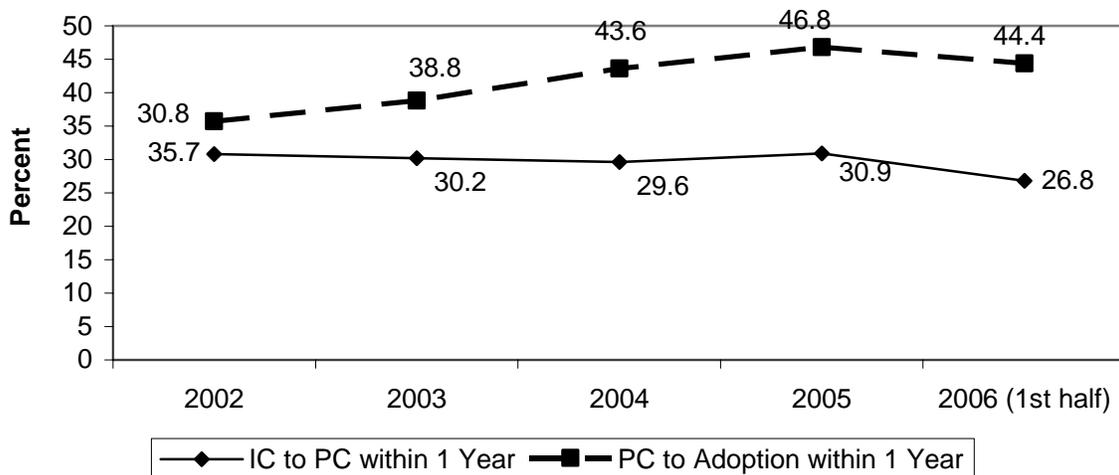
	2004	2005	2006 (1 st half)
Major Metro	24.8	25.6	24.1
Metro	27.1	35.6	30.9
Large	28.3	27.4	26.1
Medium	40.8	38.4	35.7
Medium Small	34.5	41.8	51.9
Small	45.3	37.5	44.4

Among the major metro and metro counties, Cuyahoga, Lucas and Stark are the only counties showing improvement over FFY 2005

levels. Cuyahoga County, which has remained at 22 percent for the past three federal fiscal years, is now up to 23.1 percent. Among this same group of metro counties, Lorain (54.5%), Lucas (48.8%) and Trumbull are the only ones exceeding the federal standard as of March 31, 2006.

One of the ways in which the federal measure is examined more closely is to break the adoption process into two stages: the time from initial custody to PC (Table 12) and PC to adoption (Table 13). After improving statewide in both stages of the adoption process from FFY 2004 to FFY 2005, the proportion of adoptions in which PC was achieved within one year dropped from the FFY 2005 level of 30.9 percent to 26.8 percent in the first half of FFY 2006. The percentage of adoptions achieved within a year of PC dropped as well from 46.8 percent to 44.4 percent.

Percent of Adopted Children Entering Permanent Custody Within One Year of Initial Custody and Percent of Adopted within One Year of Permanent Custody, FFY 2002 - First Half of 2006



Among the counties with the largest number of adoptions as of March 31, 2006 (Cuyahoga, Franklin, Lucas, Montgomery and Summit), only Lucas County increased the proportion of adopted children who entered PC within one year of initially coming into care. Among these same five counties, only Cuyahoga and Franklin increased the proportion of adopted children adopted within one year of PC.

Summary

The data on children entering permanent custody and in permanent custody and the outcomes for these children in the first half of FFY 2006 indicate that:

- Adoption work may be slightly more difficult than in FFY 2005;
- Certain groups of children will have better outcomes; and
- Meeting the federal adoption measure in FFY 2006 will be challenging.

While this may be true, it is not appropriate to draw firm conclusions given that Ohio is just halfway through federal fiscal year 2006.

ADOPTION WORK IN FFY 2006

Why might adoption work be more difficult? There is a small increase in the proportion of older children who are entering PC. Also, the children available for adoption at the start of the year are older. The 14 to 17 year olds as a group now make up the largest proportion of all available children. It is the older children for whom Ohio has the most difficulty finding adoptive homes.

IMPROVED OUTCOMES

The rates of success and adoption for the population of children available for adoption in FFY 2006, if they continue, will be higher than in FFY 2005. The rates of success for two groups of children have improved since last year. African American children are more likely to be adopted this year than last, although they are still less likely than white children to be adopted. The same is true for children in care more than two years. Their rate of success is looking to be better than in FFY 2005, but they are still less likely as a group to be adopted than are children in care less time.

MEETING THE FEDERAL ADOPTION MEASURE

Data from the first six months of FFY 2006 indicate that it will be challenging for Ohio to meet its PIP goal for the federal adoption measure. The challenges are as follows:

1. The pool of children available for adoption who have spent less than two years in care is shrinking. In FFY 2004 (1,069 children) and FFY 2005 (1,000), 27 percent of the available children had been in care two years or less at the start of the year. At the beginning of FFY 2006, 831 children, or 24 percent, had been in care two years or less.
2. Counties are doing better at getting children adopted who have been in care two years or more. This is demonstrated by the improved rate of success for this population. Achieving permanency for these children is what is best for these children. It works counter to the federal adoption measure.
3. The proportion of adopted children who reach PC within one year of initial custody has dipped to its lowest point in the last four and one-half years. If children are not achieving PC in one year, it is less likely the total time from initial entry into care to adoption will be within the two-year time frame.
4. Similarly, there has been a decline in the percentage of adopted children adopted within a year of achieving PC, from a high of 47 percent in FFY 2005 to 44 percent in the first part of FFY 2006.

There are counties that have consistently exceeded the federal standard and there are counties which have not yet met the standard but are improving. Some of these are among the counties with more challenging populations of children. There are other counties that have never met the standard and that are not showing improvement.

Table Features

This Performance Report includes data through the first half of federal fiscal year 2006. The layout of the tables is identical to the December 2005 report. PCSA data continues to be grouped according to the same classifications as are used in the CPOE reports so that agencies can compare their performance to other similar counties more easily. The report includes a set of definitions at the end which explains the key terms used in the tables. The remainder of this introductory section describes each of the tables and explains the features 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 2004, FFY 2005 and the first half of FFY 2006. 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 measures introduced one year ago: 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.

Data Tables

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

	FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Ohio	2,160	100.0	1,913	100.0	937	100.0
Major Metro Counties	911	42.2	710	37.1	314	33.5
Cuyahoga	550	25.5	374	19.6	150	16.0
Franklin	250	11.6	221	11.6	87	9.3
Hamilton	111	5.1	115	6.0	77	8.2
Metro Counties	659	30.5	575	30.1	292	31.2
Butler	57	2.6	54	2.8	17	1.8
Lake	13	0.6	13	0.7	4	0.4
Lorain	23	1.1	25	1.3	10	1.1
Lucas	165	7.6	114	6.0	121	12.9
Mahoning	28	1.3	14	0.7	1	0.1
Montgomery	110	5.1	128	6.7	35	3.7
Stark	119	5.5	77	4.0	41	4.4
Summit	105	4.9	95	5.0	37	3.9
Trumbull	39	1.8	55	2.9	26	2.8
Large Counties	275	12.7	290	15.2	134	14.3
Allen	10	0.5	10	0.5	9	1.0
Ashtabula	16	0.7	22	1.2	14	1.5
Clark	20	0.9	13	0.7	11	1.2
Clermont	48	2.2	43	2.2	18	1.9
Columbiana	11	0.5	19	1.0	5	0.5
Delaware	10	0.5	12	0.6	2	0.2
Fairfield	26	1.2	40	2.1	11	1.2
Greene	14	0.6	12	0.6	3	0.3
Licking	42	1.9	52	2.7	25	2.7
Medina	5	0.2	6	0.3	6	0.6
Portage	33	1.5	13	0.7	5	0.5
Richland	13	0.6	29	1.5	7	0.7
Warren	9	0.4	12	0.6	6	0.6
Wayne	13	0.6	3	0.2	7	0.7
Wood	5	0.2	4	0.2	5	0.5

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	FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Medium Counties	178	8.2	178	9.3	122	13.0
Ashland	3	0.1	10	0.5	0	0.0
Athens	24	1.1	15	0.8	15	1.6
Belmont	13	0.6	11	0.6	5	0.5
Darke	4	0.2	5	0.3	1	0.1
Erie	2	0.1	7	0.4	4	0.4
Geauga	8	0.4	7	0.4	2	0.2
Hancock	11	0.5	8	0.4	5	0.5
Huron	2	0.1	5	0.3	5	0.5
Jefferson	1	0.0	10	0.5	0	0.0
Knox	1	0.0	1	0.1	0	0.0
Lawrence	13	0.6	2	0.1	7	0.7
Marion	7	0.3	4	0.2	6	0.6
Miami	7	0.3	20	1.0	6	0.6
Muskingum	26	1.2	24	1.3	20	2.1
Pickaway	6	0.3	5	0.3	4	0.4
Ross	23	1.1	10	0.5	5	0.5
Sandusky	3	0.1	5	0.3	6	0.6
Scioto	2	0.1	6	0.3	2	0.2
Seneca	7	0.3	5	0.3	1	0.1
Tuscarawas	11	0.5	16	0.8	24	2.6
Washington	4	0.2	2	0.1	4	0.4
Medium Small Counties	54	2.5	71	3.7	48	5.1
Auglaize	5	0.2	1	0.1	5	0.5
Brown	2	0.1	5	0.3	8	0.9
Clinton	11	0.5	13	0.7	6	0.6
Crawford	5	0.2	6	0.3	5	0.5
Fulton	2	0.1	0	0.0	4	0.4
Guernsey	5	0.2	8	0.4	4	0.4
Highland	4	0.2	6	0.3	2	0.2
Logan	3	0.1	3	0.2	3	0.3
Madison	5	0.2	3	0.2	0	0.0
Mercer	4	0.2	0	0.0	3	0.3
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preble	5	0.2	8	0.4	5	0.5
Shelby	1	0.0	6	0.3	2	0.2
Union	2	0.1	12	0.6	1	0.1

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	FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Small Counties	83	3.8	89	4.7	27	2.9
Adams	5	0.2	0	0.0	3	0.3
Carroll	4	0.2	4	0.2	0	0.0
Champaign	4	0.2	11	0.6	0	0.0
Coshocton	4	0.2	1	0.1	0	0.0
Defiance	6	0.3	1	0.1	4	0.4
Fayette	4	0.2	3	0.2	5	0.5
Gallia	4	0.2	9	0.5	0	0.0
Hardin	20	0.9	5	0.3	2	0.2
Harrison	1	0.0	2	0.1	0	0.0
Henry	2	0.1	3	0.2	0	0.0
Hocking	5	0.2	14	0.7	3	0.3
Holmes	1	0.0	1	0.1	0	0.0
Jackson	0	0.0	2	0.1	0	0.0
Meigs	3	0.1	1	0.1	0	0.0
Monroe	1	0.0	1	0.1	0	0.0
Morgan	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Morrow	1	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1
Noble	0	0.0	2	0.1	0	0.0
Paulding	3	0.1	0	0.0	3	0.3
Perry	0	0.0	10	0.5	3	0.3
Pike	8	0.4	5	0.3	3	0.3
Putnam	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Van Wert	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	0.0	1	0.1	0	0.0
Williams	2	0.1	3	0.2	0	0.0
Wyandot	3	0.1	10	0.5	0	0.0

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

	White		African American		Other Races		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,229	56.9	908	42.0	23	1.1	2,160
Major Metro Counties	300	32.9	595	65.3	16	1.8	911
Cuyahoga	136	24.7	401	72.9	13	2.4	550
Franklin	129	51.6	118	47.2	3	1.2	250
Hamilton	35	31.5	76	68.5	0	0.0	111
Metro Counties	393	59.6	260	39.5	6	0.9	659
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	55.2	46	43.8	1	1.0	105
Trumbull	32	82.1	7	17.9	0	0.0	39
Large Counties	240	87.3	35	12.7	0	0.0	275
Allen	8	80.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	10
Ashtabula	12	75.0	4	25.0	0	0.0	16
Clark	12	60.0	8	40.0	0	0.0	20
Clermont	48	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	48
Columbiana	10	90.9	1	9.1	0	0.0	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	9	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	9
Wayne	11	84.6	2	15.4	0	0.0	13
Wood	4	80.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5

Table 2a: 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	48	88.9	6	11.1	0	0.0	54
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	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
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 2a: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2004

	White		African American		Other Races		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	80	96.4	3	3.6	0	0.0	83
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	20	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	20
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 2b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2005

	White		African American		Other Races		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,166	61.0	708	37.0	39	2.0	1,913
Major Metro Counties	271	38.2	419	59.0	20	2.8	710
Cuyahoga	105	28.1	250	66.8	19	5.1	374
Franklin	111	50.2	109	49.3	1	0.5	221
Hamilton	55	47.8	60	52.2	0	0.0	115
Metro Counties	336	58.4	225	39.1	14	2.4	575
Butler	46	85.2	8	14.8	0	0.0	54
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	5	35.7	9	64.3	0	0.0	14
Montgomery	46	35.9	79	61.7	3	2.3	128
Stark	60	77.9	17	22.1	0	0.0	77
Summit	52	54.7	40	42.1	3	3.2	95
Trumbull	37	67.3	17	30.9	1	1.8	55
Large Counties	256	88.3	33	11.4	1	0.3	290
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	42	97.7	1	2.3	0	0.0	43
Columbiana	18	94.7	1	5.3	0	0.0	19
Delaware	12	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12
Fairfield	40	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	40
Greene	10	83.3	2	16.7	0	0.0	12
Licking	47	90.4	4	7.7	1	1.9	52
Medina	6	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Portage	12	92.3	1	7.7	0	0.0	13
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 2b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2005

	White		African American		Other Races		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	156	87.6	20	11.2	2	1.1	178
Ashland	8	80.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	10
Athens	14	93.3	1	6.7	0	0.0	15
Belmont	11	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Darke	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Erie	3	42.9	3	42.9	1	14.3	7
Geauga	7	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Hancock	7	87.5	1	12.5	0	0.0	8
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	18	90.0	2	10.0	0	0.0	20
Muskingum	21	87.5	2	8.3	1	4.2	24
Pickaway	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Ross	7	70.0	3	30.0	0	0.0	10
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	63	88.7	8	11.3	0	0.0	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	6	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	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 2b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, FFY 2005

	White		African American		Other Races		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	84	94.4	3	3.4	2	2.2	89
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	92.9	1	7.1	0	0.0	14
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	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
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 2c: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	White		African American		Other Races		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	568	60.6	361	38.5	8	0.9	937
Major Metro Counties	104	33.1	207	65.9	3	1.0	314
Cuyahoga	30	20.0	117	78.0	3	2.0	150
Franklin	44	50.6	43	49.4	0	0.0	87
Hamilton	30	39.0	47	61.0	0	0.0	77
Metro Counties	168	57.5	121	41.4	3	1.0	292
Butler	11	64.7	6	35.3	0	0.0	17
Lake	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Lorain	1	10.0	8	80.0	1	10.0	10
Lucas	61	50.4	60	49.6	0	0.0	121
Mahoning	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Montgomery	18	51.4	16	45.7	1	2.9	35
Stark	33	80.5	8	19.5	0	0.0	41
Summit	20	54.1	17	45.9	0	0.0	37
Trumbull	19	73.1	6	23.1	1	3.8	26
Large Counties	117	87.3	16	11.9	1	0.7	134
Allen	3	33.3	6	66.7	0	0.0	9
Ashtabula	13	92.9	0	0.0	1	7.1	14
Clark	7	63.6	4	36.4	0	0.0	11
Clermont	17	94.4	1	5.6	0	0.0	18
Columbiana	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Delaware	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Fairfield	10	90.9	1	9.1	0	0.0	11
Greene	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Licking	25	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	25
Medina	4	66.7	2	33.3	0	0.0	6
Portage	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Richland	6	85.7	1	14.3	0	0.0	7
Warren	5	83.3	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Wayne	7	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Wood	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5

Table 2c: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	White		African American		Other Races		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	108	88.5	13	10.7	1	0.8	122
Ashland	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Athens	15	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	15
Belmont	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Darke	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Erie	3	75.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Geauga	0	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	2
Hancock	4	80.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	5
Huron	4	80.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Jefferson	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Knox	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Lawrence	6	85.7	1	14.3	0	0.0	7
Marion	5	83.3	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Miami	4	66.7	2	33.3	0	0.0	6
Muskingum	17	85.0	3	15.0	0	0.0	20
Pickaway	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Ross	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Sandusky	4	66.7	2	33.3	0	0.0	6
Scioto	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Seneca	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Tuscarawas	24	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	24
Washington	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Medium Small Counties	46	95.8	2	4.2	0	0.0	48
Auglaize	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Brown	8	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Clinton	5	83.3	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Crawford	4	80.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Fulton	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Guernsey	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Highland	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Logan	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Madison	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Mercer	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Ottawa	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Preble	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Shelby	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Union	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1

Table 2c: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Race, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	White		African American		Other Races		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	25	92.6	2	7.4	0	0.0	27
Adams	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Carroll	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Champaign	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Coshocton	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Defiance	2	50.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	4
Fayette	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Gallia	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Hardin	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Harrison	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Henry	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Hocking	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
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	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	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Pike	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
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 3a: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, FFY 2004

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,221	56.5	423	19.6	341	15.8	174	8.1	1	0.0	2,160
Major Metro Counties	530	58.2	184	20.2	137	15.0	60	6.6	0	0.0	911
Cuyahoga	335	60.9	96	17.5	84	15.3	35	6.4	0	0.0	550
Franklin	142	56.8	61	24.4	31	12.4	16	6.4	0	0.0	250
Hamilton	53	47.7	27	24.3	22	19.8	9	8.1	0	0.0	111
Metro Counties	376	57.1	113	17.1	116	17.6	54	8.2	0	0.0	659
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	55	52.4	21	20.0	24	22.9	5	4.8	0	0.0	105
Trumbull	32	82.1	3	7.7	1	2.6	3	7.7	0	0.0	39
Large Counties	158	57.5	62	22.5	35	12.7	20	7.3	0	0.0	275
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	70.0	5	25.0	1	5.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	20
Clermont	30	62.5	15	31.3	3	6.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	48
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	5	55.6	3	33.3	1	11.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	9
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

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

	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	59.3	9	16.7	9	16.7	4	7.4	0	0.0	54
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	20.0	2	40.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
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

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

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	33	39.8	22	26.5	16	19.3	11	13.3	1	1.2	83
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	35.0	7	35.0	3	15.0	2	10.0	1	5.0	20
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

Table 3b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, FFY 2005

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	1,082	56.6	363	19.0	296	15.5	171	8.9	1	0.1	1,913
Major Metro Counties	390	54.9	141	19.9	120	16.9	59	8.3	0	0.0	710
Cuyahoga	211	56.4	65	17.4	69	18.4	29	7.8	0	0.0	374
Franklin	116	52.5	46	20.8	37	16.7	22	10.0	0	0.0	221
Hamilton	63	54.8	30	26.1	14	12.2	8	7.0	0	0.0	115
Metro Counties	359	62.4	104	18.1	80	13.9	32	5.6	0	0.0	575
Butler	33	61.1	4	7.4	8	14.8	9	16.7	0	0.0	54
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	11	78.6	1	7.1	2	14.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	14
Montgomery	65	50.8	29	22.7	27	21.1	7	5.5	0	0.0	128
Stark	55	71.4	13	16.9	7	9.1	2	2.6	0	0.0	77
Summit	52	54.7	20	21.1	17	17.9	6	6.3	0	0.0	95
Trumbull	35	63.6	14	25.5	3	5.5	3	5.5	0	0.0	55
Large Counties	169	58.3	53	18.3	42	14.5	26	9.0	0	0.0	290
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	33	76.7	5	11.6	4	9.3	1	2.3	0	0.0	43
Columbiana	7	36.8	3	15.8	5	26.3	4	21.1	0	0.0	19
Delaware	5	41.7	2	16.7	3	25.0	2	16.7	0	0.0	12
Fairfield	26	65.0	5	12.5	5	12.5	4	10.0	0	0.0	40
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	2	33.3	2	33.3	1	16.7	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Portage	11	84.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	15.4	0	0.0	13
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

Table 3b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, FFY 2005

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	81	45.5	34	19.1	29	16.3	33	18.5	1	0.6	178
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	6	54.5	1	9.1	1	9.1	3	27.3	0	0.0	11
Darke	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Erie	7	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7
Geauga	3	42.9	0	0.0	2	28.6	2	28.6	0	0.0	7
Hancock	2	25.0	1	12.5	3	37.5	2	25.0	0	0.0	8
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	55.0	5	25.0	4	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	20
Muskingum	12	50.0	6	25.0	2	8.3	4	16.7	0	0.0	24
Pickaway	0	0.0	2	40.0	2	40.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Ross	4	40.0	1	10.0	0	0.0	5	50.0	0	0.0	10
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	10	14.1	13	18.3	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	0	0.0	1	16.7	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

Table 3b: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, FFY 2005

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
Small Counties	48	53.9	18	20.2	15	16.9	8	9.0	0	0.0	89
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	71.4	2	14.3	1	7.1	1	7.1	0	0.0	14
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	1	20.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5
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 3c: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Ohio	531	56.7	167	17.8	155	16.5	84	9.0	0	0.0	937
Major Metro Counties	168	53.5	64	20.4	56	17.8	26	8.3	0	0.0	314
Cuyahoga	83	55.3	25	16.7	29	19.3	13	8.7	0	0.0	150
Franklin	49	56.3	15	17.2	12	13.8	11	12.6	0	0.0	87
Hamilton	36	46.8	24	31.2	15	19.5	2	2.6	0	0.0	77
Metro Counties	194	66.4	43	14.7	42	14.4	13	4.5	0	0.0	292
Butler	9	52.9	4	23.5	3	17.6	1	5.9	0	0.0	17
Lake	3	75.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Lorain	8	80.0	0	0.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10
Lucas	88	72.7	17	14.0	14	11.6	2	1.7	0	0.0	121
Mahoning	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Montgomery	22	62.9	3	8.6	5	14.3	5	14.3	0	0.0	35
Stark	23	56.1	3	7.3	13	31.7	2	4.9	0	0.0	41
Summit	24	64.9	9	24.3	2	5.4	2	5.4	0	0.0	37
Trumbull	16	61.5	6	23.1	3	11.5	1	3.8	0	0.0	26
Large Counties	79	59.0	23	17.2	22	16.4	10	7.5	0	0.0	134
Allen	5	55.6	2	22.2	1	11.1	1	11.1	0	0.0	9
Ashtabula	4	28.6	3	21.4	5	35.7	2	14.3	0	0.0	14
Clark	9	81.8	1	9.1	1	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	11
Clermont	12	66.7	4	22.2	2	11.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	18
Columbiana	2	40.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Delaware	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Fairfield	7	63.6	2	18.2	0	0.0	2	18.2	0	0.0	11
Greene	0	0.0	2	66.7	0	0.0	1	33.3	0	0.0	3
Licking	14	56.0	6	24.0	4	16.0	1	4.0	0	0.0	25
Medina	5	83.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	16.7	0	0.0	6
Portage	4	80.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Richland	5	71.4	0	0.0	1	14.3	1	14.3	0	0.0	7
Warren	5	83.3	0	0.0	1	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Wayne	4	57.1	1	14.3	1	14.3	1	14.3	0	0.0	7
Wood	1	20.0	1	20.0	3	60.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5

Table 3c: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Medium Counties	58	47.5	19	15.6	24	19.7	21	17.2	0	0.0	122
Ashland	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Athens	6	40.0	4	26.7	3	20.0	2	13.3	0	0.0	15
Belmont	2	40.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5
Darke	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Erie	3	75.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Geauga	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	2
Hancock	4	80.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Huron	2	40.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Jefferson	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Knox	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Lawrence	2	28.6	2	28.6	2	28.6	1	14.3	0	0.0	7
Marion	1	16.7	0	0.0	1	16.7	4	66.7	0	0.0	6
Miami	1	16.7	0	0.0	2	33.3	3	50.0	0	0.0	6
Muskingum	11	55.0	4	20.0	3	15.0	2	10.0	0	0.0	20
Pickaway	0	0.0	1	25.0	2	50.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Ross	1	20.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Sandusky	5	83.3	0	0.0	1	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Scioto	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Seneca	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Tuscarawas	13	54.2	4	16.7	5	20.8	2	8.3	0	0.0	24
Washington	4	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Medium Small Counties	20	41.7	12	25.0	9	18.8	7	14.6	0	0.0	48
Auglaize	3	60.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	5
Brown	5	62.5	1	12.5	2	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	8
Clinton	3	50.0	3	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6
Crawford	1	20.0	0	0.0	2	40.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5
Fulton	1	25.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Guernsey	1	25.0	3	75.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Highland	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	2
Logan	1	33.3	1	33.3	0	0.0	1	33.3	0	0.0	3
Madison	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Mercer	1	33.3	0	0.0	2	66.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
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	1	50.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	2
Union	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1

Table 3c: Children Entering Permanent Custody by Age, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	0-5		6-9		10-13		14-17		18-20		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Small Counties	12	44.4	6	22.2	2	7.4	7	25.9	0	0.0	27
Adams	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Carroll	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Champaign	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Coshocton	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Defiance	2	50.0	0	0.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Fayette	2	40.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5
Gallia	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Hardin	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Harrison	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Henry	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Hocking	2	66.7	1	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
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	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Monroe	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Morgan	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Morrow	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	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	1	33.3	0	0.0	1	33.3	0	0.0	3
Perry	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	33.3	2	66.7	0	0.0	3
Pike	1	33.3	1	33.3	0	0.0	1	33.3	0	0.0	3
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	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Williams	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Wyandot	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0

Table 4a: 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	3,139	888	1,589	39.5	376	170	2,135	53.0
Major Metro Counties	1,526	471	790	39.6	176	24	990	49.6
Cuyahoga	1,011	367	520	37.7	98	13	631	45.8
Franklin	279	56	195	58.2	58	7	260	77.6
Hamilton	236	48	75	26.4	20	4	99	34.9
Metro Counties	911	235	424	37.0	100	71	595	51.9
Butler	57	8	39	60.0	10	6	55	84.6
Lake	7	0	1	14.3	2	0	3	42.9
Lorain	47	15	31	50.0	11	3	45	72.6
Lucas	207	38	81	33.1	30	19	130	53.1
Mahoning	16	2	8	44.4	1	2	11	61.1
Montgomery	155	71	105	46.5	28	11	144	63.7
Stark	196	42	69	29.0	10	19	98	41.2
Summit	181	54	65	27.7	6	10	81	34.5
Trumbull	45	5	25	50.0	2	1	28	56.0
Large Counties	329	84	197	47.7	42	26	265	64.2
Allen	21	4	13	52.0	0	8	21	84.0
Ashtabula	20	10	22	73.3	4	1	27	90.0
Clark	53	7	23	38.3	6	1	30	50.0
Clermont	13	3	6	37.5	11	4	21	131.3
Columbiana	10	2	5	41.7	0	1	6	50.0
Delaware	2	1	1	33.3	4	3	8	266.7
Fairfield	40	1	18	43.9	3	2	23	56.1
Greene	38	3	12	29.3	1	0	13	31.7
Licking	66	17	37	44.6	2	0	39	47.0
Medina	9	2	8	72.7	2	1	11	100.0
Portage	13	14	16	59.3	5	1	22	81.5
Richland	15	12	18	66.7	3	0	21	77.8
Warren	10	1	5	45.5	0	3	8	72.7
Wayne	16	4	9	45.0	0	0	9	45.0
Wood	3	3	4	66.7	1	1	6	100.0

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Medium Counties	242	52	109	37.1	34	31	174	59.2
Ashland	7	0	3	42.9	0	0	3	42.9
Athens	12	10	10	45.5	2	0	12	54.5
Belmont	10	0	4	40.0	4	1	9	90.0
Darke	0	2	2	100.0	0	1	3	150.0
Erie	29	6	5	14.3	0	0	5	14.3
Geauga	18	0	8	44.4	0	0	8	44.4
Hancock	8	2	5	50.0	1	4	10	100.0
Huron	5	5	5	50.0	0	2	7	70.0
Jefferson	29	3	7	21.9	0	1	8	25.0
Knox	6	0	4	66.7	0	0	4	66.7
Lawrence	19	0	9	47.4	0	0	9	47.4
Marion	5	1	1	16.7	1	3	5	83.3
Miami	22	2	3	12.5	1	3	7	29.2
Muskingum	16	3	11	57.9	11	0	22	115.8
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	4	2	4	66.7	8	0	12	200.0
Sandusky	9	0	2	22.2	3	6	11	122.2
Scioto	21	2	6	26.1	0	0	6	26.1
Seneca	10	5	6	40.0	1	1	8	53.3
Tuscarawas	6	2	4	50.0	2	8	14	175.0
Washington	6	7	10	76.9	0	1	11	84.6
Medium Small Counties	64	25	38	42.7	12	8	58	65.2
Auglaize	2	0	0	0.0	4	4	8	400.0
Brown	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Clinton	7	4	9	81.8	4	0	13	118.2
Crawford	11	2	6	46.2	0	0	6	46.2
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Guernsey	7	4	7	63.6	0	0	7	63.6
Highland	6	0	0	0.0	2	0	2	33.3
Logan	6	3	4	44.4	0	2	6	66.7
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	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Union	4	2	1	16.7	2	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
Small Counties	67	21	31	35.2	12	10	53	60.2
Adams	3	2	2	40.0	4	3	9	180.0
Carroll	3	1	2	50.0	1	1	4	100.0
Champaign	3	2	3	60.0	0	0	3	60.0
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	3	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	5	4	3	33.3	0	0	3	33.3
Harrison	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Henry	5	0	0	0.0	1	1	2	40.0
Hocking	8	0	3	37.5	1	0	4	50.0
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	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Morgan	0	0	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	5	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	2	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Wyandot	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0

Table 4b: 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	2,937	833	1,443	38.3	388	184	2,015	53.4
Major Metro Counties	1,318	418	700	40.3	176	22	898	51.7
Cuyahoga	912	302	446	36.7	74	4	524	43.2
Franklin	213	64	183	66.1	89	9	281	101.4
Hamilton	193	52	71	29.0	13	9	93	38.0
Metro Counties	903	233	387	34.1	96	84	567	49.9
Butler	49	17	29	43.9	13	8	50	75.8
Lake	11	5	6	37.5	0	1	7	43.8
Lorain	22	14	16	44.4	11	0	27	75.0
Lucas	183	53	82	34.7	25	34	141	59.7
Mahoning	28	9	17	45.9	1	1	19	51.4
Montgomery	154	32	53	28.5	24	5	82	44.1
Stark	200	50	68	27.2	4	26	98	39.2
Summit	198	50	83	33.5	12	9	104	41.9
Trumbull	58	3	33	54.1	6	0	39	63.9
Large Counties	342	79	174	41.3	55	12	241	57.2
Allen	14	1	2	13.3	1	0	3	20.0
Ashtabula	16	2	10	55.6	4	0	14	77.8
Clark	43	6	18	36.7	5	4	27	55.1
Clermont	42	1	20	46.5	14	5	39	90.7
Columbiana	10	9	10	52.6	0	0	10	52.6
Delaware	7	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	14.3
Fairfield	33	12	26	57.8	7	0	33	73.3
Greene	35	4	6	15.4	2	0	8	20.5
Licking	72	14	44	51.2	4	3	51	59.3
Medina	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	20	16	19	52.8	2	0	21	58.3
Richland	13	6	12	63.2	13	0	25	131.6
Warren	7	4	1	9.1	0	0	1	9.1
Wayne	20	4	4	16.7	2	0	6	25.0
Wood	5	0	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0

Table 4b: 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
Medium Counties	216	63	108	38.7	34	48	190	68.1
Ashland	7	0	2	28.6	1	0	3	42.9
Athens	17	11	17	60.7	3	7	27	96.4
Belmont	11	0	3	27.3	1	3	7	63.6
Darke	2	2	4	100.0	1	1	6	150.0
Erie	20	6	8	30.8	0	0	8	30.8
Geauga	13	2	6	40.0	2	2	10	66.7
Hancock	8	2	2	20.0	2	6	10	100.0
Huron	4	3	2	28.6	2	0	4	57.1
Jefferson	22	4	3	11.5	0	2	5	19.2
Knox	3	0	0	0.0	0	3	3	100.0
Lawrence	13	2	4	26.7	0	1	5	33.3
Marion	9	1	6	60.0	1	5	12	120.0
Miami	24	1	5	20.0	3	0	8	32.0
Muskingum	12	5	11	64.7	11	0	22	129.4
Pickaway	6	0	5	83.3	1	0	6	100.0
Ross	13	4	7	41.2	2	0	9	52.9
Sandusky	6	1	2	28.6	1	4	7	100.0
Scioto	11	5	8	50.0	0	0	8	50.0
Seneca	5	8	6	46.2	0	2	8	61.5
Tuscarawas	5	5	6	60.0	3	9	18	180.0
Washington	5	1	1	16.7	0	3	4	66.7
Medium Small Counties	61	21	36	43.9	10	9	55	67.1
Auglaize	3	0	1	33.3	1	0	2	66.7
Brown	2	1	2	66.7	0	2	4	133.3
Clinton	7	2	7	77.8	0	0	7	77.8
Crawford	7	1	2	25.0	1	3	6	75.0
Fulton	3	0	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Guernsey	1	1	1	50.0	0	2	3	150.0
Highland	7	0	0	0.0	1	1	2	28.6
Logan	5	6	9	81.8	2	0	11	100.0
Madison	3	4	4	57.1	0	0	4	57.1
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	2	2	0	0.0	3	0	3	75.0

Table 4b: 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	97	19	38	32.8	17	9	64	55.2
Adams	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	3	2	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Champaign	6	0	0	0.0	3	0	3	50.0
Coshocton	1	4	3	60.0	0	1	4	80.0
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	20	5	4	16.0	0	0	4	16.0
Harrison	1	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	100.0
Henry	5	1	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
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	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Morgan	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Morrow	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	1	0	1	100.0	2	0	3	300.0
Paulding	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Perry	6	1	3	42.9	4	0	7	100.0
Pike	10	1	2	18.2	0	0	2	18.2
Putnam	2	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	2	2	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 4c: Rates of Adoption and Success, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	2,643	804	814	23.6	43	90	947	27.5
Major Metro Counties	1,013	370	315	22.8	25	21	361	26.1
Cuyahoga	697	296	191	19.2	4	4	199	20.0
Franklin	106	31	89	65.0	19	12	120	87.6
Hamilton	210	43	35	13.8	2	5	42	16.6
Metro Counties	888	209	257	23.4	10	34	301	27.4
Butler	57	10	24	35.8	0	5	29	43.3
Lake	17	2	6	31.6	0	0	6	31.6
Lorain	15	12	10	37.0	1	0	11	40.7
Lucas	172	34	63	30.6	8	9	80	38.8
Mahoning	20	10	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Montgomery	183	43	56	24.8	0	3	59	26.1
Stark	178	44	32	14.4	1	10	43	19.4
Summit	179	46	51	22.7	0	7	58	25.8
Trumbull	67	8	15	20.0	0	0	15	20.0
Large Counties	348	120	123	26.3	1	14	138	29.5
Allen	14	3	2	11.8	0	5	7	41.2
Ashtabula	22	3	10	40.0	0	0	10	40.0
Clark	22	11	9	27.3	0	3	12	36.4
Clermont	50	11	23	37.7	0	0	23	37.7
Columbiana	17	9	8	30.8	0	0	8	30.8
Delaware	15	2	3	17.6	0	0	3	17.6
Fairfield	44	6	8	16.0	0	4	12	24.0
Greene	37	4	8	19.5	0	0	8	19.5
Licking	62	28	29	32.2	0	0	29	32.2
Medina	6	5	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	14	11	8	32.0	0	0	8	32.0
Richland	16	5	6	28.6	0	0	6	28.6
Warren	11	15	2	7.7	0	0	2	7.7
Wayne	14	3	5	29.4	0	2	7	41.2
Wood	4	4	2	25.0	1	0	3	37.5

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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	226	49	63	22.9	6	15	84	30.5
Ashland	12	1	4	30.8	0	0	4	30.8
Athens	14	4	4	22.2	1	4	9	50.0
Belmont	12	3	3	20.0	0	0	3	20.0
Darke	1	3	1	25.0	0	1	2	50.0
Erie	16	5	12	57.1	0	0	12	57.1
Geauga	10	3	3	23.1	0	0	3	23.1
Hancock	10	1	5	45.5	0	0	5	45.5
Huron	5	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	28	3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Knox	4	0	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
Lawrence	9	4	3	23.1	0	3	6	46.2
Marion	7	0	2	28.6	0	0	2	28.6
Miami	27	1	4	14.3	0	0	4	14.3
Muskingum	13	4	2	11.8	2	0	4	23.5
Pickaway	3	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	15	3	4	22.2	0	0	4	22.2
Sandusky	8	0	0	0.0	3	0	3	37.5
Scioto	13	0	3	23.1	0	0	3	23.1
Seneca	4	5	3	33.3	0	0	3	33.3
Tuscarawas	10	2	8	66.7	0	7	15	125.0
Washington	5	3	1	12.5	0	0	1	12.5
Medium Small Counties	77	13	25	27.8	1	1	27	30.0
Auglaize	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	6	0	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
Clinton	11	2	6	46.2	0	0	6	46.2
Crawford	5	4	5	55.6	0	0	5	55.6
Fulton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	1	2	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Highland	11	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Logan	1	2	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Madison	4	1	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Mercer	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ottawa	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	11	0	3	27.3	0	1	4	36.4
Shelby	9	0	3	33.3	1	0	4	44.4
Union	11	2	2	15.4	0	0	2	15.4

Table 4c: Rates of Adoption and Success, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	43	31	23.1	0	5	36	26.9
Adams	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	4	3	4	57.1	0	0	4	57.1
Champaign	8	6	9	64.3	0	0	9	64.3
Coshocton	2	1	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Defiance	1	2	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Fayette	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	6	6	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	12	11	5	21.7	0	0	5	21.7
Harrison	1	1	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Henry	4	2	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Hocking	5	3	2	25.0	0	0	2	25.0
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jackson	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Monroe	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	1	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	200.0
Noble	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	9	0	3	33.3	0	0	3	33.3
Pike	13	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	2	4	3	50.0	0	2	5	83.3
Wyandot	12	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 5a: 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	331	17.7	0	0.0	331	255	77.0	5	1.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	71	21.5
2-5 years	813	43.5	0	0.0	813	538	66.2	25	3.1	1	0.1	0	0.0	249	30.6
6-9 years	726	38.8	0	0.0	726	337	46.4	44	6.1	0	0.0	3	0.4	342	47.1
10-13 years	0	0.0	1,035	48.0	1,035	314	30.3	78	7.5	3	0.3	16	1.5	624	60.3
14-17 years	0	0.0	993	46.1	993	141	14.2	108	10.9	197	19.8	78	7.9	469	47.2
18-20 years	0	0.0	128	5.9	128	4	3.1	29	22.7	15	11.7	5	3.9	75	58.6
Sex															
Male	1,010	54.0	1,208	56.0	2,218	830	37.4	159	7.2	121	5.5	58	2.6	1,050	47.3
Female	861	46.0	948	44.0	1,809	759	42.0	130	7.2	95	5.3	44	2.4	781	43.2
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	890	47.6	961	44.6	1,851	825	44.6	113	6.1	104	5.6	23	1.2	786	42.5
African American	942	50.3	1,173	54.4	2,115	739	34.9	170	8.0	111	5.2	78	3.7	1,017	48.1
Asian/Pacific Islander	4	0.2	2	0.1	6	4	66.7	1	16.7	1	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0
Native American	11	0.6	12	0.6	23	8	34.8	4	17.4	0	0.0	1	4.3	10	43.5
Unknown	24	1.3	8	0.4	32	13	40.6	1	3.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	18	56.3
Time Since Initial Custody															
0-12 months	183	9.8	54	2.5	237	128	54.0	9	3.8	2	0.8	1	0.4	97	40.9
13-24 months	591	31.6	241	11.2	832	456	54.8	19	2.3	15	1.8	4	0.5	338	40.6
25-36 months	573	30.6	309	14.3	882	436	49.4	33	3.7	22	2.5	7	0.8	384	43.5
37-48 months	289	15.4	293	13.6	582	255	43.8	35	6.0	19	3.3	9	1.5	264	45.4
More than 4 years	235	12.6	1,259	58.4	1,494	314	21.0	193	12.9	158	10.6	81	5.4	748	50.1
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	1,187	63.4	447	20.7	1,634	878	53.7	38	2.3	24	1.5	8	0.5	686	42.0
13-24 months	412	22.0	401	18.6	813	383	47.1	43	5.3	28	3.4	17	2.1	342	42.1
25-36 months	148	7.9	296	13.7	444	142	32.0	42	9.5	25	5.6	9	2.0	226	50.9
37-48 months	68	3.6	233	10.8	301	71	23.6	22	7.3	23	7.6	14	4.7	171	56.8
More than 4 years	56	3.0	779	36.1	835	115	13.8	144	17.2	116	13.9	54	6.5	406	48.6
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	1,870	100.0	2,156	100.0	4,027	1,589	39.5	289	7.2	216	5.4	102	2.5	1,831	45.5

Table 5b: 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	313	17.7	0	0.0	313	241	77.0	3	1.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	69	22.0
2-5 years	759	43.0	0	0.0	759	485	63.9	35	4.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	236	31.1
6-9 years	692	39.2	0	0.0	692	304	43.9	51	7.4	0	0.0	2	0.3	325	47.0
10-13 years	0	0.0	934	46.6	934	269	28.8	67	7.2	1	0.1	28	3.0	563	60.3
14-17 years	0	0.0	910	45.4	910	142	15.6	100	11.0	41	4.5	67	7.4	560	61.5
18-20 years	0	0.0	161	8.0	161	2	1.2	40	24.8	27	16.8	5	3.1	87	54.0
Sex															
Male	954	54.1	1,138	56.8	2,092	769	36.8	165	7.9	42	2.0	65	3.1	1,041	49.8
Female	811	45.9	867	43.2	1,678	674	40.2	131	7.8	27	1.6	37	2.2	800	47.7
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	861	48.8	941	46.9	1,802	748	41.5	124	6.9	39	2.2	33	1.8	849	47.1
African American	876	49.6	1,045	52.1	1,921	672	35.0	168	8.7	29	1.5	69	3.6	973	50.7
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	2	0.1	2	0	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Native American	6	0.3	7	0.3	13	7	53.8	2	15.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	30.8
Unknown	22	1.2	10	0.5	32	16	50.0	0	0.0	1	3.1	0	0.0	15	46.9
Time Since Initial Custody															
0-12 months	178	10.1	62	3.1	240	127	52.9	2	0.8	1	0.4	2	0.8	108	45.0
13-24 months	550	31.2	210	10.5	760	417	54.9	26	3.4	4	0.5	6	0.8	305	40.1
25-36 months	503	28.5	332	16.6	835	404	48.4	45	5.4	8	1.0	15	1.8	360	43.1
37-48 months	304	17.2	290	14.5	594	245	41.2	25	4.2	6	1.0	13	2.2	303	51.0
More than 4 years	230	13.0	1,111	55.4	1,341	250	18.6	198	14.8	50	3.7	66	4.9	765	57.0
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	1,136	64.4	475	23.7	1,611	858	53.3	41	2.5	8	0.5	19	1.2	666	41.3
13-24 months	398	22.5	340	17.0	738	321	43.5	52	7.0	6	0.8	10	1.4	349	47.3
25-36 months	126	7.1	273	13.6	399	124	31.1	32	8.0	8	2.0	21	5.3	214	53.6
37-48 months	46	2.6	217	10.8	263	53	20.2	30	11.4	5	1.9	5	1.9	170	64.6
More than 4 years	59	3.3	700	34.9	759	87	11.5	141	18.6	42	5.5	47	6.2	442	58.2
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	1,764	100.0	2,005	100.0	3,770	1,443	38.3	296	7.9	69	1.8	102	2.7	1,841	48.8

Table 5c: Characteristics and Progress of Children Waiting and Placed at the Start of FFY 2006

	Population Waiting or Placed at Start of FFY					Outcome by at End of 1 st Half of FFY									
	0-9 Years		10-20 Years		Total Available	Adopted		Placed		Other Discharge		No Longer Waiting		Waiting	
	#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Age															
0-1 Years	263	16.7	0	0.0	263	139	52.9	9	3.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	114	43.3
2-5 years	694	44.1	0	0.0	694	292	42.1	61	8.8	0	0.0	2	0.3	338	48.7
6-9 years	615	39.1	0	0.0	615	181	29.4	86	14.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	344	55.9
10-13 years	0	0.0	779	41.6	779	117	15.0	113	14.5	0	0.0	6	0.8	543	69.7
14-17 years	0	0.0	930	49.6	930	83	8.9	110	11.8	2	0.2	38	4.1	697	74.9
18-20 years	0	0.0	165	8.8	165	2	1.2	69	41.8	14	8.5	2	1.2	78	47.3
Sex															
Male	880	55.9	1,032	55.1	1,912	439	23.0	236	12.3	2	0.1	36	1.9	1,196	62.6
Female	693	44.1	842	44.9	1,535	375	24.4	212	13.8	14	0.9	12	0.8	919	59.9
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	841	53.5	936	49.9	1,777	468	26.3	210	11.8	10	0.6	13	0.7	1,070	60.2
African American	702	44.6	918	49.0	1,620	327	20.2	232	14.3	6	0.4	35	2.2	1,020	63.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	0.1	2	0.1	4	1	25.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	25.0
Native American	5	0.3	5	0.3	10	3	30.0	2	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	50.0
Unknown	23	1.5	13	0.7	36	15	41.7	2	5.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	19	52.8
Time Since Initial Custody															
0-12 months	150	9.5	35	1.9	185	62	33.5	6	3.2	0	0.0	2	1.1	115	62.2
13-24 months	463	29.4	183	9.8	646	215	33.3	44	6.8	0	0.0	4	0.6	380	58.8
25-36 months	485	30.8	280	14.9	765	245	32.0	62	8.1	0	0.0	6	0.8	452	59.1
37-48 months	247	15.7	295	15.7	542	125	23.1	78	14.4	0	0.0	9	1.7	327	60.3
More than 4 years	228	14.5	1,081	57.7	1,309	167	12.8	258	19.7	16	1.2	27	2.1	841	64.2
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	946	60.1	387	20.7	1,333	448	33.6	64	4.8	0	0.0	10	0.8	808	60.6
13-24 months	370	23.5	337	18.0	707	206	29.1	94	13.3	0	0.0	12	1.7	392	55.4
25-36 months	151	9.6	256	13.7	407	72	17.7	64	15.7	0	0.0	6	1.5	265	65.1
37-48 months	52	3.3	196	10.5	248	48	19.4	24	9.7	0	0.0	5	2.0	171	69.0
More than 4 years	54	3.4	698	37.2	752	40	5.3	202	26.9	16	2.1	15	2.0	479	63.7
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	1,572	100.0	1,874	100.0	3,447	814	23.6	448	13.0	16	0.5	48	1.4	2,115	61.4

Table 6a: 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	33	1.8	34	1.6	67	24	35.8	4	6.0	2	3.0	3	4.5	34	50.7
Moderate	134	7.2	100	4.6	234	105	44.9	12	5.1	13	5.6	5	2.1	99	42.3
None	1,704	91.1	2,022	93.8	3,726	1,460	39.2	273	7.3	201	5.4	94	2.5	1,698	45.6
Mental Assessment															
Severe	19	1.0	51	2.4	70	13	18.6	1	1.4	6	8.6	2	2.9	48	68.6
Moderate	143	7.6	325	15.1	468	127	27.1	28	6.0	46	9.8	19	4.1	248	53.0
None	1,709	91.3	1,780	82.6	3,489	1,449	41.5	260	7.5	164	4.7	81	2.3	1,535	44.0
Emotional Assessment															
Severe	53	2.8	187	8.7	240	39	16.3	12	5.0	25	10.4	11	4.6	153	63.8
Moderate	287	15.3	555	25.7	842	258	30.6	59	7.0	81	9.6	29	3.4	415	49.3
None	1,531	81.8	1,414	65.6	2,945	1,292	43.9	218	7.4	110	3.7	62	2.1	1,263	42.9
Special Needs															
Age	161	8.6	326	15.1	487	317	65.1	90	18.5	20	4.1	3	0.6	57	11.7
Minority	259	13.8	221	10.3	480	334	69.6	90	18.8	8	1.7	3	0.6	45	9.4
Ethnic	93	5.0	74	3.4	167	121	72.5	32	19.2	4	2.4	1	0.6	9	5.4
Siblings	232	12.4	195	9.0	427	322	75.4	66	15.5	10	2.3	0	0.0	29	6.8
One or More Needs	435	23.2	413	19.2	848	582	68.6	152	17.9	27	3.2	5	0.6	82	9.7
Total	1,871	100.0	2,156	100.0	4,027	1,589	39.5	289	7.2	216	5.4	102	2.5	1,831	45.5

Table 6b: 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	31	1.8	31	1.5	62	23	37.1	4	6.5	0	0.0	4	6.5	31	50.0
Moderate	129	7.3	97	4.8	226	110	48.7	13	5.8	4	1.8	2	0.9	97	42.9
None	1,605	90.9	1,877	93.6	3,482	1,310	37.6	279	8.0	65	1.9	96	2.8	1,732	49.7
Mental Assessment															
Severe	17	1.0	58	2.9	75	12	16.0	4	5.3	1	1.3	5	6.7	53	70.7
Moderate	137	7.8	309	15.4	446	129	28.9	32	7.2	12	2.7	14	3.1	259	58.1
None	1,611	91.3	1,638	81.7	3,249	1,302	40.1	260	8.0	56	1.7	83	2.6	1,548	47.6
Emotional Assessment															
Severe	35	2.0	168	8.4	203	26	12.8	13	6.4	5	2.5	20	9.9	139	68.5
Moderate	281	15.9	537	26.8	818	264	32.3	52	6.4	18	2.2	27	3.3	457	55.9
None	1,449	82.1	1,300	64.8	2,749	1,153	41.9	231	8.4	46	1.7	55	2.0	1,264	46.0
Special Needs															
Age	142	8.0	306	15.3	448	273	60.9	102	22.8	7	1.6	3	0.7	63	14.1
Minority	222	12.6	216	10.8	438	291	66.4	95	21.7	5	1.1	3	0.7	44	10.0
Ethnic	78	4.4	73	3.6	151	108	71.5	31	20.5	1	0.7	1	0.7	10	6.6
Siblings	194	11.0	198	9.9	392	271	69.1	79	20.2	3	0.8	0	0.0	39	9.9
One or More Needs	386	21.9	388	19.4	774	507	65.5	164	21.2	14	1.8	3	0.4	86	11.1
Total	1,765	100.0	2,005	100.0	3,770	1,443	38.3	296	7.9	69	1.8	102	2.7	1,860	49.3

Table 6c: Characteristics and Progress of Special Needs Children Waiting and Placed at the Start of FFY 2006

	Population Waiting or Placed at Start of FFY					Outcome by End of 1 st Half of FFY									
	0-9 Years		10-20 Years		Total Available	Adopted		Placed		Other Discharge		No Longer Waiting		Waiting	
	#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Physical Assessment															
Severe	23	1.5	25	1.3	48	8	16.7	3	6.3	0	0.0	1	2.1	36	75.0
Moderate	115	7.3	82	4.4	197	57	28.9	22	11.2	0	0.0	1	0.5	117	59.4
None	1,435	91.2	1,767	94.3	3,202	749	23.4	423	13.2	16	0.5	46	1.4	1,968	61.5
Mental Assessment															
Severe	15	1.0	53	2.8	68	5	7.4	2	2.9	0	0.0	3	4.4	58	85.3
Moderate	127	8.1	275	14.7	402	80	19.9	38	9.5	1	0.2	3	0.7	280	69.7
None	1,431	91.0	1,546	82.5	2,977	729	24.5	408	13.7	15	0.5	42	1.4	1,783	59.9
Emotional Assessment															
Severe	26	1.7	152	8.1	178	21	11.8	13	7.3	0	0.0	2	1.1	142	79.8
Moderate	245	15.6	459	24.5	704	161	22.9	60	8.5	2	0.3	10	1.4	471	66.9
None	1,302	82.8	1,263	67.4	2,565	632	24.6	375	14.6	14	0.5	36	1.4	1,508	58.8
Special Needs															
Age	135	8.6	304	16.2	439	190	43.3	165	37.6	1	0.2	1	0.2	82	18.7
Minority	182	11.6	200	10.7	382	167	43.7	156	40.8	1	0.3	0	0.0	58	15.2
Ethnic	76	4.8	68	3.6	144	75	52.1	51	35.4	0	0.0	1	0.7	17	11.8
Siblings	196	12.5	191	10.2	387	185	47.8	145	37.5	1	0.3	1	0.3	55	14.2
One or More Needs	350	22.3	388	20.7	738	338	45.8	282	38.2	4	0.5	1	0.1	113	15.3
Total	1,573	100.0	1,874	100.0	3,447	814	23.6	448	13.0	16	0.5	48	1.4	2,121	61.5

Table 7a: 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	1,751	405	459	21.3	22	46	527	24.4
Major Metro Counties	808	221	244	23.7	12	12	268	26.0
Cuyahoga	501	189	168	24.3	8	6	182	26.4
Franklin	151	15	56	33.7	3	5	64	38.6
Hamilton	156	17	20	11.6	1	1	22	12.7
Metro Counties	541	114	120	18.3	7	15	142	21.7
Butler	23	5	12	42.9	0	2	14	50.0
Lake	6	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	16.7
Lorain	18	12	10	33.3	0	0	10	33.3
Lucas	127	18	18	12.4	0	4	22	15.2
Mahoning	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Montgomery	107	27	31	23.1	5	3	39	29.1
Stark	136	19	24	15.5	0	3	27	17.4
Summit	100	30	19	14.6	1	3	23	17.7
Trumbull	19	2	5	23.8	0	0	5	23.8
Large Counties	151	33	44	23.9	0	5	49	26.6
Allen	11	3	2	14.3	0	0	2	14.3
Ashtabula	7	6	7	53.8	0	1	8	61.5
Clark	27	3	9	30.0	0	0	9	30.0
Clermont	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Columbiana	2	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Delaware	2	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	50.0
Fairfield	17	1	4	22.2	0	0	4	22.2
Greene	15	3	1	5.6	0	0	1	5.6
Licking	23	6	7	24.1	0	0	7	24.1
Medina	4	1	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Portage	11	2	3	23.1	0	0	3	23.1
Richland	12	2	6	42.9	0	0	6	42.9
Warren	3	1	0	0.0	0	2	2	50.0
Wayne	10	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wood	2	2	2	50.0	0	1	3	75.0

Table 7a: 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	156	21	31	17.5	1	7	39	22.0
Ashland	3	0	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Athens	7	5	4	33.3	0	0	4	33.3
Belmont	6	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	13	0	4	30.8	0	0	4	30.8
Hancock	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Huron	3	2	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
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	21	1	2	9.1	0	0	2	9.1
Muskingum	8	0	2	25.0	0	0	2	25.0
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	3	1	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Sandusky	7	0	1	14.3	0	0	1	14.3
Scioto	19	0	4	21.1	0	0	4	21.1
Seneca	3	3	2	33.3	0	1	3	50.0
Tuscarawas	5	1	2	33.3	1	2	5	83.3
Washington	3	3	3	50.0	0	0	3	50.0
Medium Small Counties	46	8	10	18.5	1	6	17	31.5
Auglaize	2	0	0	0.0	0	4	4	200.0
Brown	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Clinton	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Crawford	7	1	1	12.5	0	0	1	12.5
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	4	2	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
Highland	6	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	16.7
Logan	4	1	2	40.0	0	2	4	80.0
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	3	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 7a: 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	49	8	10	17.5	1	1	12	21.1
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	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Harrison	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	3	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	33.3
Hocking	5	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	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	0	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	5	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	0	1	25.0
Wyandot	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 7b: 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	1,607	398	413	20.6	49	51	513	25.6
Major Metro Counties	656	217	215	24.6	28	11	254	29.1
Cuyahoga	443	160	136	22.6	13	1	150	24.9
Franklin	94	29	55	44.7	15	7	77	62.6
Hamilton	119	28	24	16.3	0	3	27	18.4
Metro Counties	548	108	97	14.8	7	15	119	18.1
Butler	27	10	10	27.0	2	2	14	37.8
Lake	6	3	2	22.2	0	0	2	22.2
Lorain	11	7	1	5.6	2	0	3	16.7
Lucas	110	16	13	10.3	1	6	20	15.9
Mahoning	14	4	7	38.9	0	0	7	38.9
Montgomery	109	17	20	15.9	1	3	24	19.0
Stark	135	23	21	13.3	0	3	24	15.2
Summit	116	28	19	13.2	1	1	21	14.6
Trumbull	20	0	4	20.0	0	0	4	20.0
Large Counties	158	29	47	25.1	6	4	57	30.5
Allen	8	1	1	11.1	0	0	1	11.1
Ashtabula	5	1	1	16.7	2	0	3	50.0
Clark	21	1	4	18.2	1	3	8	36.4
Clermont	9	1	3	30.0	0	1	4	40.0
Columbiana	3	5	5	62.5	0	0	5	62.5
Delaware	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	15	2	4	23.5	1	0	5	29.4
Greene	20	2	4	18.2	0	0	4	18.2
Licking	28	3	11	35.5	0	0	11	35.5
Medina	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	13	8	8	38.1	0	0	8	38.1
Richland	7	4	4	36.4	2	0	6	54.5
Warren	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Wayne	13	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wood	4	0	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0

Table 7b: 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
Medium Counties	147	26	36	20.8	8	14	58	33.5
Ashland	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	14	4	8	44.4	1	2	11	61.1
Belmont	10	0	2	20.0	1	1	4	40.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	17	4	5	23.8	0	0	5	23.8
Geauga	9	2	3	27.3	2	0	5	45.5
Hancock	3	1	0	0.0	1	0	1	25.0
Huron	4	2	2	33.3	2	0	4	66.7
Jefferson	13	2	0	0.0	0	1	1	6.7
Knox	2	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	100.0
Lawrence	8	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	12.5
Marion	4	1	3	60.0	0	2	5	100.0
Miami	22	1	4	17.4	0	0	4	17.4
Muskingum	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Pickaway	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	8	1	1	11.1	0	0	1	11.1
Sandusky	6	0	1	16.7	1	3	5	83.3
Scioto	10	3	5	38.5	0	0	5	38.5
Seneca	3	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Tuscarawas	3	2	1	20.0	0	2	3	60.0
Washington	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Medium Small Counties	40	11	10	19.6	0	3	13	25.5
Auglaize	2	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	6	1	1	14.3	0	2	3	42.9
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Highland	7	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	14.3
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	2	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 7b: 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
Small Counties	58	7	8	12.3	0	4	12	18.5
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	9	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Harrison	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	4	0	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
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	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
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	5	0	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Pike	7	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	2	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	1	1	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 7c: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	1,482	392	202	10.8	6	25	233	12.4
Major Metro Counties	557	206	92	12.1	5	9	106	13.9
Cuyahoga	382	182	60	10.6	0	4	64	11.3
Franklin	45	7	25	48.1	4	5	34	65.4
Hamilton	130	17	7	4.8	1	0	8	5.4
Metro Counties	507	103	61	10.0	0	3	64	10.5
Butler	36	6	7	16.7	0	1	8	19.0
Lake	8	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lorain	5	8	2	15.4	0	0	2	15.4
Lucas	88	16	12	11.5	0	1	13	12.5
Mahoning	9	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Montgomery	115	21	15	11.0	0	0	15	11.0
Stark	114	19	8	6.0	0	0	8	6.0
Summit	110	32	17	12.0	0	1	18	12.7
Trumbull	22	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Large Counties	168	36	15	7.4	0	2	17	8.3
Allen	9	2	0	0.0	0	1	1	9.1
Ashtabula	5	3	1	12.5	0	0	1	12.5
Clark	14	2	1	6.3	0	1	2	12.5
Clermont	15	4	2	10.5	0	0	2	10.5
Columbiana	9	2	4	36.4	0	0	4	36.4
Delaware	9	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	19	1	1	5.0	0	0	1	5.0
Greene	21	2	2	8.7	0	0	2	8.7
Licking	25	4	2	6.9	0	0	2	6.9
Medina	5	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	10	3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Richland	11	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Warren	3	4	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wayne	9	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wood	4	4	2	25.0	0	0	2	25.0

Table 7c: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	146	27	21	12.1	0	9	30	17.3
Ashland	6	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	11	2	2	15.4	0	2	4	30.8
Belmont	9	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	10	4	5	35.7	0	0	5	35.7
Geauga	7	2	2	22.2	0	0	2	22.2
Hancock	5	1	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
Huron	5	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	16	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Knox	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lawrence	6	2	0	0.0	0	1	1	12.5
Marion	6	0	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
Miami	18	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Muskingum	8	2	1	10.0	0	0	1	10.0
Pickaway	2	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	11	2	2	15.4	0	0	2	15.4
Sandusky	6	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Scioto	8	0	2	25.0	0	0	2	25.0
Seneca	4	3	1	14.3	0	0	1	14.3
Tuscarawas	4	0	1	25.0	0	6	7	175.0
Washington	2	3	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Medium Small Counties	46	7	6	11.3	1	0	7	13.2
Auglaize	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Clinton	3	1	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
Crawford	3	2	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Fulton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	1	1	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Highland	9	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Logan	1	1	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Madison	3	0	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Mercer	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ottawa	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	7	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Shelby	5	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	20.0
Union	7	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 7c: Rates of Adoption and Success for Older Children (ages 10-20), 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	58	13	7	9.9	0	2	9	12.7
Adams	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	3	2	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
Champaign	3	1	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
Coshocton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Defiance	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fayette	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	3	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	7	2	2	22.2	0	0	2	22.2
Harrison	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	3	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hocking	2	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	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Monroe	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	6	0	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3
Pike	10	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	2	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	1	1	50.0
Wyandot	6	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 8a: 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	1,625	490	739	34.9	142	58	939	44.4
Major Metro Counties	1,112	358	532	36.2	97	15	644	43.8
Cuyahoga	804	291	397	36.3	72	10	479	43.7
Franklin	143	37	88	48.9	16	4	108	60.0
Hamilton	165	30	47	24.1	9	1	57	29.2
Metro Counties	433	114	171	31.3	40	35	246	45.0
Butler	19	1	14	70.0	1	0	15	75.0
Lake	1	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	100.0
Lorain	17	9	9	34.6	4	3	16	61.5
Lucas	103	11	31	27.2	11	11	53	46.5
Mahoning	10	2	4	33.3	1	2	7	58.3
Montgomery	104	56	71	44.4	13	6	90	56.3
Stark	66	14	16	20.0	6	6	28	35.0
Summit	97	20	24	20.5	3	7	34	29.1
Trumbull	16	1	2	11.8	0	0	2	11.8
Large Counties	46	11	24	42.1	4	2	30	52.6
Allen	10	1	3	27.3	0	1	4	36.4
Ashtabula	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0.0
Clark	8	0	2	25.0	0	1	3	37.5
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	3	0	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7
Greene	10	0	1	10.0	0	0	1	10.0
Licking	3	4	5	71.4	0	0	5	71.4
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

Table 8a: 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
Medium Counties	26	5	7	22.6	0	5	12	38.7
Ashland	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	0	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	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Huron	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Knox	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lawrence	4	0	3	75.0	0	0	3	75.0
Marion	0	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	0.0
Miami	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	0.0
Muskingum	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
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	0	0	0.0
Seneca	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
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

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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	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 8b: 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	1,503	418	672	35.0	142	49	863	44.9
Major Metro Counties	978	298	476	37.3	98	15	589	46.2
Cuyahoga	720	231	333	35.0	51	4	388	40.8
Franklin	118	37	97	62.6	42	4	143	92.3
Hamilton	140	30	46	27.1	5	7	58	34.1
Metro Counties	448	101	171	31.1	36	30	237	43.2
Butler	12	3	7	46.7	4	0	11	73.3
Lake	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lorain	11	14	10	40.0	0	0	10	40.0
Lucas	98	25	43	35.0	7	18	68	55.3
Mahoning	19	6	8	32.0	1	1	10	40.0
Montgomery	100	17	25	21.4	17	4	46	39.3
Stark	81	11	24	26.1	1	3	28	30.4
Summit	105	24	43	33.3	4	4	51	39.5
Trumbull	21	1	11	50.0	2	0	13	59.1
Large Counties	50	8	17	29.3	7	1	25	43.1
Allen	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Ashtabula	5	0	3	60.0	1	0	4	80.0
Clark	13	0	1	7.7	0	1	2	15.4
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	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Greene	9	1	1	10.0	0	0	1	10.0
Licking	4	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Medina	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	2	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

Table 8b: 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
Medium Counties	20	9	7	24.1	1	0	8	27.6
Ashland	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	1	1	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
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	2	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	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Scioto	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Seneca	1	2	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
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 8b: 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 8c: Rates of Adoption and Success for African American Children, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	1,229	391	327	20.2	12	29	368	22.7
Major Metro Counties	720	277	197	19.8	8	17	222	22.3
Cuyahoga	527	225	127	16.9	1	4	132	17.6
Franklin	56	22	48	61.5	6	8	62	79.5
Hamilton	137	30	22	13.2	1	5	28	16.8
Metro Counties	420	88	101	19.9	4	8	113	22.2
Butler	12	0	4	33.3	0	0	4	33.3
Lake	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lorain	3	7	1	10.0	1	0	2	20.0
Lucas	88	16	32	30.8	3	1	36	34.6
Mahoning	17	6	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Montgomery	119	26	28	19.3	0	3	31	21.4
Stark	61	14	8	10.7	0	4	12	16.0
Summit	93	18	27	24.3	0	0	27	24.3
Trumbull	24	1	1	4.0	0	0	1	4.0
Large Counties	47	17	19	29.7	0	2	21	32.8
Allen	6	1	0	0.0	0	1	1	14.3
Ashtabula	7	1	4	50.0	0	0	4	50.0
Clark	5	6	4	36.4	0	1	5	45.5
Clermont	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Columbiana	1	1	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Delaware	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Greene	11	0	1	9.1	0	0	1	9.1
Licking	3	5	4	50.0	0	0	4	50.0
Medina	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	2	1	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3
Richland	6	2	3	37.5	0	0	3	37.5
Warren	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wayne	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Wood	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 8c: Rates of Adoption and Success for African American Children, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	27	7	10	29.4	0	0	10	29.4
Ashland	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Athens	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Belmont	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	7	4	7	63.6	0	0	7	63.6
Geauga	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hancock	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Huron	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	2	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	0	0	0	0.0
Miami	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Muskingum	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Sandusky	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Scioto	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Seneca	0	2	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
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	10	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	10.0
Auglaize	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Clinton	2	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	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	0	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	0	0.0	0	1	1	33.3
Shelby	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Union	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 8c: Rates of Adoption and Success for African American Children, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	5	2	0	0.0	0	1	1	14.3
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	1	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	1	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	1	1	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 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	2,252	706	1,005	34.0	50	119	1,174	39.7
Major Metro Counties	1,155	393	556	35.9	35	22	613	39.6
Cuyahoga	776	312	387	35.6	21	12	420	38.6
Franklin	193	46	124	51.9	11	7	142	59.4
Hamilton	186	35	45	20.4	3	3	51	23.1
Metro Counties	641	189	248	29.9	10	51	309	37.2
Butler	41	6	32	68.1	1	6	39	83.0
Lake	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lorain	19	15	11	32.4	0	0	11	32.4
Lucas	134	28	33	20.4	2	11	46	28.4
Mahoning	12	2	4	28.6	0	2	6	42.9
Montgomery	122	56	72	40.4	5	10	87	48.9
Stark	133	33	46	27.7	0	12	58	34.9
Summit	143	44	34	18.2	2	9	45	24.1
Trumbull	32	5	16	43.2	0	1	17	45.9
Large Counties	201	59	99	38.1	4	18	121	46.5
Allen	16	4	8	40.0	0	7	15	75.0
Ashtabula	14	5	13	68.4	0	1	14	73.7
Clark	28	6	11	32.4	1	1	13	38.2
Clermont	6	3	2	22.2	0	4	6	66.7
Columbiana	10	2	5	41.7	0	0	5	41.7
Delaware	2	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	50.0
Fairfield	23	1	7	29.2	1	0	8	33.3
Greene	30	3	7	21.2	1	0	8	24.2
Licking	31	16	20	42.6	1	0	21	44.7
Medina	5	2	4	57.1	0	1	5	71.4
Portage	7	5	5	41.7	0	1	6	50.0
Richland	10	7	10	58.8	0	0	10	58.8
Warren	5	1	2	33.3	0	1	3	50.0
Wayne	13	2	4	26.7	0	0	4	26.7
Wood	1	2	1	33.3	0	1	2	66.7

Table 9a: 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	168	38	64	31.1	0	16	80	38.8
Ashland	7	0	3	42.9	0	0	3	42.9
Athens	4	7	5	45.5	0	0	5	45.5
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	6	0	3	50.0	0	0	3	50.0
Hancock	3	1	0	0.0	0	2	2	50.0
Huron	4	5	5	55.6	0	0	5	55.6
Jefferson	22	2	6	25.0	0	1	7	29.2
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	19	2	3	14.3	0	2	5	23.8
Muskingum	8	0	4	50.0	0	0	4	50.0
Pickaway	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	4	1	3	60.0	0	0	3	60.0
Sandusky	6	0	1	16.7	0	4	5	83.3
Scioto	21	2	6	26.1	0	0	6	26.1
Seneca	4	4	4	50.0	0	1	5	62.5
Tuscarawas	4	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	50.0
Washington	6	6	9	75.0	0	1	10	83.3
Medium Small Counties	43	14	22	38.6	1	7	30	52.6
Auglaize	2	0	0	0.0	0	4	4	200.0
Brown	1	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	100.0
Clinton	6	4	8	80.0	1	0	9	90.0
Crawford	6	2	5	62.5	0	0	5	62.5
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	4	4	4	50.0	0	0	4	50.0
Highland	5	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Logan	4	0	2	50.0	0	2	4	100.0
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	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Union	1	1	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	44	13	16	28.1	0	5	21	36.8
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	5	1	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Harrison	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	5	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	20.0
Hocking	5	0	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	1	2	100.0	0	1	3	150.0
Monroe	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	0	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	5	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	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0

Table 9b: 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	2,123	647	899	32.5	59	128	1,086	39.2
Major Metro Counties	1,000	355	480	35.4	37	20	537	39.6
Cuyahoga	708	268	320	32.8	12	4	336	34.4
Franklin	143	48	111	58.1	22	9	142	74.3
Hamilton	149	39	49	26.1	3	7	59	31.4
Metro Counties	659	180	225	26.8	9	53	287	34.2
Butler	32	17	24	49.0	0	5	29	59.2
Lake	10	5	5	33.3	0	1	6	40.0
Lorain	15	10	8	32.0	0	0	8	32.0
Lucas	126	34	36	22.5	5	22	63	39.4
Mahoning	25	8	16	48.5	0	1	17	51.5
Montgomery	113	27	35	25.0	3	5	43	30.7
Stark	150	33	32	17.5	0	15	47	25.7
Summit	153	44	54	27.4	1	4	59	29.9
Trumbull	35	2	15	40.5	0	0	15	40.5
Large Counties	221	55	106	38.4	8	6	120	43.5
Allen	13	1	1	7.1	0	0	1	7.1
Ashtabula	7	2	5	55.6	2	0	7	77.8
Clark	31	6	11	29.7	0	4	15	40.5
Clermont	18	1	9	47.4	0	2	11	57.9
Columbiana	9	9	10	55.6	0	0	10	55.6
Delaware	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Fairfield	22	3	12	48.0	1	0	13	52.0
Greene	33	2	4	11.4	1	0	5	14.3
Licking	43	14	32	56.1	0	0	32	56.1
Medina	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	8	10	10	55.6	0	0	10	55.6
Richland	8	5	7	53.8	4	0	11	84.6
Warren	3	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Wayne	18	1	3	15.8	0	0	3	15.8
Wood	3	0	2	66.7	0	0	2	66.7

Table 9b: 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
Medium Counties	149	42	59	30.9	3	33	95	49.7
Ashland	7	0	2	28.6	1	0	3	42.9
Athens	5	6	7	63.6	0	6	13	118.2
Belmont	10	0	2	20.0	0	3	5	50.0
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	19	6	8	32.0	0	0	8	32.0
Geauga	7	1	2	25.0	0	2	4	50.0
Hancock	3	1	0	0.0	0	2	2	50.0
Huron	4	3	2	28.6	0	0	2	28.6
Jefferson	18	4	2	9.1	0	2	4	18.2
Knox	2	0	0	0.0	0	3	3	150.0
Lawrence	9	1	4	40.0	0	1	5	50.0
Marion	5	0	1	20.0	0	5	6	120.0
Miami	20	1	4	19.0	0	0	4	19.0
Muskingum	3	2	3	60.0	1	0	4	80.0
Pickaway	3	0	3	100.0	1	0	4	133.3
Ross	10	1	3	27.3	0	0	3	27.3
Sandusky	6	0	1	16.7	0	4	5	83.3
Scioto	10	5	8	53.3	0	0	8	53.3
Seneca	4	7	4	36.4	0	1	5	45.5
Tuscarawas	2	3	2	40.0	0	1	3	60.0
Washington	2	1	1	33.3	0	3	4	133.3
Medium Small Counties	44	9	11	20.8	0	9	20	37.7
Auglaize	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	2	0	1	50.0	0	2	3	150.0
Clinton	2	2	3	75.0	0	0	3	75.0
Crawford	5	1	0	0.0	0	3	3	50.0
Fulton	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	1	0	0	0.0	0	2	2	200.0
Highland	6	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	16.7
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	2	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 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	50	6	18	32.1	2	7	27	48.2
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	2	40.0	0	0	2	40.0
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	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
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	6	1	3	42.9	1	0	4	57.1
Pike	6	1	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	2	2	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 9c: Rates of Adoption and Success for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	1,942	674	537	20.5	8	66	611	23.4
Major Metro Counties	782	340	223	19.9	8	21	252	22.5
Cuyahoga	542	280	140	17.0	0	4	144	17.5
Franklin	75	22	59	60.8	8	12	79	81.4
Hamilton	165	38	24	11.8	0	5	29	14.3
Metro Counties	666	172	165	19.7	0	22	187	22.3
Butler	38	10	18	37.5	0	5	23	47.9
Lake	12	2	5	35.7	0	0	5	35.7
Lorain	4	10	4	28.6	0	0	4	28.6
Lucas	120	31	34	22.5	0	3	37	24.5
Mahoning	18	5	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Montgomery	146	32	40	22.5	0	0	40	22.5
Stark	142	32	19	10.9	0	10	29	16.7
Summit	137	44	37	20.4	0	4	41	22.7
Trumbull	49	6	8	14.5	0	0	8	14.5
Large Counties	227	93	81	25.3	0	10	91	28.4
Allen	13	3	2	12.5	0	5	7	43.8
Ashtabula	12	2	6	42.9	0	0	6	42.9
Clark	16	11	9	33.3	0	1	10	37.0
Clermont	40	11	16	31.4	0	0	16	31.4
Columbiana	13	8	7	33.3	0	0	7	33.3
Delaware	9	0	1	11.1	0	0	1	11.1
Fairfield	16	4	3	15.0	0	4	7	35.0
Greene	30	4	6	17.6	0	0	6	17.6
Licking	36	21	16	28.1	0	0	16	28.1
Medina	2	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Portage	11	6	4	23.5	0	0	4	23.5
Richland	7	3	2	20.0	0	0	2	20.0
Warren	4	11	2	13.3	0	0	2	13.3
Wayne	14	3	5	29.4	0	0	5	29.4
Wood	4	4	2	25.0	0	0	2	25.0

Table 9c: Rates of Adoption and Success for Children with More Than Two Years Since Initial Custody, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	158	35	39	20.2	0	10	49	25.4
Ashland	10	0	2	20.0	0	0	2	20.0
Athens	6	1	2	28.6	0	2	4	57.1
Belmont	11	0	3	27.3	0	0	3	27.3
Darke	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Erie	15	4	10	52.6	0	0	10	52.6
Geauga	7	2	2	22.2	0	0	2	22.2
Hancock	7	1	5	62.5	0	0	5	62.5
Huron	2	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jefferson	24	3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Knox	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lawrence	7	4	1	9.1	0	3	4	36.4
Marion	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Miami	17	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Muskingum	6	3	1	11.1	0	0	1	11.1
Pickaway	2	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ross	13	3	3	18.8	0	0	3	18.8
Sandusky	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Scioto	11	0	3	27.3	0	0	3	27.3
Seneca	3	5	3	37.5	0	0	3	37.5
Tuscarawas	3	2	3	60.0	0	5	8	160.0
Washington	3	3	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Medium Small Counties	43	8	11	21.6	0	1	12	23.5
Auglaize	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Brown	2	0	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Clinton	7	2	4	44.4	0	0	4	44.4
Crawford	2	2	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Fulton	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Guernsey	1	0	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Highland	7	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Logan	1	1	1	50.0	0	0	1	50.0
Madison	3	1	2	50.0	0	0	2	50.0
Mercer	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Ottawa	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Preble	7	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	14.3
Shelby	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Union	2	2	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, 1st Half of FFY 2006

	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	26	18	19.6	0	2	20	21.7
Adams	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carroll	2	2	1	25.0	0	0	1	25.0
Champaign	4	4	4	50.0	0	0	4	50.0
Coshocton	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Defiance	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0
Fayette	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Gallia	4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Hardin	7	9	4	25.0	0	0	4	25.0
Harrison	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Henry	4	1	1	20.0	0	0	1	20.0
Hocking	4	2	1	16.7	0	0	1	16.7
Holmes	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Jackson	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Monroe	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morgan	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Morrow	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Noble	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Paulding	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Perry	7	0	3	42.9	0	0	3	42.9
Pike	12	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Putnam	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Van Wert	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Vinton	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Williams	2	3	3	60.0	0	2	5	100.0
Wyandot	8	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Table 10a: 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	19.5	19	10.9	5	5.7	95	11.1	317
2-5 years	409	40.2	58	33.3	34	38.6	306	35.7	807
6-9 years	176	17.3	41	23.6	22	25.0	199	23.2	438
10-13 years	149	14.7	31	17.8	15	17.0	176	20.6	371
14-17 years	81	8.0	25	14.4	12	13.6	75	8.8	193
18-20 years	4	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	0.5	8
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1	1
Sex									
Male	528	51.9	84	48.3	45	51.1	454	53.0	1,111
Female	489	48.1	90	51.7	43	48.9	402	47.0	1,024
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	561	55.2	54	31.0	18	20.5	534	62.4	1,167
African American	443	43.6	119	68.4	70	79.5	307	35.9	939
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	7	0.7	1	0.6	0	0.0	7	0.8	15
Special Needs									
Age	388	38.2	86	49.4	48	54.5	386	45.1	908
Minority	418	41.1	104	59.8	65	73.9	294	34.3	881
Ethnic	149	14.7	35	20.1	31	35.2	96	11.2	311
Siblings	401	39.4	91	52.3	62	70.5	400	46.7	954
One or more needs	860	84.6	154	88.5	83	94.3	703	82.1	1,800
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	547	53.8	41	23.6	49	55.7	293	34.2	930
13-24 months	267	26.3	79	45.4	19	21.6	306	35.7	671
25-36 months	86	8.5	22	12.6	6	6.8	136	15.9	250
37-48 months	44	4.3	17	9.8	3	3.4	46	5.4	110
More than 4 years	67	6.6	15	8.6	11	12.5	64	7.5	157
No recorded time	6	0.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	11	1.3	17
Total	1,017	100.0	174	100.0	88	100.0	856	100.0	2,135

Table 10a: 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	105	21.7	10	8.1	5	6.0	40	13.3	160
2-5 years	170	35.2	38	30.6	31	37.3	98	32.7	337
6-9 years	78	16.1	31	25.0	20	24.1	76	25.3	205
10-13 years	75	15.5	26	21.0	15	18.1	57	19.0	173
14-17 years	53	11.0	19	15.3	12	14.5	28	9.3	112
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	1	0.3	1
Sex									
Male	255	52.8	58	46.8	41	49.4	164	54.7	518
Female	228	47.2	66	53.2	42	50.6	136	45.3	472
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	191	39.5	12	9.7	14	16.9	115	38.3	332
African American	285	59.0	111	89.5	69	83.1	179	59.7	644
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	3	0.6	1	0.8	0	0.0	3	1.0	7
Special Needs									
Age	227	47.0	68	54.8	47	56.6	171	57.0	513
Minority	256	53.0	95	76.6	64	77.1	158	52.7	573
Ethnic	124	25.7	33	26.6	31	37.3	70	23.3	258
Siblings	178	36.9	66	53.2	59	71.1	121	40.3	424
One or more needs	431	89.2	114	91.9	79	95.2	261	87.0	885
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	248	51.3	20	16.1	44	53.0	92	30.7	404
13-24 months	129	26.7	57	46.0	19	22.9	106	35.3	311
25-36 months	38	7.9	16	12.9	6	7.2	54	18.0	114
37-48 months	26	5.4	16	12.9	3	3.6	20	6.7	65
More than 4 years	42	8.7	15	12.1	11	13.3	26	8.7	94
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.7	2
Total	483	100.0	124	100.0	83	100.0	300	100.0	990

Table 10a: 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	56	18.1	2	10.0	0	0.0	22	8.4	80
2-5 years	132	42.6	11	55.0	2	50.0	96	36.8	241
6-9 years	55	17.7	5	25.0	2	50.0	60	23.0	122
10-13 years	49	15.8	1	5.0	0	0.0	59	22.6	109
14-17 years	17	5.5	1	5.0	0	0.0	21	8.0	39
18-20 years	1	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	1.1	4
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	154	49.7	10	50.0	4	100.0	143	54.8	311
Female	156	50.3	10	50.0	0	0.0	118	45.2	284
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	169	54.5	16	80.0	3	75.0	150	57.5	338
African American	136	43.9	4	20.0	1	25.0	105	40.2	246
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	4	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.8	6
Special Needs									
Age	102	32.9	5	25.0	1	25.0	111	42.5	219
Minority	142	45.8	6	30.0	1	25.0	117	44.8	266
Ethnic	15	4.8	2	10.0	0	0.0	17	6.5	34
Siblings	145	46.8	11	55.0	2	50.0	154	59.0	312
One or more needs	269	86.8	17	85.0	3	75.0	241	92.3	530
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	170	54.8	6	30.0	4	100.0	89	34.1	269
13-24 months	82	26.5	11	55.0	0	0.0	92	35.2	185
25-36 months	28	9.0	3	15.0	0	0.0	46	17.6	77
37-48 months	13	4.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	11	4.2	24
More than 4 years	17	5.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	21	8.0	38
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.8	2
Total	310	100.0	20	100.0	4	100.0	261	100.0	595

Table 10a: 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	24	18.5	2	13.3	0	0.0	7	5.9	33
2-5 years	65	50.0	7	46.7	1	100.0	49	41.2	122
6-9 years	23	17.7	4	26.7	0	0.0	28	23.5	55
10-13 years	9	6.9	1	6.7	0	0.0	25	21.0	35
14-17 years	8	6.2	1	6.7	0	0.0	10	8.4	19
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	66	50.8	10	66.7	0	0.0	62	52.1	138
Female	64	49.2	5	33.3	1	100.0	57	47.9	127
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	116	89.2	11	73.3	1	100.0	107	89.9	235
African American	14	10.8	4	26.7	0	0.0	12	10.1	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	34	26.2	7	46.7	0	0.0	48	40.3	89
Minority	15	11.5	3	20.0	0	0.0	13	10.9	31
Ethnic	7	5.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	1.7	9
Siblings	40	30.8	8	53.3	1	100.0	54	45.4	103
One or more needs	99	76.2	13	86.7	1	100.0	87	73.1	200
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	78	60.0	6	40.0	1	100.0	32	26.9	117
13-24 months	33	25.4	8	53.3	0	0.0	55	46.2	96
25-36 months	11	8.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	19	16.0	30
37-48 months	2	1.5	1	6.7	0	0.0	8	6.7	11
More than 4 years	6	4.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	1.7	8
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	2.5	3
Total	130	100.0	15	100.0	1	100.0	119	100.0	265

Table 10a: 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	51	45.5	89
Female	18	34.6	6	60.0	0	0	61	54.5	85
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	48	92.3	10	100.0	0	0	102	91.1	160
African American	3	5.8	0	0.0	0	0	9	8.0	12
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	1.9	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	1
Native American	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
Special Needs									
Age	15	28.8	3	30.0	0	0	25	22.3	43
Minority	4	7.7	0	0.0	0	0	4	3.6	8
Ethnic	2	3.8	0	0.0	0	0	7	6.3	9
Siblings	20	38.5	2	20.0	0	0	51	45.5	73
One or more needs	38	73.1	6	60.0	0	0	76	67.9	120
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	26	50.0	7	70.0	0	0	59	52.7	92
13-24 months	14	26.9	3	30.0	0	0	27	24.1	44
25-36 months	5	9.6	0	0.0	0	0	14	12.5	19
37-48 months	2	3.8	0	0.0	0	0	3	2.7	5
More than 4 years	2	3.8	0	0.0	0	0	9	8.0	11
No recorded time	3	5.8	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	3
Total	52	100.0	10	100.0	0	100.0	112	100.0	174

Table 10a: 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	20	57.1	29
Female	13	59.1	1	100.0	0	0	15	42.9	29
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	19	86.4	1	100.0	0	0	34	97.1	54
African American	3	13.6	0	0.0	0	0	1	2.9	4
Asian/Pacific Islander	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
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	5	22.7	0	0.0	0	0	21	60.0	26
Minority	1	4.5	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	1
Ethnic	1	4.5	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	1
Siblings	10	45.5	1	100.0	0	0	17	48.6	28
One or more needs	14	63.6	1	100.0	0	0	24	68.6	39
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	12	54.5	1	100.0	0	0	8	22.9	21
13-24 months	5	22.7	0	0.0	0	0	17	48.6	22
25-36 months	4	18.2	0	0.0	0	0	2	5.7	6
37-48 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	4	11.4	4
More than 4 years	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	1
Total	22	100.0	1	100.0	0	100.0	35	100.0	58

Table 10a: 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	24.1	10
2-5 years	8	40.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	31.0	17
6-9 years	6	30.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	20.7	12
10-13 years	2	10.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	6	20.7	10
14-17 years	1	5.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	1	3.4	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	14	48.3	26
Female	10	50.0	2	50.0	0	0	15	51.7	27
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	18	90.0	4	100.0	0	0	26	89.7	48
African American	2	10.0	0	0.0	0	0	1	3.4	3
Asian/Pacific Islander	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
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	2	6.9	2
Special Needs									
Age	5	25.0	3	75.0	0	0	10	34.5	18
Minority	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	2	6.9	2
Ethnic	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Siblings	8	40.0	3	75.0	0	0	3	10.3	14
One or more needs	9	45.0	3	75.0	0	0	14	48.3	26
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	13	65.0	1	25.0	0	0	13	44.8	27
13-24 months	4	20.0	0	0.0	0	0	9	31.0	13
25-36 months	0	0.0	3	75.0	0	0	1	3.4	4
37-48 months	1	5.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	1
More than 4 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	2	6.9	2
No recorded time	2	10.0	0	0.0	0	0	4	13.8	6
Total	20	100.0	4	100.0	0	100.0	29	100.0	53

Table 10b: 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	207	19.9	16	11.1	8	8.2	89	12.1	320
2-5 years	383	36.9	49	34.0	27	27.8	249	33.8	708
6-9 years	194	18.7	33	22.9	27	27.8	169	23.0	423
10-13 years	160	15.4	22	15.3	15	15.5	157	21.3	354
14-17 years	92	8.9	24	16.7	20	20.6	70	9.5	206
18-20 years	2	0.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.3	4
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	555	53.5	78	54.2	45	46.4	395	53.7	1,073
Female	483	46.5	66	45.8	52	53.6	341	46.3	942
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	575	55.4	43	29.9	29	29.9	466	63.3	1,113
African American	441	42.5	99	68.8	66	68.0	257	34.9	863
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	0.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Native American	8	0.8	1	0.7	0	0.0	9	1.2	18
Unknown	12	1.2	1	0.7	2	2.1	4	0.5	19
Special Needs									
Age	370	35.6	63	43.8	46	47.4	318	43.2	797
Minority	400	38.5	97	67.4	65	67.0	247	33.6	809
Ethnic	166	16.0	38	26.4	41	42.3	102	13.9	347
Siblings	432	41.6	69	47.9	67	69.1	317	43.1	885
One or more needs	864	83.2	130	90.3	91	93.8	570	77.4	1,655
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	610	58.8	30	20.8	42	43.3	261	35.5	943
13-24 months	274	26.4	66	45.8	35	36.1	288	39.1	663
25-36 months	64	6.2	25	17.4	11	11.3	100	13.6	200
37-48 months	28	2.7	10	6.9	2	2.1	26	3.5	66
More than 4 years	55	5.3	13	9.0	7	7.2	57	7.7	132
No recorded time	7	0.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	0.5	11
Total	1,038	100.0	144	100.0	97	100.0	736	100.0	2,015

Table 10b: 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	106	23.2	10	9.5	7	7.9	33	13.3	156
2-5 years	160	35.1	37	35.2	23	25.8	65	26.2	285
6-9 years	77	16.9	21	20.0	24	27.0	57	23.0	179
10-13 years	71	15.6	17	16.2	15	16.9	61	24.6	164
14-17 years	40	8.8	20	19.0	20	22.5	30	12.1	110
18-20 years	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.8	4
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	263	57.7	52	49.5	41	46.1	139	56.0	495
Female	193	42.3	53	50.5	48	53.9	109	44.0	403
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	159	34.9	17	16.2	21	23.6	96	38.7	293
African American	285	62.5	87	82.9	66	74.2	151	60.9	589
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	12	2.6	1	1.0	2	2.2	0	0.0	15
Special Needs									
Age	175	38.4	45	42.9	46	51.7	161	64.9	427
Minority	248	54.4	82	78.1	65	73.0	137	55.2	532
Ethnic	128	28.1	37	35.2	41	46.1	86	34.7	292
Siblings	145	31.8	50	47.6	60	67.4	113	45.6	368
One or more needs	365	80.0	101	96.2	83	93.3	221	89.1	770
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	269	59.0	14	13.3	40	44.9	84	33.9	407
13-24 months	109	23.9	45	42.9	31	34.8	83	33.5	268
25-36 months	39	8.6	25	23.8	11	12.4	34	13.7	109
37-48 months	15	3.3	10	9.5	0	0.0	15	6.0	40
More than 4 years	22	4.8	11	10.5	7	7.9	32	12.9	72
No recorded time	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Total	456	100.0	105	100.0	89	100.0	248	100.0	898

Table 10b: 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	19.8	1	5.6	1	20.0	21	10.4	91
2-5 years	139	40.5	5	27.8	2	40.0	77	38.3	223
6-9 years	59	17.2	5	27.8	2	40.0	52	25.9	118
10-13 years	52	15.2	5	27.8	0	0.0	36	17.9	93
14-17 years	25	7.3	2	11.1	0	0.0	15	7.5	42
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	176	51.3	9	50.0	3	60.0	106	52.7	294
Female	167	48.7	9	50.0	2	40.0	95	47.3	273
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	203	59.2	7	38.9	5	100.0	96	47.8	311
African American	130	37.9	11	61.1	0	0.0	96	47.8	237
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	3.0	14
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	1.5	3
Special Needs									
Age	92	26.8	13	72.2	0	0.0	80	39.8	185
Minority	122	35.6	14	77.8	0	0.0	103	51.2	239
Ethnic	21	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	14	7.0	35
Siblings	176	51.3	13	72.2	4	80.0	101	50.2	294
One or more needs	299	87.2	18	100.0	5	100.0	180	89.6	502
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	200	58.3	2	11.1	1	20.0	69	34.3	272
13-24 months	92	26.8	14	77.8	4	80.0	89	44.3	199
25-36 months	15	4.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	28	13.9	43
37-48 months	11	3.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	2.5	16
More than 4 years	22	6.4	2	11.1	0	0.0	9	4.5	33
No recorded time	3	0.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.5	4
Total	343	100.0	18	100.0	5	100.0	201	100.0	567

Table 10b: 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	11.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	11	12.4	28
2-5 years	56	38.4	3	60.0	1	100.0	33	37.1	93
6-9 years	34	23.3	1	20.0	0	0.0	23	25.8	58
10-13 years	24	16.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	20	22.5	44
14-17 years	15	10.3	1	20.0	0	0.0	2	2.2	18
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	70	47.9	5	100.0	1	100.0	51	57.3	127
Female	76	52.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	38	42.7	114
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	125	85.6	4	80.0	1	100.0	86	96.6	216
African American	21	14.4	1	20.0	0	0.0	3	3.4	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	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	67	45.9	4	80.0	0	0.0	29	32.6	100
Minority	25	17.1	1	20.0	0	0.0	3	3.4	29
Ethnic	12	8.2	1	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	13
Siblings	62	42.5	1	20.0	1	100.0	31	34.8	95
One or more needs	125	85.6	5	100.0	1	100.0	60	67.4	191
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	87	59.6	2	40.0	1	100.0	20	22.5	110
13-24 months	44	30.1	3	60.0	0	0.0	41	46.1	88
25-36 months	7	4.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	18	20.2	25
37-48 months	1	0.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2.2	3
More than 4 years	7	4.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	8	9.0	15
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Total	146	100.0	5	100.0	1	100.0	89	100.0	241

Table 10b: 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	19.0	4	30.8	0	0.0	14	12.0	29
2-5 years	12	20.7	3	23.1	1	50.0	43	36.8	59
6-9 years	15	25.9	5	38.5	1	50.0	21	17.9	42
10-13 years	8	13.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	22	18.8	30
14-17 years	12	20.7	1	7.7	0	0.0	17	14.5	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	28	48.3	10	76.9	0	0.0	63	53.8	101
Female	30	51.7	3	23.1	2	100.0	54	46.2	89
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	57	98.3	12	92.3	2	100.0	108	92.3	179
African American	1	1.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	6.0	8
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	0	0.0	1	7.7	0	0.0	2	1.7	3
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	24	41.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	28	23.9	52
Minority	2	3.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	2.6	5
Ethnic	5	8.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.9	6
Siblings	33	56.9	4	30.8	2	100.0	47	40.2	86
One or more needs	52	89.7	5	38.5	2	100.0	66	56.4	125
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	30	51.7	11	84.6	0	0.0	45	38.5	86
13-24 months	21	36.2	2	15.4	0	0.0	50	42.7	73
25-36 months	3	5.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	13	11.1	16
37-48 months	1	1.7	0	0.0	2	100.0	3	2.6	6
More than 4 years	3	5.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	5.1	9
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Total	58	100.0	13	100.0	2	100.0	117	100.0	190

Table 10b: 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	4	18.2	1	50.0	0	0.0	6	19.4	11
2-5 years	9	40.9	1	50.0	0	0.0	12	38.7	22
6-9 years	5	22.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	9.7	8
10-13 years	4	18.2	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	45.5	2	100.0	0	0	17	54.8	29
Female	12	54.5	0	0.0	0	0	14	45.2	26
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	18	81.8	2	100.0	0	0	31	100.0	51
African American	4	18.2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	4
Asian/Pacific Islander	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
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	5	22.7	0	0.0	0	0	11	35.5	16
Minority	3	13.6	0	0.0	0	0	1	3.2	4
Ethnic	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	1	3.2	1
Siblings	11	50.0	0	0.0	0	0	11	35.5	22
One or more needs	14	63.6	0	0.0	0	0	20	64.5	34
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	15	68.2	1	50.0	0	0	18	58.1	34
13-24 months	5	22.7	1	50.0	0	0	6	19.4	12
25-36 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	5	16.1	5
37-48 months	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
No recorded time	2	9.1	0	0.0	0	0	1	3.2	3
Total	22	100.0	2	100.0	0	100.0	31	100.0	55

Table 10b: 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	7.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	8.0	5
2-5 years	7	53.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	19	38.0	26
6-9 years	4	30.8	1	100.0	0	0.0	13	26.0	18
10-13 years	1	7.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	20.0	11
14-17 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	8.0	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	8	61.5	0	0.0	0	0	19	38.0	27
Female	5	38.5	1	100.0	0	0	31	62.0	37
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	13	100.0	1	100.0	0	0	49	98.0	63
African American	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
Native American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	1	2.0	1
Special Needs									
Age	7	53.8	1	100.0	0	0	9	18.0	17
Minority	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
Siblings	5	38.5	1	100.0	0	0	14	28.0	20
One or more needs	9	69.2	1	100.0	0	0	23	46.0	33
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	9	69.2	0	0.0	0	0	25	50.0	34
13-24 months	3	23.1	1	100.0	0	0	19	38.0	23
25-36 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	2	4.0	2
37-48 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
More than 4 years	1	7.7	0	0.0	0	0	2	4.0	3
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	2	4.0	2
Total	13	100.0	1	100.0	0	100.0	50	100.0	64

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, 1st Half of FFY 2006: Statewide

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 Years	96	18.5	5	7.6	6	24.0	36	10.7	143
2-5 years	193	37.1	21	31.8	3	12.0	121	36.0	338
6-9 years	115	22.1	18	27.3	9	36.0	80	23.8	222
10-13 years	71	13.7	10	15.2	5	20.0	61	18.2	147
14-17 years	42	8.1	11	16.7	2	8.0	36	10.7	91
18-20 years	3	0.6	1	1.5	0	0.0	2	0.6	6
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	276	53.1	31	47.0	14	56.0	184	54.8	505
Female	244	46.9	35	53.0	11	44.0	152	45.2	442
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	313	60.2	24	36.4	5	20.0	216	64.3	558
African American	195	37.5	42	63.6	16	64.0	115	34.2	368
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.3	1
Native American	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.3	3
Unknown	10	1.9	0	0.0	4	16.0	3	0.9	17
Special Needs									
Age	181	34.8	40	60.6	13	52.0	146	43.5	380
Minority	161	31.0	31	47.0	19	76.0	100	29.8	311
Ethnic	70	13.5	16	24.2	9	36.0	33	9.8	128
Siblings	226	43.5	30	45.5	10	40.0	126	37.5	392
One or more needs	392	75.4	57	86.4	22	88.0	250	74.4	721
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	294	56.5	16	24.2	14	56.0	96	28.6	420
13-24 months	122	23.5	23	34.8	2	8.0	159	47.3	306
25-36 months	58	11.2	10	15.2	3	12.0	31	9.2	102
37-48 months	23	4.4	12	18.2	4	16.0	21	6.3	60
More than 4 years	23	4.4	5	7.6	2	8.0	23	6.8	53
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	1.8	6
Total	520	100.0	66	100.0	25	100.0	336	100.0	947

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, 1st Half of FFY 2006: Major Metro Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 Years	39	17.9	3	7.7	5	22.7	10	12.2	57
2-5 years	68	31.2	10	25.6	3	13.6	26	31.7	107
6-9 years	48	22.0	9	23.1	7	31.8	22	26.8	86
10-13 years	38	17.4	8	20.5	5	22.7	15	18.3	66
14-17 years	23	10.6	8	20.5	2	9.1	9	11.0	42
18-20 years	2	0.9	1	2.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	108	49.5	21	53.8	12	54.5	42	51.2	183
Female	110	50.5	18	46.2	10	45.5	40	48.8	178
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	92	42.2	5	12.8	4	18.2	26	31.7	127
African American	117	53.7	34	87.2	16	72.7	55	67.1	222
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Native American	1	0.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Unknown	8	3.7	0	0.0	2	9.1	1	1.2	11
Special Needs									
Age	95	43.6	28	71.8	13	59.1	57	69.5	193
Minority	87	39.9	25	64.1	17	77.3	43	52.4	172
Ethnic	59	27.1	14	35.9	9	40.9	26	31.7	108
Siblings	80	36.7	17	43.6	8	36.4	38	46.3	143
One or more needs	162	74.3	37	94.9	19	86.4	72	87.8	290
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	136	62.4	7	17.9	13	59.1	21	25.6	177
13-24 months	33	15.1	7	17.9	2	9.1	35	42.7	77
25-36 months	27	12.4	8	20.5	1	4.5	4	4.9	40
37-48 months	8	3.7	12	30.8	4	18.2	9	11.0	33
More than 4 years	14	6.4	5	12.8	2	9.1	13	15.9	34
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Total	218	100.0	39	100.0	22	100.0	82	100.0	361

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, 1st Half of FFY 2006: Metro Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 Years	34	18.9	0	0.0	1	33.3	12	11.1	47
2-5 years	73	40.6	8	80.0	0	0.0	34	31.5	115
6-9 years	39	21.7	1	10.0	2	66.7	31	28.7	73
10-13 years	23	12.8	1	10.0	0	0.0	22	20.4	46
14-17 years	10	5.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	8.3	19
18-20 years	1	0.6	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	101	56.1	2	20.0	2	66.7	64	59.3	169
Female	79	43.9	8	80.0	1	33.3	44	40.7	132
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	114	63.3	4	40.0	1	33.3	64	59.3	183
African American	64	35.6	6	60.0	0	0.0	43	39.8	113
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	0.9	1
Unknown	2	1.1	0	0.0	2	66.7	0	0.0	4
Special Needs									
Age	53	29.4	3	30.0	0	0.0	43	39.8	99
Minority	63	35.0	5	50.0	2	66.7	48	44.4	118
Ethnic	4	2.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Siblings	100	55.6	5	50.0	2	66.7	47	43.5	154
One or more needs	154	85.6	6	60.0	3	100.0	94	87.0	257
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	91	50.6	2	20.0	1	33.3	23	21.3	117
13-24 months	51	28.3	8	80.0	0	0.0	60	55.6	119
25-36 months	21	11.7	0	0.0	2	66.7	15	13.9	38
37-48 months	11	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	6.5	18
More than 4 years	6	3.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	2.8	9
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Total	180	100.0	10	100.0	3	100.0	108	100.0	301

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, 1st Half of FFY 2006: Large Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 Years	12	17.4	2	16.7	0	0.0	6	10.5	20
2-5 years	33	47.8	3	25.0	0	0.0	22	38.6	58
6-9 years	18	26.1	5	41.7	0	0.0	16	28.1	39
10-13 years	5	7.2	1	8.3	0	0.0	10	17.5	16
14-17 years	1	1.4	1	8.3	0	0.0	2	3.5	4
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.8	1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	36	52.2	6	50.0	0	0	32	56.1	74
Female	33	47.8	6	50.0	0	0	25	43.9	64
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	58	84.1	10	83.3	0	0	49	86.0	117
African American	11	15.9	2	16.7	0	0	8	14.0	21
Asian/Pacific Islander	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
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	23	33.3	6	50.0	0	0	17	29.8	46
Minority	10	14.5	0	0.0	0	0	5	8.8	15
Ethnic	6	8.7	2	16.7	0	0	2	3.5	10
Siblings	29	42.0	6	50.0	0	0	17	29.8	52
One or more needs	51	73.9	10	83.3	0	0	35	61.4	96
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	34	49.3	3	25.0	0	0	14	24.6	51
13-24 months	25	36.2	7	58.3	0	0	25	43.9	57
25-36 months	9	13.0	2	16.7	0	0	10	17.5	21
37-48 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	4	7.0	4
More than 4 years	1	1.4	0	0.0	0	0	2	3.5	3
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	2	3.5	2
Total	69	100.0	12	100.0	0	100.0	57	100.0	138

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, 1st Half of FFY 2006: Medium Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 Years	5	19.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	11.1	11
2-5 years	10	38.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	22	40.7	32
6-9 years	3	11.5	2	50.0	0	0.0	6	11.1	11
10-13 years	4	15.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	11	20.4	15
14-17 years	4	15.4	2	50.0	0	0.0	9	16.7	15
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	16	61.5	2	50.0	0	0	26	48.1	44
Female	10	38.5	2	50.0	0	0	28	51.9	40
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	23	88.5	4	100.0	0	0	46	85.2	73
African American	3	11.5	0	0.0	0	0	7	13.0	10
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	1	1.9	1
Native American	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
Special Needs									
Age	3	11.5	2	50.0	0	0	21	38.9	26
Minority	0	0.0	1	25.0	0	0	4	7.4	5
Ethnic	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	5	9.3	5
Siblings	8	30.8	2	50.0	0	0	18	33.3	28
One or more needs	11	42.3	3	75.0	0	0	35	64.8	49
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	16	61.5	3	75.0	0	0	19	35.2	38
13-24 months	6	23.1	1	25.0	0	0	27	50.0	34
25-36 months	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	2	3.7	2
37-48 months	3	11.5	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	3
More than 4 years	1	3.8	0	0.0	0	0	5	9.3	6
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	1	1.9	1
Total	26	100.0	4	100.0	0	100.0	54	100.0	84

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, 1st Half of FFY 2006: Medium 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	1	7.1	2
2-5 years	5	41.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	71.4	15
6-9 years	2	16.7	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
10-13 years	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
14-17 years	3	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	21.4	6
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	7	50.0	14
Female	5	41.7	1	100.0	0	0	7	50.0	13
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	12	100.0	1	100.0	0	0	13	92.9	26
African American	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	1	7.1	1
Asian/Pacific Islander	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
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Special Needs									
Age	5	41.7	1	100.0	0	0	4	28.6	10
Minority	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	1
Ethnic	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Siblings	5	41.7	0	0.0	0	0	1	7.1	6
One or more needs	9	75.0	1	100.0	0	0	4	28.6	14
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	8	66.7	1	100.0	0	0	8	57.1	17
13-24 months	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0	5	35.7	6
25-36 months	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	1
37-48 months	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0	1	7.1	2
More than 4 years	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	1
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Total	12	100.0	1	100.0	0	100.0	14	100.0	27

Table 10c: Characteristics of Adopted Children by Type of Adoption, 1st Half of FFY 2006: Small Counties

	Foster Parent		Kinship		Foster Parent and Kinship		No Relationship		Total #
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Age									
0-1 Years	5	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	4.8	6
2-5 years	4	26.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	33.3	11
6-9 years	5	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	23.8	10
10-13 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	14.3	3
14-17 years	1	6.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	19.0	5
18-20 years	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	4.8	1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Sex									
Male	8	53.3	0	0	0	0	13	61.9	21
Female	7	46.7	0	0	0	0	8	38.1	15
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Race									
White	14	93.3	0	0	0	0	18	85.7	32
African American	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	4.8	1
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Native American	1	6.7	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	2	9.5	2
Special Needs									
Age	2	13.3	0	0	0	0	4	19.0	6
Minority	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Ethnic	1	6.7	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	1
Siblings	4	26.7	0	0	0	0	5	23.8	9
One or more needs	5	33.3	0	0	0	0	10	47.6	15
Time in Permanent Custody									
0-12 months	9	60.0	0	0	0	0	11	52.4	20
13-24 months	6	40.0	0	0	0	0	7	33.3	13
25-36 months	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0
37-48 months	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0
More than 4 years	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0
No recorded time	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	3	14.3	3
Total	15	100.0	0	100.0	0	100.0	21	100.0	36

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

	FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
	Adopted	% Within 2 Years	Adopted	% Within 2 Years						
Ohio	2,282	28.2	2,289	28.3	2,135	28.0	2,015	30.7	947	29.1
Major Metro Counties	1,102	18.9	1,136	22.9	990	24.8	898	25.6	361	24.1
Cuyahoga	729	18.7	710	22.0	631	22.2	524	22.1	199	23.1
Franklin	282	18.4	330	20.6	260	29.6	281	31.0	120	25.0
Hamilton	91	22.0	96	37.5	99	29.3	93	29.0	42	26.2
Metro Counties	586	32.6	605	28.9	595	27.1	567	35.6	301	30.9
Butler	42	16.7	58	12.1	55	12.7	50	36.0	29	20.7
Lake	9	33.3	9	0.0	3	66.7	7	0.0	6	16.7
Lorain	59	66.1	44	56.8	45	55.6	27	66.7	11	54.5
Lucas	132	48.5	118	51.7	130	46.2	141	44.0	80	48.8
Mahoning	15	20.0	11	18.2	11	18.2	19	5.3	0	0.0
Montgomery	117	23.1	114	21.9	144	21.5	82	39.0	59	18.6
Stark	105	26.7	122	24.6	98	19.4	98	25.5	43	25.6
Summit	88	15.9	93	20.4	81	11.1	104	28.8	58	22.4
Trumbull	19	31.6	36	16.7	28	21.4	39	41.0	15	40.0
Large Counties	283	38.2	280	39.3	265	28.3	241	27.4	138	26.1
Allen	10	30.0	9	44.4	21	19.0	3	0.0	7	0.0
Ashtabula	29	51.7	22	36.4	27	14.8	14	14.3	10	20.0
Clark	29	31.0	22	40.9	30	46.7	27	40.7	12	8.3
Clermont	45	40.0	26	57.7	21	52.4	39	30.8	23	21.7
Columbiana	4	0.0	5	0.0	6	0.0	10	0.0	8	12.5
Delaware	3	100.0	5	20.0	8	50.0	1	0.0	3	33.3
Fairfield	21	42.9	28	35.7	23	39.1	33	33.3	12	33.3
Greene	15	40.0	12	16.7	13	0.0	8	12.5	8	25.0
Licking	42	16.7	37	27.0	39	20.5	51	15.7	29	37.9
Medina	7	42.9	14	21.4	11	36.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
Portage	12	16.7	21	23.8	22	9.1	21	23.8	8	25.0
Richland	30	60.0	45	60.0	21	42.9	25	52.0	6	66.7
Warren	16	12.5	17	35.3	8	37.5	1	0.0	2	0.0
Wayne	14	71.4	11	63.6	9	11.1	6	50.0	7	28.6
Wood	6	50.0	6	50.0	6	33.3	2	0.0	3	33.3

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	FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
	Adopted	% Within 2 Years	Adopted	% Within 2 Years						
Medium Counties	164	47.0	149	34.9	174	40.8	190	38.4	84	35.7
Ashland	0	0.0	1	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0	4	25.0
Athens	18	44.4	19	26.3	12	50.0	27	29.6	9	55.6
Belmont	12	66.7	13	38.5	9	88.9	7	28.6	3	0.0
Darke	3	33.3	2	0.0	3	66.7	6	66.7	2	100.0
Erie	2	0.0	8	12.5	5	0.0	8	0.0	12	16.7
Geauga	16	81.3	10	90.0	8	62.5	10	30.0	3	33.3
Hancock	6	100.0	8	50.0	10	70.0	10	40.0	5	0.0
Huron	0	0.0	7	85.7	7	0.0	4	50.0	0	0.0
Jefferson	7	0.0	13	7.7	8	12.5	5	0.0	0	0.0
Knox	2	50.0	2	50.0	4	0.0	3	0.0	1	100.0
Lawrence	3	0.0	4	0.0	9	55.6	5	0.0	6	16.7
Marion	15	40.0	9	22.2	5	20.0	12	41.7	2	100.0
Miami	17	52.9	20	40.0	7	28.6	8	50.0	4	75.0
Muskingum	11	81.8	3	66.7	22	72.7	22	77.3	4	50.0
Pickaway	3	33.3	2	0.0	0	0.0	6	0.0	0	0.0
Ross	1	0.0	5	20.0	12	41.7	9	66.7	4	0.0
Sandusky	13	30.8	9	44.4	11	36.4	7	28.6	3	100.0
Scioto	10	20.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	8	0.0	3	0.0
Seneca	4	50.0	0	0.0	8	25.0	8	25.0	3	0.0
Tuscarawas	21	33.3	8	37.5	14	42.9	18	77.8	15	46.7
Washington	0	0.0	2	0.0	11	9.1	4	0.0	1	0.0
Medium Small Counties	56	50.0	63	47.6	58	34.5	55	41.8	27	51.9
Auglaize	11	81.8	4	100.0	8	50.0	2	100.0	0	0.0
Brown	8	50.0	6	66.7	1	0.0	4	25.0	2	50.0
Clinton	0	0.0	6	16.7	13	23.1	7	28.6	6	33.3
Crawford	1	0.0	4	25.0	6	0.0	6	16.7	5	60.0
Fulton	5	20.0	3	66.7	1	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0
Guernsey	5	20.0	7	57.1	7	42.9	3	33.3	1	0.0
Highland	0	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	2	50.0	0	0.0
Logan	11	36.4	7	42.9	6	33.3	11	45.5	1	0.0
Madison	4	50.0	3	33.3	4	50.0	4	50.0	2	0.0
Mercer	1	100.0	4	0.0	6	83.3	4	100.0	0	0.0
Ottawa	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preble	1	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	5	20.0	4	75.0
Shelby	8	62.5	13	69.2	1	0.0	2	50.0	4	100.0
Union	1	100.0	3	0.0	3	33.3	3	0.0	2	50.0

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	FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
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Small Counties	91	34.1	56	35.7	53	45.3	64	37.5	36	44.4
Adams	6	16.7	10	30.0	9	44.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
Carroll	0	0.0	1	100.0	4	100.0	1	0.0	4	75.0
Champaign	4	50.0	0	0.0	3	33.3	3	33.3	9	55.6
Coshocton	5	40.0	5	20.0	4	25.0	4	75.0	1	100.0
Defiance	2	100.0	1	100.0	2	50.0	5	40.0	2	50.0
Fayette	2	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	5	0.0	0	0.0
Gallia	5	100.0	5	100.0	0	0.0	3	100.0	0	0.0
Hardin	8	37.5	4	75.0	3	66.7	4	100.0	5	20.0
Harrison	3	33.3	0	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0	1	100.0
Henry	3	0.0	4	0.0	2	50.0	2	0.0	1	0.0
Hocking	7	100.0	4	50.0	4	75.0	8	12.5	2	50.0
Holmes	3	0.0	2	0.0	1	100.0	1	100.0	0	0.0
Jackson	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0.0	1	100.0	3	0.0	3	33.3	1	100.0
Monroe	3	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0
Morgan	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Morrow	0	0.0	3	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	2	100.0
Noble	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	3	66.7	0	0.0
Paulding	8	12.5	2	50.0	4	75.0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Perry	11	9.1	2	0.0	7	0.0	7	0.0	3	0.0
Pike	3	0.0	3	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0
Putnam	1	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Van Wert	4	25.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vinton	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0
Williams	2	100.0	0	0.0	2	100.0	1	100.0	5	0.0
Wyandot	4	0.0	4	0.0	1	0.0	6	50.0	0	0.0

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Butler	42	16.7	58	24.1	55	18.2	50	14.0	29	10.3
Lake	9	33.3	9	0.0	3	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0
Lorain	59	54.2	44	59.1	45	55.6	27	37.0	11	36.4
Lucas	132	50.8	118	46.6	130	52.3	141	48.9	80	51.3
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Allen	10	40.0	9	11.1	21	14.3	3	33.3	7	0.0
Ashtabula	29	44.8	22	27.3	27	22.2	14	28.6	10	30.0
Clark	29	31.0	22	36.4	30	40.0	27	22.2	12	50.0
Clermont	45	33.3	26	19.2	21	33.3	39	25.6	23	21.7
Columbiana	4	0.0	5	20.0	6	50.0	10	20.0	8	12.5
Delaware	3	33.3	5	0.0	8	50.0	1	0.0	3	33.3
Fairfield	21	33.3	28	35.7	23	43.5	33	48.5	12	41.7
Greene	15	33.3	12	25.0	13	30.8	8	50.0	8	12.5
Licking	42	28.6	37	45.9	39	53.8	51	25.5	29	44.8
Medina	7	57.1	14	35.7	11	18.2	0	0.0	0	0.0
Portage	12	16.7	21	33.3	22	13.6	21	23.8	8	25.0
Richland	30	40.0	45	44.4	21	42.9	25	32.0	6	33.3
Warren	16	6.3	17	17.6	8	37.5	1	0.0	2	0.0
Wayne	14	57.1	11	54.5	9	0.0	6	50.0	7	14.3
Wood	6	50.0	6	50.0	6	16.7	2	0.0	3	33.3

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Medium Counties	164	38.4	149	26.2	174	24.1	190	36.3	84	27.4
Ashland	0	0.0	1	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0	4	25.0
Athens	18	61.1	19	26.3	12	33.3	27	22.2	9	66.7
Belmont	12	58.3	13	30.8	9	44.4	7	28.6	3	0.0
Darke	3	0.0	2	0.0	3	66.7	6	50.0	2	0.0
Erie	2	0.0	8	0.0	5	0.0	8	0.0	12	16.7
Geauga	16	56.3	10	80.0	8	37.5	10	70.0	3	33.3
Hancock	6	100.0	8	0.0	10	40.0	10	30.0	5	0.0
Huron	0	0.0	7	0.0	7	0.0	4	25.0	0	0.0
Jefferson	7	14.3	13	30.8	8	12.5	5	0.0	0	0.0
Knox	2	0.0	2	0.0	4	0.0	3	0.0	1	100.0
Lawrence	3	0.0	4	75.0	9	11.1	5	20.0	6	16.7
Marion	15	20.0	9	11.1	5	40.0	12	41.7	2	50.0
Miami	17	11.8	20	30.0	7	14.3	8	37.5	4	0.0
Muskingum	11	54.5	3	33.3	22	40.9	22	68.2	4	25.0
Pickaway	3	33.3	2	0.0	0	0.0	6	0.0	0	0.0
Ross	1	0.0	5	20.0	12	8.3	9	55.6	4	0.0
Sandusky	13	30.8	9	44.4	11	27.3	7	42.9	3	33.3
Scioto	10	10.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	8	0.0	3	33.3
Seneca	4	75.0	0	0.0	8	12.5	8	25.0	3	0.0
Tuscarawas	21	42.9	8	25.0	14	28.6	18	72.2	15	46.7
Washington	0	0.0	2	0.0	11	18.2	4	0.0	1	0.0
Medium Small Counties	56	37.5	63	36.5	58	36.2	55	41.8	27	29.6
Auglaize	11	45.5	4	75.0	8	62.5	2	100.0	0	0.0
Brown	8	0.0	6	16.7	1	0.0	4	25.0	2	0.0
Clinton	0	0.0	6	0.0	13	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0
Crawford	1	0.0	4	25.0	6	0.0	6	0.0	5	100.0
Fulton	5	60.0	3	100.0	1	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0
Guernsey	5	100.0	7	57.1	7	71.4	3	100.0	1	0.0
Highland	0	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	2	50.0	0	0.0
Logan	11	9.1	7	42.9	6	0.0	11	45.5	1	0.0
Madison	4	25.0	3	0.0	4	100.0	4	75.0	2	0.0
Mercer	1	0.0	4	25.0	6	100.0	4	100.0	0	0.0
Ottawa	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preble	1	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	5	20.0	4	75.0
Shelby	8	75.0	13	53.8	1	100.0	2	50.0	4	0.0
Union	1	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0	2	0.0

Table 12: Percent of Adopted Children Entering Permanent Custody Within One Year of Initial Custody

	FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
	Adopted	% Within 1 Year	Adopted	% Within 1 Year						
Small Counties	91	19.8	56	23.2	53	28.3	64	21.9	36	13.9
Adams	6	16.7	10	10.0	9	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Carroll	0	0.0	1	100.0	4	50.0	1	100.0	4	50.0
Champaign	4	50.0	0	0.0	3	33.3	3	33.3	9	0.0
Coshocton	5	40.0	5	80.0	4	0.0	4	0.0	1	100.0
Defiance	2	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	5	20.0	2	0.0
Fayette	2	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	5	0.0	0	0.0
Gallia	5	0.0	5	20.0	0	0.0	3	100.0	0	0.0
Hardin	8	12.5	4	100.0	3	66.7	4	0.0	5	20.0
Harrison	3	33.3	0	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0	1	0.0
Henry	3	0.0	4	0.0	2	50.0	2	0.0	1	0.0
Hocking	7	57.1	4	0.0	4	50.0	8	12.5	2	50.0
Holmes	3	0.0	2	0.0	1	100.0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Jackson	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0.0	1	0.0	3	0.0	3	33.3	1	0.0
Monroe	3	33.3	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0
Morgan	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Morrow	0	0.0	3	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	2	0.0
Noble	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	3	33.3	0	0.0
Paulding	8	0.0	2	0.0	4	75.0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Perry	11	0.0	2	0.0	7	0.0	7	28.6	3	0.0
Pike	3	33.3	3	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0
Putnam	1	100.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Van Wert	4	25.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vinton	3	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0
Williams	2	100.0	0	0.0	2	100.0	1	100.0	5	0.0
Wyandot	4	0.0	4	0.0	1	0.0	6	0.0	0	0.0

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

	FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
	Adopted	% Within 1 Year	Adopted	% Within 1 Year						
Ohio	2,282	35.7	2,289	38.8	2,135	43.6	2,015	46.8	947	44.4
Major Metro Counties	1,102	26.6	1,136	36.6	990	40.8	898	45.3	361	49.0
Cuyahoga	729	23.7	710	32.7	631	37.4	524	36.3	199	38.2
Franklin	282	34.0	330	42.7	260	51.5	281	66.2	120	71.7
Hamilton	91	26.4	96	44.8	99	34.3	93	33.3	42	35.7
Metro Counties	586	37.9	605	36.5	595	45.2	567	48.0	301	38.9
Butler	42	21.4	58	19.0	55	25.5	50	44.0	29	41.4
Lake	9	22.2	9	44.4	3	100.0	7	28.6	6	66.7
Lorain	59	69.5	44	56.8	45	80.0	27	66.7	11	54.5
Lucas	132	56.1	118	53.4	130	65.4	141	53.9	80	48.8
Mahoning	15	26.7	11	45.5	11	54.5	19	63.2	0	0.0
Montgomery	117	31.6	114	40.4	144	50.0	82	62.2	59	40.7
Stark	105	39.0	122	34.4	98	29.6	98	35.7	43	18.6
Summit	88	11.4	93	18.3	81	18.5	104	34.6	58	31.0
Trumbull	19	21.1	36	22.2	28	32.1	39	51.3	15	40.0
Large Counties	283	42.8	280	45.7	265	44.2	241	45.6	138	37.0
Allen	10	30.0	9	66.7	21	33.3	3	66.7	7	0.0
Ashtabula	29	65.5	22	27.3	27	25.9	14	42.9	10	80.0
Clark	29	41.4	22	40.9	30	60.0	27	40.7	12	16.7
Clermont	45	48.9	26	76.9	21	66.7	39	66.7	23	43.5
Columbiana	4	0.0	5	80.0	6	0.0	10	20.0	8	25.0
Delaware	3	100.0	5	100.0	8	87.5	1	100.0	3	33.3
Fairfield	21	38.1	28	28.6	23	34.8	33	33.3	12	33.3
Greene	15	40.0	12	25.0	13	38.5	8	25.0	8	25.0
Licking	42	21.4	37	16.2	39	12.8	51	25.5	29	31.0
Medina	7	14.3	14	64.3	11	36.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
Portage	12	16.7	21	23.8	22	59.1	21	42.9	8	75.0
Richland	30	70.0	45	82.2	21	57.1	25	92.0	6	100.0
Warren	16	18.8	17	23.5	8	75.0	1	100.0	2	0.0
Wayne	14	64.3	11	45.5	9	77.8	6	33.3	7	0.0
Wood	6	50.0	6	16.7	6	66.7	2	50.0	3	33.3

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

	FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
	Adopted	% Within 1 Year	Adopted	% Within 1 Year						
Medium Counties	164	61.0	149	42.3	174	52.9	190	45.3	84	45.2
Ashland	0	0.0	1	100.0	3	66.7	3	100.0	4	75.0
Athens	18	50.0	19	31.6	12	66.7	27	22.2	9	33.3
Belmont	12	83.3	13	61.5	9	100.0	7	42.9	3	0.0
Darke	3	100.0	2	0.0	3	33.3	6	50.0	2	50.0
Erie	2	0.0	8	12.5	5	0.0	8	0.0	12	50.0
Geauga	16	75.0	10	100.0	8	75.0	10	50.0	3	33.3
Hancock	6	100.0	8	87.5	10	50.0	10	60.0	5	0.0
Huron	0	0.0	7	0.0	7	14.3	4	50.0	0	0.0
Jefferson	7	42.9	13	61.5	8	0.0	5	20.0	0	0.0
Knox	2	100.0	2	100.0	4	0.0	3	0.0	1	0.0
Lawrence	3	0.0	4	0.0	9	100.0	5	0.0	6	33.3
Marion	15	40.0	9	22.2	5	20.0	12	66.7	2	100.0
Miami	17	82.4	20	35.0	7	14.3	8	50.0	4	100.0
Muskingum	11	81.8	3	100.0	22	100.0	22	95.5	4	75.0
Pickaway	3	33.3	2	0.0	0	0.0	6	16.7	0	0.0
Ross	1	0.0	5	0.0	12	75.0	9	33.3	4	75.0
Sandusky	13	69.2	9	0.0	11	36.4	7	14.3	3	100.0
Scioto	10	10.0	4	25.0	6	0.0	8	12.5	3	0.0
Seneca	4	25.0	0	0.0	8	37.5	8	25.0	3	0.0
Tuscarawas	21	66.7	8	75.0	14	57.1	18	88.9	15	46.7
Washington	0	0.0	2	50.0	11	27.3	4	0.0	1	0.0
Medium Small Counties	56	42.9	63	52.4	58	36.2	55	61.8	27	63.0
Auglaize	11	81.8	4	75.0	8	50.0	2	100.0	0	0.0
Brown	8	0.0	6	0.0	1	0.0	4	50.0	2	100.0
Clinton	0	0.0	6	66.7	13	38.5	7	57.1	6	83.3
Crawford	1	0.0	4	100.0	6	0.0	6	100.0	5	60.0
Fulton	5	60.0	3	66.7	1	100.0	2	50.0	0	0.0
Guernsey	5	20.0	7	42.9	7	42.9	3	33.3	1	0.0
Highland	0	0.0	1	100.0	2	100.0	2	50.0	0	0.0
Logan	11	36.4	7	71.4	6	33.3	11	45.5	1	0.0
Madison	4	25.0	3	33.3	4	25.0	4	50.0	2	0.0
Mercer	1	100.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	4	75.0	0	0.0
Ottawa	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preble	1	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	5	60.0	4	25.0
Shelby	8	62.5	13	61.5	1	0.0	2	50.0	4	100.0
Union	1	0.0	3	33.3	3	100.0	3	100.0	2	100.0

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

	FFY 2002		FFY 2003		FFY 2004		FFY 2005		1 st Half of FFY 2006	
	Adopted	% Within 1 Year	Adopted	% Within 1 Year						
Small Counties	91	59.3	56	46.4	53	50.9	64	53.1	36	55.6
Adams	6	33.3	10	60.0	9	55.6	0	0.0	0	0.0
Carroll	0	0.0	1	0.0	4	100.0	1	0.0	4	75.0
Champaign	4	0.0	0	0.0	3	33.3	3	100.0	9	55.6
Coshocton	5	80.0	5	20.0	4	25.0	4	75.0	1	100.0
Defiance	2	100.0	1	100.0	2	100.0	5	20.0	2	50.0
Fayette	2	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	5	0.0	0	0.0
Gallia	5	100.0	5	20.0	0	0.0	3	33.3	0	0.0
Hardin	8	50.0	4	75.0	3	0.0	4	100.0	5	0.0
Harrison	3	33.3	0	0.0	1	0.0	1	100.0	1	100.0
Henry	3	66.7	4	0.0	2	50.0	2	0.0	1	100.0
Hocking	7	85.7	4	100.0	4	75.0	8	75.0	2	100.0
Holmes	3	0.0	2	0.0	1	100.0	1	100.0	0	0.0
Jackson	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Meigs	0	0.0	1	0.0	3	33.3	3	66.7	1	0.0
Monroe	3	66.7	1	0.0	1	100.0	1	100.0	0	0.0
Morgan	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0
Morrow	0	0.0	3	33.3	1	100.0	0	0.0	2	0.0
Noble	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	3	66.7	0	0.0
Paulding	8	75.0	2	50.0	4	100.0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Perry	11	63.6	2	0.0	7	0.0	7	57.1	3	100.0
Pike	3	0.0	3	66.7	0	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0
Putnam	1	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Van Wert	4	100.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vinton	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0
Williams	2	50.0	0	0.0	2	50.0	1	100.0	5	60.0
Wyandot	4	100.0	4	75.0	1	0.0	6	50.0	0	0.0

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> <p>Formula: Total adoptions / (waiting at beginning of FFY + placed at beginning of FFY)</p>
Rate of Success	4a, 4b, 4c, 7a, 7b, 7c, 8a, 8b, 8c, 9a, 9b, 9c	<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> <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>
Time Since Initial Custody	5a, 5b, 5c	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.)
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.