

PERFORMANCE MEASURES USED BY CHILDREN'S ADMINISTRATION

PERFORMANCE MEASURE	PRIORITY PERFORMANCE	BRAAM	GMAP REPORT	DESCRIPTION	OUTCOME OF PROCESS
Response in 24 hours to emergent abuse allegations	Yes		Yes	Percent of alleged child victims in emergent referrals meeting policy requirements for initial face-to-face from SW within 24 hours	
Response in 72 hours to non-emergent abuse allegations	Yes		Yes	Percent of alleged child victims in non-emergent referrals meeting policy requirements for initial face-to-face from SW within 72 hours	
Early Intervention	Yes			Early Intervention: Percentage of primary caregivers with investigated unfounded or inconclusive CPS referrals and no prior foundeds who had prior I/O, ARS, FRS, or unfounded CPS referrals.	
Safety after founded referral	Yes			Safety after Founded Referral (Early Warning): Percentage of families with a new non-founded CPS referral within 6 months of a founded CPS referral.	
Safety of children with in-home services	Yes			Number of families who accept voluntary in-home services following a CPS referral who have a subsequent founded CPS referral within 6 months, using program code 'V' from worker assignments to identify the cohort.	
Safety during trial home period	Yes			Percentage of Voluntary In-Home Services Families	
Recurrence of abuse/neglect (6 month rate)	Yes			Percent of victims with a founded allegation of CA/N that have a repeat founded allegation within 6 months	
Availability of foster home beds	Yes	Yes	Yes	Ratio of licensed foster home beds to children in licensed foster care: mo average count of licensed homes & bed capacity / mo average counts of children in licensed foster care	
Placement Stability		Yes		Percent of children in placement with less than 3 qualifying placement events during their removal episode by entry year and time in care	
Timely placement with relatives	Yes			Percentage of children placed with relatives within 30 days of entering placement, among all children entering care with lengths of stay of at least 7 months.	
Unstable placement with relatives	Yes			Percentage of children who do not remain with relatives for at least 6 months; among all children entering care with lengths of stay of at least 7 months.	
Case Ratio (% with <19 cases)		Yes	Yes	Percent of case carrying social workers with fewer than 19 assigned cases	
Placement stabilization	Yes			Percentage of children currently in care who have not moved within 12 months of their previous move or their entry into placement. Open/exit cohorts for a given reporting period for children in care with LOS >= 1 year, using WA exclusion rules for events.	

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Stability for adolescents	Yes			Percentage of emancipated youth (exit cohort; exit=date of emancipation) who had no placement moves during their last year in care, using WA exclusion rules for counting qualifying events; for youth in care at least 1 year prior to emancipation.	
72 hour screening		Yes		Percent of children with an initial physical and mental health screening within 30 days of entry into care (OPD)	
Timely CHET completion	Yes	Yes	Yes	Percent of children requiring a CHET screen with a completed screen within 30 days of placement	
SPMtg within 60 days of OPD		Yes		Percent of children with a completed CHET shared planning meeting within 60 days of their removal (OPD)	
Referral to ITEIP within 2 workdays of concern identification		Yes		Percent of youth under age 4 with developmental concerns who were referred to the ITEIP program within 2 days of their developmental screening	
Maintaining family connections	Yes			TBD	
Safety risk during trial home period	Yes			Percent of families with reunified children who have new CPS referrals during the six-month Trial Return Home period; for all children in DCFS custody with episodes prior to reunification with LOS > 60 days. For ALL children returned home after a stay of > 60 days, regardless of correct IHD documentation in CAMIS	
Placement Re-entry	Yes			Percentage of children re-entering placement within 12 months of reunification, using an exit cohort, "look forward" method; disruption of reunification, adoption, and guardianship tracked, but only reunification disruption rate reported in the measure. Children in DCFS custody with initial (exiting) episodes and re-entry episodes of any LOS. Per new Federal definition, children returned to care before end of a six-month Trial Return Home (documented as an IHD following a reunification/closed episode) are excluded from the re-entry count.	
Time to Permanency	Yes			Estimated median length of time in care, for all children entering care during the measurement period with Length of Stay > 60 days.	
Lack of progress to Reunification	Yes			Percentage of children in care more than 60 days in each period with a permanent (primary) plan of reunification who are NOT reunified as of 9 months in care, of all children whose time in care would have exceeded 9 months during the period, whether exiting or not.	
Exits from long-term care	Yes			Percentage of DCFS-custody children in care for more than 2 years at the start of the measurement period who exit care by the end of the period.	
Health and Education plans developed in ISSP within 60 days		Yes		Percent of youth entering care with a completed ISSP within 60 days of removal (OPD) by entry year	
Health and Education plans updated every 6 months		Yes		Percent of youth with an updated health and education plan every 6 months (or within the last 6 months) by year in care	

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Mental health assessment within 30 days of request		Yes		How often are children and youth receiving an RSN intake assessment within 30 days of a request? (based on matched RSN records)	
Annual EPSDT		Yes		Percent of children with an annual EPSDT screening by year in placement and time in care (based on HRSA claims and encounter records)	
Mental health treatment within 30 days of assessment		Yes		How often are children and youth beginning RSN non-crisis services within 30 days of an authorization for services (based on matched RSN records)	
Shared Planning Mtg for RSN denial of service		Yes		How often is the Department evaluating alternative ways to meet mental health needs when an RSN issues a denial of service?	
Behavioral health tx provider continuity		Yes		How often do children and youth receiving mental health services change treatment providers	
Adequate foster parent caregiver training		Yes		How often do foster parents say they have adequate training to support their role (based on responses to foster parent survey questions).	
Adequate foster parent caregiver support		Yes		How often do foster parents say they have adequate support for their role (based on responses to foster parent survey questions).	
Adequate foster parent caregiver information		Yes		How often do foster parents say they receive adequate information to support their role (based on responses to foster parent survey questions).	
Unsafe placements - adult facilities		Yes		Number of children placed in adult mental health or detox facilities	
Inappropriate placements - offices, motels		Yes		Number of children placed overnight in offices or motels based on incidents recorded in AIRS	
SAY placement safeguards		Yes		How often are SAY youth placed with adequate safeguards, including a safety plan? (based on responses to foster parent survey questions).	
PAY placement safeguards		Yes		How often are PAY youth placed with adequate safeguards, including a safety plan? (based on responses to foster parent survey questions).	
Medically Fragile safeguards		Yes		How often are caregivers of medically fragile children and youth adequately training and supported? (based on responses to foster parent survey questions).	
Monthly Social Worker Visits	Yes	Yes	Yes	Percent of children who were seen by the responsible SW for a Health and Safety visit each month they were in a full month of care	
Maltreatment in out-of-home care		Yes		Percent of children not victims of a founded report of CA/N by a foster parent or facility staff member	
Thorough investigation of DLR reports		Yes		Thoroughness evaluated by case review	
Sibling placement (all others AND at least some others)	Yes	Yes		Percentage of children placed with some or all other siblings for all children with siblings in DCFS custody in placement on last day of each quarter. Excludes children in non-family home settings: respite, hospital, JRA, OTR, CRC, etc., and all children with time in care < 8 days.	

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Sibling Visits and Contacts		Yes		Percent of siblings with at least 2 sibling visits or contacts per month by year in placement	
Educational Outcomes - School Moves		Yes		Percent of school aged and enrolled foster youth with no school moves associated with a removal or a change in placement during the school year	
Graduation rate for foster youth		Yes		Percent of foster youth continuously enrolled and in foster care 9-12 grade who graduated on - time (calculation consistent with OSPI method)	
Youth Exit Staffing		Yes		Percent of youth exiting foster care due to their age (transitioning youth) with an exit staffing within 6 months of exit	
Frequency of running during the fiscal year		Yes		Percent of youth in care with a run during the year, run beginning during the year, by year in care	
Length of running during the fiscal year		Yes		Median time on the run for youth in care with a run during the year, run beginning during the year, by year in care	
Availability of foster home beds - informational report 1		Yes		Ratio of licensed foster home beds to children in licensed foster care: caregiver preferences for age groups, level of care provided	
Availability of foster home beds - informational report 2		Yes		Percentage of foster homes remaining active 1,2,3,4 and 5 years after licensure	
Placement Stability - informational report 1		Yes		Percent of placements beginning over previous 5 years with <3 placement events by time in care and entry year	
Placement Stability - informational report 2		Yes		Frequency report showing the number of children experiencing multiple placements by number of placements, entry year, time in care	
Case Ratio (% with <19 cases) - informational report 1		Yes		Percentage of children placed in relative placements	
Case Ratio (% with <19 cases) - informational report 2		Yes		Percent of children placed in foster homes licensed for the age of the child	
Case Ratio (% with <19 cases) - informational report 3		Yes		Percent of children for whom FTDM was held within 72 hours of placement	
Case Ratio (% with <19 cases) - informational report 4		Yes		Percent of children who change placements within the first 8 days of entry into out-of-home care	
Timely CHET completion - informational report 1		Yes		Percent of children requiring a CHET screen with a completed screen within 45 and 60 days of placement	
Timely CHET completion - informational report 2		Yes		Percent of children with EPSDT completed within 30,45 and 60 days of entry into care	

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Timely CHET completion - informational report 3		Yes		Percent of children ages 0-60 months with developmental screens within 30, 45 and 60 days of entry into care	
Timely CHET completion - informational report 4		Yes		Percent of children ages 6-18 years with completed behavioral screens within 30,45 and 60 days of entry into care	
Timely CHET completion - informational report 5		Yes		Percent of school aged children for whom educational records were received within 30,45 and 60 days of entry into care	
SPMtg within 60 days of OPD - informational report 1		Yes		Percent of SPM's focused on CHET results attended by children age 12+, caregivers, birth parents/guardians,tribal reps and children's reps	
Mental health treatment within 30 days - informational report 1		Yes		Percent of children with mental health needs adequately addressed	
Shared Planning Mtg for RSN denial of service - informational report 1		Yes		For each child: reason child was ineligible, type of alternative service provided	
Behavioral health tx provider continuity - informational report 1		Yes		Percent of cases where applicable mental health information is shared with all involved individuals	
Behavioral health tx provider continuity - informational report 2		Yes		Percent of foster parents reporting that crisis mental health services were timely	
In-service training - informational report		Yes		Percent of licensed caregivers with at least 36 hours of in-service training at license renewal	
Assessment and development plans		Yes		Percent of licensed caregivers receiving annual assessment and development plans	
Inappropriate placements - informational report 1		Yes		Number of children experiencing more than 2 placements within a 48 hour period	
SAY placement safeguards - informational report 1		Yes		Survey results are used for this report: percent of supervision plans written and discussed with caregivers	
PAY placement safeguards - informational report 1		Yes		Survey results are used for this report: percent of supervision plans written and discussed with caregivers	
Monthly Social Worker Visits - informational report 1		Yes	Yes	Percent of monthly visits that were more than 40 days apart	

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Thorough investigation of DLR reports - informational report 1		Yes		Characteristics of alleged victimization	
Thorough investigation of DLR reports - informational report 2		Yes		Outcomes of investigation	
Educational Outcomes - informational report 1		Yes		Percent of children enrolled in school within 3 days of entry into foster care or a placement move	
Educational Outcomes - informational report 2		Yes		Comparison of WASL scores for youth currently in foster care with other children	
Educational Outcomes - informational report 3		Yes		Percent of children at age-appropriate grade level	
Educational Outcomes - informational report 4		Yes		Annual drop out rate	
Educational Outcomes - informational report 5		Yes		Percent of aging-out youth with a GED	
Youth Exit Staffing - informational report 1		Yes		Percent of youth age 15-18 with a completed ACLSA	
Youth Exit Staffing - informational report 2		Yes		Percent of youth age 15-18 who were invited to develop and IL plan	
Youth receiving ILS	Yes	Yes		TBD	
Acquisition of IL skills	Yes	Yes		TBD	
No repeat running	Yes	Yes		Percentage of children with a history of running (at least one OTR event during the current or any previous placement episode) as of the start of the quarter without a repeat run event by the end of the quarter.	
New foster home applications			Yes	Number of new foster home applications per month, quarter, year	
New foster home licenses			Yes	Number of new foster home licenses per month, quarter, year	
New minority foster home licenses			Yes	Number of new minority foster home licensed per month, quarter, year	
Frequency of running - informational report 1		Yes		Percent of children in care who have run multiple times during FY, disaggregated by number of runs	
Length of running - informational report 1		Yes		Mean time on the run for youth in care with a run during the year, run beginning during the year, by year in care	