

Outcome 6:**Increase Permanency For Adolescents, Borough**

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First Foster Care Spell					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/1st spell admissions in CY	12	11	25	33	19
% 12 - 13 at placement	33.3%	27.3%	12.0%	15.2%	15.8%
% 14 - 15 at placement	41.7%	36.4%	60.0%	39.4%	36.8%
% 16 - 17 at placement	25.0%	36.4%	28.0%	45.5%	42.1%
Status as of:	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 1st spell	8	7	14	21	8
% w/ PPG reunification	62.5%	71.4%	57.1%	81.0%	87.5%
% w/ PPG adoption	0.0%	0.0%	14.3%	0.0%	0.0%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	4.8%	0.0%
Number discharged from 1st spell	4	4	11	12	11
% discharged to reunification	75.0%	50.0%	63.6%	75.0%	81.8%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	25.0%	25.0%	9.1%	0.0%	9.1%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%	8.3%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	27.3%	16.7%	9.1%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	8.3%	36.4%	16.0%	24.2%	36.8%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	16.7%	0.0%	8.0%	9.1%	10.5%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	8.3%	0.0%	20.0%	3.0%	10.5%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 1st spell	1	0	1	3	1
% discharged to reunification	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	66.7%	100.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%	0.0%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 1st spell	2	2	6	5	5
% discharged to reunification	50.0%	50.0%	50.0%	80.0%	80.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	50.0%	20.0%	20.0%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 1st spell	1	2	4	4	5
% discharged to reunification	100.0%	50.0%	75.0%	75.0%	80.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	50.0%	25.0%	0.0%	20.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

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Second or Greater Foster Care Spells					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/2nd or greater spell admissions in CY	6	4	11	14	9
% 12 - 13 at placement	16.7%	25.0%	9.1%	28.6%	0.0%
% 14 - 15 at placement	66.7%	75.0%	27.3%	21.4%	33.3%
% 16 - 17 at placement	16.7%	0.0%	63.6%	50.0%	66.7%
Status as of :	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 2nd or greater spells	5	2	9	12	3
% w/ PPG reunification	60.0%	100.0%	66.7%	66.7%	66.7%
% w/ PPG adoption	20.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%	33.3%	33.3%
Number discharged from 2nd or greater spells	1	2	2	2	6
% discharged to reunification	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	100.0%	50.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	50.0%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	0.0%	50.0%	9.1%	7.1%	44.4%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	16.7%	0.0%	9.1%	7.1%	22.2%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	0	0	0	0	0
% discharged to reunification	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	1	2	1	1	3
% discharged to reunification	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	100.0%	66.7%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	33.3%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	0	0	1	1	3
% discharged to reunification	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	33.3%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	66.7%

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Placements	<u>JAN</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>FEB</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2006</u>
All placements	9	0	10	19	24	23	14
% of all placements that are adolescent	33.3%	0.0%	10.0%	21.1%	37.5%	34.8%	71.4%
Number of adolescent placements	3	0	1	4	9	8	10
% adolescents placed that were 12 -13	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%	25.0%	10.0%
Number of placements of adolescents 12-13	0	0	0	0	1	2	1
% kin	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	50.0%	100.0%
% FBH	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%
% congregate	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% 2nd or greater spell	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% adolescents placed that were 14-15	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	25.0%	44.4%	37.5%	60.0%
Number of placements of adolescents 14-15	0	0	1	1	4	3	6
% kin	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% FBH	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%
% congregate	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	75.0%	100.0%	50.0%
% 2nd or greater spell	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	50.0%	33.3%	0.0%
% adolescents placed that were 16-17	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	75.0%	33.3%	37.5%	30.0%
Number of placements of adolescents 16-17	3	0	0	3	3	3	3
% kin	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%	0.0%
% FBH	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%
% congregate	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	66.7%	100.0%	66.7%	66.7%
% 2nd or greater spell	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%

* "CYTD" refers to running totals for the year, through the end of MAR

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The third perspective presents the number of adolescents, 12-13, 14-15, 16-17 and greater than 17 years old in care in facilities managed by the borough of this report at a specified point in time. The counts shown are of the last day of each month listed. The most recent Permanency Planning Goals (PPGs) for the adolescents in care are also provided in this section. The critical indicator from this perspective is the percent in care with adoption and reunification PPGs.

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In care on last day of month	<u>JAN</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>FEB</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2006</u>
Number of adolescents in care	130	128	127	127	157	171	198
% In care that are adolescents	59.9%	59.0%	57.7%	57.7%	61.8%	62.6%	67.6%
% adolescents 12-13 in care	14.6%	11.7%	11.8%	11.8%	12.1%	9.9%	12.1%
Number of adolescents 12-13 in care	19	15	15	15	19	17	24
% PPG reunification	47.4%	53.3%	53.3%	53.3%	52.6%	58.8%	58.3%
% PPG adoption	42.1%	40.0%	40.0%	40.0%	47.4%	35.3%	33.3%
% PPG Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% adolescents 14-15 in care	13.8%	15.6%	12.6%	12.6%	19.7%	22.8%	18.7%
Number of adolescents 14-15 in care	18	20	16	16	31	39	37
% PPG reunification	72.2%	70.0%	62.5%	62.5%	64.5%	61.5%	48.6%
% PPG adoption	16.7%	20.0%	25.0%	25.0%	19.4%	28.2%	24.3%
% PPG Independent Living	11.1%	10.0%	6.3%	6.3%	6.5%	2.6%	8.1%
% adolescents 16-17 in care	30.8%	30.5%	30.7%	30.7%	24.8%	28.1%	26.3%
Number of adolescents 16-17 in care	40	39	39	39	39	48	52
% PPG reunification	42.5%	41.0%	48.7%	48.7%	46.2%	37.5%	26.9%
% PPG adoption	15.0%	17.9%	17.9%	17.9%	15.4%	25.0%	21.2%
% PPG Independent Living	27.5%	30.8%	30.8%	30.8%	23.1%	16.7%	38.5%
% adolescents > 17 in care	40.8%	42.2%	44.9%	44.9%	43.3%	39.2%	42.9%
Number of adolescents > 17 in care	53	54	57	57	68	67	85
% PPG reunification	9.4%	9.3%	12.3%	12.3%	19.1%	11.9%	11.8%
% PPG adoption	5.7%	3.7%	3.5%	3.5%	11.8%	6.0%	5.9%
% PPG Independent Living	69.8%	72.2%	68.4%	68.4%	52.9%	65.7%	67.1%

¹ Annual adolescent admission cohort refers to the group of adolescents, 12 years and older at the time of placement, placed in foster care in a given year.

² Reunification is defined as discharge to parent, relative or primary resource person.

³ A spell is the time between foster care entry and discharge. A child's 1st spell is her/his 1st episode in foster care. Subsequent episodes in foster care are 2nd or greater spells.

⁴ Permanency Planning Goal (PPG) refers to a goal that must be specified for every child in foster care at all times.

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First Foster Care Spell					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/1st spell admissions in CY	278	341	533	584	633
% 12 - 13 at placement	33.1%	26.1%	31.9%	24.3%	22.4%
% 14 - 15 at placement	43.9%	49.0%	41.1%	43.3%	43.4%
% 16 - 17 at placement	22.7%	24.9%	27.0%	32.4%	33.5%
Status as of:	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 1st spell	196	223	329	316	336
% w/ PPG reunification	78.1%	68.2%	75.7%	80.4%	77.7%
% w/ PPG adoption	1.5%	0.9%	1.5%	0.9%	1.5%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	2.6%	2.7%	2.7%	8.2%	8.6%
Number discharged from 1st spell	82	118	204	268	297
% discharged to reunification	75.6%	72.9%	86.3%	76.5%	86.2%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	3.7%	1.7%	2.9%	3.7%	3.0%
% discharged to AWOL	9.8%	12.7%	2.5%	9.0%	2.4%
% discharged to other destinations	11.0%	12.7%	8.3%	10.8%	8.4%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	15.8%	21.7%	19.5%	23.6%	27.5%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	6.5%	5.6%	8.4%	8.4%	9.8%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	6.1%	7.0%	8.8%	13.9%	9.3%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 1st spell	26	27	66	61	72
% discharged to reunification	88.5%	85.2%	97.0%	91.8%	91.7%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	11.5%	3.7%	0.0%	1.6%	2.8%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	11.1%	3.0%	6.6%	5.6%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 1st spell	37	61	75	117	127
% discharged to reunification	73.0%	78.7%	82.7%	76.9%	88.2%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	2.7%	0.0%	2.7%	0.0%	1.6%
% discharged to AWOL	8.1%	13.1%	2.7%	10.3%	1.6%
% discharged to other destinations	16.2%	8.2%	12.0%	12.8%	8.7%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 1st spell	19	30	63	90	96
% discharged to reunification	63.2%	50.0%	79.4%	65.6%	80.2%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	10.5%	6.7%	6.3%	11.1%	6.3%
% discharged to AWOL	10.5%	20.0%	4.8%	12.2%	3.1%
% discharged to other destinations	15.8%	23.3%	9.5%	11.1%	10.4%

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Second or Greater Foster Care Spells					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/2nd or greater spell admissions in CY	193	209	311	298	318
% 12 - 13 at placement	30.1%	26.3%	27.7%	29.9%	24.5%
% 14 - 15 at placement	47.2%	48.3%	39.5%	38.9%	40.6%
% 16 - 17 at placement	22.8%	24.4%	32.2%	29.9%	33.3%
Status as of :	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 2nd or greater spells	128	153	196	193	203
% w/ PPG reunification	83.6%	81.7%	79.6%	76.2%	74.4%
% w/ PPG adoption	0.0%	1.3%	3.6%	3.6%	3.4%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	3.9%	2.6%	3.6%	11.4%	10.3%
Number discharged from 2nd or greater spells	65	56	115	105	115
% discharged to reunification	73.8%	71.4%	79.1%	76.2%	82.6%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	1.5%	3.6%	5.2%	3.8%	3.5%
% discharged to AWOL	9.2%	8.9%	2.6%	5.7%	5.2%
% discharged to other destinations	15.4%	16.1%	13.0%	14.3%	8.7%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	21.2%	13.9%	19.9%	18.8%	23.9%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	6.2%	7.2%	7.4%	6.7%	7.2%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	6.2%	5.3%	9.6%	9.1%	5.0%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	15	15	32	24	30
% discharged to reunification	100.0%	86.7%	93.8%	91.7%	93.3%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	13.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	6.3%	8.3%	6.7%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	35	27	42	49	43
% discharged to reunification	77.1%	77.8%	78.6%	83.7%	83.7%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	2.4%	2.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	8.6%	7.4%	2.4%	6.1%	2.3%
% discharged to other destinations	14.3%	14.8%	16.7%	8.2%	14.0%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	15	13	40	30	41
% discharged to reunification	40.0%	46.2%	70.0%	53.3%	75.6%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	6.7%	7.7%	10.0%	10.0%	7.3%
% discharged to AWOL	20.0%	7.7%	5.0%	10.0%	12.2%
% discharged to other destinations	33.3%	38.5%	15.0%	26.7%	4.9%

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Placements	<u>JAN</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>FEB</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2006</u>
All placements	219	216	255	690	573	624	725
% of all placements that are adolescent	42.9%	31.0%	36.5%	36.8%	39.1%	36.2%	32.0%
Number of adolescent placements	94	67	93	254	224	226	232
% adolescents placed that were 12 -13	16.0%	25.4%	19.4%	19.7%	25.0%	28.8%	31.0%
Number of placements of adolescents 12-13	15	17	18	50	56	65	72
% kin	6.7%	17.6%	11.1%	12.0%	14.3%	24.6%	15.3%
% FBH	40.0%	41.2%	66.7%	50.0%	48.2%	52.3%	56.9%
% congregate	53.3%	41.2%	22.2%	38.0%	37.5%	23.1%	27.8%
% 2nd or greater spell	26.7%	29.4%	33.3%	30.0%	37.5%	41.5%	30.6%
% adolescents placed that were 14-15	47.9%	40.3%	51.6%	47.2%	42.0%	42.5%	38.4%
Number of placements of adolescents 14-15	45	27	48	120	94	96	89
% kin	11.1%	3.7%	16.7%	11.7%	14.9%	27.1%	11.2%
% FBH	24.4%	14.8%	18.8%	20.0%	25.5%	24.0%	38.2%
% congregate	64.4%	81.5%	64.6%	68.3%	59.6%	49.0%	50.6%
% 2nd or greater spell	11.1%	40.7%	35.4%	27.5%	29.8%	38.5%	37.1%
% adolescents placed that were 16-17	36.2%	32.8%	29.0%	32.7%	32.6%	28.3%	30.2%
Number of placements of adolescents 16-17	34	22	27	83	73	64	70
% kin	11.8%	18.2%	7.4%	12.0%	5.5%	14.1%	12.9%
% FBH	23.5%	27.3%	3.7%	18.1%	15.1%	18.8%	27.1%
% congregate	64.7%	54.5%	88.9%	69.9%	79.5%	65.6%	60.0%
% 2nd or greater spell	35.3%	45.5%	55.6%	44.6%	30.1%	31.3%	35.7%

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Outcome 6: Increase Permanency For Adolescents, Borough (continued)

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In care on last day of month	<u>JAN</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>FEB</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2006</u>
Number of adolescents in care	2,431	2,444	2,485	2,485	2,266	2,200	2,096
% In care that are adolescents	43.6%	43.4%	43.6%	43.6%	43.6%	45.2%	46.9%
% adolescents 12-13 in care	17.3%	17.2%	17.3%	17.3%	18.5%	18.9%	19.0%
Number of adolescents 12-13 in care	420	420	431	431	420	415	399
% PPG reunification	61.0%	60.2%	60.6%	60.6%	66.2%	63.6%	66.9%
% PPG adoption	30.5%	30.7%	31.1%	31.1%	23.8%	28.0%	24.3%
% PPG Independent Living	1.9%	1.9%	1.4%	1.4%	1.7%	0.5%	1.8%
% adolescents 14-15 in care	26.3%	25.7%	25.7%	25.7%	25.7%	25.6%	26.3%
Number of adolescents 14-15 in care	640	629	639	639	582	564	552
% PPG reunification	58.1%	59.1%	59.5%	59.5%	64.8%	63.7%	68.3%
% PPG adoption	19.1%	19.7%	19.9%	19.9%	17.0%	15.8%	17.9%
% PPG Independent Living	8.8%	8.7%	8.9%	8.9%	6.0%	5.0%	3.3%
% adolescents 16-17 in care	30.8%	31.4%	31.3%	31.3%	30.0%	30.8%	30.6%
Number of adolescents 16-17 in care	749	768	778	778	679	677	641
% PPG reunification	52.7%	54.2%	54.8%	54.8%	59.2%	60.0%	58.7%
% PPG adoption	9.9%	10.5%	10.0%	10.0%	10.8%	12.6%	13.3%
% PPG Independent Living	23.8%	22.5%	23.5%	23.5%	21.4%	13.7%	14.8%
% adolescents > 17 in care	25.6%	25.7%	25.6%	25.6%	25.8%	24.7%	24.0%
Number of adolescents > 17 in care	622	627	637	637	585	544	504
% PPG reunification	21.9%	20.9%	21.2%	21.2%	24.4%	36.4%	31.9%
% PPG adoption	4.2%	3.8%	3.6%	3.6%	5.1%	6.8%	8.5%
% PPG Independent Living	67.5%	68.9%	69.1%	69.1%	63.1%	51.5%	56.2%

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First Foster Care Spell					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/1st spell admissions in CY	234	246	455	542	504
% 12 - 13 at placement	30.8%	22.8%	23.1%	22.5%	25.4%
% 14 - 15 at placement	47.0%	45.5%	45.9%	46.1%	44.4%
% 16 - 17 at placement	22.2%	31.3%	30.8%	31.4%	29.8%
Status as of:	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 1st spell	178	167	270	312	294
% w/ PPG reunification	84.8%	66.5%	72.2%	83.7%	82.3%
% w/ PPG adoption	1.1%	1.2%	0.4%	0.6%	0.0%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	3.9%	1.2%	2.6%	3.5%	7.1%
Number discharged from 1st spell	56	79	185	230	210
% discharged to reunification	71.4%	70.9%	80.5%	76.1%	80.5%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	3.6%	1.3%	1.1%	3.0%	2.4%
% discharged to AWOL	5.4%	12.7%	3.8%	4.8%	5.7%
% discharged to other destinations	19.6%	15.2%	14.6%	15.7%	11.4%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	15.4%	17.5%	24.4%	22.3%	29.4%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	6.0%	7.7%	6.2%	8.9%	6.7%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	2.6%	6.5%	9.5%	10.7%	5.2%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 1st spell	17	25	47	51	60
% discharged to reunification	82.4%	80.0%	93.6%	86.3%	91.7%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.3%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	12.0%	0.0%	2.0%	1.7%
% discharged to other destinations	17.6%	8.0%	6.4%	9.8%	3.3%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 1st spell	29	31	78	104	91
% discharged to reunification	69.0%	64.5%	78.2%	72.1%	78.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	3.4%	0.0%	0.0%	1.9%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	3.4%	12.9%	3.8%	5.8%	6.6%
% discharged to other destinations	24.1%	22.6%	17.9%	20.2%	15.4%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 1st spell	10	23	60	75	58
% discharged to reunification	60.0%	69.6%	73.3%	74.7%	72.4%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	10.0%	4.3%	3.3%	6.7%	5.2%
% discharged to AWOL	20.0%	13.0%	6.7%	5.3%	8.6%
% discharged to other destinations	10.0%	13.0%	16.7%	13.3%	13.8%

**Outcome 6:
Increase Permanency For Adolescents, Borough (continued)**

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Second or Greater Foster Care Spells					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/2nd or greater spell admissions in CY	141	155	218	175	220
% 12 - 13 at placement	21.3%	25.8%	28.4%	18.3%	18.2%
% 14 - 15 at placement	51.8%	42.6%	40.4%	42.9%	36.8%
% 16 - 17 at placement	27.0%	31.6%	30.3%	38.3%	42.7%
Status as of :	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 2nd or greater spells	101	103	143	118	134
% w/ PPG reunification	83.2%	80.6%	74.8%	83.1%	73.1%
% w/ PPG adoption	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.4%	1.5%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	6.9%	3.9%	7.0%	7.6%	15.7%
Number discharged from 2nd or greater spells	40	52	75	57	86
% discharged to reunification	72.5%	75.0%	69.3%	59.6%	75.6%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	3.8%	4.0%	10.5%	7.0%
% discharged to AWOL	2.5%	5.8%	8.0%	8.8%	5.8%
% discharged to other destinations	25.0%	15.4%	18.7%	21.1%	11.6%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	14.2%	16.8%	21.1%	15.4%	22.3%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	7.8%	7.1%	6.4%	12.0%	11.8%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	5.7%	9.0%	6.4%	5.1%	5.0%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	10	14	22	11	16
% discharged to reunification	70.0%	92.9%	90.9%	81.8%	93.8%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	10.0%	7.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	20.0%	0.0%	9.1%	18.2%	6.3%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	24	22	31	20	37
% discharged to reunification	66.7%	77.3%	61.3%	55.0%	73.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	6.5%	0.0%	2.7%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	4.5%	9.7%	5.0%	8.1%
% discharged to other destinations	33.3%	18.2%	22.6%	40.0%	16.2%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	6	16	21	26	31
% discharged to reunification	100.0%	56.3%	61.9%	53.8%	74.2%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	12.5%	4.8%	23.1%	9.7%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	6.3%	14.3%	15.4%	6.5%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	25.0%	19.0%	7.7%	9.7%

**Outcome 6:
Increase Permanency For Adolescents, Borough (continued)**

The second perspective, presents the number of placements of adolescents who were 12-13 years old, 14-15 years old and 16-17 years old when they entered foster care. It also provides the level of care of these placements and the percent that were second or greater spell. The best indicator of success from this perspective is the percent of adolescents placed in family settings (i.e. kinship and foster boarding homes).

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Placements	<u>JAN</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>FEB</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2006</u>
All placements	181	163	163	507	488	487	553
% of all placements that are adolescent	39.2%	39.3%	39.3%	39.3%	40.0%	39.0%	32.0%
Number of adolescent placements	71	64	64	199	195	190	177
% adolescents placed that were 12 -13	15.5%	29.7%	32.8%	25.6%	28.2%	22.6%	27.1%
Number of placements of adolescents 12-13	11	19	21	51	55	43	48
% kin	36.4%	26.3%	33.3%	31.4%	38.2%	30.2%	27.1%
% FBH	18.2%	36.8%	23.8%	27.5%	45.5%	48.8%	50.0%
% congregate	45.5%	36.8%	38.1%	39.2%	14.5%	20.9%	22.9%
% 2nd or greater spell	45.5%	21.1%	28.6%	29.4%	21.8%	20.9%	33.3%
% adolescents placed that were 14-15	49.3%	35.9%	42.2%	42.7%	38.5%	43.7%	42.9%
Number of placements of adolescents 14-15	35	23	27	85	75	83	76
% kin	17.1%	8.7%	11.1%	12.9%	8.0%	14.5%	7.9%
% FBH	28.6%	30.4%	33.3%	30.6%	24.0%	34.9%	35.5%
% congregate	54.3%	60.9%	55.6%	56.5%	68.0%	50.6%	56.6%
% 2nd or greater spell	37.1%	34.8%	22.2%	31.8%	28.0%	22.9%	28.9%
% adolescents placed that were 16-17	35.2%	32.8%	25.0%	31.2%	32.8%	33.7%	29.9%
Number of placements of adolescents 16-17	25	21	16	62	64	64	53
% kin	20.0%	19.0%	6.3%	16.1%	10.9%	14.1%	9.4%
% FBH	24.0%	9.5%	43.8%	24.2%	29.7%	28.1%	30.2%
% congregate	56.0%	71.4%	50.0%	59.7%	59.4%	57.8%	58.5%
% 2nd or greater spell	28.0%	23.8%	50.0%	32.3%	40.6%	31.3%	30.2%

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In care on last day of month	<u>JAN</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>FEB</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2006</u>
Number of adolescents in care	1,996	2,027	2,061	2,061	1,960	1,989	1,918
% In care that are adolescents	47.2%	47.3%	47.5%	47.5%	49.4%	50.9%	53.9%
% adolescents 12-13 in care	15.8%	16.1%	16.4%	16.4%	16.9%	15.1%	14.4%
Number of adolescents 12-13 in care	316	326	337	337	331	301	277
% PPG reunification	68.7%	68.1%	64.4%	64.4%	64.4%	63.5%	61.4%
% PPG adoption	23.1%	23.6%	25.8%	25.8%	25.1%	26.2%	34.3%
% PPG Independent Living	1.3%	0.9%	0.9%	0.9%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%
% adolescents 14-15 in care	21.6%	21.3%	22.1%	22.1%	22.2%	24.9%	24.8%
Number of adolescents 14-15 in care	431	432	455	455	436	496	475
% PPG reunification	65.2%	66.9%	65.1%	65.1%	66.1%	64.3%	63.2%
% PPG adoption	14.2%	14.1%	14.3%	14.3%	15.1%	15.5%	21.1%
% PPG Independent Living	8.6%	7.4%	7.0%	7.0%	5.3%	2.6%	3.4%
% adolescents 16-17 in care	33.3%	33.5%	32.7%	32.7%	31.8%	29.9%	30.7%
Number of adolescents 16-17 in care	665	680	673	673	623	594	589
% PPG reunification	58.9%	57.6%	59.1%	59.1%	59.9%	56.9%	56.4%
% PPG adoption	9.2%	8.7%	8.6%	8.6%	9.3%	12.0%	13.8%
% PPG Independent Living	21.7%	23.1%	22.6%	22.6%	19.7%	14.5%	18.2%
% adolescents > 17 in care	29.3%	29.1%	28.9%	28.9%	29.1%	30.1%	30.1%
Number of adolescents > 17 in care	584	589	596	596	570	598	577
% PPG reunification	23.1%	21.9%	21.8%	21.8%	26.0%	29.8%	27.7%
% PPG adoption	3.8%	4.1%	3.9%	3.9%	5.4%	7.7%	8.1%
% PPG Independent Living	65.6%	66.4%	67.1%	67.1%	61.6%	55.5%	58.1%

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First Foster Care Spell					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/1st spell admissions in CY	178	212	287	307	253
% 12 - 13 at placement	29.2%	25.5%	27.5%	23.8%	24.5%
% 14 - 15 at placement	48.9%	51.4%	46.3%	43.3%	46.2%
% 16 - 17 at placement	21.9%	23.1%	25.8%	32.2%	29.2%
Status as of:	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 1st spell	118	145	160	175	134
% w/ PPG reunification	82.2%	74.5%	73.1%	78.9%	80.6%
% w/ PPG adoption	2.5%	1.4%	2.5%	1.7%	0.0%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	4.2%	4.1%	4.4%	8.6%	8.2%
Number discharged from 1st spell	60	67	127	132	119
% discharged to reunification	81.7%	73.1%	81.1%	79.5%	85.7%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	3.0%	3.9%	6.8%	4.2%
% discharged to AWOL	8.3%	10.4%	3.9%	6.1%	4.2%
% discharged to other destinations	10.0%	13.4%	11.0%	7.6%	5.9%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	18.0%	22.2%	23.3%	23.8%	28.5%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	10.7%	3.8%	7.7%	10.1%	10.7%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	5.1%	5.7%	11.8%	9.1%	7.9%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 1st spell	18	14	30	29	29
% discharged to reunification	88.9%	85.7%	86.7%	86.2%	93.1%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.4%
% discharged to AWOL	11.1%	0.0%	3.3%	3.4%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	14.3%	10.0%	10.3%	3.4%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 1st spell	32	35	68	60	56
% discharged to reunification	78.1%	80.0%	79.4%	81.7%	83.9%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	2.9%	1.5%	1.7%	1.8%
% discharged to AWOL	6.3%	8.6%	4.4%	10.0%	5.4%
% discharged to other destinations	15.6%	8.6%	14.7%	6.7%	8.9%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 1st spell	10	18	29	42	34
% discharged to reunification	80.0%	50.0%	79.3%	71.4%	82.4%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	5.6%	13.8%	19.0%	8.8%
% discharged to AWOL	10.0%	22.2%	3.4%	2.4%	5.9%
% discharged to other destinations	10.0%	22.2%	3.4%	7.1%	2.9%

**Outcome 6:
Increase Permanency For Adolescents, Borough (continued)**

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Second or Greater Foster Care Spells					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/2nd or greater spell admissions in CY	103	118	124	150	133
% 12 - 13 at placement	30.1%	28.0%	29.8%	25.3%	28.6%
% 14 - 15 at placement	41.7%	44.1%	45.2%	43.3%	41.4%
% 16 - 17 at placement	26.2%	27.1%	25.0%	30.7%	29.3%
Status as of :	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 2nd or greater spells	76	84	81	97	81
% w/ PPG reunification	80.3%	81.0%	85.2%	82.5%	79.0%
% w/ PPG adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	9.2%	3.6%	3.7%	8.2%	12.3%
Number discharged from 2nd or greater spells	27	34	43	53	52
% discharged to reunification	59.3%	70.6%	88.4%	73.6%	90.4%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	3.7%	2.9%	0.0%	5.7%	3.8%
% discharged to AWOL	25.9%	11.8%	0.0%	5.7%	1.9%
% discharged to other destinations	11.1%	14.7%	11.6%	15.1%	3.8%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	12.6%	16.9%	24.2%	18.7%	24.1%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	7.8%	5.9%	4.8%	13.3%	9.8%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	5.8%	5.9%	4.8%	2.7%	5.3%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	3	7	15	8	11
% discharged to reunification	33.3%	85.7%	93.3%	100.0%	100.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	33.3%	14.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	33.3%	0.0%	6.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	14	17	19	27	27
% discharged to reunification	50.0%	82.4%	78.9%	74.1%	96.3%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.7%	3.7%
% discharged to AWOL	35.7%	5.9%	0.0%	3.7%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	14.3%	11.8%	21.1%	18.5%	0.0%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	10	9	9	18	14
% discharged to reunification	80.0%	44.4%	100.0%	61.1%	71.4%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	10.0%	11.1%	0.0%	11.1%	7.1%
% discharged to AWOL	10.0%	22.2%	0.0%	11.1%	7.1%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	22.2%	0.0%	16.7%	14.3%

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Placements	<u>JAN</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>FEB</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2006</u>
All placements	81	81	120	282	293	318	369
% of all placements that are adolescent	27.2%	51.9%	32.5%	36.5%	41.6%	36.8%	30.1%
Number of adolescent placements	22	42	39	103	122	117	111
% adolescents placed that were 12 -13	13.6%	21.4%	23.1%	20.4%	34.4%	27.4%	27.9%
Number of placements of adolescents 12-13	3	9	9	21	42	32	31
% kin	0.0%	11.1%	33.3%	19.0%	28.6%	25.0%	29.0%
% FBH	66.7%	55.6%	44.4%	52.4%	52.4%	46.9%	38.7%
% congregate	33.3%	33.3%	22.2%	28.6%	19.0%	28.1%	32.3%
% 2nd or greater spell	33.3%	33.3%	66.7%	47.6%	33.3%	21.9%	25.8%
% adolescents placed that were 14-15	50.0%	38.1%	35.9%	39.8%	36.1%	33.3%	46.8%
Number of placements of adolescents 14-15	11	16	14	41	44	39	52
% kin	18.2%	12.5%	0.0%	9.8%	20.5%	17.9%	15.4%
% FBH	18.2%	6.3%	21.4%	14.6%	29.5%	35.9%	34.6%
% congregate	63.6%	81.3%	78.6%	75.6%	50.0%	46.2%	50.0%
% 2nd or greater spell	27.3%	18.8%	42.9%	29.3%	29.5%	25.6%	26.9%
% adolescents placed that were 16-17	36.4%	40.5%	41.0%	39.8%	29.5%	39.3%	25.2%
Number of placements of adolescents 16-17	8	17	16	41	36	46	28
% kin	12.5%	11.8%	6.3%	9.8%	13.9%	26.1%	7.1%
% FBH	25.0%	23.5%	18.8%	22.0%	33.3%	23.9%	50.0%
% congregate	62.5%	58.8%	68.8%	63.4%	52.8%	50.0%	42.9%
% 2nd or greater spell	62.5%	29.4%	31.3%	36.6%	33.3%	30.4%	28.6%

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Number of adolescents in care	1,094	1,124	1,142	1,142	1,161	1,169	1,190
% In care that are adolescents	43.7%	44.5%	44.1%	44.1%	45.9%	46.7%	52.2%
% adolescents 12-13 in care	16.2%	15.4%	14.7%	14.7%	18.4%	16.9%	16.1%
Number of adolescents 12-13 in care	177	173	168	168	214	197	191
% PPG reunification	68.4%	65.3%	66.1%	66.1%	64.5%	65.0%	67.0%
% PPG adoption	26.6%	27.2%	25.6%	25.6%	24.3%	24.9%	26.2%
% PPG Independent Living	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	0.9%	1.0%	1.0%
% adolescents 14-15 in care	22.5%	23.2%	23.7%	23.7%	23.2%	23.4%	25.9%
Number of adolescents 14-15 in care	246	261	271	271	269	273	308
% PPG reunification	64.2%	65.9%	66.8%	66.8%	66.2%	64.1%	66.9%
% PPG adoption	15.9%	13.4%	14.0%	14.0%	18.6%	16.8%	15.9%
% PPG Independent Living	8.9%	8.4%	8.1%	8.1%	5.6%	3.3%	2.6%
% adolescents 16-17 in care	30.0%	30.1%	30.3%	30.3%	28.6%	30.6%	29.9%
Number of adolescents 16-17 in care	328	338	346	346	332	358	356
% PPG reunification	57.6%	55.6%	56.4%	56.4%	60.5%	65.4%	63.2%
% PPG adoption	7.6%	7.7%	7.2%	7.2%	7.8%	8.9%	9.3%
% PPG Independent Living	25.6%	26.0%	25.7%	25.7%	21.7%	14.5%	18.8%
% adolescents > 17 in care	31.4%	31.3%	31.3%	31.3%	29.8%	29.2%	28.2%
Number of adolescents > 17 in care	343	352	357	357	346	341	335
% PPG reunification	21.0%	19.9%	21.8%	21.8%	27.7%	29.6%	25.4%
% PPG adoption	4.7%	4.8%	4.5%	4.5%	5.8%	7.0%	5.7%
% PPG Independent Living	65.3%	66.8%	65.3%	65.3%	56.6%	53.4%	62.7%

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The first perspective, shown on this page and the second page of this report, looks at the status of adolescents placed in annual admissions cohorts. The best indicators of success at achieving increased permanency from this perspective are the percent discharged to reunification² and the percent discharged to adoption. This page provides information on adolescents admitted to their first spell³ in foster care and the next page considers cohorts of adolescents in their second or greater spells. For each year the number of adolescents placed in foster care and their age group at time of admission are provided. The remaining indicators in this report consider the status of these cohorts as of a set point in time following the end of each admission year. For those still in care, the most current Permanency Planning Goal (PPG)⁴ is provided. For adolescents that have been discharged, information on discharge destination and time in care are provided.

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First Foster Care Spell					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/1st spell admissions in CY	173	253	385	418	451
% 12 - 13 at placement	32.4%	27.7%	22.9%	20.8%	19.1%
% 14 - 15 at placement	48.0%	48.2%	44.4%	45.2%	46.1%
% 16 - 17 at placement	19.1%	24.1%	32.5%	33.7%	34.6%
Status as of:	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 1st spell	128	178	270	229	266
% w/ PPG reunification	77.3%	70.8%	75.6%	80.3%	85.7%
% w/ PPG adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	1.5%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	1.6%	2.8%	5.9%	5.2%	5.6%
Number discharged from 1st spell	45	75	115	189	185
% discharged to reunification	75.6%	65.3%	80.9%	82.5%	86.5%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	4.4%	2.7%	2.6%	3.7%	2.7%
% discharged to AWOL	13.3%	10.7%	2.6%	4.8%	2.7%
% discharged to other destinations	6.7%	21.3%	13.9%	9.0%	8.1%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	17.3%	19.4%	13.8%	24.6%	21.7%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	5.2%	4.3%	8.3%	9.8%	11.8%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	3.5%	5.9%	7.0%	10.5%	7.3%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 1st spell	17	22	24	29	38
% discharged to reunification	82.4%	86.4%	87.5%	93.1%	97.4%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	11.8%	4.5%	0.0%	3.4%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	5.9%	9.1%	12.5%	3.4%	2.6%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 1st spell	22	37	54	95	89
% discharged to reunification	72.7%	62.2%	75.9%	78.9%	86.5%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	4.5%	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	13.6%	13.5%	1.9%	5.3%	2.2%
% discharged to other destinations	9.1%	24.3%	22.2%	14.7%	11.2%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 1st spell	6	16	37	65	58
% discharged to reunification	66.7%	43.8%	83.8%	83.1%	79.3%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	16.7%	12.5%	8.1%	9.2%	8.6%
% discharged to AWOL	16.7%	12.5%	5.4%	4.6%	5.2%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	31.3%	2.7%	3.1%	6.9%

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Second or Greater Foster Care Spells					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/2nd or greater spell admissions in CY	75	85	115	113	150
% 12 - 13 at placement	26.7%	20.0%	18.3%	24.8%	17.3%
% 14 - 15 at placement	38.7%	57.6%	43.5%	37.2%	46.0%
% 16 - 17 at placement	34.7%	21.2%	37.4%	38.1%	36.0%
Status as of :	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 2nd or greater spells	53	66	81	81	96
% w/ PPG reunification	83.0%	87.9%	74.1%	72.8%	77.1%
% w/ PPG adoption	1.9%	1.5%	1.2%	0.0%	3.1%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	5.7%	1.5%	6.2%	12.3%	5.2%
Number discharged from 2nd or greater spells	22	19	34	32	54
% discharged to reunification	54.5%	47.4%	64.7%	75.0%	77.8%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	4.5%	5.3%	11.8%	9.4%	5.6%
% discharged to AWOL	22.7%	10.5%	5.9%	6.3%	7.4%
% discharged to other destinations	18.2%	36.8%	17.6%	9.4%	9.3%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	17.3%	10.6%	10.4%	11.5%	20.7%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	6.7%	4.7%	7.8%	8.8%	9.3%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	5.3%	7.1%	11.3%	8.0%	4.7%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	4	2	4	3	6
% discharged to reunification	50.0%	50.0%	75.0%	100.0%	100.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	25.0%	50.0%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	11	12	20	17	27
% discharged to reunification	63.6%	66.7%	80.0%	82.4%	74.1%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	5.0%	5.9%	3.7%
% discharged to AWOL	18.2%	8.3%	5.0%	0.0%	7.4%
% discharged to other destinations	18.2%	25.0%	10.0%	11.8%	14.8%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	7	5	10	12	21
% discharged to reunification	42.9%	0.0%	30.0%	58.3%	76.2%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	14.3%	20.0%	30.0%	16.7%	9.5%
% discharged to AWOL	28.6%	20.0%	10.0%	16.7%	9.5%
% discharged to other destinations	14.3%	60.0%	30.0%	8.3%	4.8%

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Placements	<u>JAN</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>FEB</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>CYTD*</u> <u>2006</u>
All placements	126	146	115	387	336	309	311
% of all placements that are adolescent	41.3%	31.5%	45.2%	38.8%	46.7%	40.5%	40.5%
Number of adolescent placements	52	46	52	150	157	125	126
% adolescents placed that were 12 -13	30.8%	17.4%	26.9%	25.3%	24.8%	26.4%	19.0%
Number of placements of adolescents 12-13	16	8	14	38	39	33	24
% kin	50.0%	25.0%	14.3%	31.6%	20.5%	24.2%	4.2%
% FBH	25.0%	37.5%	50.0%	36.8%	46.2%	57.6%	58.3%
% congregate	25.0%	37.5%	35.7%	31.6%	33.3%	18.2%	37.5%
% 2nd or greater spell	25.0%	12.5%	14.3%	18.4%	20.5%	21.2%	8.3%
% adolescents placed that were 14-15	42.3%	41.3%	36.5%	40.0%	46.5%	38.4%	41.3%
Number of placements of adolescents 14-15	22	19	19	60	73	48	52
% kin	22.7%	5.3%	21.1%	16.7%	8.2%	14.6%	11.5%
% FBH	36.4%	36.8%	26.3%	33.3%	30.1%	41.7%	38.5%
% congregate	40.9%	57.9%	52.6%	50.0%	61.6%	43.8%	48.1%
% 2nd or greater spell	13.6%	15.8%	26.3%	18.3%	26.0%	18.8%	17.3%
% adolescents placed that were 16-17	25.0%	39.1%	36.5%	33.3%	28.7%	35.2%	38.9%
Number of placements of adolescents 16-17	13	18	19	50	45	44	49
% kin	38.5%	0.0%	5.3%	12.0%	6.7%	20.5%	6.1%
% FBH	23.1%	33.3%	31.6%	30.0%	22.2%	27.3%	30.6%
% congregate	38.5%	66.7%	63.2%	58.0%	71.1%	52.3%	63.3%
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Number of adolescents in care	1,342	1,363	1,374	1,374	1,234	1,215	1,099
% In care that are adolescents	48.4%	47.8%	47.8%	47.8%	49.1%	51.5%	54.4%
% adolescents 12-13 in care	15.5%	15.2%	15.4%	15.4%	17.9%	17.7%	15.5%
Number of adolescents 12-13 in care	208	207	212	212	221	215	170
% PPG reunification	63.9%	62.8%	62.7%	62.7%	66.1%	64.7%	61.8%
% PPG adoption	26.9%	28.0%	27.8%	27.8%	22.6%	26.0%	29.4%
% PPG Independent Living	1.9%	1.4%	0.5%	0.5%	1.4%	0.0%	1.2%
% adolescents 14-15 in care	25.2%	25.0%	24.8%	24.8%	25.4%	24.6%	26.6%
Number of adolescents 14-15 in care	338	341	341	341	313	299	292
% PPG reunification	68.3%	68.3%	67.4%	67.4%	62.0%	64.5%	61.3%
% PPG adoption	16.3%	15.8%	15.5%	15.5%	15.3%	14.4%	18.2%
% PPG Independent Living	5.0%	5.3%	6.2%	6.2%	5.8%	4.3%	3.4%
% adolescents 16-17 in care	34.4%	34.9%	34.4%	34.4%	31.4%	32.8%	33.3%
Number of adolescents 16-17 in care	462	476	473	473	387	399	366
% PPG reunification	63.6%	64.1%	64.7%	64.7%	62.3%	60.2%	54.1%
% PPG adoption	6.1%	6.3%	6.3%	6.3%	8.8%	11.5%	13.4%
% PPG Independent Living	19.7%	19.7%	18.6%	18.6%	18.1%	11.5%	15.0%
% adolescents > 17 in care	24.9%	24.9%	25.3%	25.3%	25.4%	24.9%	24.7%
Number of adolescents > 17 in care	334	339	348	348	313	302	271
% PPG reunification	25.7%	25.4%	24.7%	24.7%	27.2%	25.5%	20.3%
% PPG adoption	3.0%	2.7%	2.3%	2.3%	3.2%	8.9%	10.0%
% PPG Independent Living	62.0%	62.5%	64.1%	64.1%	59.1%	57.0%	63.8%

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Outcome 6:**Increase Permanency For Adolescents, Borough**

This outcome provides measures of the foster care system's success at moving adolescents (children 12 years and older) from the borough of this report into permanent homes on a timely basis. This performance report focuses on three perspectives: 1) the status of adolescents placed in annual admissions cohorts;¹ 2) placements of adolescents; and 3) adolescents in care at a given point in time.

The first perspective, shown on this page and the second page of this report, looks at the status of adolescents placed in annual admissions cohorts. The best indicators of success at achieving increased permanency from this perspective are the percent discharged to reunification² and the percent discharged to adoption. This page provides information on adolescents admitted to their first spell³ in foster care and the next page considers cohorts of adolescents in their second or greater spells. For each year the number of adolescents placed in foster care and their age group at time of admission are provided. The remaining indicators in this report consider the status of these cohorts as of a set point in time following the end of each admission year. For those still in care, the most current Permanency Planning Goal (PPG)⁴ is provided. For adolescents that have been discharged, information on discharge destination and time in care are provided.

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First Foster Care Spell					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/1st spell admissions in CY	50	49	98	127	125
% 12 - 13 at placement	36.0%	26.5%	26.5%	29.9%	31.2%
% 14 - 15 at placement	48.0%	51.0%	46.9%	50.4%	35.2%
% 16 - 17 at placement	16.0%	22.4%	26.5%	19.7%	33.6%
Status as of:	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 1st spell	28	39	68	66	70
% w/ PPG reunification	78.6%	79.5%	77.9%	86.4%	90.0%
% w/ PPG adoption	3.6%	0.0%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	3.6%	2.6%	4.4%	3.0%	4.3%
Number discharged from 1st spell	22	10	30	61	55
% discharged to reunification	90.9%	90.0%	83.3%	86.9%	90.9%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	4.5%	0.0%	3.3%	6.6%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	10.0%	6.7%	3.3%	3.6%
% discharged to other destinations	4.5%	0.0%	6.7%	3.3%	5.5%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	24.0%	14.3%	15.3%	30.7%	33.6%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	8.0%	0.0%	5.1%	9.4%	3.2%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	12.0%	6.1%	10.2%	7.1%	4.8%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 1st spell	8	3	9	17	17
% discharged to reunification	87.5%	100.0%	88.9%	100.0%	100.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	12.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 1st spell	12	5	12	28	23
% discharged to reunification	91.7%	100.0%	83.3%	92.9%	82.6%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	0.0%	8.3%	3.6%	8.7%
% discharged to other destinations	8.3%	0.0%	8.3%	3.6%	8.7%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 1st spell	2	2	9	16	15
% discharged to reunification	100.0%	50.0%	77.8%	62.5%	93.3%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%	25.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	50.0%	11.1%	6.3%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	6.3%	6.7%

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Second or Greater Foster Care Spells					
Admission Year	CY 2004	CY 2005	CY 2006	CY 2007	CY 2008
Number of adolescents w/2nd or greater spell admissions in CY	23	26	40	45	62
% 12 - 13 at placement	21.7%	19.2%	12.5%	40.0%	32.3%
% 14 - 15 at placement	69.6%	46.2%	50.0%	35.6%	30.6%
% 16 - 17 at placement	8.7%	34.6%	35.0%	24.4%	37.1%
Status as of :	MAR 2005	MAR 2006	MAR 2007	MAR 2008	MAR 2009
Number still in 2nd or greater spells	15	14	29	32	40
% w/ PPG reunification	73.3%	92.9%	72.4%	81.3%	90.0%
% w/ PPG adoption	6.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% w/ PPG Independent Living	6.7%	0.0%	17.2%	9.4%	5.0%
Number discharged from 2nd or greater spells	8	12	11	13	22
% discharged to reunification	62.5%	75.0%	81.8%	84.6%	86.4%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	8.3%	9.1%	7.7%	4.5%
% discharged to other destinations	37.5%	16.7%	9.1%	0.0%	9.1%
Length of stay as a percent of total admissions					
% discharged w/in 3 months	30.4%	26.9%	12.5%	17.8%	17.7%
% discharged 4 - 6 months	4.3%	7.7%	7.5%	6.7%	6.5%
% discharged 7 - 12 months	0.0%	11.5%	7.5%	2.2%	11.3%
Number 12 - 13 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	1	3	1	4	5
% discharged to reunification	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Number 14 - 15 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	6	5	8	5	8
% discharged to reunification	50.0%	60.0%	75.0%	100.0%	75.0%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	20.0%	12.5%	0.0%	12.5%
% discharged to other destinations	50.0%	20.0%	12.5%	0.0%	12.5%
Number 16 - 17 at admission discharged from 2nd or greater spells	1	4	2	4	9
% discharged to reunification	100.0%	75.0%	100.0%	50.0%	88.9%
% discharged to adoption	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% discharged to Independent Living	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%
% discharged to AWOL	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%
% discharged to other destinations	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%

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The second perspective, presents the number of placements of adolescents who were 12-13 years old, 14-15 years old and 16-17 years old when they entered foster care. It also provides the level of care of these placements and the percent that were second or greater spell. The best indicator of success from this perspective is the percent of adolescents placed in family settings (i.e. kinship and foster boarding homes).

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Placements	JAN 2009	FEB 2009	MAR 2009	CYTD* 2009	CYTD* 2008	CYTD* 2007	CYTD* 2006
All placements	52	14	27	93	128	135	126
% of all placements that are adolescent	32.7%	50.0%	37.0%	36.6%	32.8%	36.3%	22.2%
Number of adolescent placements	17	7	10	34	42	49	28
% adolescents placed that were 12 -13	29.4%	57.1%	50.0%	41.2%	28.6%	36.7%	28.6%
Number of placements of adolescents 12-13	5	4	5	14	12	18	8
% kin	40.0%	0.0%	60.0%	35.7%	8.3%	33.3%	50.0%
% FBH	20.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.1%	75.0%	44.4%	25.0%
% congregate	40.0%	100.0%	40.0%	57.1%	16.7%	22.2%	25.0%
% 2nd or greater spell	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%	7.1%	25.0%	11.1%	0.0%
% adolescents placed that were 14-15	35.3%	28.6%	30.0%	32.4%	33.3%	46.9%	57.1%
Number of placements of adolescents 14-15	6	2	3	11	14	23	16
% kin	16.7%	50.0%	0.0%	18.2%	0.0%	17.4%	18.8%
% FBH	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	18.2%	21.4%	39.1%	18.8%
% congregate	50.0%	50.0%	100.0%	63.6%	78.6%	43.5%	62.5%
% 2nd or greater spell	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	18.2%	42.9%	17.4%	31.3%
% adolescents placed that were 16-17	35.3%	14.3%	20.0%	26.5%	38.1%	16.3%	14.3%
Number of placements of adolescents 16-17	6	1	2	9	16	8	4
% kin	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	12.5%	25.0%	25.0%
% FBH	16.7%	100.0%	0.0%	22.2%	37.5%	12.5%	75.0%
% congregate	83.3%	0.0%	100.0%	77.8%	50.0%	62.5%	0.0%
% 2nd or greater spell	50.0%	0.0%	100.0%	55.6%	43.8%	37.5%	50.0%

* "CYTD" refers to running totals for the year, through the end of MAR

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The third perspective presents the number of adolescents, 12-13, 14-15, 16-17 and greater than 17 years old in care in facilities managed by the borough of this report at a specified point in time. The counts shown are of the last day of each month listed. The most recent Permanency Planning Goals (PPGs) for the adolescents in care are also provided in this section. The critical indicator from this perspective is the percent in care with adoption and reunification PPGs.

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In care on last day of month	<u>JAN</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>FEB</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>MAR</u> <u>2006</u>
Number of adolescents in care	425	419	416	416	379	350	278
% In care that are adolescents	40.9%	41.6%	41.6%	41.6%	41.5%	45.1%	48.9%
% adolescents 12-13 in care	21.4%	20.8%	20.4%	20.4%	20.1%	18.9%	17.3%
Number of adolescents 12-13 in care	91	87	85	85	76	66	48
% PPG reunification	63.7%	62.1%	63.5%	63.5%	68.4%	65.2%	70.8%
% PPG adoption	24.2%	26.4%	25.9%	25.9%	26.3%	18.2%	16.7%
% PPG Independent Living	1.1%	2.3%	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%	0.0%	2.1%
% adolescents 14-15 in care	22.4%	23.2%	23.8%	23.8%	24.3%	25.7%	29.1%
Number of adolescents 14-15 in care	95	97	99	99	92	90	81
% PPG reunification	76.8%	79.4%	75.8%	75.8%	59.8%	61.1%	70.4%
% PPG adoption	9.5%	8.2%	9.1%	9.1%	10.9%	13.3%	17.3%
% PPG Independent Living	5.3%	4.1%	5.1%	5.1%	10.9%	8.9%	7.4%
% adolescents 16-17 in care	33.2%	32.2%	31.5%	31.5%	33.2%	34.3%	33.1%
Number of adolescents 16-17 in care	141	135	131	131	126	120	92
% PPG reunification	53.9%	54.1%	55.7%	55.7%	52.4%	60.8%	63.0%
% PPG adoption	5.7%	5.2%	5.3%	5.3%	10.3%	10.8%	9.8%
% PPG Independent Living	29.1%	31.1%	30.5%	30.5%	27.8%	17.5%	16.3%
% adolescents > 17 in care	23.1%	23.9%	24.3%	24.3%	22.4%	21.1%	20.5%
Number of adolescents > 17 in care	98	100	101	101	85	74	57
% PPG reunification	19.4%	21.0%	18.8%	18.8%	20.0%	23.0%	29.8%
% PPG adoption	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.4%	5.4%	5.3%
% PPG Independent Living	68.4%	68.0%	71.3%	71.3%	68.2%	63.5%	61.4%

¹ Annual adolescent admission cohort refers to the group of adolescents, 12 years and older at the time of placement, placed in foster care in a given year.

² Reunification is defined as discharge to parent, relative or primary resource person.

³ A spell is the time between foster care entry and discharge. A child's 1st spell is her/his 1st episode in foster care. Subsequent episodes in foster care are 2nd or greater spells.

⁴ Permanency Planning Goal (PPG) refers to a goal that must be specified for every child in foster care at all times.