

2022 Child Welfare, Juvenile Justice and Child Care Voucher Snapshot

Community District 2, Fort Greene/Brooklyn Heights, Brooklyn

	Citywide	Borough	Community District
Child Abuse Investigations (CY 2022)			
Number of CARES Cases	6,912	2,538	52
Number of Investigations	44,247	11,076	338
Reporters (Investigations and CARES)			
Education	11,358	2,995	67
Social Service	9,517	2,331	66
Medical/Mental Health	4,886	1,197	39
Law Enforcement	9,287	2,871	87
Child Care/Substitute Care	632	164	6
Other Mandated	216	44	0
Non-Mandated	15,263	4,012	125
Allegations (Investigations Only)			
Educational Neglect Only	2,133	588	13
Educational Neglect with Other Allegations	3,298	821	27
Lack of Medical Care	4,734	991	43
Other Neglect	79,806	20,057	638
Physical Abuse	15,097	3,916	108
Psychological Abuse	1,229	286	10
Sexual Abuse	3,646	933	31
Substance Abuse	14,542	3,535	95
Other	1,961	511	10
Child Welfare Prevention Services (CY 2022)			
Families Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	14,299	4,661	108
Children Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	31,414	10,309	226
Foster Care			
New Entries to Foster Care From the Community, CY 2022	2,700	694	32
Children in Foster Care In the Community, December 31, 2022	6,717	1,609	82
Percent in Kinship Homes	44.5	49.8	52.4
Juvenile Justice (CY 2022)			
Detention Admissions From the Community	1,586	428	10
Close to Home Admissions From the Community	88	29	^
Child Care Vouchers (CY 2022)			
Children Receiving Child Care Vouchers During the Year	71,342	34,741	211
Population Rates per 1,000 Child Population (CY 2022)			
Population <18 Years Old	1,740,142	595,703	20,037
Number of Children in Indicated Investigations	19,442	5,616	157
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Indicated Investigations	11.2	9.4	7.8
Children Receiving Prevention	31,414	10,309	226
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Prevention Services	18.1	17.3	11.3
Children Placed in Foster Care	2,700	694	32
Population Rate/1,000 Children Placed in Foster Care	1.6	1.2	1.6
Population 11-18 Years Old	784,243	257,816	8,672
Detention Admissions	1,586	428	10
Population Rate/1,000 Children aged 11-18 in Detention Admissions	2.0	1.7	1.2

^Values and related rates are not shown when they are below 6 to protect confidentiality.

Sources: Connections, PROMIS, CCRS,JDAS, 2020 Census from NYC Dept of City Planning 2010 and 2020, <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/planning/planning-level/nyc-population/2020-census.page> and NYC, 2015-2019 5 year, PUMS American Community Survey, <https://data.census.gov/mdat/#/search?ds=ACSPUM55Y2019>

Notes:

1) Rate definitions: rates are calculated by dividing the program counts by the by the total population of children in a specific community district, multiplied by 1,000. The population of children under 18 years old is used for children in indicated investigations, prevention and foster care and for for detention youth 11-18 is used. The program counts are defined as follows: children in indicated investigations are unique children in investigations with confirmed abuse and/or neglect; children receiving prevention are unique children in child welfare prevention cases during the year; foster care placements are unique children placed in foster care during the year excluding those placed in Close to Home; and detention admissions are unique youth admitted to detention during the year.

2) The following CDs are combined in the available census data for youth 11-18 used for the detention rates, therefore admission counts are also combined to calculate rates: Bronx CDs 1 and 2 and 3 and 6 and Manhattan CDs 1 and 2 and 4 and 5. The combined rates for these CDs are shown in each of the listed CDs.

3) Allegations are counted once per child per individual allegation. A child may have one or more individual allegations in an allegation category. Individual investigations often include multiple allegations. Allegations are grouped as follows: Physical Abuse - burn, fatality, fracture, choking, twisting, shaking, excessive corporal punishment, internal injuries, lacerations, bruises, welts, poisoning, noxious substances; Educational Neglect – educational neglect; Lack of Medical Care – lack of medical care; Other Neglect - inadequate guardianship, inadequate food, clothing, shelter, lack of supervision, malnutrition, failure to thrive, swelling, dislocations, sprains; Psychological Abuse - isolation, emotional neglect; Sexual Abuse/Trafficking – sexual abuse, sex trafficking; Substance Abuse - parental drug use, child drug use; and Other -abandonment, inappropriate custodial conduct, labor trafficking.

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