	Citywide	Borough	Community District
Child Abuse and Neglect (CY 2023)			
Number of CARES Cases	10,057	872	16
Number of Investigations	42,864	2,006	34
Reporters (Investigations and CARES)			
Education	11,324	724	14
Social Service	9,799	503	7
Medical/Mental Health	5,013	283	5
Law Enforcement	9,974	493	7
Child Care/Substitute Care	682	33	
Other Mandated	278	14	
Non-Mandated	15,851	828	15
Allegations (Investigations Only)			
Educational Neglect Only	1,452	44	
Educational Neglect with Other Allegations	2,655	102	1
Lack of Medical Care	4,116	197	3
Other Neglect	76,648	3,835	59
Physical Abuse	15,130	794	14
Psychological Abuse	1,017	47	1
Sexual Abuse	3,298	161	3
Substance Abuse	14,193	800	14
Other	2,138	124	3
Child Welfare Prevention Services (CY 2023)			
Families Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	13,726	902	15
Children Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	29,879	2,137	31
Foster Care (CY 2023 and December 31, 2023)			
New Entries to Foster Care From the Community, CY 2023	2,953	147	1
Children in Foster Care In the Community, December 31, 2023	6,337	323	3
Percent in Kinship Homes	45.1	59.8	70
Iuvenile Justice (CY 2023)			
Detention Admissions From the Community	1,886	99	
Close to Home Admissions From the Community	111	8	
Child Care Vouchers (CY 2023)			
Children Receiving Child Care Vouchers During the Year	91,325	3,683	30
ACS-Issued Child Care Vouchers	63,429	2,634	22
HRA-Issued Child Care Vouchers	27,896	1,049	7
Population Rates per 1,000 Child Population (CY 2023)			
Population <18 Years Old	1,740,142	106,354	33,24
Number of Children in Indicated Investigations	18,212	723	13
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Indicated Investigations	10.5	6.8	3
Children Receiving Prevention	29,879	2,137	31
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Prevention Services	17.2	20.1	9
Children Placed in Foster Care	2,953	147	1
Population Rate/1,000 Children Placed in Foster Care	1.7	1.4	0
Population 12-18 Years Old	691,020	44,900	14,27
Detention Admissions	1,886	99	,
Population Rate/1,000 Children Detention Admissions	2.7	2.2	

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Notes:

1) Rate definitions: rates are calculated by dividing the program counts by the total population of children citywide and in specific boroughs/community districts, multiplied by 1,000. The population of children under 18 years old is used for children in indicated investigations, prevention and foster care. The population of youth 12-18 is used for detention. The program counts are defined as follows: children in indicated investigations are unique children in investigations with a preponderance of evidence of abuse and/or neglect; children receiving prevention are unique children 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.

Sources: Connections, Preventive Organization Management System (PROMIS), Child Care Review Services (CCRS), Juvenile Detention Automation System (JDAS), Juvenile Justice

Information Systems (JJIS), Automated Child Care Information System (ACCIS), 2020 Census Privacy-Protected Microdata File (PPMF) from

^Values and related rates are not shown when they are between 1 and 5 to protect confidentiality.

https://www.census.gov/data/tables/2024/dec/2020-census-ppmf.html#data

2) 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 subtances; 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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