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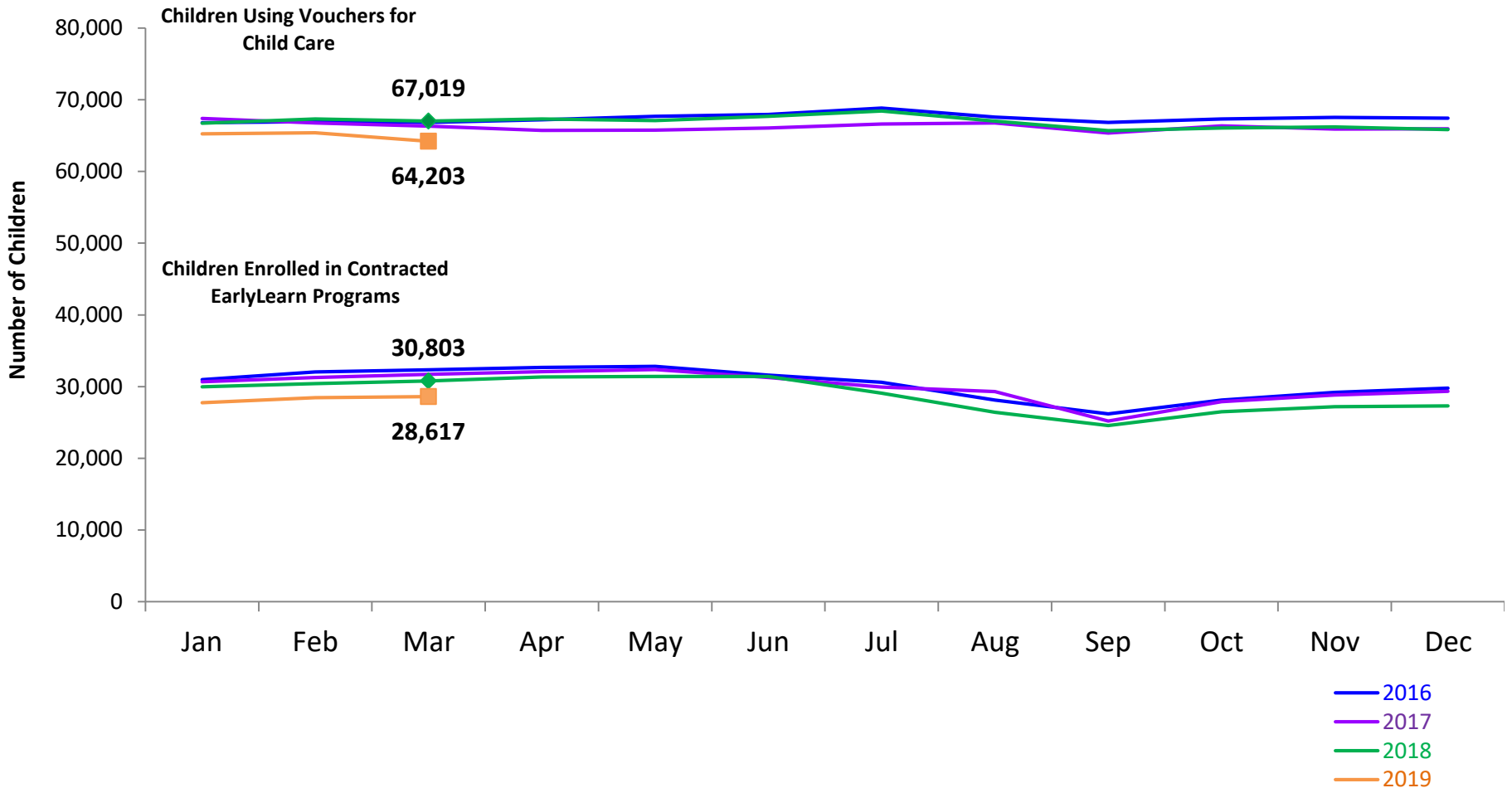
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# REPORT

April 2019

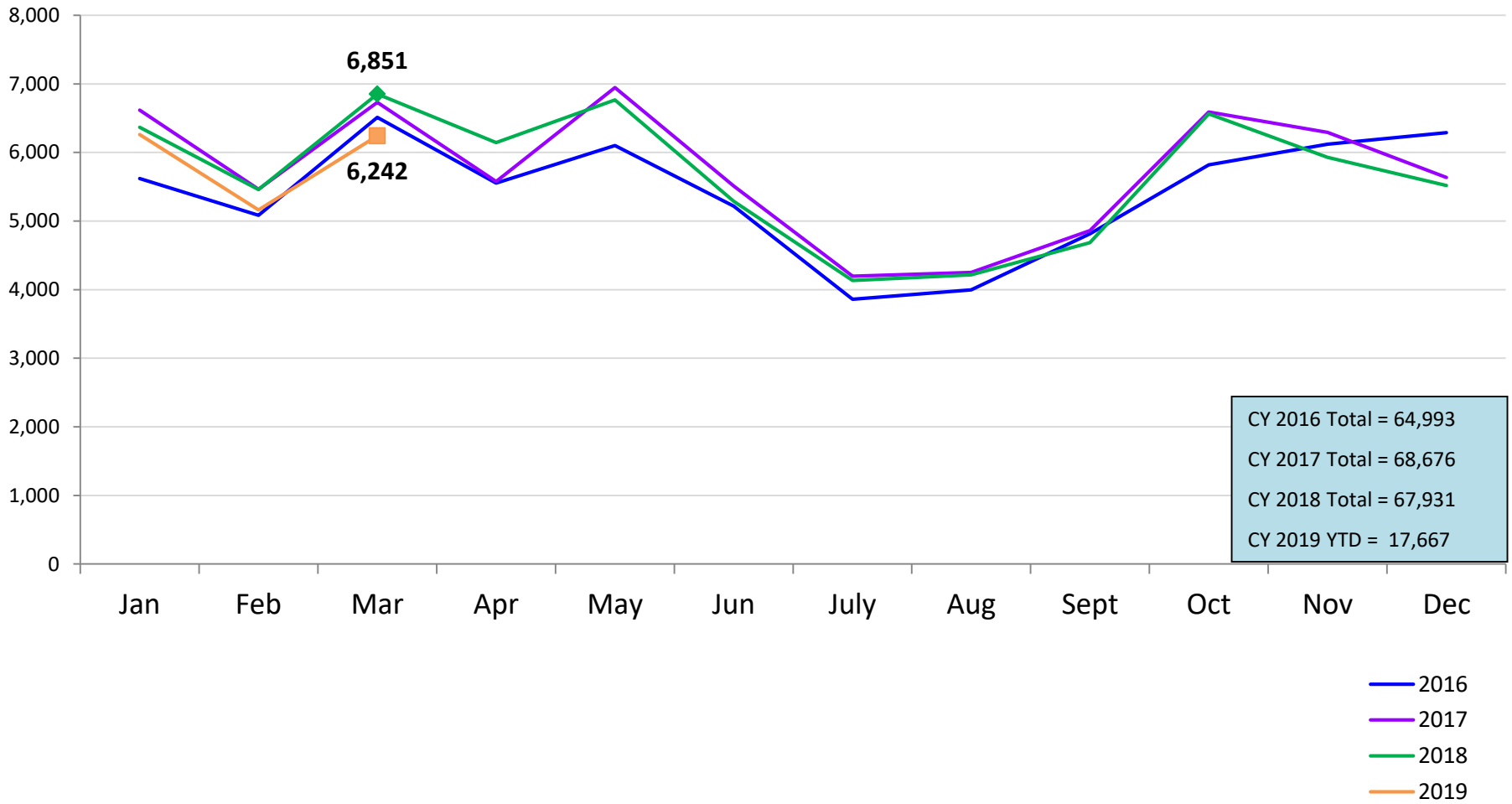
## Children Enrolled in Contracted EarlyLearn Programs and Children Using Vouchers for Child Care

January 2016 – March 2019 (End of Month)



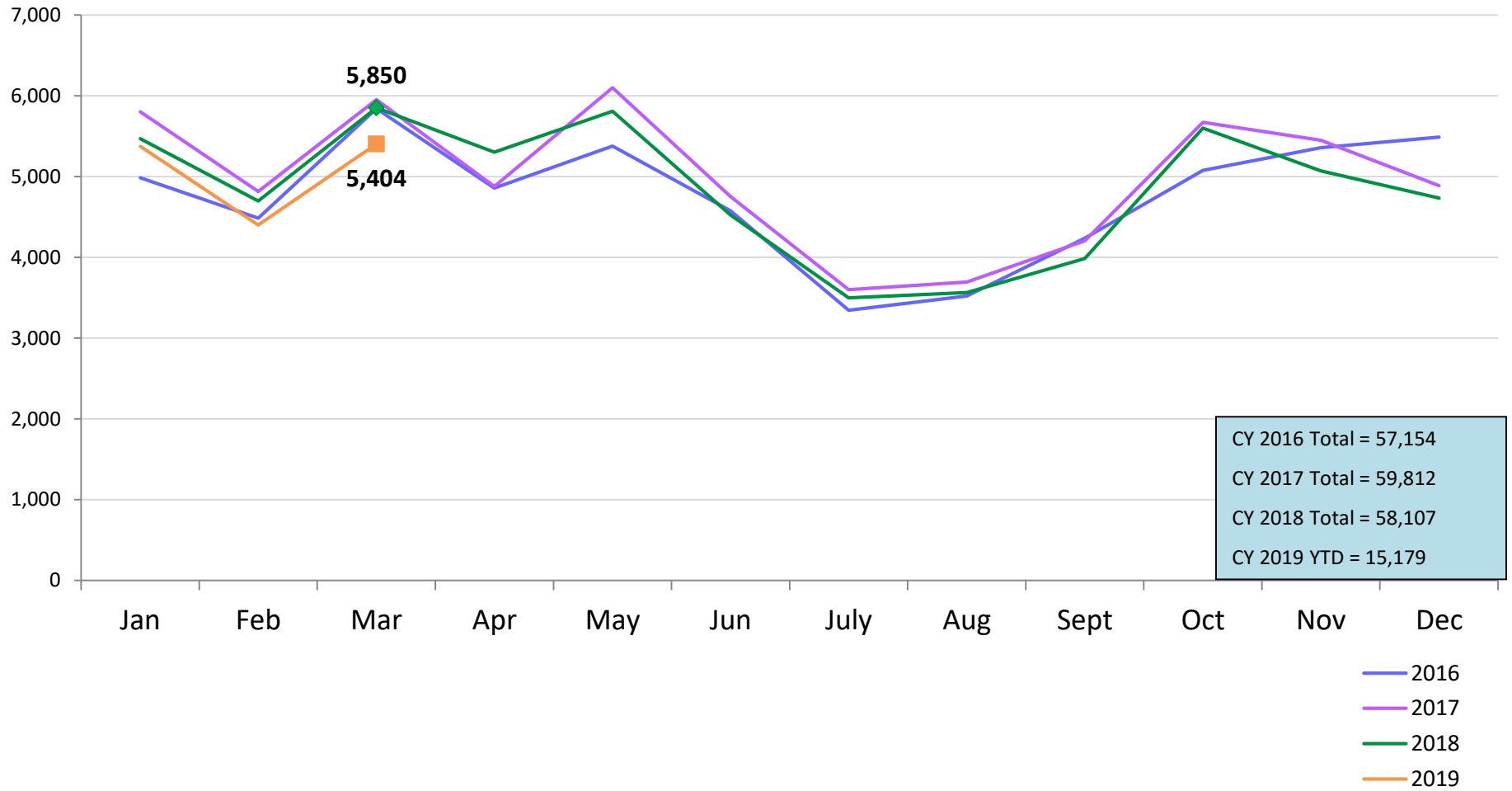
### SCR Intakes

January 2016 – March 2019



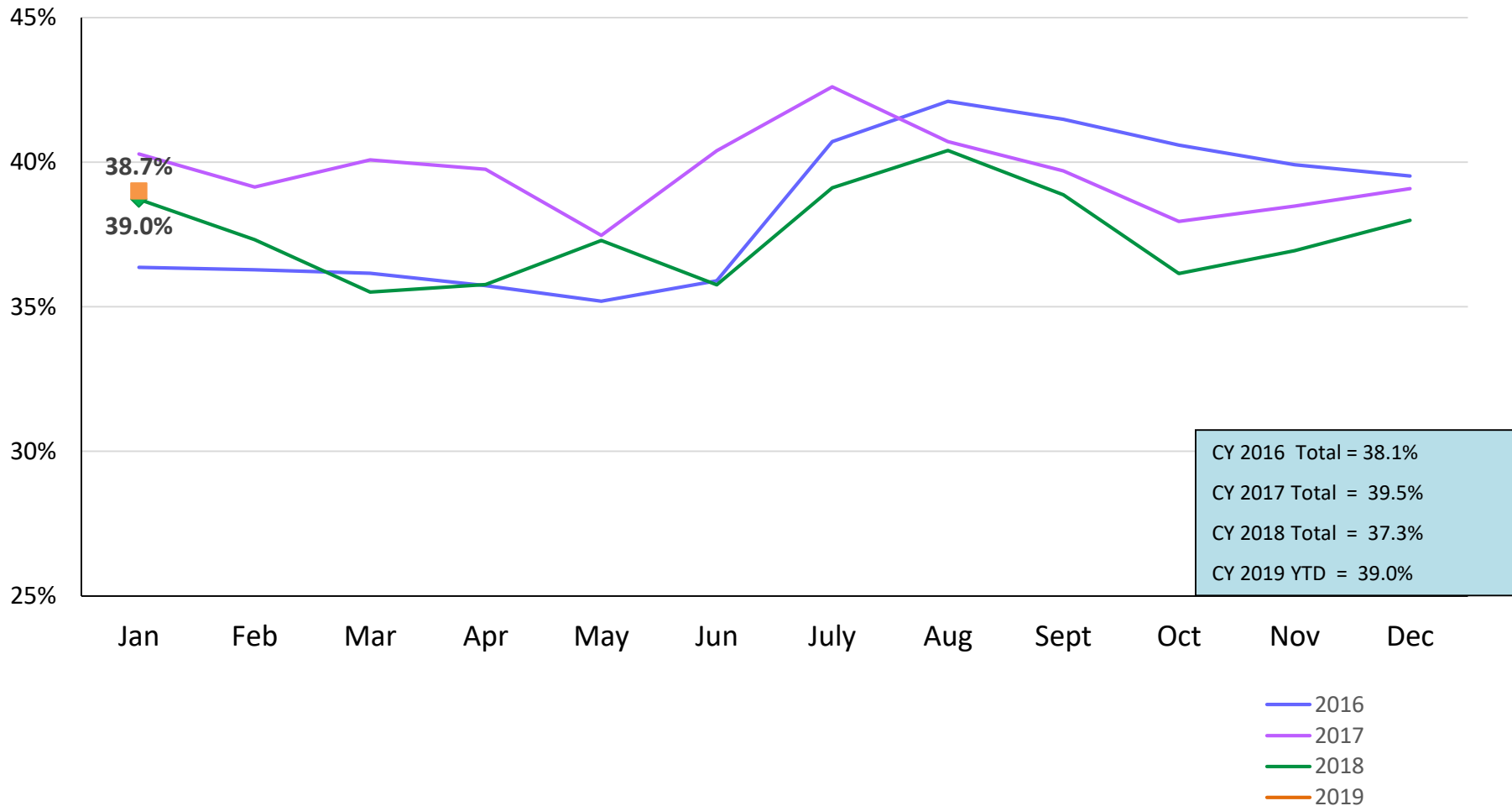
### SCR Consolidated Investigations

January 2016 – March 2019



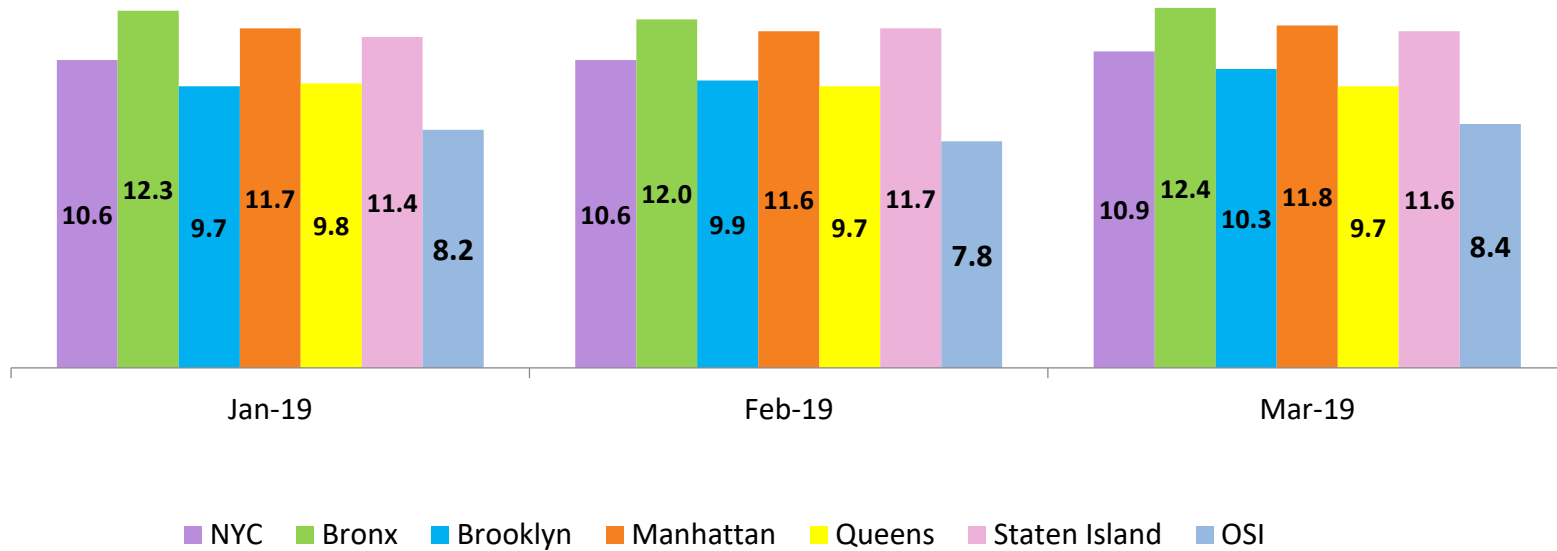
### Percent of Investigations that Found Some Credible Evidence of Abuse or Neglect

January 2016 – January 2019



### Average Child Protection Caseload\*

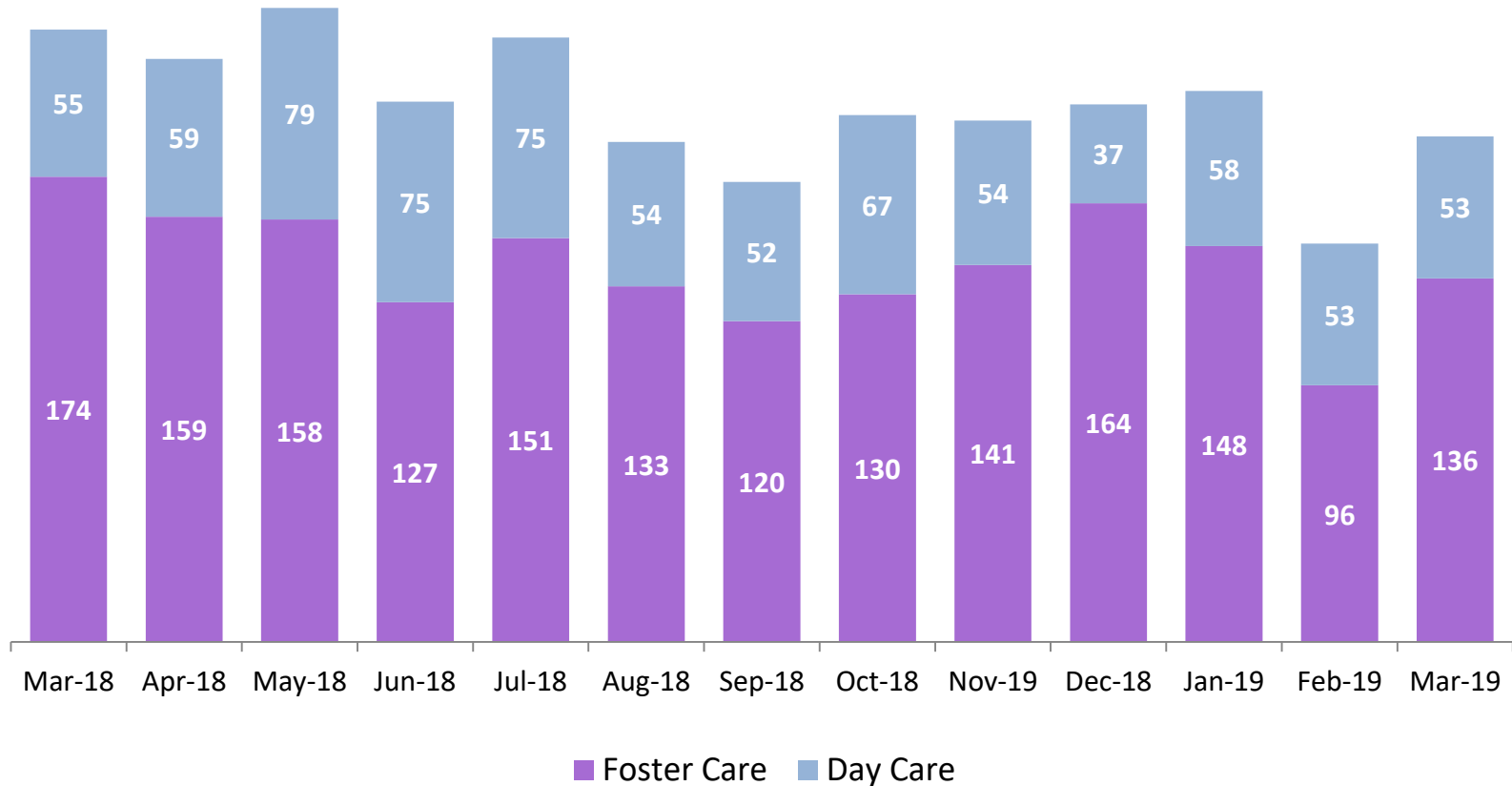
January 2019 – March 2019



\*Prior to December 2018 caseloads are of Protective/Diagnostic Unit (Child Protection, School Based, Sex Abuse and Hospital Units) caseworkers only. Beginning December 2018, all caseload carrying Child Protection Specialists (CPS) in investigative and Family Assessment Response Units are included. Includes CPS in Primary and Case Manager roles only.  
 Note: Due to a technical problem caseload statistics were not available in January, February and March 2018.

### OSI Foster Care and Day Care\* Investigations

March 2018 – March 2019

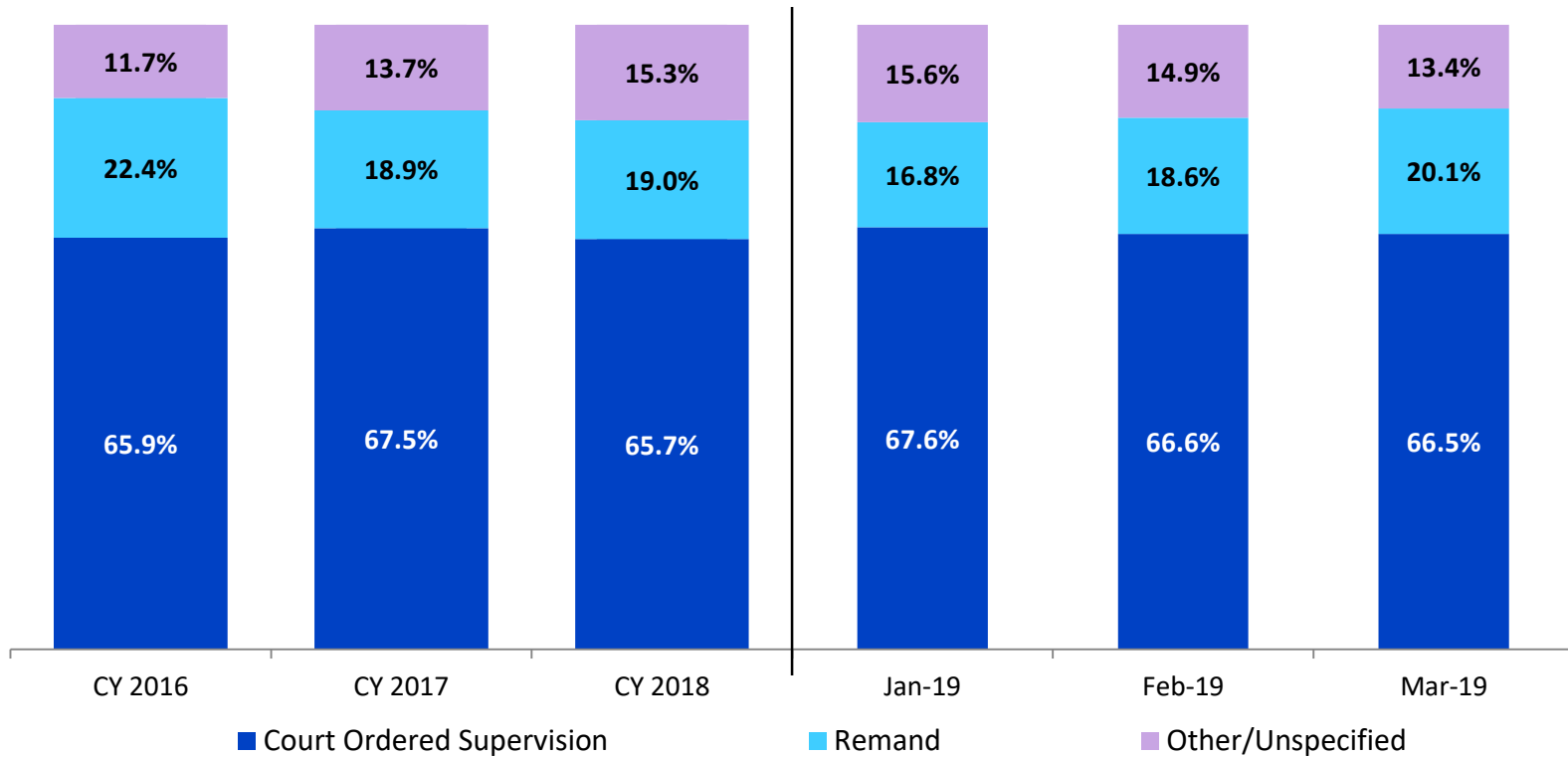


	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2019
Number of Investigations	229	218	237	202	226	187	172	197	195	201	206	149	189

\*Day Care investigations include alleged abuse or maltreatment of children perpetrated by someone who cares for children in a setting that is not the child’s familial home and that requires state or local government approval and is subject to state laws, regulations, and oversight. This includes, but is not limited to, ACS Early Care and 7 Education programs.

### Article 10 Filings and Initial Hearing Outcomes, Children

CY 2016 – March 2019



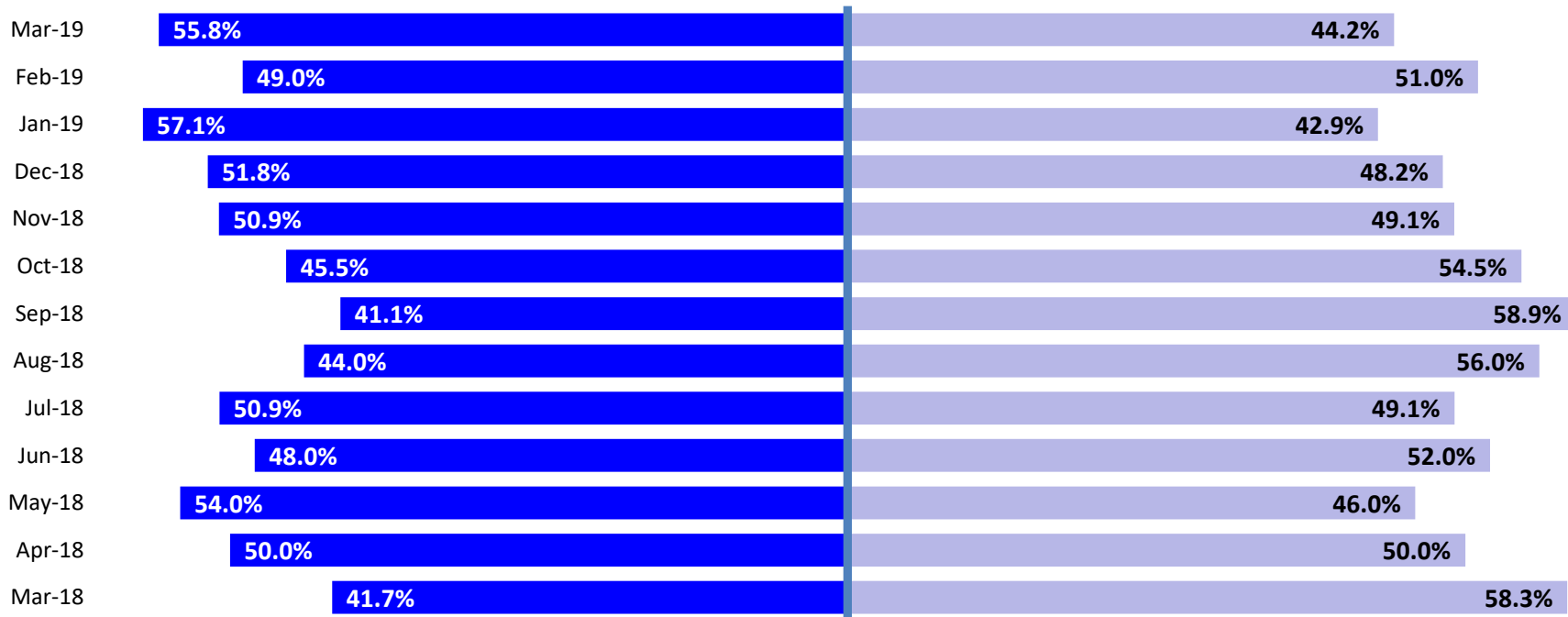
	CY 2016	CY 2017	CY 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2019
Children with Article10 Filings	10,973	15,975	13,319	1,092	1,056	1,035

Note: The category “Other/Unspecified” includes released with no supervision, no order issued and no outcome specified.



### Remands Approved at Initial Article 10 Hearing by Removal Status

March 2018 – March 2019

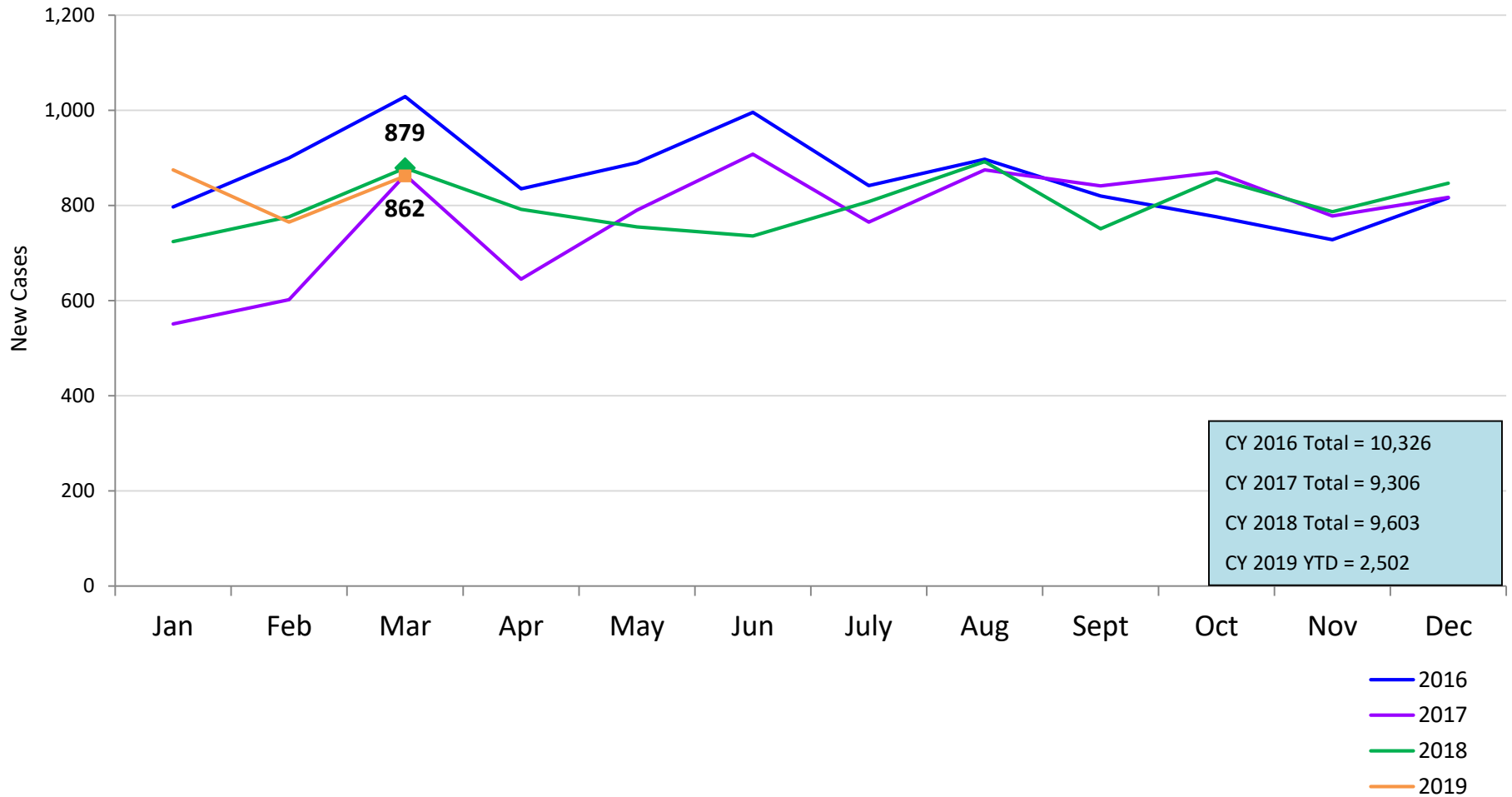


■ Pre-Filing Emergency Removals (court approved at initial hearing) ■ Post-Filing Removals (court ordered at initial hearing)

	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2019
Children Remanded	230	236	235	200	173	259	151	297	167	193	184	196	208

### New Child Welfare Prevention Cases\*

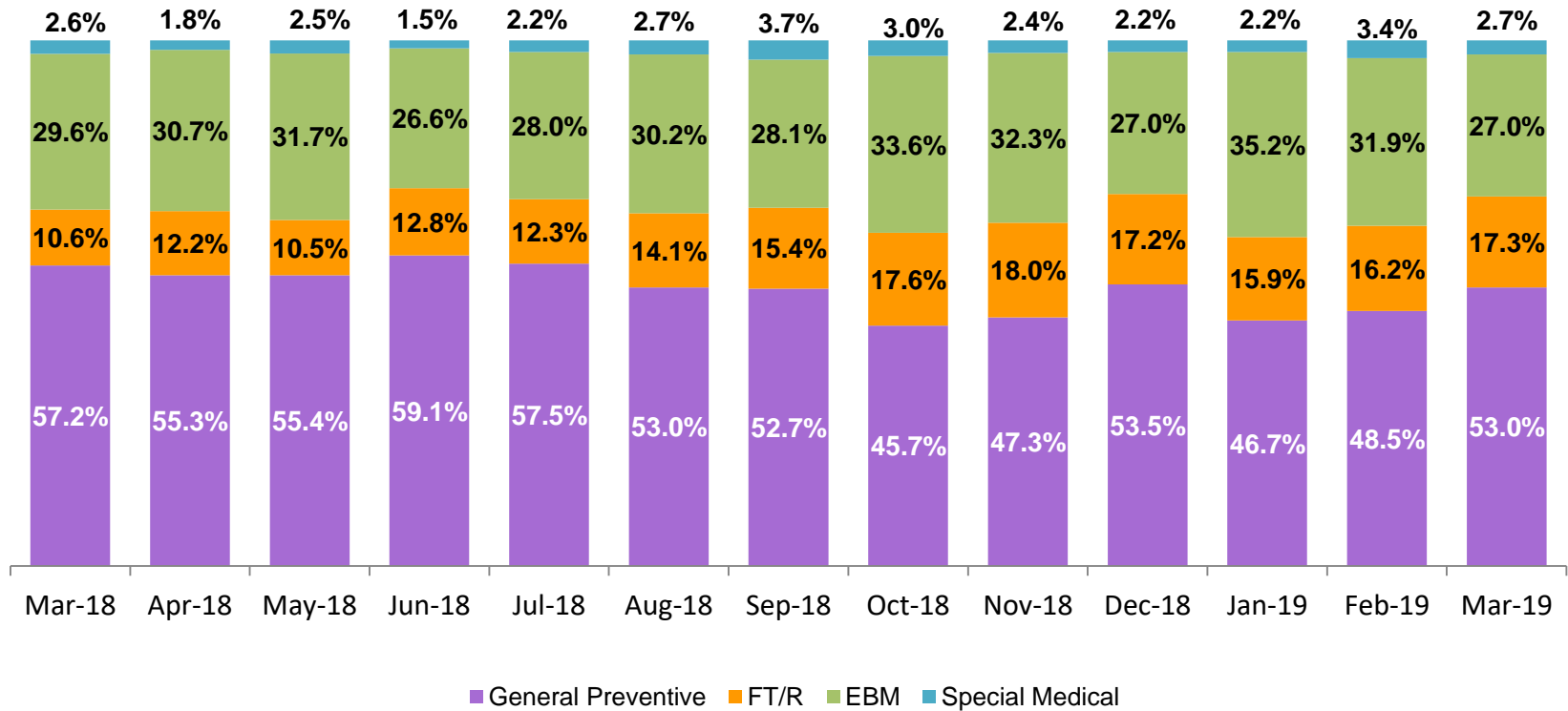
January 2016 – March 2019



\* New prevention cases do not include cases transferred from one preventive program to another. See Pages 32 and 33 of the Appendix for supporting data.

### New Child Welfare Prevention Cases by Program Type \*

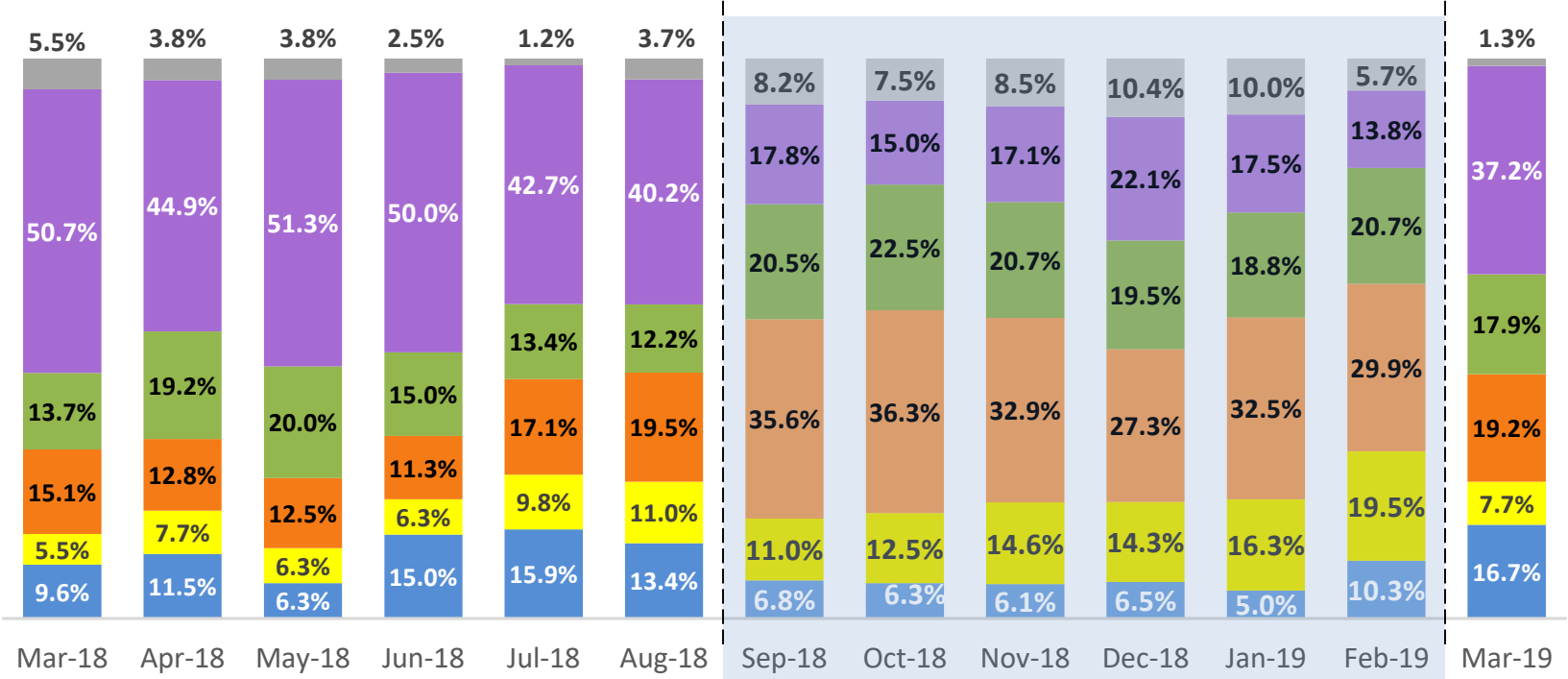
March 2018 – March 2019



	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2019
Number of New Preventive Cases	879	792	755	736	808	892	751	856	787	847	875	765	862

\* New prevention cases exclude cases transferred from one prevention program to another.

### Average Daily Children’s Center Population March 2018 – March 2019



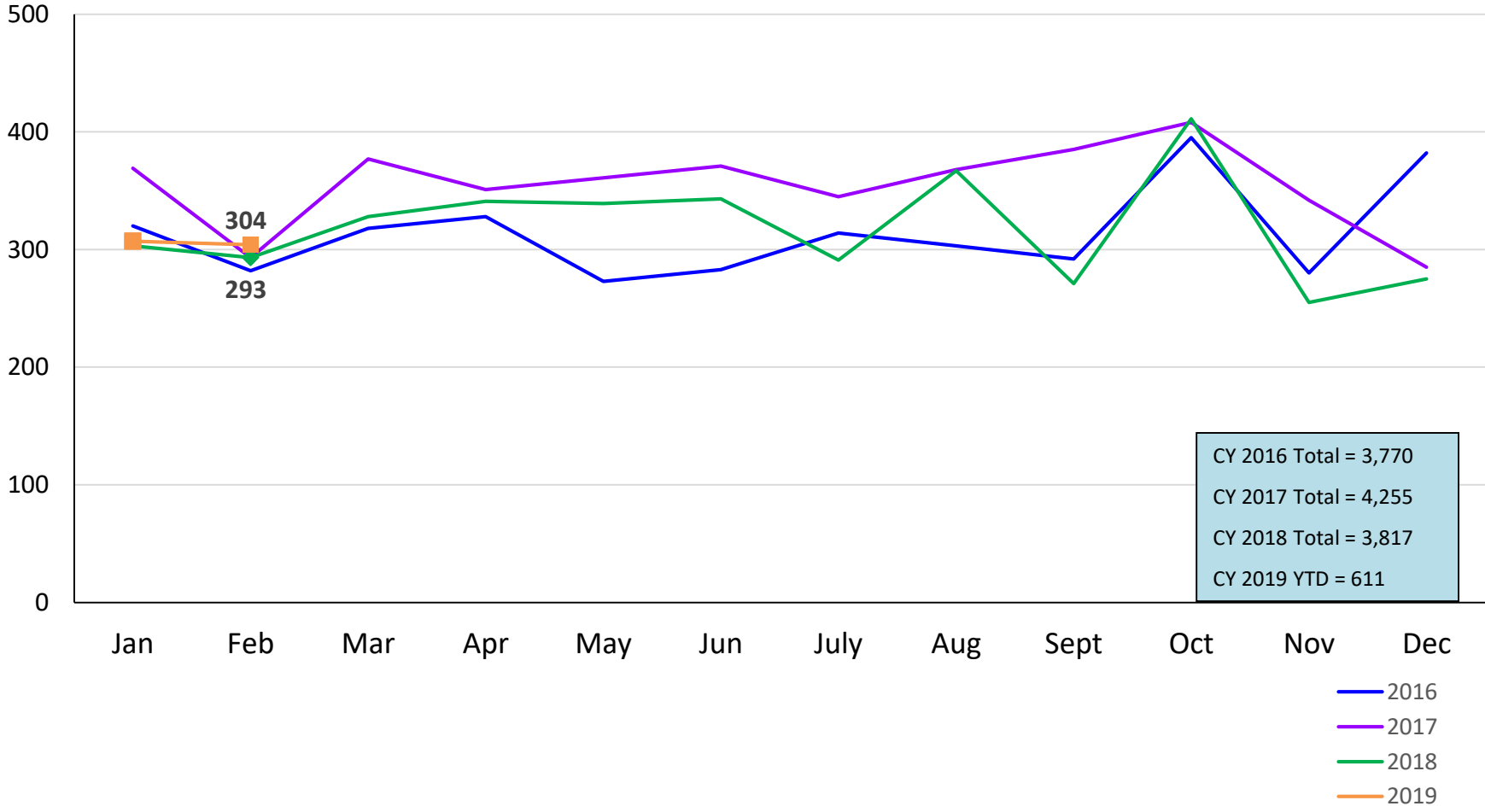
- Newborn - 3 years old
- 4-6 years old
- 7-10 years old
- 11-13 years old
- 14-18 years old
- 19+ years old
- Newborn - 1 year old
- 2-6 years old
- 7-12 years old
- 13-15 years old
- 16-17 years old
- 18+ years old

	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2018*	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2019
Average Number of Children	73	78	80	80	82	82	73	80	82	77	80	87	78

Notes: 1) August 2018 includes data from August 1<sup>st</sup> to August 28<sup>th</sup>. 2) Different age groups were used from September 2018 to February 2019.

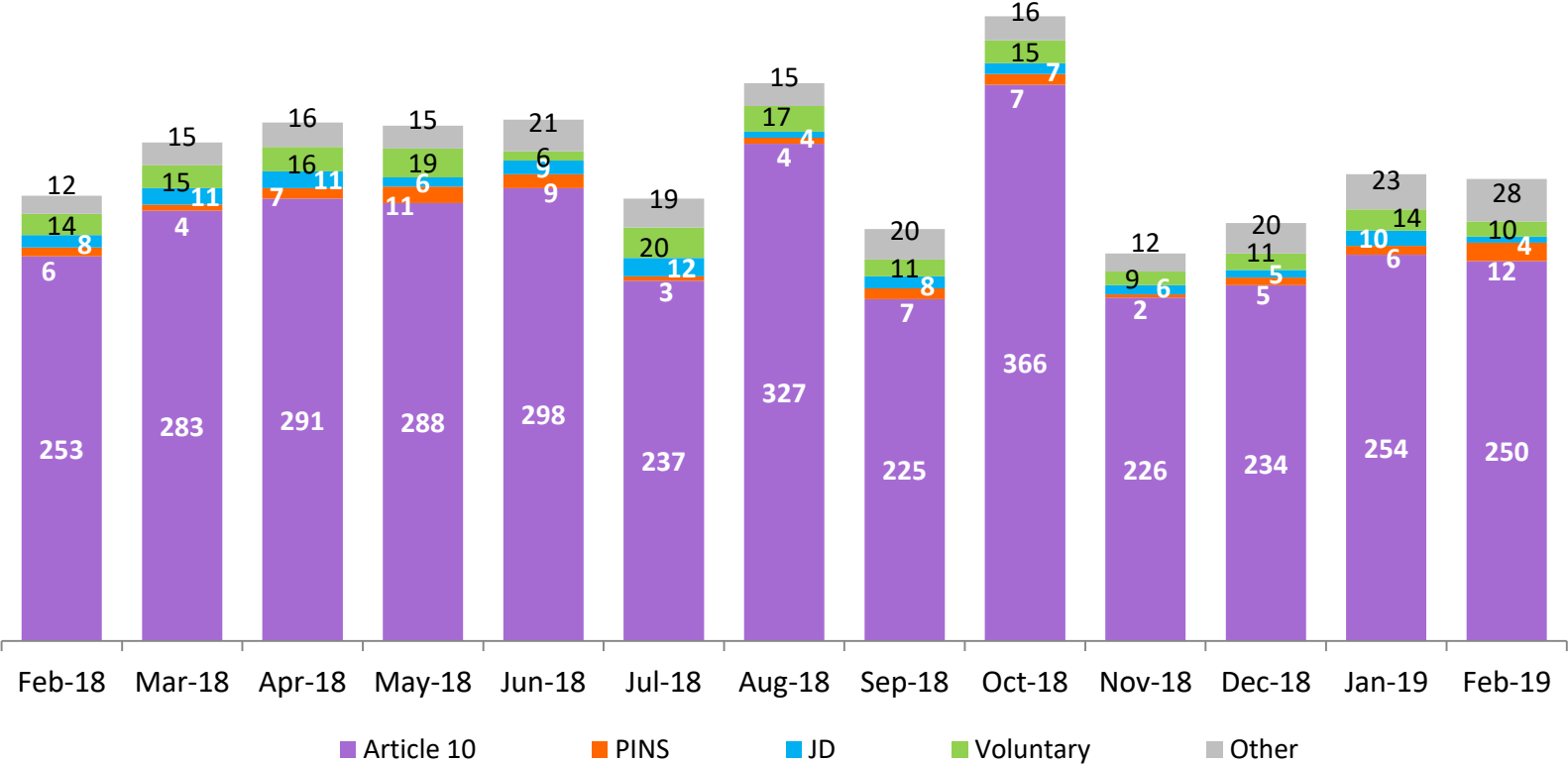
### New Placements of Children into Foster Care

January 2016 – February 2019



### Reason for New Placements of Children into Foster Care

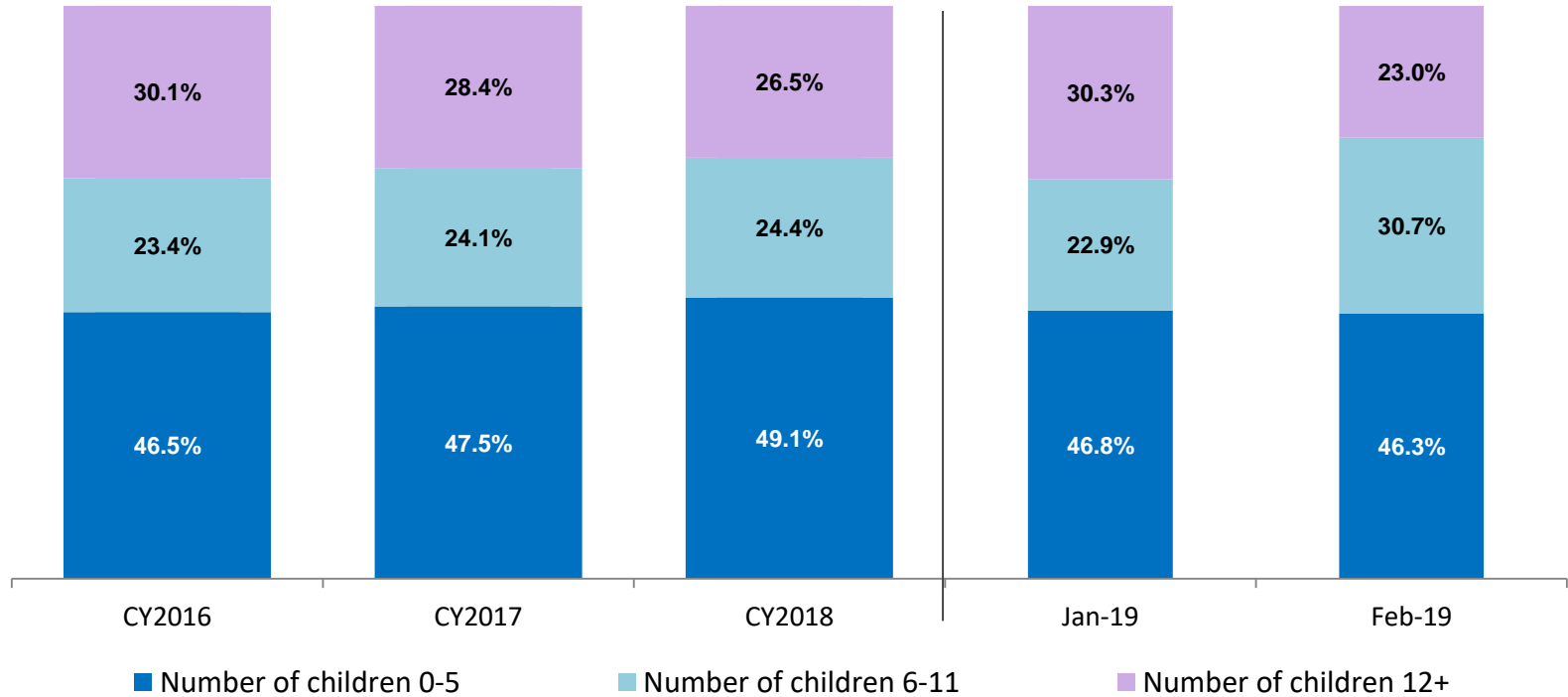
February 2018 – February 2019



	Feb 2018	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019
Number of Placements	293	328	341	339	343	291	367	271	411	255	275	307	304

**New Placements of Children into Foster Care\* by Age**

CY 2016 - February 2019

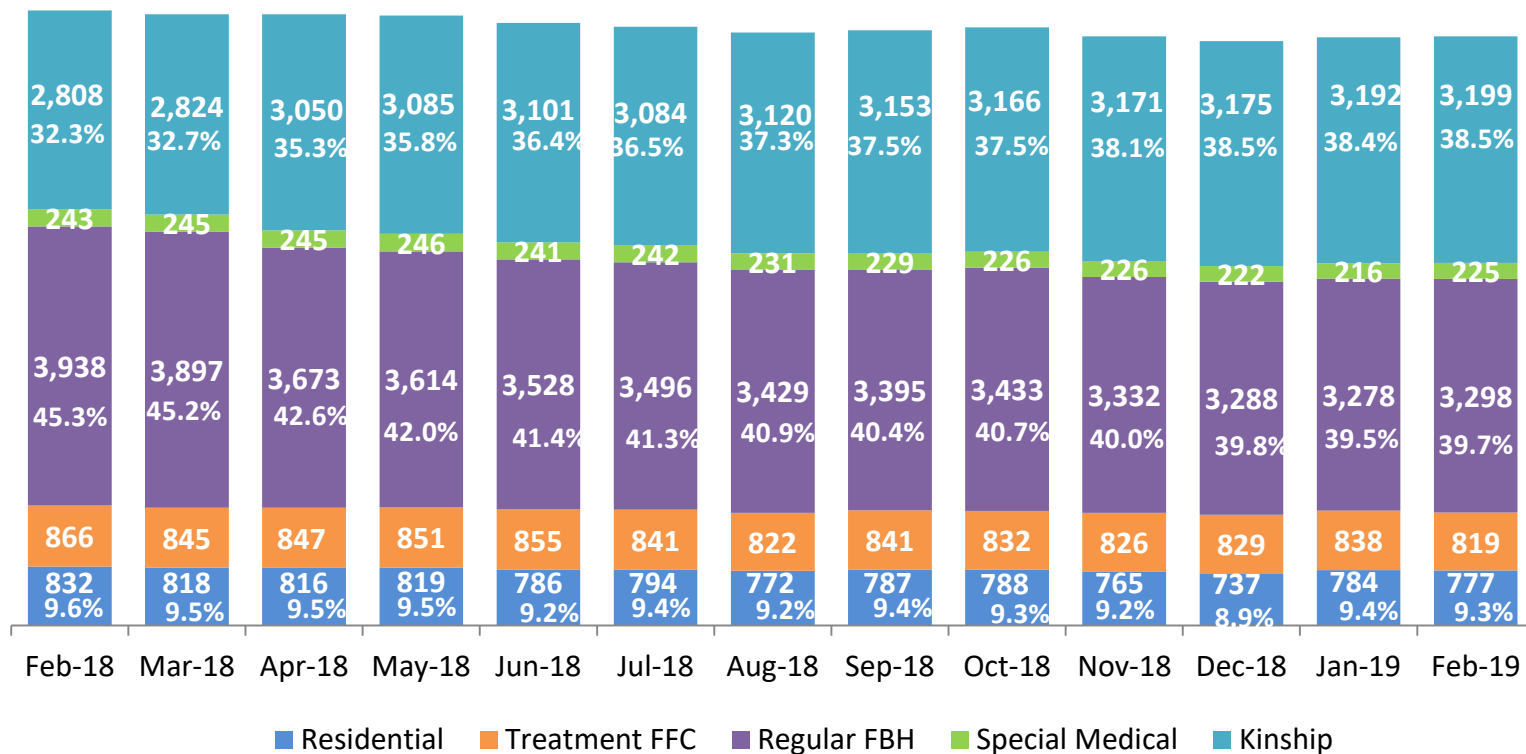


	CY 2016	CY 2017	CY 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019
Number of Placements	3,557	4,097	3,724	297	300

\*Excludes CTH placements.

### Children in Foster Care \*

February 2018 – February 2019 (end of month)



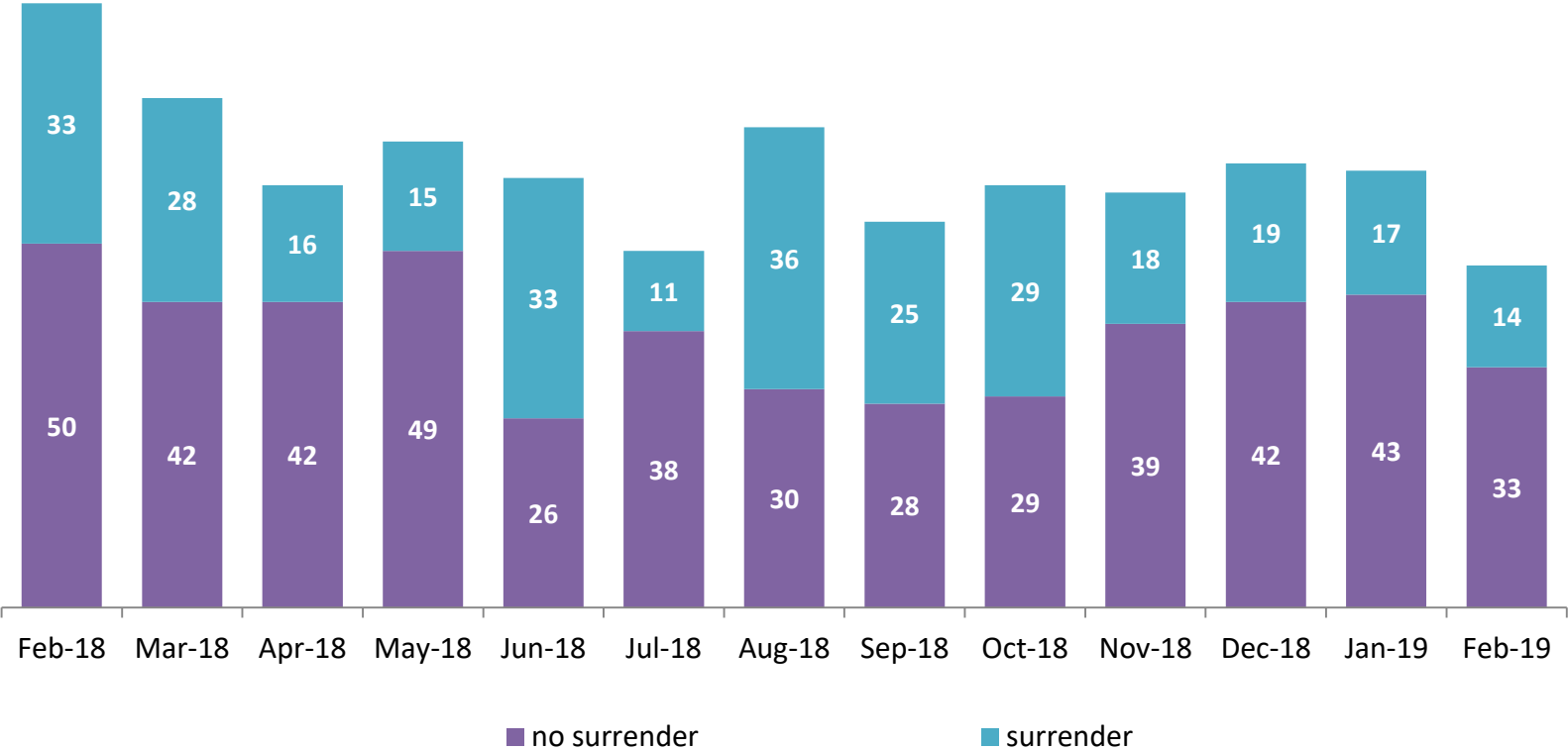
	Feb 2018	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019
Number in Foster Care	8,687	8,629	8,631	8,615	8,512	8,458	8,374	8,406	8,444	8,320	8,251	8,308	8,317

\*Excludes CTH placements and includes children in 24 hour care and approximately 200 young children who are living in foster homes or residential care facilities with their mothers who are in foster care (8D children).



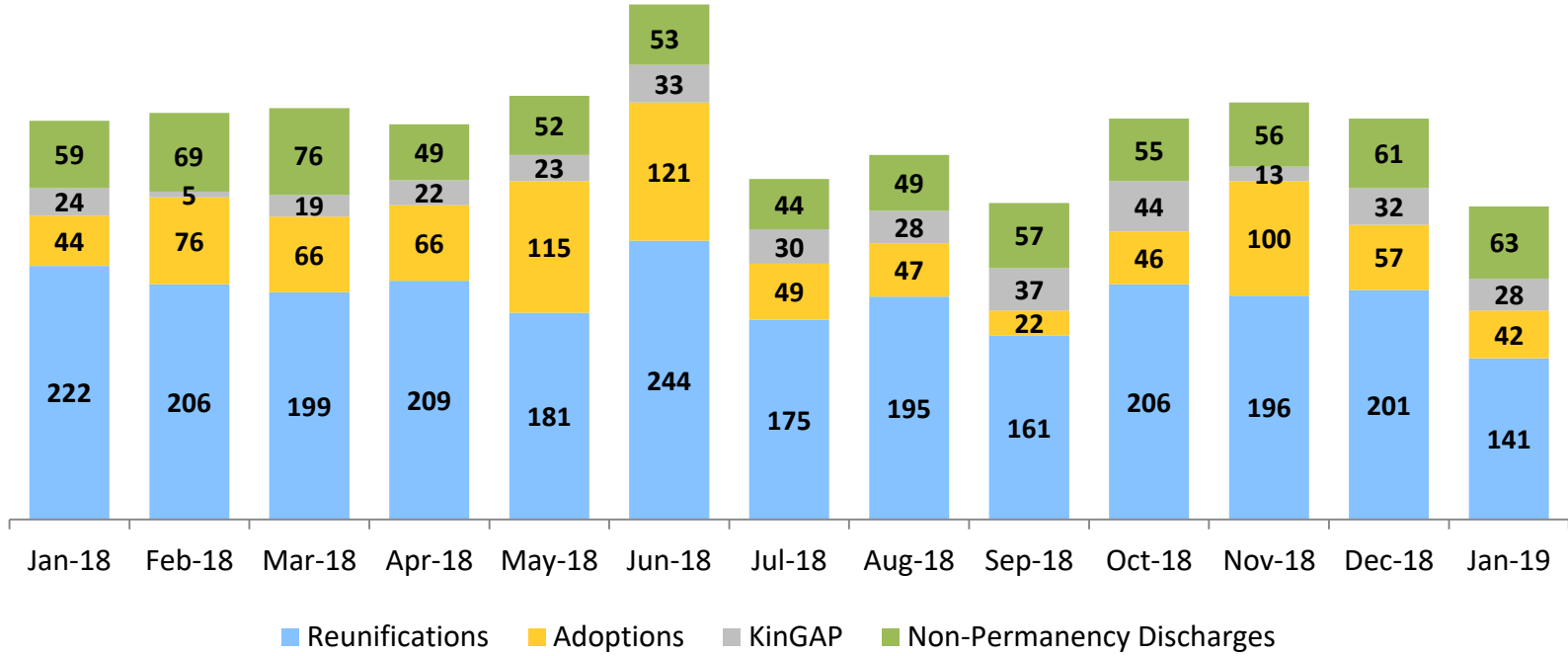
### Children Freed for Adoption, Surrender by at Least One Parent

February 2018 – February 2019



	Feb 2018	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019
Number Freed for Adoption	83	70	58	64	59	49	66	53	58	57	61	60	47

### Permanency and Non-Permanency\* Discharges from Foster Care\*\* January 2018 – January 2019



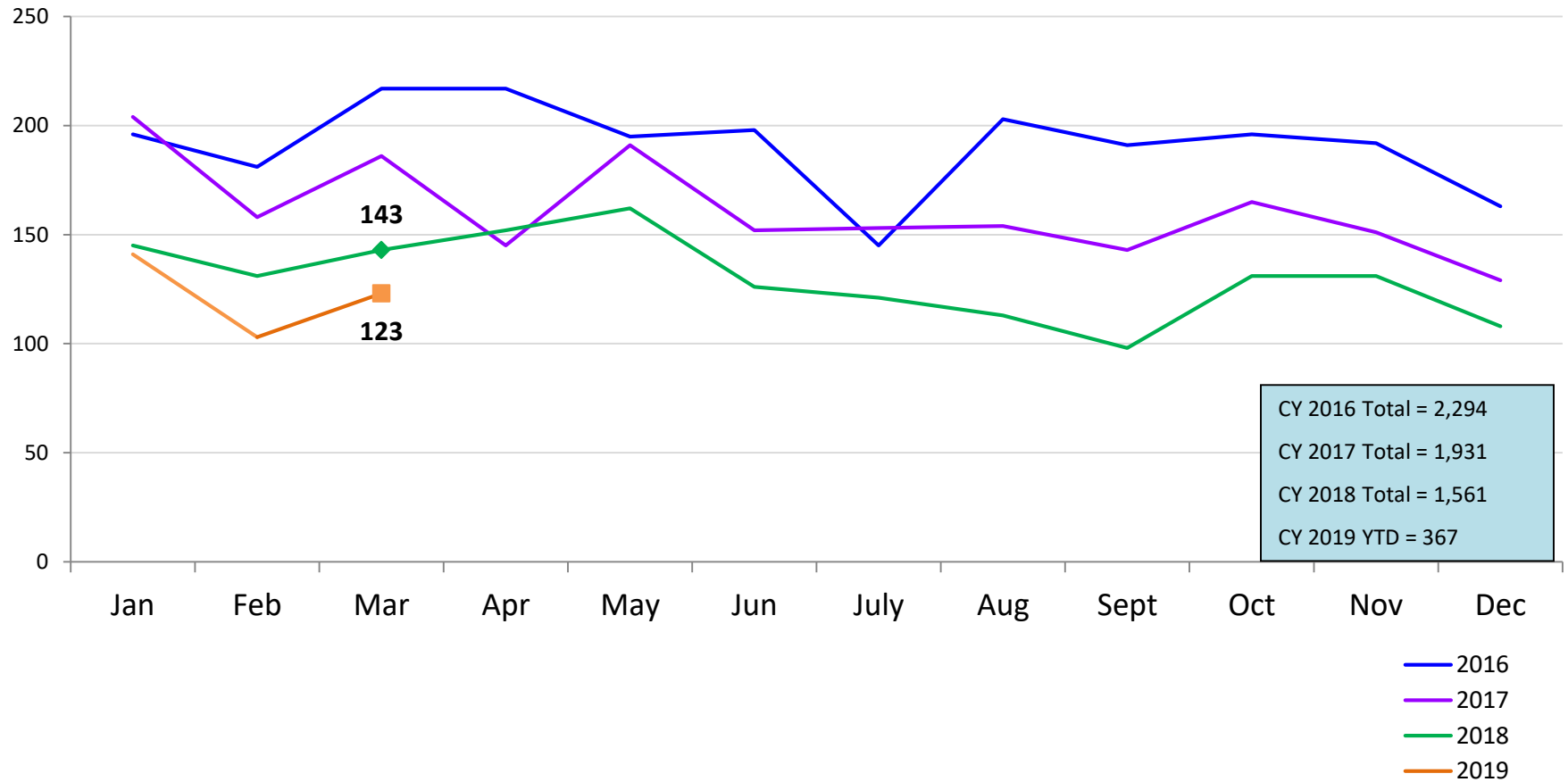
	Jan 2018	Feb 2018	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019
Number of Discharges	349	356	360	346	371	451	298	319	277	351	365	351	274

\*The methodology for non-permanency discharges was changed September 2018. This statistic is not comparable to prior reports. Non-permanency discharges include AWOL, APPLA (youth 18-20 years old discharged to self and youth who reached 21 while in care), and other discharge destinations such as psychiatric institutions and correctional facilities and discharges with unspecified destinations.

\*\*Excludes discharges of youth from CTH placements.

### Total Monthly Admissions to Detention

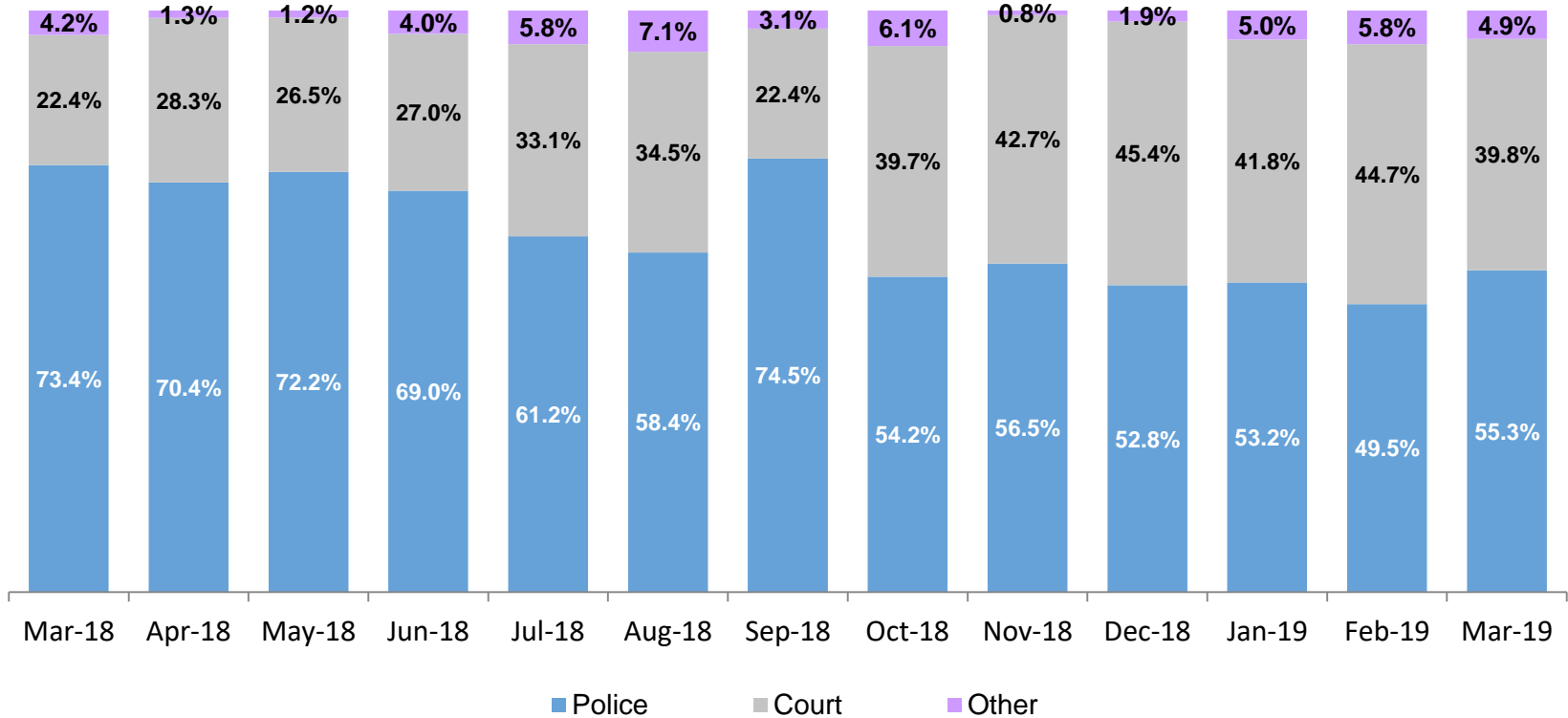
January 2016 – March 2019\*



\*Beginning in October 2018 admissions to Horizon Juvenile Facility are not included in the ACS detention statistics.

### Admit Authority, Detention Admissions

March 2018 – March 2019\*



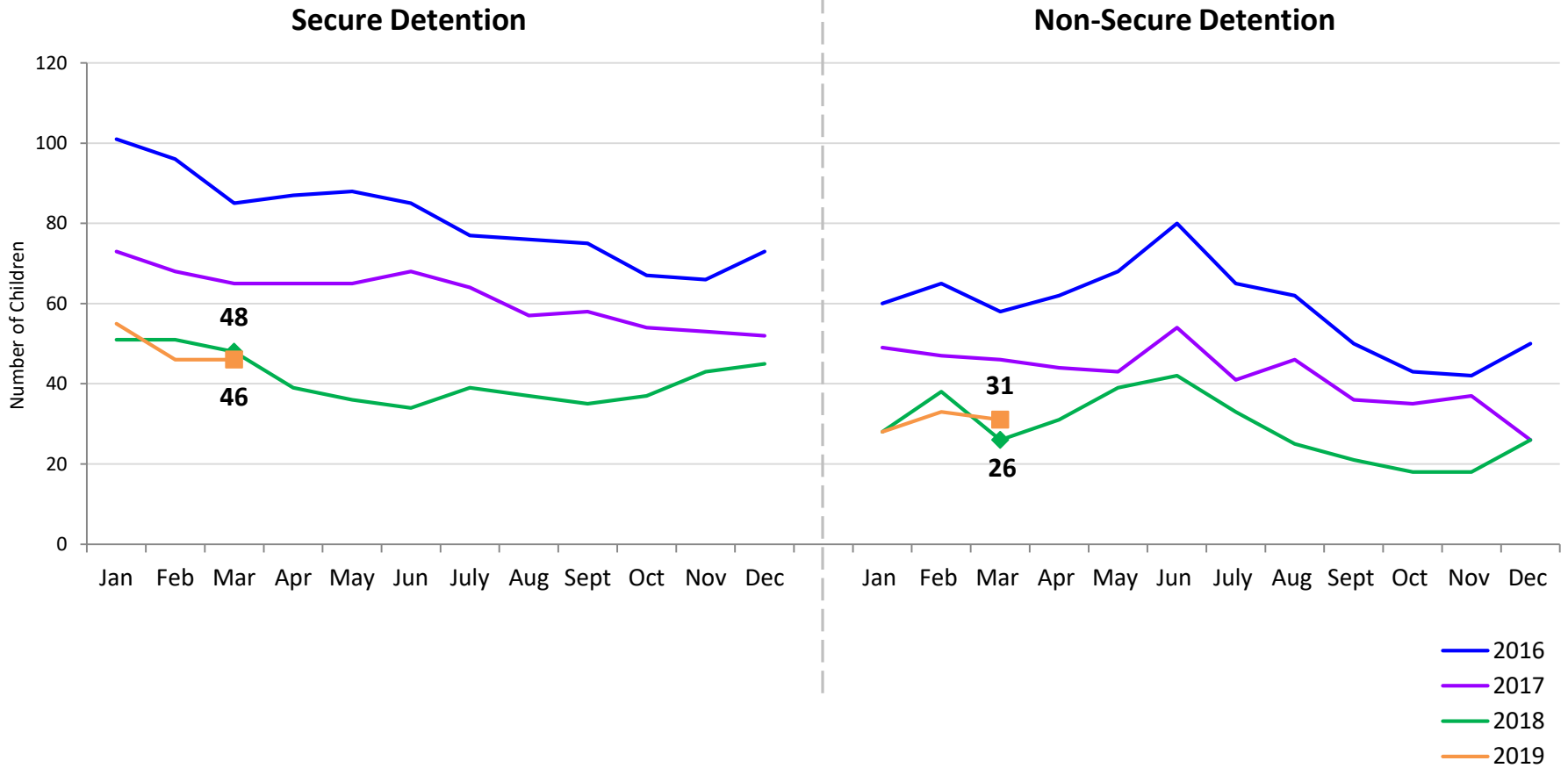
	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	Aug 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2019
Number of Admissions	143	152	162	126	121	113	98	131	131	108	141	103	123

Note: Other Admit Authority includes the Sheriff Department, Department of Corrections and ACS.

\*Beginning in October 2018 admissions to Horizon Juvenile Facility are not included in the ACS detention statistics.

### Monthly Average Daily Population

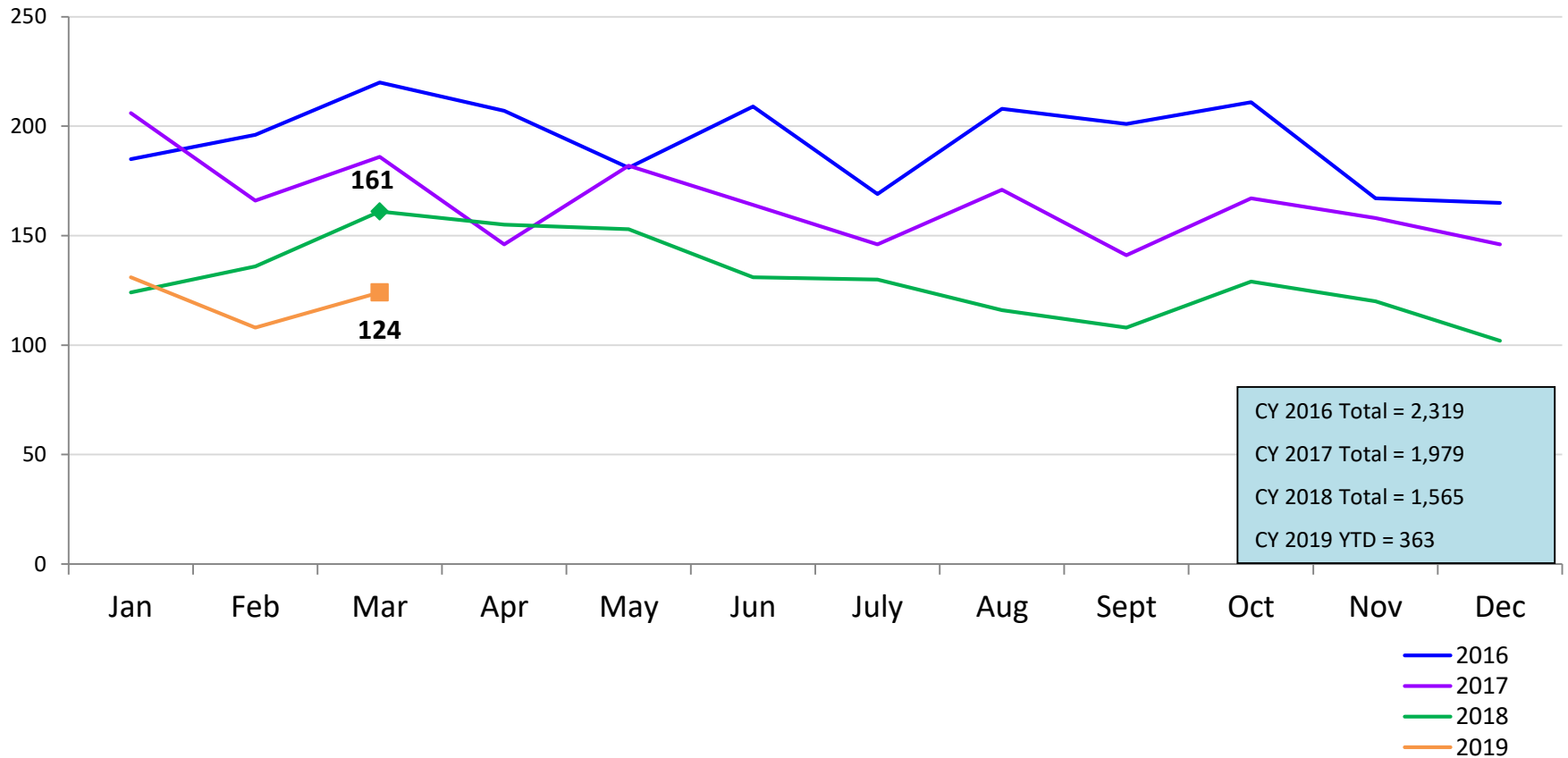
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### Total Monthly Releases from Detention

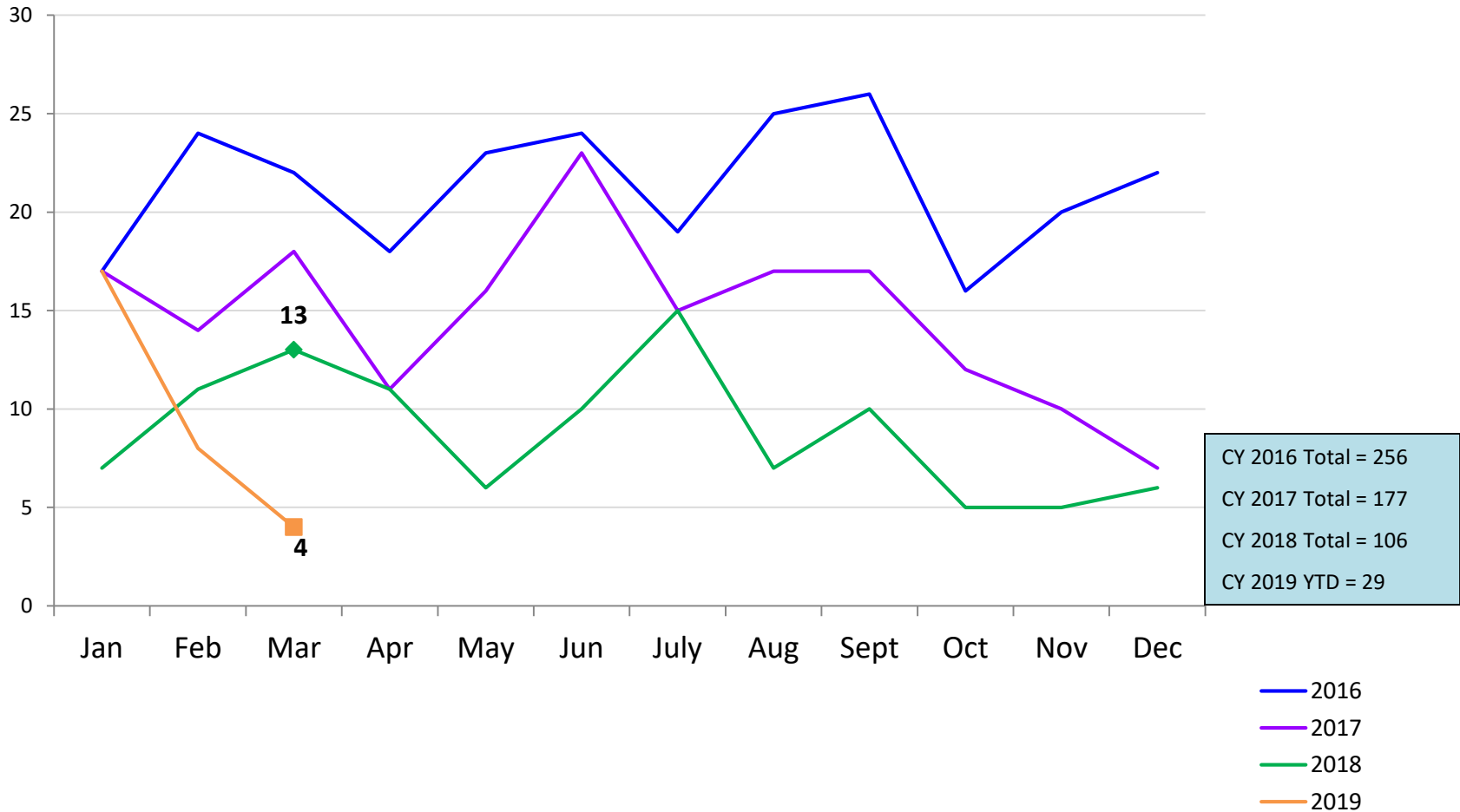
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### Close to Home Admissions\*

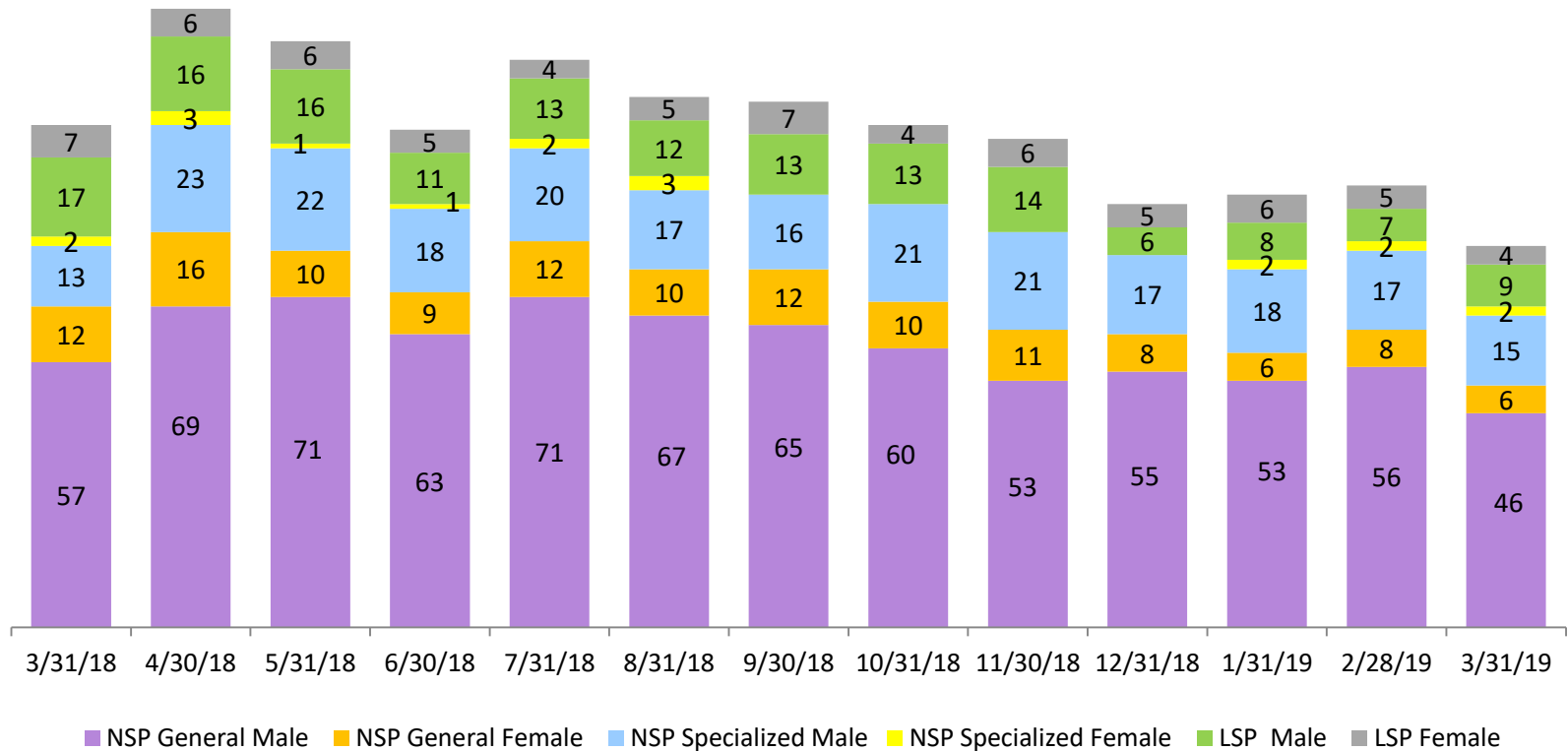
January 2016 – March 2019



\*Beginning in December 2015 Close to Home admissions include LSP as well as NSP.

### CTH Placement, in 24-hour Care

March 2018 – March 2019 (end of month)



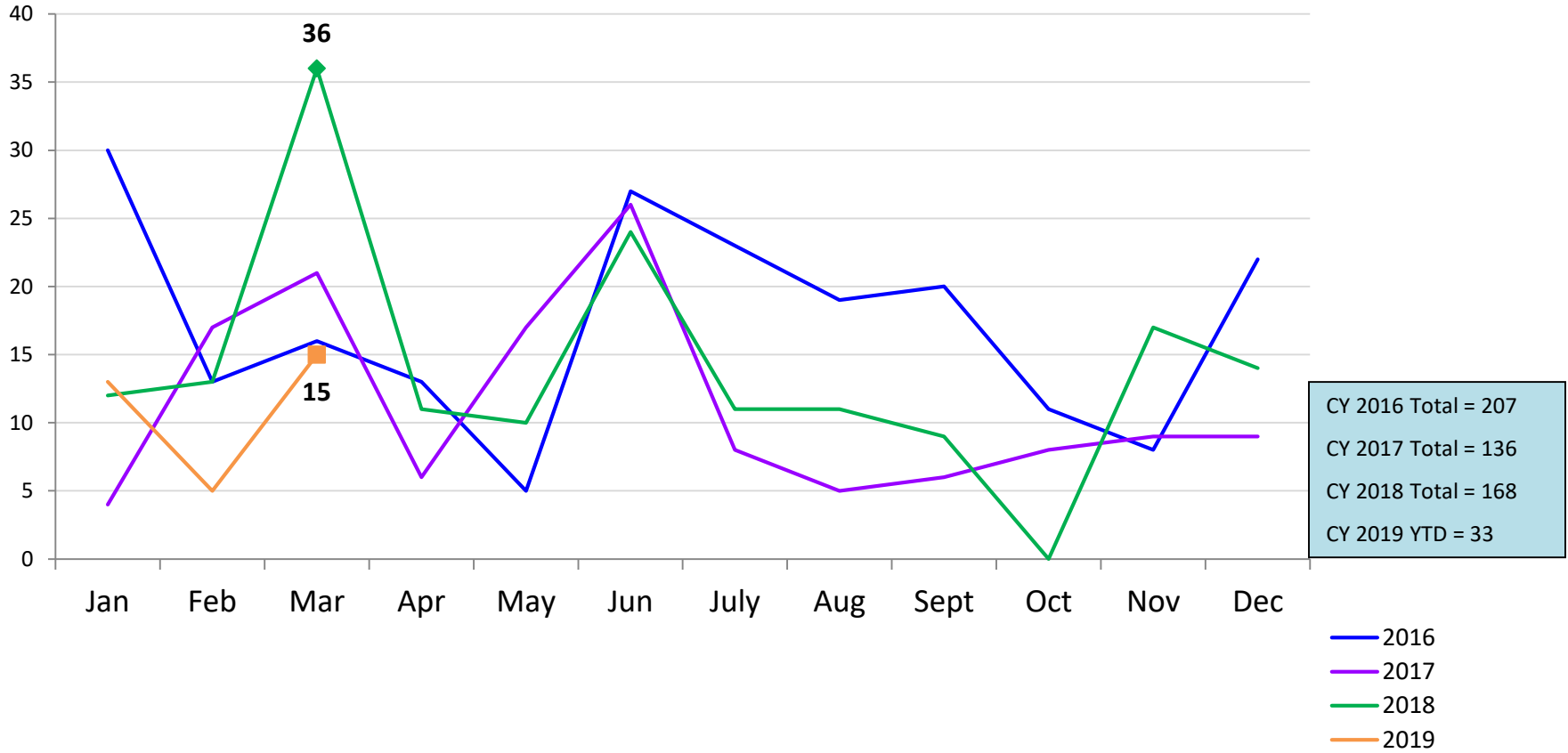
Number in Placement													
	3/31/18	4/30/18	5/31/18	6/30/18	7/31/18	8/31/18	9/30/18	10/31/18	11/30/18	12/31/18	1/31/19	2/28/19	3/31/19
NSP	84	111	104	91	105	97	93	91	85	80	79	83	69
LSP	24	22	22	16	17	17	20	17	20	11	14	12	13

\*NSP Other includes youth in child welfare and mother/child placements.



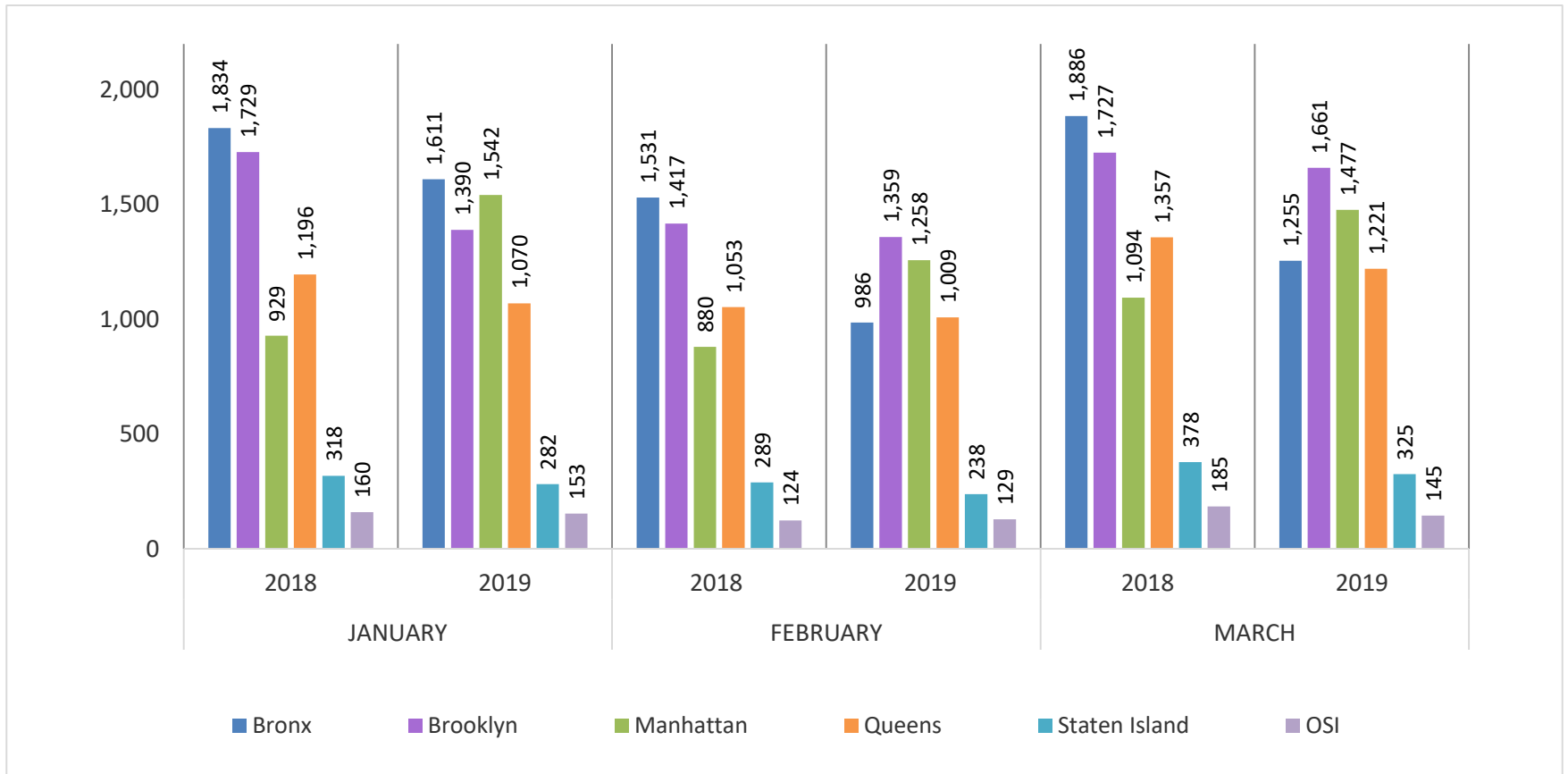
### Releases from Close to Home Placement to Aftercare

January 2016 – March 2019



## Appendix

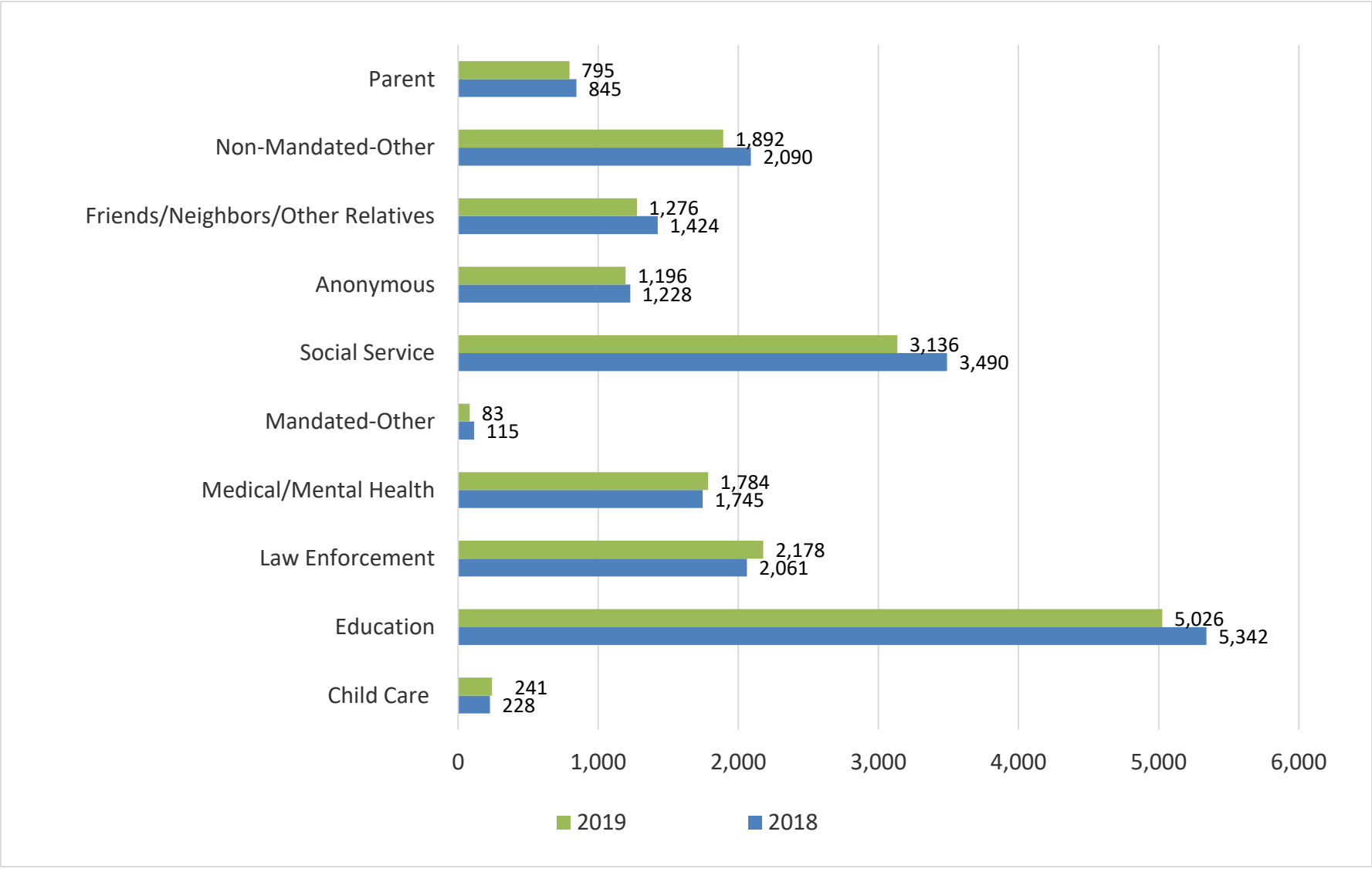
**Figure 1: SCR Intakes by Borough, JANUARY 18 – MARCH 18 and JANUARY 19 – MARCH 19**



**Table 1 - SCR Intake Changes by Borough, JANUARY 18 – MARCH 18 and JANUARY 19 – MARCH 19**

Month	Year	Bronx	Brooklyn	Manhattan	Queens	Staten Island	OSI	Other	Total
JANUARY	2018	1,834	1,729	929	1,196	318	160	203	6,369
	2019	1,611	1,390	1,542	1,070	282	153	214	6,262
	% Change	-12.2%	-19.6%	66.0%	-10.5%	-11.3%	-4.4%	5.4%	-1.7%
FEBRUARY	2018	1,531	1,417	880	1,053	289	124	164	5,458
	2019	986	1,359	1,258	1,009	238	129	184	5,163
	% Change	-35.6%	-4.1%	43.0%	-4.2%	-17.6%	4.0%	12.2%	-5.4%
MARCH	2018	1,886	1,727	1,094	1,357	378	185	224	6,851
	2019	1,255	1,661	1,477	1,221	325	145	158	6,242
	% Change	-33.5%	-3.8%	35.0%	-10.0%	-14.0%	-21.6%	-29.5%	-8.9%
Total	2018	5,251	4,873	2,903	3,606	985	469	591	18,678
	2019	3,852	4,410	4,277	3,300	845	427	556	17,667
	% Change	-26.6%	-9.5%	47.3%	-8.5%	-14.2%	-9.0%	-5.9%	-5.4%

**Figure 2: Citywide SCR Intakes by Reporter Group, JANUARY 18 – MARCH 18 and JANUARY 19 – MARCH 19**

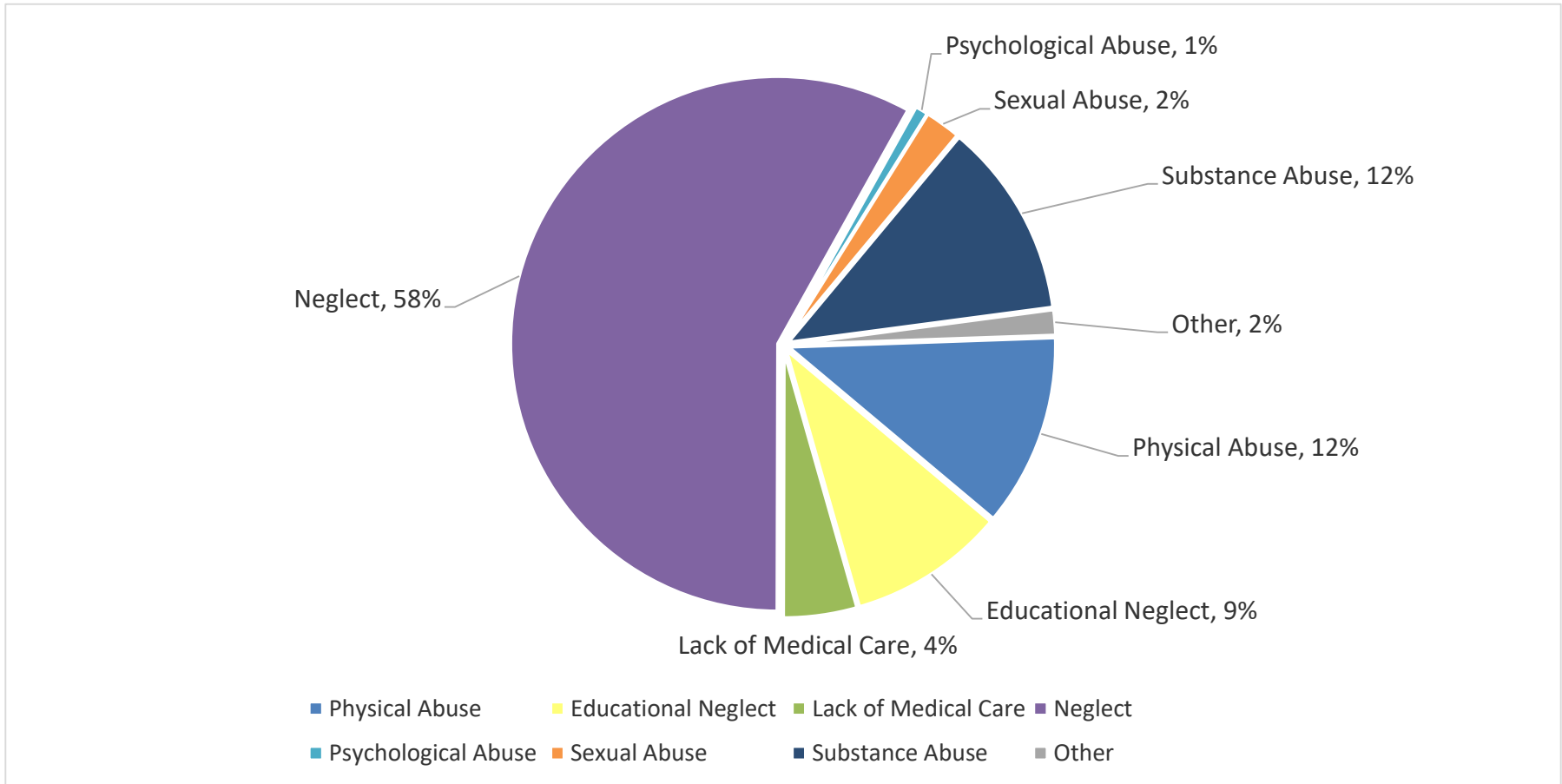


**Table 2 - SCR Intakes by Reporter Group, JANUARY 18 – MARCH 18 and JANUARY 19 – MARCH 19**

Year	Child Care/ Substitute Care Personnel	Educational Personnel	Law Enforcement	Medical/ Mental Health Personnel	Mandated- Other	Social Service Personnel	Anonymous	Friends/ Neighbors/ Other Relatives	Non- Mandated- Other	Parent	Foster Parent	*Total
<b>Bronx</b>												
2018	65	1,695	498	466	24	1,012	312	395	564	219	0	5,251
2019	25	1,420	311	329	16	751	256	245	390	109	0	3,852
% Change	-61.5%	-16.2%	-37.6%	-29.4%	-33.3%	-25.8%	-17.9%	-38.0%	-30.9%	-50.2%	--	-26.6%
<b>Brooklyn</b>												
2018	58	1,390	602	460	28	881	347	383	500	221	0	4,873
2019	54	1,314	672	404	16	767	292	291	416	182	2	4,410
% Change	-6.9%	-5.5%	11.6%	-12.2%	-42.9%	-12.9%	-15.9%	-24.0%	-16.8%	-17.6%	--	-9.5%
<b>Manhattan</b>												
2018	34	588	393	306	19	557	226	254	399	123	2	2,903
2019	74	787	631	505	20	779	329	383	573	192	1	4,277
% Change	117.6%	33.8%	60.6%	65.0%	5.3%	39.9%	45.6%	50.8%	43.6%	56.1%	-50.0%	47.3%
<b>Queens</b>												
2018	39	1,281	331	303	22	640	225	235	399	130	0	3,606
2019	39	1,125	348	349	19	518	209	244	302	146	0	3,300
% Change	0.0%	-12.2%	5.1%	15.2%	-13.6%	-19.1%	-7.1%	3.8%	-24.3%	12.3%	--	-8.5%
<b>Staten Island</b>												
2018	9	310	112	114	6	156	72	75	96	34	0	985
2019	8	302	84	96	2	126	64	60	67	36	0	845
% Change	-11.1%	-2.6%	-25.0%	-15.8%	-66.7%	-19.2%	-11.1%	-20.0%	-30.2%	5.9%	--	-14.2%
<b>OSI</b>												
2018	19	42	23	38	11	98	27	34	96	76	5	469
2019	34	38	15	35	7	60	27	24	99	88	0	427
% Change	78.9%	-9.5%	-34.8%	-7.9%	-36.4%	-38.8%	0.0%	-29.4%	3.1%	15.8%	-100.0%	-9.0%
<b>Other</b>												
2018	4	36	102	58	5	146	19	48	36	42	1	591
2019	7	40	117	66	3	135	19	29	45	42	1	556
% Change	75.0%	11.1%	14.7%	13.8%	-40.0%	-7.5%	0.0%	-39.6%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	-5.9%
<b>Citywide</b>												
2018	228	5,342	2,061	1,745	115	3,490	1,228	1,424	2,090	845	8	18,678
2019	241	5,026	2,178	1,784	83	3,136	1,196	1,276	1,892	795	4	17,667
% Change	5.7%	-5.9%	5.7%	2.2%	-27.8%	-10.1%	-2.6%	-10.4%	-9.5%	-5.9%	-50.0%	-5.4%

\*There is a small number of intakes with unknown reporter that is included in the totals.

**Figure 3: SCR Allegations, JANUARY 19 – MARCH 19**



**Total Allegations = 41,115**

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; Neglect - inadequate guardianship, inadequate food, clothing, shelter, lack of supervision, malnutrition, failure to thrive, swelling, dislocations, sprains; Psychological Abuse - isolation, emotional neglect; Sexual Abuse – sexual abuse; Substance Abuse - parental drug use, child drug use; and Other - abandonment, inappropriate custodial conduct.

**Table 3 - SCR Allegations, JANUARY 18 – MARCH 18 and JANUARY 19 – MARCH 19**

Year	Physical Abuse	Educational Neglect	Lack of Medical Care	Neglect	Psychological Abuse	Sexual Abuse	Substance Abuse	Other	Total
<b>Bronx</b>									
2018	1,546	1,561	721	7,947	83	251	1,667	98	13,874
2019	1,378	1,554	604	7,080	83	284	1,610	83	12,676
% Change	-10.9%	-0.4%	-16.2%	-10.9%	0.0%	13.1%	-3.4%	-15.3%	-8.6%
<b>Brooklyn</b>									
2018	1,357	1,054	539	7,137	81	270	1,458	174	12,070
2019	1,199	906	439	5,901	75	218	1,149	190	10,077
% Change	-11.6%	-14.0%	-18.6%	-17.3%	-7.4%	-19.3%	-21.2%	9.2%	-16.5%
<b>Manhattan</b>									
2018	646	483	294	3269	39	83	696	31	5,541
2019	664	480	260	3339	55	102	709	86	5,695
% Change	2.8%	-0.6%	-11.6%	2.1%	41.0%	22.9%	1.9%	177.4%	2.8%
<b>Queens</b>									
2018	1,116	598	378	4,880	87	217	972	165	8,413
2019	1,014	608	330	4,496	78	175	871	151	7,723
% Change	-9.1%	1.7%	-12.7%	-7.9%	-10.3%	-19.4%	-10.4%	-8.5%	-8.2%
<b>Staten Island</b>									
2018	261	278	143	1,760	15	52	428	66	3,003
2019	192	257	102	1,299	15	34	271	28	2,198
% Change	-26.4%	-7.6%	-28.7%	-26.2%	0.0%	-34.6%	-36.7%	-57.6%	-26.8%
<b>OSI</b>									
2018	264	48	57	1,121	7	80	137	8	1,722
2019	227	39	58	1,074	8	49	134	6	1,595
% Change	-14.0%	-18.8%	1.8%	-4.2%	14.3%	-38.8%	-2.2%	-25.0%	-7.4%
<b>Other</b>									
2018	138	59	57	648	7	31	139	101	1,180
2019	121	53	39	677	11	31	127	92	1,151
% Change	-12.3%	-10.2%	-31.6%	4.5%	57.1%	0.0%	-8.6%	-8.9%	-2.5%
<b>Citywide</b>									
2018	5,328	4,081	2,189	26,762	319	984	5,497	643	45,803
2019	4,795	3,897	1,832	23,866	325	893	4,871	636	41,115
% Change	-10.0%	-4.5%	-16.3%	-10.8%	1.9%	-9.2%	-11.4%	-1.1%	-10.2%

**TABLE 4 - Child Welfare Prevention Cases  
New and Closed  
January 2016 - March 2019**

Month	New Cases	Closed Cases
<b>2016</b>		
Jan-16	797	770
Feb-16	900	795
Mar-16	1,029	978
Apr-16	835	892
May-16	890	966
Jun-16	996	935
Jul-16	842	1,069
Aug-16	897	1,006
Sep-16	820	850
Oct-16	776	627
Nov-16	728	490
Dec-16	816	462
<b>2017</b>		
Jan-17	551	449
Feb-17	602	920
Mar-17	864	1,032
Apr-17	645	780
May-17	790	925
Jun-17	908	944
Jul-17	765	852
Aug-17	875	864
Sep-17	841	747
Oct-17	870	762
Nov-17	778	737
Dec-17	817	728
<b>2018</b>		
Jan-18	724	567
Feb-18	776	783
Mar-18	879	776
Apr-18	792	613
May-18	755	857
Jun-18	736	837
Jul-18	808	856
Aug-18	892	954
Sep-18	751	755
Oct-18	856	767
Nov-18	787	699
Dec-18	847	717
<b>2019</b>		
Jan-19	875	708
Feb-19	765	727
Mar-19	862	860



**Table 5 - Referrals to Child Welfare Prevention Services by Source  
January 2016 - March 2019**

Month	Total Referrals	Division of Child Protection	Foster Care Agencies	PPRS Transfer	School	Self	Other Sources*
<b>2016</b>							
Jan-16	1,370	73.6%	1.6%	8.2%	0.7%	5.4%	10.6%
Feb-16	1,436	75.8%	2.2%	7.8%	1.0%	3.8%	9.3%
Mar-16	1,557	72.0%	2.1%	8.8%	1.0%	4.6%	11.4%
Apr-16	1,378	76.1%	1.5%	7.4%	1.5%	3.5%	10.0%
May-16	1,386	73.4%	1.4%	8.7%	1.0%	4.7%	10.8%
Jun-16	1,564	77.2%	2.4%	6.2%	1.5%	4.1%	8.6%
Jul-16	1,338	80.3%	1.7%	6.4%	1.0%	4.2%	6.4%
Aug-16	1,385	79.1%	1.8%	7.1%	0.4%	4.0%	7.6%
Sep-16	1,297	77.8%	2.1%	7.5%	0.8%	4.5%	7.4%
Oct-16	1,247	70.1%	2.0%	7.6%	1.5%	5.9%	12.9%
Nov-16	1,229	67.8%	2.0%	7.8%	1.2%	5.5%	15.8%
Dec-16	1,175	76.0%	1.5%	7.1%	1.3%	3.8%	10.3%
<b>2017</b>							
Jan-17	1,046	78.5%	1.4%	6.7%	0.7%	3.1%	9.7%
Feb-17	1,067	77.7%	0.8%	6.7%	0.8%	3.8%	10.1%
Mar-17	1,383	79.1%	0.6%	6.9%	0.9%	4.0%	8.5%
Apr-17	1,116	81.2%	1.0%	5.9%	1.1%	1.4%	9.4%
May-17	1,335	81.9%	0.9%	5.5%	1.3%	2.8%	7.6%
Jun-17	1,449	82.3%	0.8%	5.9%	1.2%	2.9%	6.9%
Jul-17	1,273	83.3%	0.9%	7.9%	0.7%	1.9%	5.3%
Aug-17	1,429	82.7%	0.6%	9.3%	0.3%	1.7%	5.2%
Sep-17	1,383	79.6%	1.6%	7.7%	0.8%	2.8%	7.4%
Oct-17	1,489	77.5%	1.5%	7.5%	1.0%	3.1%	9.4%
Nov-17	1,235	75.1%	1.5%	8.8%	2.2%	3.6%	8.8%
Dec-17	1,227	70.5%	1.6%	10.2%	2.4%	3.7%	11.5%
<b>2018</b>							
Jan-18	1,399	74.5%	1.5%	10.7%	1.4%	2.9%	9.0%
Feb-18	1,302	76.8%	1.5%	7.5%	1.3%	3.5%	9.4%
Mar-18	1,396	79.7%	1.5%	7.4%	1.2%	2.6%	7.5%
Apr-18	1,383	80.0%	1.2%	5.9%	1.1%	3.1%	8.7%
May-18	1,189	78.8%	1.3%	7.0%	1.0%	3.3%	8.7%
Jun-18	1,284	81.9%	0.5%	7.6%	0.9%	3.2%	6.0%
Jul-18	1,403	82.5%	0.7%	8.3%	0.6%	2.4%	5.5%
Aug-18	1,391	82.1%	1.7%	6.8%	0.4%	2.7%	6.3%
Sep-18	1,135	84.4%	1.5%	7.0%	0.9%	4.1%	2.1%
Oct-18	1,345	78.4%	1.5%	8.0%	1.2%	3.9%	7.0%
Nov-18	1,107	73.8%	1.4%	9.5%	1.5%	4.3%	9.5%
Dec-18	1,179	68.7%	1.7%	10.9%	2.7%	5.1%	10.9%
<b>2019</b>							
Jan-19	1,373	74.3%	1.7%	8.4%	1.6%	3.8%	10.3%
Feb-19	1,096	77.5%	0.9%	7.9%	2.2%	2.8%	8.7%
Mar-19	1,271	74.5%	1.3%	10.6%	0.9%	3.3%	9.4%

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