



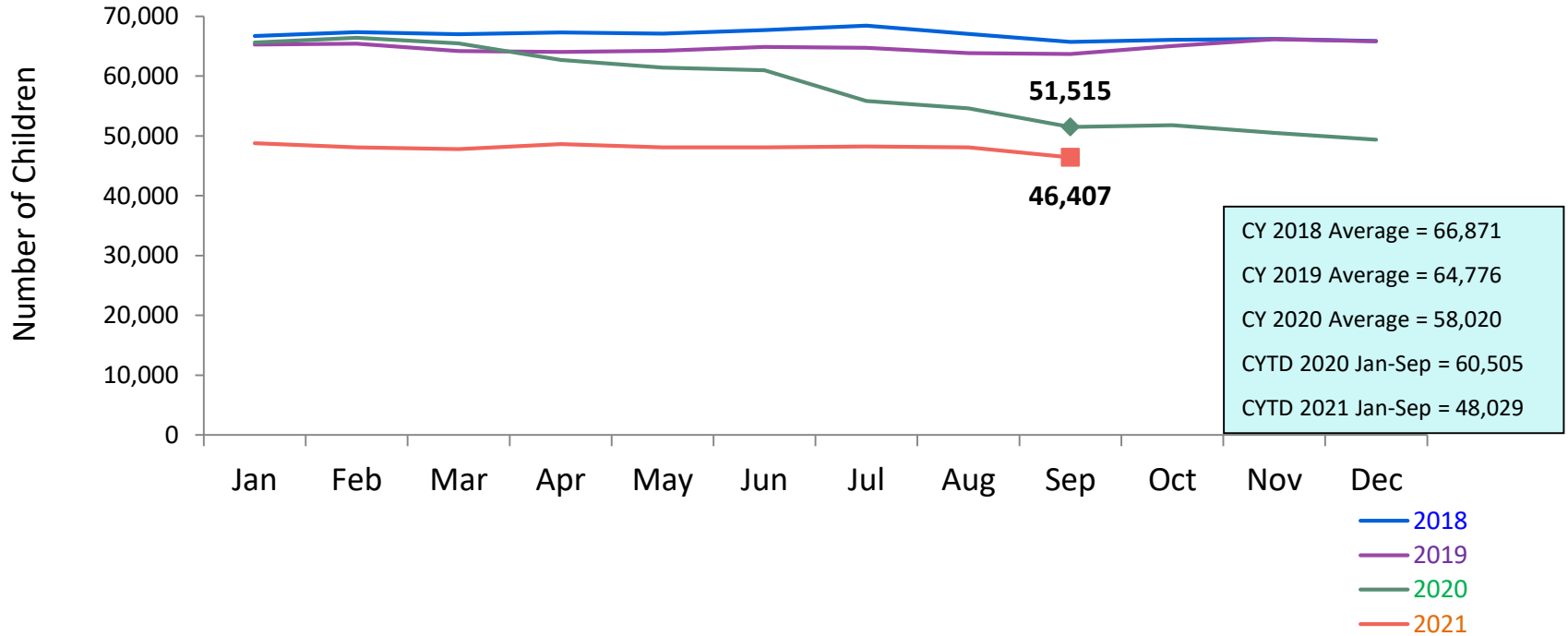
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monthly indicator

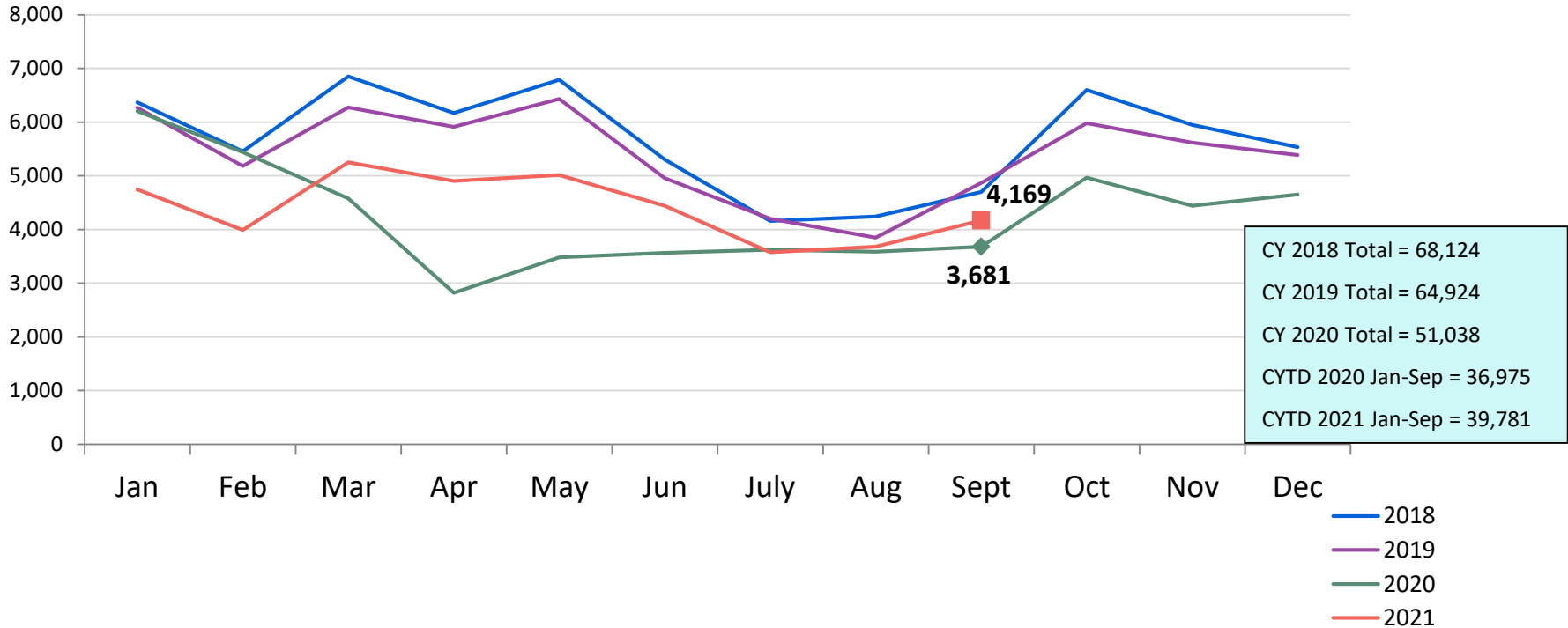
# REPORT

October 2021

Children Using Vouchers for Child Care  
January 2018 – September 2021 (End of Month)



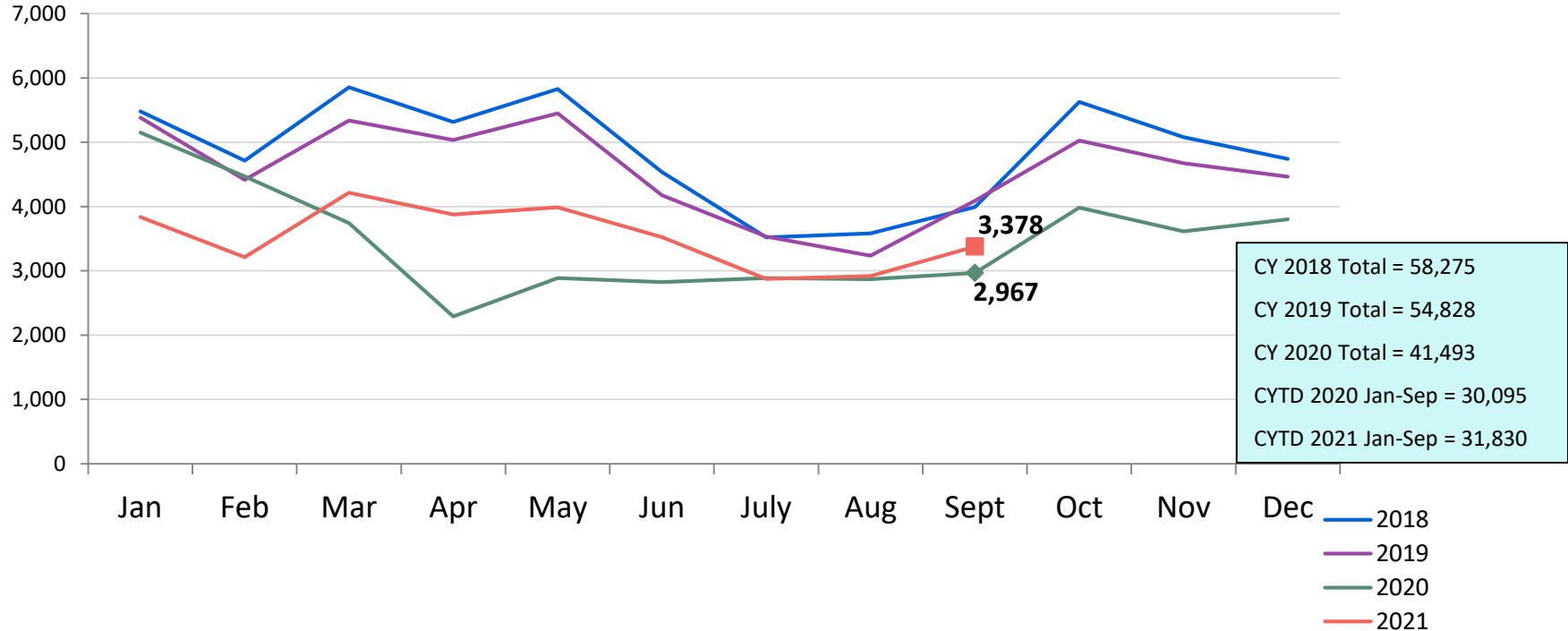
SCR Intakes  
January 2018 – September 2021



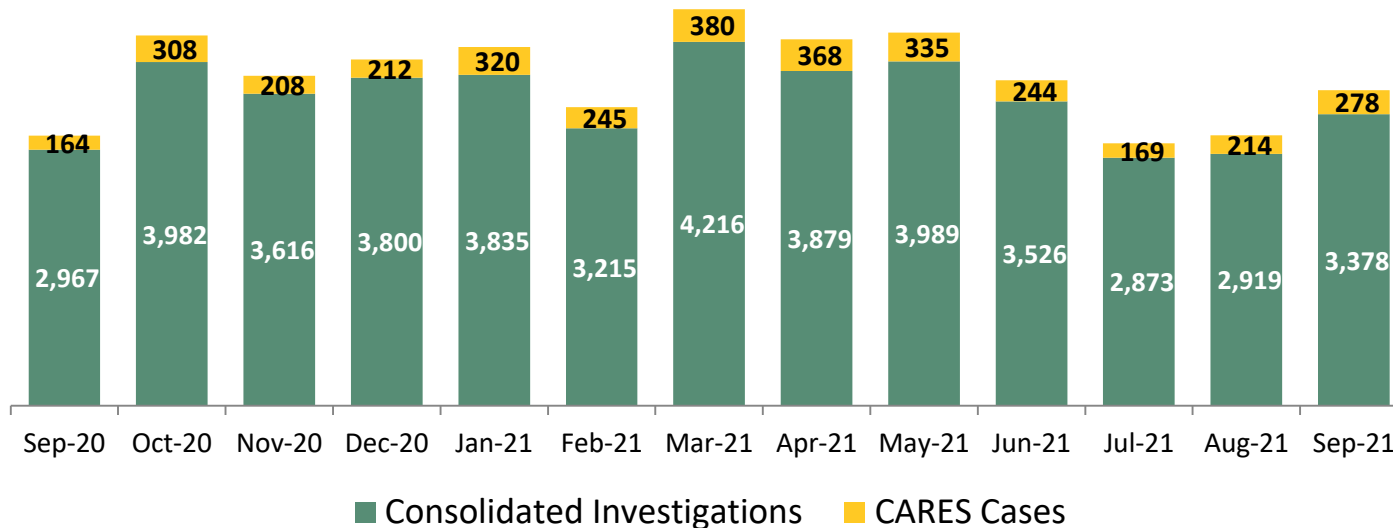
Note: SCR intakes can be followed by investigation or Collaborative Assessment Response.

See Pages 28 through 31 of the Appendix for supporting data.

SCR Consolidated Investigations  
January 2018 – September 2021



### Consolidated Investigations and CARES\* Cases September 2020 – September 2021



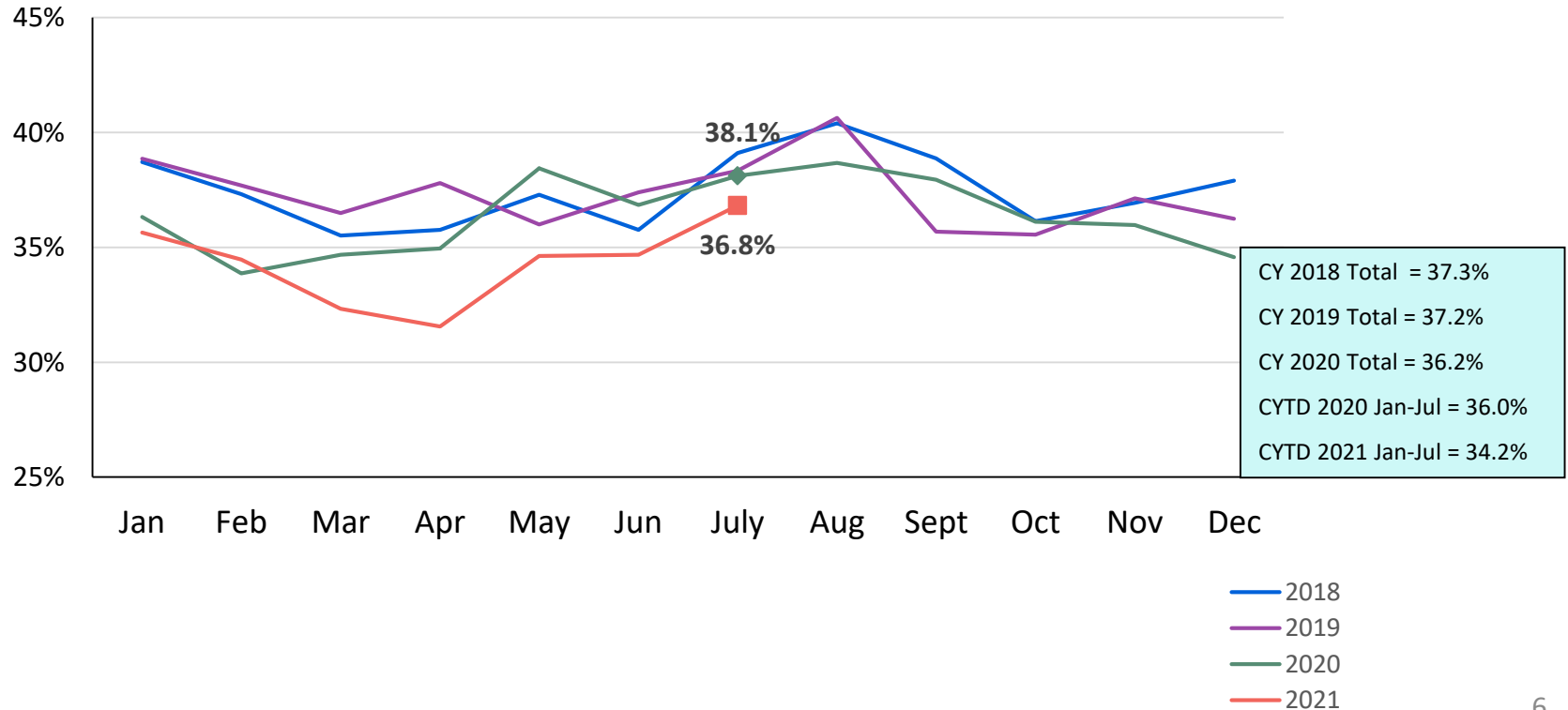
Calendar-Year-to-Date

Jan-Sep 2020	Jan-Sep 2021
1,615	2,553
30,095	31,830

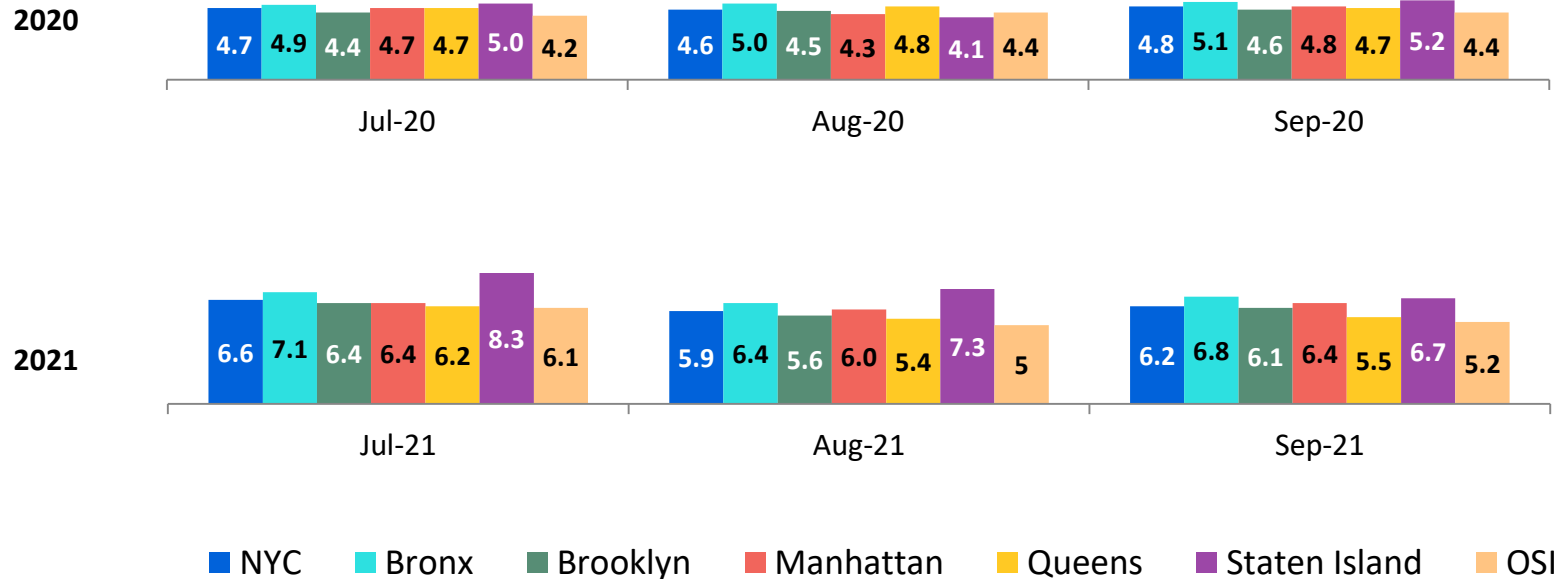
	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Sep 2021	CYTD Jan-Sep 2020	CYTD Jan-Sep 2021
Number of Investigations & CARES cases	3,131	4,290	3,824	4,012	4,155	3,460	4,596	4,247	4,324	3,770	3,042	3,133	3,656	<b>31,710</b>	<b>34,383</b>

\*CARES (Collaborative Assessment, Response, Engagement and Support, formerly known as FAR) is an alternative Child Protective response to some reports of child maltreatment. CARES does not require an investigation and determination of allegations and individual culpability for families reported to the SCR. It is an alternative approach to providing protection to children by engaging families in an assessment of child safety and of family needs, in finding solutions to family problems and in identifying informal and formal supports to meet their needs and increase their ability to care for their children.

Percent of Investigations that Found Some Credible Evidence of Abuse or Neglect  
January 2018 – July 2021

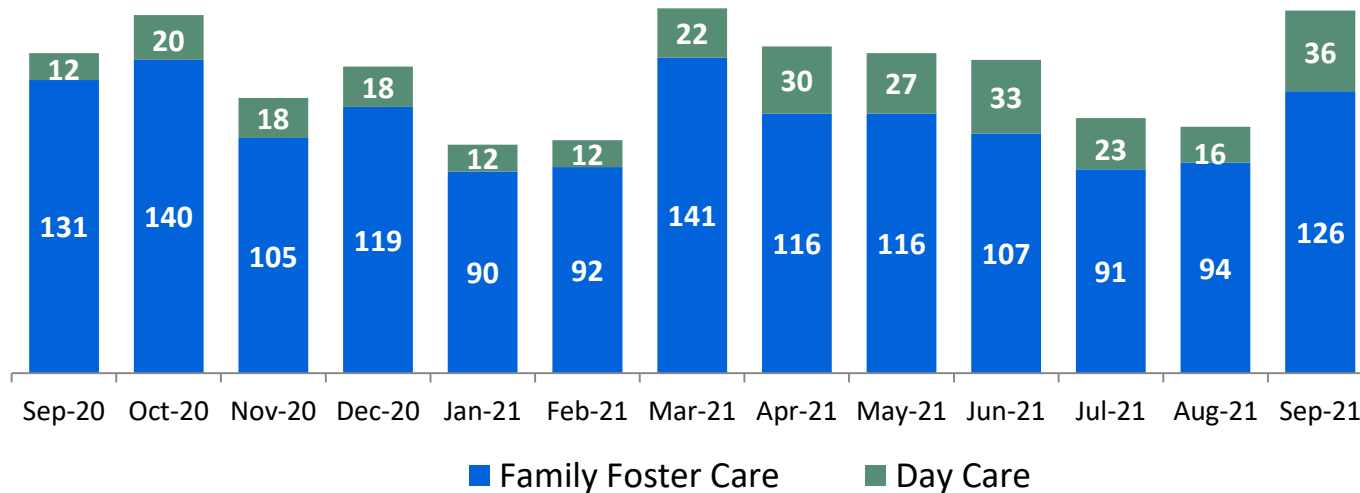


Average Child Protection Caseload\*  
 July 2020 – September 2020 and July 2021 – September 2021



\*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.

### OSI Family Foster Care and Day Care\* Investigations September 2020 – September 2021



Calendar-Year-to-Date

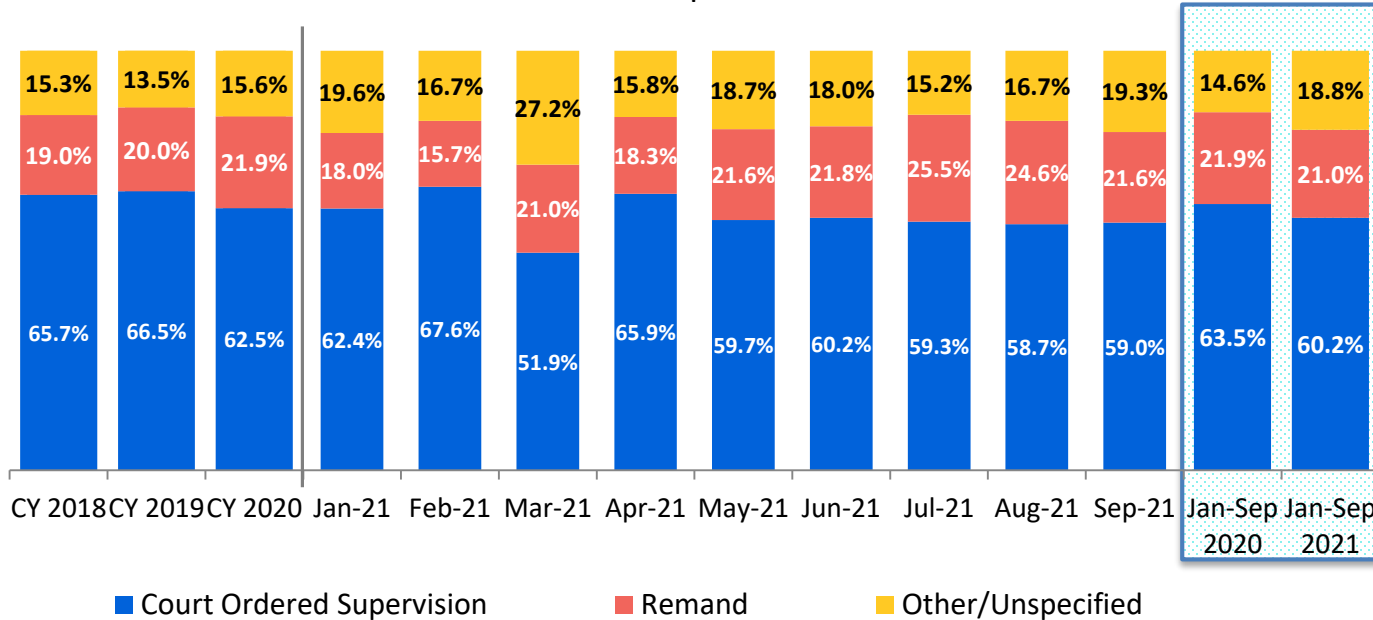
Jan-Sep 2020	Jan-Sep 2021
168	211
946	973

	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Sep 2021	CYTD Jan-Sep 2020	CYTD Jan-Sep 2021
Number of Investigations	143	160	123	137	102	104	163	146	143	140	114	110	162	1,114	1,184

\*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/DOE Early Care and Education programs.



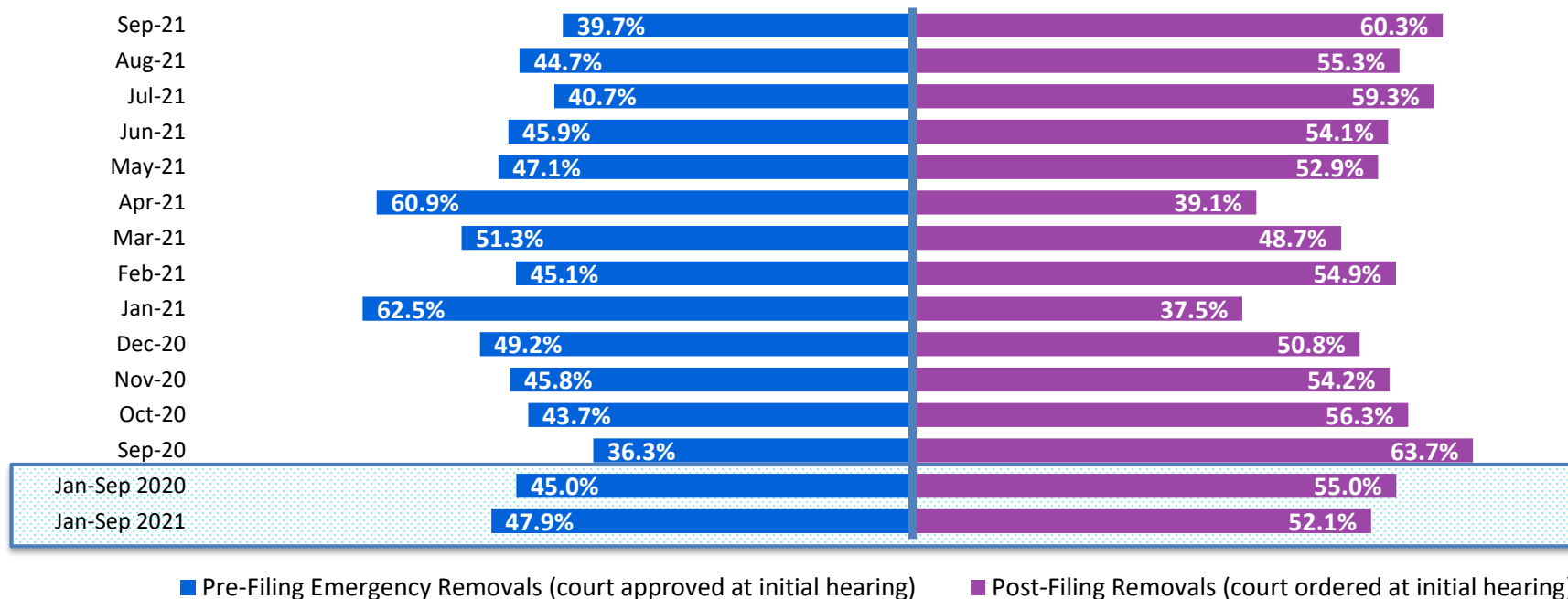
Article 10 Filings and Initial Hearing Outcomes, Children  
CY 2018 – September 2021



	CY 2018	CY 2019	CY 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Sep 2021	CYTD Jan-Sep 2020	CYTD Jan-Sep 2021
Children with Article 10 Filings	13,319	12,332	8,217	622	580	754	602	707	679	656	647	698	6,243	5,945

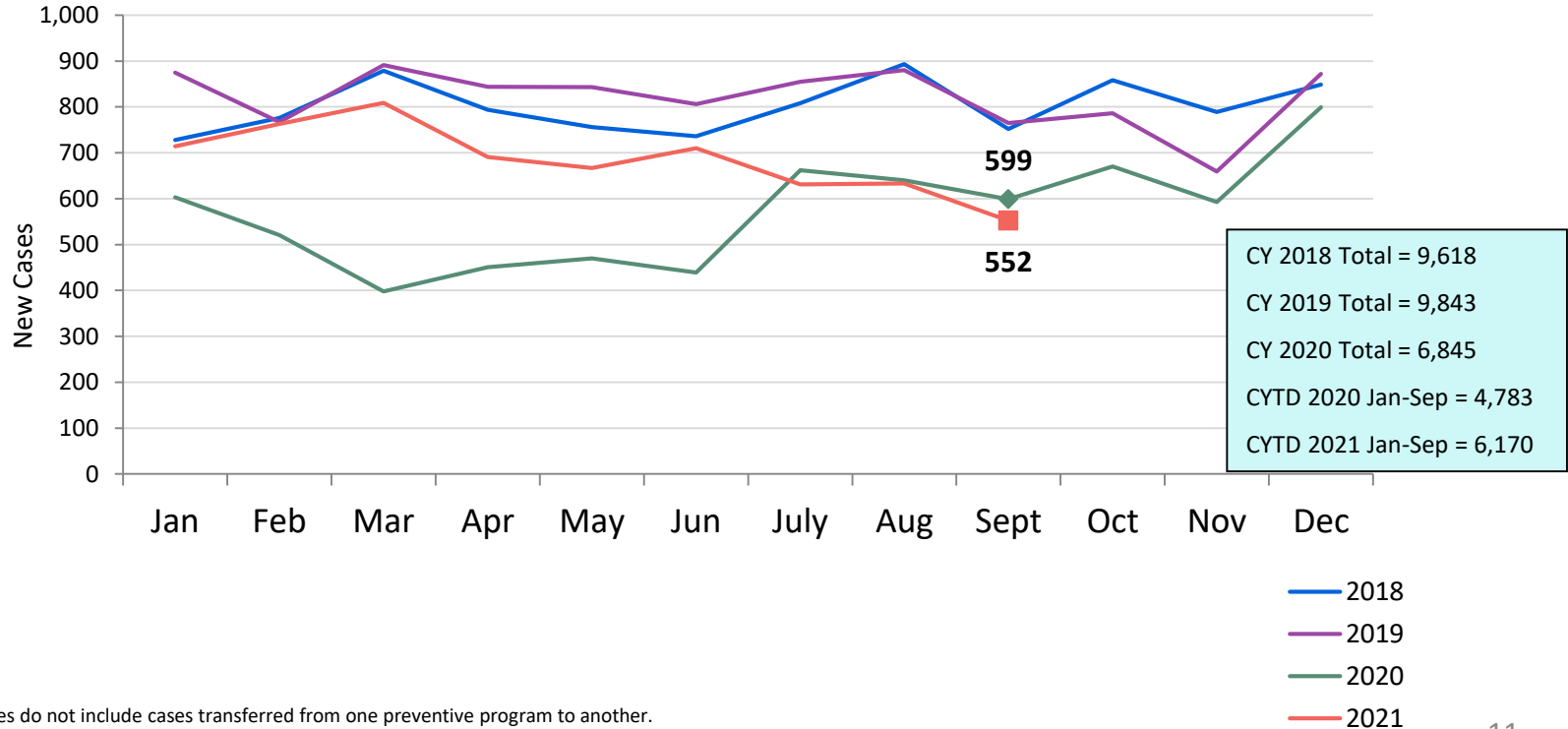
Note: The category "Other/Unspecified" includes released with no supervision, no order issued and no outcome specified.

### Remands Approved at Initial Article 10 Hearing by Removal Status September 2020 – September 2021



	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Sep 2021	CYTD Jan-Sep 2020	CYTD Jan-Sep 2021
Children Remanded	135	197	118	120	112	91	158	110	153	148	167	159	151	1,366	1,249

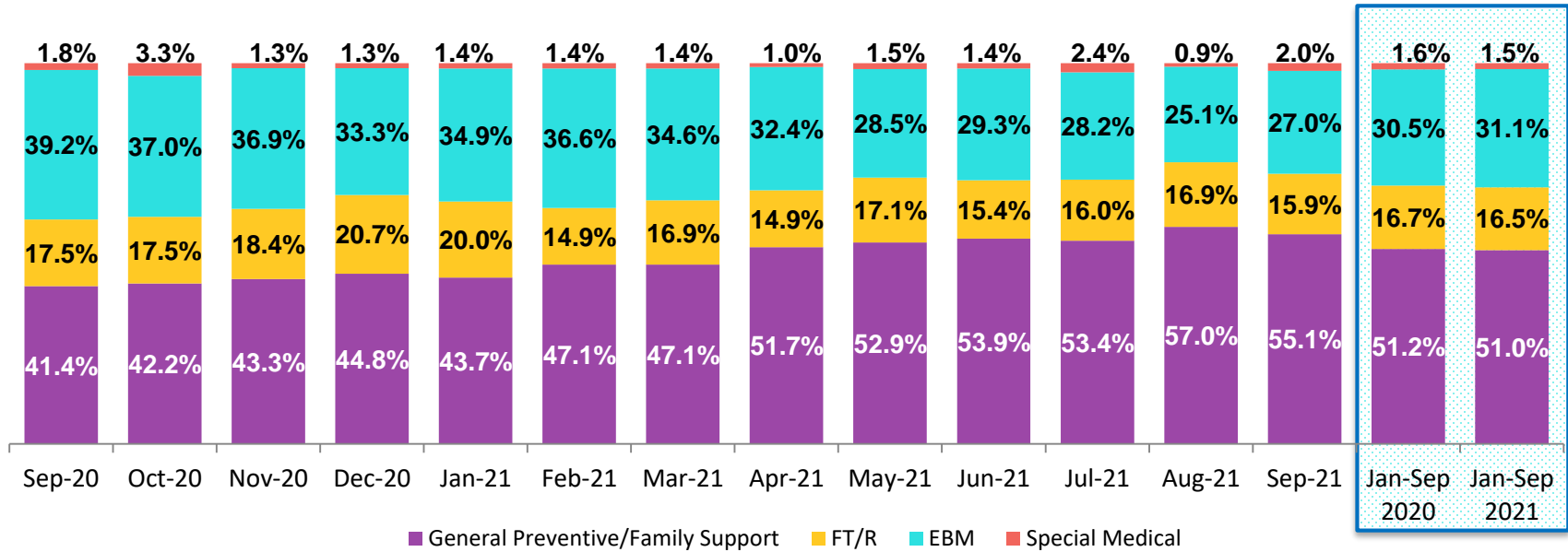
### New Child Welfare Prevention Cases January 2018 – September 2021



\*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.

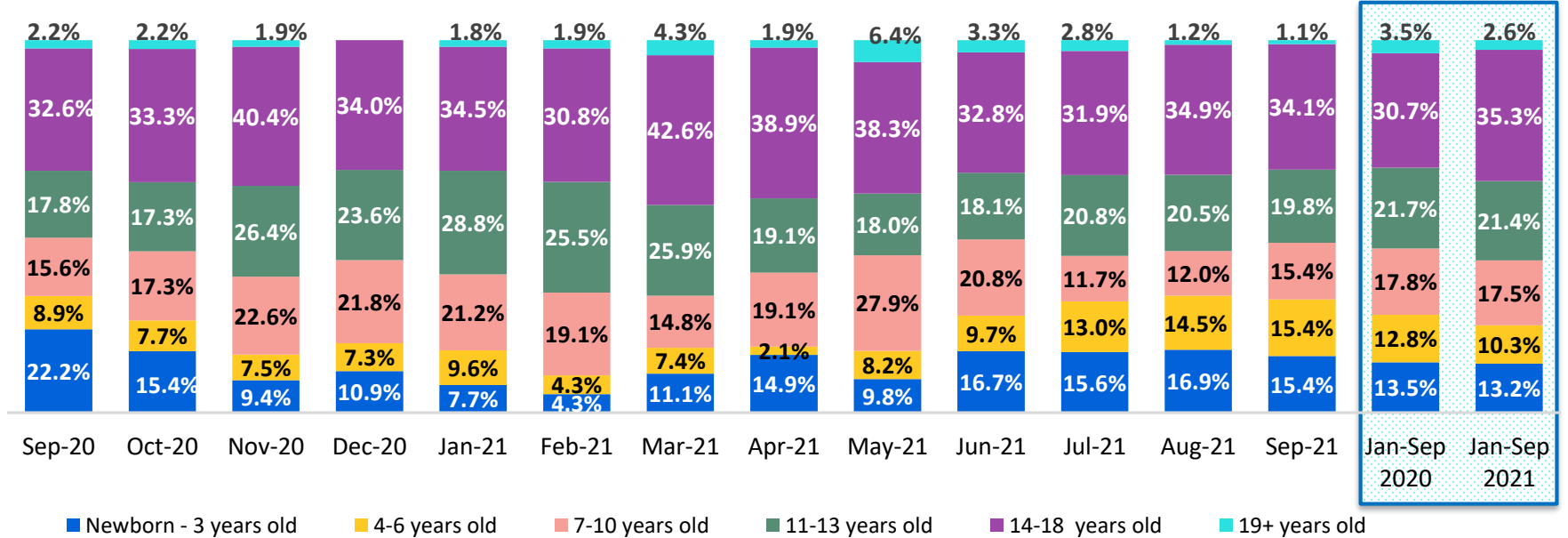
**New Child Welfare Prevention Cases by Program Type\*  
September 2020 – September 2021**



	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Sep 2021	CYTD Jan-Sep 2020	CYTD Jan-Sep 2021
Number of New Preventive Cases	599	670	593	799	714	763	809	691	667	710	631	633	552	<b>4,783</b>	<b>6,170</b>

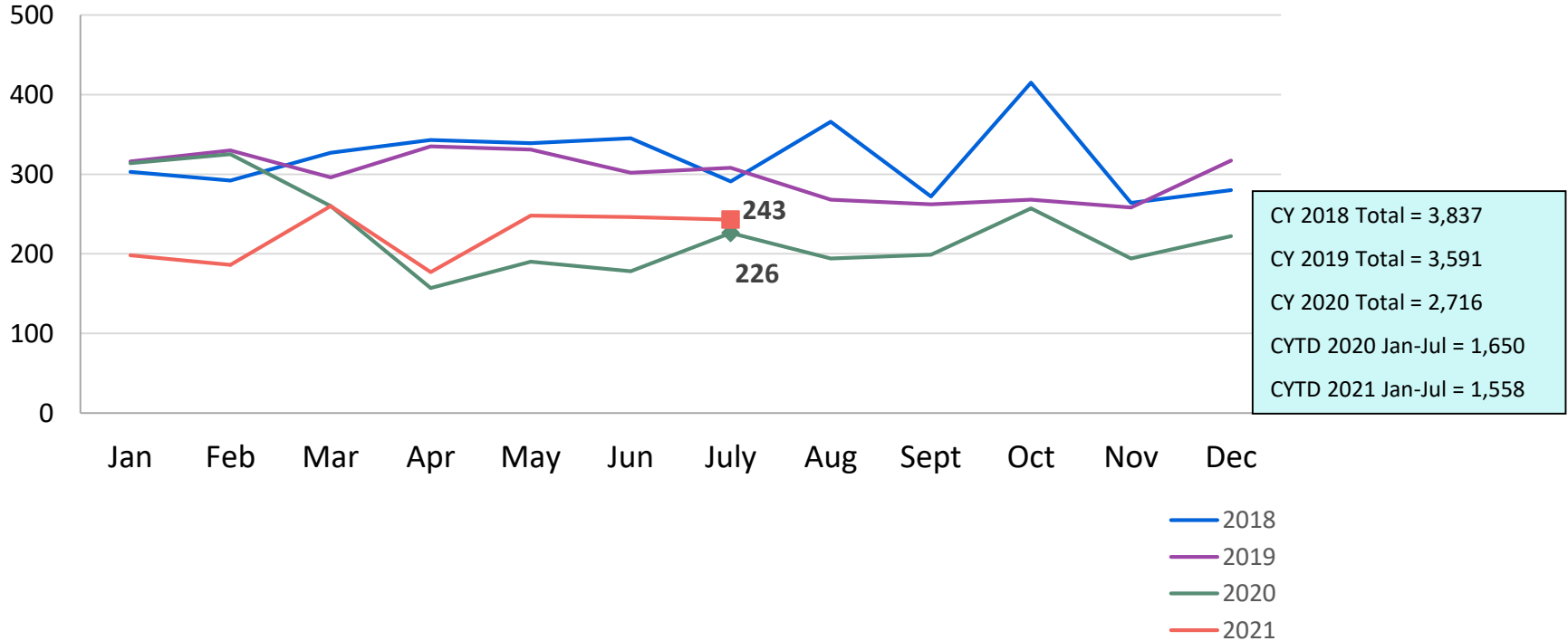
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Average Daily Children’s Center Population  
September 2020 – September 2021

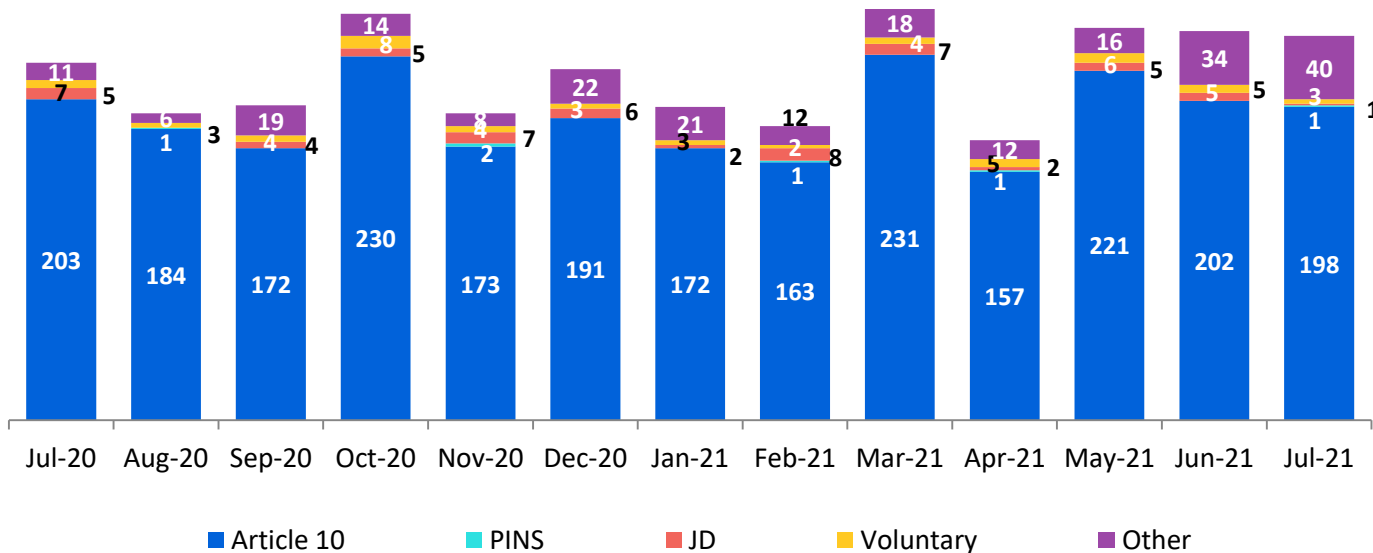


	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Sep 2021	CYTD Jan-Sep 2020	CYTD Jan-Sep 2021
Average Number of Children	45	52	53	55	52	47	54	47	61	72	77	83	91	53	65

New Placements of Children into Foster Care  
January 2018 – July 2021



Reason for New Placements of Children into Foster Care  
July 2020 – July 2021

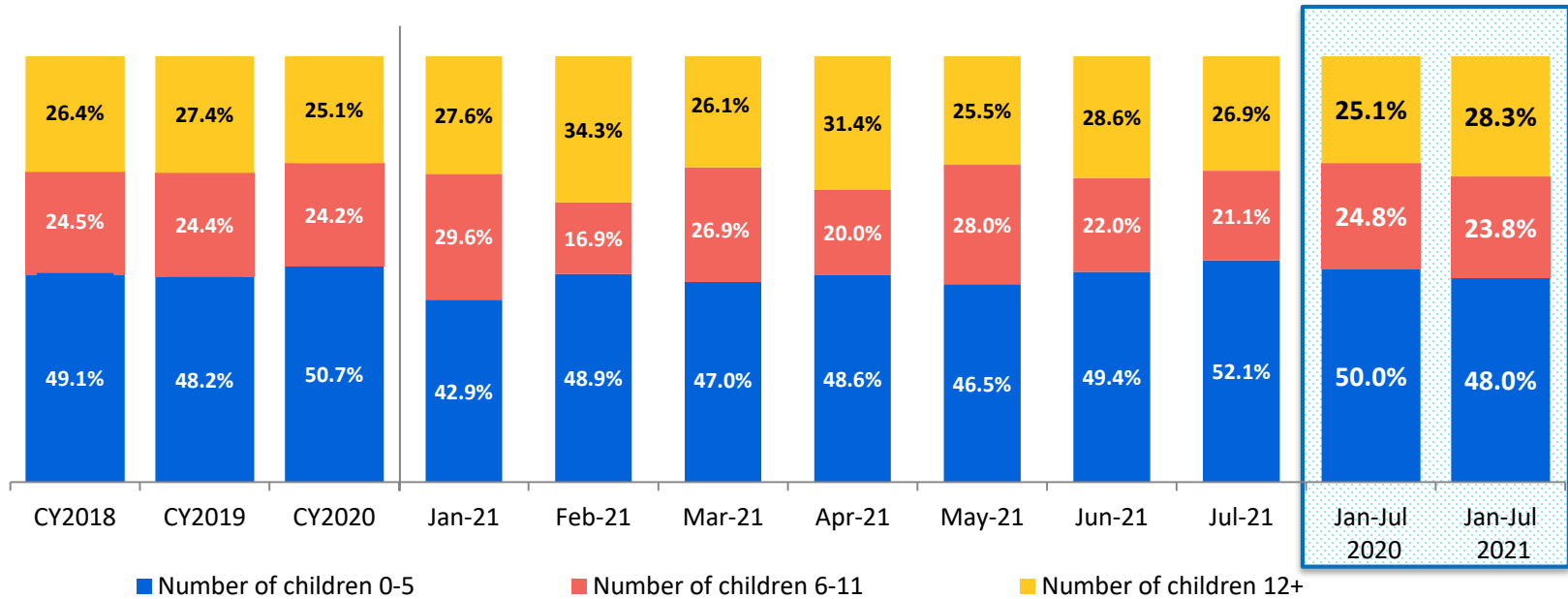


Calendar-Year-to-Date

Jan-Jul 2020	Jan-Jul 2021
96	153
30	28
51	30
16	3
1,457	1,344

	Jul 2020	Aug 2020	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	CYTD Jan-Jul 2020	CYTD Jan-Jul 2021
Number of Placements	226	194	199	257	194	222	198	186	260	177	248	246	243	1,650	1,558

New Placements of Children into Foster Care\* by Age  
CY 2018 – July 2021

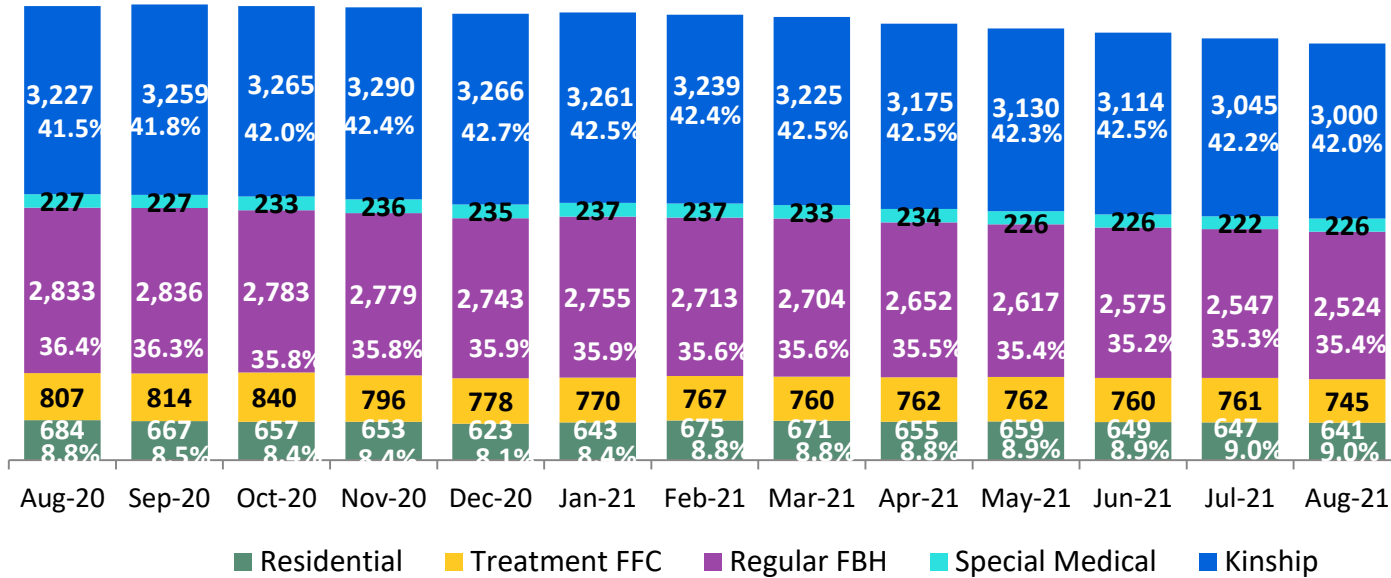


	CY 2018	CY 2019	CY 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	CYTD Jan-Jul 2020	CYTD Jan-Jul 2021
Number of Placements	3,743	3,497	2,643	196	178	253	175	243	241	242	<b>1,599</b>	<b>1,528</b>

\*Excludes CTH placements.



Children in Foster Care \*  
August 2020 – August 2021 (end of month)



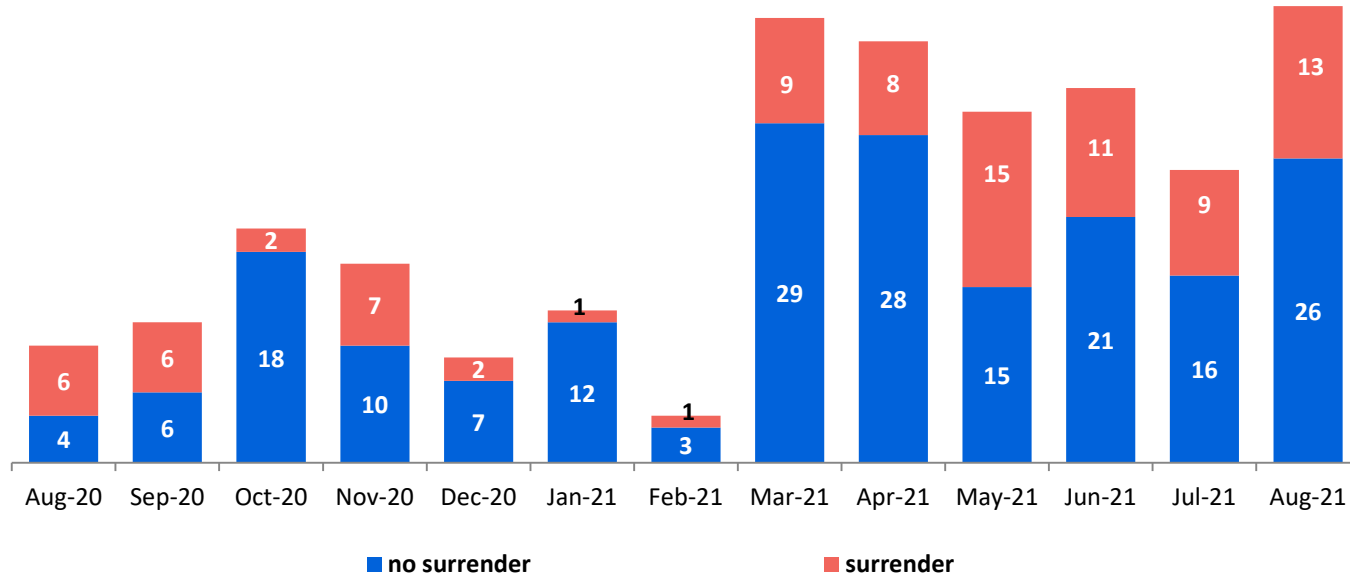
Calendar-Year-to-Date (Average)

Jan-Aug 2020	Jan-Aug 2021
3,151	3,149
219	230
2,896	2,636
812	761
691	655

	Aug 2020	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	CYTD Jan-Aug 2020	CYTD Jan-Aug 2021
Number in Foster Care	7,778	7,803	7,778	7,754	7,645	7,666	7,631	7,593	7,478	7,394	7,324	7,222	7,136	<b>7,770</b>	<b>7,431</b>

\*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  
August 2020 – August 2021

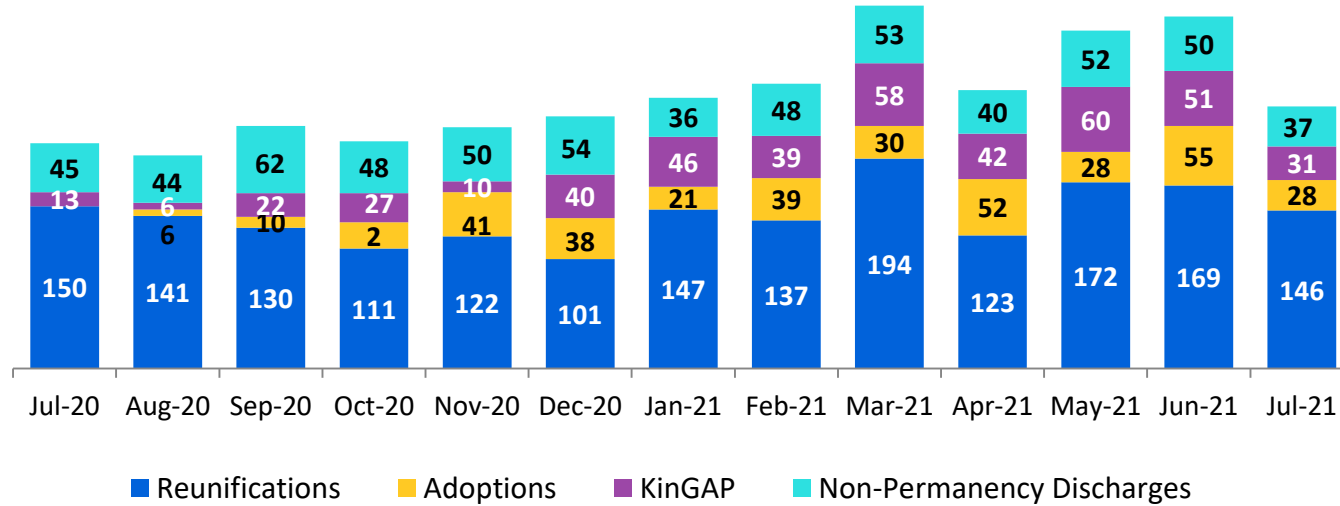


Calendar-Year-to-Date

Jan-Aug 2020	Jan-Aug 2021
54	67
101	150

	Aug 2020	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	CYTD Jan-Aug 2020	CYTD Jan-Aug 2021
Number Freed for Adoption	10	12	20	17	9	13	4	38	36	30	32	25	39	155	217

Permanency and Non-Permanency\* Discharges from Foster Care\*\*  
July 2020 – July 2021



Calendar-Year-to-Date

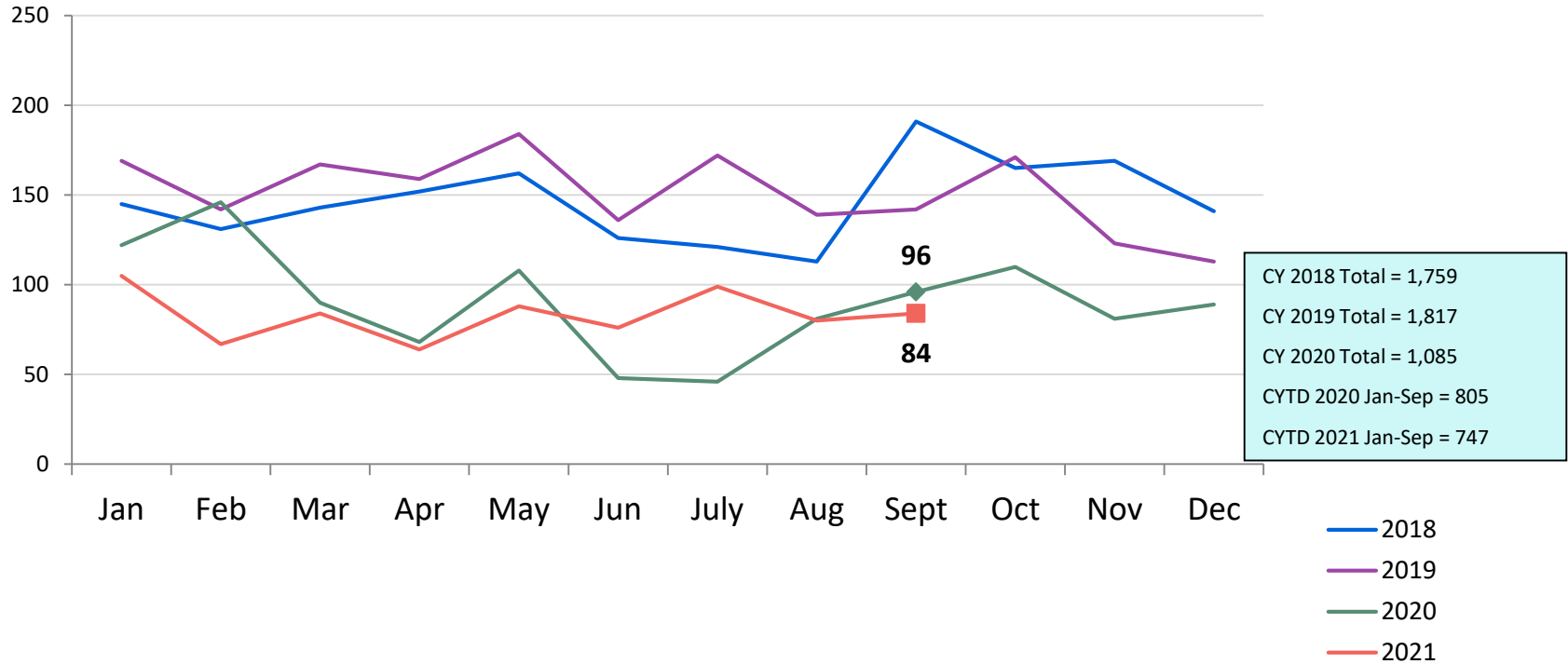
	Jan-Jul 2020	Jan-Jul 2021
Reunifications	934	1,088
Adoptions	123	253
KinGAP	110	327
Non-Permanency Discharges	326	316

	Jul 2020	Aug 2020	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	CYTD Jan-Jul 2020	CYTD Jan-Jul 2021
Number of Discharges	208	197	224	210	223	233	250	263	335	257	312	325	242	1,493	1,984

\*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.

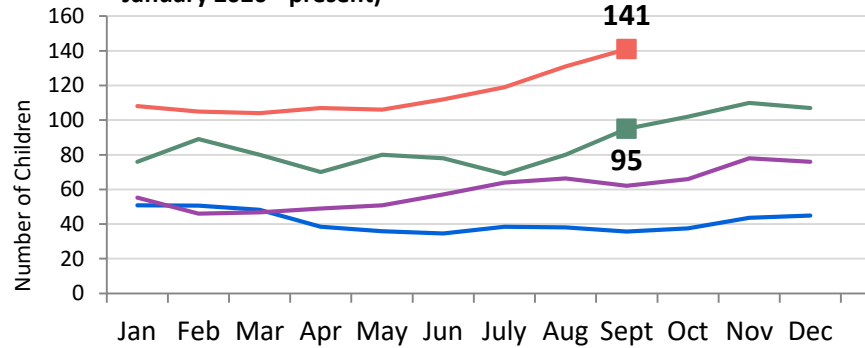
Total Monthly Admissions to Detention  
January 2018 – September 2021\*



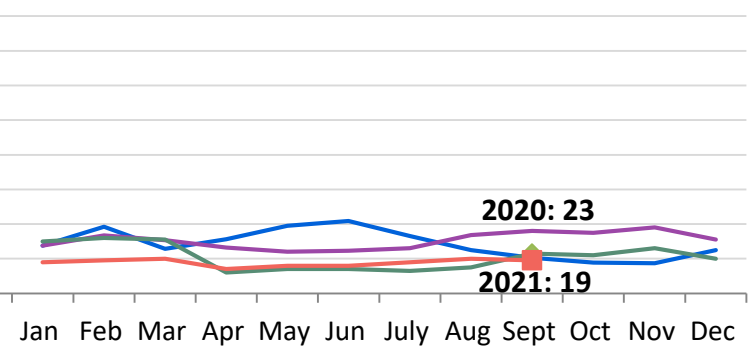
\*Beginning in September 2018 detention admissions include admissions to the Horizon Juvenile Facility of 16 and 17 year olds moved off Rikers Island and pre-Raise the Age 17 year olds.

Detention Monthly Average Daily Population  
January 2018 – September 2021\*

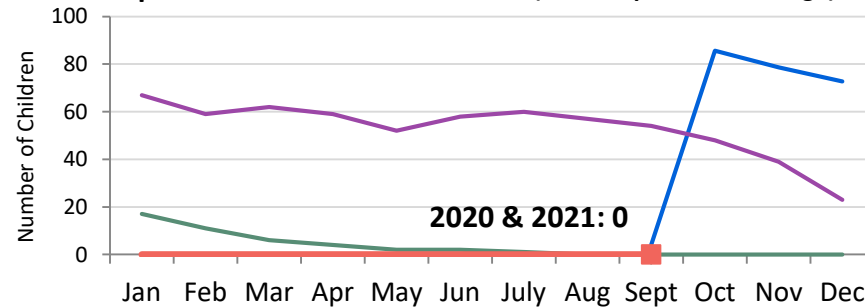
**Secure Detention and Specialized Secure Detention**  
(Crossroads and Horizon January 2017 – September 2018 and January 2020 - present)



**Non-Secure Detention**



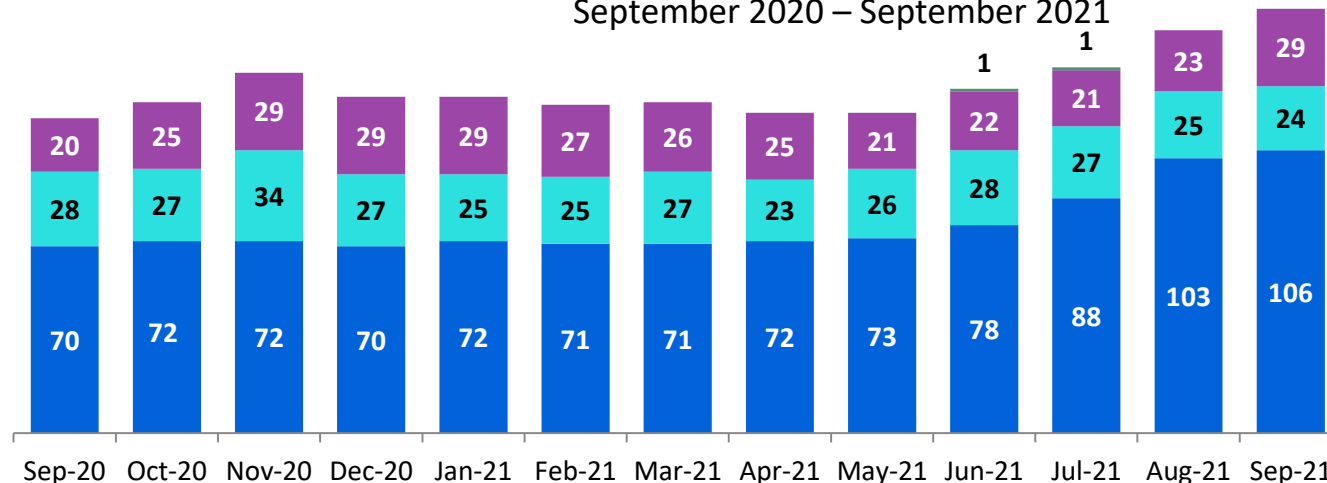
**Specialized Juvenile Detention (Horizon pre-Raise the Age)\***



	CYTD Jan-Sep 2020	CYTD Jan-Sep 2021
SD and SSD Horizon	79.6	114.8
Non-Secure Detention	20.5	17.7
Specialized Juvenile Detention	4.8	0.0

\*Beginning in September 2018 until August 2020 the Horizon Juvenile Facility was housing 16 and 17 year olds moved off Rikers Island and pre-Raise the Age 17 year olds.

### Detention Total Monthly Average Daily Population by Case Type\* September 2020 – September 2021



#### Calendar-Year-to-Date

Jan-Sep 2020	Jan-Sep 2021
0.2	0.4
4.8	0
20.0	24.8
27.2	25.6
52.8	81.7

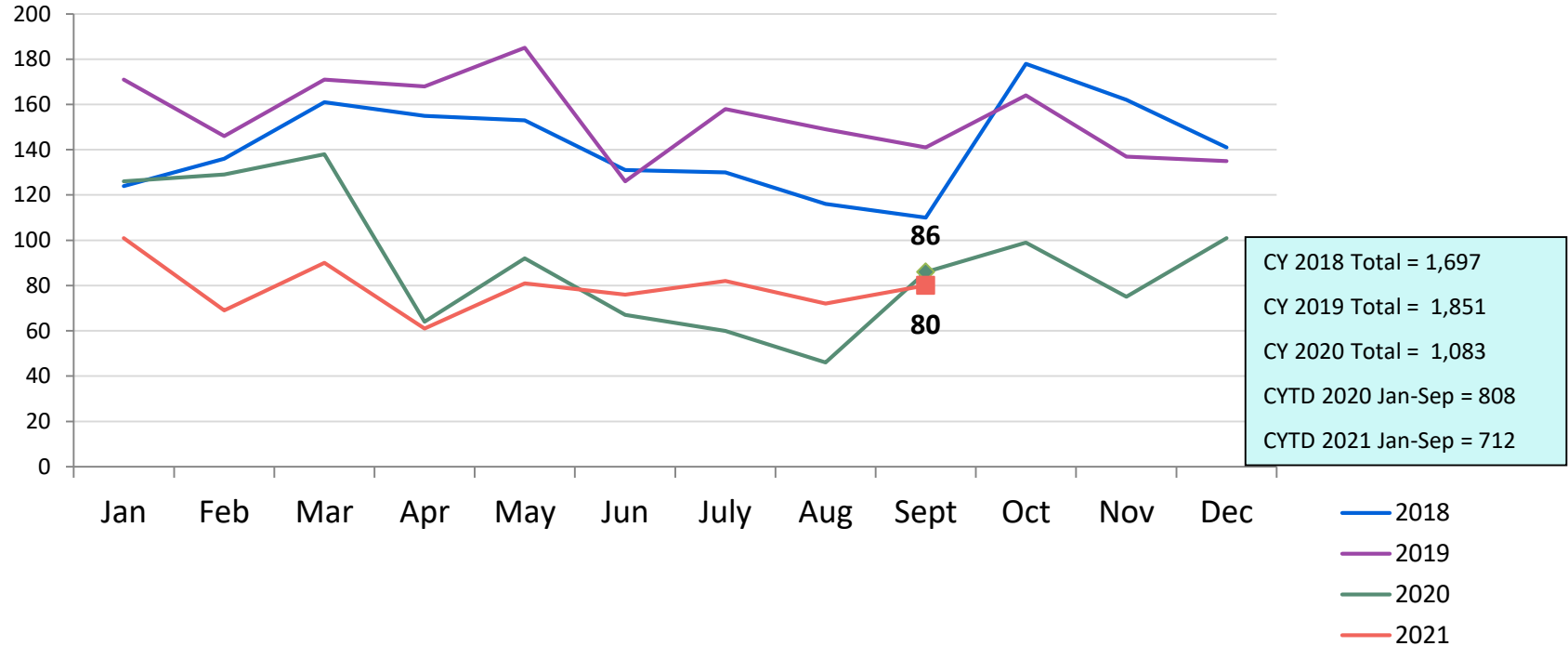
■ Adolescent Offender  
 ■ Juvenile Delinquent  
 ■ Juvenile Offender  
 ■ Pre-Raise the Age  
 ■ Other

#### Total Average Daily Population

Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Sep 2021	CYTD Jan-Sep 2020	CYTD Jan-Sep 2021
118	124	136	127	127	123	124	120	121	129	137	151	159	105.0	132.5

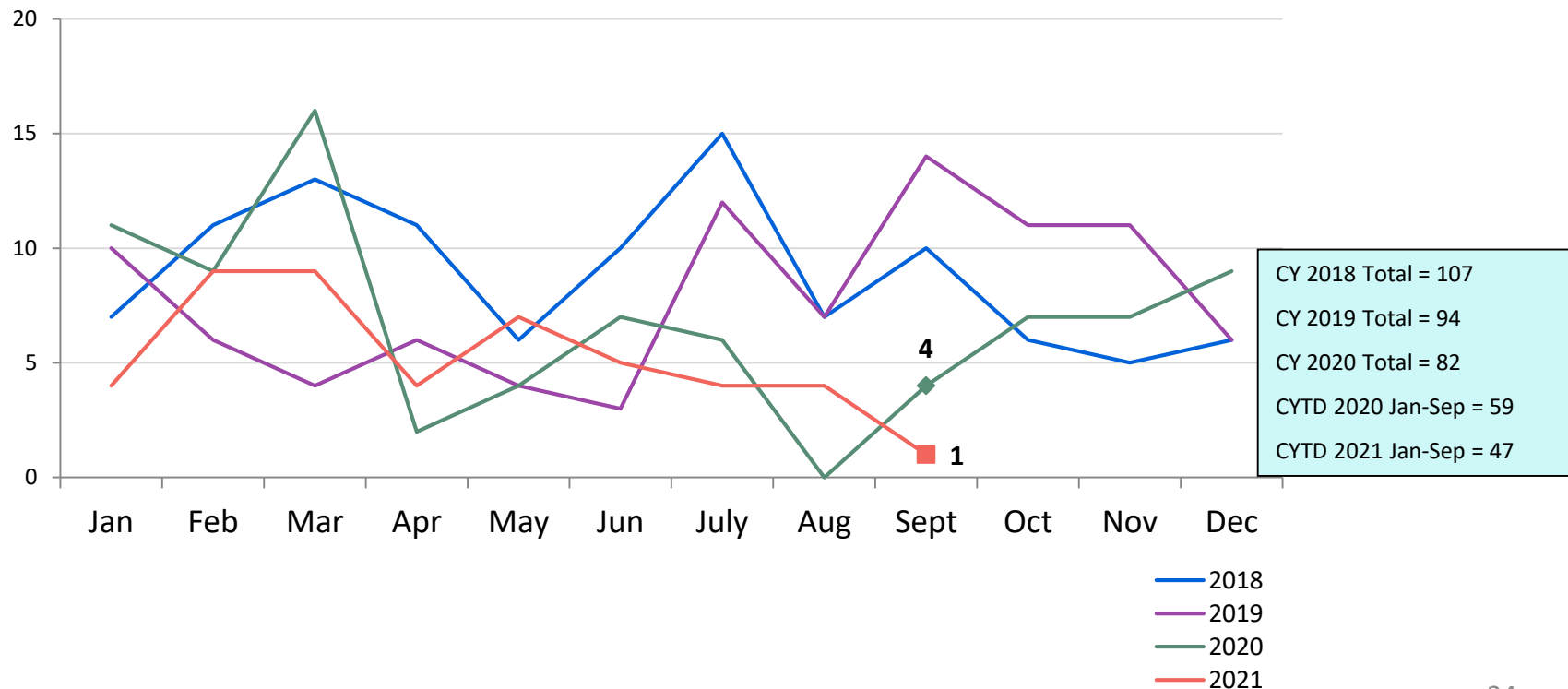
\*Case Type definitions: Adolescent Offender (AO) is a person 16 years of age charged with a felony on or after 10/1/18 and a person 17 years of age charged with a felony on or after 10/1/19; Juvenile Delinquent (JD) is a person 7-15 years of age who has committed an act which would be considered a crime if the person were old enough and capable of being treated as an adult. Sixteen year olds charged with a misdemeanor (except those charged under NYS Vehicle and Traffic Law) on or after 10/1/18 and 17 year olds charged on or after 10/1/19 are also JDs.; Juvenile Offender (JO) a person 13-15 years of age with a serious violent felony charge; Pre-Raise the Age is a person who was 16 or 17 years old when transferred off Rikers Island 10/1/18 and 17 year olds charged with crimes 10/1/18- 9/30/19; and Other case type includes youth detained for other authorities and ACS warrants.

Total Monthly Releases from Detention  
January 2018 – September 2021\*



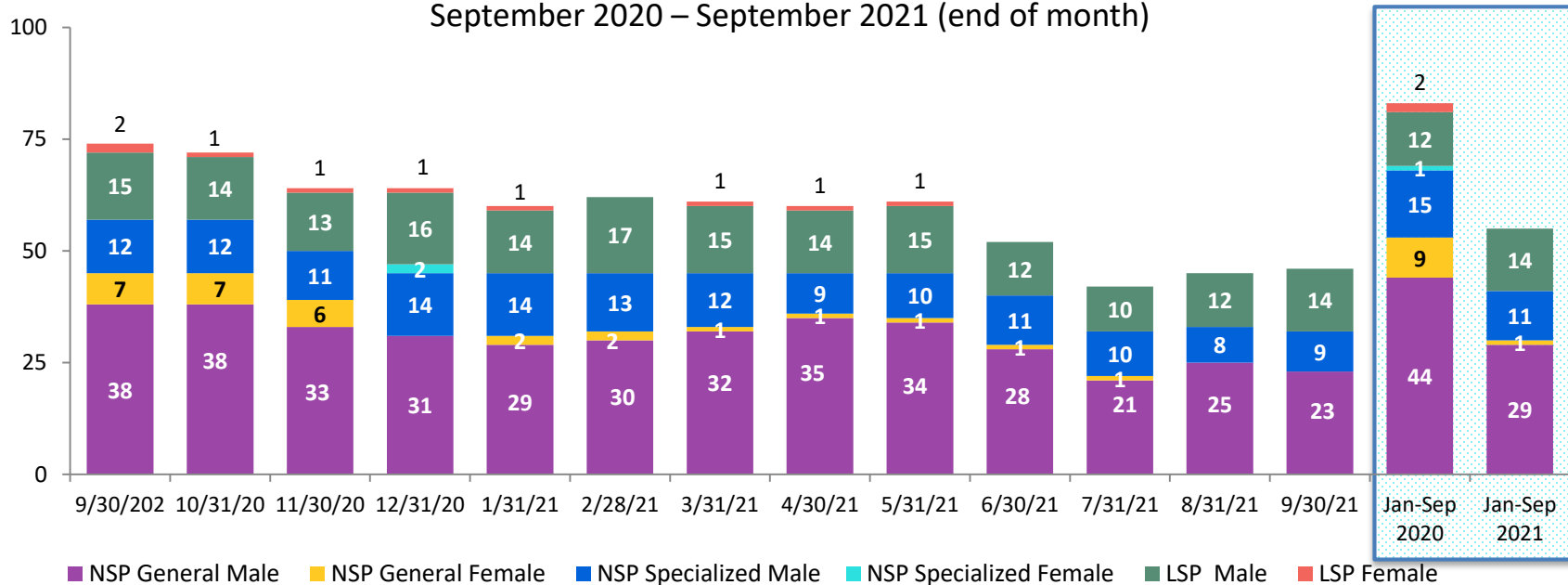
\*Beginning in October 2018 detention releases include releases from the Horizon Juvenile Facility of 16 and 17 year olds moved off Rikers Island and pre-Raise the Age 17 year olds.

Close to Home Admissions  
January 2018 – September 2021



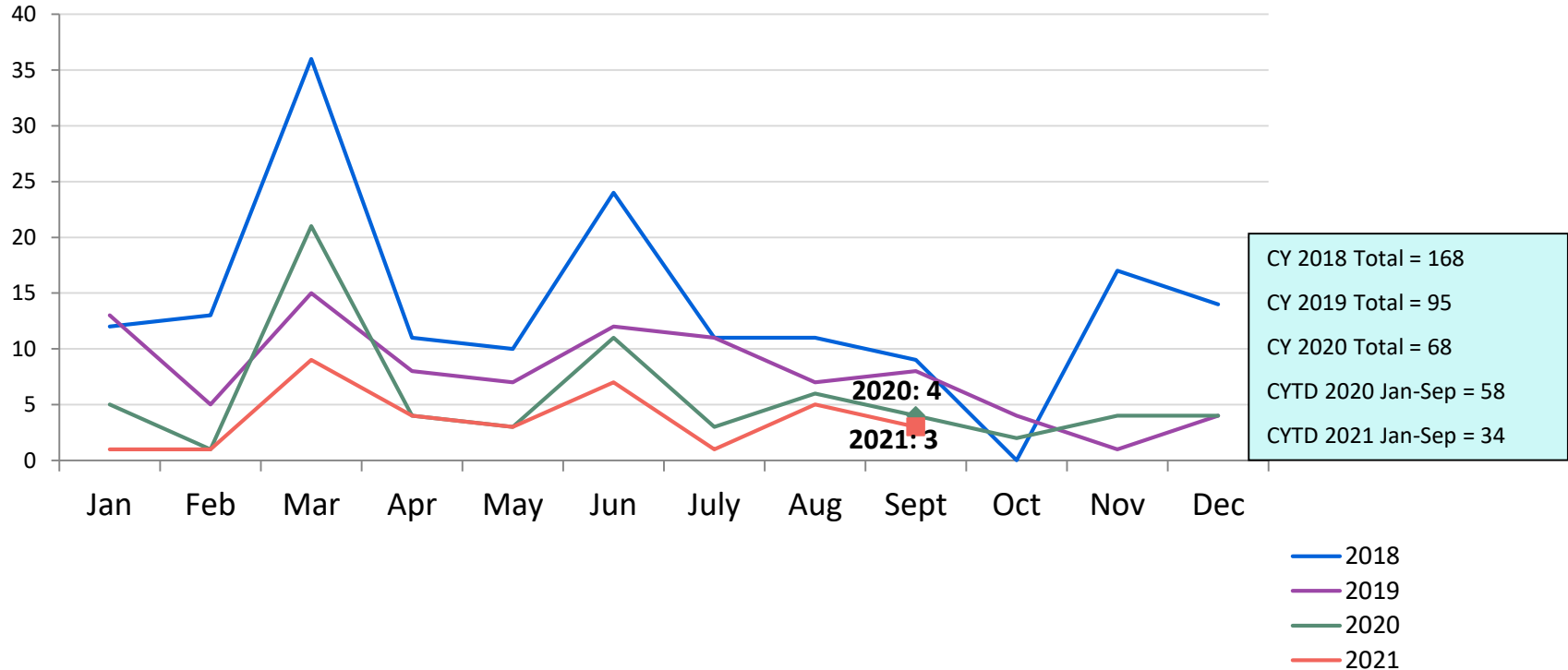


CTH Placement, in 24-hour Care  
September 2020 – September 2021 (end of month)

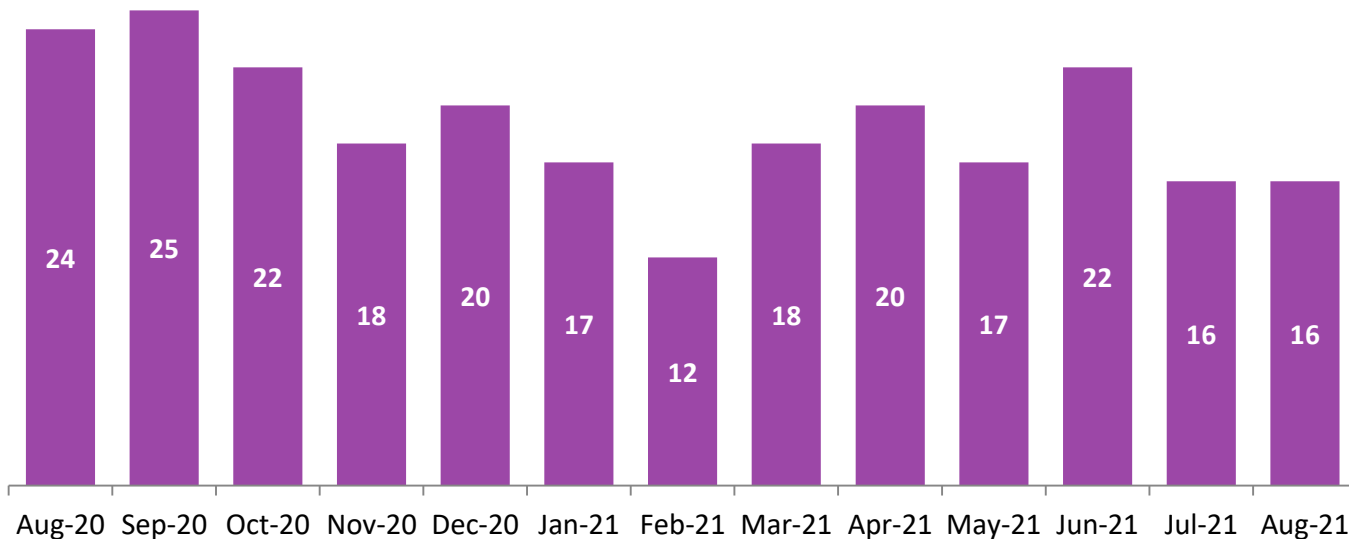


Number in Placement															Monthly Average CYTD Jan-Sep 2020	Monthly Average CYTD Jan-Sep 2021
	9/30/20	10/31/20	11/30/20	12/31/20	1/31/21	2/28/21	3/31/21	4/30/21	5/31/21	6/30/21	7/31/21	8/31/21	9/30/21			
NSP	57	57	50	47	45	45	45	45	45	40	32	33	32	68	40	
LSP	17	15	14	17	15	17	16	15	16	12	10	12	14	13	14	

Releases from Close to Home Placement to Aftercare  
January 2018 – September 2021



CTH Aftercare Census  
August 2020 – August 2021

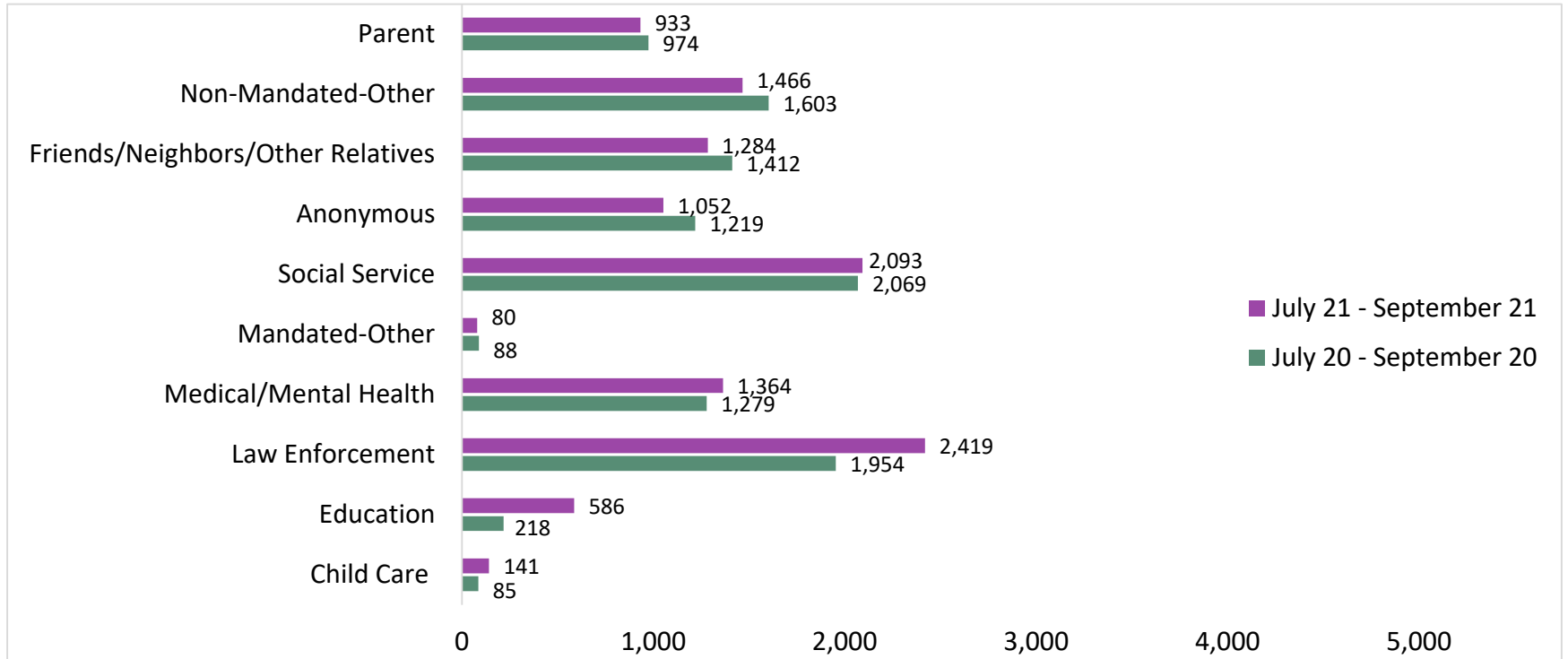


Calendar-Year-to-Date Average

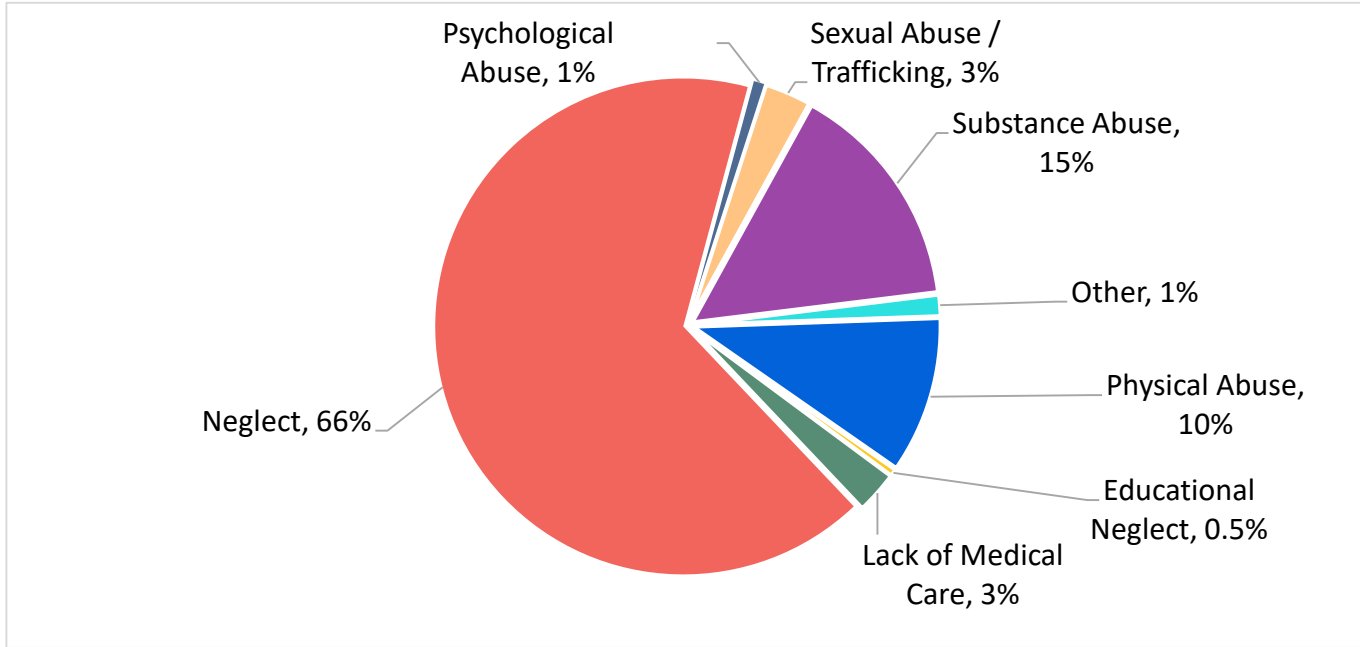
CYTD Jan-Aug 2020	CYTD Jan-Aug 2021
36	17

**Appendix**

**Figure 1: SCR Intakes by Reporter Group, July 20 - September 20 and July 21 - September 21**



**Figure 2: SCR Allegations  
July 21 - September 21**



Total Allegations = 27,407

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/Trafficking – sexual abuse, sex trafficking; Substance Abuse - parental drug use, child drug use; and Other -abandonment, inappropriate custodial conduct, labor trafficking.

**Figure 3: SCR Investigations by Borough**  
 July 20 - September 20 and July 21 - September 21

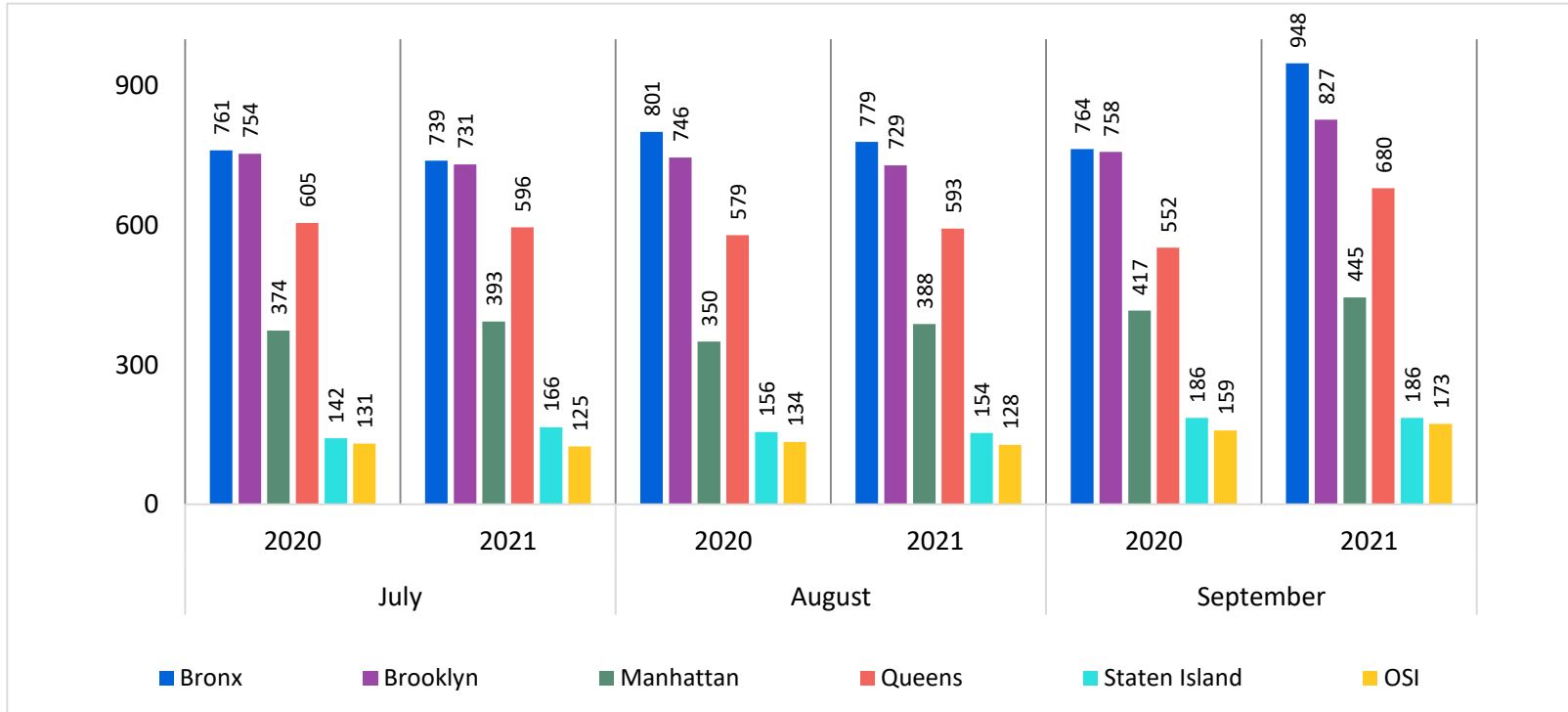


Table 1: SCR Investigations Changes by Borough  
July 20 - September 20 and July 21 - September 21

Month	Year	Bronx	Brooklyn	Manhattan	Queens	Staten Island	OSI	Other	Total
July	2020	761	754	374	605	142	131	124	2,891
	2021	739	731	393	596	166	125	123	2,873
	% Change	-2.9%	-3.1%	5.1%	-1.5%	16.9%	-4.6%	-0.8%	-0.6%
August	2020	801	746	350	579	156	134	110	2,876
	2021	779	729	388	593	154	128	148	2,919
	% Change	-2.7%	-2.3%	10.9%	2.4%	-1.3%	-4.5%	34.5%	1.5%
September	2020	764	758	417	552	186	159	131	2,967
	2021	948	827	445	680	186	173	119	3,378
	% Change	24.1%	9.1%	6.7%	23.2%	0.0%	8.8%	-9.2%	13.9%
Total	2020	2,326	2,258	1,141	1,736	484	424	365	8,734
	2021	2,466	2,287	1,226	1,869	506	426	390	9,170
	% Change	6.0%	1.3%	7.4%	7.7%	4.5%	0.5%	6.8%	5.0%

Table 2: Child Welfare Prevention Cases: New and Closed  
January 2019 – September 2021

Year	Month	New Cases	Closed Cases
2019	Jan-19	875	708
	Feb-19	767	726
	Mar-19	891	856
	Apr-19	844	802
	May-19	843	864
	Jun-19	806	841
	Jul-19	855	963
	Aug-19	880	929
	Sep-19	765	759
	Oct-19	786	875
	Nov-19	659	755
	Dec-19	872	745
2020	Jan-20	603	790
	Feb-20	521	871
	Mar-20	398	1,467
	Apr-20	451	1,369
	May-20	470	2,131
	Jun-20	439	2,389
	Jul-20	662	643
	Aug-20	640	500
	Sep-20	599	431
	Oct-20	670	405
	Nov-20	593	365
	Dec-20	799	448
2021	Jan-21	714	357
	Feb-21	763	397
	Mar-21	809	556
	Apr-21	691	605
	May-21	667	645
	Jun-21	710	711
	Jul-21	631	783
	Aug-21	633	764
	Sep-21	552	737



**Table 3: Referrals to Child Welfare Prevention Services by Source  
January 2019 - September 2021**

Year	Month	Total Referrals	DCP	FC Agencies	PPRS Transfer	School	Self	Other Sources*
2019	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	1,292	72.4%	1.2%	10.4%	1.5%	4.4%	10.1%
	Apr-19	1,299	76.9%	1.5%	7.5%	2.8%	3.8%	7.4%
	May-19	1,312	80.0%	1.1%	7.9%	1.8%	3.2%	6.1%
	Jun-19	1,169	82.5%	1.4%	7.4%	0.7%	2.7%	5.3%
	Jul-19	1,322	81.3%	0.9%	7.1%	0.8%	4.5%	5.4%
	Aug-19	1,239	77.4%	1.9%	7.4%	0.7%	5.9%	6.6%
	Sep-19	1,157	77.4%	1.4%	10.2%	1.0%	3.5%	6.4%
	Oct-19	1,242	72.1%	1.4%	11.4%	1.5%	4.4%	9.1%
	Nov-19	990	68.9%	1.6%	11.2%	2.6%	6.0%	9.7%
	Dec-19	1,250	73.2%	1.5%	9.2%	1.8%	6.5%	7.8%
2020	Jan-20	962	79.8%	1.6%	6.4%	1.1%	4.4%	6.7%
	Feb-20	855	85.7%	1.2%	7.0%	0.2%	2.1%	3.7%
	Mar-20	701	78.9%	0.9%	16.5%	0.3%	1.0%	2.4%
	Apr-20	887	66.6%	0.7%	29.0%	0.3%	0.8%	2.6%
	May-20	882	65.0%	1.0%	28.5%	0.8%	1.4%	3.4%
	Jun-20	998	59.6%	0.9%	36.2%	0.6%	0.7%	2.0%
	Jul-20	1,289	66.0%	0.7%	30.6%	0.2%	1.2%	1.3%
	Aug-20	957	79.6%	1.8%	14.2%	0.2%	2.0%	2.2%
	Sep-20	822	82.5%	2.2%	10.1%	0.4%	2.1%	2.8%
	Oct-20	899	84.4%	1.6%	7.9%	0.9%	3.1%	2.1%
	Nov-20	831	84.2%	2.2%	6.4%	2.0%	2.5%	2.6%
	Dec-20	1,012	82.3%	1.5%	7.8%	2.2%	3.4%	2.9%
2021	Jan-21	1,002	84.9%	1.4%	5.8%	1.9%	2.6%	3.4%
	Feb-21	1,083	85.4%	1.8%	6.6%	1.4%	1.9%	2.9%
	Mar-21	1,121	83.9%	0.6%	8.0%	2.1%	3.1%	2.3%
	Apr-21	969	83.1%	0.9%	10.2%	1.0%	1.7%	3.1%
	May-21	1,105	71.1%	1.3%	20.8%	1.5%	1.3%	4.0%
	Jun-21	1,028	83.9%	1.6%	6.2%	2.3%	2.7%	3.3%
	Jul-21	907	82.5%	2.5%	10.4%	0.8%	1.8%	2.1%
	Aug-21	987	79.3%	2.7%	12.6%	0.5%	2.4%	2.4%
	Sep-21	823	83.4%	1.7%	10.6%	0.0%	2.3%	2.1%

Note: Data includes all referrals – accepted and rejected

\*Other Community Sources includes the Department of Homeless Services, Family Court, FAP, Hospitals and Medical facilities, the NYC Housing Authority, Probation, and Sponsor Agencies.