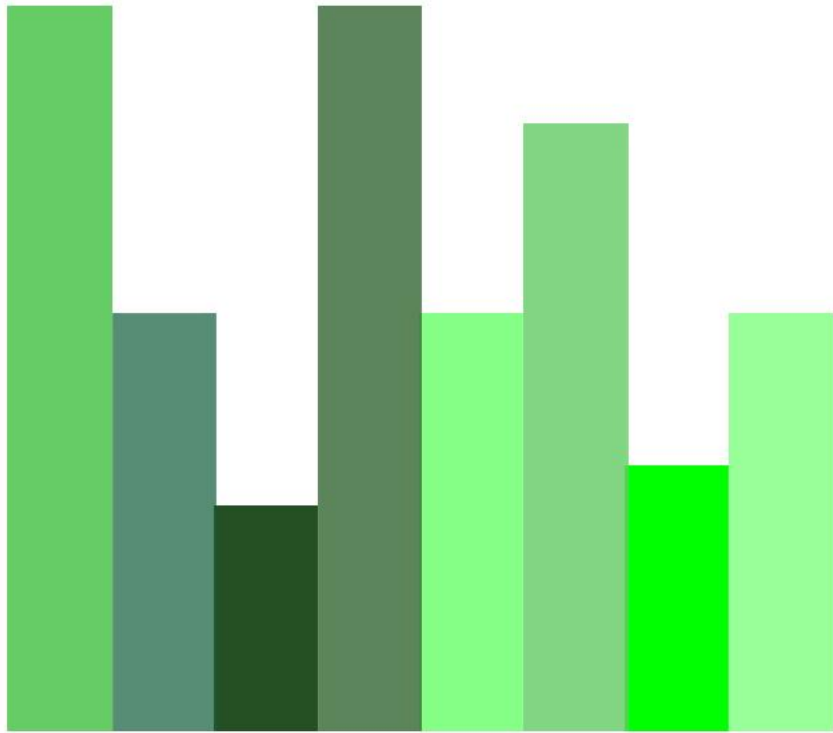


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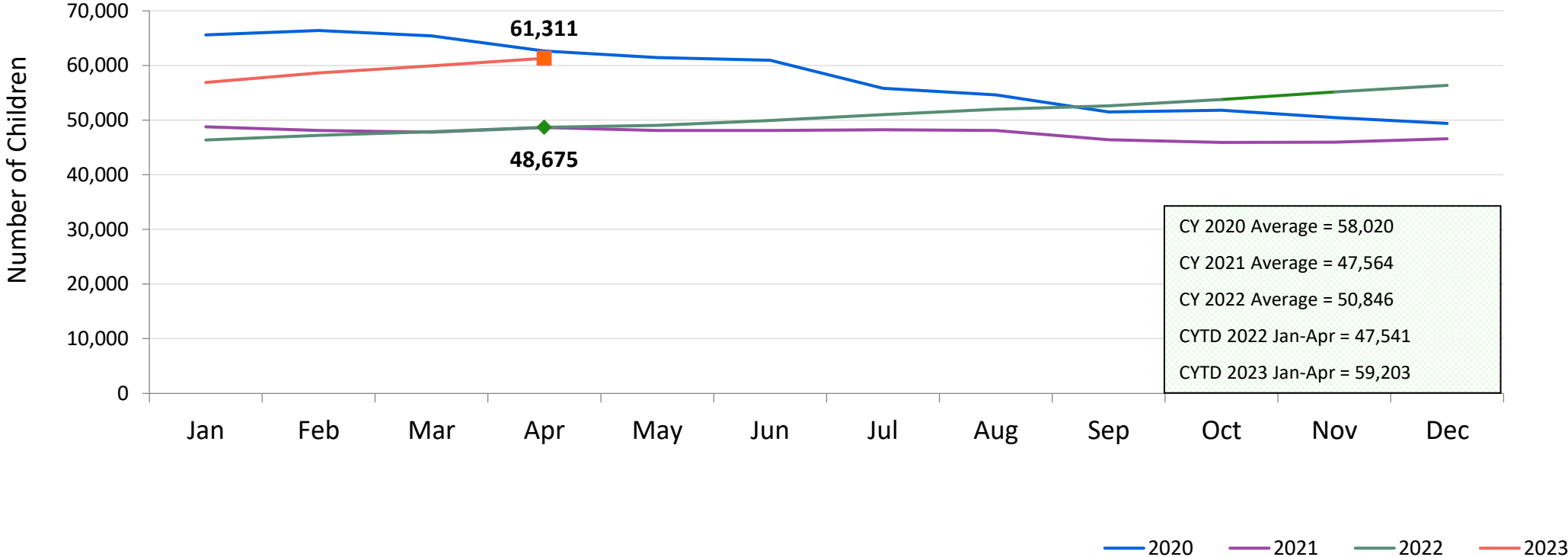
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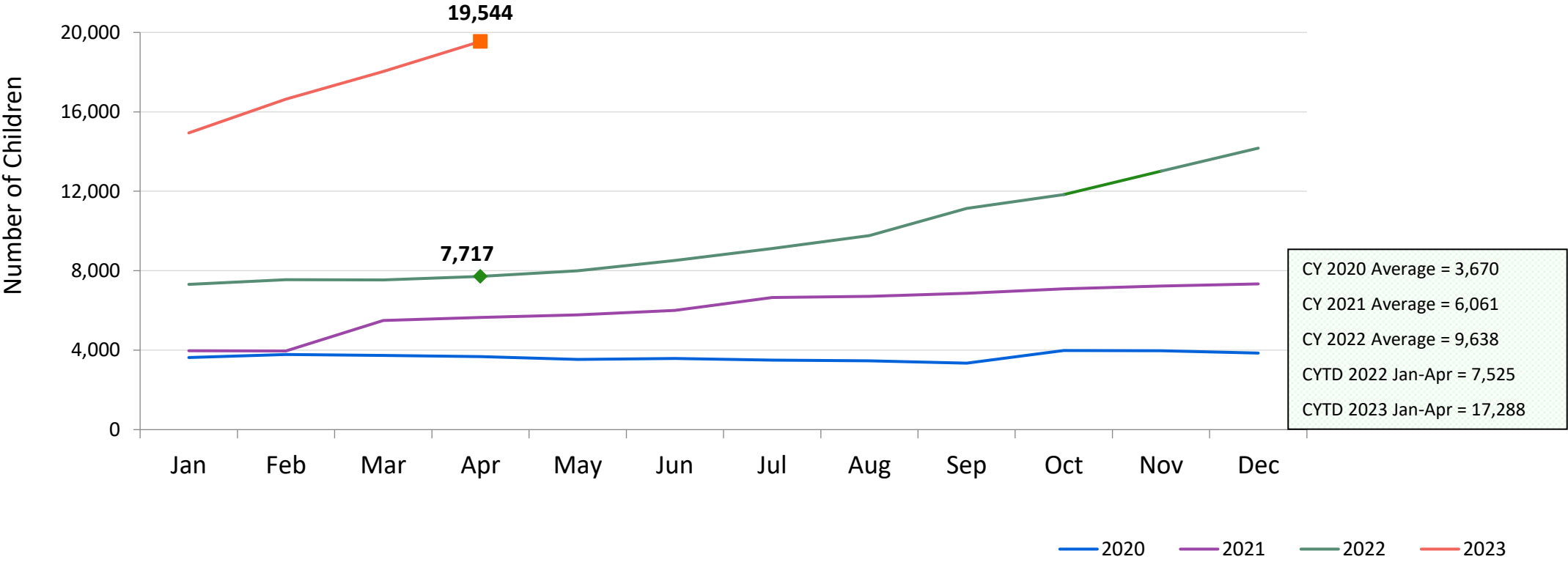
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Children Using Vouchers for Child Care January 2020 – April 2023 (End of Month)

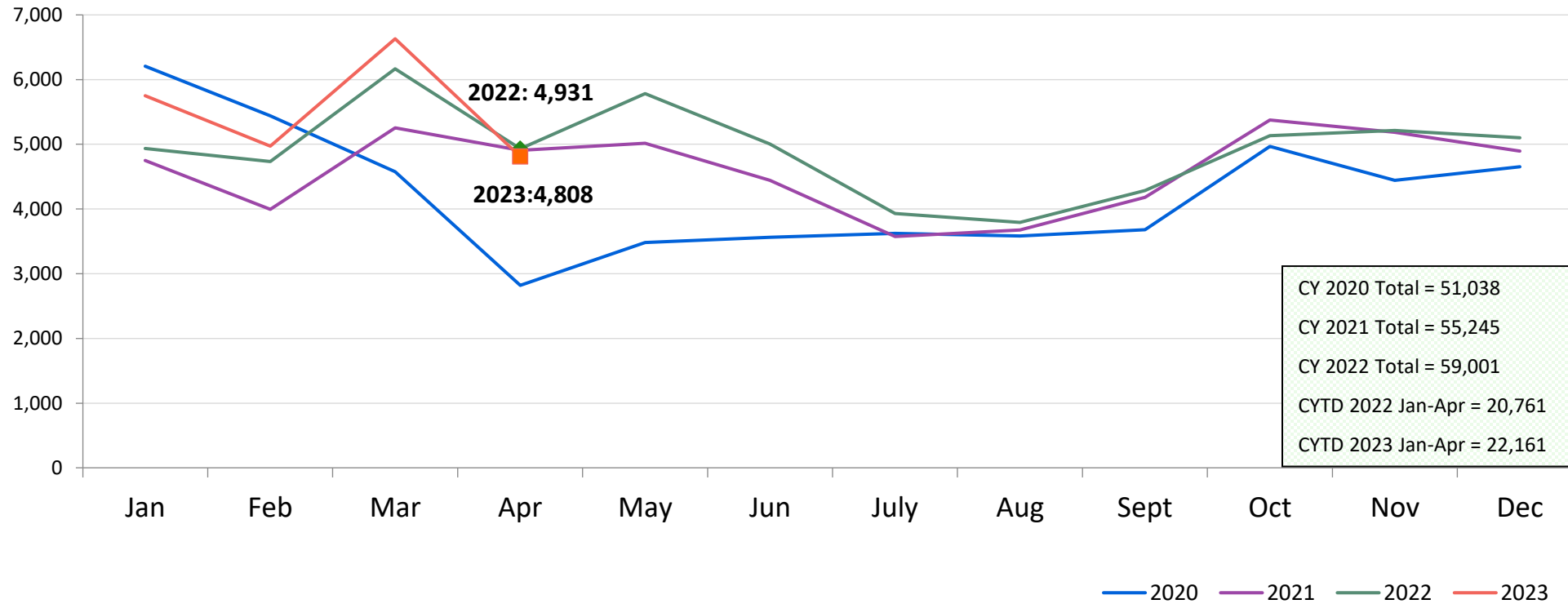


Children Using ACS-Issued Low-Income Child Care Vouchers* January 2020 – April 2023 (End of Month)



*This represents the subset of enrollments in child care with ACS-issued low-income vouchers funded by the NY State Child Care Block Grant (CCBG).

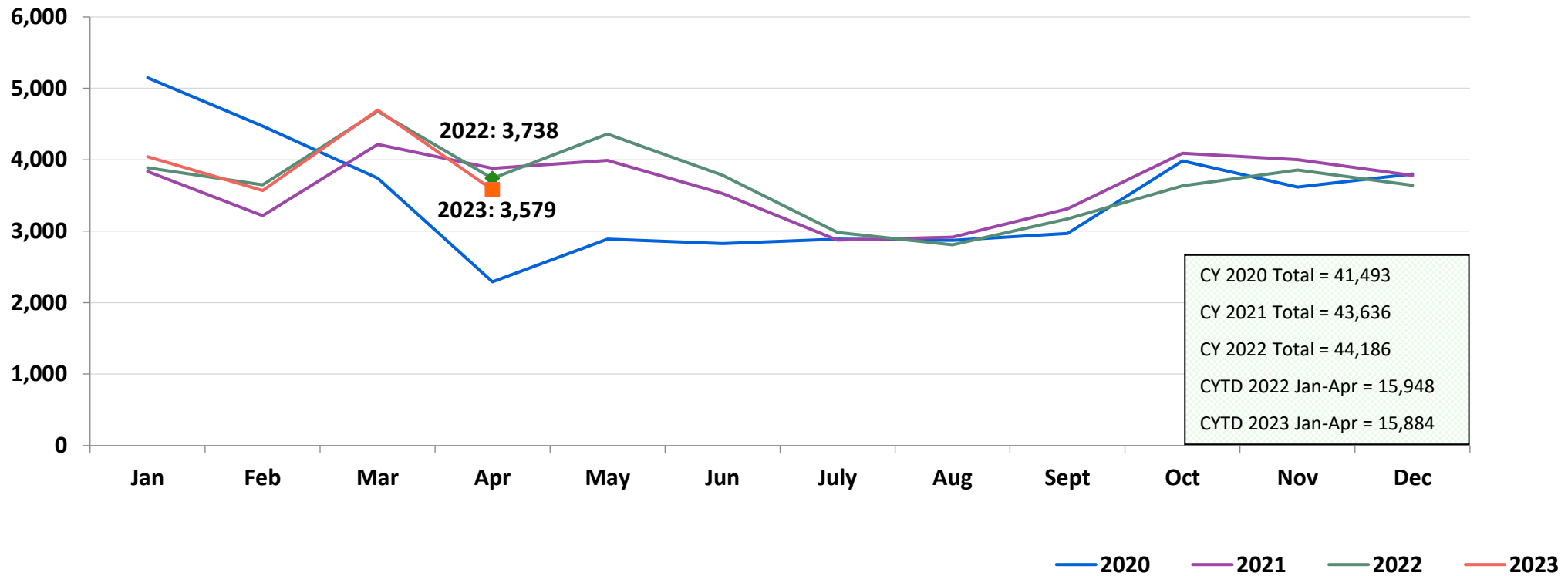
SCR Intakes January 2020 – April 2023



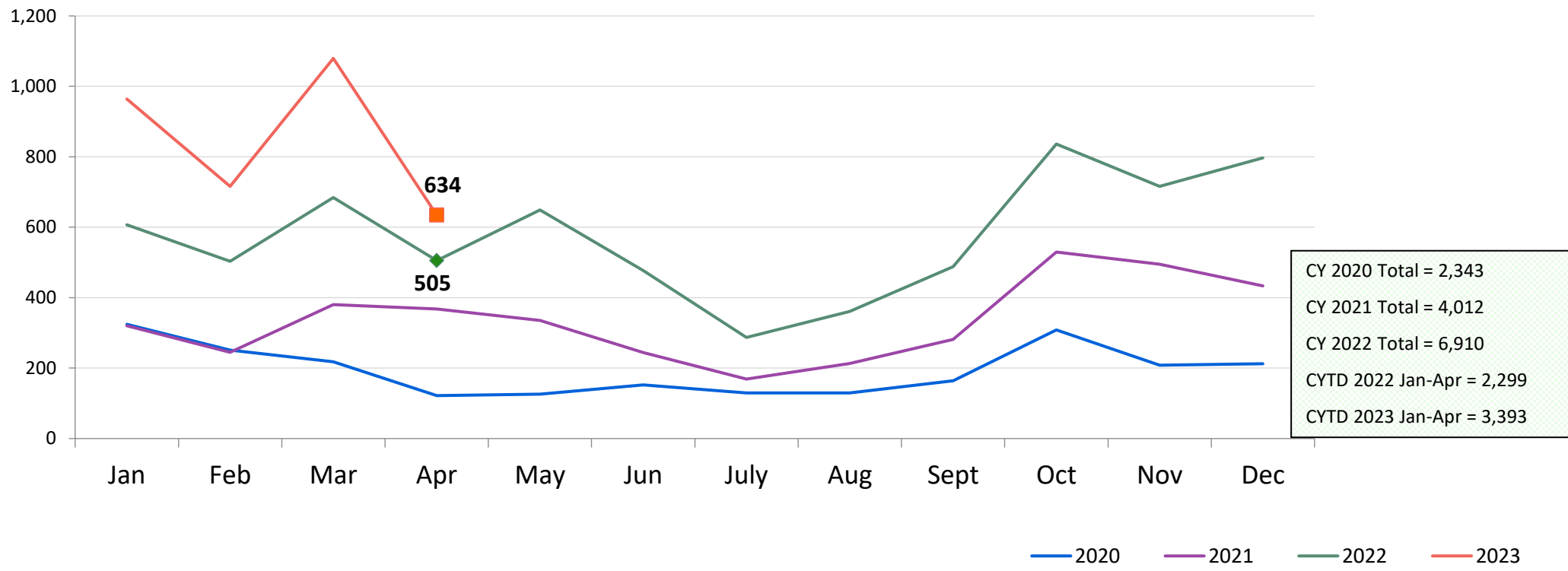
Note: SCR intakes can be followed by investigation or Collaborative Assessment Response.

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

SCR Consolidated Investigations January 2020 – April 2023

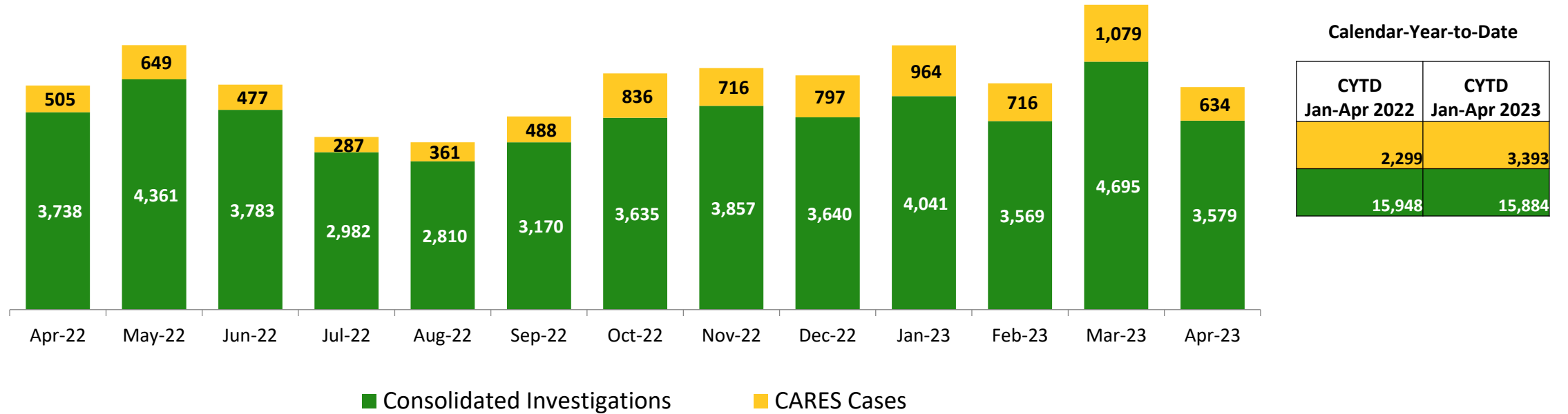


CARES* Cases January 2020 – April 2023



*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.

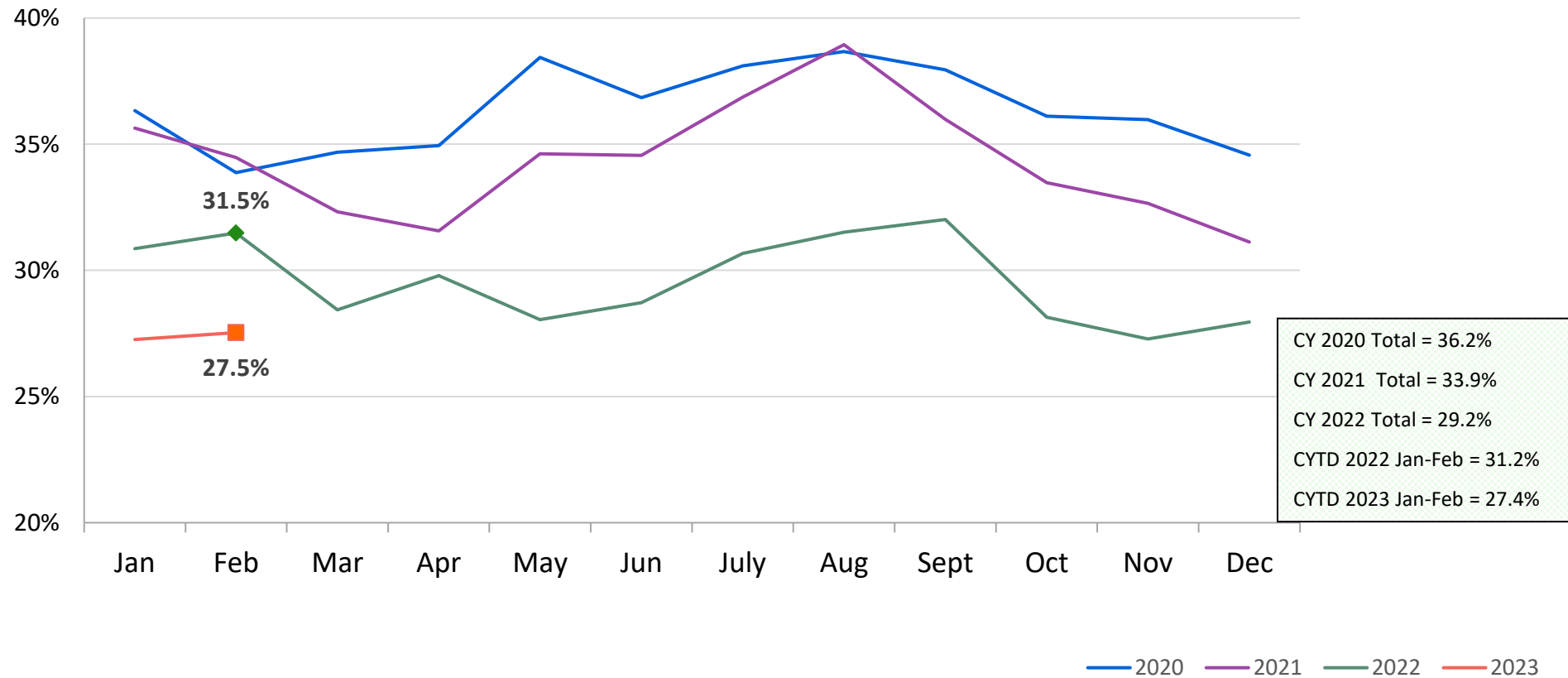
Protective Diagnostic Stages (Consolidated Investigations and CARES* Cases) April 2022 – April 2023



| | Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | Apr 2023 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 |
|--|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Number of Investigations & CARES cases | 4,243 | 5,010 | 4,260 | 3,269 | 3,171 | 3,658 | 4,471 | 4,573 | 4,437 | 5,005 | 4,285 | 5,774 | 4,213 | 18,247 | 19,277 |

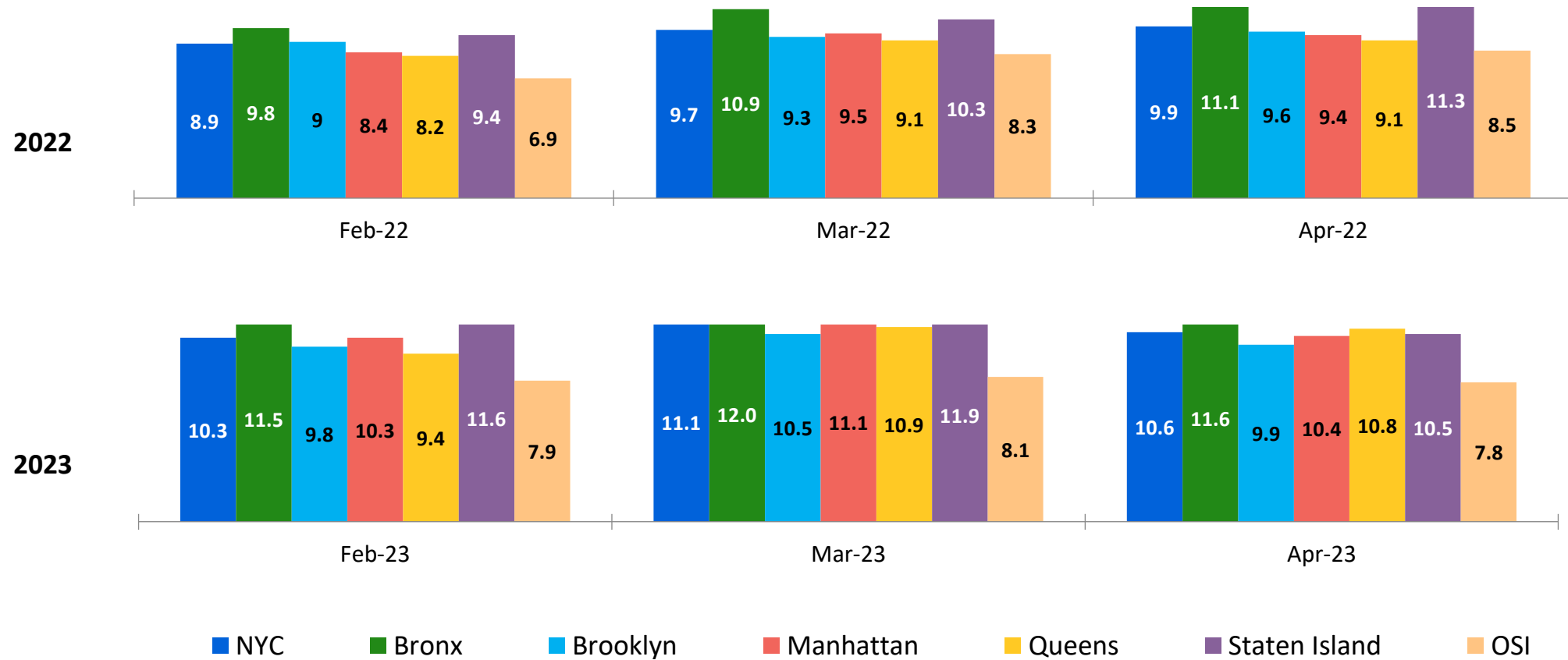
*CARES (Collaborative Assessment, Response, Engagement and Support , formerly known as FAR) is an alternative Child Protective response to some reports of child maltreatment. CARES does not require an investigation and determination of allegations and individual culpability for families reported to the 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.

SCR Investigation Indication Rate* January 2020 – February 2023



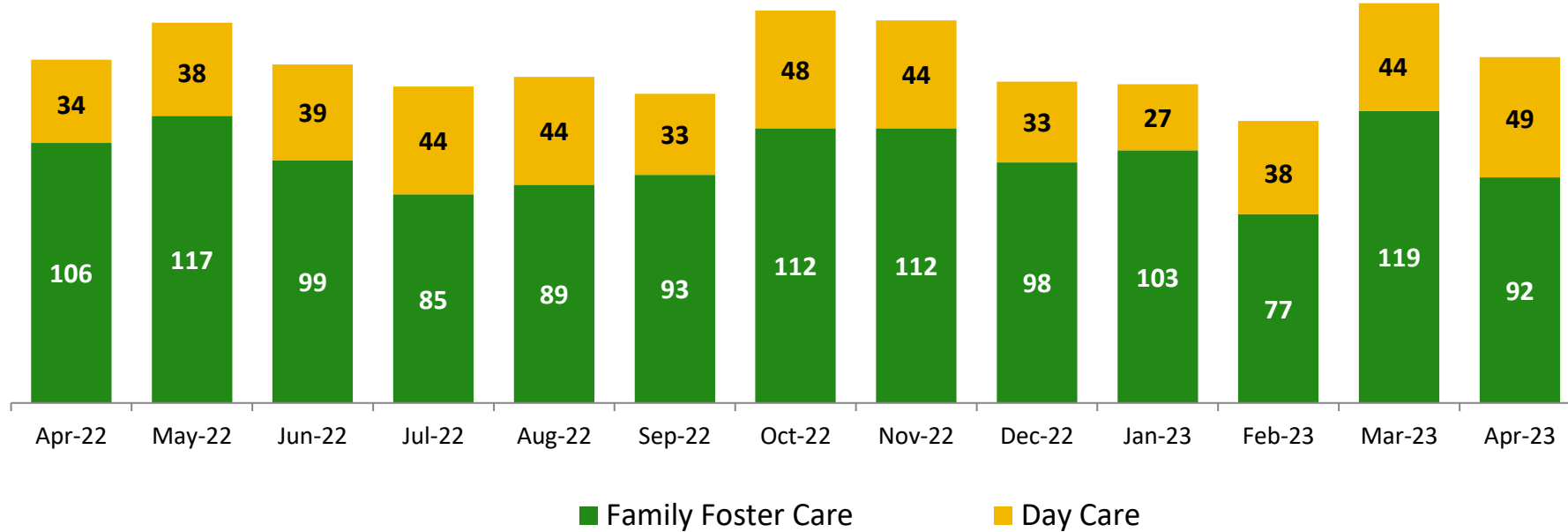
*Beginning January 1, 2022 the standard of evidence required to indicate an investigation changed from some credible evidence to a preponderance of evidence

Average Child Protection Caseload* February 2022 – April 2022 and February 2023 – April 2023



*includes all caseload carrying Child Protection Specialists (CPS) in investigative and CARES Units in Primary and Case Manager roles.

OSI Family Foster Care and Day Care* Investigations April 2022 – April 2023



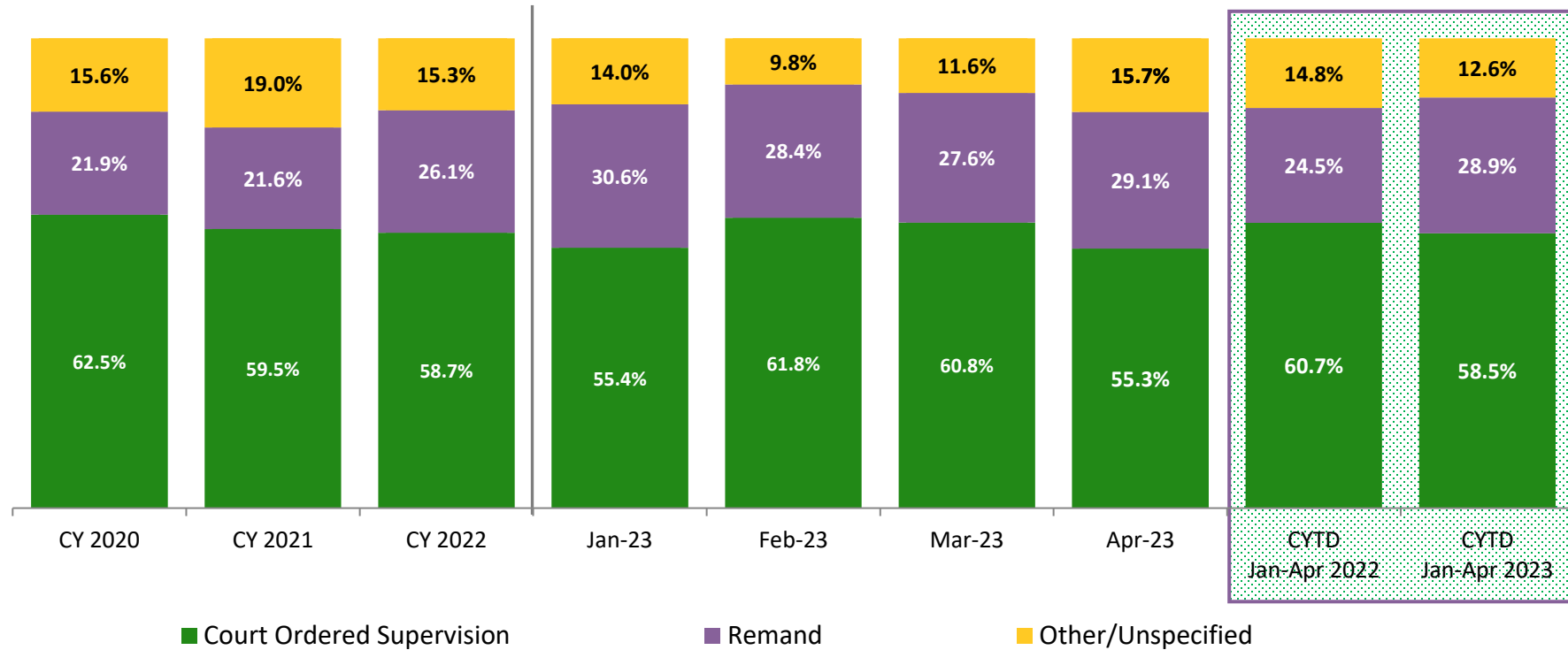
Calendar-Year-to-Date

| CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| 133 | 158 |
| 418 | 391 |

| | Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | Apr 2023 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Number of Investigations | 140 | 155 | 138 | 129 | 133 | 126 | 160 | 156 | 131 | 130 | 115 | 163 | 141 | 551 | 549 |

*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. Foster care investigations include alleged abuse or maltreatment of children in foster care and children of foster parents.

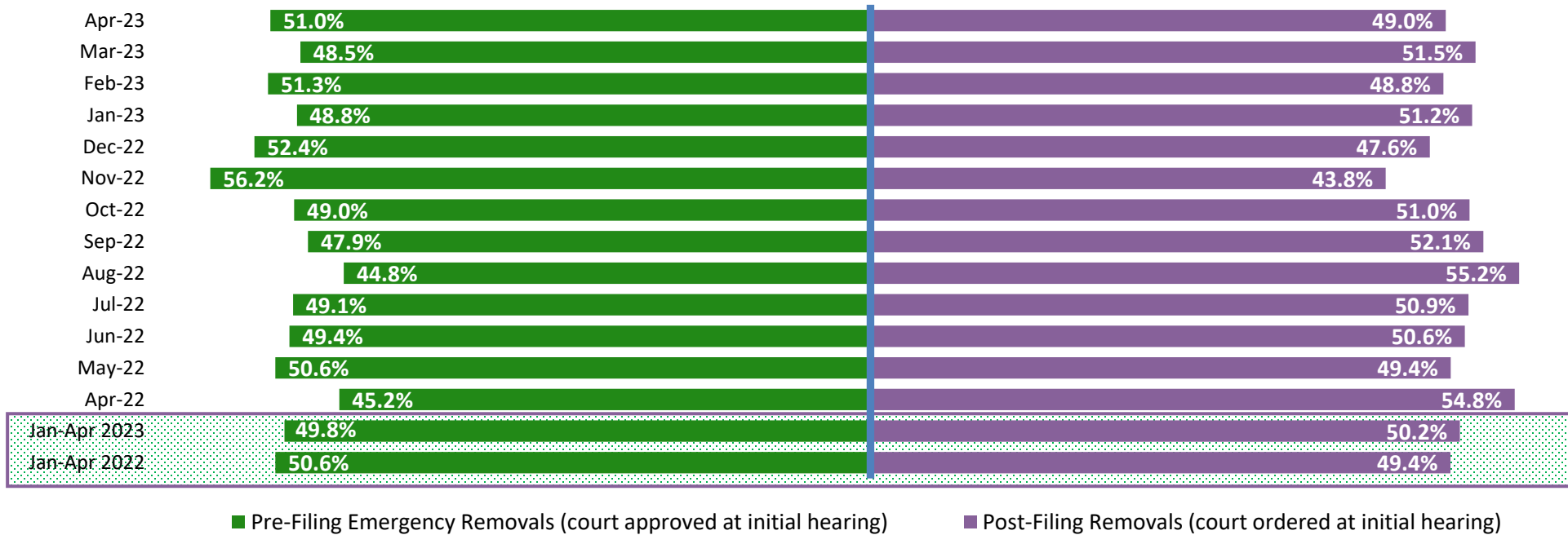
Article 10 Filings and Initial Hearing Outcomes, Children CY 2020 – April 2023



| | CY 2020 | CY 2021 | CY 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | Apr 2023 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Children with Article 10 Filings | 8,217 | 8,143 | 6,994 | 542 | 563 | 604 | 492 | 2,555 | 2,201 |

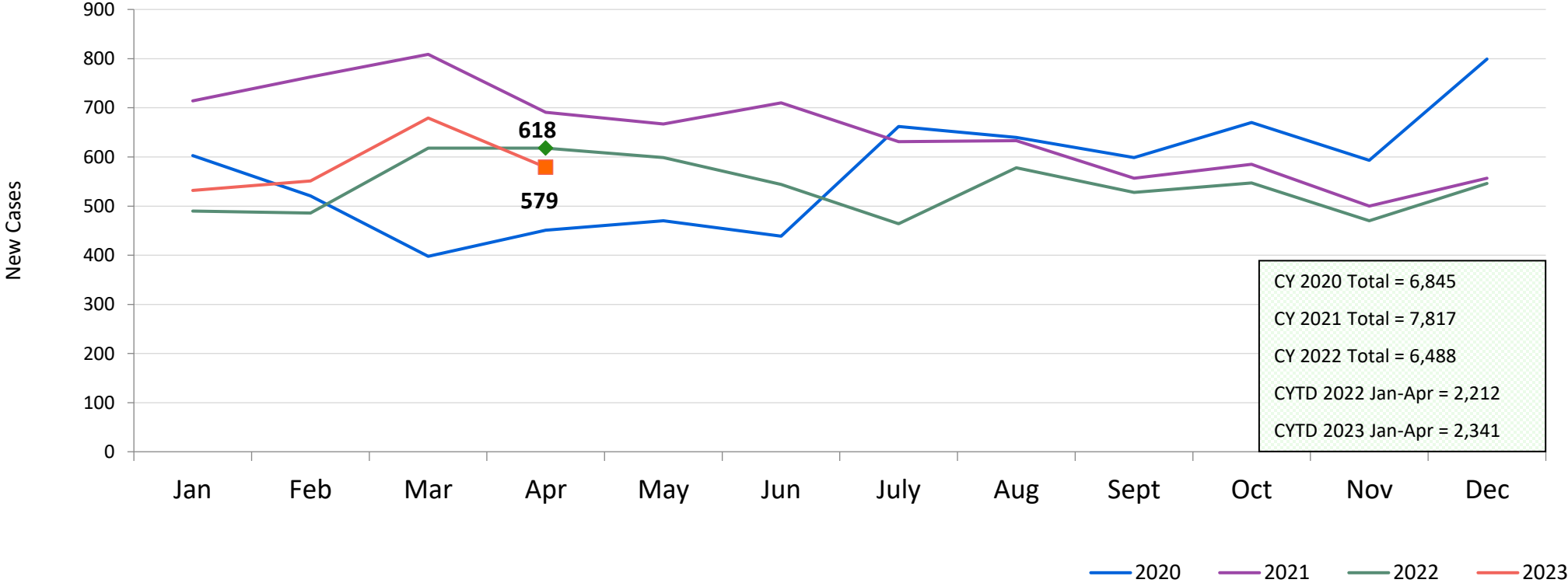
Note: The category "Other/Unspecified" includes released with no supervision, no order issued and no outcome specified.

Remands Approved at Initial Article 10 Hearing by Removal Status April 2022 – April 2023



| | Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | Apr 2023 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 |
|-------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Children Remanded | 166 | 158 | 172 | 114 | 125 | 163 | 153 | 146 | 166 | 166 | 160 | 167 | 143 | 626 | 636 |

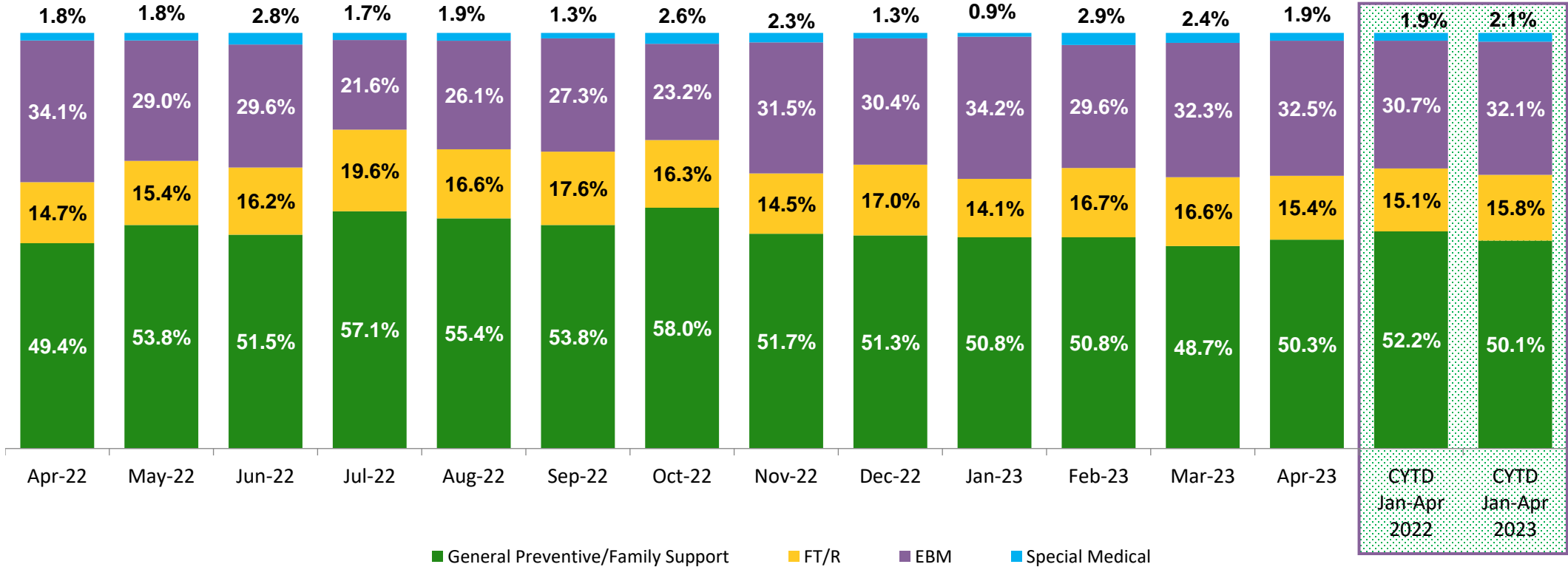
New Child Welfare Prevention Cases January 2020 – April 2023



*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.

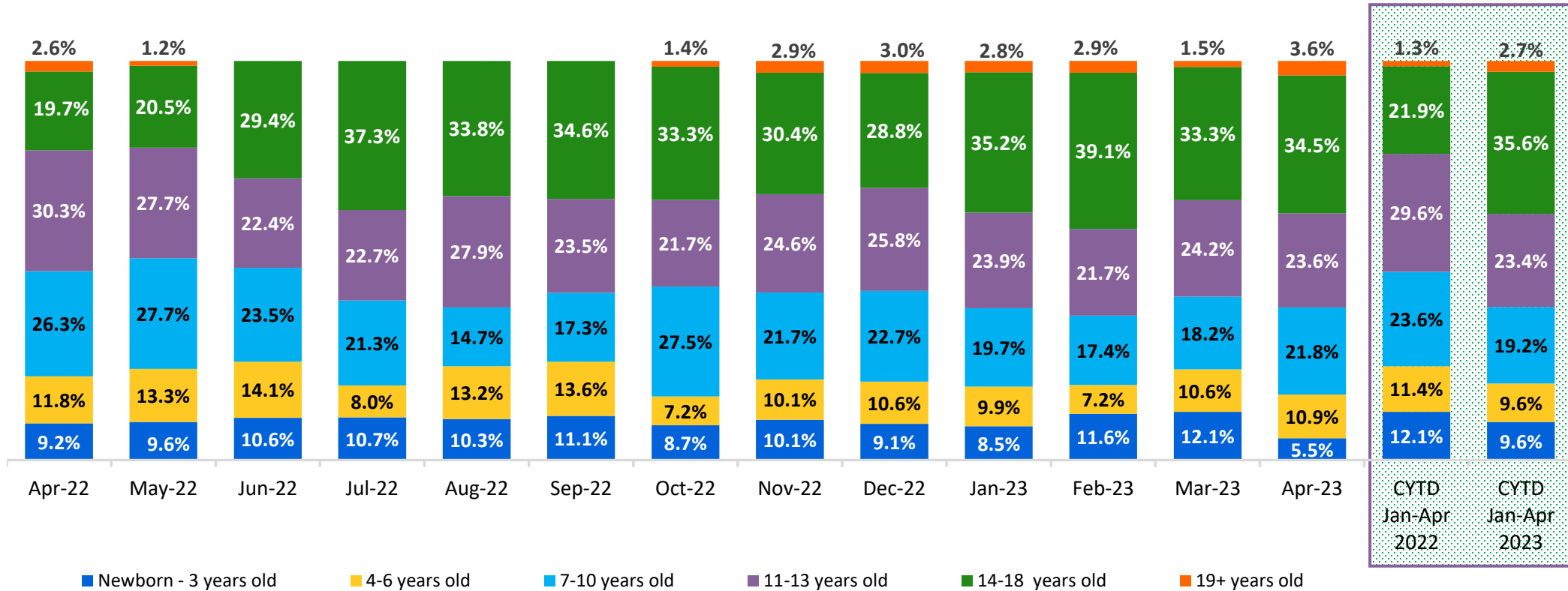
New Child Welfare Prevention Cases by Program Type* April 2022 – April 2023



| | Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | Apr 2023 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 |
|--------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Number of New Preventive Cases | 618 | 599 | 544 | 464 | 578 | 528 | 547 | 470 | 546 | 532 | 551 | 679 | 579 | 2,212 | 2,341 |

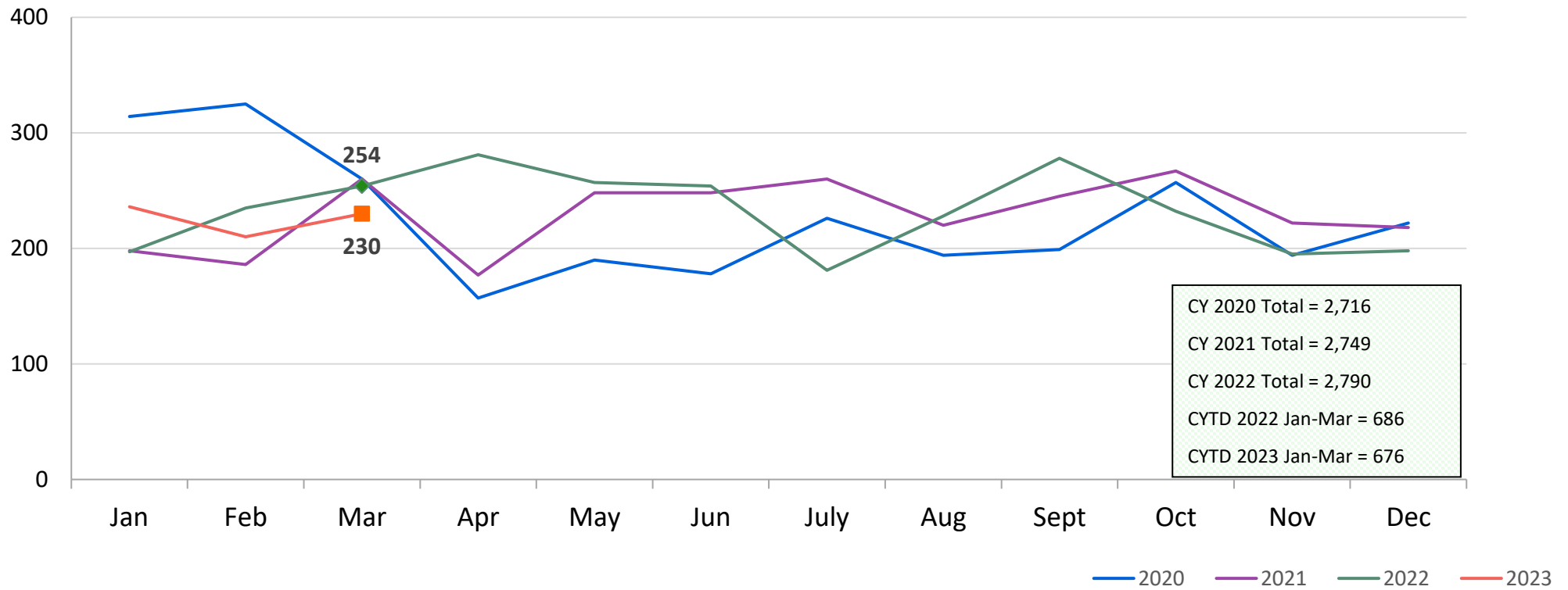
* New prevention cases do not include cases transferred from one prevention program to another.

Average Daily Children's Center Population April 2022 – April 2023

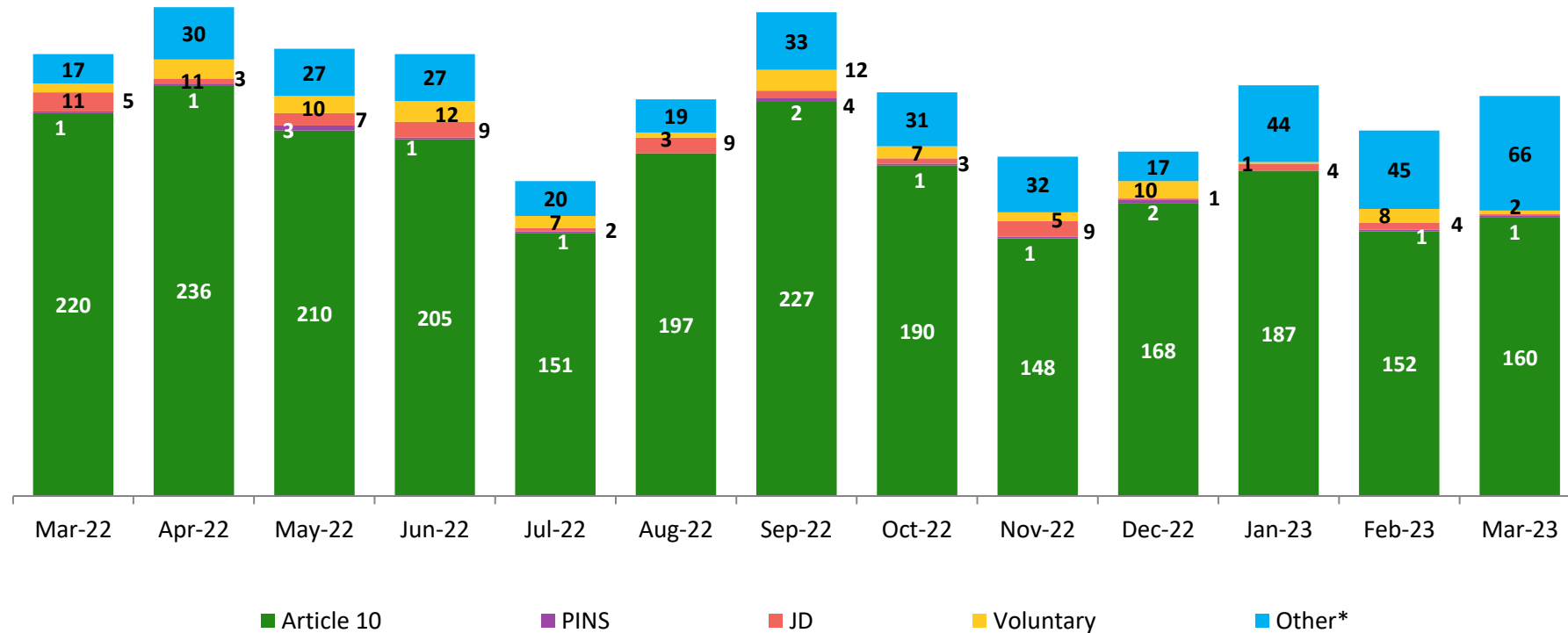


| | Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | Apr 2023 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 Average | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 Average |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Average Number of Children | 76 | 83 | 85 | 75 | 68 | 81 | 69 | 69 | 66 | 71 | 69 | 66 | 55 | 74 | 65 |

New Placements of Children into Foster Care January 2020 – March 2023



Reason for New Placements of Children into Foster Care March 2022 – March 2023



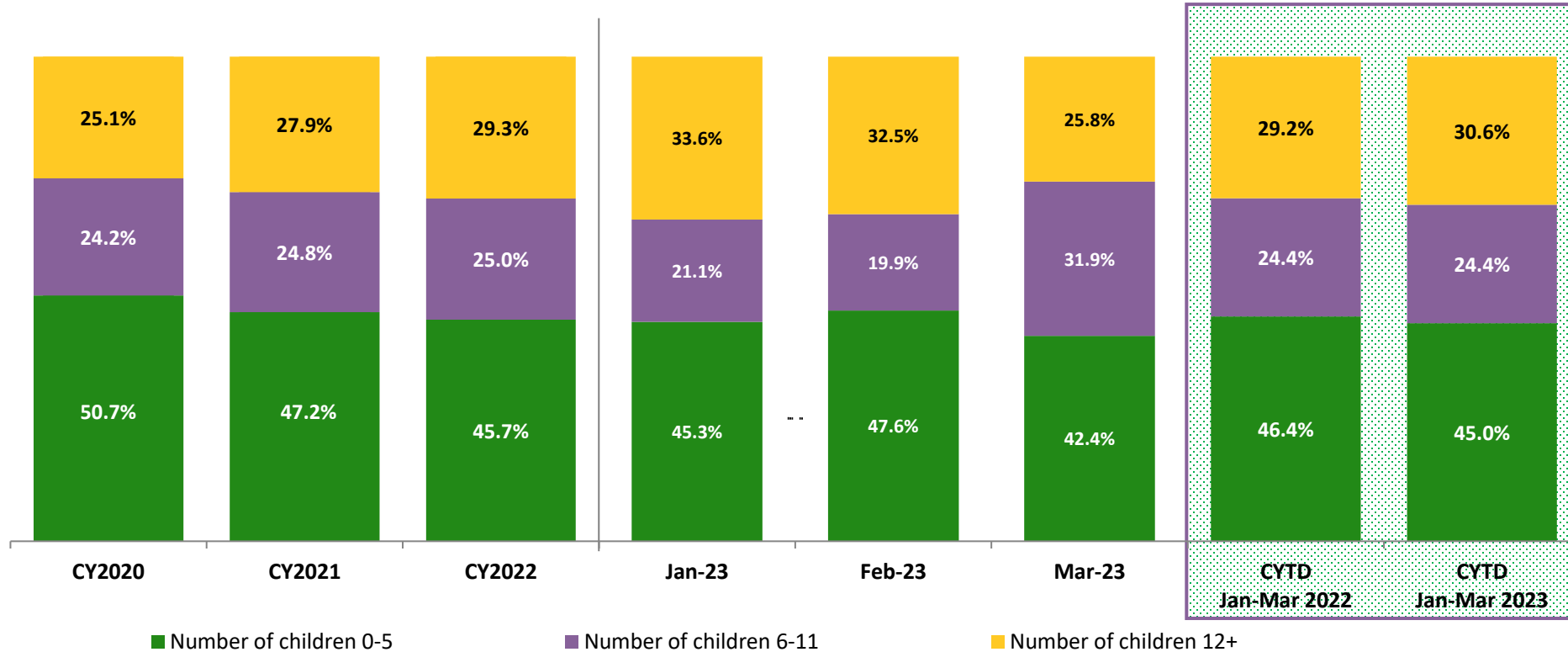
Calendar-Year-to-Date

| CYTD Jan-Mar 2022 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2023 |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| 45 | 155 |
| 19 | 11 |
| 22 | 9 |
| 4 | 2 |
| 596 | 499 |

| | Mar 2022 | Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2022 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2023 |
|----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Number of Placements | 254 | 281 | 257 | 254 | 181 | 228 | 278 | 232 | 195 | 198 | 236 | 210 | 230 | 686 | 676 |

*Due to data entry lags, many placements currently categorized as "Other" in recent months will be re-categorized in future Flash reports.

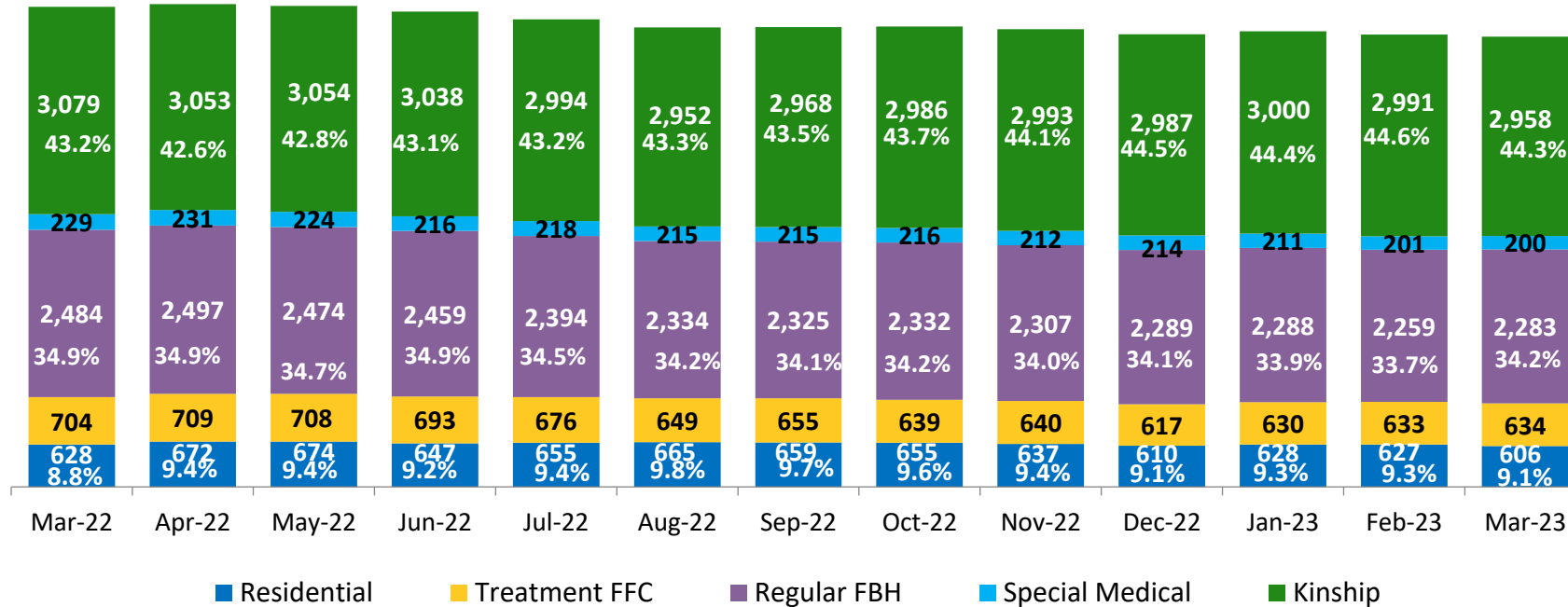
New Placements of Children into Foster Care* by Age CY 2020 – March 2023



| | CY 2020 | CY 2021 | CY 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2022 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2023 |
|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Number of Placements | 2,643 | 2,703 | 2,721 | 232 | 206 | 229 | 664 | 667 |

*Excludes CTH placements.

Children in Foster Care* March 2022 – March 2023 (end of month)



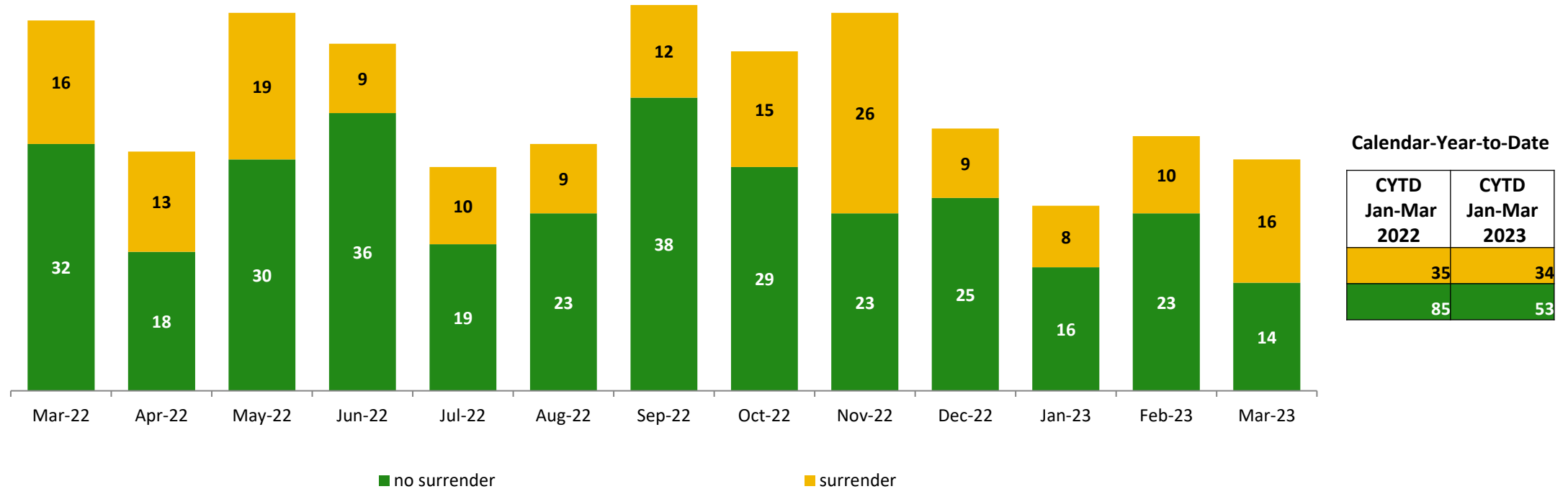
Calendar-Year-to-Date (Average)

| CYTD Jan-Mar 2022 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2023 |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| 3,062 | 2,983 |
| 228 | 204 |
| 2,489 | 2,277 |
| 708 | 632 |
| 627 | 620 |

| | Mar 2022 | Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2022 Average | CYTD Jan-Mar 2023 Average |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Number in Foster Care | 7,124 | 7,162 | 7,134 | 7,053 | 6,937 | 6,815 | 6,822 | 6,828 | 6,789 | 6,717 | 6,757 | 6,711 | 6,681 | 7,115 | 6,716 |

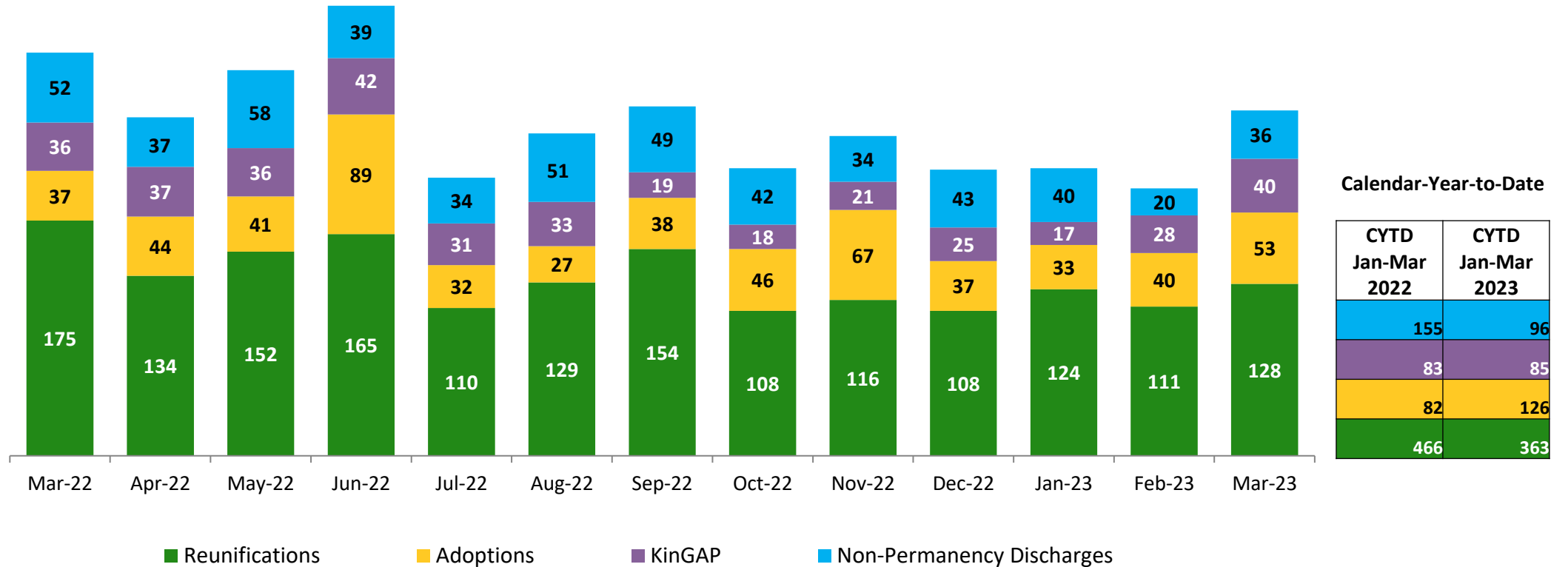
*Excludes CTH placements and includes children in 24 hour care and approximately 60 young children who are living in foster homes or residential care facilities with their mothers who are in foster care (8D children).

Children Freed for Adoption, Surrender by at Least One Parent March 2022 – March 2023



| | Mar 2022 | Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2022 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2023 |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Number Freed for Adoption | 48 | 31 | 49 | 45 | 29 | 32 | 50 | 44 | 49 | 34 | 24 | 33 | 30 | 120 | 87 |

Permanency and Non-Permanency* Discharges from Foster Care** March 2022 – March 2023

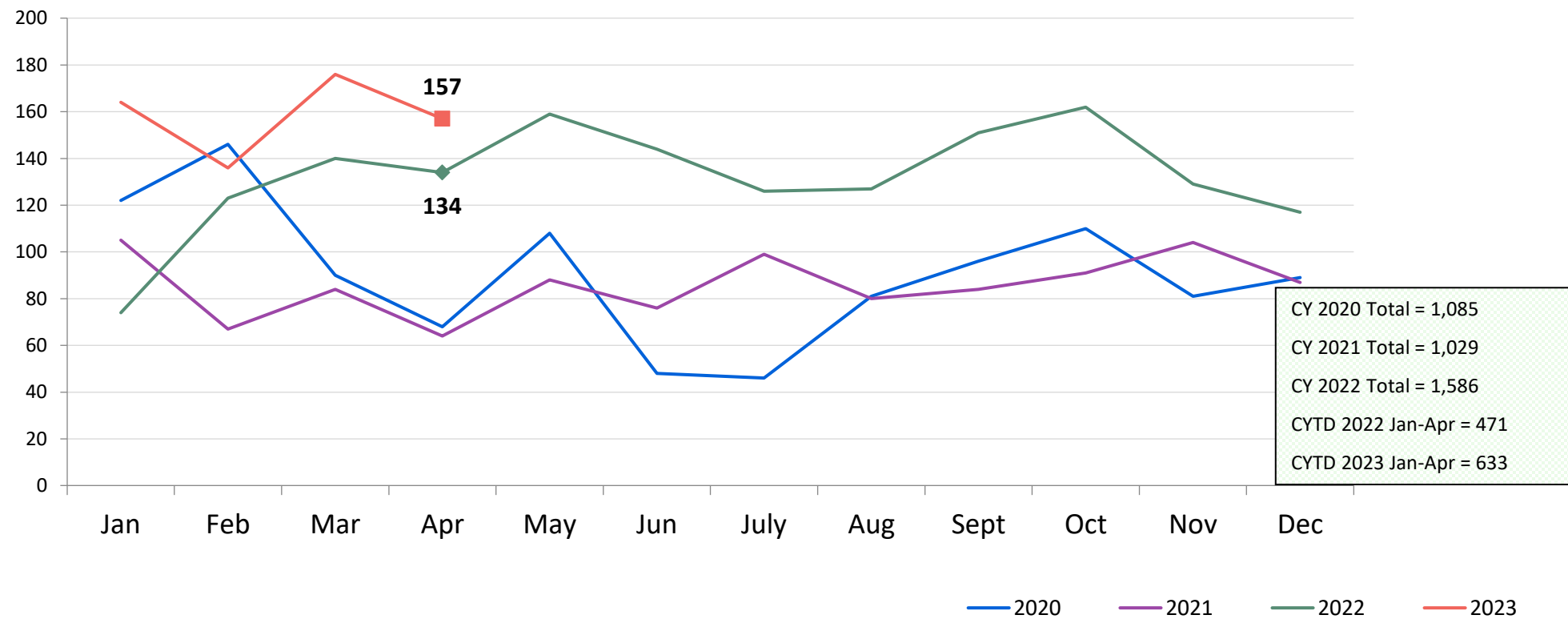


| | Mar 2022 | Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2022 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2023 |
|----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Number of Discharges | 300 | 252 | 287 | 335 | 207 | 240 | 260 | 214 | 238 | 213 | 214 | 199 | 257 | 786 | 670 |

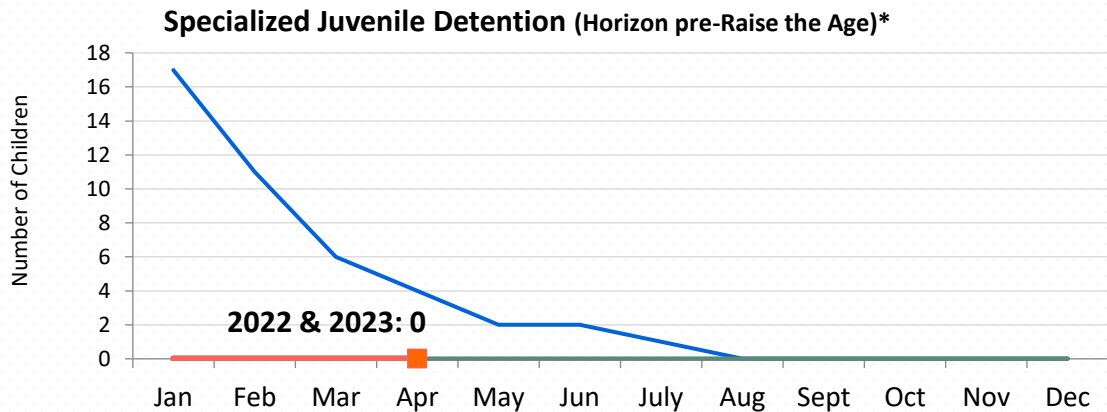
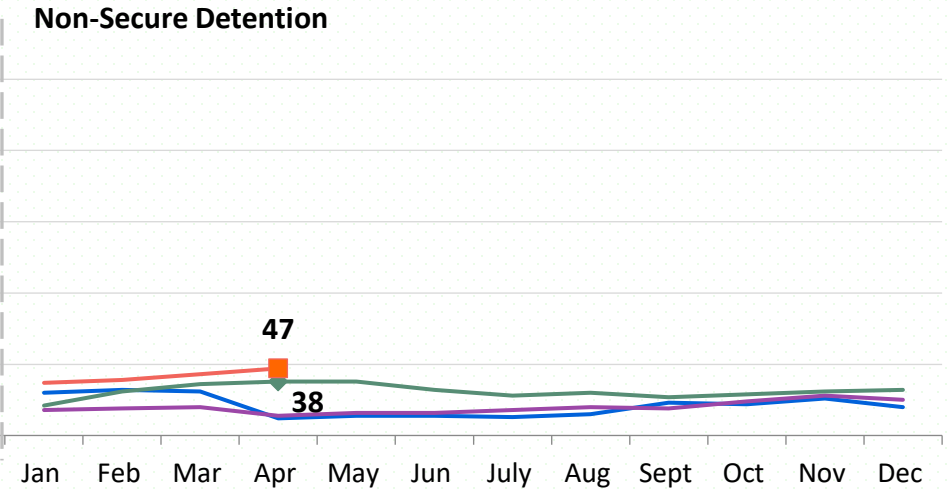
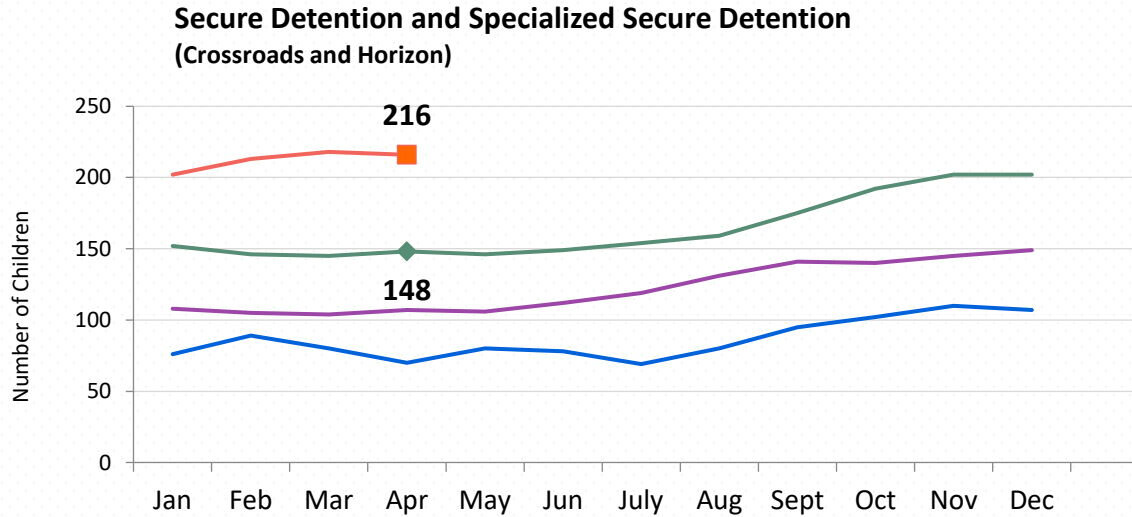
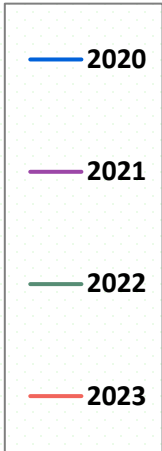
*Non-permanency discharges include AWOL, APPLA (youth 18-20 years old discharged to self and youth who reached 21 while in care), and other discharge destinations such as psychiatric institutions and correctional facilities and discharges with unspecified destinations.

**Excludes discharges of youth from CTH placements.

Total Monthly Admissions to Detention January 2020 – April 2023

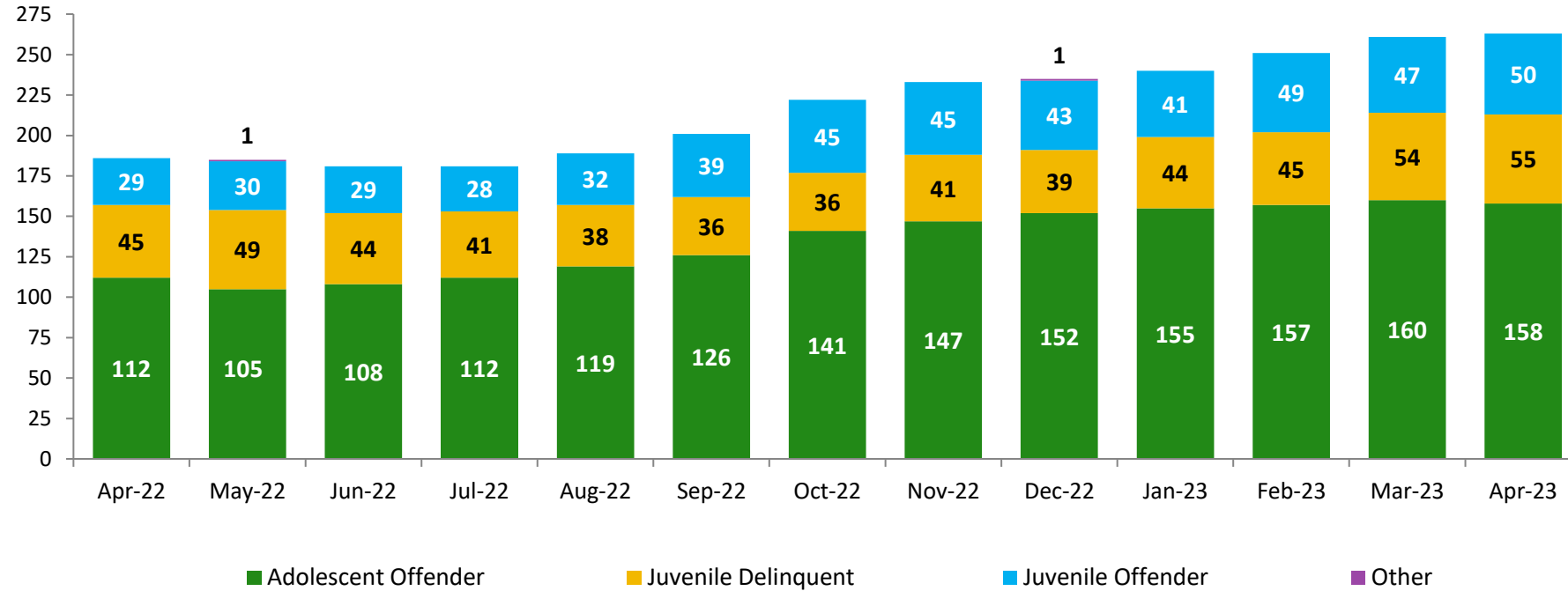


Detention Monthly Average Daily Population January 2020 – April 2023



| | CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| Secure Detention and Specialized Secure Detention | 147.9 | 212.2 |
| Non-Secure Detention | 31.3 | 41.4 |
| Specialized Juvenile Detention | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Detention Total Monthly Average Daily Population by Case Type* April 2022 – April 2023



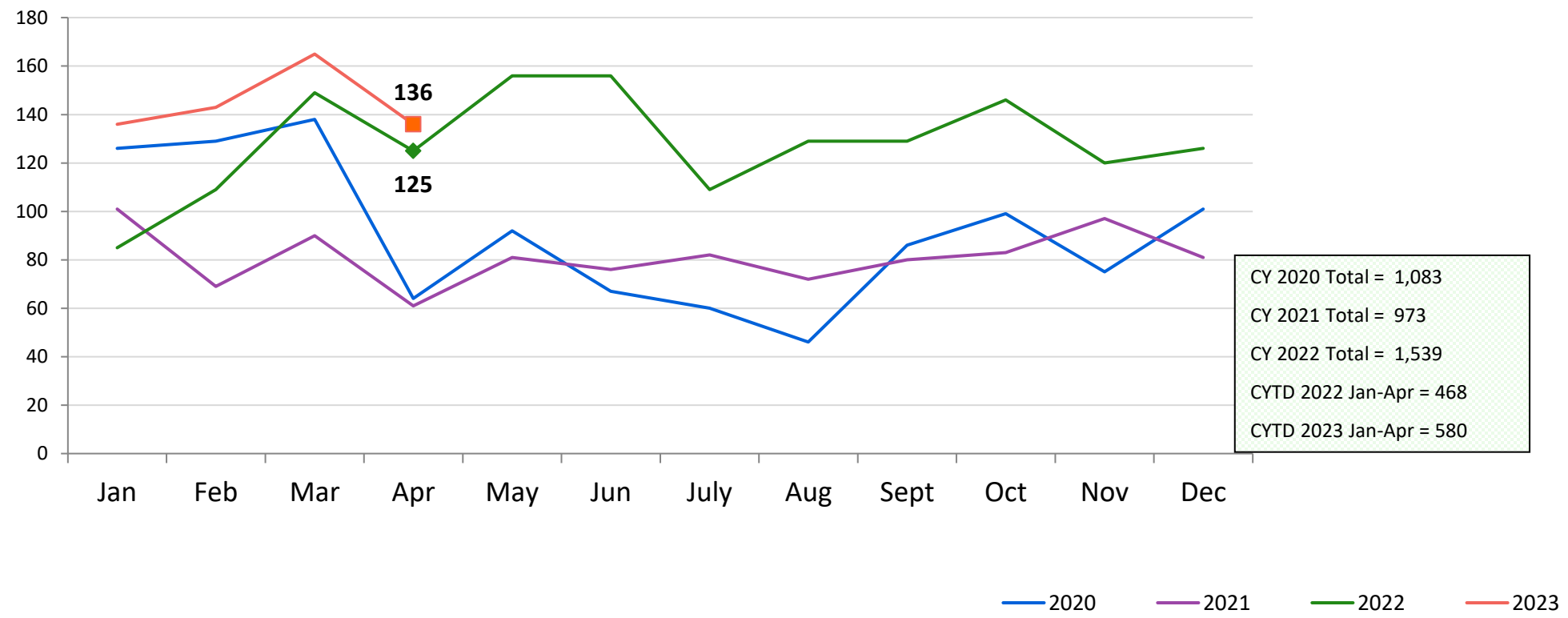
Calendar-Year-to-Date Average

| CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| 0.1 | 0.2 |
| 25.7 | 46.5 |
| 37.8 | 49.4 |
| 115.6 | 157.5 |

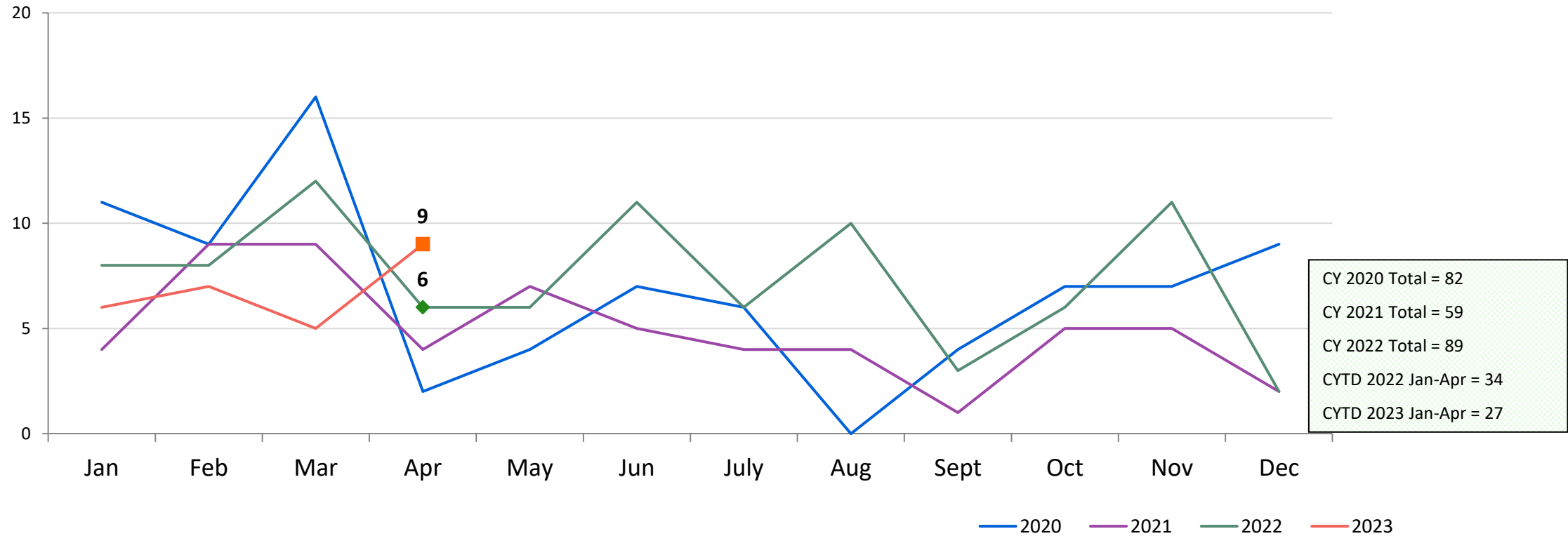
| Total Average Daily Population | | | | | | | | | | | | | | CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 Average | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 Average |
|--------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Apr 2022 | May 2022 | Jun 2022 | Jul 2022 | Aug 2022 | Sep 2022 | Oct 2022 | Nov 2022 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2023 | Feb 2023 | Mar 2023 | Apr 2023 | | | |
| 186 | 184 | 181 | 182 | 189 | 201 | 221 | 232 | 234 | 240 | 251 | 261 | 263 | 179.2 | 253.6 | |

*Case Type definitions: Adolescent Offender (AO) is a person 16 or 17 years of age charged with a felony; 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 are also JDs; Juvenile Offender (JO) a person 13-15 years of age with a serious violent felony charge; and Other case type includes youth detained for other authorities and ACS warrants.

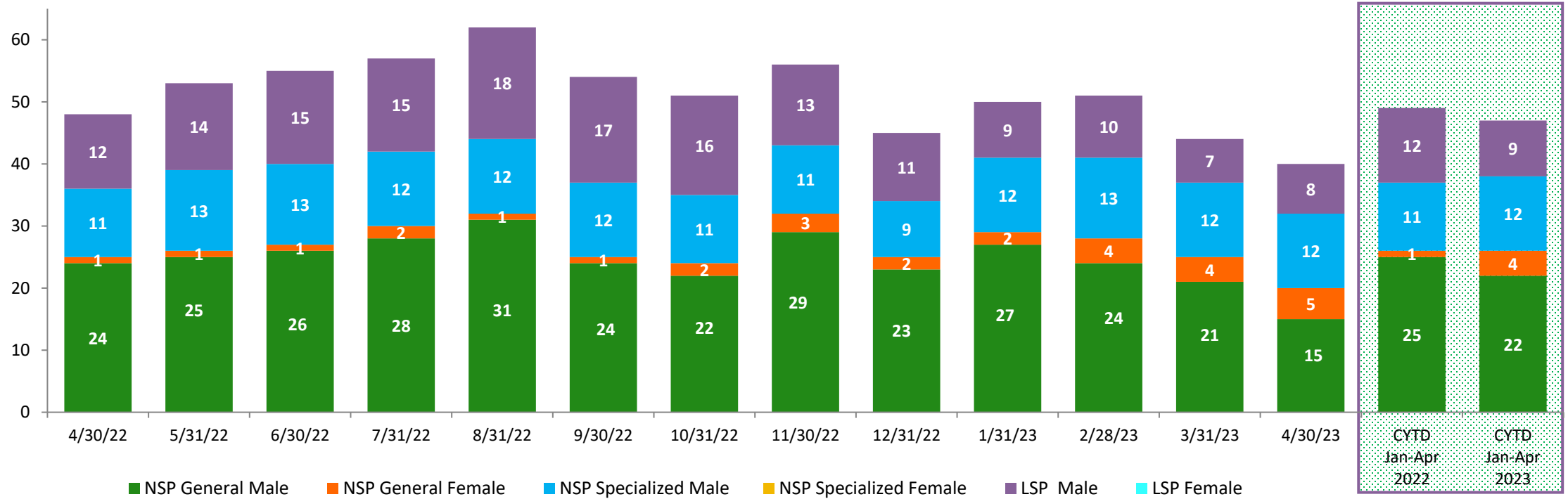
Total Monthly Releases from Detention January 2020 – April 2023



Close to Home Admissions January 2020 – April 2023

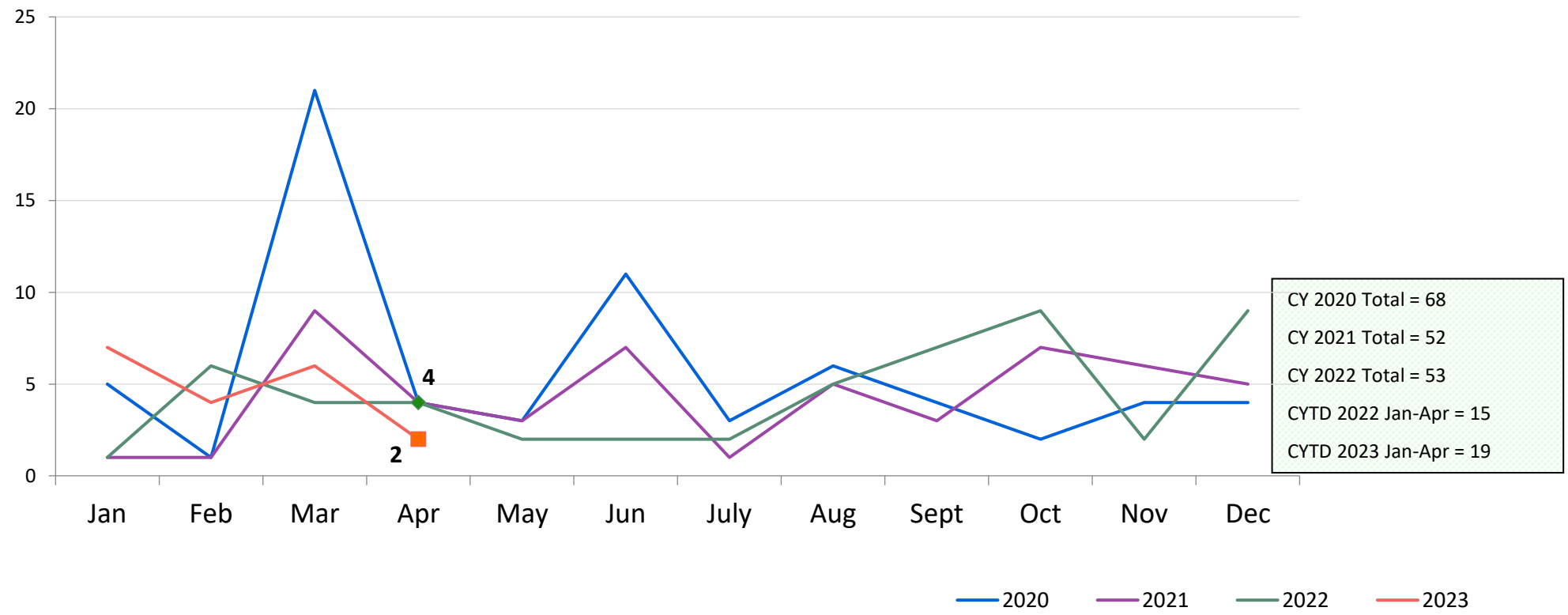


CTH Placement, in 24-hour Care April 2022 – April 2023 (end of month)

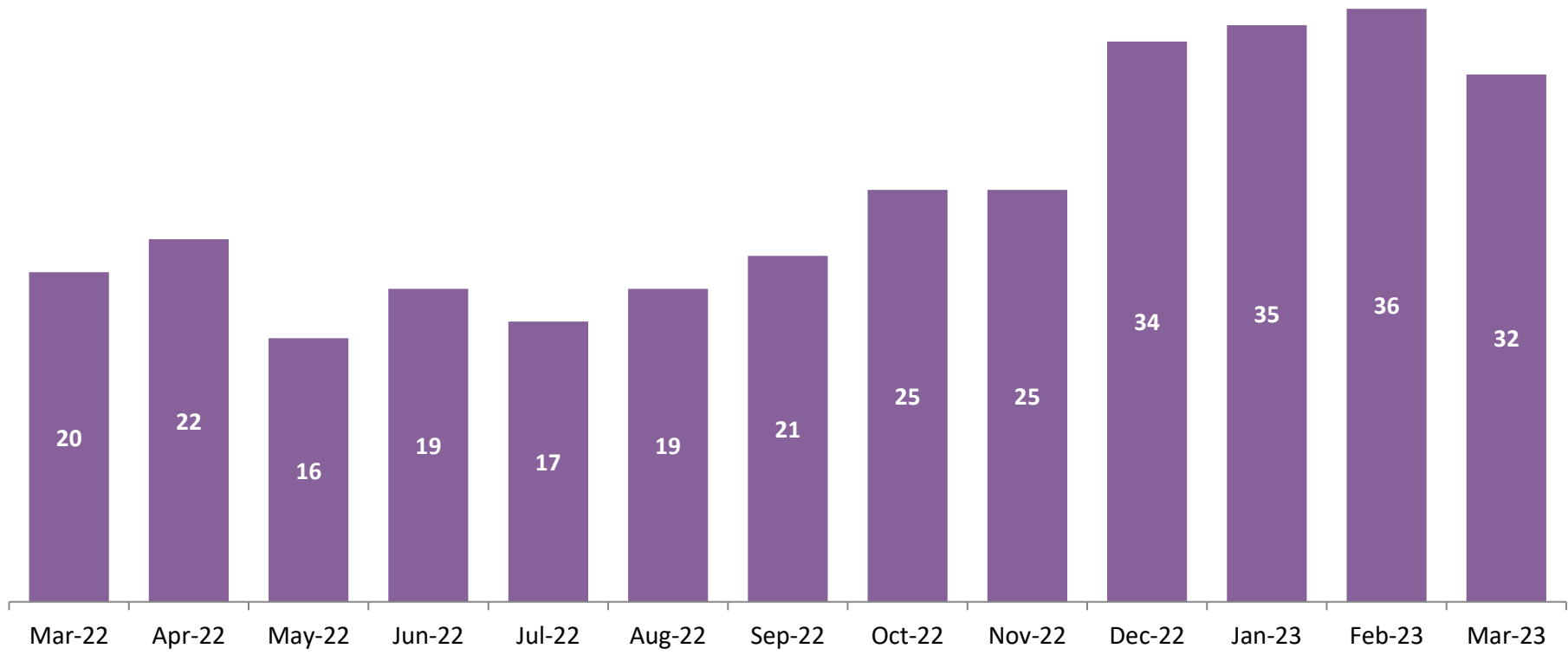


| Number in Placement | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | CYTD Jan-Apr 2022 Average | CYTD Jan-Apr 2023 Average |
|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | 4/30/22 | 5/31/22 | 6/30/22 | 7/31/22 | 8/31/22 | 9/30/22 | 10/31/22 | 11/30/22 | 12/31/22 | 1/31/23 | 2/28/23 | 3/31/23 | 4/30/23 | | | |
| NSP | 36 | 39 | 40 | 42 | 44 | 37 | 35 | 43 | 34 | 41 | 41 | 37 | 32 | 36 | 38 | |
| LSP | 12 | 14 | 15 | 15 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 13 | 11 | 9 | 10 | 7 | 8 | 12 | 9 | |

Releases from Close to Home Placement to Aftercare January 2020 – April 2023



CTH Aftercare Census March 2022 – March 2023

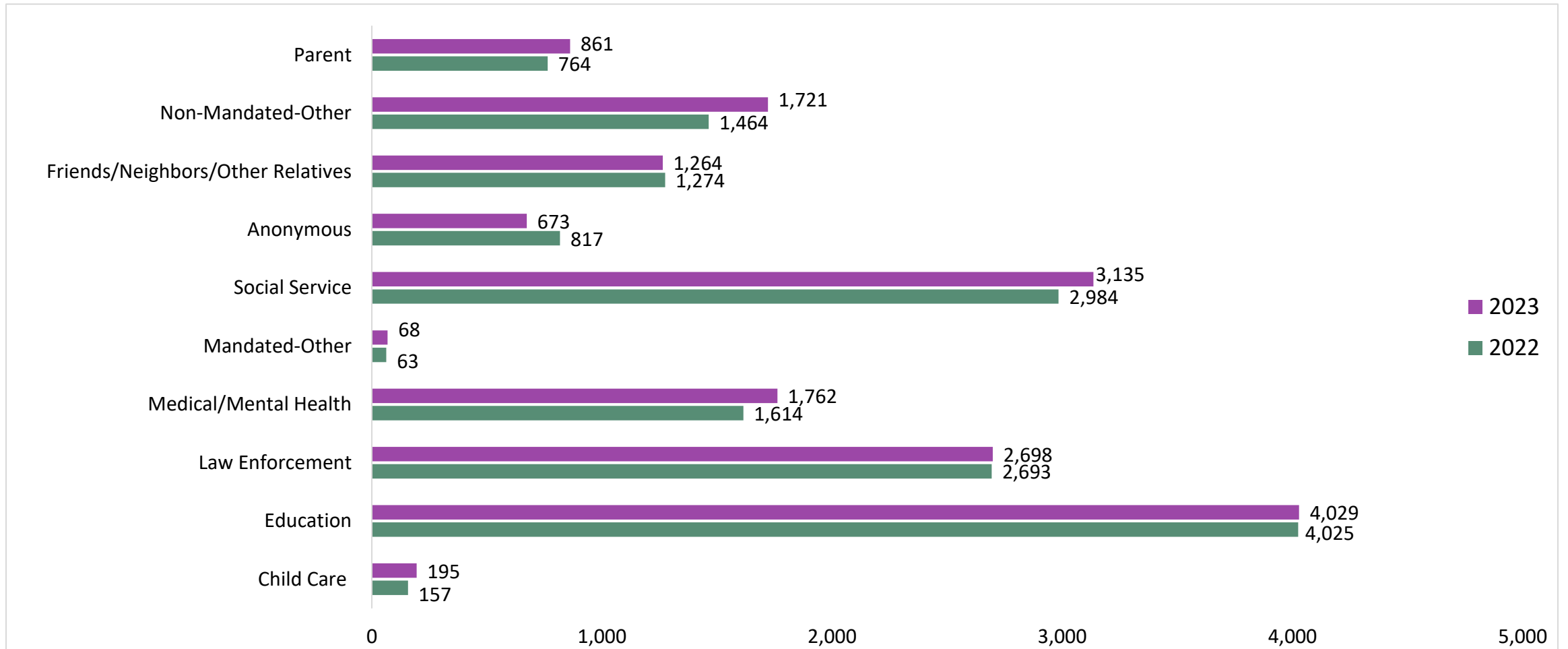


Calendar-Year-to-Date
Average

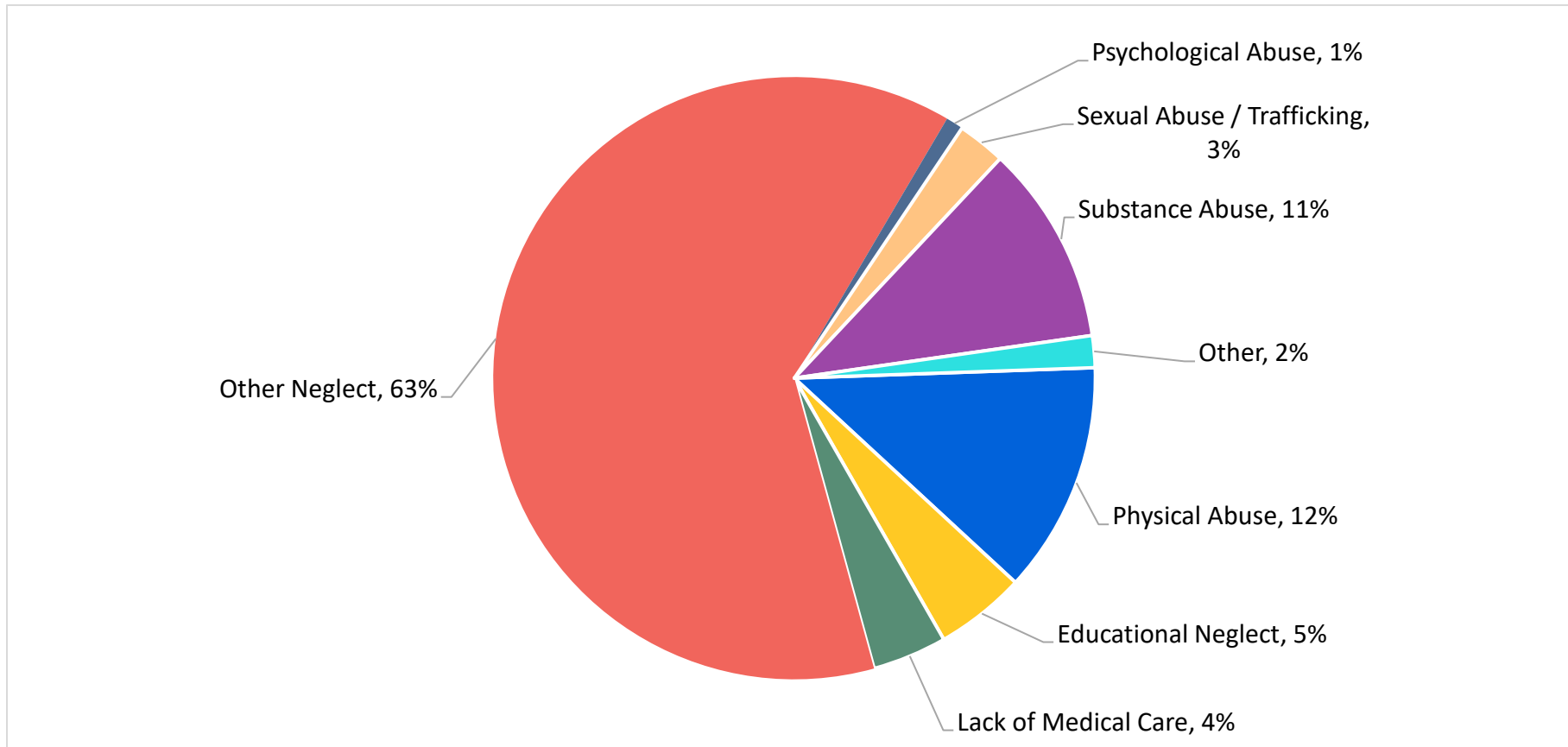
| CYTD Jan-Mar 2022 | CYTD Jan-Mar 2023 |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| 19 | 34 |

Appendix

Figure 1: SCR Intakes by Reporter Group February 22 – April 22 and February 23 – April 23



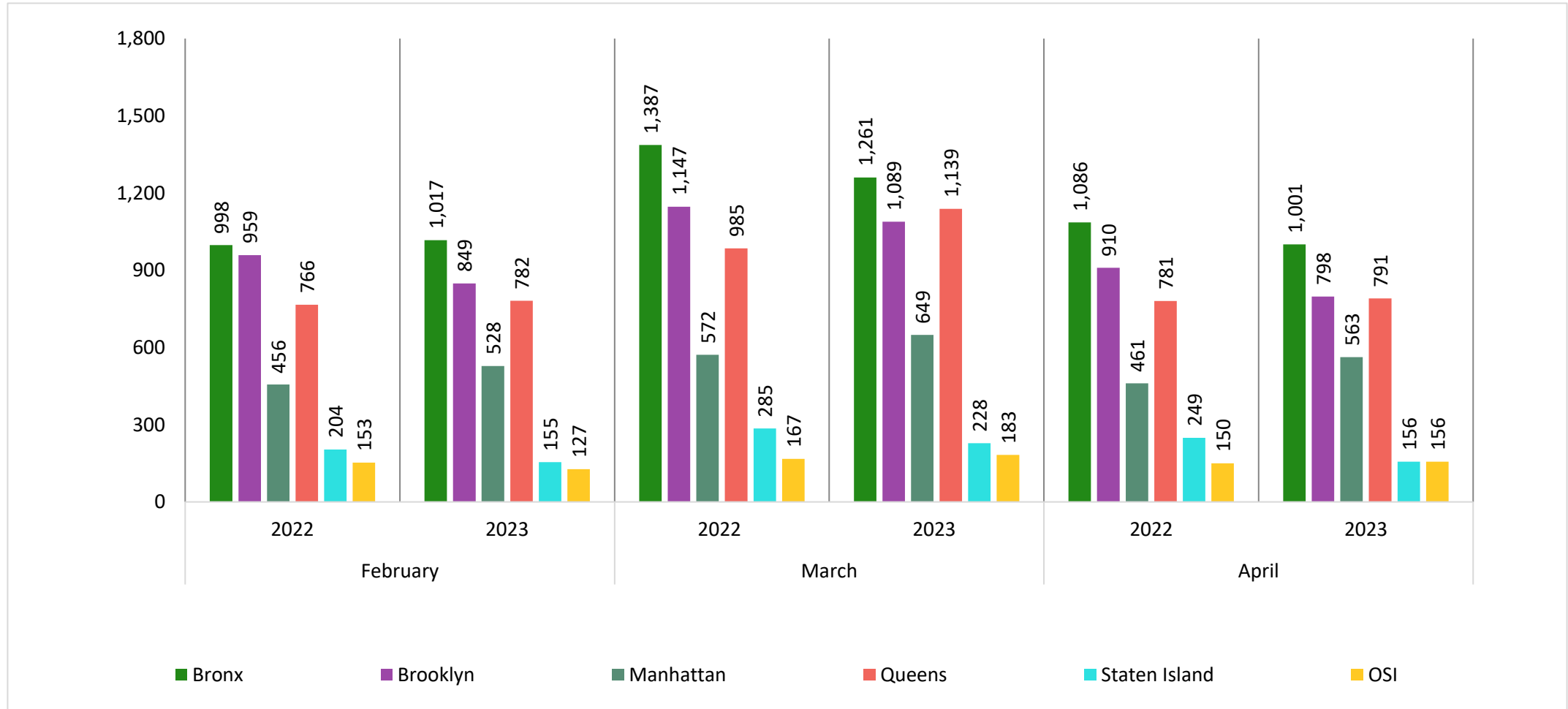
**Figure 2: SCR Allegations
February 23 – April 23**



Total Allegations = 31,809

Note: 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.

**Figure 3: SCR Investigations by Borough
February 22 – April 22 and February 23 – April 23**



**Table 1: SCR Investigations Changes by Borough
February 22 – April 22 and February 23 – April 23**

| Month | Year | Bronx | Brooklyn | Manhattan | Queens | Staten Island | OSI | Other | Total |
|----------|----------|-------|----------|-----------|--------|---------------|--------|-------|--------|
| February | 2022 | 998 | 959 | 456 | 766 | 204 | 153 | 117 | 3,653 |
| | 2023 | 1,017 | 849 | 528 | 782 | 155 | 127 | 111 | 3,569 |
| | % Change | 1.9% | -11.5% | 15.8% | 2.1% | -24.0% | -17.0% | -5.1% | -2.3% |
| March | 2022 | 1,387 | 1,147 | 572 | 985 | 285 | 167 | 144 | 4,687 |
| | 2023 | 1,261 | 1,089 | 649 | 1,139 | 228 | 183 | 146 | 4,695 |
| | % Change | -9.1% | -5.1% | 13.5% | 15.6% | -20.0% | 9.6% | 1.4% | 0.2% |
| April | 2022 | 1,086 | 910 | 461 | 781 | 249 | 150 | 107 | 3,744 |
| | 2023 | 1,001 | 798 | 563 | 791 | 156 | 156 | 114 | 3,579 |
| | % Change | -7.8% | -12.3% | 22.1% | 1.3% | -37.3% | 4.0% | 6.5% | -4.4% |
| Total | 2022 | 3,471 | 3,016 | 1,489 | 2,532 | 738 | 470 | 368 | 12,084 |
| | 2023 | 3,279 | 2,736 | 1,740 | 2,712 | 539 | 466 | 371 | 11,843 |
| | % Change | -5.5% | -9.3% | 16.9% | 7.1% | -27.0% | -0.9% | 0.8% | -2.0% |

**Table 2: Child Welfare Prevention Cases: New and Closed
January 2021 - April 2023**

| Year | Month | New Cases | Closed Cases |
|------|--------|-----------|--------------|
| 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 | 762 |
| | Sep-21 | 557 | 738 |
| | Oct-21 | 585 | 687 |
| | Nov-21 | 500 | 676 |
| | Dec-21 | 557 | 690 |
| 2022 | Jan-22 | 490 | 522 |
| | Feb-22 | 486 | 556 |
| | Mar-22 | 618 | 766 |
| | Apr-22 | 618 | 725 |
| | May-22 | 599 | 613 |
| | Jun-22 | 544 | 623 |
| | Jul-22 | 464 | 707 |
| | Aug-22 | 578 | 700 |
| | Sep-22 | 528 | 596 |
| | Oct-22 | 547 | 592 |
| | Nov-22 | 470 | 544 |
| | Dec-22 | 546 | 526 |
| 2023 | Jan-23 | 532 | 404 |
| | Feb-23 | 551 | 586 |
| | Mar-23 | 679 | 569 |
| | Apr-23 | 579 | 517 |

Note: Data excludes transfers.

**Table 3: Referrals to Child Welfare Prevention Services by Source
January 2021 – April 2023**

| Year | Month | Total Referrals | DCP | FC Agencies | PPRS Transfer | School | Self | Other Sources* |
|-------------|--------|-----------------|-------|-------------|---------------|--------|------|----------------|
| 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 | 988 | 79.4% | 2.7% | 12.6% | 0.5% | 2.4% | 2.4% |
| | Sep-21 | 837 | 83.0% | 1.7% | 10.3% | 0.0% | 2.6% | 2.4% |
| | Oct-21 | 842 | 82.4% | 1.7% | 9.6% | 1.8% | 3.0% | 1.5% |
| | Nov-21 | 831 | 79.9% | 1.7% | 11.9% | 1.6% | 2.2% | 2.8% |
| | Dec-21 | 810 | 85.4% | 0.9% | 8.4% | 1.2% | 1.6% | 2.5% |
| 2022 | Jan-22 | 753 | 83.5% | 1.3% | 9.3% | 1.5% | 2.5% | 1.9% |
| | Feb-22 | 818 | 82.8% | 1.8% | 10.0% | 0.9% | 2.3% | 2.2% |
| | Mar-22 | 934 | 87.8% | 1.2% | 6.7% | 1.4% | 1.4% | 1.5% |
| | Apr-22 | 979 | 85.9% | 1.6% | 8.0% | 0.8% | 2.0% | 1.6% |
| | May-22 | 859 | 85.4% | 1.2% | 7.6% | 1.4% | 2.2% | 2.2% |
| | Jun-22 | 743 | 87.2% | 1.2% | 6.9% | 1.2% | 1.5% | 2.0% |
| | Jul-22 | 797 | 82.9% | 2.0% | 9.5% | 1.9% | 1.6% | 2.0% |
| | Aug-22 | 861 | 85.9% | 1.0% | 7.1% | 0.9% | 3.1% | 1.9% |
| | Sep-22 | 795 | 83.0% | 1.6% | 8.9% | 0.9% | 3.0% | 2.5% |
| | Oct-22 | 853 | 80.9% | 1.1% | 9.8% | 1.3% | 3.6% | 3.3% |
| | Nov-22 | 731 | 74.3% | 2.1% | 11.6% | 3.1% | 3.8% | 5.1% |
| | Dec-22 | 731 | 77.7% | 1.6% | 10.4% | 2.2% | 5.7% | 2.3% |
| 2023 | Jan-23 | 830 | 78.4% | 1.4% | 9.3% | 3.1% | 4.6% | 3.1% |
| | Feb-23 | 781 | 78.9% | 2.3% | 8.3% | 2.4% | 4.9% | 3.2% |
| | Mar-23 | 939 | 79.2% | 2.3% | 9.4% | 2.3% | 4.0% | 2.7% |
| | Apr-23 | 862 | 76.2% | 2.3% | 11.0% | 0.8% | 5.8% | 3.8% |

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.