

# NEW YORK CITY

## Selected Characteristics of Youth Entering and Leaving OCFS Custody Jan. 15 - Mar. 15 or In Custody on March 31, 2015 and the Same Periods Last Year

Characteristic	ADMISSIONS						IN CARE						DISCHARGES					
	OCFS-Operated			Voluntary Agencies			OCFS-Operated			Voluntary Agencies			OCFS-Operated			Voluntary Agencies		
	01-03/15		01-03/14	01-03/15		01-03/14	03/31/15		03/31/14	03/31/15		03/31/14	01-03/15		01-03/14	01-03/15		01-03/14
	Percent	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Number
<b>NEW YORK CITY</b>	100%	25	46	100%	2		100%	173	264	100%	16	11	100%	52	62	100%	3	1
<b>SEX</b>																		
Male	92%	23	36				89%	154	236	56%	9	8	94%	49	49	100%	3	
Female	8%	2	10	100%	2		11%	19	28	44%	7	3	6%	3	13			1
<b>AGE</b>																		
Under 15	16%	4	4	50%	1		5%	9	17	19%	3	1			2			
15	20%	5	11	50%	1		9%	16	42	19%	3		8%	4	4	33%	1	
16	40%	10	20				28%	49	87	25%	4	3	17%	9	20	33%	1	1
17 and over	24%	6	11				57%	99	118	38%	6	7	75%	39	36	33%	1	
<b>RACE/ ETHNICITY</b>																		
African American	60%	15	28				61%	105	153	63%	10	8	48%	25	36	33%	1	1
Hispanic	40%	10	15	50%	1		34%	59	97	19%	3	3	48%	25	21	33%	1	
White							1%	1	2	6%	1		2%	1				
Other/Unknown			3	50%	1		5%	8	12	13%	2		2%	1	5	33%	1	
<b>LOCATION</b>																		
New York City	100%	25	46	100%	2		100%	173	264	100%	16	11	100%	52	62	100%	3	1
Rest of State																		
<b>SERVICE SETTING</b>																		
OCFS-OPERATED RESIDENTIAL	100%	25	46				85%	147	209				48%	25	33			
Secure	52%	13	26				57%	99	124				40%	21	29			
Limited Secure	48%	12	15				25%	44	78				6%	3	3			
Non-Secure Centers			5				2%	4	7				2%	1	1			
VOLUNTARY AGENCY DAY PROGRAMS AFTERCARE				100%	2					100%	16	11				100%	3	1
							15%	26	55				52%	27	29			
<b>ADJUDI- CATION</b>																		
Juvenile Offender (JO)	52%	13	25				52%	90	114				40%	21	26			
Juvenile Delinquent (JD)	48%	12	21	100%	2		48%	83	150	100%	16	11	60%	31	36	100%	3	1
Other																		
<b>MOST SERIOUS OFFENSE</b>																		
CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS	48%	12	27				64%	110	164	25%	4	4	65%	34	35	33%	1	
Assault, Homicide, & Kidnapping	12%	3	5				26%	45	57	19%	3	1	12%	6	8			
Robbery	36%	9	21				35%	60	102	6%	1	3	52%	27	24	33%	1	
Sex Offense			1				3%	5	5				2%	1	3			
CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY	12%	3	9	50%	1		18%	32	59	50%	8	4	19%	10	10	67%	2	
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES			3				1%	1	7				2%	1	3			
FIREARMS, WEAPONS	24%	6	5				8%	14	19			1	4%	2	8			
OTHER CRIMES	16%	4	2	50%	1		9%	16	15	25%	4	2	10%	5	6			1

Note: Effective Q1 2015, due to a change in data collection, we are unable to report needs at intake for both JDs and JOs.

### Median Months of Stay and Number of Youth with Selected Service Types Discharged During the Last Quarter and the Same Period a Year Ago

Service Type	Jan. 15 - Mar. 15			Jan. 14 - Mar. 14		
	Residential	In Custody	Youth	Residential	In Custody	Youth
JOs & RJDs (Restricted LOS)	18.2	18.2	22	10.3	10.3	28
JDs Served only in OCFS LS and NS Centers	8.9	15.8	26	8.9	14.0	33
JDs Served only in Voluntary Agencies	16.3	16.3	5	11.6	11.6	1

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**Children in Care and Custody of LDSS - Quarter Ending 03/31/15**

	ADMISSIONS			IN CARE*			DISCHARGES		
	01-03/15		01-03/14	03/31/15		03/31/14	01-03/15		01-03/14
	Percent	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Number
<b>NEW YORK CITY</b>	100%	1,010	1,137	100%	11,265	11,815	100%	1,086	1,303
<b>SEX</b>									
Male	49%	498	569	50%	5,584	5,776	46%	497	648
Female	51%	512	568	50%	5,681	6,039	54%	589	655
<b>AGE</b>									
5 and under	43%	437	529	35%	3,893	4,142	32%	344	343
6-9	16%	164	167	18%	2,036	2,110	19%	201	204
10-13	13%	135	138	14%	1,575	1,596	12%	131	174
14+	27%	274	303	33%	3,761	3,967	38%	410	582
<b>RACE/ETHNICITY</b>									
African American	49%	496	586	56%	6,254	6,750	56%	604	745
Hispanic	32%	324	376	31%	3,455	3,701	33%	359	422
White	5%	51	61	5%	531	533	4%	44	48
Other/Unknown	14%	139	114	9%	1,025	831	7%	79	88
<b>LOCATION</b>									
New York City	100%	1,010		100%	11,265		100%	1,086	
Rest of State									
<b>TYPE OF PLACEMENT</b>									
<b>NON-CONGREGATE</b>	75%	762	869	89%	10,016	10,594	87%	945	1,069
Foster Boarding Home	24%	239	594	47%	5,279	6,763	24%	261	667
Foster Adoptive Home	24%	244		11%	1,197	2	28%	303	3
Approved Relative Home	28%	279	275	31%	3,540	3,829	35%	381	399
<b>CONGREGATE</b>	25%	248	268	11%	1,249	1,221	13%	141	234
Institution	19%	187	182	6%	722	688	7%	74	129
Group Home	3%	31	51	2%	198	220	4%	41	58
Group Residence	1%	15	25	1%	82	79	1%	15	21
Agency Operated Boarding Home	1%	13	10	1%	116	102	1%	8	16
Other	0%	2		1%	131	132	0%	3	10
<b>PERMANENCY PLANNING GOAL/DISCHARGE DESTINATION (From Connections Activity Module)</b>									
Return Home	71%	715	811	50%	5,595	5,624	59%	639	730
Adoption	0%	1	27	30%	3,351	3,872	17%	190	214
Another Planned Living Arrangement	1%	11	14	14%	1,590	1,713	15%	158	254
Other	28%	283	285	6%	729	606	9%	99	98
OCFS Custody	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			7
									Current Median Years
									Previous Median Years
									1.11
									1.14
									4.71
									4.69
									4.62
									5.50
									3.34
									3.36
									1.11
<b>MEDIAN YEARS IN CARE</b>									
Statewide									
New York City					2.17	2.25		2.48	2.60
Rest of State									
<b>PINS In Care</b>					89				
<b>JDs In Care</b>					174				

	03/31/15	Milestones Achieved During Quarter				
		Total Awaiting Adoption	Have Goal, Not Freed	Freed, Not Placed	Placed, but still in LDSS Custody	Total Adopted
<b>ADOPTION</b>						
Statewide						
New York City	2,202	189	213	252	190	4.71
Rest of State						

\*- IN CARE numbers include only youth in "Active" (04) status.

NOTE - Numbers may differ from those that appear on other routine reports distributed by OCFS either because they are taken from the database on different dates or because the definition of a term differs.

The following revisions were made effective as of Q1 2015: (a) Race/Ethnicity is that from Connections (previously from CCRS); (b) new placement category "Foster Adoptive Homes" (a subset of data previously reported as Foster Boarding Homes) has been added to reflect a system change in Connections; and (c) methodology for PINS/JDs In Care calculation has been improved.