

Transitioning Youth Roundtables

Partnership with Casey Family Programs

Our Goal

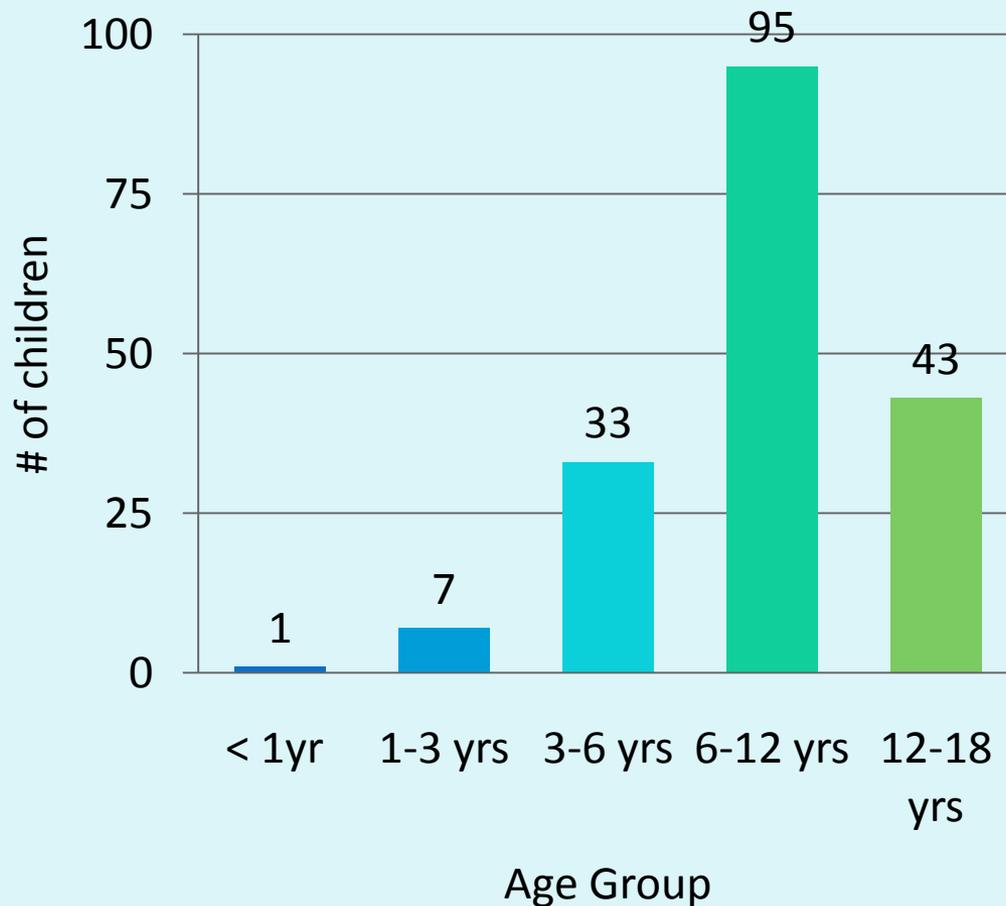
- Build a comprehensive and seamless service delivery system that provides our aging out youth with the best transitional plan possible.
- Break down systemic barriers that stand between our youth and their ability to achieve permanency.
- Strengthening a network of individuals around the youth to provide positive supports & develop strong connections as we plan for a youths transition into adulthood.

Transitioning Youth

- Youth in care ages 15 to 19 yrs old
- In Long Term Foster Care for 4 plus years
- Low IQs averaging 70-80
- Medically Fragile

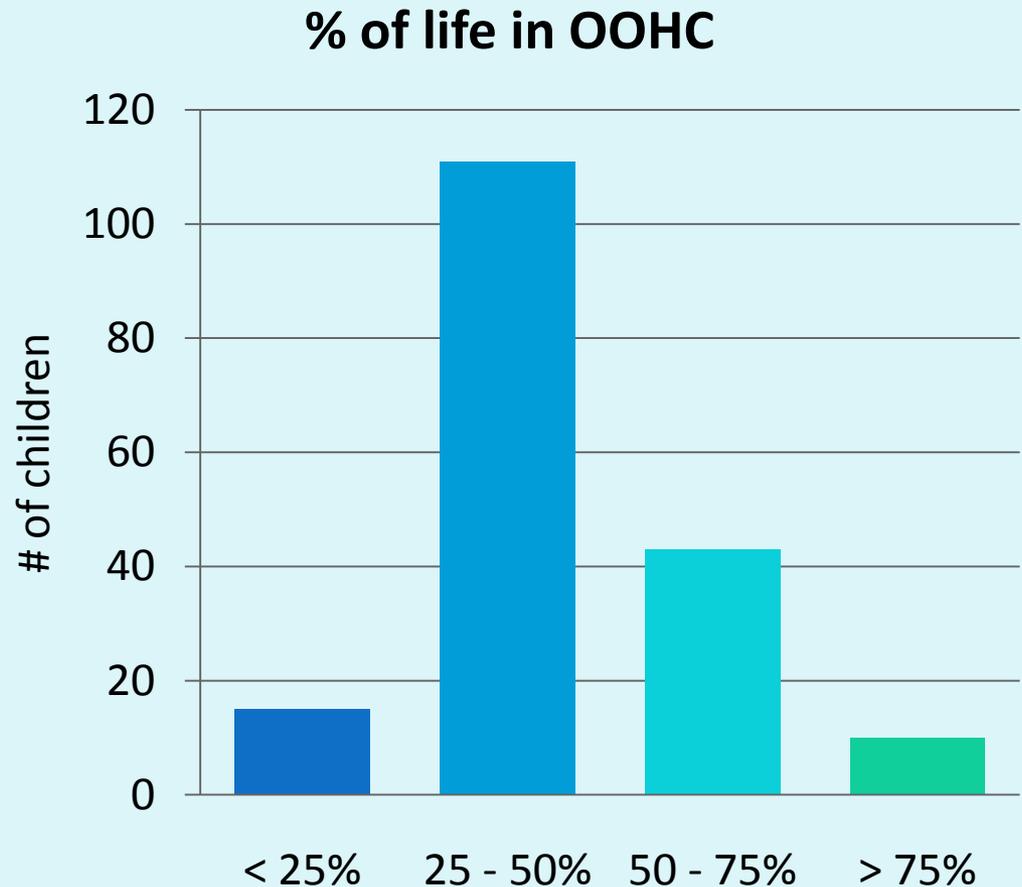
Age at First Entry to OOHC

- 1 child less than 1 year old
 - 7 were 1-3 years old
 - 33 were 3-6 years old
 - 95 were 6-12 years old
 - 43 were 12-18 years old
- **138 of 179, (77%) first entered care after the age of 6**
- **Over half entered OOHC after the age of 9**



Length of time in OOHC

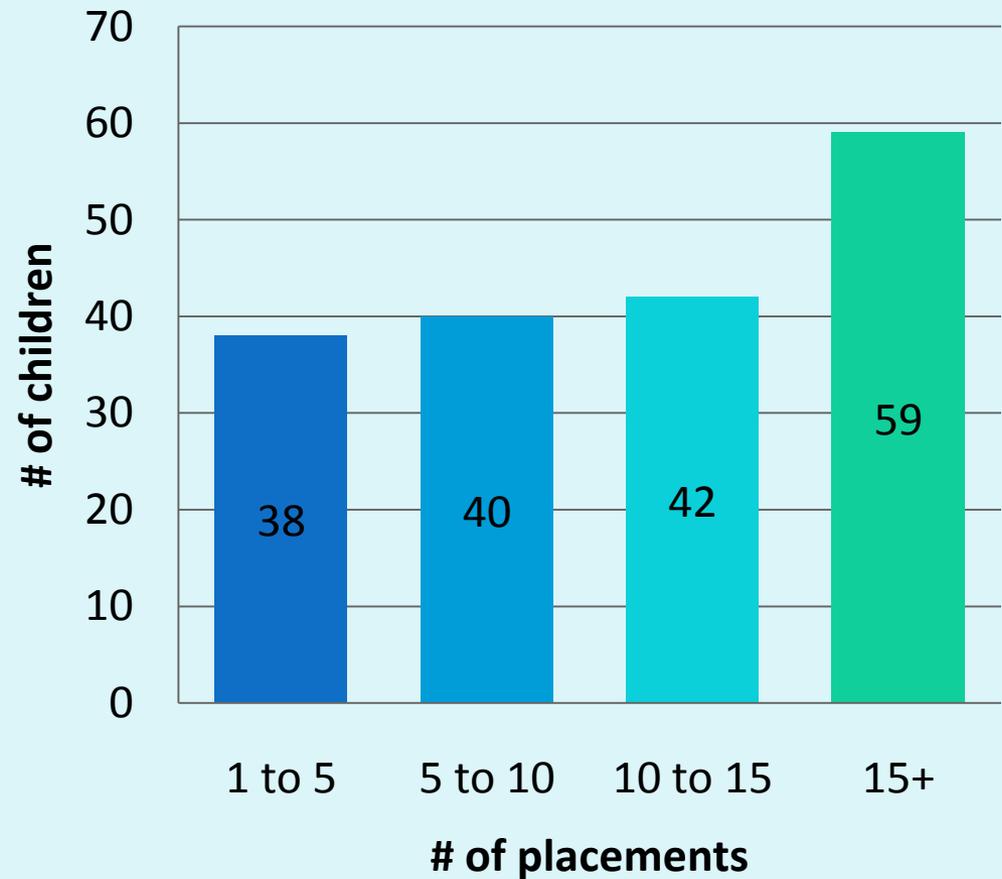
- On average, these youth have been in OOHC 7.7 years
- 76% have only had 1 OOHC episode (136 of 179 children)
 - 38, (21%) re-entered once
 - 5, (2.8%) re-entered care 2 or more times
- **Approximately 44% of these children's lives has been in OOHC**



Number of placements

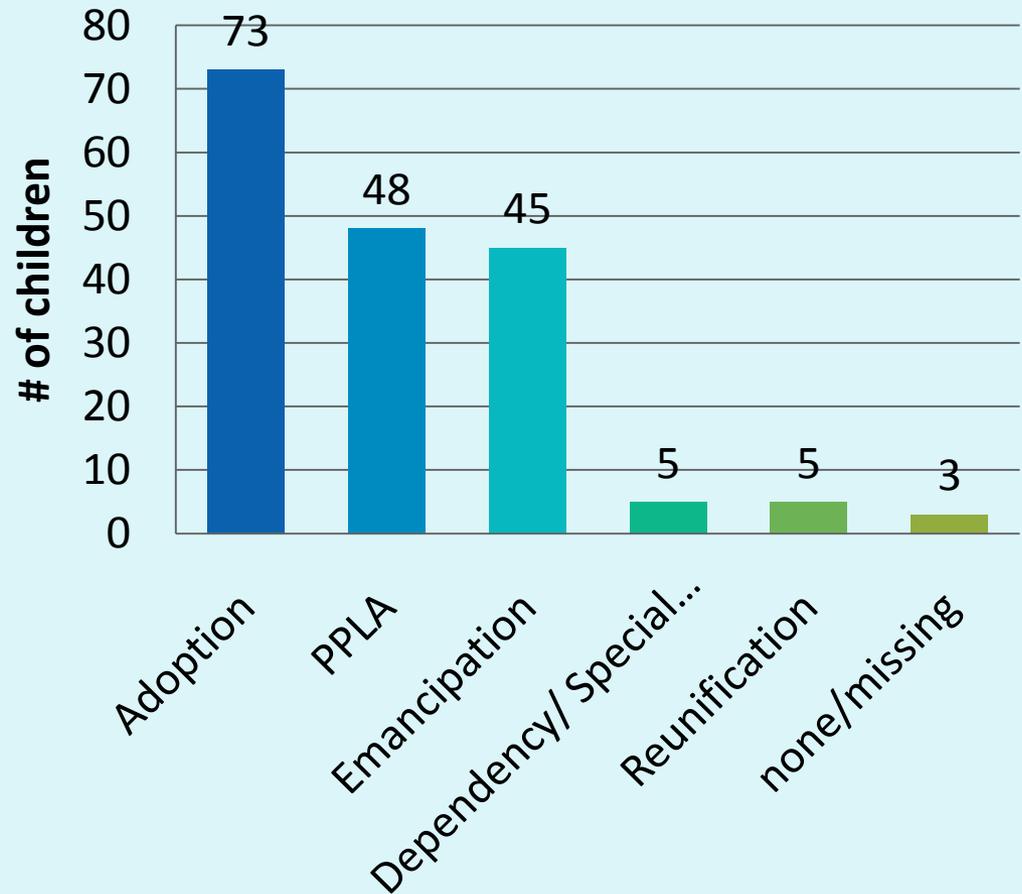
(in current episode)

- Over half of these children, (91 of 179) have had more than 10 placements
- 30 children have had more than 20 placements
- 1 child has had **40** placements



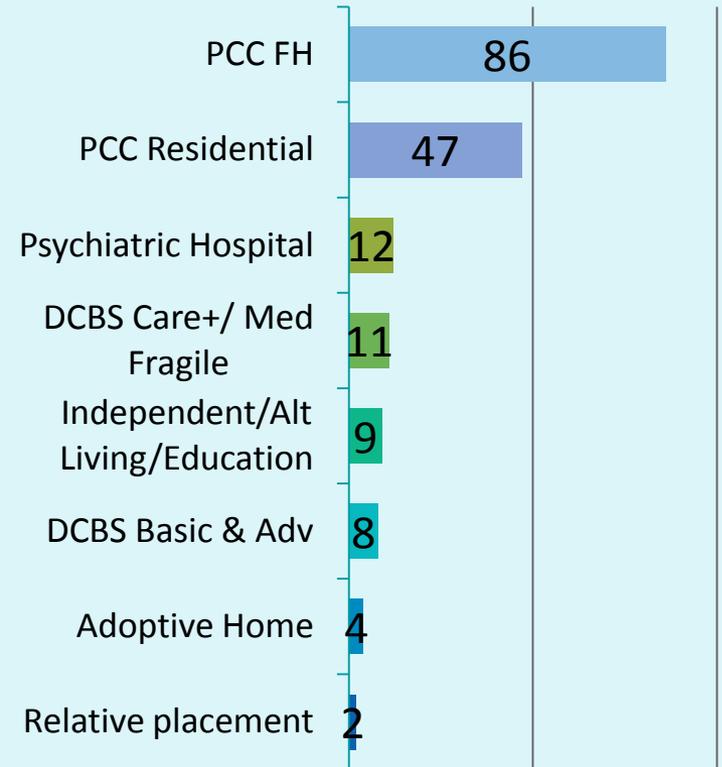
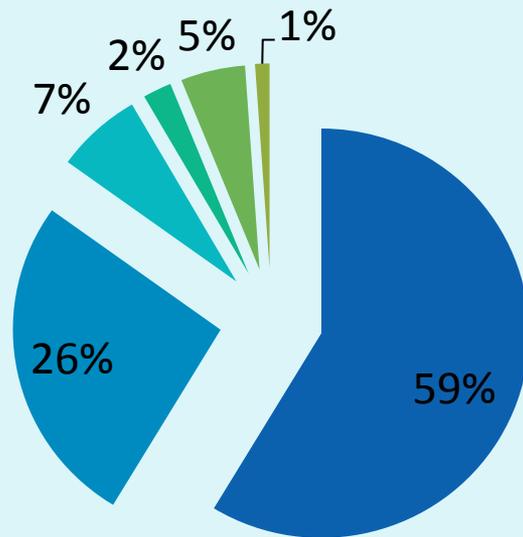
Permanency Goals

- 73 children, (40.8%) have a goal of adoption
- 48, (26.8%) have a goal of planned permanent living arrangement (PPLA)
- 45, (25.1%) have a goal of emancipation
- 5, (2.8%) have a goal of dependency/ special medical needs
- 5, (2.8%) have a goal of reunification
- 3, (1.7%) have no documented permanency goal



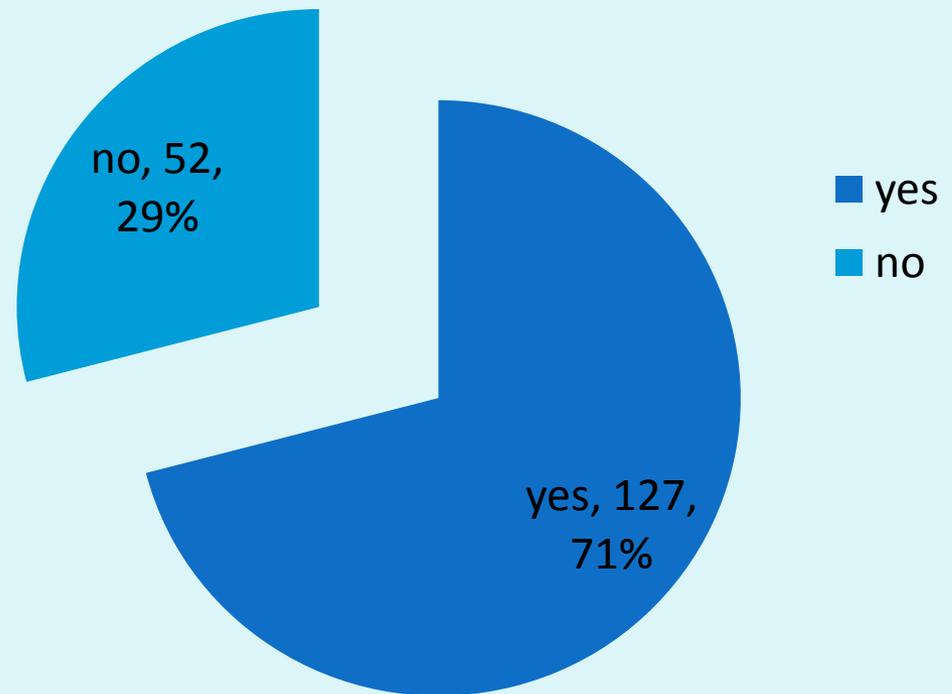
Placement Settings

- Foster Home
- Residential
- Psychiatric Hospital
- Adoptive Home
- Ind/ Alt Living
- Relative placement



Terminated Parental Rights (TPR)

- 71%, (127) of these youth have had a TPR
- Average time from 1st placement to TPR is 2.5 yrs
- Average time since TPR is 5.4 yrs



Child Health Needs

- Emotionally Disturbed – 74.9%
- Developmental/Intellectual Disability (MR) – 42.7%
- Physical Disability – 7.0%
- Visual/ Hearing Disability – 2.9%
- Other Medical Disability – 29.2%

- 42.1% of children had a combination of more than one diagnosis

- 5 Medically Fragile Children

