



Independent Living Services for Foster Youth

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TECHNICAL TABLES

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1. Demographics

NOTE REGARDING RACE/ETHNICITY CALCULATIONS: Since a person can be a member of more than one minority group, the percentages for individual racial categories will sum more than the percentage shown for "Any Minority." "White, Non-Hispanic" and "Any Minority" sum to 100 percent.

NOTE REGARDING CALCULATING PERCENTAGES BY AGE AND SEX OR BY AGE AND RACE/ETHNICITY: Percentages are provided by age of youth unless noted otherwise. To calculate percent by age and sex or by age and race/ethnicity, use numbers in the first table below as denominators and numbers in subsequent tables as numerators. Example: To find out what percent of 18-year-old males receiving ILS are in foster care, divide the number of 18-year-old males from the table "Youth in Foster Care" (n = 131) by the number of 18-year-old males receiving ILS (n = 167). The result is 78 percent (131 ÷ 167 × 100% = 78%).

DATA SUPPRESSION IN THE TECHNICAL TABLES:

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ALL YOUTH RECEIVING INDEPENDENT LIVING SERVICES

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	196	100%	286	100%	362	100%	305	100%	272	100%	228	100%	1,649	100%
Male	80	41%	134	47%	167	46%	129	42%	103	38%	103	45%	716	43%
Female	116	59%	152	53%	195	54%	176	58%	169	62%	125	55%	933	57%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	97	49%	134	47%	169	47%	133	44%	151	56%	109	48%	793	48%
Any Minority	99	51%	152	53%	193	53%	172	56%	121	44%	119	52%	856	52%
African American	24	12%	38	13%	71	20%	76	25%	43	16%	53	23%	305	18%
American Indian	42	21%	68	24%	62	17%	55	18%	33	12%	36	16%	296	18%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	16	4%	16	5%	10	4%	13	6%	74	4%
Hispanic	40	20%	55	19%	61	17%	36	12%	46	17%	32	14%	270	16%

NUMBER = Youth receiving Independent Living services at any point during the reporting period which were paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age receiving NYTD services.

NOTES: Here and below, Demographics = NYTD Data Elements 4 through 13; Independent Living services = NYTD Data Elements 20 through 33.

YOUTH IN FOSTER CARE

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	160	100%	216	100%	265	100%	127	100%	71	100%	21	100%	860	100%
Male	65	41%	106	49%	131	49%	50	39%	*	*	*	*	394	46%
Female	95	59%	110	51%	134	51%	77	61%	*	*	*	*	466	54%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	88	55%	113	52%	133	50%	59	46%	*	*	*	*	434	50%
Any Minority	72	45%	103	48%	132	50%	68	54%	*	*	*	*	426	50%
African American	24	15%	33	15%	52	20%	29	23%	*	*	*	*	157	18%
American Indian	19	12%	33	15%	31	12%	16	13%	*	*	*	*	110	13%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	13	5%	*	*	*	*	*	*	41	5%
Hispanic	34	21%	44	20%	46	17%	21	17%	*	*	*	*	164	19%

NUMBER = Youth receiving foster care services at any point during the reporting period which were paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age in foster care.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 14.

2. Education

EDUCATIONAL LEVEL BY AGE

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	196	100%	286	100%	362	100%	305	100%	272	100%	228	100%	1,649	100%
8th grade or less	59	30%	48	17%	22	6%	21	7%	*	*	*	*	169	10%
9th grade	79	40%	65	23%	57	16%	45	15%	29	11%	27	12%	302	18%
10th grade	42	21%	93	33%	85	23%	67	22%	52	19%	53	23%	392	24%
11th grade	*	*	*	*	121	33%	66	22%	62	23%	63	28%	386	23%
12th grade	*	*	*	*	53	15%	65	21%	69	25%	39	17%	234	14%
Post-sec. ed/training	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	10	4%	26	2%
College	0	0%	0	0%	12	3%	34	11%	38	14%	30	13%	114	7%
Unknown	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	26	2%

NUMBER = The highest educational level completed by the youth. "College"= completing at least a semester at a college or university.

PERCENT = Youth of given education level as a percent of all youth of the same race/ethnicity.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 18.

EDUCATIONAL LEVEL BY GENDER

	Female		Male	
	#	%	#	%
All Youth	933	100%	716	100%
8th grade or less	93	10%	76	11%
9th grade	175	19%	127	18%
10th grade	216	23%	176	25%
11th grade	205	22%	181	25%
12th grade	134	14%	100	14%
Post-sec. ed/training	14	2%	12	2%
College	81	9%	33	5%
Unknown	15	2%	11	2%

NUMBER = The highest educational level completed by the youth. "College"= completing at least a semester at a college or university.

PERCENT = Youth of given education level as a percent of all youth of the same age; percent of all youth of the same gender.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 18.

EDUCATIONAL LEVEL BY RACE/ETHNICITY

	White Only/ Non-Hispanic		Minority		African- American		American Indian		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	793	100%	856	100%	305	100%	296	100%	74	100%	270	100%
8th grade or less	86	11%	83	10%	22	7%	33	11%	*	*	32	12%
9th grade	134	17%	168	20%	73	24%	55	19%	12	16%	52	19%
10th grade	200	25%	192	22%	72	24%	65	22%	18	24%	61	23%
11th grade	189	24%	197	23%	65	21%	71	24%	20	27%	61	23%
12th grade	109	14%	125	15%	49	16%	38	13%	*	*	43	16%
Post-sec. ed/training	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	0%	*	*
College	56	7%	58	7%	14	5%	16	5%	*	*	17	6%
Unknown	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	0%	*	*

NUMBER = The highest educational level completed by the youth. "College"= completing at least a semester at a college or university.

PERCENT = Youth of given education level as a percent of all youth of the same race/ethnicity.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 18.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	36	100%	55	100%	60	100%	37	100%	25	100%	14	100%	227	100%
Male	19	53%	34	62%	32	53%	23	62%	*	*	*	*	128	56%
Female	17	47%	21	38%	28	47%	14	38%	*	*	*	*	99	44%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	20	56%	32	58%	30	50%	19	51%	*	*	*	*	125	55%
Any Minority	16	44%	23	42%	30	50%	18	49%	*	*	*	*	102	45%
African American	*	*	*	*	11	18%	*	*	*	*	*	*	42	19%
American Indian	*	*	*	*	12	20%	*	*	*	*	*	*	32	14%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	*	*	0	0%	0	0%	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	12	22%	10	17%	*	*	*	*	*	*	38	17%

NUMBER = Youth participating in special education instruction during the reporting period.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age receiving special education.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 19.

3. Independent Living Services

AVERAGE NUMBER OF INDEPENDENT LIVING SERVICES PER YOUTH (CALCULATED)

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	Mean	S.D.	Mean	S.D.	Mean	S.D.	Mean	S.D.	Mean	S.D.	Mean	S.D.	Mean	S.D.
All Youth	4.0	2.3	4.1	2.6	4.2	2.5	4.1	2.5	3.7	2.4	1.9	2.2	3.9	2.5
Male	4.5	2.6	4.3	2.7	4.2	2.7	3.8	2.6	3.4	2.1	1.9	2.2	3.9	2.5
Female	3.7	2.1	4.0	2.5	4.3	2.5	4.3	2.5	3.8	2.6	2.0	2.2	3.9	2.4
White Only/Non-Hispanic	4.3	2.6	3.9	2.5	4.0	2.6	4.1	2.6	3.4	2.2	1.8	2.1	3.7	2.5
Any Minority	3.7	2.0	4.3	2.6	4.4	2.5	4.1	2.5	4.1	2.6	2.1	2.3	4.0	2.5
African American	3.2	1.8	4.2	2.5	4.6	2.2	4.6	2.6	3.6	2.3	2.5	2.4	4.1	2.4
American Indian	3.9	2.1	4.3	2.6	4.1	2.5	3.3	2.3	4.2	2.8	1.9	2.1	3.8	2.4
Asian/Pacific Islander	4.1	1.6	4.7	2.6	3.8	3.0	4.4	3.1	4.0	3.2	3.7	3.0	4.3	2.7
Hispanic	4.0	1.9	4.7	3.0	4.7	2.6	3.9	2.5	4.3	2.6	1.5	1.9	4.2	2.6
Race Unknown/Declined	2.0	0.0	2.5	0.7	3.0	1.6	4.2	2.6	3.3	0.6	3.0	3.5	3.4	2.0

NUMBER (Mean) = An average number of Independent Living services received by youth of given age, sex or race/ethnicity at any point during the reporting period which were paid for or provided by DSHS. S.D. = Standard Deviation.

NOTES: Independent Living services = NYTD Data Elements 20 through 33.

INDEPENDENT LIVING NEEDS ASSESSMENT

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	109	100%	143	100%	164	100%	109	100%	68	100%	23	100%	616	100%
Male	43	39%	60	42%	71	43%	38	35%	27	40%	13	57%	252	41%
Female	66	61%	83	58%	93	57%	71	65%	41	60%	10	43%	364	59%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	60	55%	71	50%	75	46%	47	43%	34	50%	11	48%	298	48%
Any Minority	49	45%	72	50%	89	54%	62	57%	34	50%	12	52%	318	52%
African American	15	14%	21	15%	31	19%	29	27%	*	*	*	*	116	19%
American Indian	12	11%	26	18%	23	14%	12	11%	*	*	*	*	86	14%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	27	4%
Hispanic	23	21%	29	20%	35	21%	17	16%	*	*	*	*	119	19%

NUMBER = Youth participating in Independent Living Needs Assessment during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in ILS Assessment.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 20.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	83	100%	129	100%	184	100%	147	100%	124	100%	91	100%	758	100%
Male	40	48%	66	51%	95	52%	68	46%	50	40%	40	44%	359	47%
Female	43	52%	63	49%	89	48%	79	54%	74	60%	51	56%	399	53%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	38	46%	57	44%	79	43%	60	41%	67	54%	41	45%	342	45%
Any Minority	45	54%	72	56%	105	57%	87	59%	57	46%	50	55%	416	55%
African American	*	*	*	*	36	20%	43	29%	18	15%	23	25%	135	18%
American Indian	25	30%	35	27%	41	22%	30	20%	14	11%	14	15%	159	21%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	10	7%	*	*	*	*	37	5%
Hispanic	18	22%	30	23%	29	16%	12	8%	24	19%	13	14%	126	17%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 21.

POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION SUPPORT

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	35	100%	65	100%	127	100%	90	100%	61	100%	49	100%	427	100%
Male	14	40%	24	37%	50	39%	40	44%	17	28%	27	55%	172	40%
Female	21	60%	41	63%	77	61%	50	56%	44	72%	22	45%	255	60%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	19	54%	33	51%	54	43%	43	48%	34	56%	24	49%	207	48%
Any Minority	16	46%	32	49%	73	57%	47	52%	27	44%	25	51%	220	52%
African American	*	*	*	*	29	23%	19	21%	*	*	15	31%	79	19%
American Indian	*	*	13	20%	18	14%	11	12%	*	*	*	*	58	14%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	21	5%
Hispanic	*	*	16	25%	28	22%	16	18%	12	20%	*	*	86	20%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 22.

CAREER PREPARATION

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	125	100%	169	100%	187	100%	150	100%	136	100%	91	100%	858	100%
Male	58	46%	85	50%	95	51%	65	43%	51	38%	48	53%	402	47%
Female	67	54%	84	50%	92	49%	85	57%	85	63%	43	47%	456	53%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	66	53%	72	43%	82	44%	67	45%	75	55%	40	44%	402	47%
Any Minority	59	47%	97	57%	105	56%	83	55%	61	45%	51	56%	456	53%
African American	12	10%	24	14%	37	20%	43	29%	18	13%	29	32%	163	19%
American Indian	24	19%	39	23%	30	16%	21	14%	20	15%	13	14%	147	17%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	10	5%	*	*	*	*	*	*	44	5%
Hispanic	30	24%	41	24%	39	21%	16	11%	25	18%	10	11%	161	19%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 23.

EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMS OR VOCATIONAL TRAINING

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	31	100%	50	100%	52	100%	37	100%	43	100%	26	100%	239	100%
Male	16	52%	27	54%	28	54%	17	46%	18	42%	13	50%	119	50%
Female	15	48%	23	46%	24	46%	20	54%	25	58%	13	50%	120	50%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	14	45%	26	52%	24	46%	16	43%	24	56%	11	42%	115	48%
Any Minority	17	55%	24	48%	28	54%	21	57%	19	44%	15	58%	124	52%
African American	*	*	*	*	13	25%	12	32%	7	16%	6	23%	48	20%
American Indian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	34	14%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	10	4%
Hispanic	*	*	12	24%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	42	18%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 24.

BUDGET AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	67	100%	91	100%	127	100%	90	100%	82	100%	62	100%	519	100%
Male	32	48%	46	51%	62	49%	32	36%	26	32%	24	39%	222	43%
Female	35	52%	45	49%	65	51%	58	64%	56	68%	38	61%	297	57%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	36	54%	41	45%	58	46%	45	50%	42	51%	30	48%	252	49%
Any Minority	31	46%	50	55%	69	54%	45	50%	40	49%	32	52%	267	51%
African American	*	*	16	18%	23	18%	20	22%	*	*	14	23%	90	17%
American Indian	12	18%	19	21%	20	16%	11	12%	14	17%	11	18%	87	17%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	29	6%
Hispanic	15	22%	19	21%	29	23%	*	*	16	20%	*	*	96	18%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 25.

HOUSING EDUCATION AND HOME MANAGEMENT TRAINING

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	68	100%	130	100%	165	100%	160	100%	122	100%	93	100%	738	100%
Male	34	50%	57	44%	70	42%	51	32%	39	32%	40	43%	291	39%
Female	34	50%	73	56%	95	58%	109	68%	83	68%	53	57%	447	61%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	36	53%	58	45%	67	41%	72	45%	57	47%	40	43%	330	45%
Any Minority	32	47%	72	55%	98	59%	88	55%	65	53%	53	57%	408	55%
African American	*	*	*	*	43	26%	50	31%	24	20%	28	30%	171	23%
American Indian	*	*	31	24%	22	13%	20	13%	18	15%	*	*	116	16%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	39	5%
Hispanic	*	*	28	22%	34	21%	18	11%	25	20%	*	*	133	18%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 26.

HEALTH EDUCATION AND RISK PREVENTION

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	45	100%	69	100%	79	100%	66	100%	73	100%	36	100%	368	100%
Male	21	47%	34	49%	36	46%	29	44%	33	45%	13	36%	166	45%
Female	24	53%	35	51%	43	54%	37	56%	40	55%	23	64%	202	55%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	27	60%	26	38%	32	41%	30	45%	38	52%	16	44%	169	46%
Any Minority	18	40%	43	62%	47	59%	36	55%	35	48%	20	56%	199	54%
African American	*	*	*	*	16	20%	19	29%	*	*	*	*	54	15%
American Indian	13	29%	23	33%	17	22%	*	*	*	*	10	28%	82	22%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	16	4%
Hispanic	*	*	19	28%	17	22%	*	*	14	19%	*	*	65	18%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 27.

FAMILY SUPPORT AND HEALTHY MARRIAGE EDUCATION

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	99	100%	147	100%	164	100%	130	100%	117	100%	74	100%	731	100%
Male	48	48%	72	49%	73	45%	51	39%	40	34%	31	42%	315	43%
Female	51	52%	75	51%	91	55%	79	61%	77	66%	43	58%	416	57%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	50	51%	66	45%	70	43%	52	40%	58	50%	34	46%	330	45%
Any Minority	49	49%	81	55%	94	57%	78	60%	59	50%	40	54%	401	55%
African American	12	12%	17	12%	37	23%	38	29%	19	16%	16	22%	139	19%
American Indian	19	19%	39	27%	33	20%	24	18%	*	*	*	*	142	19%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	35	5%
Hispanic	21	21%	31	21%	28	17%	14	11%	21	18%	11	15%	126	17%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 28.

MENTORING

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	44	100%	80	100%	93	100%	89	100%	55	100%	28	100%	389	100%
Male	18	41%	39	49%	36	39%	32	36%	19	35%	17	61%	161	41%
Female	26	59%	41	51%	57	61%	57	64%	36	65%	11	39%	228	59%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	22	50%	32	40%	41	44%	29	33%	22	40%	8	29%	154	40%
Any Minority	22	50%	48	60%	52	56%	60	67%	33	60%	20	71%	235	60%
African American	*	*	18	23%	28	30%	34	38%	15	27%	*	*	112	29%
American Indian	12	27%	24	30%	11	12%	17	19%	*	*	*	*	81	21%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	24	6%
Hispanic	*	*	10	13%	11	12%	*	*	*	*	*	*	48	12%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 29.

SUPERVISED INDEPENDENT LIVING

CAUTION: Supervised Independent Living (SIL) is not a placement option for foster youth in Washington State. Youth reported to have received SIL services may have moved to Washington from another state with a SIL option during the reporting period.

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	*	*	*	*	10	100%	11	100%	10	100%	*	*	42	100%
Male	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	20	48%
Female	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	22	52%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	21	50%
Any Minority	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	21	50%
African American	0	0%	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	0%	*	*
American Indian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	0%	13	31%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	*	*	*	*	0	0%	*	*
Hispanic	0	0%	*	*	0	0%	*	*	0	0%	*	*	*	*

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 30.

ROOM AND BOARD FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	*	*	*	*	24	100%	20	100%	19	100%	18	100%	89	100%
Male	*	*	*	*	10	42%	*	*	*	*	*	*	34	38%
Female	*	*	*	*	14	58%	*	*	*	*	*	*	55	62%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	13	54%	*	*	*	*	*	*	39	44%
Any Minority	*	*	*	*	11	46%	*	*	*	*	*	*	50	56%
African American	0	0%	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	18	20%
American Indian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	19	21%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	*	*	0	0%	0	0%	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	17	19%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 31.

EDUCATION FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	10	100%	22	100%	38	100%	31	100%	20	100%	18	100%	139	100%
Male	*	*	*	*	22	58%	17	55%	*	*	*	*	75	54%
Female	*	*	*	*	16	42%	14	45%	*	*	*	*	64	46%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	10	100%	10	45%	20	53%	17	55%	*	*	*	*	78	56%
Any Minority	0	0%	12	55%	18	47%	14	45%	*	*	*	*	61	44%
African American	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	0%	*	*	19	14%
American Indian	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	17	12%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	0%	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	26	19%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 32.

OTHER FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	63	100%	75	100%	121	100%	109	100%	70	100%	59	100%	497	100%
Male	24	38%	43	57%	54	45%	41	38%	21	30%	25	42%	208	42%
Female	39	62%	32	43%	67	55%	68	62%	49	70%	34	58%	289	58%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	35	56%	26	35%	60	50%	51	47%	28	40%	24	41%	224	45%
Any Minority	28	44%	49	65%	61	50%	58	53%	42	60%	35	59%	273	55%
African American	*	*	*	*	24	20%	25	23%	14	20%	23	39%	100	20%
American Indian	18	29%	24	32%	17	14%	14	13%	*	*	*	*	92	19%
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	24	5%
Hispanic	*	*	17	23%	17	14%	12	11%	21	30%	*	*	79	16%

NUMBER = Youth participating in a given program during the reporting period that was paid for or provided by DSHS.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all youth of the same age participating in the program.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 33.

4. Criminal Justice Involvement

ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT YOUTH

	16 Years		17 Years		18 Years		19 Years		20 Years		21 Years		ALL AGES	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	%	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Youth	33	100%	67	100%	96	100%	80	100%	60	100%	53	100%	389	100%
Male	17	52%	49	73%	54	56%	45	56%	33	55%	26	49%	224	58%
Female	16	48%	18	27%	42	44%	35	44%	27	45%	27	51%	165	42%
White Only/Non-Hispanic	16	48%	29	43%	47	49%	33	41%	31	52%	30	57%	186	48%
Any Minority	17	52%	38	57%	49	51%	47	59%	29	48%	23	43%	203	52%
African American	*	*	*	*	17	18%	24	30%	14	23%	11	21%	83	21%
American Indian	*	*	18	27%	18	19%	17	21%	10	17%	*	*	73	19%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	16	4%
Hispanic	*	*	17	25%	16	17%	*	*	*	*	10	19%	65	17%

NUMBER = Youth who was ever adjudicated as a delinquent by a State or Federal court of competent jurisdiction.

PERCENT = Youth of given sex or race/ethnicity as a percent of all adjudicated youth of the same age.

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 17.

5. Local Agency

LOCAL AGENCY	NUMBER	PERCENT	Persons 16 to 21	Rate per 10,000
WA Total	1,649	100%	552,484	30
Adams	*	*	1,867	*
Asotin	*	*	1,319	*
Benton	36	2.18%	14,692	25
Chelan	10	0.61%	5,369	19
Clallam	21	1.27%	4,335	48
Clark	122	7.40%	35,075	35
Columbia	*	*	250	*
Cowlitz	20	1.21%	7,654	26
Douglas	*	*	3,172	*
Ferry	*	*	613	*
Franklin	15	0.91%	7,595	20
Garfield	0	0.00%	142	0
Grant	23	1.39%	7,988	29
Grays Harbor	37	2.24%	4,992	74
Island	11	0.67%	5,314	21
Jefferson	*	*	1,392	*
King	377	22.86%	146,213	26
Kitsap	79	4.79%	19,023	42
Kittitas	*	*	8,330	*
Klickitat	12	0.73%	1,282	94
Lewis	24	1.46%	5,534	43
Lincoln	*	*	755	*
Mason	21	1.27%	4,039	52
Okanogan	*	*	2,704	*
Pacific	*	*	1,162	*
Pend Oreille	*	*	908	*
Pierce	184	11.16%	62,765	29
San Juan	*	*	759	*
Skaqit	56	3.40%	8,496	66
Skamania	0	0.00%	735	0
Snohomish	146	8.85%	53,254	27
Spokane	133	8.07%	45,676	29
Stevens	31	1.88%	3,379	92
Thurston	36	2.18%	20,625	17
Wahkiakum	*	*	223	*
Walla Walla	28	1.70%	6,598	42
Whatcom	75	4.55%	24,052	31
Whitman	*	*	15,208	*
Yakima	103	6.25%	18,997	54
Centralized unit	*	*	n/a	n/a

NOTES: NYTD Data Element 15. Persons 16 to 21 Years Old: Office of Financial Management, 2015 Population Estimates by Age and Sex.



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TECHNICAL NOTES

National Youth in Transition Database (NYTD) Data

The Foster Care Independence Act of 1999 (P.L. 106-169) required the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) to develop and implement a data collection system to perform two functions: (1) track the independent living services States provide to youth; and (2) develop outcome measures that may be used to assess State performance in operating their independent living programs.

States were required to begin collecting NYTD data on October 1, 2010 (Federal Fiscal Year 2011); they report data to ACF semiannually. The six-month reporting periods are: October 1 to Mar 31 and Apr 1 to Sep 30. States must submit data files to ACF within 45 days of the end of the reporting period.

Served population includes all youth who participate in at least one independent living service paid for or provided by the State CFCIP agency or an agent of the State during a six month reporting period. States collect and report information on youth in the served population on an ongoing basis for as long as the youth participate in services.

The analysis pertains to Washington youth who participated in NYTD-reported ILS services at any time between October 1, 2014 and September 30, 2015 (n = 1,991). The youth's age was determined as of the middle point of a reporting period during which they were served (December 31, 2014 or June 30, 2015). For the youth served during both periods, their age as of December 31, 2014 was used in the analysis.

Race-Ethnicity Data

A youth's race is determined by the youth or his/her parent(s); they can report more than one race for the youth. The NYTD records the following races:

- An African American youth has origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
- An American Indian or Alaska Native youth has origins in any of the original peoples of North or South America (including Central America), and maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.
- An Asian youth has origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.
- A Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander youth has origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa or other Pacific Islands.
- White youth has origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.
- A youth is of Hispanic or Latino ethnicity if he/she is of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
- The youth/parents may decline to identify or be not able to communicate the youth's race. The race may also be unknown.

The report presents data for Non-Hispanic White (one race only), Any Minority, African-American, American Indian, Asian or Pacific Islander, Hispanic, and Race Unknown/Declined categories.