

Community Based Care: Hardee, Highlands & Polk Counties

CBC Performance and Quality Improvement Meeting

Data for Week Ended Sunday, December 04, 2022

No Meeting This Week



Community Based Care Lead Agency Scorecard

FY 22-23, 1st Quarter: July 01, 2022 to September 30, 2022

CBC Lead Agency												
Scorecard Performance Table		Sa	fety		Permanency				Well-Being			
Measures	Rate of Abuse per 100,000 days while in foster care.	who are not neglected	Children who are not neglected or abused after closure of services.	Children under supervision who are seen every 30 days.	Children exiting foster care to a permanent home within 12 months of entering care.	Children achieving permanency in 12 months for children in foster care 12 to 23 months.	7. Children who do not re-enter foster care within 12 months of moving to a permanent home.	8. Children's placement moves per 1,000 days in foster care.	Children in out-of- home care who have received medical services in the last 12 months.	10. Children in out-of- home care who received dental services within the last 7 months.	11. Young adults in foster care at age 18 that have completed or are enrolled in secondary education.	12. Children placed with all of their siblings who are in out of home care.
Standard	8.5	95.0%	95.0%	99.5%	40.5%	43.6%	91.7%	4.12	95.0%	95.0%	80.0%	65.0%
Reporting Period	07/01/21 to 06/30/22	07/01/21 to 06/30/22	01/01/21 to 12/31/21	10/01/21 to 09/30/22	10/01/20 to 09/30/21	10/01/21	10/01/19 to 09/30/20	10/01/21 to 09/30/22	09/30/22	09/30/22	10/01/21 to 09/30/22	09/30/22
Brevard Family Partnership	7.38	94.6%	96.6%	99.7%	33.5%	53.0%	94.6%	3.71	97.0%	90.6%	95.8%	57.0%
ChildNet - Broward	8.60	96.8%	96.1%	99.7%	32.1%	51.9%	80.6%	3.67	96.2%	88.0%	83.6%	65.4%
ChildNet - Palm Beach	10.42	95.7%	95.7%	99.6%	32.3%	61.7%	92.8%	3.47	97.4%	89.9%	57.1%	59.8%
Children's Network of SW Florida	7.00	97.3%	97.0%	99.9%	33.0%	57.1%	95.1%	4.94	96.3%	95.4%	90.2%	58.9%
Children's Network-Hillsborough	7.42	96.1%	97.0%	98.0%	27.1%	32.1%	94.0%	7.24	86.1%	65.5%	61.0%	57.3%
Citrus Health Network	2.82	95.6%	99.1%	99.6%	27.5%	43.6%	93.8%	3.22	97.3%	96.6%	94.8%	60.2%
Communities Connected for Kids	8.13	94.6%	97.5%	99.7%	45.4%	76.6%	92.2%	3.27	97.9%	89.9%	82.6%	58.0%
Community Partnership for Childr.	5.54	94.1%	97.2%	99.4%	24.4%	52.6%	86.6%	4.26	94.7%	71.1%	87.5%	61.3%
Embrace Families	8.45	94.3%	97.4%	97.9%	29.7%	46.5%	90.7%	6.51	60.4%	39.1%	83.3%	59.0%
Families First Network	9.34	95.1%	97.4%	99.6%	24.4%	41.0%	89.6%	7.36	94.5%	87.5%	79.4%	59.1%
Family Integrity Program	2.24	96.1%	96.8%	99.8%	49.1%	87.9%	93.0%	3.25	100.0%	97.8%	75.0%	61.1%
Family Support Services North Fla	5.33	96.5%	96.9%	99.8%	33.4%	63.3%	83.1%	5.29	96.9%	91.9%	96.8%	56.4%
FSS Suncoast	8.49	93.8%	96.2%	97.0%	25.5%	40.9%	93.3%	5.99	78.0%	54.2%	89.4%	61.5%
Heartland For Children	8.82	95.0%	97.6%	99.8%	35.5%	43.7%	92.3%	3.50	97.8%	92.4%	96.8%	58.7%
Kids Central, Inc.	4.96	95.6%	97.0%	99.1%	31.6%	38.0%	87.8%	7.17	82.6%	62.3%	77.1%	65.1%
Kids First of Florida, Inc.	4.74	98.8%	94.9%	96.5%	32.1%	46.1%	86.0%	4.32	89.3%	60.9%	60.0%	63.3%
Northwest Florida Health Network	6.86	96.3%	97.0%	99.6%	28.9%	51.0%	91.8%	5.53	91.2%	89.5%	82.7%	61.7%
Partnership for Strong Families	5.82	97.5%	97.8%	99.9%	23.3%	56.9%	94.3%	5.28	87.2%	62.7%	92.5%	55.3%
Safe Children Coalition	5.88	97.3%	94.7%	99.4%	38.9%	44.6%	91.7%	4.66	97.6%	84.6%	72.0%	64.3%
Statewide	7.20	95.7%	96.7%	98.8%	30.6%	47.8%	90.7%	5.27	87.9%	74.6%	81.8%	60.2%
Red Zone	8.85	92.9%	92.9%	98.9%	36.3%	39.2%	90.8%	4.54	89.9%	89.9%	69.9%	60.0%



Scorecard Measure 4 – Children Seen Every Thirty Days

SM04 - Percent of children under supervision who are required to be seen every 30 days - Target = 99.5%

Scorecard Measure #4 - Children Under Supervision Who Are Seen Every Thirty Days Supervision between 11/01/22 - 11/30/22									
Agency # of Children Not % of Children seen in 30 days seen timely									
CHS	1	99.99%							
LSF	3	99.97%							
OHU	5	99.94%							
Total 9 99.96%									
Source: "Childre	n Under Supervision Who Are	e Seen Every Thirty Days -							

Report #1144" Data-as-of: 12/04/22



Monthly Birth Parent Contacts

Target = 70% Mothers and 50% Fathers - seen monthly

	Birth Parent Contact Completed 11/01/22 to 11/30/22										
AGENCY	# Moms Required	# Moms Completed	Mom % Completed	# Dads Required	# Dads Completed	Dad % Completed	Combined Average				
CHS	214	93	43.5%	133	36	27.1%	35.3%				
LSF	204	82	40.2%	149	31	20.8%	30.5%				
OHU	177	88	49.7%	123	45	36.6%	43.2%				
TOTAL	595	263	44.2%	405	112	27.7%	35.9%				

Mother Contact

Green: 70% or above, **Yellow:** 69% - 60%, **Red**: 59% or less

Father Contact

Green: 50% or above, Yellow: 49% - 40%, Red: 39% or less





Scorecard Measures 5 & 6 - Children Achieving Permanency

SM05 - Percent of children exiting care to a permanent home within 12 months of entering care - Target = 40.5%

SM06 - Percent of children exiting care to a permanent home for children in care 12-23 months - Target = 43.6%

Reunifications Entered into FSFN: Week of 11/28/22 thru 12/04/22											
Agency	Agency Timely Un-Timely Total										
CHS		1	1								
LSF		2	2								
OHU	OHU 3 3										
Total											

Service Availabilities Service Snapshot of Availability as of 12/05/22								
Youth Villages	Peace River Home-to-Stay							
0 – Polk	5 – Polk 0 – Highlands / Hardee							

Scorecard Measure #5 - 01/01/21 to 12/31/21 Children Achieving Permanency within 0-12 Mths FY 22-23 - 2nd Qtr as of 12/04/22									
Agency	Agency Permanency within 12 mths Total Children out-of-home care Reunification								
CHS	79	245	32.2%						
LSF	73	273	26.7%						
OHU	109	262	41.6%						
HFC Total	261	780	33.46%						

Scorecard Measure #6 - 01/01/22 Children Achieving Permanency within 12-23 Mths FY 22-23 - 2nd Qtr as of 12/04/22									
Agency Permanency within 12-23 mths Total Children LOS 12-23 mths Reunification									
CHS	41	106	38.7%						
LSF	69	137	50.4%						
OHU	37	82	45.1%						
HFC Total	147	325	45.2%						

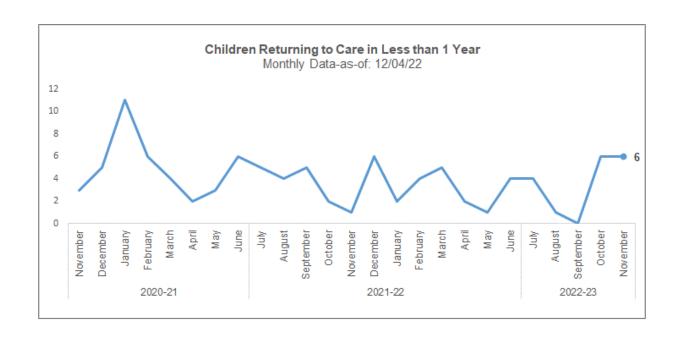
SM05 - Percentage to reach Yellow = **36.5%**

SM06 - Percentage to reach Yellow = 39.4%



Children Returning to Care

Number of Children in a Recent Removal Episode Who Have Had a Prior Removal



	Removal Episodes for Children with a Prior Removal Removals entered into FSFN between 11/28/22 - 12/04/22											
Current Agency	Current Removal Date	Prior Unit	Prior Removal	Prior Discharge	Length of Stay (months)	Length from Prior Discharge (months)	LOR Range	SM07 Cohort				
Not Assigned	10/28/2022	141035-GCCC	10/19/2010	10/10/2011	12	132	> 5.0 yrs	N				
Not Assigned	10/28/2022	141035-GCCC	10/19/2010	10/10/2011	12	132	> 5.0 yrs	N				
Not Assigned	10/28/2022	141035-GCCC	10/19/2010	10/10/2011	12	132	> 5.0 yrs	N				

Source: FSFN Data Warehouse Ad Hoc Report, Data-as-of: 12/04/22

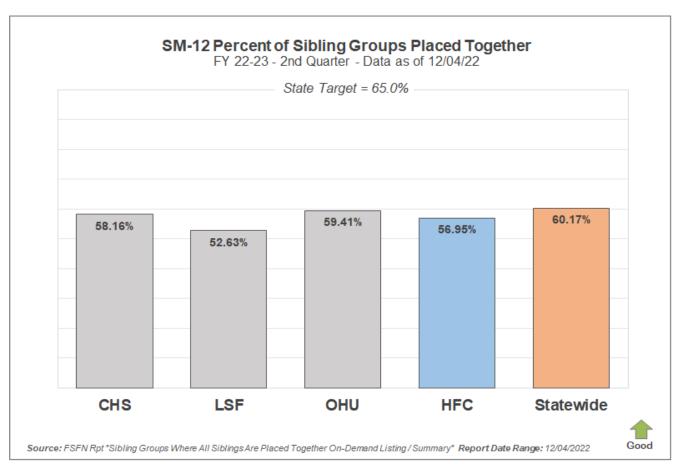


Scorecard Measure 12 – Separated Siblings

SM12 - Percentage of siblings groups in out-of-home care where all siblings are placed together — **Target = 65.0**%

SM	SM12 - Percent of Sibling Groups Placed Together										
Agency	Number of Cases w/ Siblings Together	Total Cases Sibling Groups	Percent of Siblings Placed Together								
CHS	57	98	58.16%								
LSF	50	95	52.63%								
OHU	60	101	59.41%								
HFC	168	295	56.95%								

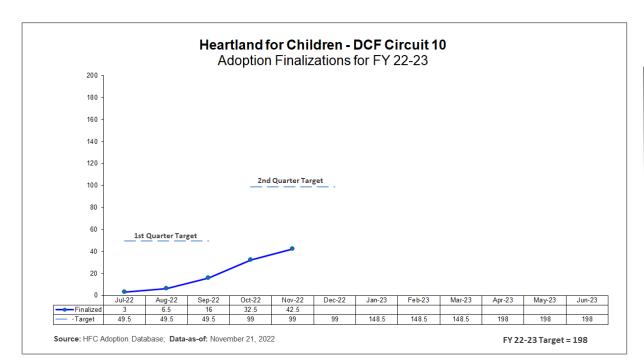
Number of sibling groups to achieve SM12 target – **24 Sibling Groups**





Adoption Finalizations

Percent of Adoptions Finalized with 24 Months of Removal & Percent of Adoption Goal Met



Upcoming Finalization Dates

December 07, 2022 December 14, 2022

Adoption Finalizations FY 22-23 - 2nd Quarter as of 12/02/22										
СМО	Subsidy Files Finalized Quarter Quarter Submitted Adoptions Target Target Me									
CHS	4	7.5	29	25.9%						
LSF	6	11.5	25	46.0%						
OHU	3	7.5	31	24.2%						
Total	13	26.5	85	31.2%						

	Adoption Finalizations Total Fiscal Year-to-Date								
Total Finalized	HFC Target	% Met	% w/in 24 Mths						
42.5	198	21.5%	24.1%						



Children's Legal Services- Shelter Report

CLS Weekly Shelter Report FY 2022-23 as of December 05, 2022

			CL	S WEI	EKLY	SHEL.	TER R	EPOR1	- FY 2	022-20	23			
													22/23	21/22
	JUL	AUG	SEP	ост	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	Totals	Totals
	# of Shelter Hearings													
Polk	29	24	18	34	18	1							124	315
Highlands	5	3	2	3	5	0							18	44
Hardee	0	0	1	0	1	0							2	23
Total	34	27	21	37	24	1							144	379
						# Chil	dren Re	emoved						
Polk	50	55	29	73	39	2							248	551
Highlands	8	9	7	3	10	0							37	71
Hardee	0	0	5	0	2	0							7	43
Total	58	64	41	76	51	2							292	656
				ı			dren De	nied Sh	elter					
Polk	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	0
Highlands	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	0
Hardee	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	0
							Placed	with Re	lative					
Polk	28	43	18	31	26	2							148	285
Highlands	5	6	5	2	9	0							27	55
Hardee	0	0	5	0	2	0							7	26
Total	33	49	28	33	37	2							182	357
							aced wi	th Non I	Relative					
Polk	5	10	4	22	4	0							45	80
Highlands	0	0	2	0	0	0							2	6
Hardee	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	3
Total	5	10	6	22	4	0							47	89
							laced w	ith Ficti	ve Kin					
Polk	1	0	0	0	0	0							1	6
Highlands	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	1
Hardee	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	1
Total	1	0	0	0	0	0							1	8
							Placed i	n Foste	r Care					
Polk	16	2	7	20	9	0							54	180
Highlands	3	3	0	1	1	0							8	11
Hardee	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	11
Total	19	5	7	21	10	0							62	202

% of Children Sheltered Placed in Foster Care Data as of 12/05/22							
Month	20-21	21-22	22-23				
Jul	28.6%	22.1%	32.8%				
Aug	21.9%	43.5%	7.8%				
Sep	27.3%	28.2%	17.1%				
Oct	22.4%	28.9%	27.6%				
Nov	20.4%	36.8%	19.6%				
Dec	24.5%	19.4%	0.0%				
Jan	25.0%	48.8%					
Feb	20.5%	15.6%					
Mar	21.7%	47.2%					
Apr	17.5%	26.9%					
May	23.4%	27.5%					
Jun	38.5%	32.4%					
FY Total	24.9%	30.8%	21.2%				

Shelter Count for the Week of November 29 - December 05, 2022							
	Polk	Highlands	Hardee				
Shelters	5	1	0				
Children Removed	6	1	0				
Placed w/ a Relative	5	1	0				
Placed w/a Non-Rel	0	0	0				
Placed w/a Fictive Kin	0	0	0				
Placed in Foster Care	1	0	0				



Case Transfer Staffing Data

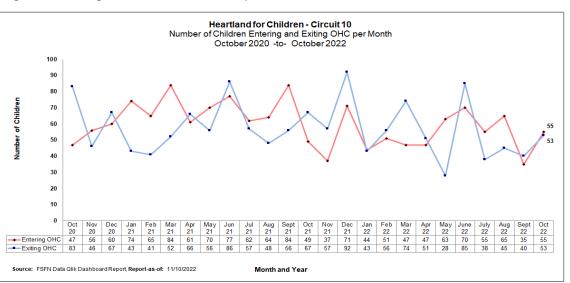
Case Transfer Data For Fiscal Year July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023 - Data as of 12/05/22

	JUL	AUG	eed.	ост	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAD	APR	MAY	JUN	22-23	21-22
	JUL	AUG	SEF	001	NOV	DEC	JAIN	FEB	WAR	AFK	IVIAT	JUIN	Totals	Totals
Number of	f Child	dren												
CHS	32	32	19	17	24	4							128	358
LSF	36	34	20	38	36	1							165	355
OHU Polk	12	18	13	7	12	1							63	147
One Hope	37	49	40	30	47	0							203	503
Total	117	133	92	92	119	6							559	1363
Out of Hor	ne Ca	re												
CHS	19	19	16	13	19	4							90	200
LSF	17	15	15	24	25	1							97	188
OHU Polk	8	9	12	7	9	1							46	103
One Hope	12	8	12	6	18	0							56	113
Total	56	51	55	50	71	6							289	604
In - Home	Judic	ial												
CHS	5	0	0	0	0	0							5	4
LSF	2	1	0	2	0	0							5	16
OHU Polk	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	2
One Hope	0	2	0	0	0	0							2	6
Total	7	3	0	2	0	0							12	28

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	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCI	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	Totals	Totals
Non-Judic	ial In	- Hom	e Ser	vices										
CHS	6	8	3	3	3	0							23	116
LSF	10	10	5	8	8	0							41	95
OHU Polk	4	9	1	0	1	0							15	31
One Hope	3	3	0	3	12	0							21	35
Total	23	30	9	14	24	0							100	277
OCS / ICP	C Cou	irtesy	Supe	rvisio	n									
CHS	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	0
LSF	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	0
OHU Polk	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	0
One Hope	22	29	28	21	17	0							117	338
Total	22	29	28	21	17	0							117	338
Reinstater	nent o	of Pro	tectiv	e Ser	vices	Super	vison	(Not	ice of	Heari	ngs)			
CHS	0	3	0	0	0	0							3	17
LSF	5	6	0	4	3	0							18	46
OHU Polk	0	0	0	0	0	0							0	2
One Hope	0	4	0	0	0	0							4	0
Total	5	13	0	4	3	0							25	65

Children Entering & Exiting Care

Number of Children Entering and Exiting Out-of-Home Care per Month







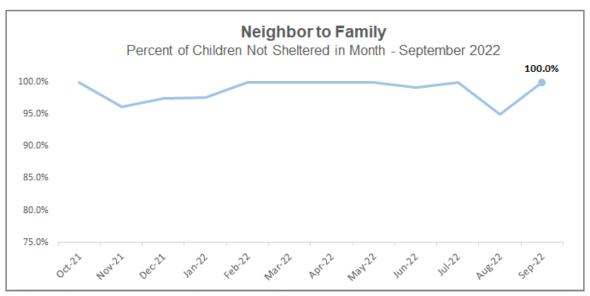
Neighbor to Family – Weekly & Monthly Census

22-23 Fiscal Year to Month - Percentage of Children Not Sheltered: 97.4%

"Listening and giving positive feedback!"

- NTF Parent Satisfaction Survey- Q: What we are doing well?

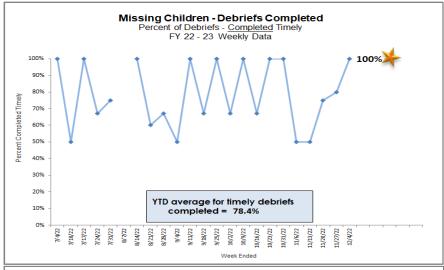
Neighbor To Family - Weekly Census Numbers Weekly Data 11/29/22 through 12/05/22							
Referral Type Number of Families Number of Children							
CPI - Safety Management	1	3					
CPI - Family Support	20	62					
Specialized - Family Support	5	15					
Prevention - Comm. Referral	28	56					
Special Conditions Report	4	9					
Nurturing Parenting	13	21					
NTF - Total Services 71 166							

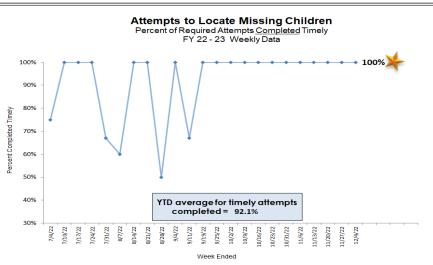


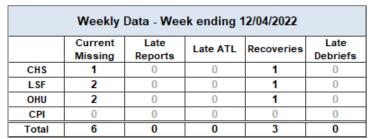


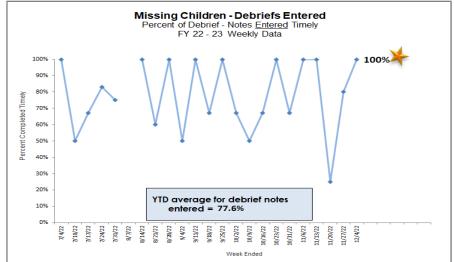
Missing Children

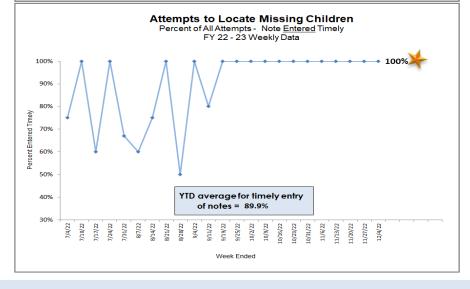
HFC - DCF Circuit 10 Missing Youth Data as of Reporting Date









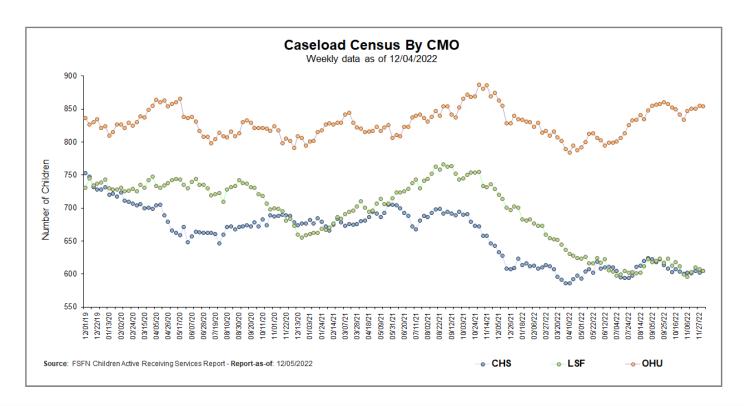




Caseload Census Information

CBC Services Weekly Caseloads By CMO

Number of Children by CMO Last 6 Reporting Periods								
Agency	Agency 10/30/2022 11/6/2022 11/13/2022 11/20/2022 11/27/2022 12/4/2022							
CHS	600	602	601	605	602	605		
LSF	599	596	603	610	607	605		
ОНИ	OHU 834 847 851 851 855 854							
HFC Total	2033	2045	2055	2066	2064	2064		





Caseload Census Information

Case Manager Caseload Breakdown by Agency – Data as of 11/27/2022

Count of Case Managers Within a Caseload Range							
СМО	1-5 Children in Caseload	6-15 Children in Caseload	16-24 Children in Caseload	25-29 Children in Caseload	30+ Children in Caseload	Total Case Managers*	Avg # of Children per CM
CHS	1	6	2	2	10	21	28.7
LSF	0	10	9	9	1	29	20.9
OHU	2	4	17	6	6	35	24.4
# of CMs	3	20	28	17	17	85	24.3

Percent of Case Managers That Are at or Under the National Caseload Standard of 15								
СМО	CMO # Case # with Caseload Percent at 15 or lower or lower							
CHS	21	7	33.3%					
LSF	29	10	34.5%					
OHU	OHU 35 6 17.1 %							
HFC	HFC 85 23 27.1%							

Case Management Organization Turnover

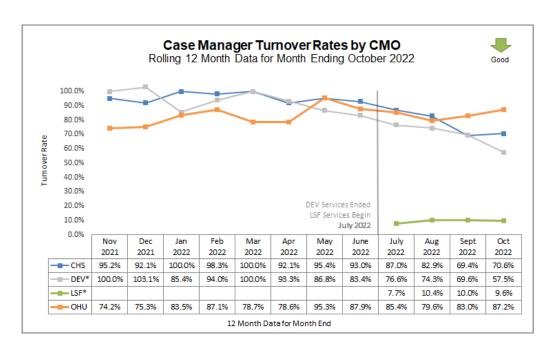
12 Month Case Manager Turnover Rates by Agency

Employee Turnover Rates By CMO 12 Month Data for Month Ended October 2022							
CMO	10 Case Manager Case Manager Supervisor						
CHS	70.6%	53.3%					
DEV*	57.5%	38.1%					
LSF*	9.6%	9.1%					
OHU	U 87.2% 73.7%						

7/2/22 - Transition from Devereux to Lutheran Services Florida; the 12-months required for a "Rolling Year Total" has been split between agencies:

DEV: Nov-21 to Jun-22 (8 months)

LSF: Jul-22 to Oct-22 (4 months)





^{*} Data Excludes Unit Supervisors, Non-ICPC Adoption, FTC Facilitators, IL CMs & Resigned CMs Count

Healthcare Information

Data Entered Into FSFN for Children in Out-of-Home Care

Health Information in FSFN for Children in OHC as of 12/04/22								
Agency H of Children in OHC With a Medical Record in FSFN With Medical Service in last 12 Months T months With Dental Service in Last 7 months Up to Date Overall Performance								
CHS	436	99.8%	98.6%	96.7%	96.6%	97.3%		
LSF	422	100.0%	97.6%	86.1%	96.7%	93.5%		
OHU	397	100.0%	97.2%	89.4%	95.7%	94.1%		
HFC 1255 99.9% 97.8% 90.7% 96.3% 95.0%								
Source:	FSFN report "H	lealthcare Servic	e Information for Chi	ildren in Out-of-hom	e Care Daily Listing	- OCWDRU"		

	Health Information in FSFN as of 12/04/22								
Agency	Agency # of Missing Medical Appointments Needing Update # of Dental # of Dental Appointments Needing Update # of Dental # of D								
CHS	1	6	9	15					
LSF	0	10	39	14					
OHU	0	11	27	17					
Total 1 27 75 46									
Source	: "Healthcare S	ervice Information f	or OHC - Daily Listin	g - OCWDRU"					

Scorecard Measures 9 & 10 - Children Receiving Healthcare Services

SM 9 - Percent of children in out-of-home care who have received medical services in the last 12 months - Target = 95.0% SM 10 - Percent of children in out-of-home care who have received dental services in the last 7 months - Target = 95.0%

	Scorecard Measure #9 - 12/31/22 (snapshot) Children Receiving Medical Services Within Last 12 Mths FY 22-23 - 2nd Qtr as of 12/04/22							
Agency	Agency Appointment within last 12 mths Total Children out-of-home care Percent Medical Services Received							
CHS	430	436	98.6%					
LSF	411	421	97.6%					
OHU 386 397 97.2 %								
Total	1227	1254	97.8%					

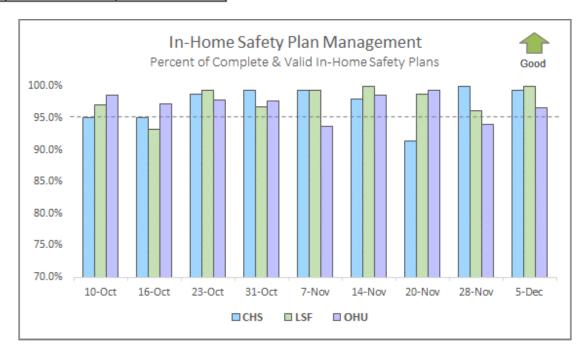
Scorecard Measure #10 - 12/31/22 (snapshot) Children Receiving Dental Services Within Last 7 Mths FY 22-23 - 2nd Qtr as of 12/04/22							
Agency Appointment within last 7 mths Total Children out-of-home care Percent Dental Services Received							
CHS 265 274 96.7%							
LSF 241 280 86.1 %							
OHU 227 254 89.4 %							
Total	733	808	90.7%				



In-Home Safety Plan Management

Percent of Completed In-Home Safety Plans under 180 Effective Days – Target: 95.0%

Pero	In-Home Safety Plan Management Percent of Completed In-Home Safety Plans under 180 Effective Days							
Agency	Agency No -or- Expired Safety Plans Safety Plans Safety Plans Safety Plans Percentage Complete							
CHS	CHS 1 144 145 99.3% ≽							
LSF	LSF 0 153 153 100.0%							
OHU 5 143 148 96.6%				96.6% 泽				
HFC Total*	6	440	446	98.65%				



Source: FSFN Report "Case Management Safety Management Listing", Report-as-of: 12/05/22



Data Exceptions: Placements

	Placement Exceptions by Number of Weeks on List Data-as-of: 12/04/22						
Agency	Greater than 2 weeks	1 - 2 weeks	Less than 1 week	Grand Total			
CHS				0			
LSF				0			
ОНИ				0			
CPI	3		4	7			
NTF				0			
SCARF				0			
Total	3	0	4	7			

	Placement Exceptions Totaled By Agency Last 6 Reporting Periods								
Agency	10/30/2022	11/6/2022	11/14/2022	11/20/2022	11/27/2022	12/4/2022			
CHS	0	0	0	0	0	0			
LSF	3	0	0	0	0	0			
они	0	0	0	2	3	0			
СРІ	34	36	35	37	10	7			
NTF	0	0	0	0	0	0			
SCARF	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Total	37	36	35	39	13	7			

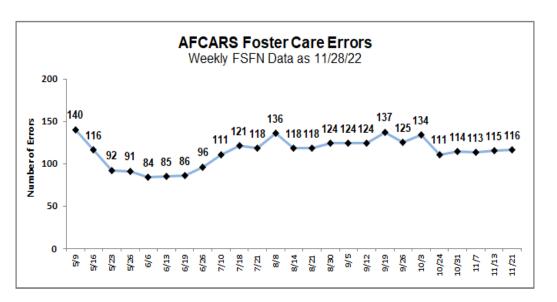
Child Placement Agreement – Current Errors

Child Placement Agreement Errors Data as of 12/05/2022								
Agency	Agency New CPA Need to Upload Signed Agreement Need Supervisor Approval CPA Total							
CHS	7	7	7		21			
LSF	LSF 1 2 2 1 6							
OHU	OHU 1 1							
Total	8	9	10	1	28			



Data Exceptions: AFCARS

Data for Reporting Period: 04/01/22 – 09/30/22



AFCARS Foster Care Report							
Agency	Child Info	Provider	Legal	Mother Married	Transition Errors	Cannot Correct	Total
CHS			3		29	7	39
LSF			2		31	7	40
OHU					28	9	37
CPI							0
Total	0	0	5	0	88	23	116
Source : FSF	Source: FSFN AFCARS Foster Error Report & OCWRDU Rpt-as-of: 11/29/22						



Family Functioning Assessment – Methodology Cases

Timeliness of FFA "Approval" on Methodology Cases, Data-as-of: 12/04/22

	FFA-Ongoing Approval & Case Transfer Staffing Date Clean-up Report Compliance tracking for cases entering care with a methodology requirement						
Agency	Agency Not Approved (30+ days) New Child CTS New FFA-O Needed (w/ prior Approval) (w/ active Approval)						
CHS							
LSF	LSF 1						
OHU	OHU 1 1						
HFC TOTAL	0	1	2	0			

CMO Contract Measure 11 – 1st Quarter

Percentage of Family Functioning Assessments Approved

Percent of Active Methodology Cases with an Approved FFA-O Data as of 12/04/22							
Agency	Agency Not Approved Approved Grand Total Percent Approved						
CHS	9	302	311	97.1%			
LSF	9	296	305	97.0%			
OHU	10	249	259	96.1%			
HFC Total	28	847	875	96.8%			

,	within 30 days of Case Transfer Staffing 2nd Quarter-to-Date as of 12/04/22						
Agency	Agency Timely FFA Approvals Completed (< 30 Days) (2nd Qtr) Timely						
CHS	27	27	100.0% 🧡				
LSF	28	29	96.6% ⊁				
OHU	OHU 22 23 95.7% 🧩						

79

77

FY 22-23 Target = **95% or higher**

HFC TOTAL



97.5%



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AWARENESS FOR DECEMBER

December: Safe Toys and Gifts Month

19th-Jan 4th – Winter Break Polk 22th – Jan 4th – Winter Break Hardee 23td – Jan 10th – Winter Break Highlands

24^m-25th – Christmas Eve, Christmas

26th-1st - Kwanzaa

HEALTH RESOURCES

For more COVID information specific to Florida, go to <u>floridahealthcovid19.gov</u>

> Call Center is available 24/7 (866) 779-6121 or email COVID-19@fihealth.gov.

For more vaccine information go to

https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/covid-19vaccines-in-florida/

SAFETY RESOURCES

Internet Safety and Tips

- SmartSocial.com Digital
 Citizenship programs
- Information, Advice and Support to Keep Children Safe Online (internetmatters.org)
- NetSmartz Home (missingkids.org)

Safe Sleep

https://www.ounce.org/safe_sleep.h tml

Swim Safety Tips mcusercontent.com

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

United Way's 211

Call 211

Getting free confidential help for needs such as food, housing, employment, utilities, mental health and much more is just a text, call, or click away.

Echo Ministries

Help provide tangible needs to children in foster, adoptive, relative and nonrelative care.

To Donate: ECHO Distribution Center every Wednesday between 9am to noon at 3625 Century Blvd Unit 1A, Lakeland, FL.

ECHO Ministries Florida- Foster Care Ministry- Central FL & Beyond

Find Help (Previously Aunt Bertha)

https://www.findhelp.org/

Find local resources for food, health, housing, employment programs & other community resources in seconds.

Circuit 10 Children's Mental & Behavioral Health Resources

https://sites.google.com/view/floridac10 mhbhresources/home

On this site you will find:

- Heartland for Children's Parent Portal
- MyFloridaMyFamily Community Services
- Florida Mobile Response Team- 24/7 Crisis Assistance
- Florida Statewide Medicaid Managed Care
- Florida Association of Christian Child Caring Agencies
- Florida Network Short-term Residential Programs
- Center for Autism Related Disabilities (CARD)
- National Alliance on Mental Illness
- Post Adoption Support
- Zebra Coalition
- Central FL Behavioral Health Network
- Hope Florida A Pathway to Prosperity

Food Distribution Schedule

Polk, Highlands and Hardee Counties Food Distribution Sites

https://uwcf.org/initiatives/endhunger/schedule/

Healthy Families Florida

Family support and coaching program that helps parents provide the safe and stable environments children need for healthy growth and development.

Healthy Families Florida - Find a Local Project (healthyfamiliesfla.org)

Domestic Violence Services

Peace River Center's Domestic Violence Program provides free, confidential services for individuals affected by domestic violence, sexual assault and human trafficking crimes, their family members and friends in Polk, Hardee and Highlands counties.

24-Hour Domestic Violence Crisis Lines

Hardee/Highlands 863.386.1167 Polk 863.413.2700

Victim Services Office Line 863.413.2708

Victim Services Office - Polk

County 1860 South Crystal Lake Drive, Lakeland, FL 33801

Victim Services Office – Hardee/Highlands Counties

1570 Lakeview Drive, Sebring, FL 33870

HFC EVENTS

Rudolph Round-Up

- Host a toy drive
- Make a Monetary Donation
- Purchase from Rudolph Toy Registry

RUDOLPH WARE HOUSE OPEN Nov 28th – Dec 16th Mon- Fri: 9am – 6pm Saturdays: 9am – 2pm

Email: Rudolph@heartlandforchildren.org

https://heartlandforchildren.org/rudolph

HFC's "Let's Talk About it" Podcast

where we provide education and resources for family matters in Polk, Highlands and Hardee Counties Apple Podcasts / Anchor / Spotify / YouTube





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POLK COUNTY

Pace Center for Girls

Mission: Pace provides girls and young women an opportunity for a better future through education, counseling, training and advocacy. Currently Accepting Student Application:

Contact: <u>Jesilynn.Pfeffer@pacecenter.org</u> (863) 688-5596 Ext. 5516

2022 Holiday and Christmas Guide: Lakeland + Polk County - Lakeland Mom

Florida Children Museum

400 Bonnet Springs Blvd. Lakeland, FL 33815 Contact: (863) 687-3869 https://explorefcm.org

Carol Jenkin Barnett United Way Resource Center - Ages 0-5

(Previously Family Fundamentals)

Offers weekly classes for children from infants through age 5 where parents and children will learn and socialize as they participate in fun, stimulating, developmental activities. These classes are FREE and a great opportunity to meet other moms and caregivers.

400 Bonnet Springs Blvd. Lakeland, FL 33815 hildren's Resource Center - United Wa

Children's Resource Center - United Way of Central Florida (uwcf.org)

HIGHLANDS COUNTY

Champion for Children

Provides child abuse and neglect prevention programs and early-intervention services to children and families in Highlands County.

419 East Center Avenue Sebring, FL 33870 Office: (863) 382-2905 https://www.championforchildren.org/

<u>Sebring Christmas Parade - News and Events Feed</u> (downtownsebring.org)

Children's Museum of the Highlands

Hands on Learning for Ages 1-12
Cost: \$8/per person (ages 1+) for all day play.
219 N Ridgewood Dr.
Sebring, Florida
(863) 451-5385
(contact museum for updated hours)

HARDEE COUNTY

Hardee Help Center

A Christ-centered community service organization bringing hope & healing to Hardee County families in difficult seasons of life.

713 E Bay Street Wauchula, FL 33873 info@hardeehelpcenter.com Tel: 863-773-0034

Visit Hardee

Website for upcoming events, community
Updates and resources
Events — VISIT HARDEE



For additional resources and county events, check out our most recent Parent's Corner Newsletter.





Community Based Care Lead Agency Map



	LEGEND						
Circui	Region	Counties	Lead Agency				
1		Escambia, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Walton	Families First Network				
2	Northwest	Franklin, Gadsden, Jefferson, Leon, Liberty, Wakulla	Big Bend CBC, Inc.				
14	1	Bay, Calhoun, Gulf, Holmes, Jackson, Washington	Big Bend CBC, Inc.				
3		Columbia, Dixie, Hamilton, Lafayette, Madison, Suwannee, Taylor	Partnership for Strong Families				
4		Clay	Kids First of Florida, Inc.				
4	Northeast	Duval, Nassau	Family Support Services of North Florida, In				
7	Northeast	St. Johns	St. Johns County Board of Commissioners				
7		Flagler, Putnam, Volusia	Community Partnership for Children, Inc.				
8		Alachua, Baker, Bradford, Gilchrist, Levy, Union	Partnership for Strong Families				
5		Citrus, Hernando, Lake, Marion, Sumter	Kids Central, Inc.				
9		Orange, Osceola	Embrace Families				
10	Central	Hardee, Highlands, Polk	Heartland For Children				
18		Seminole	Embrace Families				
18		Brevard	Brevard Family Partnerships				
6		Pasco, Pinellas	Family Support Services of SunCoast				
12	SunCoast	DeSoto, Manatee, Sarasota	Safe Children Coalition				
13	Suncous	Hillsborough	Children's Network of Hillsborough				
20		Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry, Lee	Children's Network of Southwest Florida				
15		Palm Beach	ChildNet, Inc.				
17	Southeast	Broward	ChildNet, Inc.				
19		Indian River, Martin, Okeechobee, St. Lucie	Communities Connected for Kids				
11	Southern	Miami-Dade	Citrus Family Care Network				
16	Souriern	Monroe	Citrus Family Care Network				



