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This includes deaths from natural causes.

The majority of cases in preventive services continue to be referred by ACS Child Protective Services.

Children entering foster care for the first time returned home in about 7 - 8 months in FY16.

About half of the children in foster care at any point in time are expected to return home.

About 58 percent of siblings in foster care lived together in the most recent year.

The percentage of children returning to foster care within one year of discharge continued to decline.

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This number includes residential care as well as foster boarding homes.

The number of children placed in foster homes close to home was over one-third of the system in FY16.

The percentage of children in care with a goal of adoption remains below one-third.

The percentage of children discharged from foster care who were adopted rose to nearly a quarter in both FY15 and FY16.

This is the time it takes to finalize once a child is considered appropriate for adoption.