2022 Child Welfare, Juvenile Justice and Child Care Voucher Snapshot

Community District 6, Rego Park/Forest Hills, Queens

	Citywide	Borough	Community District
Child Abuse Investigations (CY 2022)			
Number of CARES Cases	6,912	1,261	44
Number of Investigations	44,247	9,538	187
Reporters (Investigations and CARES)			
Education	8,195	2,056	39
Social Service	8,339	1,855	28
Medical/Mental Health	4,489	1,035	25
Law Enforcement	8,910	1,772	35
Child Care/Substitute Care	614	122	^
Other Mandated	496	97	0
Non-Mandated	13,204	2,601	57
Allegations (Investigations Only)			
Educational Neglect Only	4,389	710	16
Educational Neglect with Other Allegations	2,781	449	13
Lack of Medical Care	4,315	953	18
Other Neglect	40,310	8,672	169
Physical Abuse	10,239	2,324	36
Psychological Abuse	1,096	278	8
Sexual Abuse	2,893	624	9
Substance Abuse	8,187	1,640	30
Other	1,296	367	10
Child Welfare Prevention Services (CY 2022)			
Families Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	14,299	2,715	31
Children Receiving Prevention Services During the Year	31,414	5,656	61
Foster Care			
New Entries to Foster Care From the Community, CY 2022	2,700	445	6
Children in Foster Care In the Community, December 31, 2022	6,717	1,035	16
Percent in Kinship Homes	44.5	44.2	56.3
Juvenile Justice (CY 2022)			
Detention Admissions From the Community	1,586	256	^
Close to Home Admissions From the Community	88	12	^
Child Care Vouchers (CY 2022)			
Children Receiving Child Care Vouchers During the Year	71,342	7,427	128
Population Rates per 1,000 Child Population (CY 2022)			
Population <18 Years Old	1,740,142	455,995	20,995
Number of Children in Indicated Investigations	19,442	3,857	65
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Indicated Investigations	11.2	8.5	3.1
Children Receiving Prevention	31,414	5,656	61
Population Rate/1,000 Children in Prevention Services	18.1	12.4	2.9
Children Placed in Foster Care	2,700	445	6
Population Rate/1,000 Children Placed in Foster Care	1.6	1.0	0.3
Population 11-18 Years Old	784,243	208,392	9,595
Detention Admissions	1,586	256	^
Population Rate/1,000 Children aged 11-18 in Detention Admissions	2.0	2.0	^

^Values and related rates are not shown when they are below 6 to protect confidentiality.

Notes:

1) Rate definitions: rates are calculated by dividing the program counts by the by the total population of children in a specific community district, multiplied by 1,000. The population of children under 18 years old is used for for children in indicated investigations, prevention and foster care and for for detention youth 11-18 is used. The program counts are defined as follows: children in indicated investigations are unique children in investigations with confirmed abuse and/or neglect; children receiving prevention are unique children in child welfare prevention cases during the year; foster care placements are unique children placed in foster care during the year excluding those placed in Close to Home; and detention admissions are unique youth admitted to detention during the year.

2) The following CDs are combined in the available census data for youth 11-18 used for the detention rates, therefore admission counts are also combined to calculate rates: Bronx CDs 1 and 2 and 3 and 6 and Manhattan CDs 1 and 2 and 4 and 5. The combined rates for these CDs are shown in each of the listed CDs.