



Data Snapshot: Youth Outcomes

2013 (October 1, 2012 - September 30, 2013)

Missouri

Follow-up Population Highlights

Includes demographic and outcomes information on young people in the State's follow-up population cohort who turned age 19 during 2013.

Youth in age 19 follow-up population cohort

Total in cohort in FY 2013: 373

Total reported in FY 2013: 373

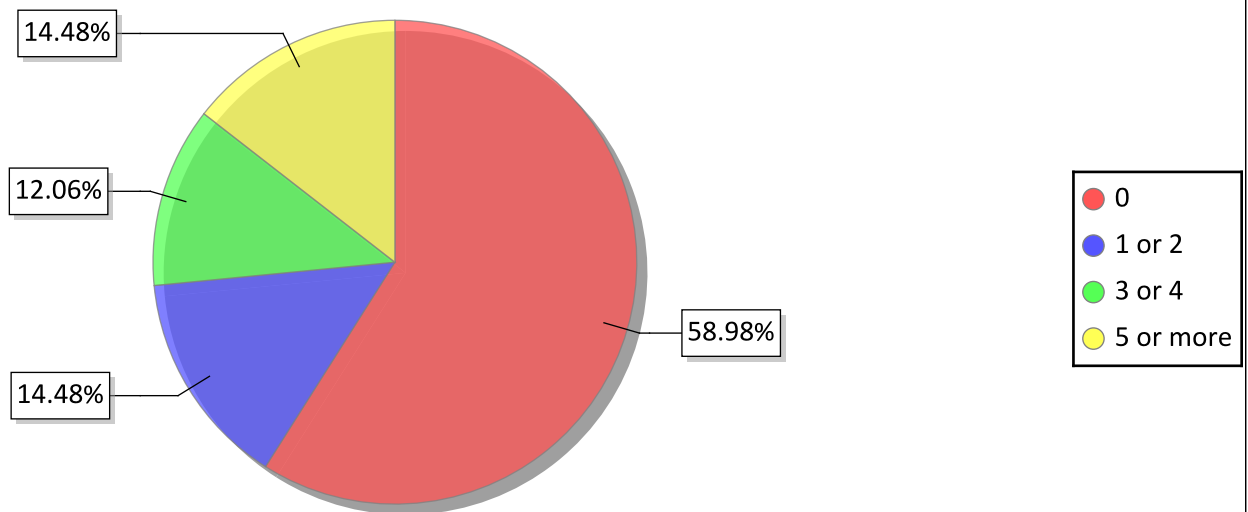
Number of youth in foster care: 182

Foster care participation rate: 97.25%

Number of discharged youth: 191

Discharged participation rate: 61.26%

Number of services youth received:



Reasons for Non-participation:	Youth in Foster Care	Youth Discharged from Foster Care
Youth declined	00.00%	00.00%
Parent declined	00.00%	00.00%
Incapacitated	02.20%	00.00%
Incarcerated	00.00%	01.57%
Runaway or missing	00.00%	02.62%
Unable to locate/invite	00.55%	33.51%
Death	00.00%	00.52%
Not in sample	00.00%	00.00%

Characteristics of Survey Participants:	Youth in Foster Care	Youth Discharged from Foster Care
Sex		
Male	46.89%	39.83%
Female	53.11%	60.17%
Race/Ethnicity		
American Indian or Alaska Native	00.56%	00.00%
Asian	00.56%	00.85%
Black or African American	32.77%	25.42%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	00.56%	00.00%
White	63.28%	69.49%
Unknown or Declined	02.26%	04.24%
Hispanic or Latino ethnicity*	00.56%	01.69%
Receiving Services	76.27%	13.56%

*Hispanic or Latino ethnicity is reported separately from race.

Outcomes Reported by Survey Participants:	Youth in Foster Care	Youth Discharged from Foster Care
Financial self-sufficiency		
Reported current part-time or full-time employment	30.51%	36.44%
Reported receiving employment-related training in the past year	28.25%	22.03%
Reported receiving social security payments	15.82%	09.32%
Reported receiving financial aid for educational expenses	27.68%	16.95%
Reported receiving financial support from another source	11.30%	05.09%
Reported receiving public financial assistance*	00.00%	07.63%
Reported receiving public food assistance*	00.00%	27.97%
Reported receiving public housing assistance*	00.00%	05.93%
Educational attainment		
Reported being enrolled in and attending school	68.93%	35.59%
Reported having completed high school or GED	56.50%	60.17%
Reported receiving a vocational license or certificate	01.13%	00.85%
Reported receiving a college degree (e.g., Associate, Bachelor, or higher degree)	00.00%	00.85%
High-risk behaviors (in prior two years)		
Reported a substance abuse referral	18.08%	21.19%
Reported having been incarcerated	20.90%	23.73%
Reported having children	09.04%	18.64%
Homelessness (in prior two years)		
Reported having been homeless	10.73%	27.97%
Connection to adults		
Reported having a current positive connection to an adult	96.05%	83.05%
Access to health insurance		
Reported having Medicaid	89.83%	48.31%
Reported having some other type of health insurance	10.17%	14.41%

*Survey questions related to public assistance are only required to be asked of youth discharged from foster care.

This data snapshot was generated using active data files submitted by the State for the report period(s) indicated above as of 03/13/2014