

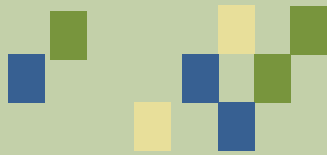
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**1ST QUARTER SFY 2009 (JULY 1, 2008 - SEPTEMBER 30, 2008)**



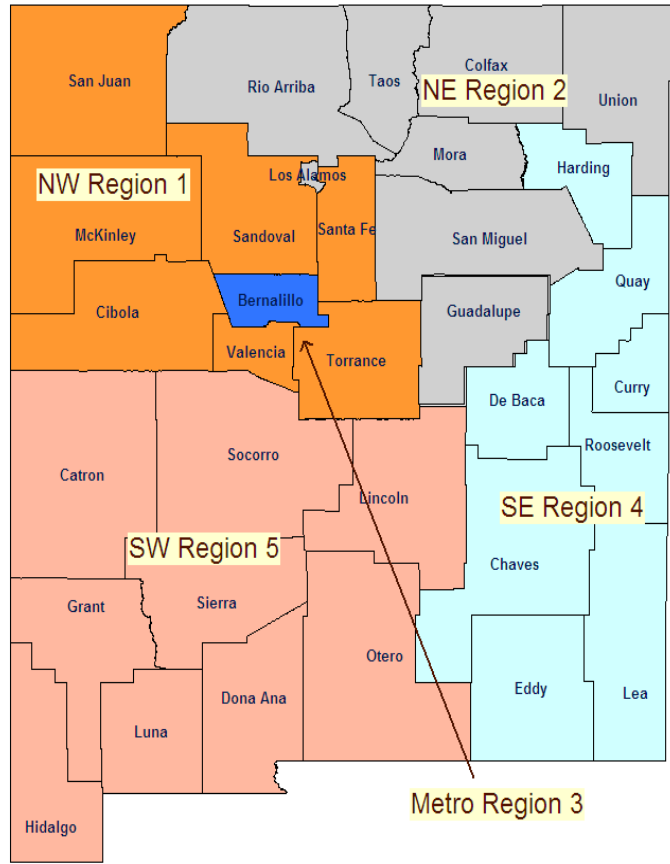
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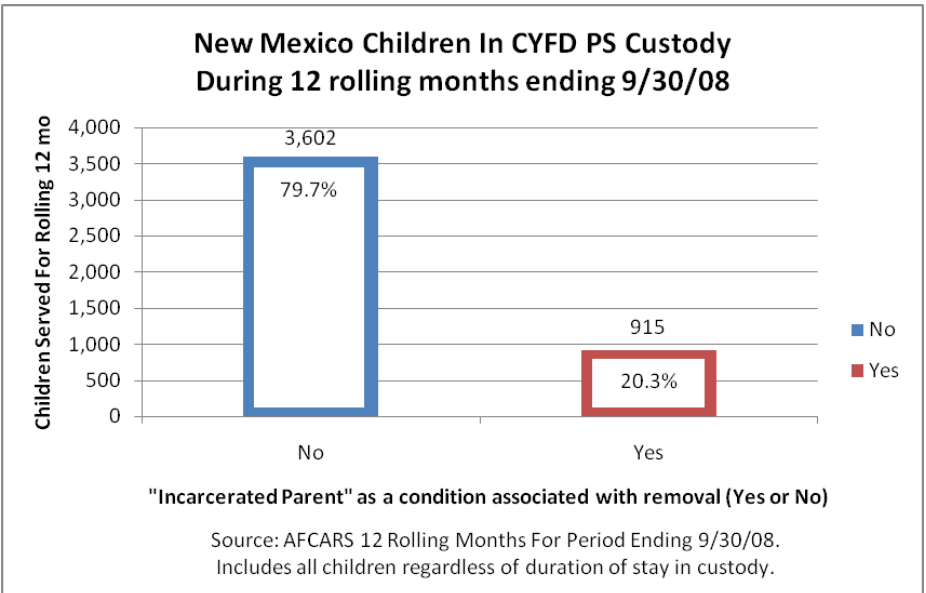
Angela Adams, Director of Children, Youth and Families, Protective Services Division retired in February, 2009. Angela has served children and families in many capacities across her career, including as a Child Protective Services worker in Texas, as a New Mexico Children's Court Attorney, and as Division Director of Protective Services. She and her husband have further contributed to New Mexico's child welfare system through adopting two children. Among many professional achievements, Angela provided both support and inspiration for the development of this document, the *360 Degrees County Profiles*. She has led New Mexico CYFD's Protective Services utilize data to support all activities, to better target and improve child welfare programs for New Mexico's children and families.

Thank you, Angela!

## Did You Know?

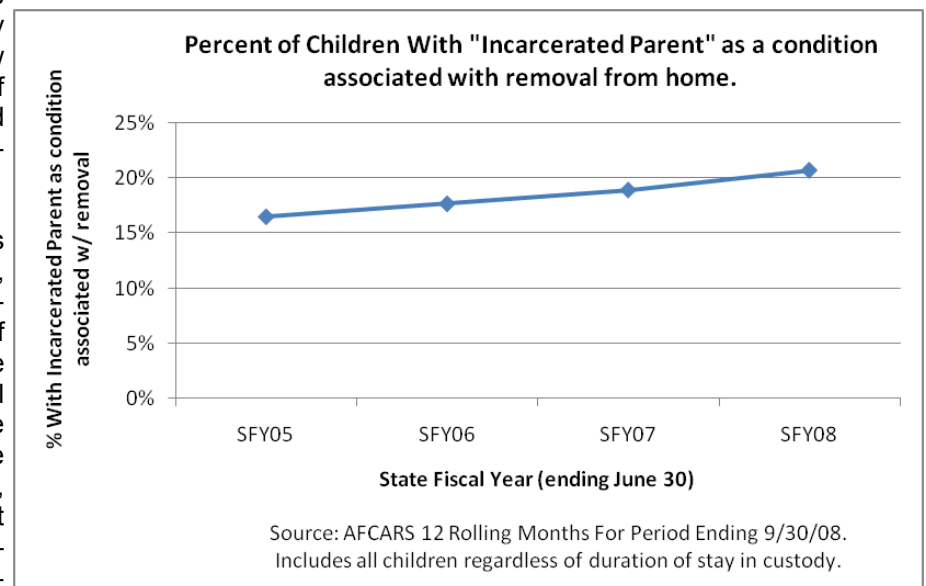
### Incarcerated Parents and the Child Welfare System

Children in state custody with incarcerated parents represent a unique and understudied subpopulation of the child welfare system. Unfortunately, there is limited research to shed light on the characteristics of this special population. Furthermore, on a national level, there is no agreement on the percentage of children with incarcerated parents in states' custody. For example, national estimates for the percent of children in foster care with an incarcerated parent range from 6% (Hayward, 2007) to 30% (Seymour, 2001). The Children, Youth & Families Department's Research/Evaluation and FACTS Bureau was therefore motivated to examine data for children in state custody with incarcerated parents. Using data from the Adoption and Foster Care Administrative Reporting System (AFCARS) rolling 12 month file for the period ending September 30, 2008, it was found that approximately 20.3% of children in the custody of New Mexico's child welfare agency had "incarcerated parent(s)" as a condition associated with removal from home during the period (see chart above).

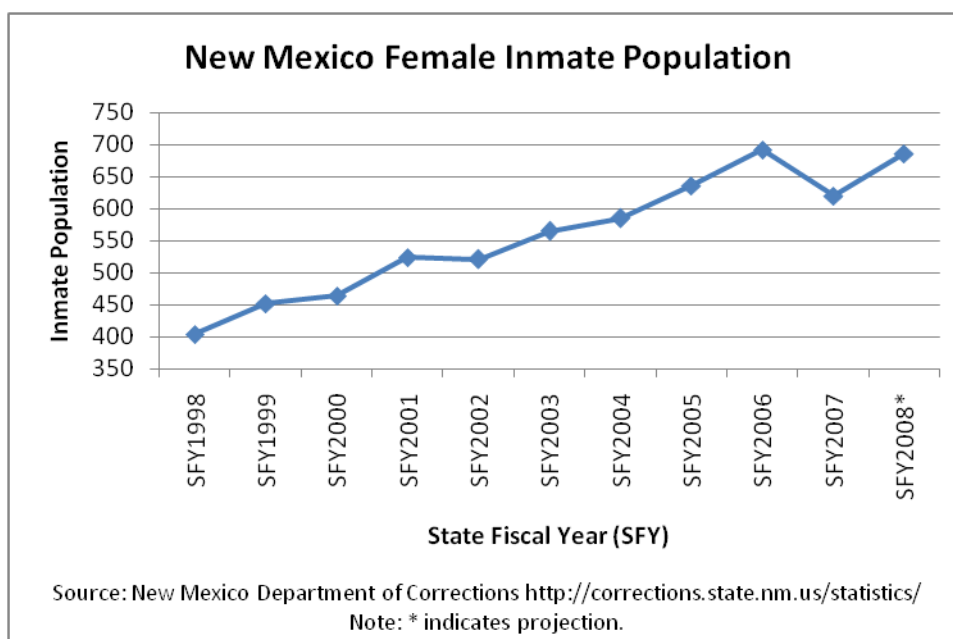


Many measurements of state performance associated with the deployment of the federal Round II Child and Family Services Review include only children who were in care for eight days or more. For New Mexico, a higher percentage of children in care eight days or more have an incarcerated parent (21.0%) than do children in care less than eight days (17.6%). Looking across the last four state fiscal years (SFY), for children in custody eight days or more, it is clear that in New Mexico there is a rise in the proportion of children in state custody with incarcerated parent as a condition associated with removal (see chart).

The rise reflects the increasing challenges the child welfare system is presented with, and also infers a growth in prison populations. According to the US Department of Justice, between 2000 and 2006 there was a 12.9% increase in the national prison population, and over the same time period there was a 24.3% increase in the New Mexico prison population (Sabol, Couture, & Harrison, 2007). Over the last 10 years the New Mexico Corrections Department has seen an average 3% increase per year of total inmate population in New Mexico. Even more striking is the average 5.1% increase per year over the last 10 years in inmate population for females (see chart below). This increase in incarcerated females is especially relevant for the child welfare system, as single females make up the largest proportion of caretaker family structure for children in state custody.



## Incarcerated Parents and the Child Welfare System



The increase of prison populations and proportion of children in the Child Welfare Agency with incarcerated parents is compelling, as researchers have suggested that incarceration of a parent is related to higher rates of parental substance abuse (Phillips, Burns, Wagner, & Barth, 2004), along with unstable living arrangements for the family (Johnston, 1995). These notions are supported by data from New Mexico, as having an incarcerated parent is significantly correlated with other conditions associated with removal including: a) “substance abuse of parent” (alcohol and drug) and b) “inadequate housing”. Unfortunately, both substance abuse and inadequate housing have been identified by other researchers as potential roadblocks for reunification between children in the child welfare system and their parents. (Wulczyn, 2004).

Other research implies the potential for continuing risks associated with children experiencing entry into the child welfare system when the incarceration of a parent is a condition of removal from home. Specifically, authors have attempted to link the incarceration of a parent with potential negative impacts on a child, including but not limited to increased risk for juvenile delinquency and post traumatic stress disorder (Gabel & Johnston, 1995). Unfortunately, the information which could define and analyze such risks is not captured in the child welfare data presently collected. Further, a number of factors beyond the incarceration of a parent must be considered when gauging the potential risks for children in the child welfare system.

In summary, children with “incarcerated parents” as a condition associated with removal made up approximately 1/5<sup>th</sup> of the children served by CYFD Protective Services for the 12 month period ending September 30, 2008. It should be noted that many children of incarcerated parents in state custody do have positive outcomes. Rather than stigmatize children with incarcerated parents one should recognize that these children often present related unique characteristics, case complexities and associated challenges such as parental substance abuse and inadequate housing. The particular characteristics and challenges of children with incarcerated parents would benefit both from further research and perhaps targeted child welfare practice.

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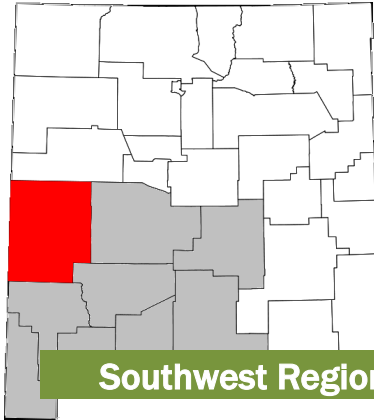
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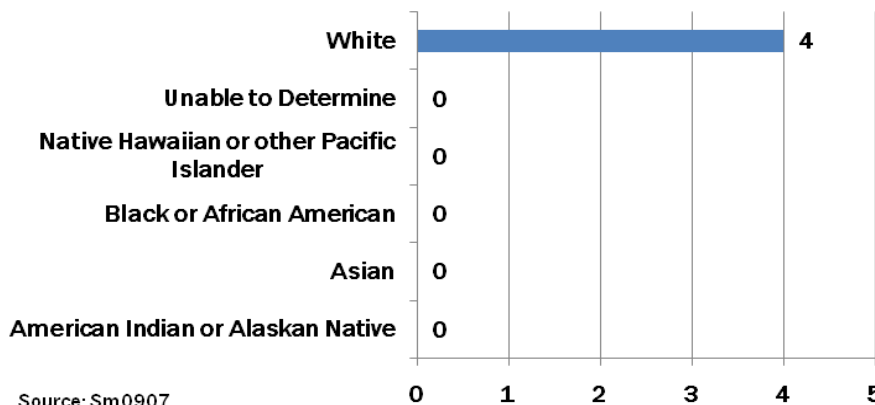
Southwest Region

AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE  
QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER

Age Range	Catron County	Region Total	County % of Region Totals for Age Range
0 - 1 Yr	0	12	0.0%
1 - 5 Yrs	2	140	1.4%
6 - 10 Yrs	2	120	1.7%
11 - 15 Yrs	0	92	0.0%
16 - 17 Yrs	0	50	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>1.0%</b>

Source: Sm0907

Race of Children In Care  
N = 4



Source: Sm0907

There were 747 children in the county in 2005: this represents 0.15% of the state's total children under 18. While the county accounts for 0.15% of the state's total children under 18, Catron County had 0.2% of the state's total children "in care" as of September 30, 2008, which is more than expected, based on population alone.

RACE AND ETHNICITY OF ALL CHILDREN

	Catron <sup>1</sup>		Total Population <sup>2</sup>	
	Children Under 19 yrs	Children Under 19 yrs of Hispanic Origin	Catron	New Mexico
Total Population	632	147	3,543	1,854,938
White	93.5%	98.6%	87.8%	66.8%
Black	0.8%	1.4%	0.3%	1.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	3.5%	0.0%	2.2%	9.5%
Asian	0.6%	0.0%	0.7%	1.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%
Some other Race	1.6%	0.0%	5.4%	17.0%
Hispanic or Latino			19.0%	42.1%
<b>Under 18 yrs</b>			<b>747</b>	<b>511,768</b>
<b>% of Families Living under the poverty Level</b>			<b>17.4%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>

1. Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division\Bureau of Business and Economic Research, Univ. of New Mexico.  
2. Source: U.S. Census Bureau\State and County QuickFACTS

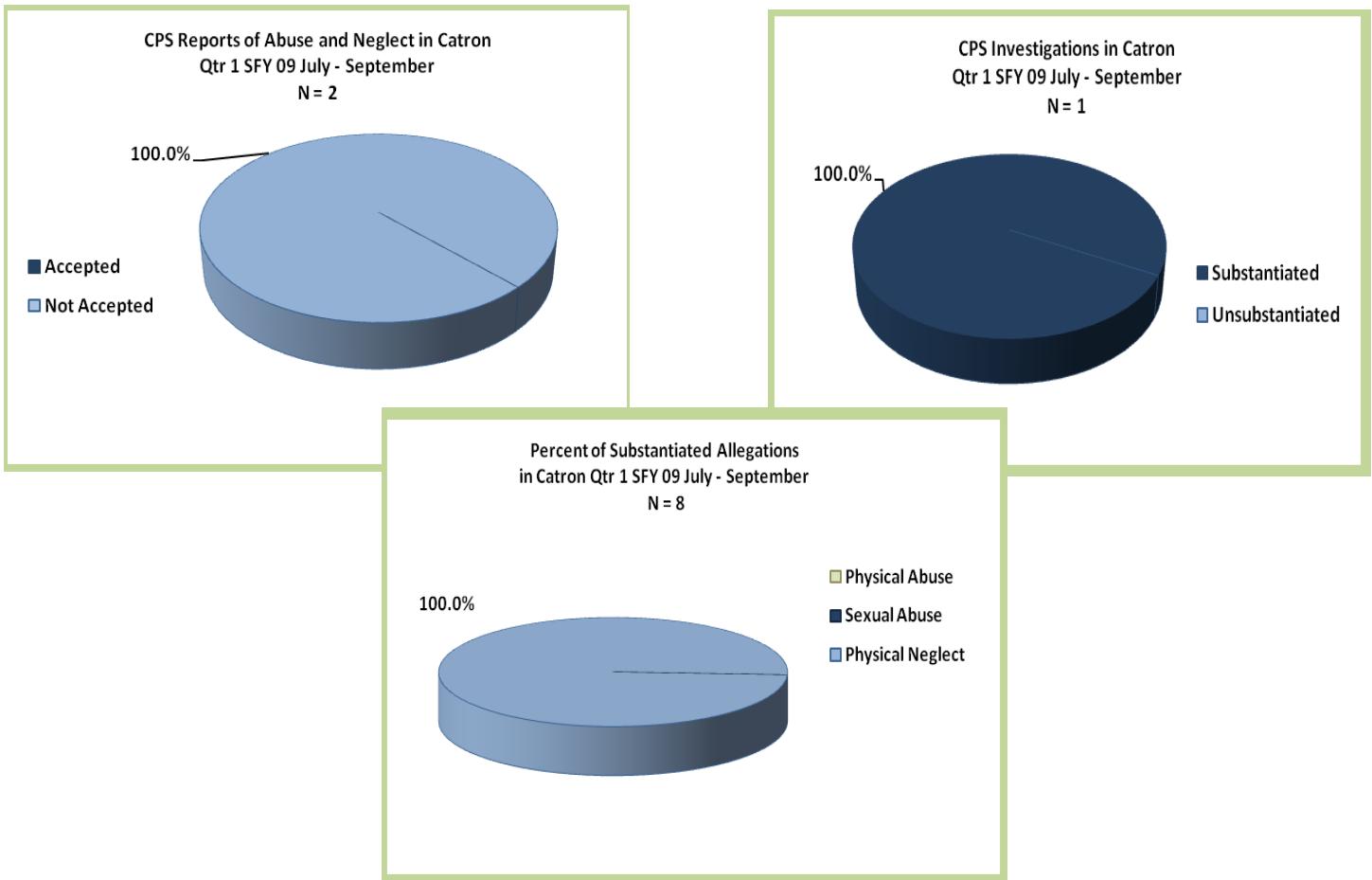
PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORTS AND INVESTIGATIONS - QUARTER 1 SFY 09: JULY - SEPTEMBER 2008

County	Accepted Reports	Investigations							
		Substantiated		Unsubstantiated		Total Investigations	County % of State Total Investigations <sup>1</sup>	Number of Children Victims	Victim Rate per 1,000 Children <sup>2</sup>
Catron	0	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	4	21.4
Region Total	686	220	25.6%	641	74.4%	861	26.1%	349	13.9
State Total	3,332	883	26.7%	2,418	73.3%	3,301	100.0%	1,399	10.9

Note: Not all "accepted reports" result in investigations completed during the period under review.

- Both County and Regional data are calculated as a % of the State's total investigations for the period under review.
- For the quarterly 360 Degrees County Profiles Report this information is calculated by annualizing the quarterly data. For the SFY Annual 360 Degrees County Profiles Report this information is calculated, based on four quarters of reported data.

Source: SM01a02 and SM06a01

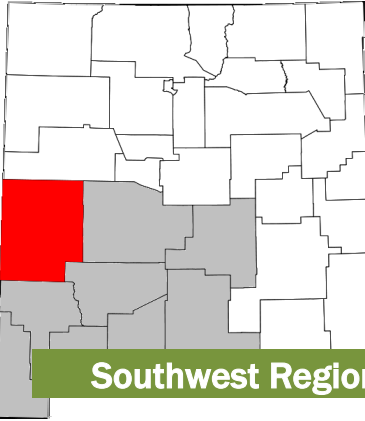


CPS ALLEGATION TYPES OF CHILD MALTREATMENT - QUARTER 1 SFY 2009: JULY - SEPTEMBER 2008

County	Physical Abuse				Sexual Abuse				Physical Neglect						
	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	%	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	%	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	%			
Catron	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	8	8	100.0%	0	0.0%
Region Total	639	99	15.5%	540	84.5%	69	12	17.4%	57	82.6%	1,657	434	26.2%	1,223	73.8%
State Total	2,506	540	21.5%	1,966	78.5%	316	64	20.3%	252	79.7%	6,486	1,738	26.8%	4,748	73.2%

Note: In every investigation there may be multiple allegations of maltreatment for one or more children. In counties with small populations, very small numbers in any category may render suspect any data collected during the period under review.

Source: SM06a01



Southwest Region

CHILDREN IN AN OUT OF HOME PLACEMENT FOR MORE THAN TEN DAYS  
WITH AN INITIAL EPSDT<sup>1</sup> EXAMINATION  
1ST QUARTER SFY 09

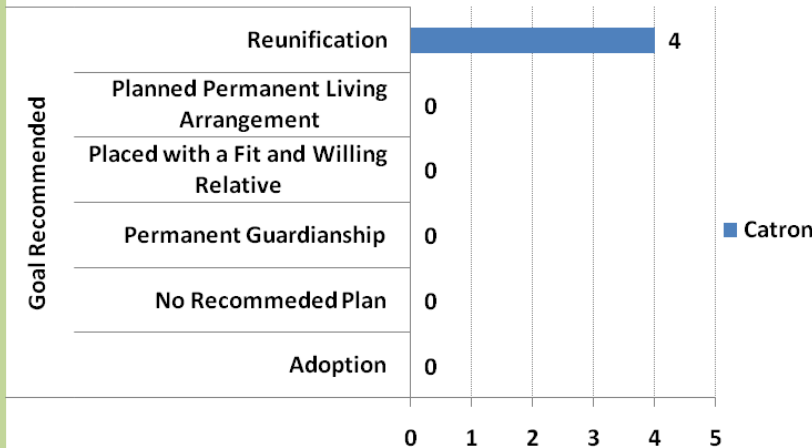
County	Children with an Initial EPSDT within 30 days and a Percentage of Eligible Children in Out of Home Placements.		Children With a Completed EPSDT Exam During the Entire Reporting Period		Total Children in Out of Home Placement Greater Than 10 Days <sup>2</sup>
	#	%	#	%	#
Catron	4	100.0%	4	100.0%	4
Region Total	24	46.2%	24	46.2%	52
State Total	150	48.4%	158	51.0%	310

1. EPSDT = Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment Medicaid Medical Visits.

2. Report counts all children entering care during the parameter period and remaining in care more than 10 days.

Source: SM10a36

Permanency Plan Goals of Children In Custody  
1st Qtr SFY 2008



Source: Sm0904

PERMANENCY/TIME IN CARE  
(OF CHILDREN IN CARE 8 DAYS OR MORE)  
PERIOD ENDING 9/30/08

Average Months in Care

Catron 10.0 months

New Mexico 20.6 months

Goal 5% reduction (1.4 months=43 days)

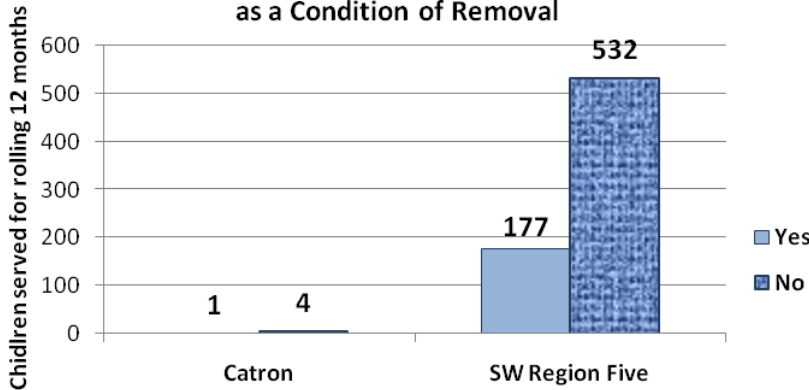
Source: AFCARS 12 rolling months

Catron	County Total	Region Total	% of Region Total
<b>POINT IN TIME MEASURES: SEPTEMBER 30, 2008</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE END (SM0907)	4	414	1.0%
NUMBER OF FOSTER CARE PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	6	218	2.8%
NUMBER OF ADOPTION PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	6	293	2.0%
<b>MEASURES FOR QUARTER 1 SFY 2009</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN WITH A PLAN OF ADOPTION (Sm0904)	0	216	0.0%
• NUMBER CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (RP08-12)	0	128	0.0%
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITH RESOURCES) (Sm10a26)	0	57	0.0%
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITHOUT RESOURCES) (Sm904)	0	71	0.0%

Data for measures might differ from numbers reported elsewhere, due to differences in file run dates, county classification/assignment, or rounding methodology.



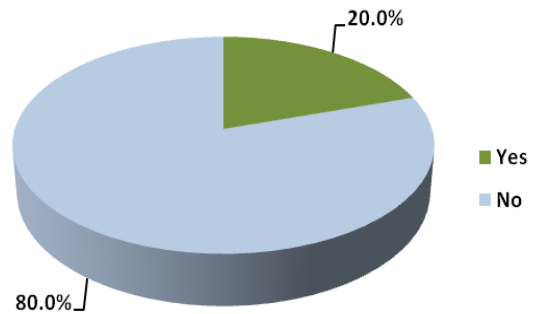
### Children in Care with Incarcerated Parents as a Condition of Removal



"Incarcerated Parent" as a condition associated with removal (Yes or No), in care 8 days or more.

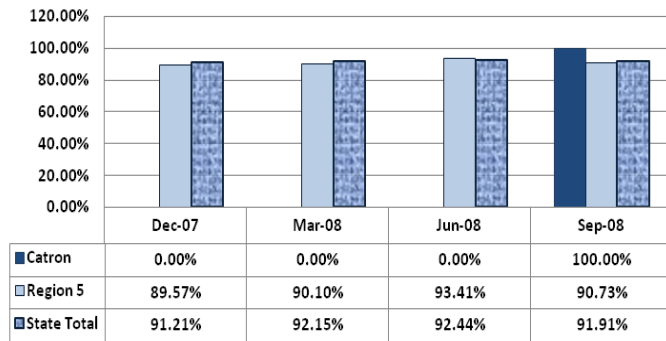
Source: AFCARS rolling 12 months for period ending 9/30/08

### Percent of Children in Care with Incarcerated Parents as a Condition of Removal Catron County



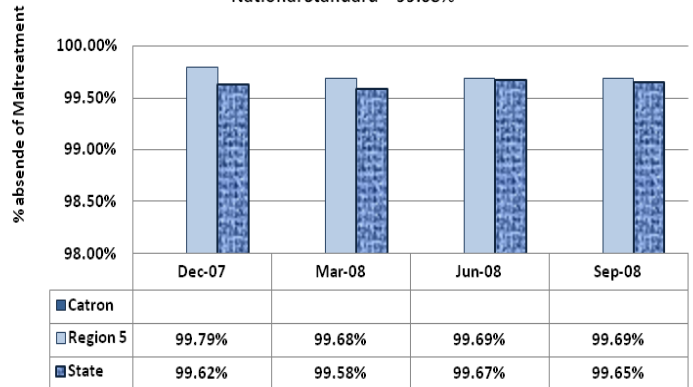
## National Child Abuse and Neglect Data System (NCANDS) Safety Measures

Trends of Absence of Recurrence of Maltreatment Within 6 Months of a Previously Substantiated Report of Maltreatment  
National Standard = 94.6%



Source: NCANDS Rolling 12 Months

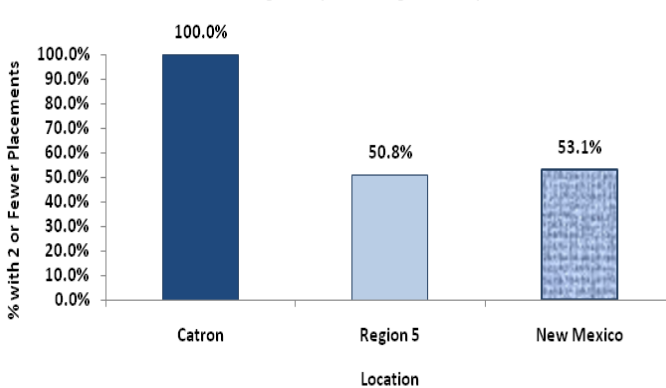
Trends of Absence of Maltreatment in Foster Care  
National Standard = 99.68%



Source: NCANDS/AFCARS Rolling 12 Months

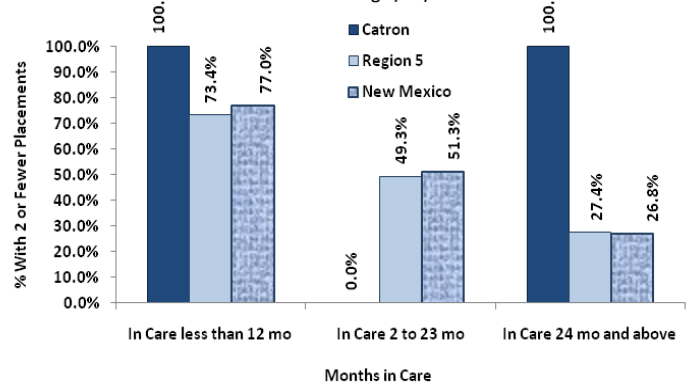
## Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System (AFCARS) Permanency Measures

Percent of Children With 2 or Fewer Placements - All Time Categories (12 Rolling Months)



Source: AFCARS Rolling 12 Months

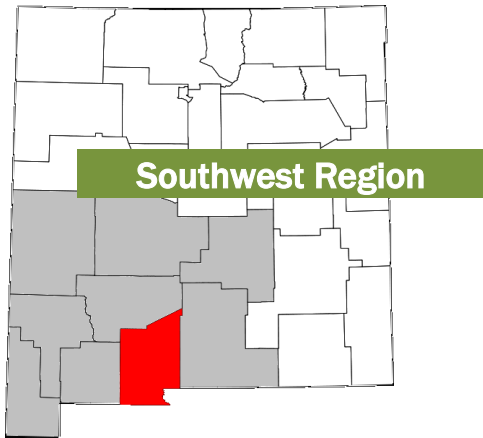
Placement Stability: Percent of Children With 2 or Fewer Placements For Period Ending 9/30/08



Source: AFCARS Rolling 12 Months

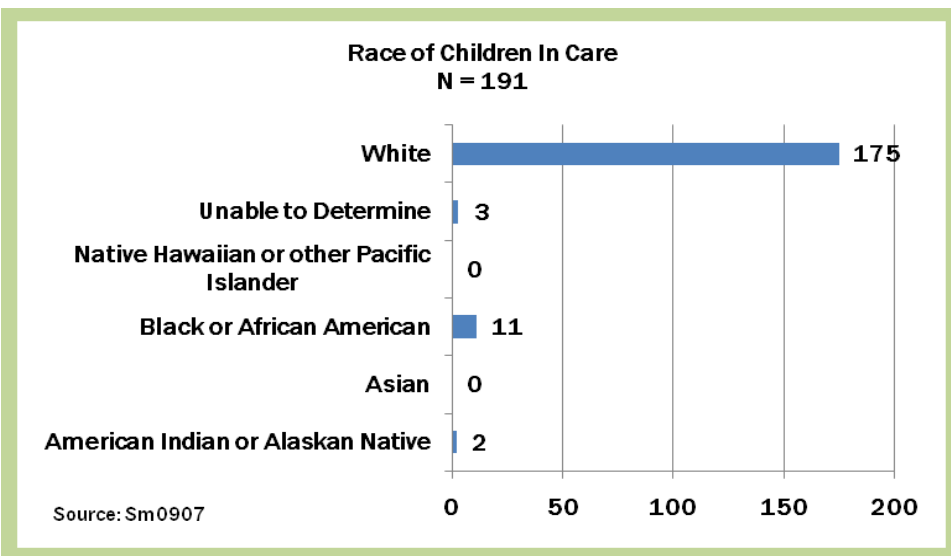


A higher score is better for these four National Measures



AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER			
Age Range	Dona Ana County	Region Total	County % of Region Totals for Age Range
0 - 1 Yr	5	12	41.7%
1 - 5 Yrs	60	140	42.9%
6 - 10 Yrs	55	120	45.8%
11 - 15 Yrs	43	92	46.7%
16 - 17 Yrs	28	50	56.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>46.1%</b>

Source: Sm0907



There were 51,901 children in the county in 2005: this represents 10.1% of the state's total children under 18. While the county accounts for 10.1% of the state's total children under 18, Dona Ana County had 9.1% of the state's total children "in care" as of September 30, 2008, which is less than expected, based on population alone.

	RACE AND ETHNICITY OF ALL CHILDREN			
	Dona Ana <sup>1</sup>		Total Population <sup>2</sup>	
	Children Under 19 yrs	Children Under 19 yrs of Hispanic Origin	Dona Ana	New Mexico
Total Population	59,188	57,047	174,682	1,854,938
White	93.3%	95.8%	67.0%	66.8%
Black	2.5%	1.6%	1.6%	1.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1.5%	1.0%	1.5%	9.5%
Asian	0.2%	0.1%	0.8%	1.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Some other Race	1.9%	1.2%	24.7%	17.0%
Hispanic or Latino			63.4%	42.1%
<b>Under 18 yrs</b>			<b>51,901</b>	<b>511,768</b>
<b>% of Families Living under the poverty Level</b>			<b>20.2%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>

1. Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division\Bureau of Business and Economic Research, Univ. of New Mexico.  
 2. Source: U.S. Census Bureau\State and County QuickFACTS

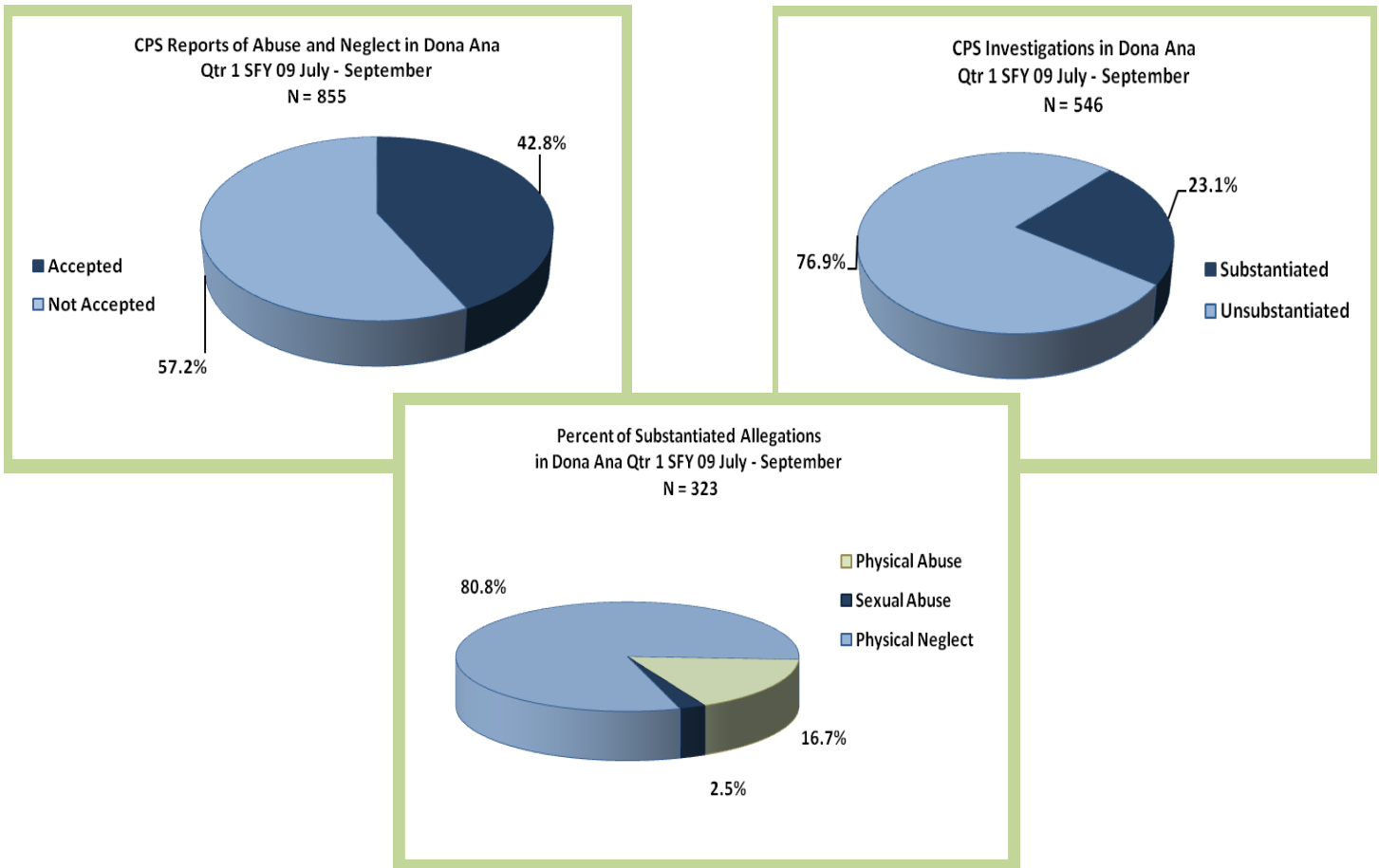
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Dona Ana	366	126	23.1%	420	76.9%	546	16.5%	207	16.0
Region Total	686	220	25.6%	641	74.4%	861	26.1%	349	13.9
State Total	3,332	883	26.7%	2,418	73.3%	3,301	100.0%	1,399	10.9

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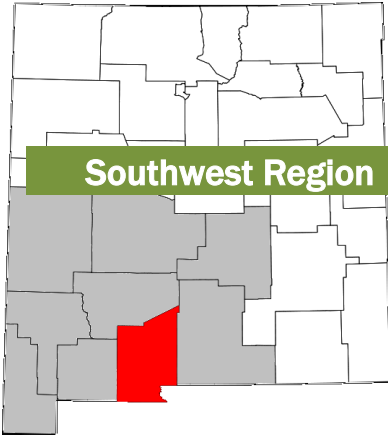


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County	Physical Abuse				Sexual Abuse				Physical Neglect						
	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated		Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated		Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated				
Dona Ana	433	54	12.5%	379	87.5%	49	8	16.3%	41	83.7%	1,046	261	25.0%	785	75.0%
Region Total	639	99	15.5%	540	84.5%	69	12	17.4%	57	82.6%	1,657	434	26.2%	1,223	73.8%
State Total	2,506	540	21.5%	1,966	78.5%	316	64	20.3%	252	79.7%	6,486	1,738	26.8%	4,748	73.2%

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Source: SM06a01



**Southwest Region**

**CHILDREN IN AN OUT OF HOME PLACEMENT FOR MORE THAN TEN DAYS  
WITH AN INITIAL EPSDT<sup>1</sup> EXAMINATION  
1ST QUARTER SFY 09**

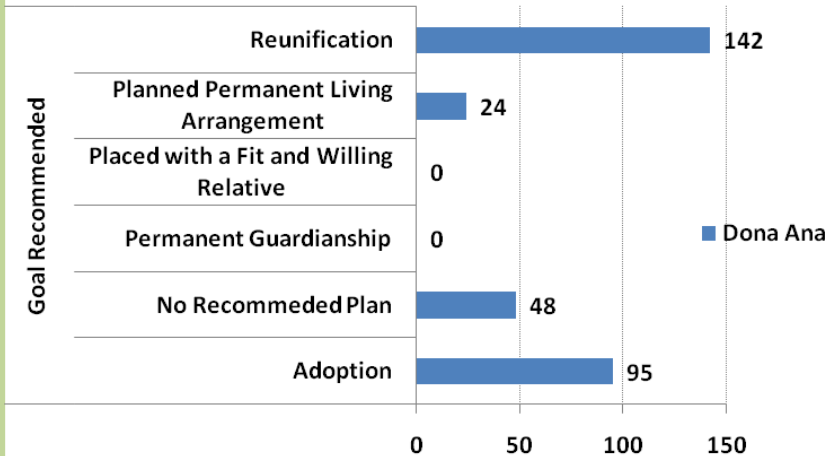
County	Children with an Initial EPSDT within 30 days and a Percentage of Eligible Children in Out of Home Placements.		Children With a Completed EPSDT Exam During the Entire Reporting Period		Total Children in Out of Home Placement Greater Than 10 Days <sup>2</sup>
	#	%	#	%	
Dona Ana	11	50.0%	11	50.0%	22
<b>Region Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>52</b>
<b>State Total</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>48.4%</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>51.0%</b>	<b>310</b>

1. EPSDT = Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment Medicaid Medical Visits.

2. Report counts all children entering care during the parameter period and remaining in care more than 10 days.

Source: SM10a36

**Permanency Plan Goals of Children In Custody  
1st Qtr SFY 2008**



Source: Sm0904

**PERMANENCY/TIME IN CARE  
(OF CHILDREN IN CARE 8 DAYS OR MORE)  
PERIOD ENDING 9/30/08**

*Average Months in Care*

Dona Ana 22.5 months

New Mexico 20.6 months

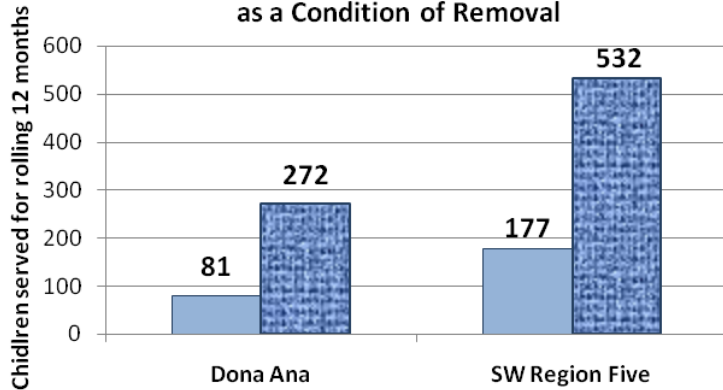
**Goal** 5% reduction (1.4 months=43 days)

Source: AFCARS 12 rolling months

Dona Ana	County Total	Region Total	% of Region Total
<b>POINT IN TIME MEASURES: SEPTEMBER 30, 2008</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE END (SM0907)	191	414	46.1%
NUMBER OF FOSTER CARE PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	88	218	40.4%
NUMBER OF ADOPTION PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	129	293	44.0%
<b>MEASURES FOR QUARTER 1 SFY 2009</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN WITH A PLAN OF ADOPTION (Sm904)	95	217	43.8%
• NUMBER CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (RP08-12)	46	128	35.9%
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITH RESOURCES) (Sm10a26)	29	57	50.9%
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITHOUT RESOURCES) (Sm904)	17	71	23.9%

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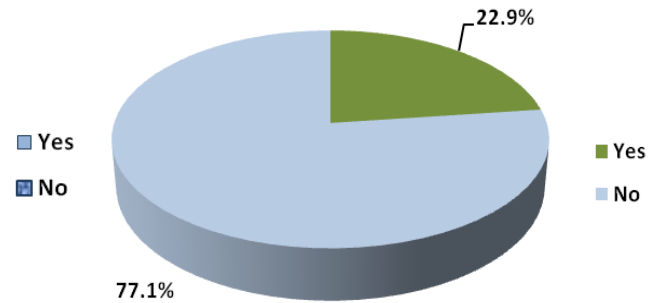
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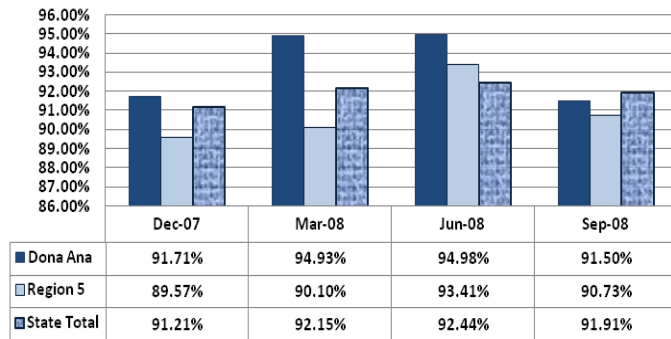
Source: AFCARS rolling 12 months for period ending 9/30/08

### Percent of Children in Care with Incarcerated Parents as a Condition of Removal Dona Ana County



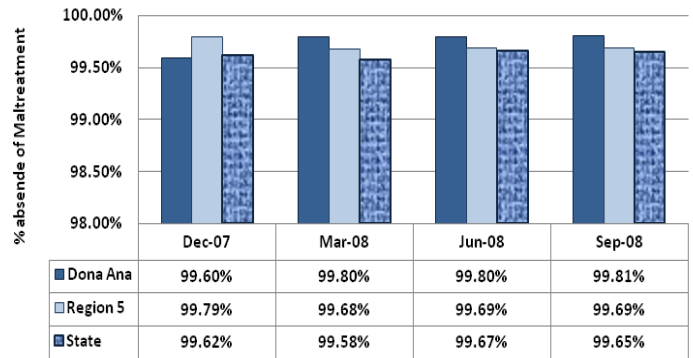
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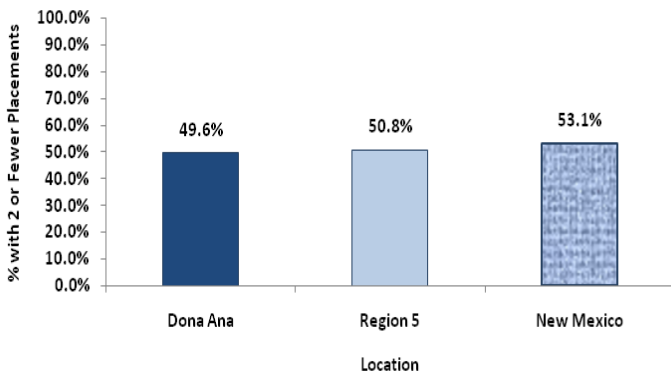
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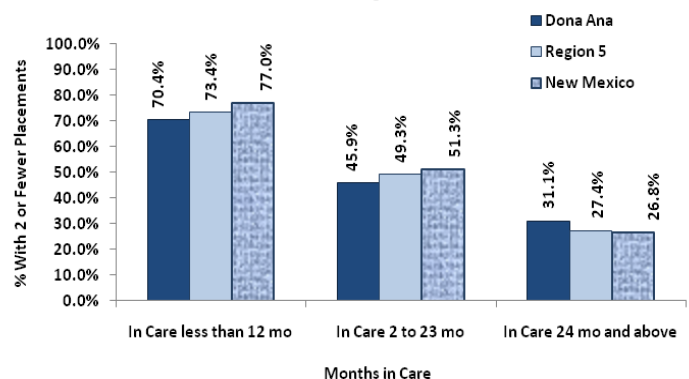
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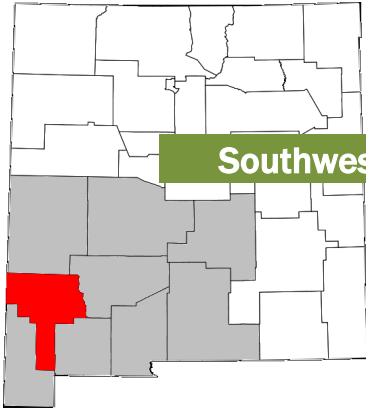
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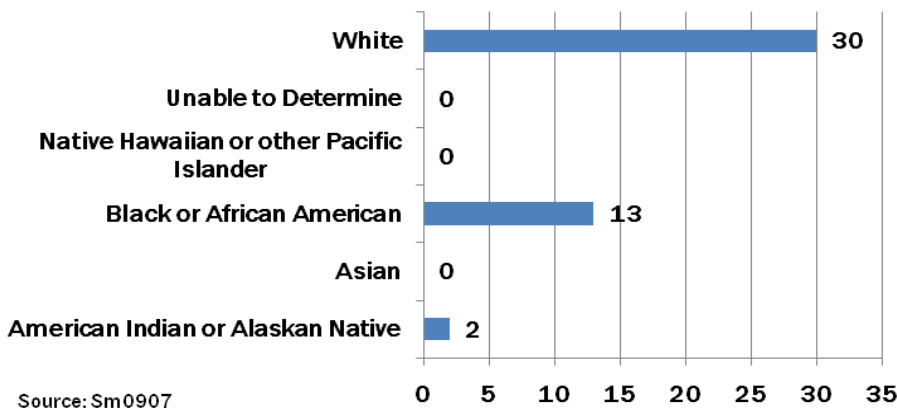
**Southwest Region**

**AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE  
QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER**

Age Range	Grant County	Region Total	County % of Region Totals for Age Range
0 - 1 Yr	0	12	0.0%
1 - 5 Yrs	15	140	10.7%
6 - 10 Yrs	14	120	11.7%
11 - 15 Yrs	8	92	8.7%
16 - 17 Yrs	8	50	16.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>10.9%</b>

Source: Sm0907

**Race of Children In Care  
N = 45**



Source: Sm0907

There were 8,138 children in the county in 2005: this represents 1.6% of the state's total children under 18. While the county accounts for 1.6% of the state's total children under 18, Grant County had 2.1% of the state's total children "in care" as of September 30, 2008, which is more than expected, based on population alone.

**RACE AND ETHNICITY OF ALL CHILDREN**

	Grant <sup>1</sup>		Total Population <sup>2</sup>	
	Children Under 19 yrs	Children Under 19 yrs of Hispanic Origin	Grant	New Mexico
Total Population	7,546	4,509	31,002	1,854,938
White	95.2%	96.6%	75.7%	66.8%
Black	1.5%	1.4%	0.5%	1.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1.3%	0.6%	1.4%	9.5%
Asian	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	1.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%
Some other Race	1.6%	0.9%	19.0%	17.0%
Hispanic or Latino			48.8%	42.1%
<b>Under 18 yrs</b>			<b>8,138</b>	<b>511,768</b>
<b>% of Families Living under the poverty Level</b>			<b>15.1%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>

1. Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division\Bureau of Business and Economic Research, Univ. of New Mexico.  
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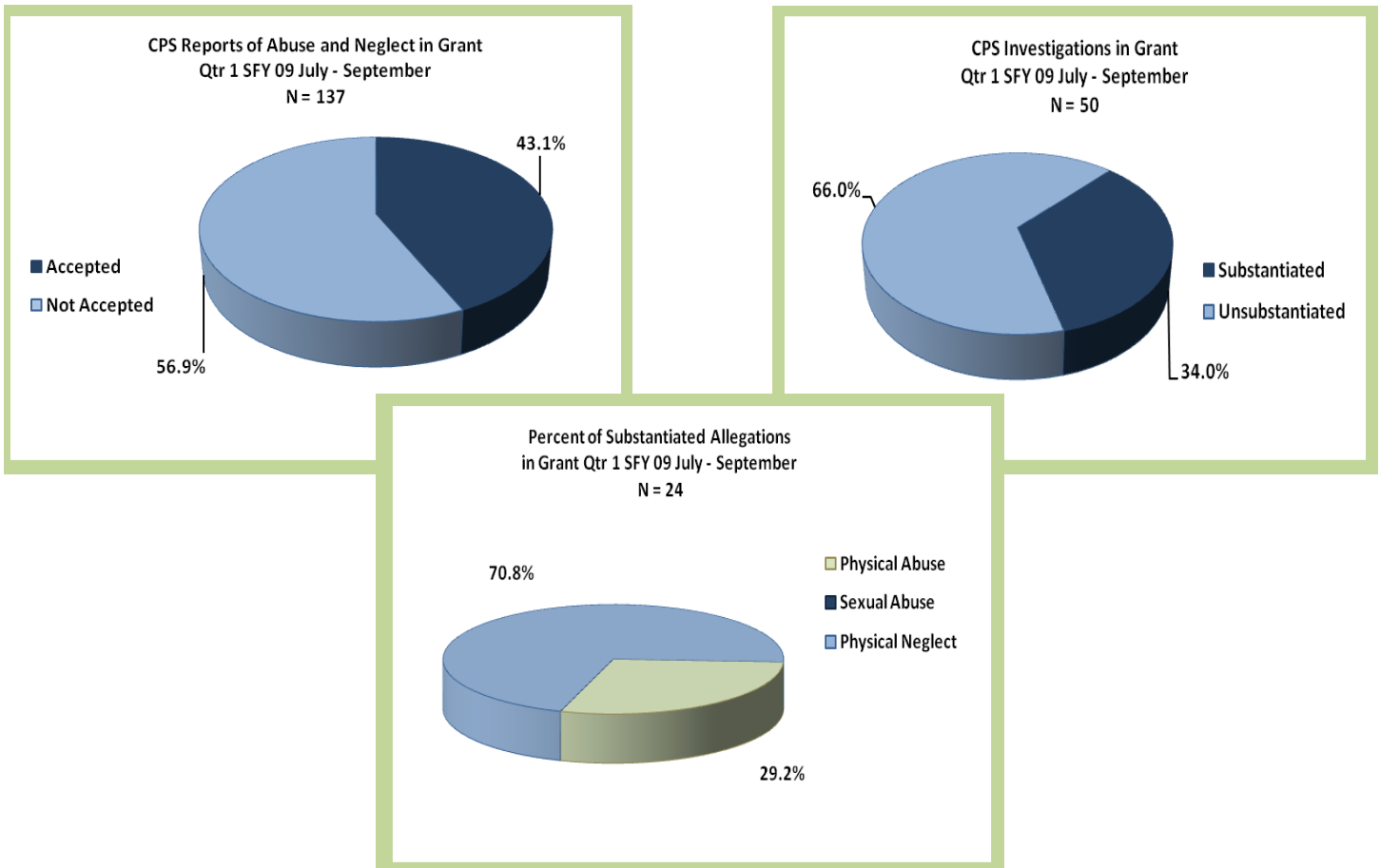
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County	Accepted Reports	Investigations						County % of State Total Investigations <sup>1</sup>	Number of Children Victims	Victim Rate per 1,000 Children <sup>2</sup>
		Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Total Investigations	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Total Investigations			
Grant	59	17	34.0%	33	66.0%	50	1.5%	21	10.3	
Region Total	686	220	25.6%	641	74.4%	861	26.1%	349	13.9	
State Total	3,332	883	26.7%	2,418	73.3%	3,301	100.0%	1,399	10.9	

Note: Not all "accepted reports" result in investigations completed during the period under review.

- Both County and Regional data are calculated as a % of the State's total investigations for the period under review.
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Source: SM01a02 and SM06a01



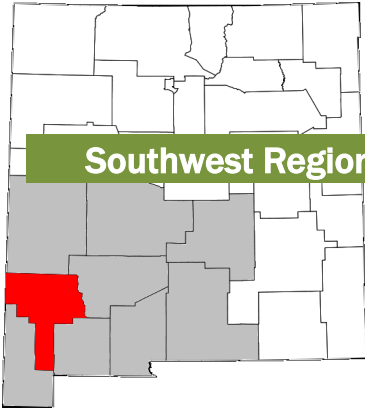
CPS ALLEGATION TYPES OF CHILD MALTREATMENT - QUARTER 1 SFY 2009: JULY - SEPTEMBER 2008

County	Physical Abuse				Sexual Abuse				Physical Neglect			
	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	%	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	%	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	%
Grant	30	7	23	23.3%	3	0	3	0.0%	84	17	67	20.2%
Region Total	639	99	540	15.5%	69	12	57	17.4%	1,657	434	1,223	26.2%
State Total	2,506	540	1,966	21.5%	316	64	252	20.3%	6,486	1,738	4,748	26.8%

Note: In every investigation there may be multiple allegations of maltreatment for one or more children. In counties with small populations, very small numbers in any category may render suspect any data collected during the period under review.

Source: SM06a01

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**Southwest Region**

**CHILDREN IN AN OUT OF HOME PLACEMENT FOR MORE THAN TEN DAYS  
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1ST QUARTER SFY 09**

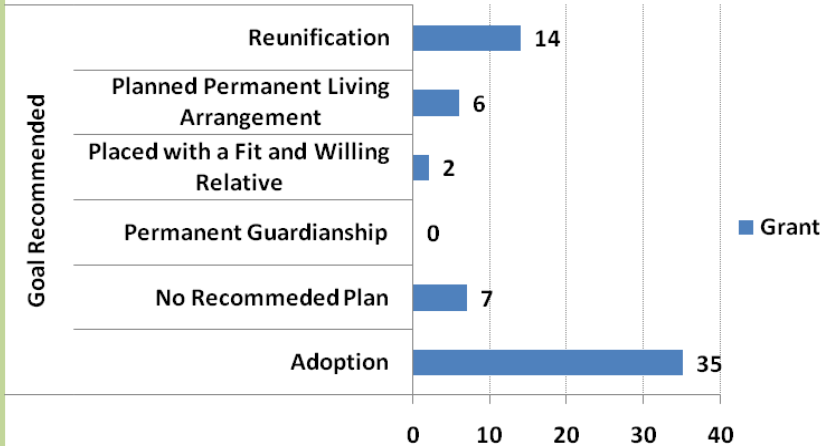
County	Children with an Initial EPSDT within 30 days and a Percentage of Eligible Children in Out of Home Placements.		Children With a Completed EPSDT Exam During the Entire Reporting Period		Total Children in Out of Home Placement Greater Than 10 Days <sup>2</sup>
	#	%	#	%	
Grant	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4
<b>Region Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>52</b>
<b>State Total</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>48.4%</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>51.0%</b>	<b>310</b>

1. EPSDT = Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment Medicaid Medical Visits.

2. Report counts all children entering care during the parameter period and remaining in care more than 10 days.

Source: SM10a36

**Permanency Plan Goals of Children In Custody  
1st Qtr SFY 2008**



Source: Sm0904

**PERMANENCY/TIME IN CARE  
(OF CHILDREN IN CARE 8 DAYS OR MORE)  
PERIOD ENDING 9/30/08**

*Average Months in Care*

Grant 29.4 months

New Mexico 20.6 months

**Goal** 5% reduction (1.4 months=43 days)

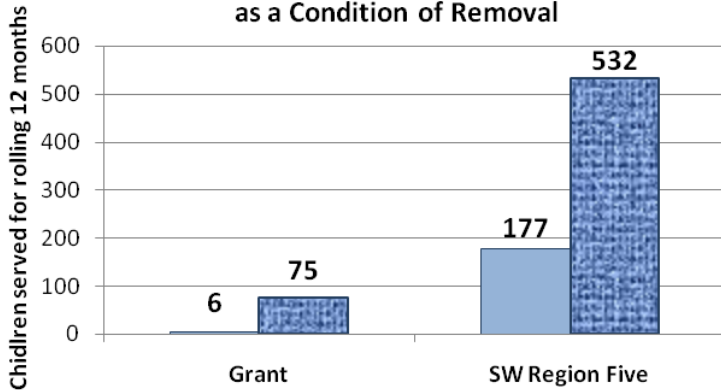
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Grant	County Total	Region Total	% of Region Total
<b>POINT IN TIME MEASURES: SEPTEMBER 30, 2008</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE END (SM0907)	45	414	10.9%
NUMBER OF FOSTER CARE PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	28	218	12.8%
NUMBER OF ADOPTION PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	42	293	14.3%
<b>MEASURES FOR QUARTER 1 SFY 2009</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN WITH A PLAN OF ADOPTION (Sm0904)	35	218	16.1%
• NUMBER CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (RP08-12)	30	128	23.4%
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITH RESOURCES) (Sm10a26)	7	57	12.3%
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITHOUT RESOURCES) (Sm904)	23	71	32.4%

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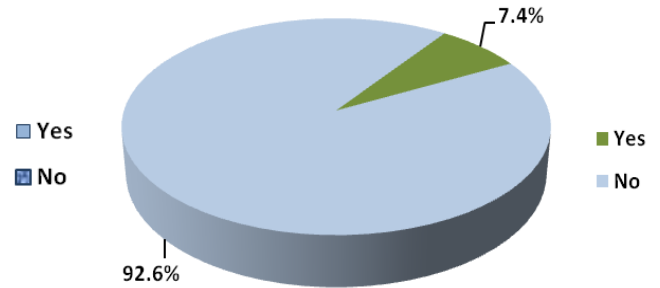
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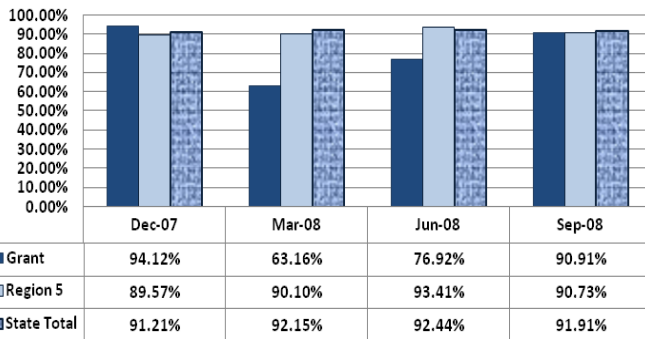
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### Percent of Children in Care with Incarcerated Parents as a Condition of Removal Grant County



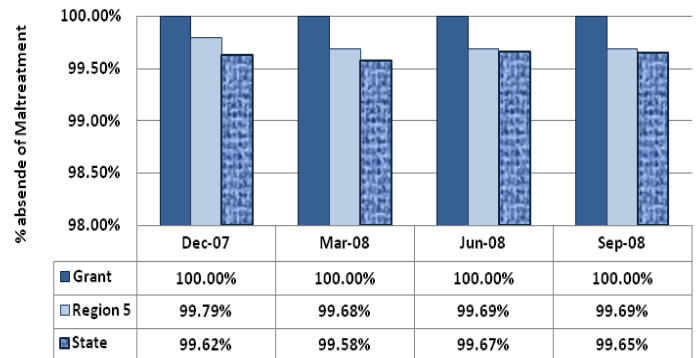
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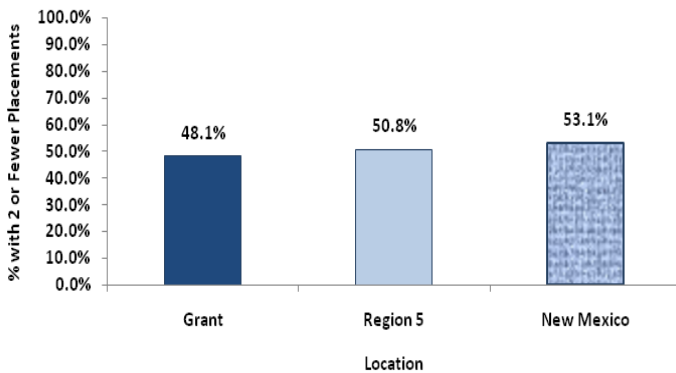
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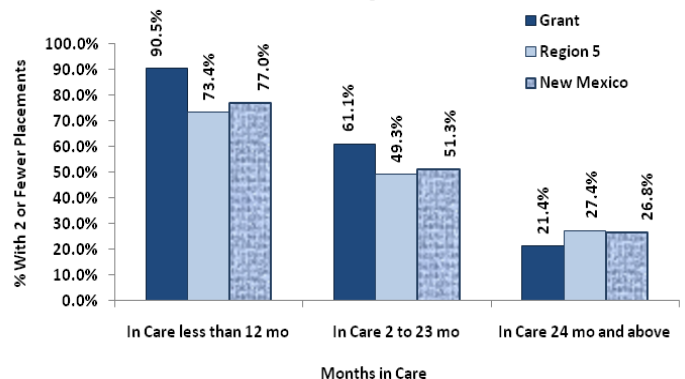
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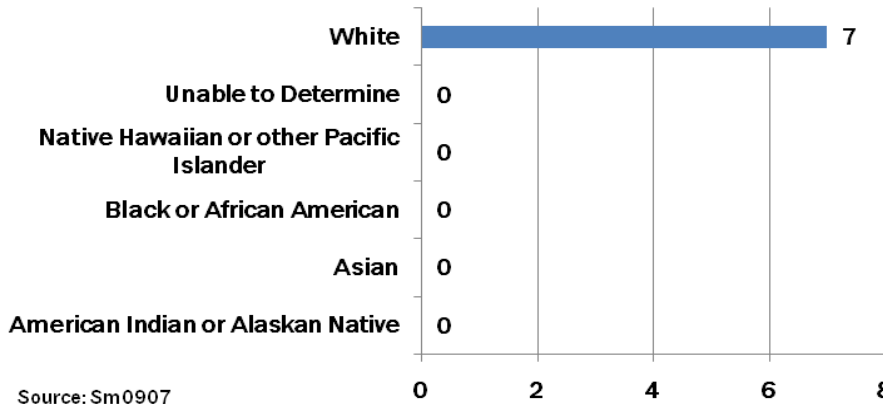
**Southwest Region**

**AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE  
QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER**

Age Range	Hidalgo County	Region Total	County % of Region Totals for Age Range
0 - 1 Yr	0	12	0.0%
1 - 5 Yrs	0	140	0.0%
6 - 10 Yrs	2	120	1.7%
11 - 15 Yrs	5	92	5.4%
16 - 17 Yrs	0	50	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>1.7%</b>

Source: Sm0907

**Race of Children In Care  
N = 7**



Source: Sm0907

There were 1,882 children in the county in 2005: this represents 0.37% of the state's total children under 18. While the county accounts for 0.37% of the state's total children under 18, Hidalgo County had 0.3% of the state's total children "in care" as of September 30, 2008, which is less than expected, based on population alone.

**RACE AND ETHNICITY OF ALL CHILDREN**

	Hidalgo <sup>1</sup>		Total Population <sup>2</sup>	
	Children Under 19 yrs	Children Under 19 yrs of Hispanic Origin	Hidalgo	New Mexico
Total Population	1,506	969	5,932	1,854,938
White	1,472	98.6%	83.8%	66.8%
Black	13	0.5%	0.4%	1.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	8	0.4%	0.8%	9.5%
Asian	10	0.1%	0.3%	1.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%
Some other Race	2	0.1%	11.9%	17.0%
Hispanic or Latino			56.0%	42.1%
<b>Under 18 yrs</b>			<b>1,882</b>	<b>511,768</b>
<b>% of Families Living under the poverty Level</b>			<b>23.9%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>

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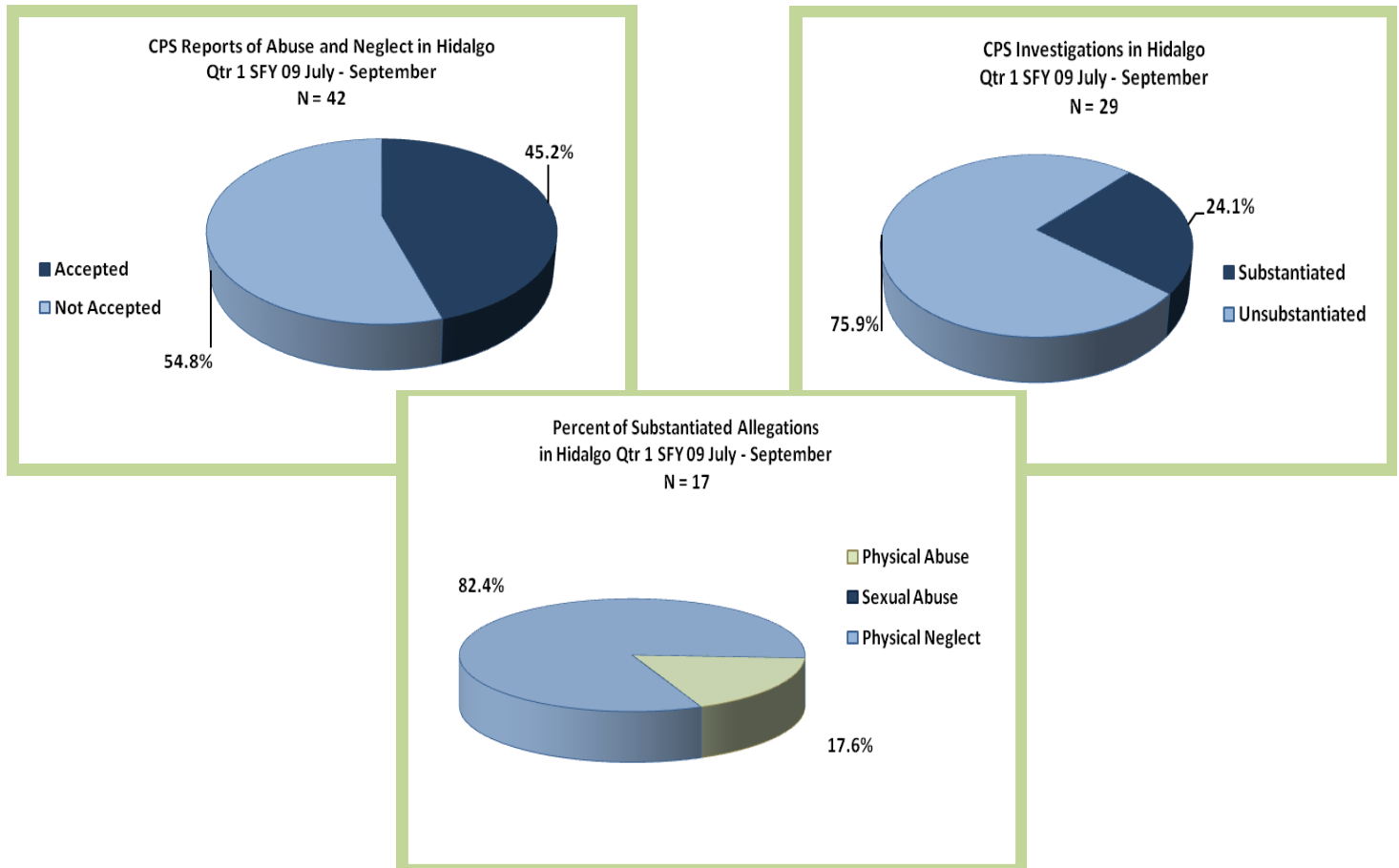
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Source: SM01a02 and SM06a01



CPS ALLEGATION TYPES OF CHILD MALTREATMENT - QUARTER 1 SFY 2009: JULY - SEPTEMBER 2008

County	Physical Abuse				Sexual Abuse				Physical Neglect						
	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	%	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	%	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	%			
Hidalgo	22	3	13.6%	19	86.4%	1	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	56	14	25.0%	42	75.0%
Region Total	639	99	15.5%	540	84.5%	69	12	17.4%	57	82.6%	1,657	434	26.2%	1,223	73.8%
State Total	2,506	540	21.5%	1,966	78.5%	316	64	20.3%	252	79.7%	6,486	1,738	26.8%	4,748	73.2%

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Source: SM06a01



**Southwest Region**

**CHILDREN IN AN OUT OF HOME PLACEMENT FOR MORE THAN TEN DAYS  
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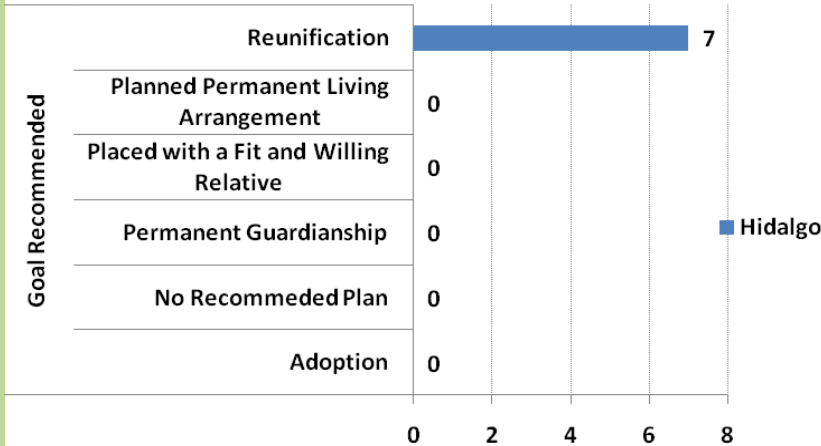
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	#	%	#	%	#
Hidalgo	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
<b>Region Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>52</b>
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Source: SM10a36

**Permanency Plan Goals of Children In Custody  
1st Qtr SFY 2008**



Source: Sm0904

**PERMANENCY/TIME IN CARE  
(OF CHILDREN IN CARE 8 DAYS OR MORE)  
PERIOD ENDING 9/30/08**

*Average Months in Care*

Hidalgo	7.5 months
New Mexico	20.6 months

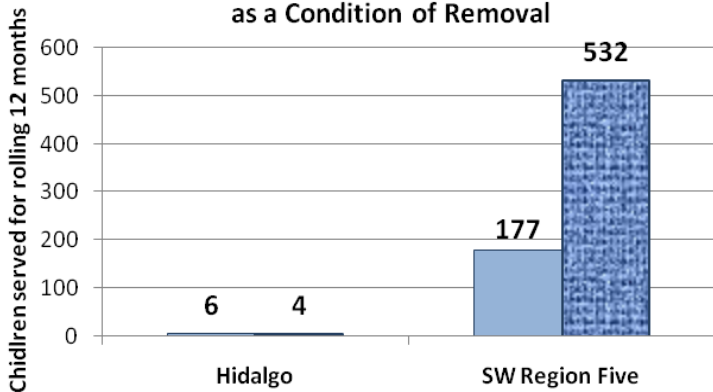
**Goal**      5% reduction (1.4 months=43 days)

Source: AFCARS 12 rolling months

Hidalgo	County Total	Region Total	% of Region Total
<b>POINT IN TIME MEASURES: SEPTEMBER 30, 2008</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE END (SM0907)	7	414	1.7%
NUMBER OF FOSTER CARE PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	2	218	0.9%
NUMBER OF ADOPTION PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	3	293	1.0%
<b>MEASURES FOR QUARTER 1 SFY 2009</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN WITH A PLAN OF ADOPTION (Sm0904)	0	219	0.0%
• NUMBER CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (RP08-12)	0	128	0.0%
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITH RESOURCES) (Sm10a26)	0	57	0.0%
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITHOUT RESOURCES) (Sm904)	0	71	0.0%

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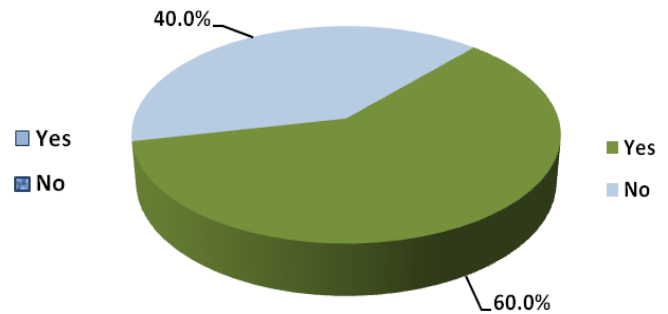
**Children in Care with Incarcerated Parents as a Condition of Removal**



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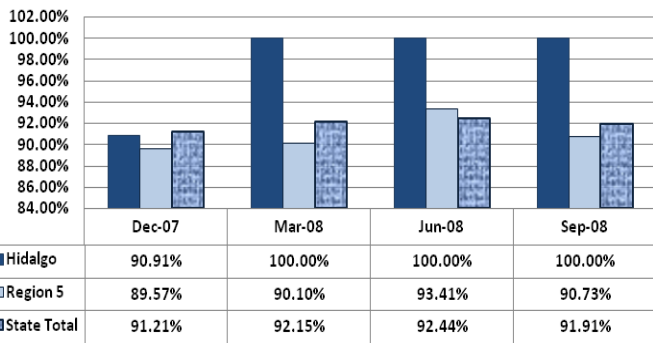
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**Percent of Children in Care with Incarcerated Parents as a Condition of Removal Hidalgo County**



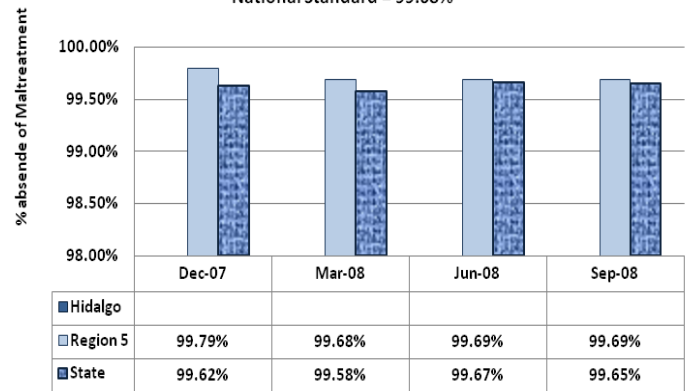
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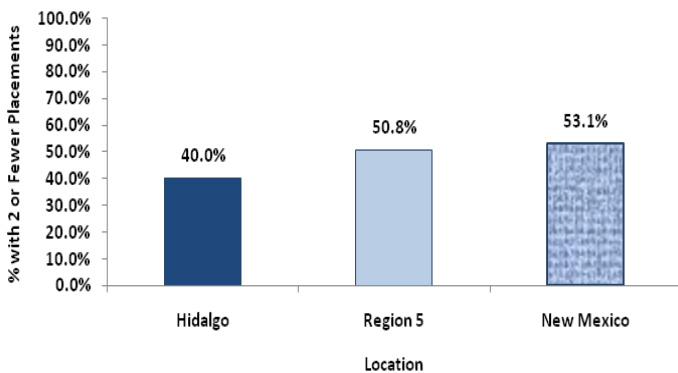
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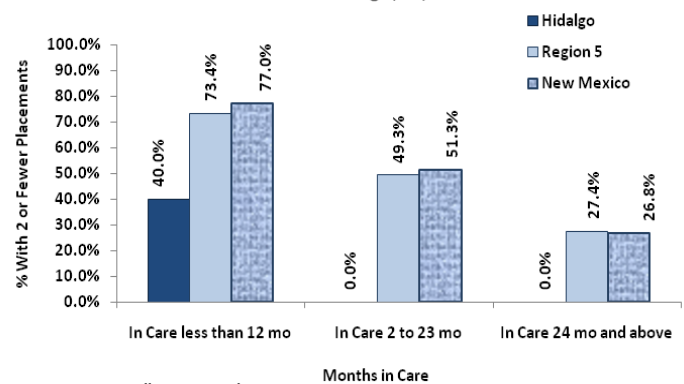
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Percent of Children With 2 or Fewer Placements - All Time Categories (12 Rolling Months)



Source: AFCARS Rolling 12 Months

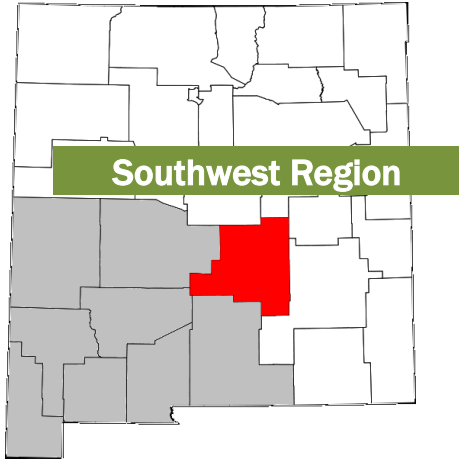
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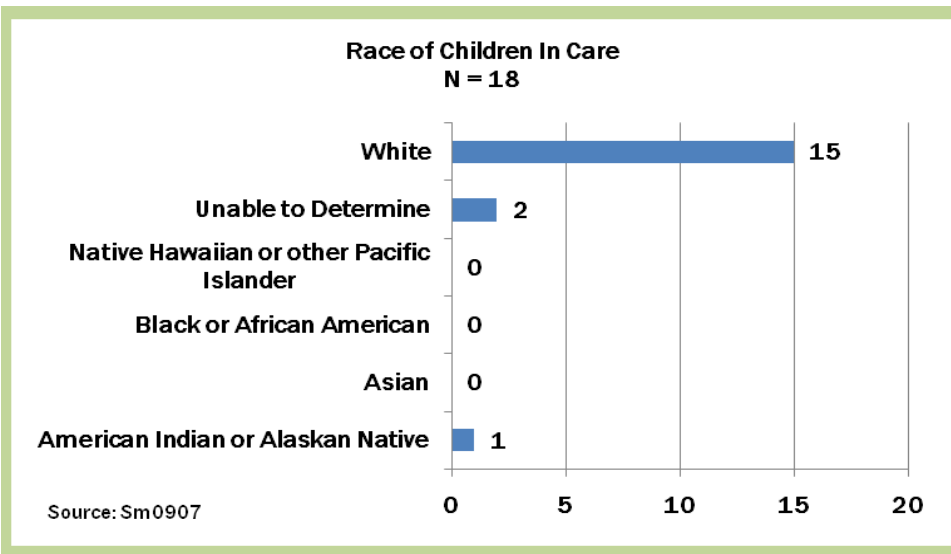


A higher score is better for these four National Measures



AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER			
Age Range	Lincoln County	Region Total	County % of Region Totals for Age Range
0 - 1 Yr	0	12	0.0%
1 - 5 Yrs	8	140	5.7%
6 - 10 Yrs	7	120	5.8%
11 - 15 Yrs	2	92	2.2%
16 - 17 Yrs	1	50	2.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>4.3%</b>

Source: Sm0907



There were 4,414 children in the county in 2005: this represents 0.86% of the state's total children under 18. While the county accounts for 0.86% of the state's total children under 18, Lincoln County had 0.9% of the state's total children "in care" as of September 30, 2008, which is more than expected, based on population alone.

	RACE AND ETHNICITY OF ALL CHILDREN			
	Lincoln <sup>1</sup>		Total Population <sup>2</sup>	
	Children Under 19 yrs	Children Under 19 yrs of Hispanic Origin	Lincoln	New Mexico
Total Population	4,795	1,946	19,411	1,854,938
White	93.1%	95.3%	83.6%	66.8%
Black	1.6%	1.7%	0.4%	1.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	3.6%	1.7%	2.0%	9.5%
Asian	0.1%	0.3%	0.3%	1.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.1%	0.3%	0.1%	0.1%
Some other Race	1.3%	0.6%	11.3%	17.0%
Hispanic or Latino			25.6%	42.1%
<b>Under 18 yrs</b>			<b>4,414</b>	<b>511,768</b>
<b>% of Families Living under the poverty Level</b>			<b>10.8%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>

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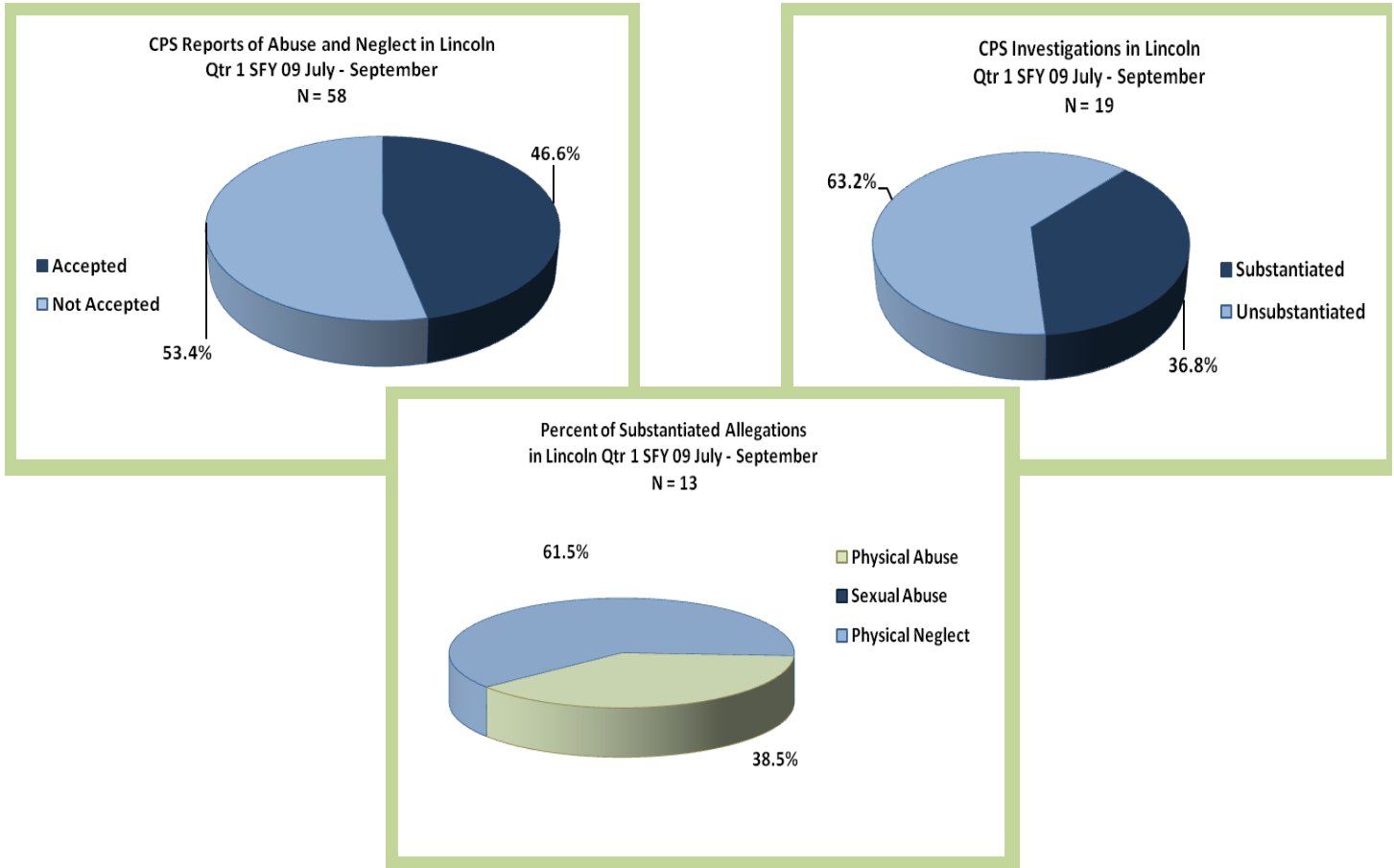
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Region Total	686	220	25.6%	641	74.4%	861	26.1%	349	13.9
State Total	3,332	883	26.7%	2,418	73.3%	3,301	100.0%	1,399	10.9

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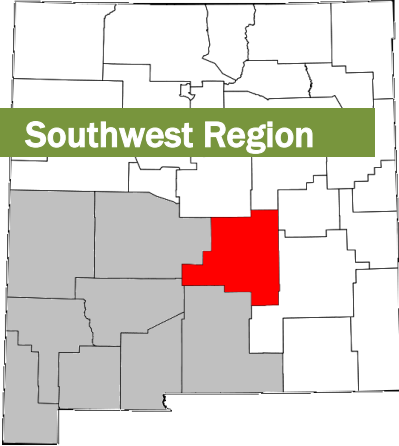
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County	Physical Abuse				Sexual Abuse				Physical Neglect			
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Lincoln	9	5	4	55.6%	1	0	1	0.0%	39	8	31	20.5%
Region Total	639	99	540	15.5%	69	12	57	17.4%	1,657	434	1,223	26.2%
State Total	2,506	540	1,966	21.5%	316	64	252	20.3%	6,486	1,738	4,748	26.8%

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Southwest Region



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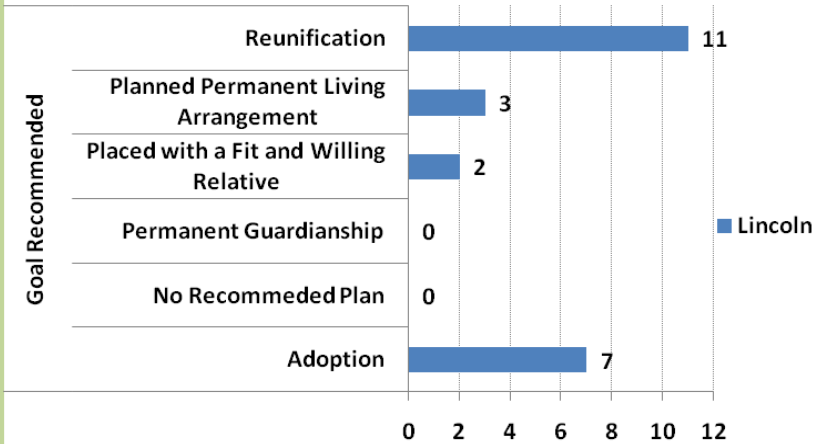
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Lincoln	1	25.0%	1	25.0%	4
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State Total	150	48.4%	158	51.0%	310

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Source: SM10a36

Permanency Plan Goals of Children In Custody  
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Source: Sm0904

PERMANENCY/TIME IN CARE  
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Lincoln	County Total	Region Total	% of Region Total
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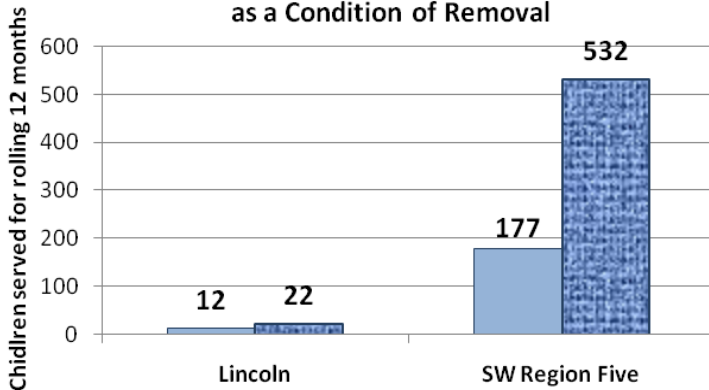
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• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITH RESOURCES) (Sm10a26)	1	57	1.8%
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITHOUT RESOURCES) (Sm904)	1	71	1.4%

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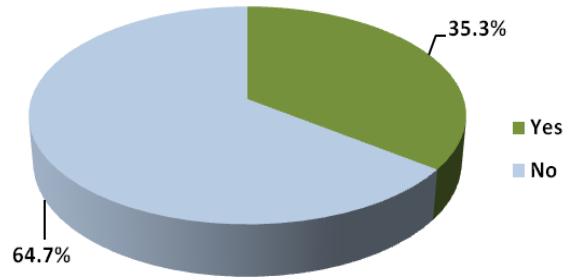
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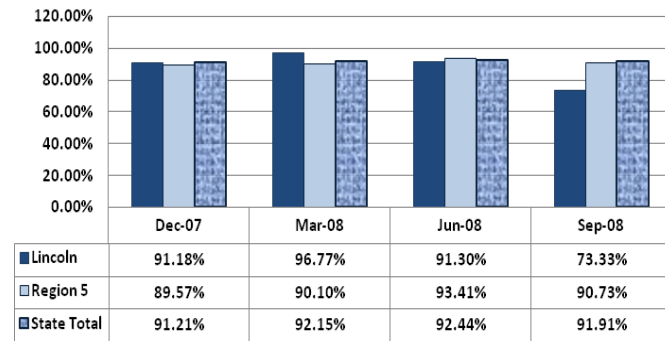
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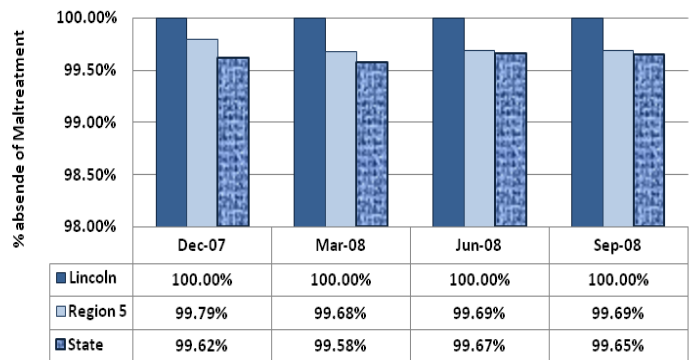
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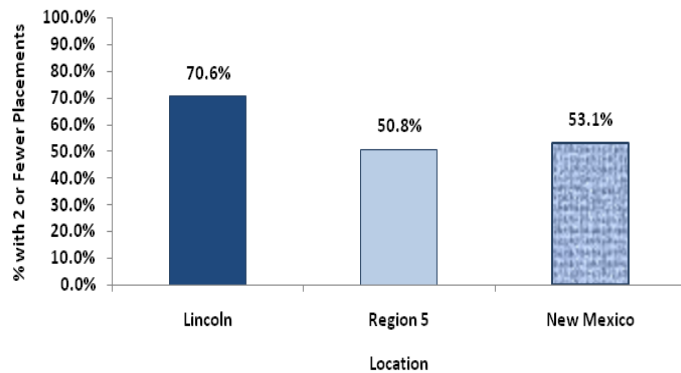
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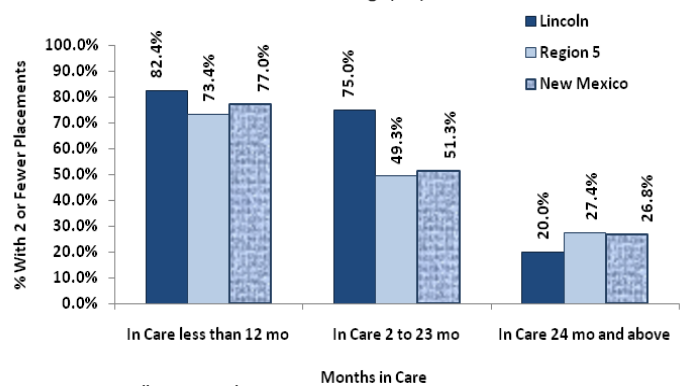
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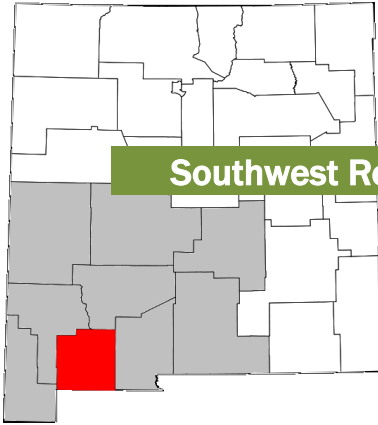
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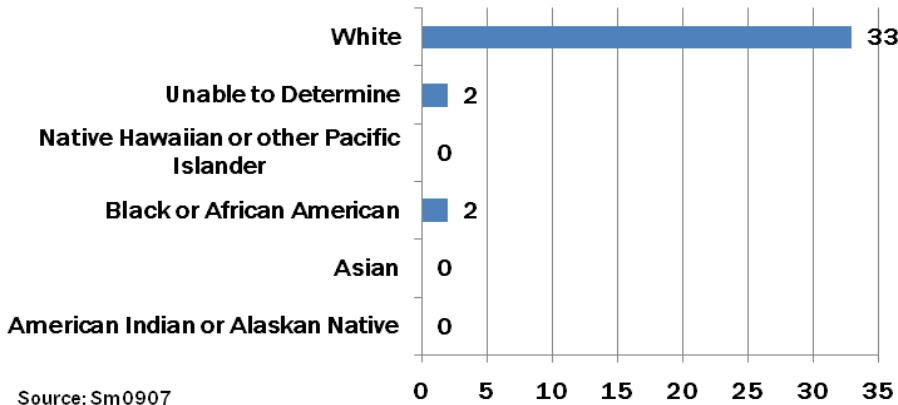
**Southwest Region**

**AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE  
QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER**

Age Range	Luna County	Region Total	County % of Region Totals for Age Range
0 - 1 Yr	2	12	16.7%
1 - 5 Yrs	11	140	7.9%
6 - 10 Yrs	9	120	7.5%
11 - 15 Yrs	10	92	10.9%
16 - 17 Yrs	5	50	10.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>8.9%</b>

Source: Sm0907

**Race of Children In Care  
N = 37**



Source: Sm0907

There were 7,505 children in the county in 2005: this represents 1.5% of the state's total children under 18. While the county accounts for 1.5% of the state's total children under 18, Luna County had 1.8% of the state's total children "in care" as of September 30, 2008, which is more than expected, based on population alone.

**RACE AND ETHNICITY OF ALL CHILDREN**

	Luna <sup>1</sup>		Total Population <sup>2</sup>	
	Children Under 19 yrs	Children Under 19 yrs of Hispanic Origin	Luna	New Mexico
Total Population	7,986	6,170	25,016	1,854,938
White	95.5%	97.1%	74.3%	66.8%
Black	1.9%	1.4%	0.9%	1.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1.0%	0.6%	1.1%	9.5%
Asian	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	1.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
Some other Race	1.1%	0.8%	20.2%	17.0%
Hispanic or Latino			57.7%	42.1%
<b>Under 18 yrs</b>			<b>7,505</b>	<b>511,768</b>
<b>% of Families Living under the poverty Level</b>			<b>27.2%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>

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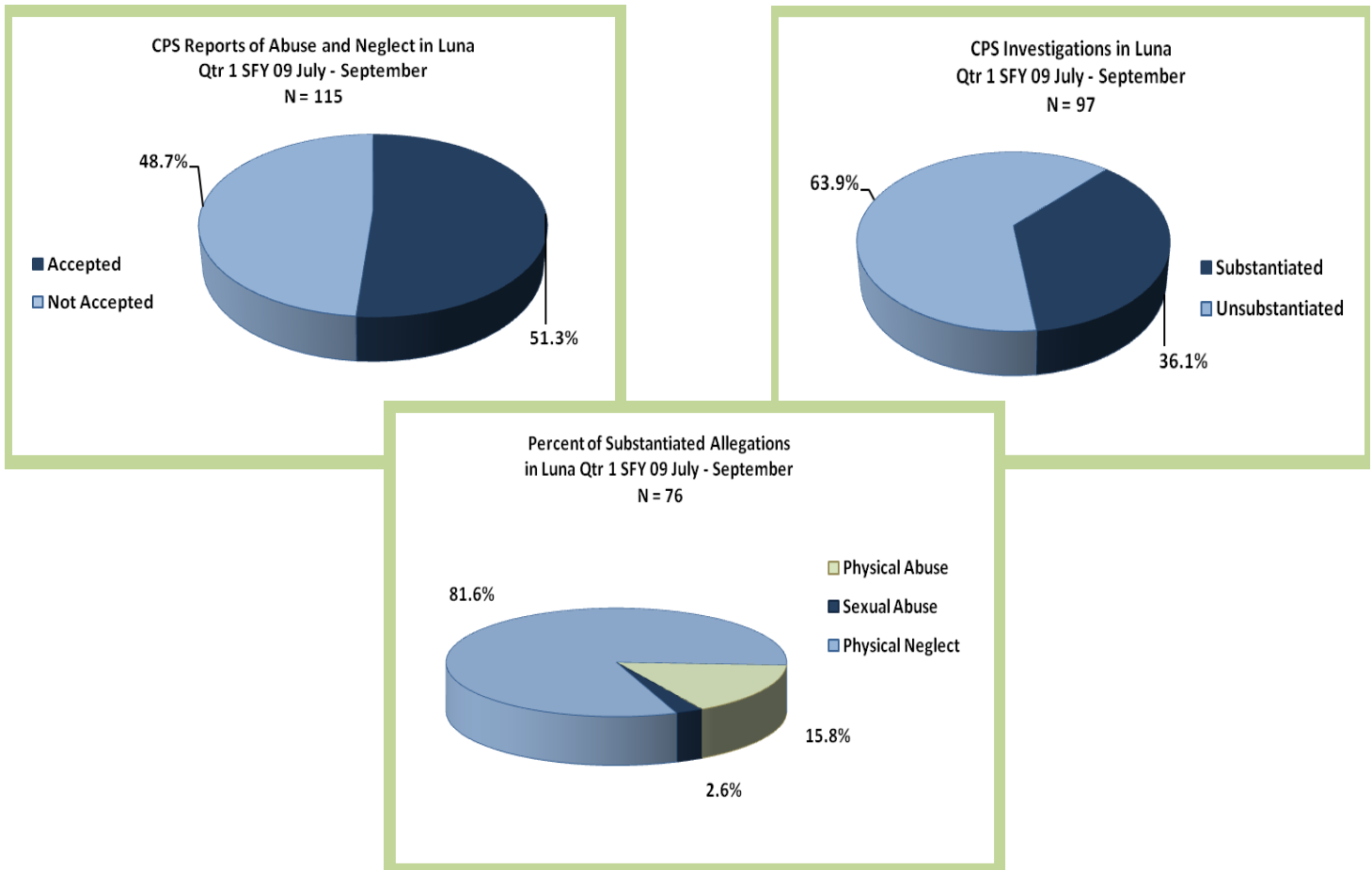
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State Total	3,332	883	26.7%	2,418	73.3%	3,301	100.0%	1,399	10.9

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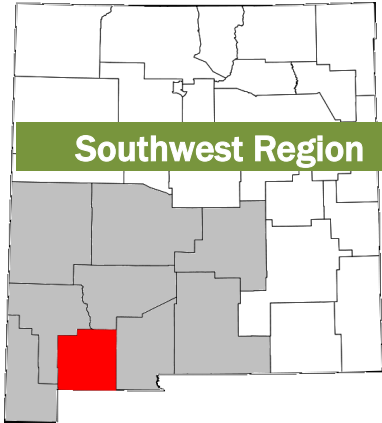
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County	Physical Abuse					Sexual Abuse					Physical Neglect				
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Luna	61	12	19.7%	49	80.3%	4	2	50.0%	2	50.0%	178	62	34.8%	116	65.2%
Region Total	639	99	15.5%	540	84.5%	69	12	17.4%	57	82.6%	1,657	434	26.2%	1,223	73.8%
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**Southwest Region**

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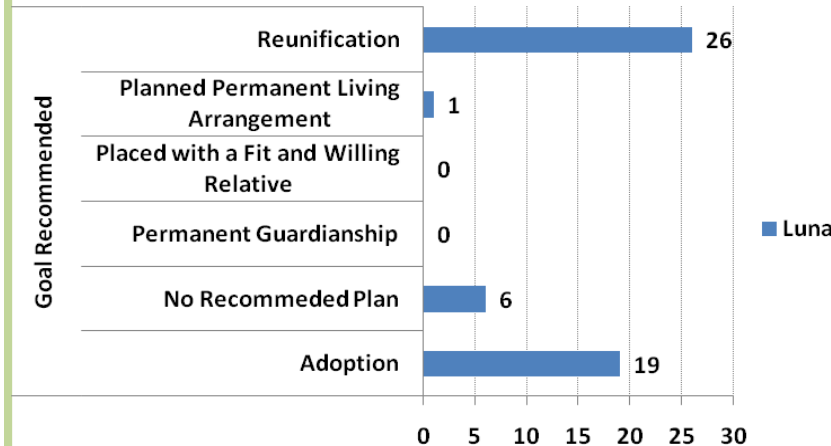
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Luna	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	8
<b>Region Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>52</b>
<b>State Total</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>48.4%</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>51.0%</b>	<b>310</b>

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Source: SM10a36

**Permanency Plan Goals of Children In Custody  
1st Qtr SFY 2008**



Source: Sm0904

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PERIOD ENDING 9/30/08**

*Average Months in Care*

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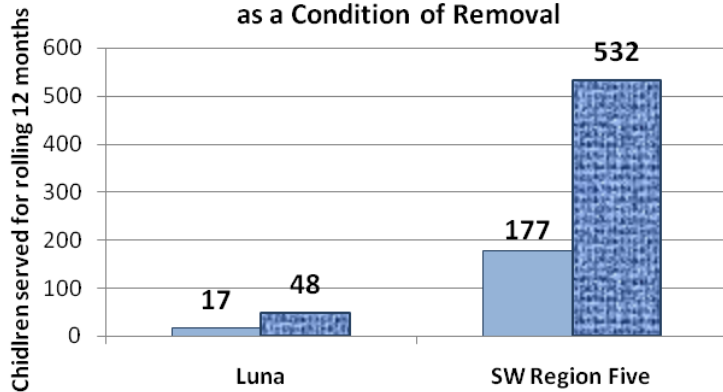
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Luna	County Total	Region Total	% of Region Total
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NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE END (SM0907)	37	414	8.9%
NUMBER OF FOSTER CARE PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	18	218	8.3%
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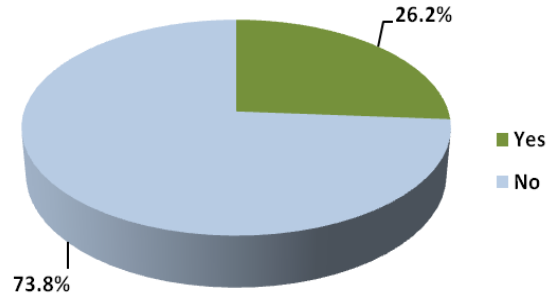
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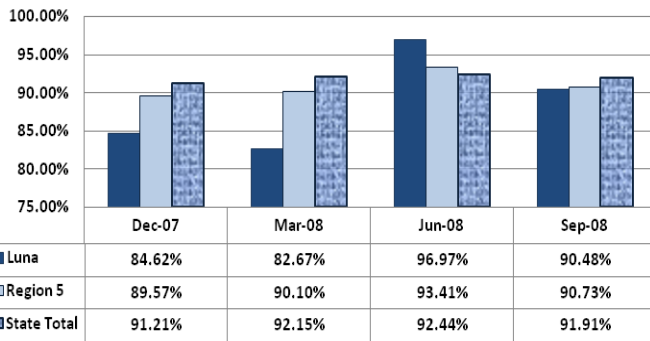
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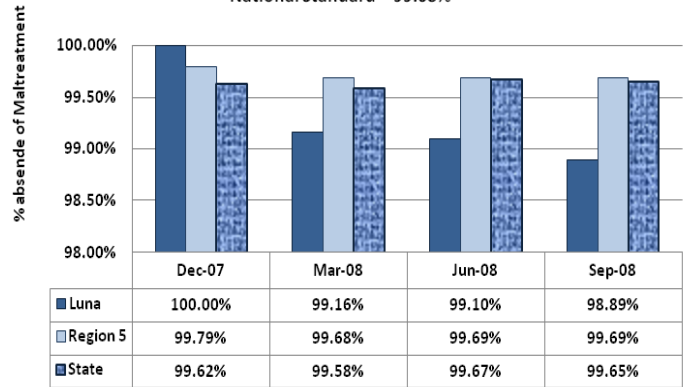
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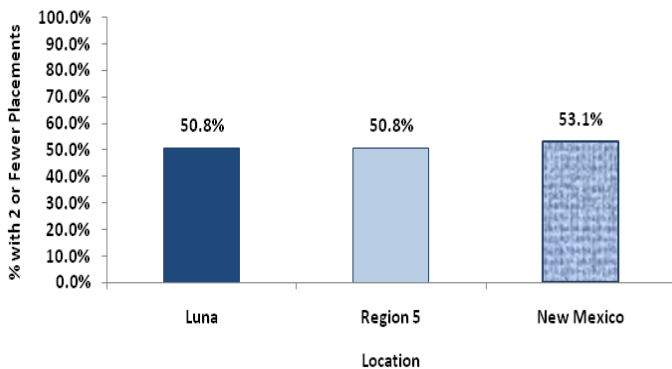
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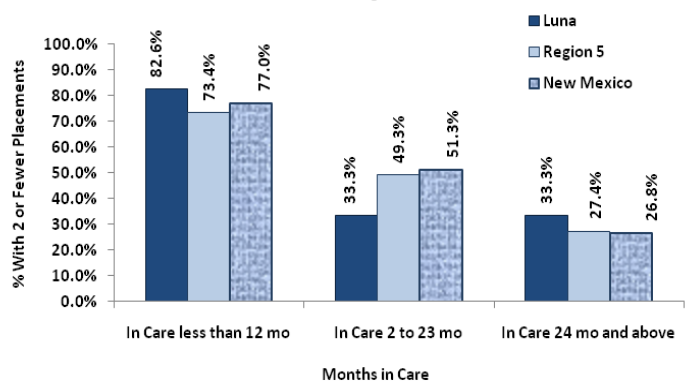
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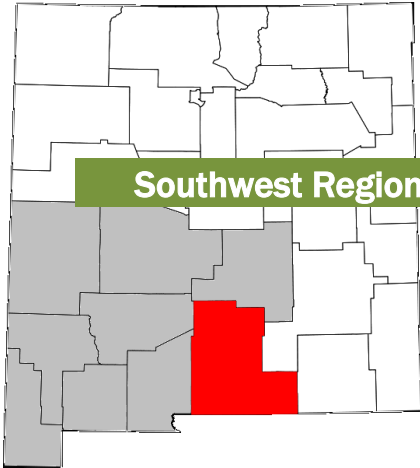
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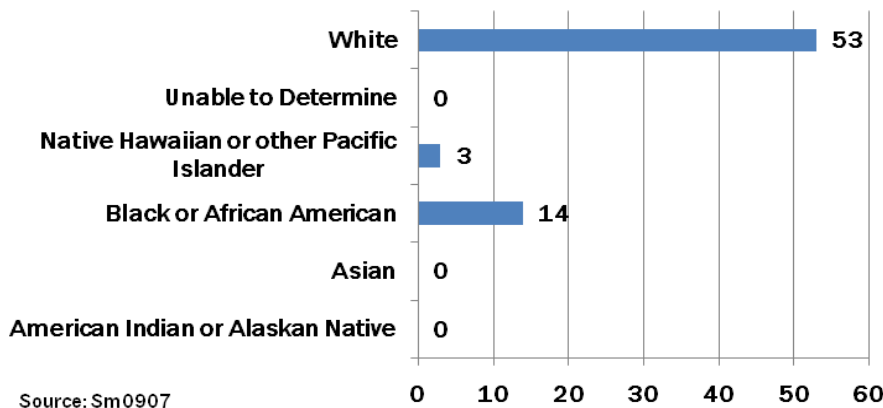


**AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE  
QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER**

Age Range	Otero County	Region Total	County % of Region Totals for Age Range
0 - 1 Yr	2	12	16.7%
1 - 5 Yrs	36	140	25.7%
6 - 10 Yrs	18	120	15.0%
11 - 15 Yrs	11	92	12.0%
16 - 17 Yrs	3	50	6.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>16.9%</b>

Source: Sm0907

**Race of Children In Care  
N = 70**



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There were 18,352 children in the county in 2005: this represents 3.6% of the state's total children under 18. While the county accounts for 3.6% of the state's total children under 18, Otero County had 3.3% of the state's total children "in care" as of September 30, 2008, which is less than expected, based on population alone.

**RACE AND ETHNICITY OF ALL CHILDREN**

	Otero <sup>1</sup>		Total Population <sup>2</sup>	
	Children Under 19 yrs	Children Under 19 yrs of Hispanic Origin	Otero	New Mexico
Total Population	18,683	7,671	62,298	1,854,938
White	82.0%	92.4%	73.7%	66.8%
Black	4.6%	2.3%	3.9%	1.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	8.6%	3.0%	5.8%	9.5%
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<b>Under 18 yrs</b>			<b>18,352</b>	<b>511,768</b>
<b>% of Families Living under the poverty Level</b>			<b>15.6%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>

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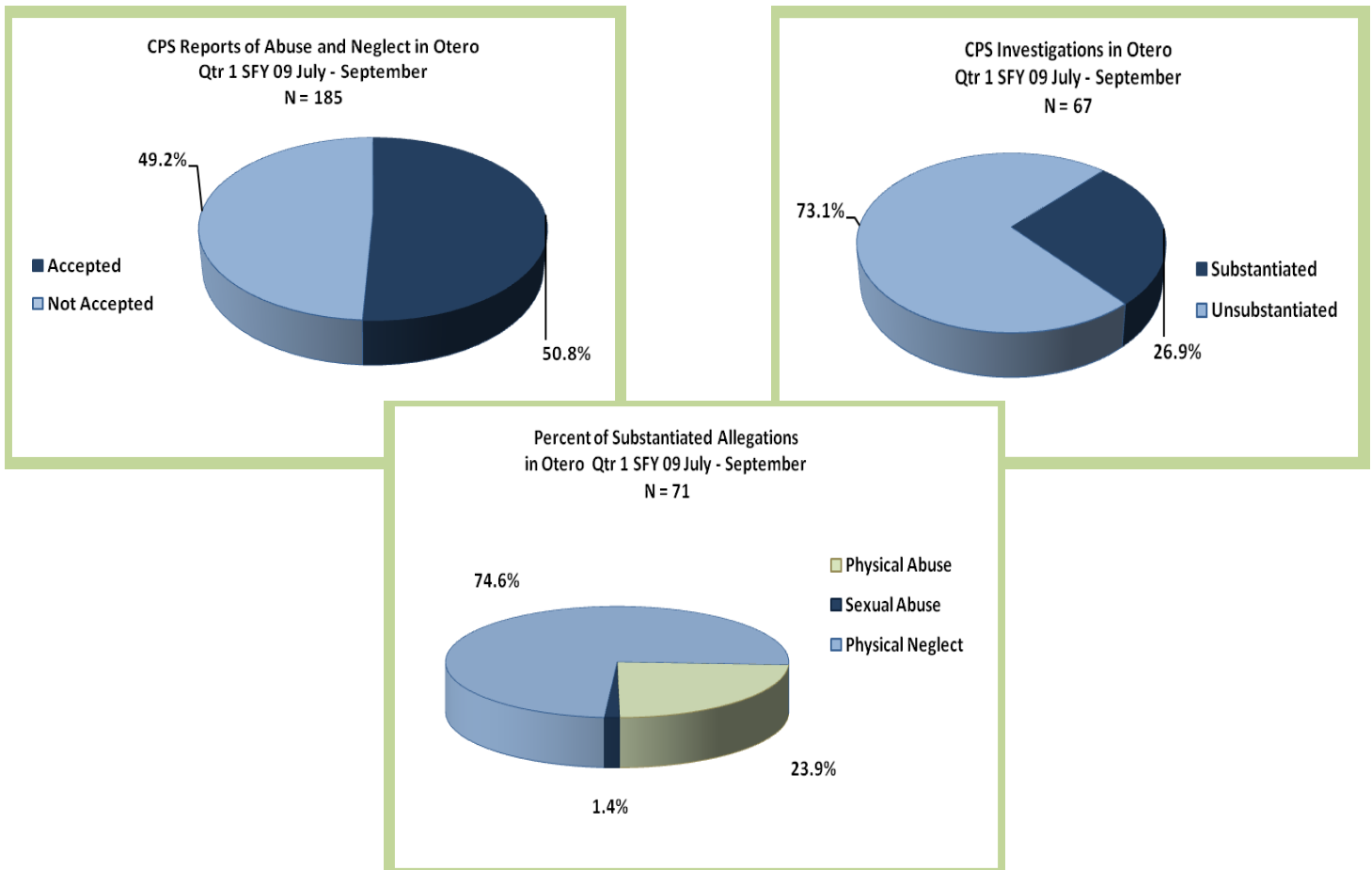
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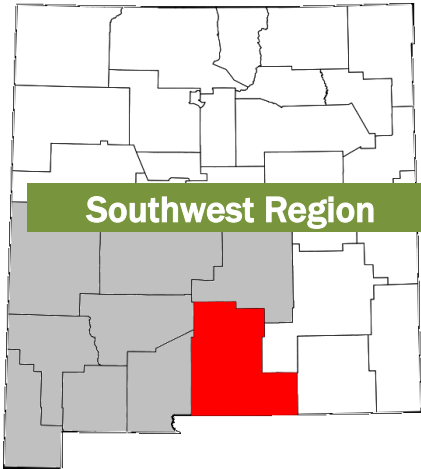
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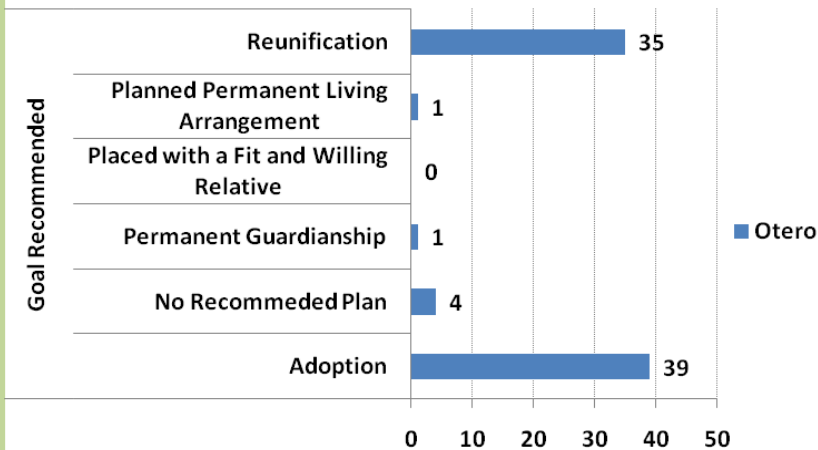
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Goal 5% reduction (1.4 months=43 days)

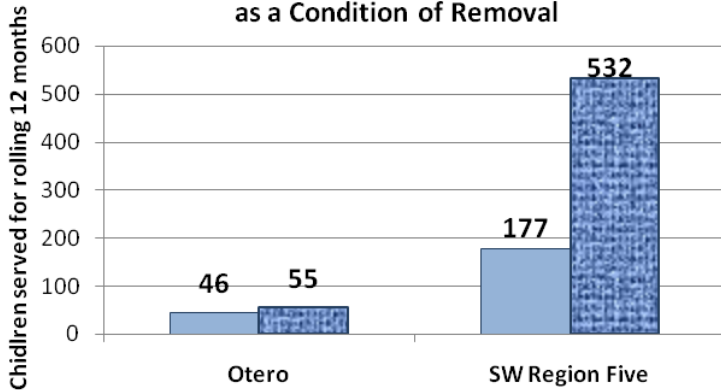
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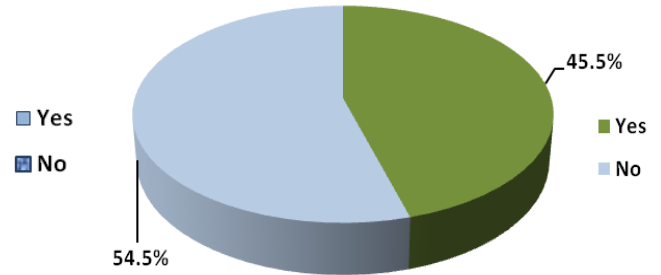
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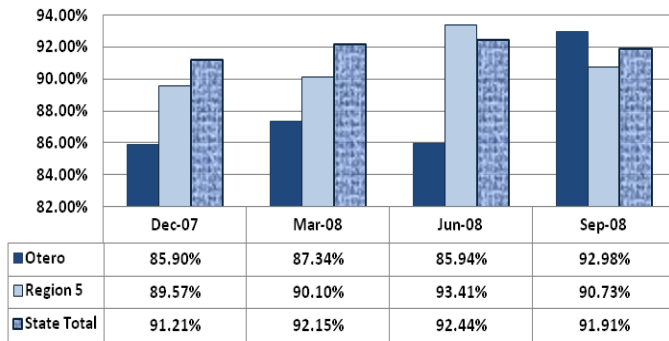
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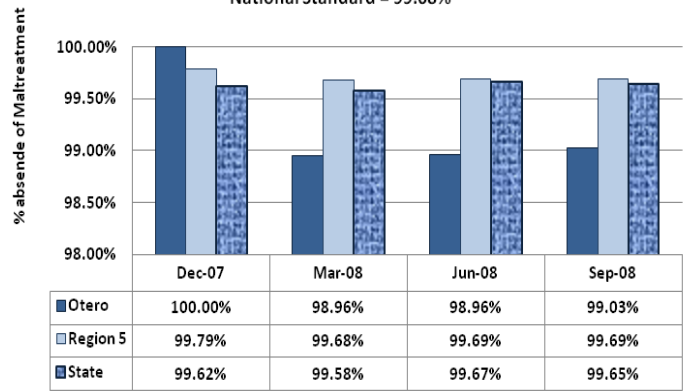
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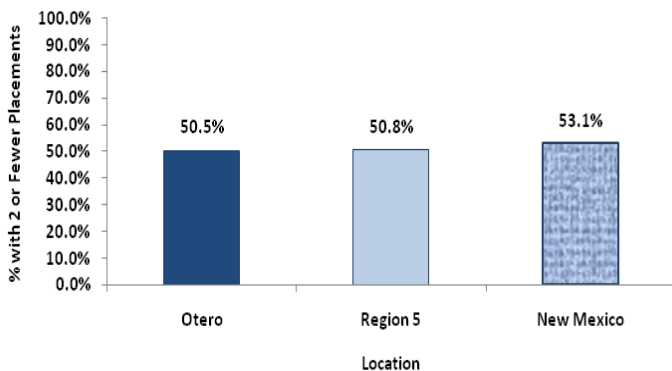
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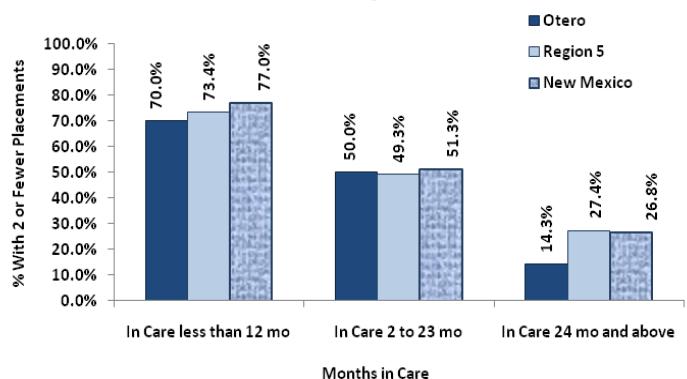
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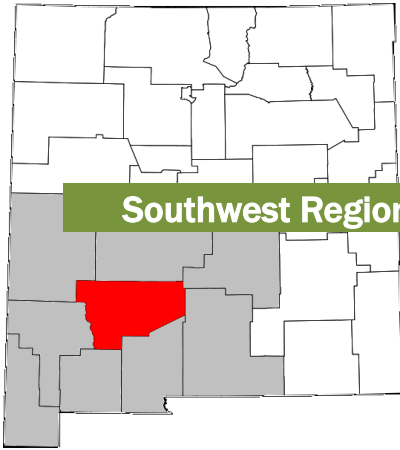
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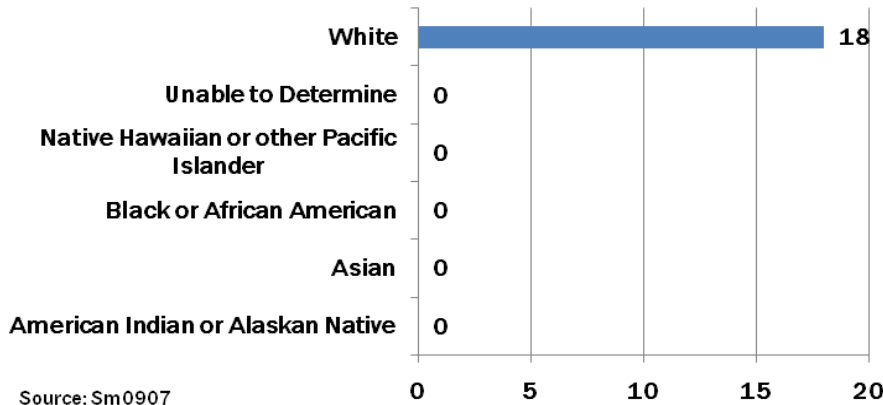
Southwest Region

AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE  
QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER

Age Range	Sierra County	Region Total	County % of Region Totals for Age Range
0 - 1 Yr	2	12	16.7%
1 - 5 Yrs	3	140	2.1%
6 - 10 Yrs	6	120	5.0%
11 - 15 Yrs	4	92	4.3%
16 - 17 Yrs	3	50	6.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>4.3%</b>

Source: Sm0907

Race of Children In Care  
N = 18



Source: Sm0907

There were 2,666 children in the county in 2005: this represents 0.5% of the state's total children under 18. While the county accounts for 0.5% of the state's total children under 18, Sierra County had 0.9% of the state's total children "in care" as of September 30, 2008, which is more than expected, based on population alone.

RACE AND ETHNICITY OF ALL CHILDREN

	Sierra <sup>1</sup>		Total Population <sup>2</sup>	
	Children Under 19 yrs	Children Under 19 yrs of Hispanic Origin	Sierra	New Mexico
Total Population	3,275	1,244	13,270	1,854,938
White	96.0%	97.7%	87.0%	66.8%
Black	0.9%	0.6%	0.5%	1.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2.0%	1.2%	1.5%	9.5%
Asian	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%	1.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%
Some other Race	0.8%	0.2%	8.3%	17.0%
Hispanic or Latino			26.3%	42.1%
<b>Under 18 yrs</b>			<b>2,666</b>	<b>511,768</b>
<b>% of Families Living under the poverty Level</b>			<b>13.8%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>

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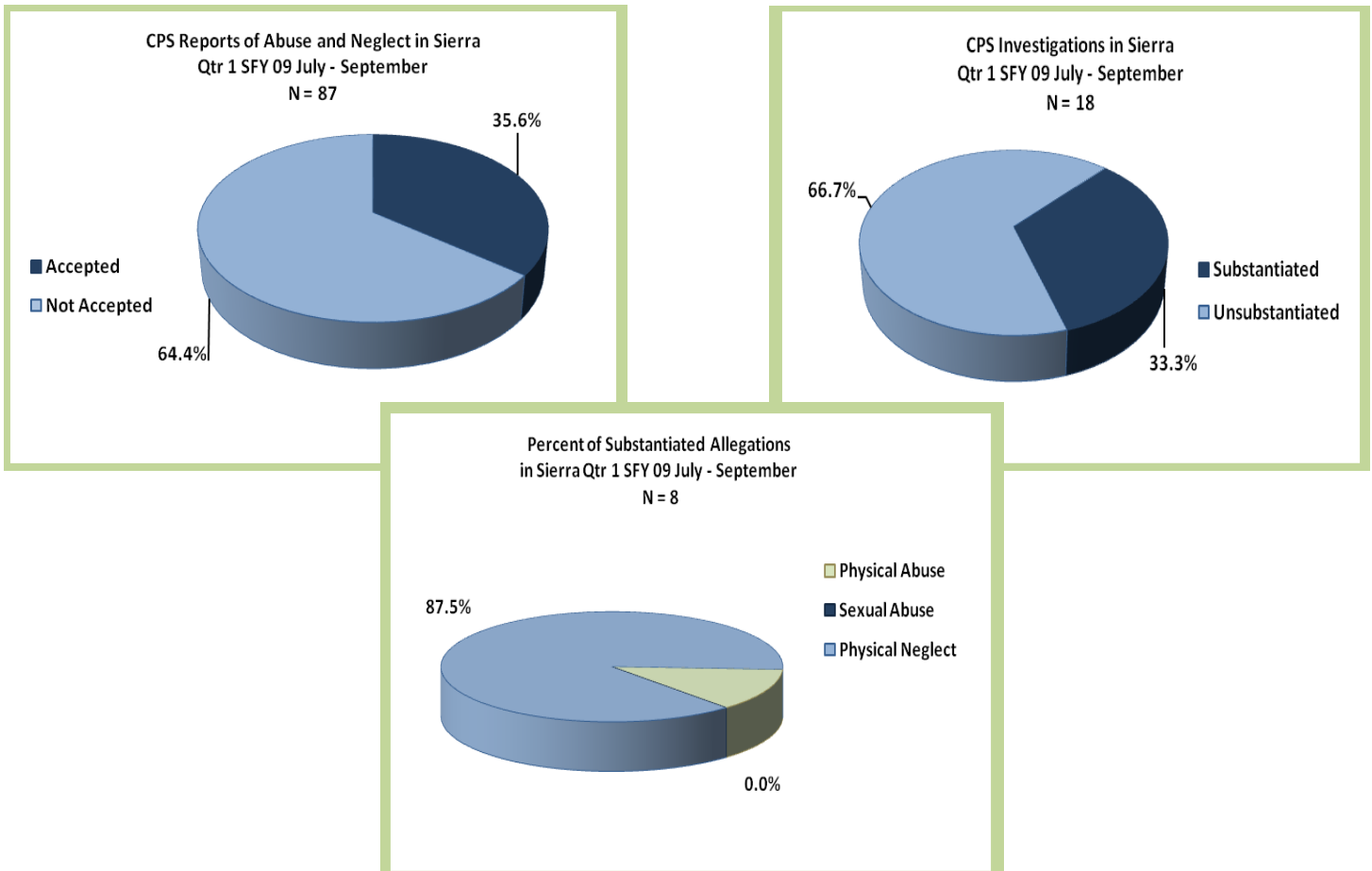
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Region Total	686	220	25.6%	641	74.4%	861	26.1%	349	13.9
State Total	3,332	883	26.7%	2,418	73.3%	3,301	100.0%	1,399	10.9

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Source: SM01a02 and SM06a01

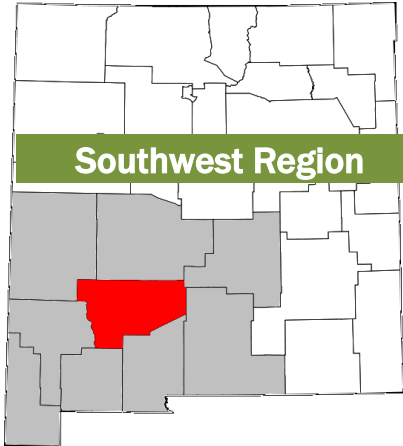


CPS ALLEGATION TYPES OF CHILD MALTREATMENT - QUARTER 1 SFY 2009: JULY - SEPTEMBER 2008

County	Physical Abuse				Sexual Abuse				Physical Neglect						
	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Total	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated			
Sierra	15	1	6.7%	14	93.3%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	19	7	36.8%	12	63.2%
Region Total	639	99	15.5%	540	84.5%	69	12	17.4%	57	82.6%	1,657	434	26.2%	1,223	73.8%
State Total	2,506	540	21.5%	1,966	78.5%	316	64	20.3%	252	79.7%	6,486	1,738	26.8%	4,748	73.2%

Note: In every investigation there may be multiple allegations of maltreatment for one or more children. In counties with small populations, very small numbers in any category may render suspect any data collected during the period under review.

Source: SM06a01



**Southwest Region**

**CHILDREN IN AN OUT OF HOME PLACEMENT FOR MORE THAN TEN DAYS WITH AN INITIAL EPSDT<sup>1</sup> EXAMINATION 1ST QUARTER SFY 09**

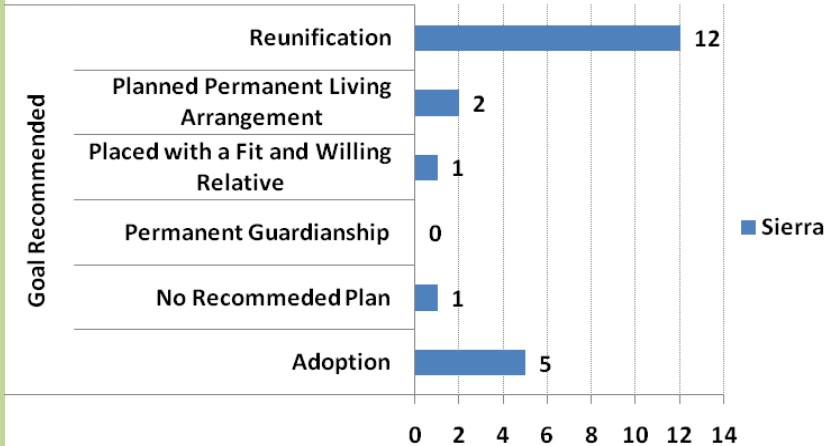
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	#	%	#	%	#
Sierra	2	66.7%	2	66.7%	3
<b>Region Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>52</b>
<b>State Total</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>48.4%</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>51.0%</b>	<b>310</b>

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Source: SM10a36

**Permanency Plan Goals of Children In Custody 1st Qtr SFY 2008**



Source: Sm0904

**PERMANENCY/TIME IN CARE (OF CHILDREN IN CARE 8 DAYS OR MORE) PERIOD ENDING 9/30/08**

*Average Months in Care*

Sierra 14.4 months

New Mexico 20.6 months

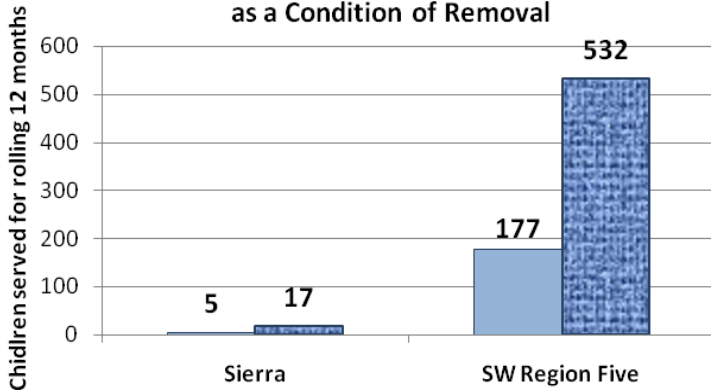
**Goal** 5% reduction (1.4 months=43 days)

Source: AFCARS 12 rolling months

Sierra	County Total	Region Total	% of Region Total
<b>POINT IN TIME MEASURES: SEPTEMBER 30, 2008</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE END (SM0907)	18	414	4.3%
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NUMBER OF ADOPTION PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	13	293	4.4%
<b>MEASURES FOR QUARTER 1 SFY 2009</b>			
NUMBER OF CHILDREN WITH A PLAN OF ADOPTION (Sm0904)	5	223	2.2%
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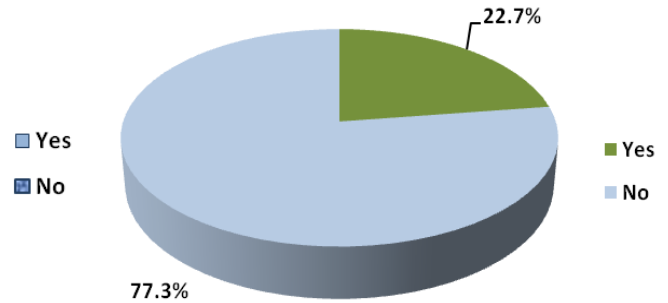
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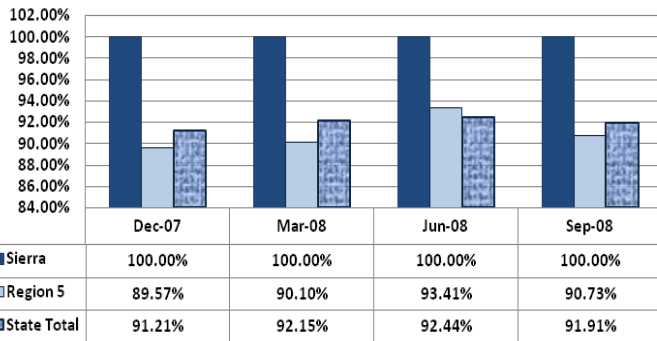
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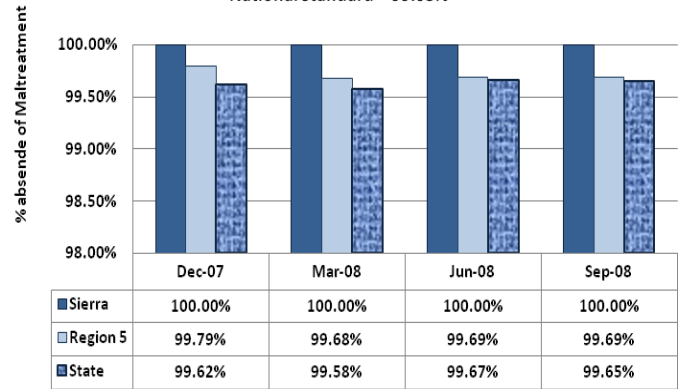
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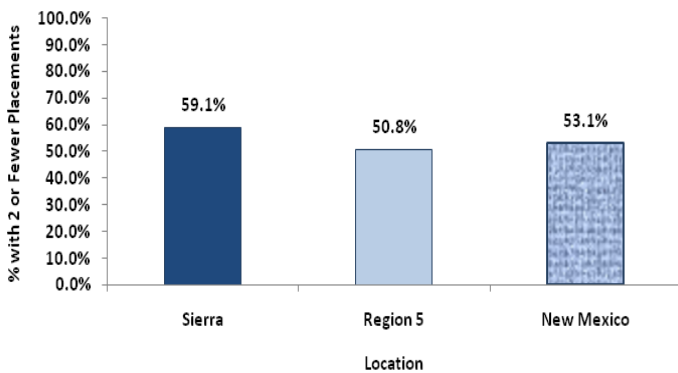
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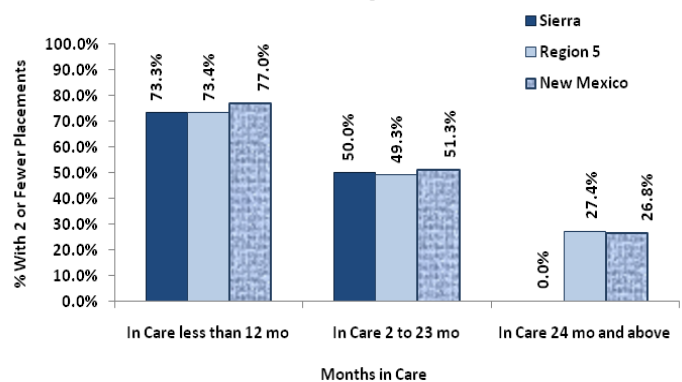
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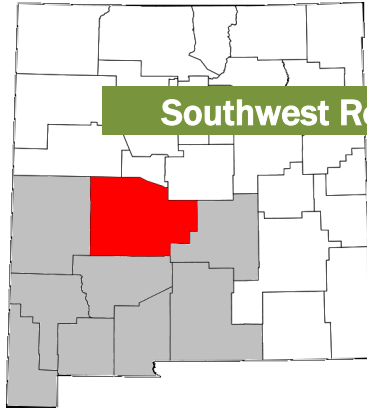
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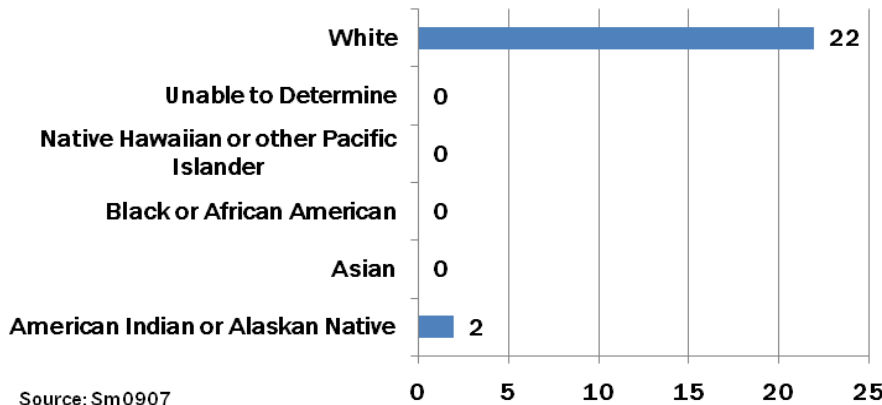
Southwest Region

AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE  
QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER

Age Range	Socorro County	Region Total	County % of Region Totals for Age Range
0 - 1 Yr	1	12	8.3%
1 - 5 Yrs	5	140	3.6%
6 - 10 Yrs	7	120	5.8%
11 - 15 Yrs	9	92	9.8%
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<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>5.8%</b>

Source: Sm0907

Race of Children In Care  
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There were 5,131 children in the county in 2005: this represents 1.0% of the state's total children under 18. While the county accounts for 1.0% of the state's total children under 18, Socorro County had 1.1% of the state's total children "in care" as of September 30, 2008, which is more than expected, based on population alone.

RACE AND ETHNICITY OF ALL CHILDREN

	Socorro <sup>1</sup>		Total Population <sup>2</sup>	
	Children Under 19 yrs	Children Under 19 yrs of Hispanic Origin	Socorro	New Mexico
Total Population	5,255	2,817	18,078	1,854,938
White	79.0%	95.3%	62.9%	66.8%
Black	1.5%	1.3%	0.6%	1.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	17.1%	2.1%	10.9%	9.5%
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<b>% of Families Living under the poverty Level</b>			<b>24.1%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>

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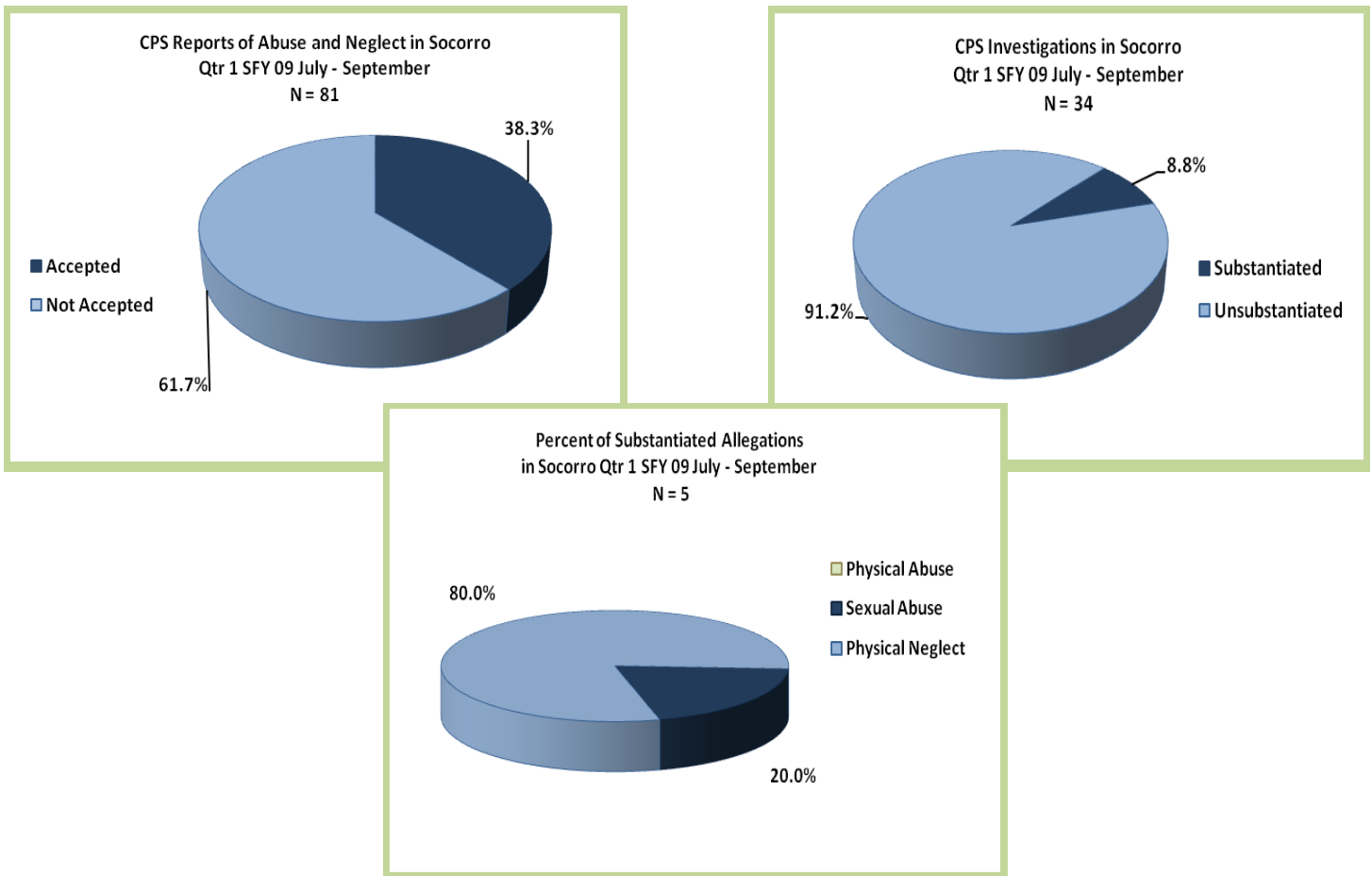
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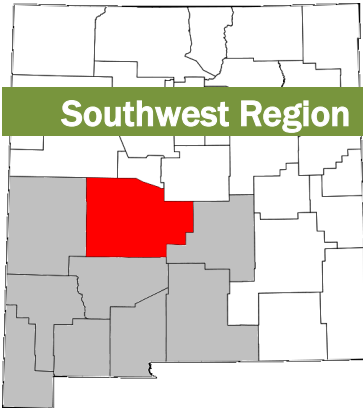
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**Southwest Region**

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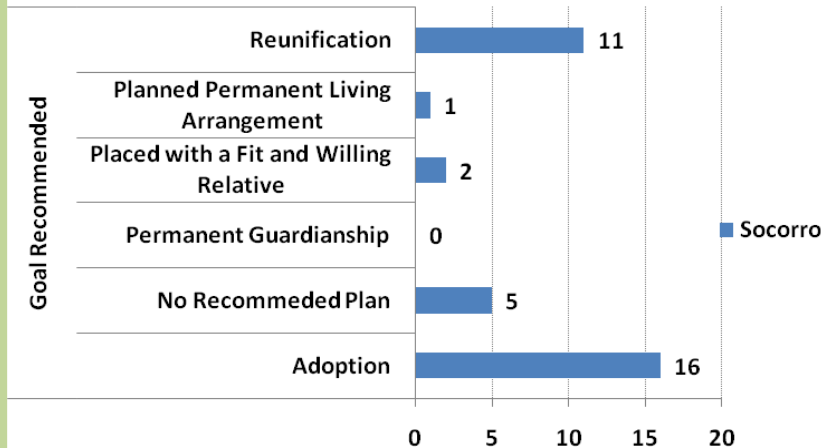
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Source: Sm0904

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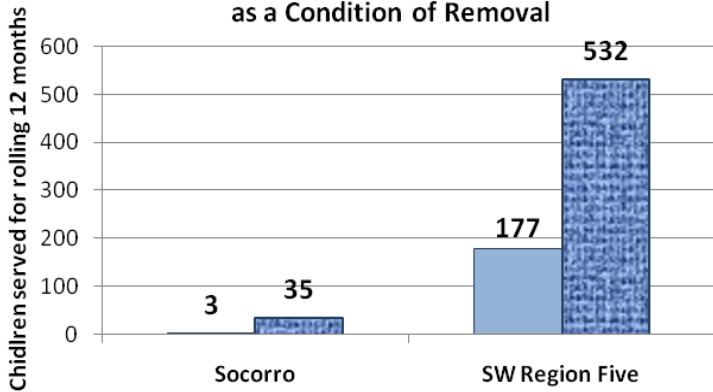
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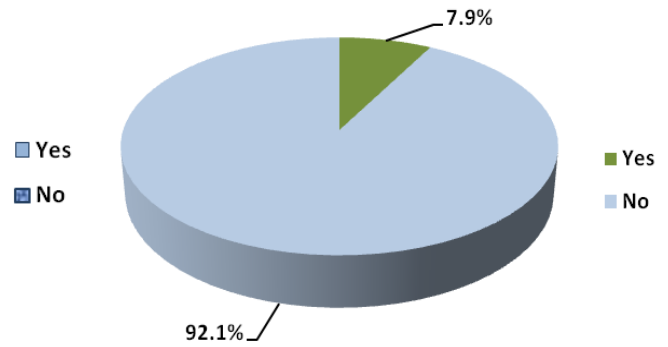
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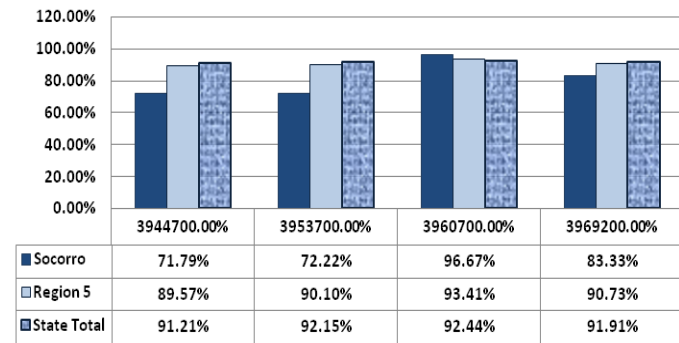
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### Percent of Children in Care with Incarcerated Parents as a Condition of Removal Socorro County



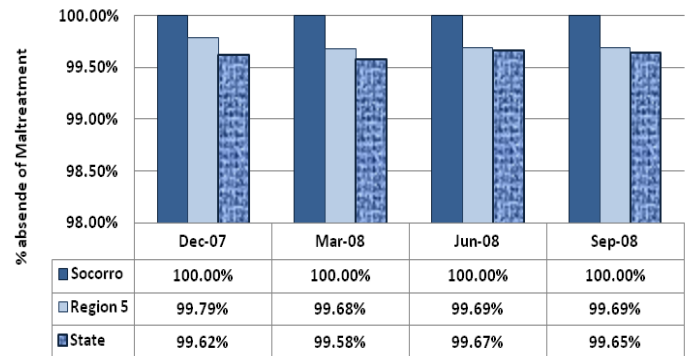
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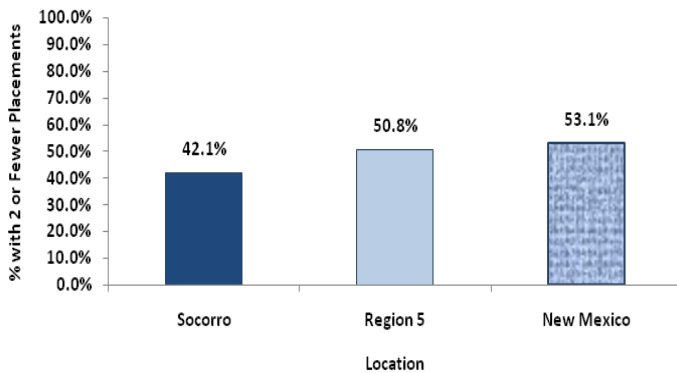
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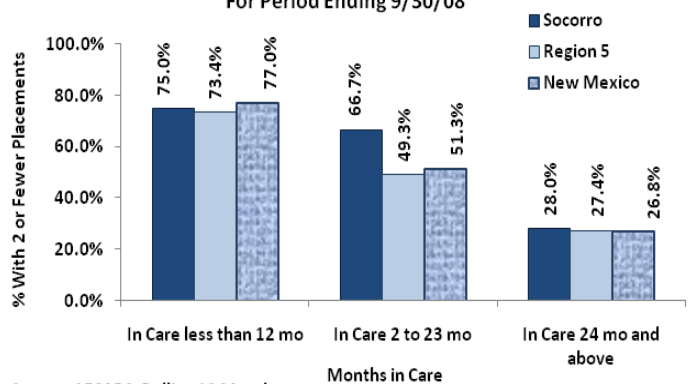
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# New Mexico Performance.

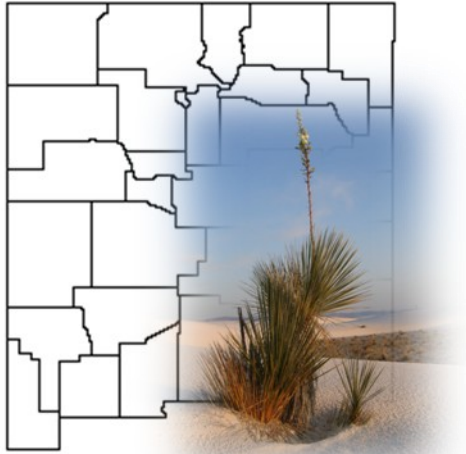
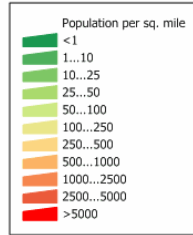
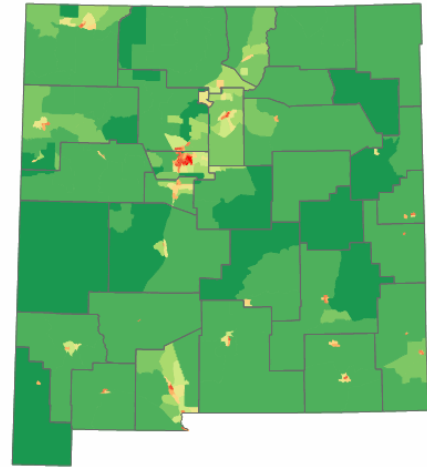


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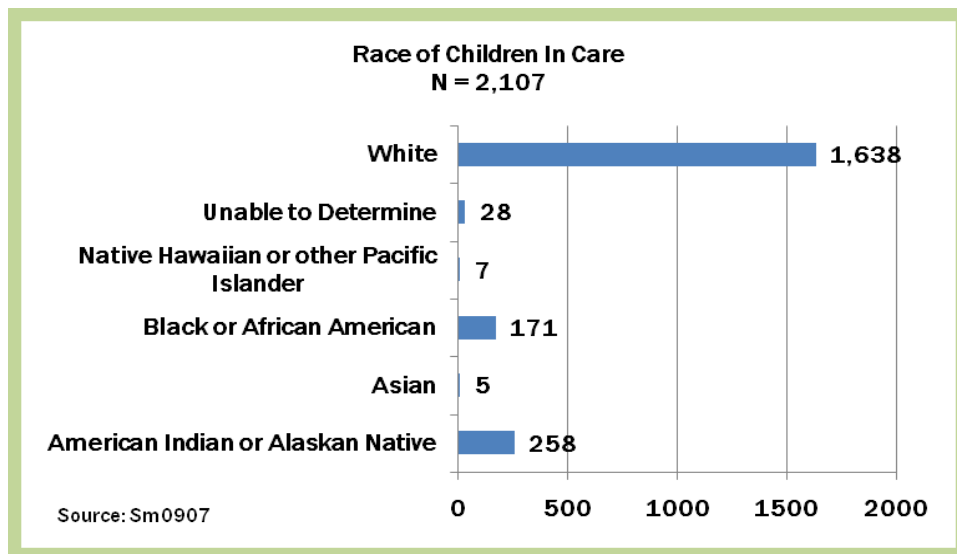


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AGE OF CHILDREN IN CARE QTR 1 SFY 09 JULY - SEPTEMBER								
Age Range	Out of State	Region One	Region Two	Region Three	Region Four	Region Five	State Totals	Age Range as % of State Total
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1 - 5 Yrs	7	162	108	180	190	140	787	37.4%
6 - 10 Yrs	4	129	64	136	111	120	264	26.8%
11 - 15 Yrs	4	96	43	92	104	92	431	20.5%
16 - 17 Yrs	2	36	20	43	56	50	207	9.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>2,107</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORTS AND INVESTIGATIONS - QUARTER 1 SFY 09: JULY - SEPTEMBER 2008

County	Accepted Reports	Investigations							
		Substantiated		Unsubstantiated		Total Investigations	Region % of State Total Investigations <sup>1</sup>	Number of Children Victims	Victim Rate per 1,000 Children
NW Region 1	634	182	30.0%	425	70.0%	607	18.4%	297	9.5
NE Region 2	379	77	24.1%	242	75.9%	319	9.7%	107	6.1
Metro Region 3	1,069	170	18.1%	769	81.9%	939	28.4%	268	7.4
SE Region 4	562	234	40.7%	341	59.3%	575	17.4%	378	21.2
SW Region 5	686	220	25.6%	641	74.4%	861	26.1%	349	13.9
State Total <sup>2</sup>	3,332	883	26.7%	2,418	73.3%	3,301	100.0%	1,399	10.9

Note: Not all "accepted reports" result in investigations completed during the period under review.

1. Both County and Regional data are calculated as a % of the State's total investigations for the period under review.
2. Unknown reports are included in the State Total.

Source: SM01a02 and SM06a01

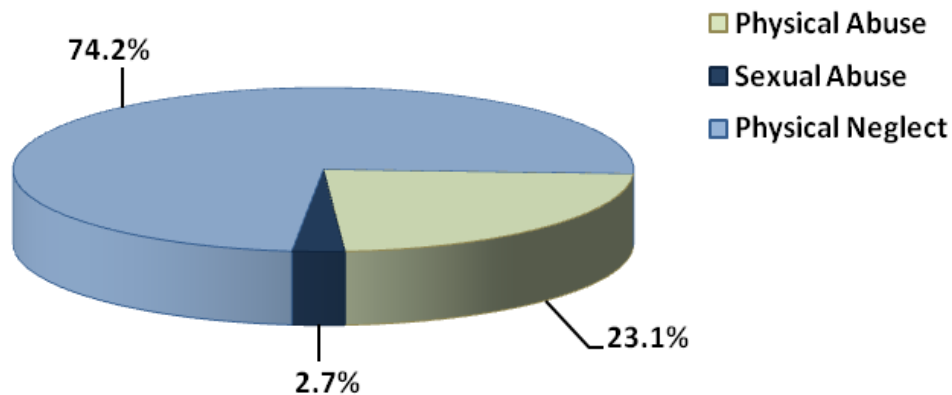
CPS ALLEGATION TYPES OF CHILD MALTREATMENT - QUARTER 1 SFY 2009: JULY - SEPTEMBER 2008

	Substantiated		Unsubstantiated		Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Physical Abuse	540	23.1%	1,966	57.1%	2,506	43.3%
Sexual Abuse	64	2.7%	252	7.3%	316	5.5%
Physical Neglect	1,738	74.2%	1,223	35.5%	2,961	51.2%
Totals	2,342	100.0%	3,441	100%	5,783	100.0%



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Percent of Substantiated Allegations in New Mexico Qtr 1 SFY 09 July - September  
N = 2,342



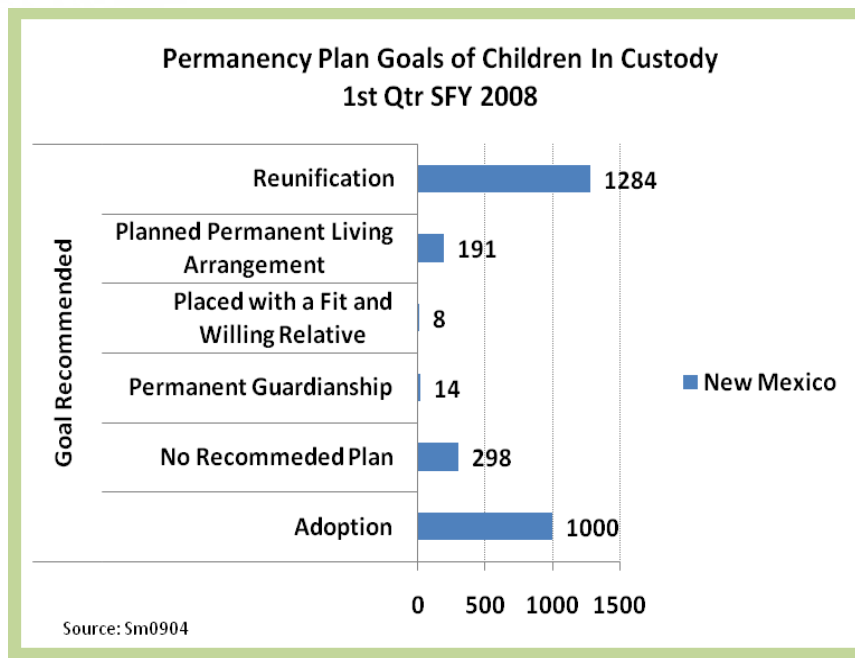
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New Mexico	Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Region 4	Region 5	State Total
<b>POINT IN TIME MEASURES: SEPTEMBER 30, 2008</b>						
NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE END (SM0907)	21.3%	11.8%	23.1%	23.4%	19.6%	2,107
NUMBER OF FOSTER CARE PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	21.6%	19.7%	20.3%	16.9%	19.9%	1,098
NUMBER OF ADOPTION PROVIDERS (PM02a01)	18.0%	16.7%	24.5%	14.0%	14.0%	2,089
<b>MEASURES FOR QUARTER 1 SFY 2009</b>						
NUMBER OF CHILDREN WITH A PLAN OF ADOPTION (Sm0904)	26.2%	13.4%	21.1%	17.0%	21.6%	1,000
• NUMBER CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (RP08-12)	22.4%	15.1%	18.9%	20.1%	22.8%	562
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITH RESOURCES) (Sm10a26)	24.2%	7.4%	20.9%	19.1%	26.5%	215
• NUMBER OF CHILDREN FREED AND WAITING (WITHOUT RESOURCES) (Sm904)	21.3%	19.9%	17.6%	20.7%	20.5%	347

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### Age of Children with a Plan of Adoption Qtr 1 SFY 2009 July 2008 - September 2008

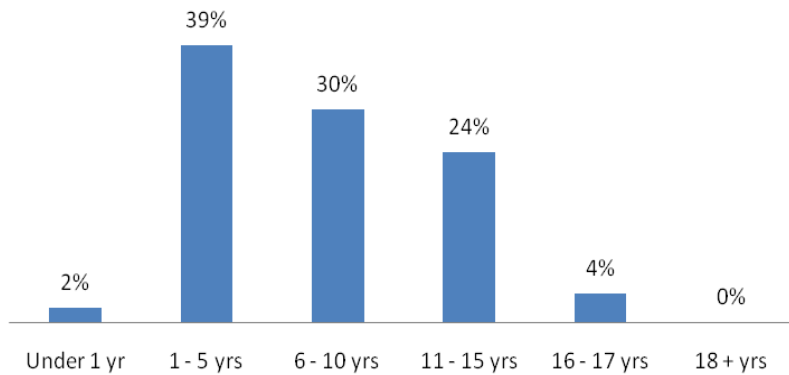
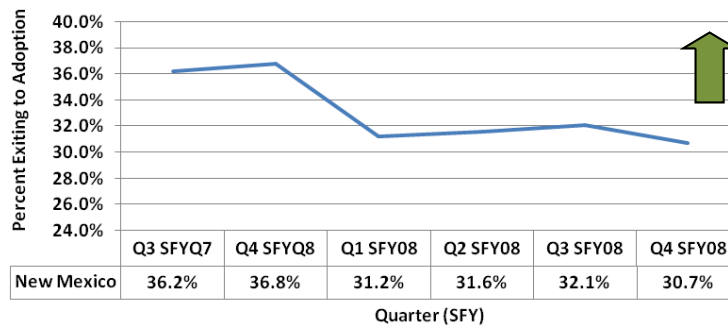


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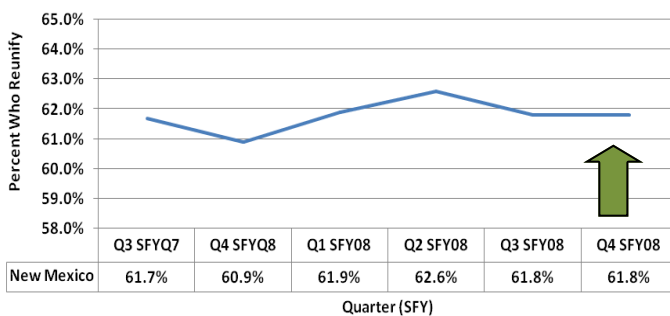
## Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System (AFCARS) Permanency Measures

### Of Children Exiting To Adoption- Percent Who Exit In Less Than 24 Months



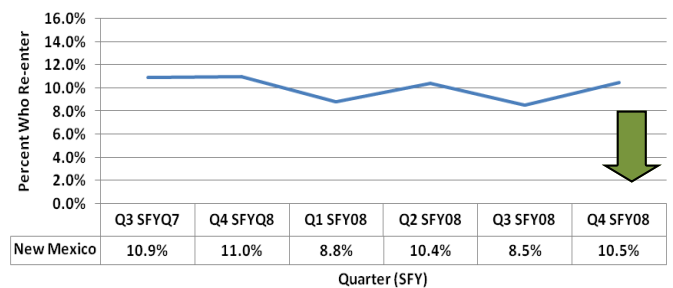
Measure Description: Of all children who were discharged from foster care to a finalized adoption during the target 12 month period listed above, what percent were discharged in less than 24 months from the date of the latest removal from home?

### Percent of Children Who Reunify In Less Than 12 Months



Measure Description: Of all children in foster care for 8 days or longer who were discharged to reunification in the target 12 month period above, what percent were reunified in less than 12 months from the date of the latest removal from home?

### Children Who Were Discharged To Reunify- Percent Who Re-enter Care In Less Than 12 Months



Measure Description: Of all children in foster care for 8 days or longer who were discharged to reunification in the 12 month period prior to the target 12 month period listed above, what percent re-entered foster care in less than 12 months from the date of discharge?