

2016 BRIGHT SPOTS DATA PACKAGE SAFETY

NOTE: This document contains one chapter of the 2016 Bright Spots package. More information regarding how to use and interpret the figure and tables contained here can be found in the complete 2016 Bright Spots package and technical appendix available at http://ocfs.ny.gov/main/Professionals_data_reports.asp or by emailing data.warehouse@ocfs.ny.gov.

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Question 5: Maltreatment Recurrence

Question: How often do children experience a recurrence of substantiated maltreatment within a one-year period? (CFSR Safety Outcome 2)



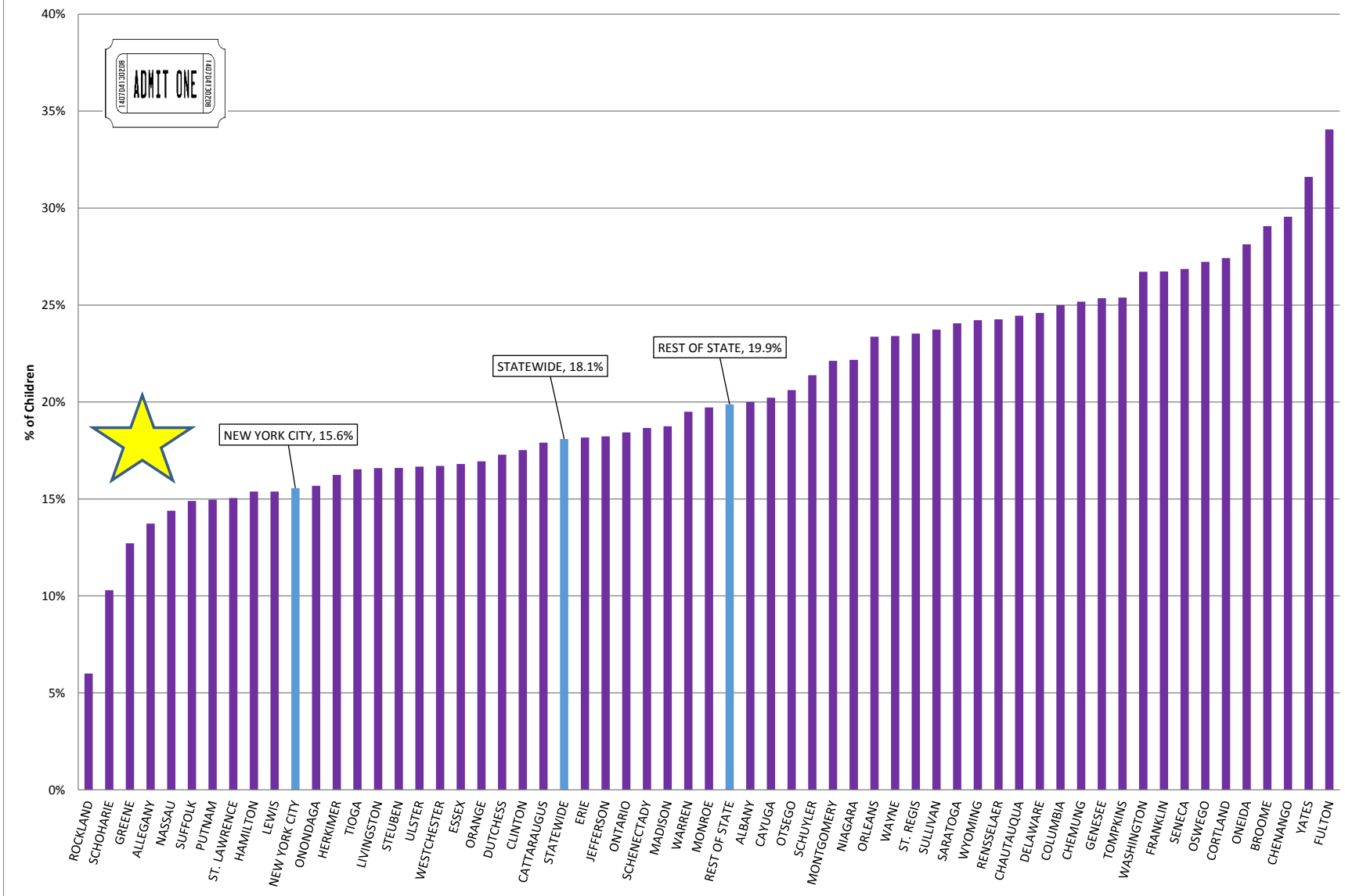
Answer: Statewide, of all the children identified as confirmed victims of abuse/maltreatment during federal fiscal year 2015, 18.1% (N=11,844) were identified as a confirmed victim in one or more additional CPS reports within 12-months.

Things to Consider:

- See: # of Children with Preventive Services Case Opening per 1,000 Children in District (Figure 2)
- See: # of Children with a Substantiated CPS Allegation per 1,000 Children in District (Figure 1b)
- How timely are determinations made?
- Is incident date being accurately entered for every substantiated allegation?

For More Information: See CFSR County packets for break outs by child age, gender, race. Additionally, you may request your county level data file and explore whether (a) children who experienced recurrence were provided preventive or protective service and (b) the type of maltreatment substantiated was the same or different across reports.

Figure 5: % of Children with One or More Substantiated Allegations within 12 Months of the Initial Report (CFSR S2): FFY 2015



Location	# Children with Initial Substantiated Report in FFY15	Children with New Substantiated Report	
		#	%
Statewide	65,457	11,844	18.09%
New York City	27,071	4,212	15.56%
Rest of State	38,386	7,632	19.88%
Albany	1,115	223	20.00%
Allegany	284	39	13.73%
Broome	1,431	416	29.07%
Cattaraugus	620	111	17.90%
Cayuga	272	55	20.22%
Chautauqua	908	222	24.45%
Chemung	719	181	25.17%
Chenango	450	133	29.56%
Clinton	371	65	17.52%
Columbia	240	60	25.00%
Cortland	361	99	27.42%
Delaware	370	91	24.59%
Dutchess	995	172	17.29%
Erie	4,249	772	18.17%
Essex	119	20	16.81%
Franklin	460	123	26.74%
Fulton	276	94	34.06%
Genesee	284	72	25.35%
Greene	236	30	12.71%
Hamilton	26	4	15.38%
Herkimer	234	38	16.24%
Jefferson	801	146	18.23%
Lewis	117	18	15.38%
Livingston	217	36	16.59%
Madison	304	57	18.75%
Monroe	1,719	339	19.72%
Montgomery	348	77	22.13%
Nassau	1,542	222	14.40%
Niagara	956	212	22.18%
Oneida	1,326	373	28.13%
Onondaga	1,709	268	15.68%
Ontario	434	80	18.43%
Orange	779	132	16.94%
Orleans	214	50	23.36%
Oswego	1,032	281	27.23%
Otsego	228	47	20.61%
Putnam	147	22	14.97%
Rensselaer	779	189	24.26%
Rockland	250	15	6.00%
St. Lawrence	392	59	15.05%
Saratoga	557	134	24.06%
Schenectady	975	182	18.67%
Schoharie	136	14	10.29%
Schuyler	145	31	21.38%
Seneca	242	65	26.86%
Steuben	488	81	16.60%
Suffolk	3,787	564	14.89%
Sullivan	375	89	23.73%
Tioga	254	42	16.54%
Tompkins	256	65	25.39%
Ulster	420	70	16.67%
Warren	200	39	19.50%
Washington	262	70	26.72%
Wayne	359	84	23.40%
Westchester	1,431	239	16.70%
Wyoming	161	39	24.22%
Yates	193	61	31.61%
St. Regis	17	4	23.53%

Question 6: Maltreatment in Care

Question: How many indicated CPS reports (based on report date) are received on children living in foster care each year (CFSR Safety Outcome 1)?



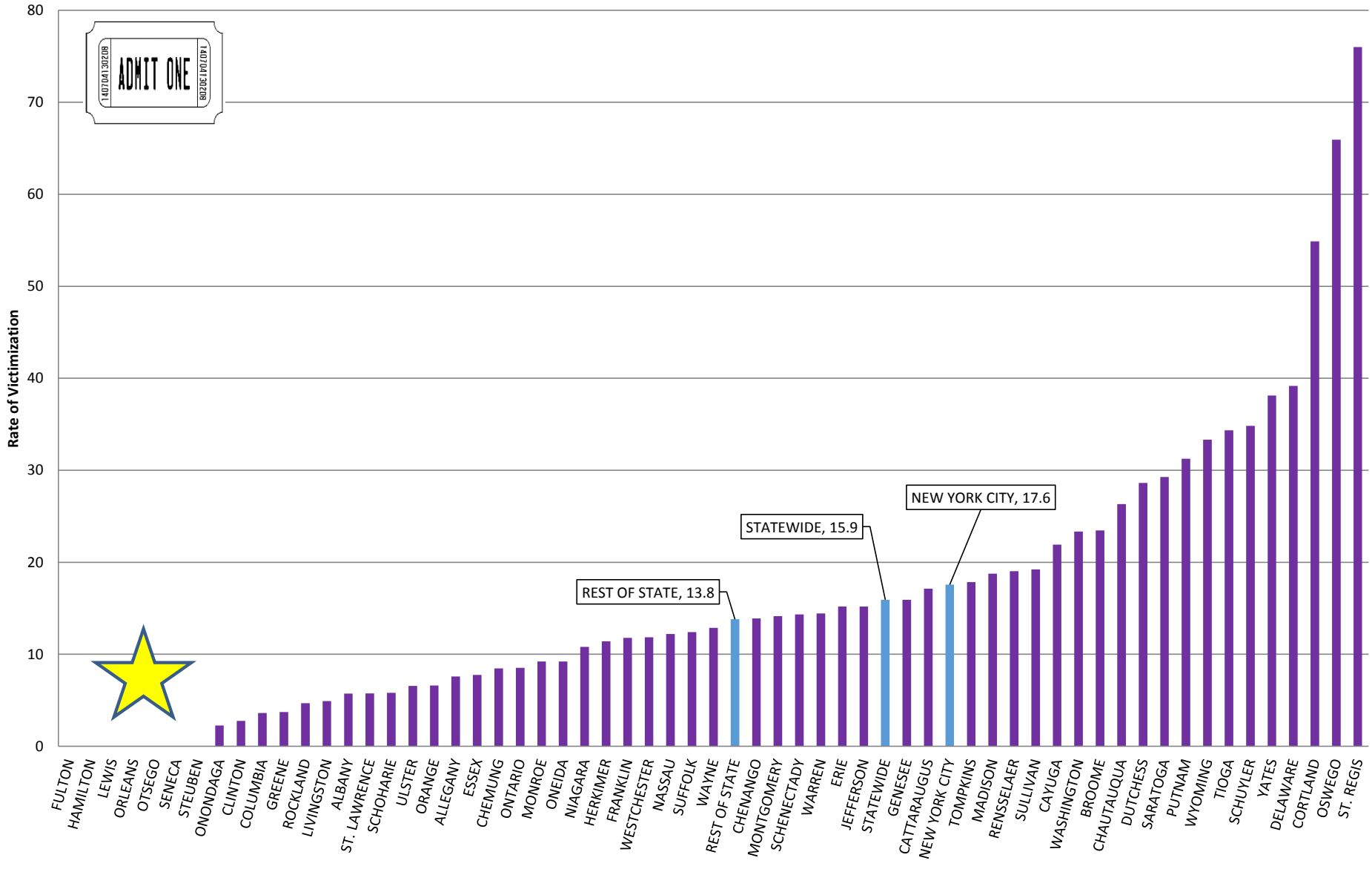
Answer: In federal fiscal year 2016, 15.9 indicated CPS reports were received for every 100,000 days of foster care services provided statewide.

Things to Consider:

- If incident date is not provided, report date is used to determine whether the incident occurred during a foster care episode. Disclosures of past abuse may therefore be flagged as maltreatment in-care if the incident date is not properly entered into Connections.
- What support services and trainings are provided to foster parents?
- Are parents provided support during parenting times?
- How frequently are children who are not related placed in the same foster home?
- Analysis Tip: This is a report, not child-based, measure. If a child appears in more than one indicated report, both reports are counted.

For More Information: See CFSR County packets for break outs by foster care placement type, perpetrator, child demographics.

Figure 6: Rate of Indicated Maltreatment Reports while in Foster Care (CFSR S1): FFY 2016



Location	Total Foster Care Days for Children in Foster Care in FFY 2016	# Indicated Reports	Rate Per 100,000 Care Days
Nat'l Average			8.5
Statewide	6,705,041	1,068	15.93
New York City	3,791,935	666	17.56
Rest of State	2913106	402	13.80
Albany	69,970	4	5.72
Allegany	26,349	2	7.59
Broome	89,522	21	23.46
Cattaraugus	35,025	6	17.13
Cayuga	27,382	6	21.91
Chautauqua	45,588	12	26.32
Chemung	35,492	3	8.45
Chenango	21,599	3	13.89
Clinton	36,140	1	2.77
Columbia	27,588	1	3.62
Cortland	21,868	12	54.87
Delaware	30,632	12	39.17
Dutchess	115,308	33	28.62
Erie	348,729	53	15.20
Essex	12,910	1	7.75
Franklin	42,442	5	11.78
Fulton	14,953	0	0.00
Genesee	31,388	5	15.93
Greene	26,829	1	3.73
Hamilton	340	0	0.00
Herkimer	26,312	3	11.40
Jefferson	39,478	6	15.20
Lewis	4,964	0	0.00
Livingston	20,386	1	4.91
Madison	15,983	3	18.77
Monroe	151,965	14	9.21
Montgomery	21,216	3	14.14
Nassau	73,736	9	12.21
Niagara	64,790	7	10.80
Oneida	108,432	10	9.22
Onondaga	133,289	3	2.25
Ontario	35,222	3	8.52
Orange	136,187	9	6.61
Orleans	13,908	0	0.00
Oswego	24,269	16	65.93
Otsego	10,550	0	0.00
Putnam	9,598	3	31.26
Rensselaer	42,049	8	19.03
Rockland	21,348	1	4.68
St. Lawrence	69,490	4	5.76
Saratoga	20,502	6	29.27
Schenectady	83,710	12	14.34
Schoharie	17,206	1	5.81
Schuyler	8,615	3	34.82
Seneca	17,758	0	0.00
Steuben	36,185	0	0.00
Suffolk	225,797	28	12.40
Sullivan	31,220	6	19.22
Tioga	8,737	3	34.34
Tompkins	44,860	8	17.83
Ulster	45,789	3	6.55
Warren	20,778	3	14.44
Washington	17,143	4	23.33
Wayne	15,535	2	12.87
Westchester	202,653	24	11.84
Wyoming	15,007	5	33.32
Yates	10,491	4	38.13
St. Regis	7,894	6	76.01