

Youth Services

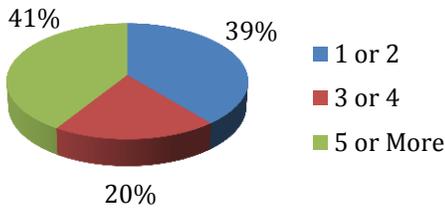
(FY 15 total served: 105,844 youth)

Includes information about all youth who received at least one independent living service paid for or provided by the state CFCIP agency.

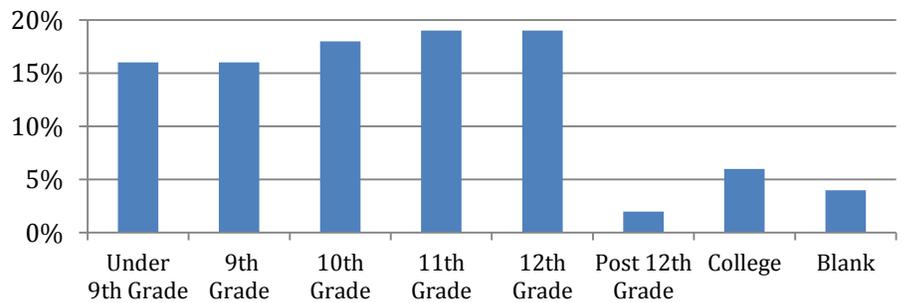
Characteristics of youth receiving services (FY 15)

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| Male | 49% | In foster care | 72% |
| Female | 51% | In federally recognized tribe | 2% |
| White | 57% | Adjudicated delinquent | 19% |
| Black | 36% | Receiving special education | 21% |
| American Indian | 3% | Age range | 13-25 ¹ |
| Other Race | 3% | Mean age | 18 |
| Hispanic | 21% | | |

Number of services received (FY15)

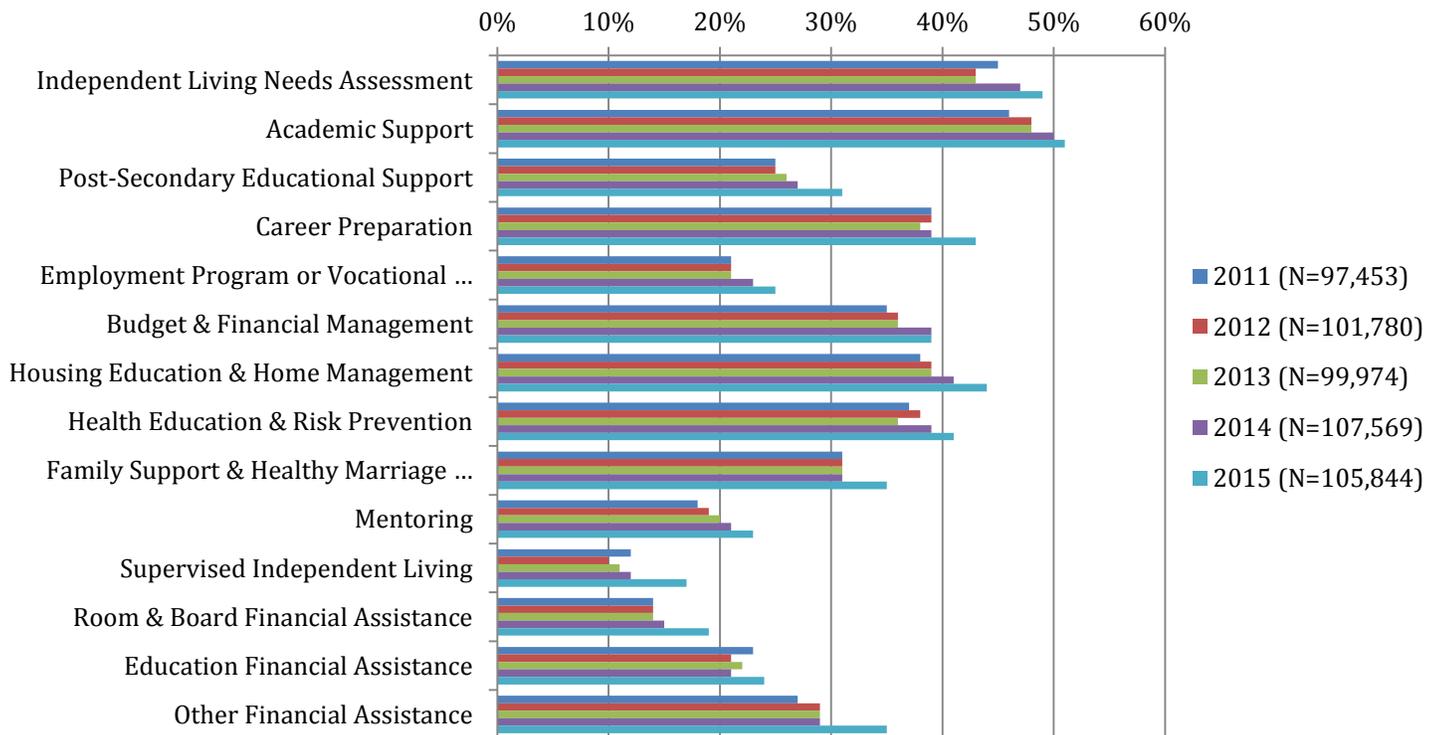


Education level of youth receiving services (FY 15)



Type of services received (FY 11-15)

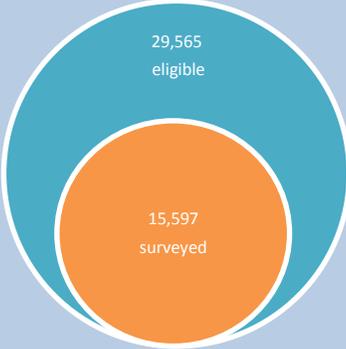
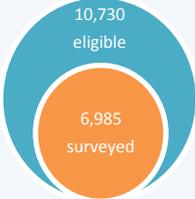
Percent of youth receiving each service (of total youth served)



This snapshot was prepared by the Children's Bureau and contains a summary of highlights from NYTD data reported by states between Fiscal Year (FY) 2011 and 2015. The data are current as of December 2015. Please contact NYTDinfo@acf.hhs.gov if you have any questions about information in this data snapshot.

Youth Outcomes

Includes information about all youth who were eligible to take the NYTD survey at ages 17, 19 and 21.

| Cohort 1 survey participation, FY 11-15 | Baseline Population (17-year-olds in foster care, FY 11) | Follow-Up Population² (19-year-olds, FY 13) | Follow-Up Population (21-year-olds, FY 15) |
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| Characteristics of survey participants <i>Male</i> <i>Female</i> <i>White</i> <i>Black</i> <i>American Indian</i> <i>Hispanic</i> <i>In foster care</i> |  <p>53% surveyed</p> |  <p>69% surveyed</p> |  <p>65% surveyed</p> |
| Reasons for non-participation <i>Youth declined</i> <i>Parent declined</i> <i>Incapacitated</i> <i>Incarcerated</i> <i>Runaway/missing</i> <i>Unable to locate</i> | 10% 1% 2% 2% 5% 16% | 6% <1% 1% 2% <1% 23% | 5% <1% 1% 3% <1% 27% |
| Outcomes reported <i>Employed full- or part-time</i> <i>Receiving public assistance</i> <i>Finished high school or GED</i> <i>Attending school</i> <i>Referred for substance abuse treatment</i> <i>Incarcerated</i> <i>Had children</i> <i>Homeless</i> <i>Connection to adult</i> <i>Medicaid coverage</i> | 13% N/A 8% 94% 27% (in lifetime) 36% (in lifetime) 7% (in lifetime) 16% (in lifetime) 93% 83% | 34% 36% 54% 54% 15% (in past 2 years) 22% (in past 2 years) 12% (in past 2 years) 20% (in past 2 years) 90% 72% | 50% 38% 65% 31% 10% (in past 2 years) 22% (in past 2 years) 27% (in past 2 years) 28% (in past 2 years) 87% 66% |

¹ Nearly all of served youth (99%) were between ages 13 and 25.

² Twelve states opted to use a sample of youth surveyed at age 17 as the follow-up population to survey at ages 19 and 21.