



# OYA Parole and Probation

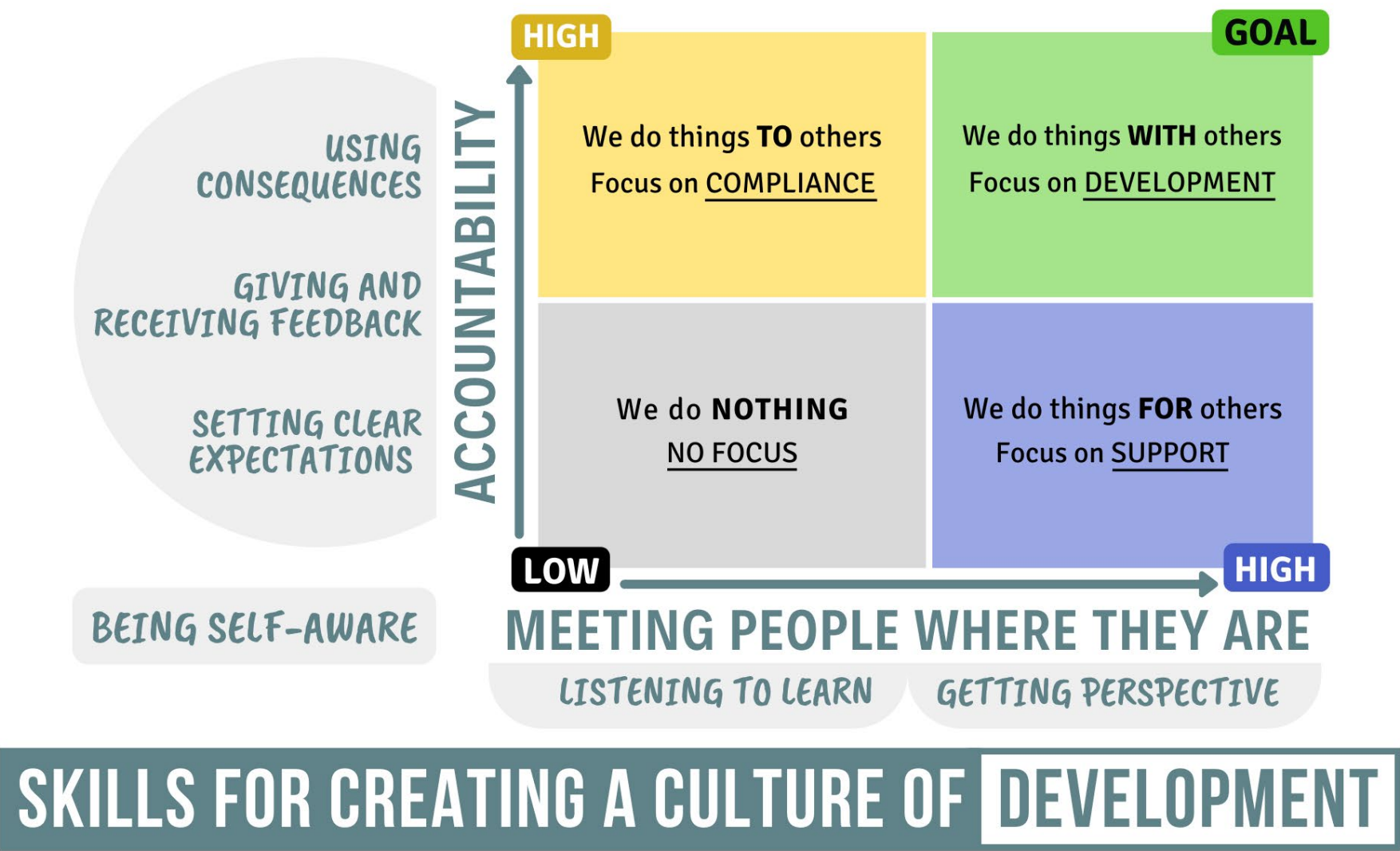
## IMPACT Statistics

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# The Developmental Approach





# Insights into Action

## Our Data Culture Framework



### **Hard on Data, Intentional with People**

We challenge the information, not the individual.

Healthy tension strengthens our thinking.



### **If You Don't Know Your Data, You Don't Know Your Business**

Understanding our metrics is a shared responsibility.

Knowing your data builds credibility and informs better decisions.



### **Transparency Builds Trust**

Sharing successes and struggles strengthens our collective effectiveness.



### **Can't Manage a Secret**

No one has to carry the issues alone.

Open communication enables accountability and shared solutions.



### **Complexity is the Enemy of Execution**

Simplicity and clarity accelerate progress.

Keep it understandable, actionable, and measurable.



### **Collective Accountability**

We rise together. Data ownership matters, but improvement is a team sport.

*We turn data into direction — not just to report, but to refine, learn, and improve*



Every youth with an OYA or DOC commitment has an OYA Juvenile Parole and Probation Officer (JPPO) assigned as their primary case manager.

JPPOs work with youth from the beginning to end of OYA supervision.

JPPO responsibilities include:

- **Parole and probation supervision**

- Service Referrals and BRS placement authorization
- Court appearances and communication
- Monthly in-person contacts with every youth on their caseload

- **Case management**

- Developmental Approach to Parole & Probation (DAPP)
- Participation in quarterly Multidisciplinary Team Meetings (MDTs)
- Assessments of youth progress (OYA Risk & Needs Assessment (RNA), Healthy Youth Development (HYD))
- Quarterly documentation of youth progress in the JJIS case plan

- **Transition services**

- Facilitating continuity of education, vocation/employment, housing, and treatment as youth move to less restrictive settings.





# Level of supervision

As part of the youth's supervision team, JPPOs help identify when changes in level of supervision are needed. Key transitions include:

- **Escalation**
  - Youth initially placed on OYA Probation may be escalated to a YCF commitment due to a new offense or serious probation violations\*
  - Requires a court-ordered YCF disposition
- **Parole**
  - Youth whose YCF commitments have not expired may be paroled at the discretion of OYA.
  - Youth may be paroled to an OYA Community Placement or to a private residence
- **Revocation**
  - Youth on parole may be revoked to a YCF due to a new offense or serious parole violations\*
- **Termination**
  - Youth may be terminated from OYA supervision prior to their court-ordered expiration date
  - Court approval is required

*\*Serious parole/probation violations include behaviors that cannot be safely managed in a community setting (e.g., assaults, serious self-harm, serious substance use, repeated runaways)*



# OYA Population Snapshot

As of 5/31/26, 799 youth had active OYA or DOC commitments.  
57% were on Parole or Probation and 43% were at a YCF or Camp.

| <i>as of 5/31/2026</i>        | OYA<br>Probation | OYA<br>Parole | OYA<br>YCF | DOC<br>YCF |
|-------------------------------|------------------|---------------|------------|------------|
| Number of Youth               | 245              | 205           | 333        | 16         |
| % Public Safety Reserve (PSR) | 31%              | 22%           | 47%        | 63%        |
| % Female                      | 10%              | 17%           | 14%        | 6%         |
| Race/Ethnicity                |                  |               |            |            |
| % White                       | 59%              | 48%           | 48%        | 38%        |
| % Hispanic                    | 24%              | 26%           | 26%        | 38%        |
| % African American            | 9%               | 11%           | 14%        | 13%        |
| % Native American             | 2%               | 7%            | 7%         | 6%         |



# Field Youth by Location Type

As of 5/31/26, 58% of OYA Probation youth and 34% of OYA Parole youth were in an OYA placement.

| <u>Current Location Type</u> | <u>OYA<br/>Probation</u> | <u>OYA<br/>Parole</u> |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| OYA Substitute Care          | 60%                      | 38%                   |
| Home                         | 25%                      | 40%                   |
| Runaway                      | 3%                       | 8%                    |
| Detention                    | 8%                       | 2%                    |
| Jail                         | 1%                       | 6%                    |
| Other                        | 3%                       | 2%                    |



Insight | Measurement | Performance | Accountability  
Continuous Improvement | Transparency



# Performance Metrics

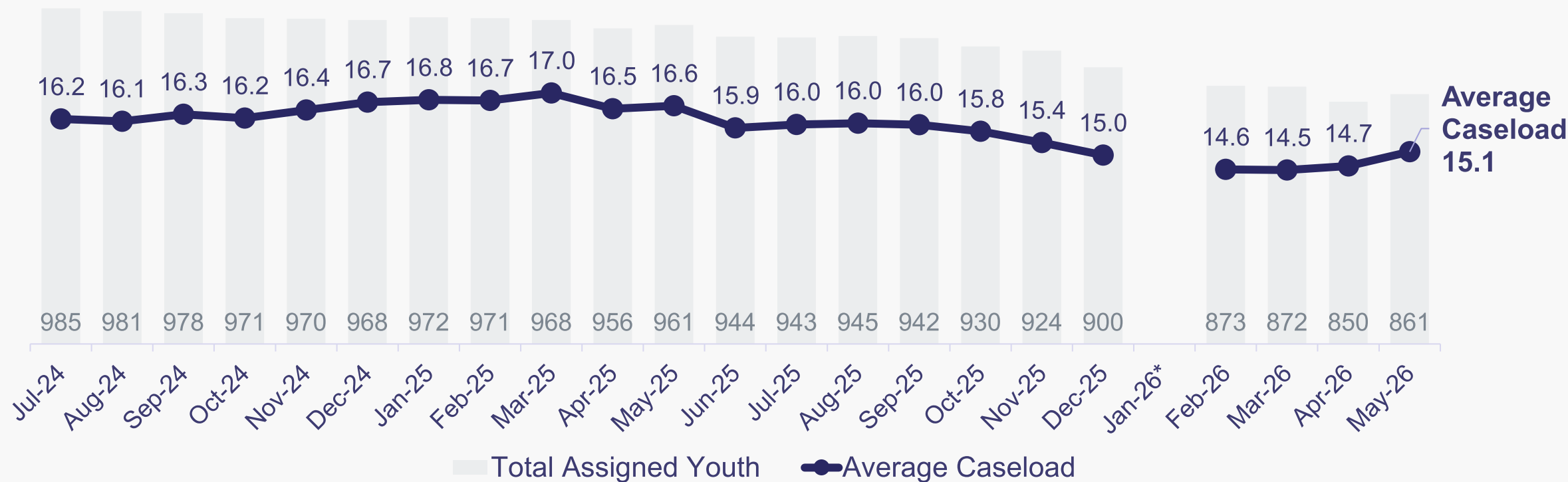




# JPPO Caseloads

JPPOs had an average of 15.1 youth on their caseloads last month

Average JPPO Caseload by Month

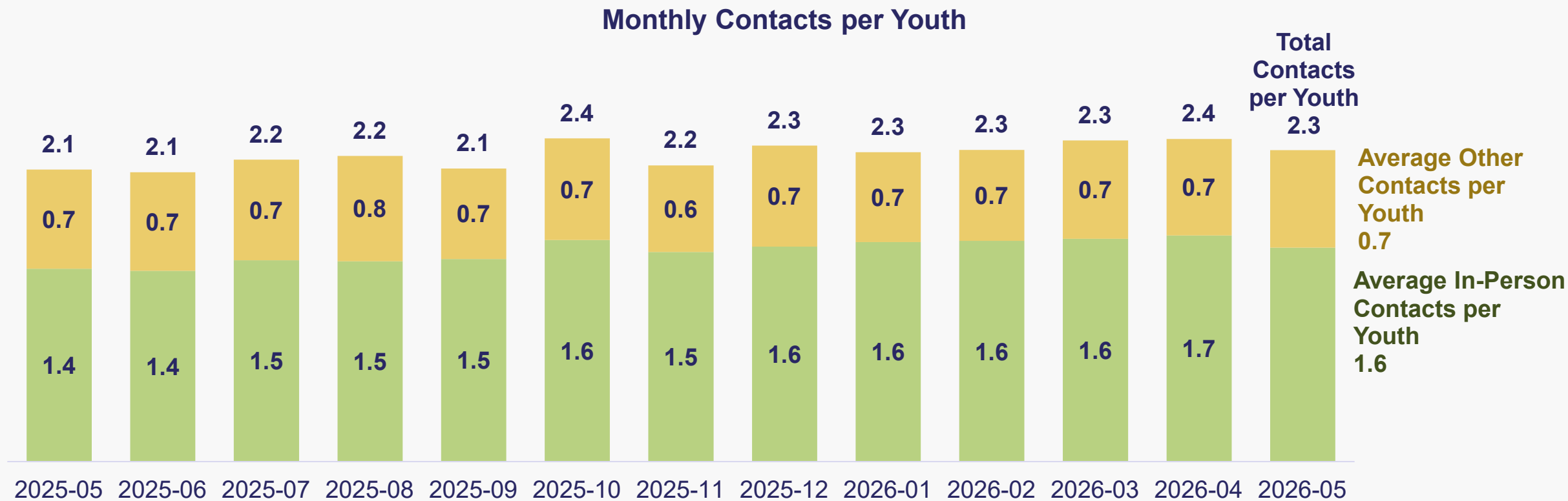


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# Youth Contacts

Total monthly contacts were similar to last month



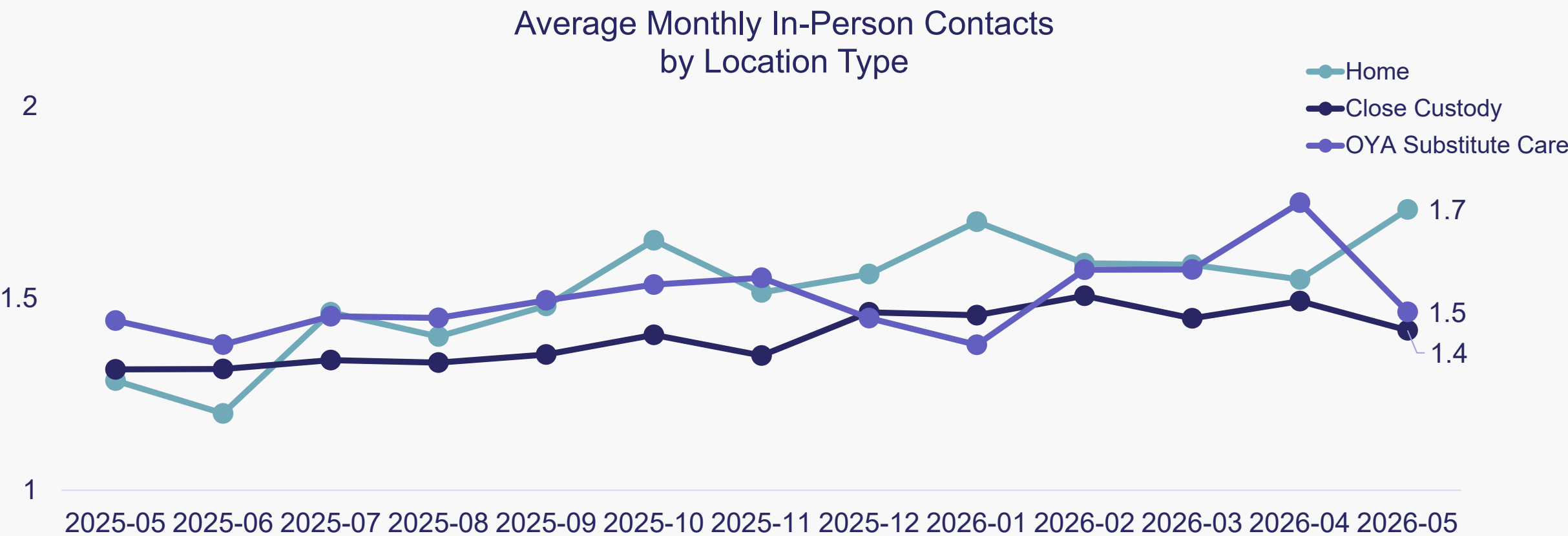
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As of 5/31/26, 47 youth were on run (24), out of state (8) or in Jail (15)



# Action Item: In-Person Contacts by Youth Location

In-Person contacts tend to be less frequent for youth in close custody

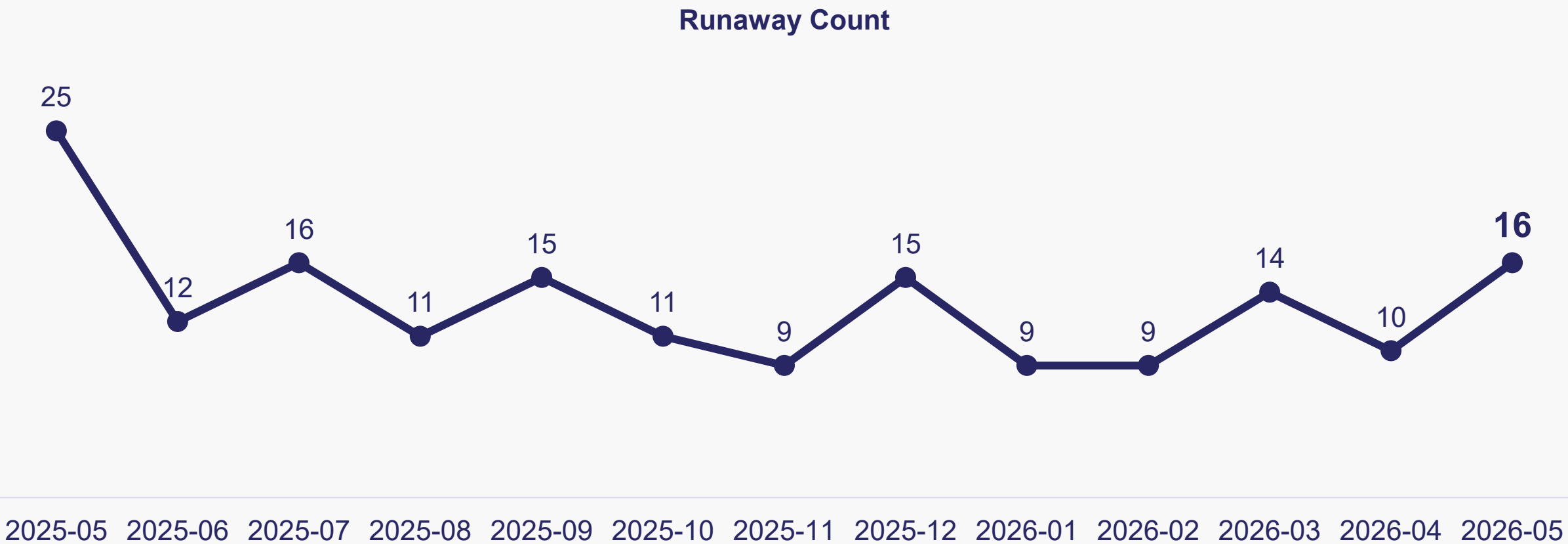


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# Runaways – Past 13 Months

There were 16 runaways last month

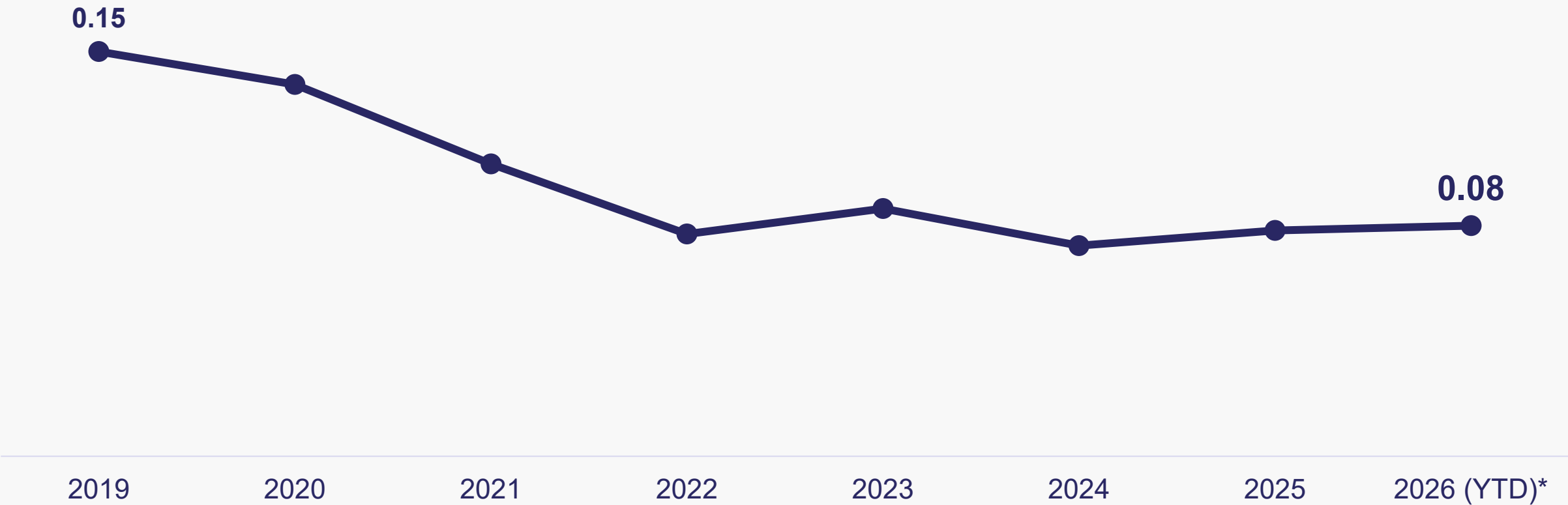




# Supplemental – Runaway Rate by Year

The runaway rate declined between 2019 and 2022

Runaway Rate per 100 Youth Days

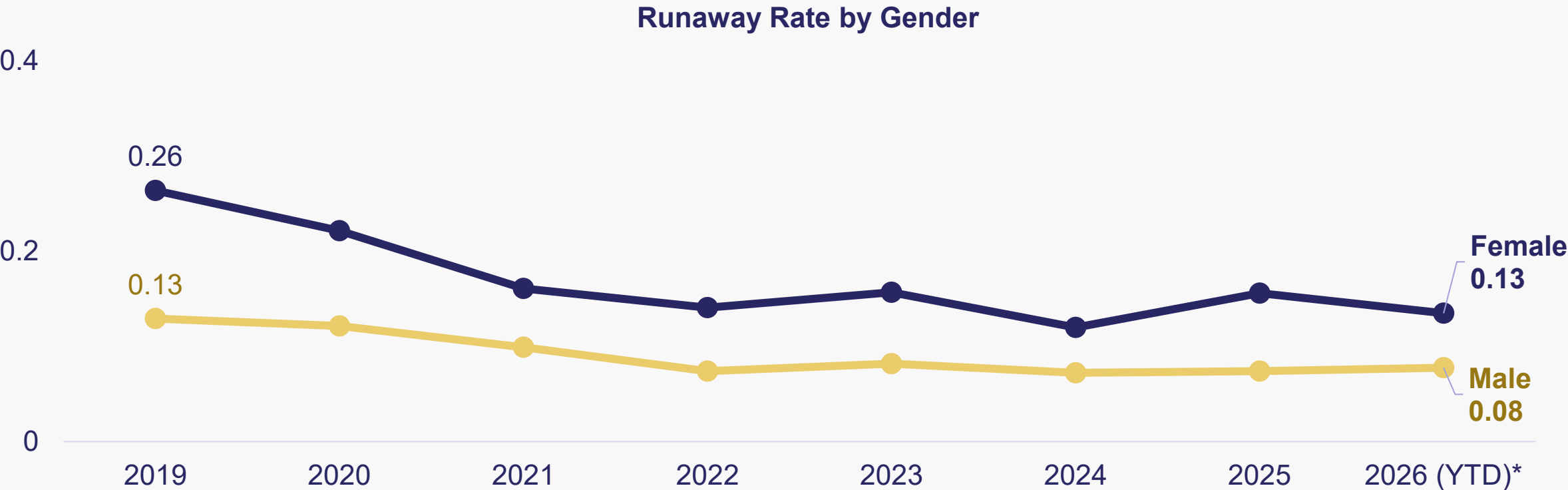


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# Supplemental – Runaway Rate by Gender

The runaway rate is consistently higher for female youth



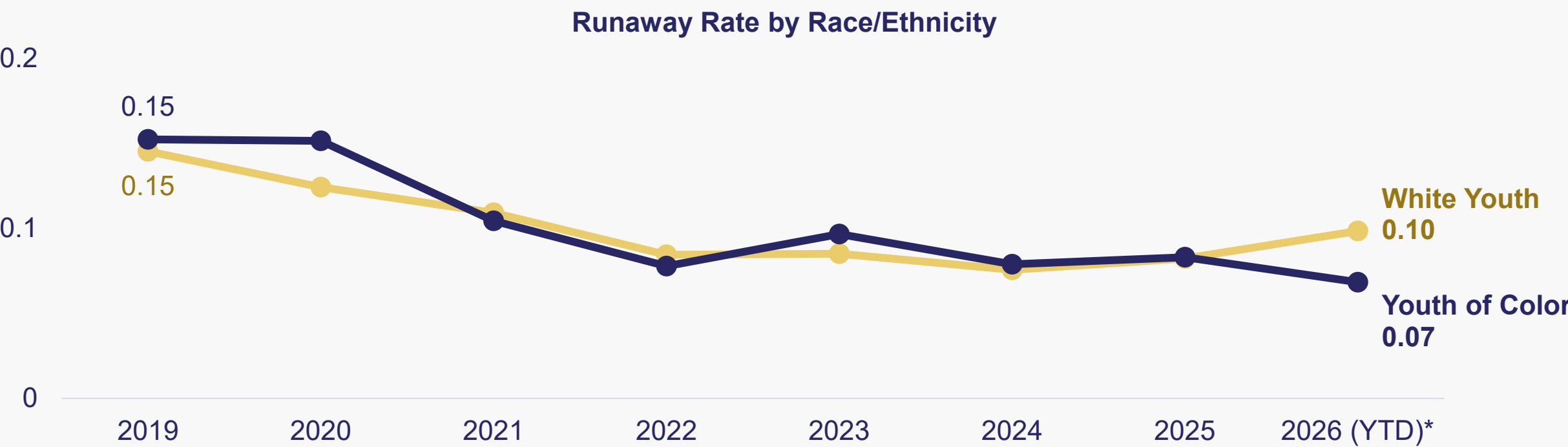
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# Supplemental – Runaway Rate by Race/Ethnicity

Runaway rates are generally similar for White youth and Youth of Color, but they are diverging this year

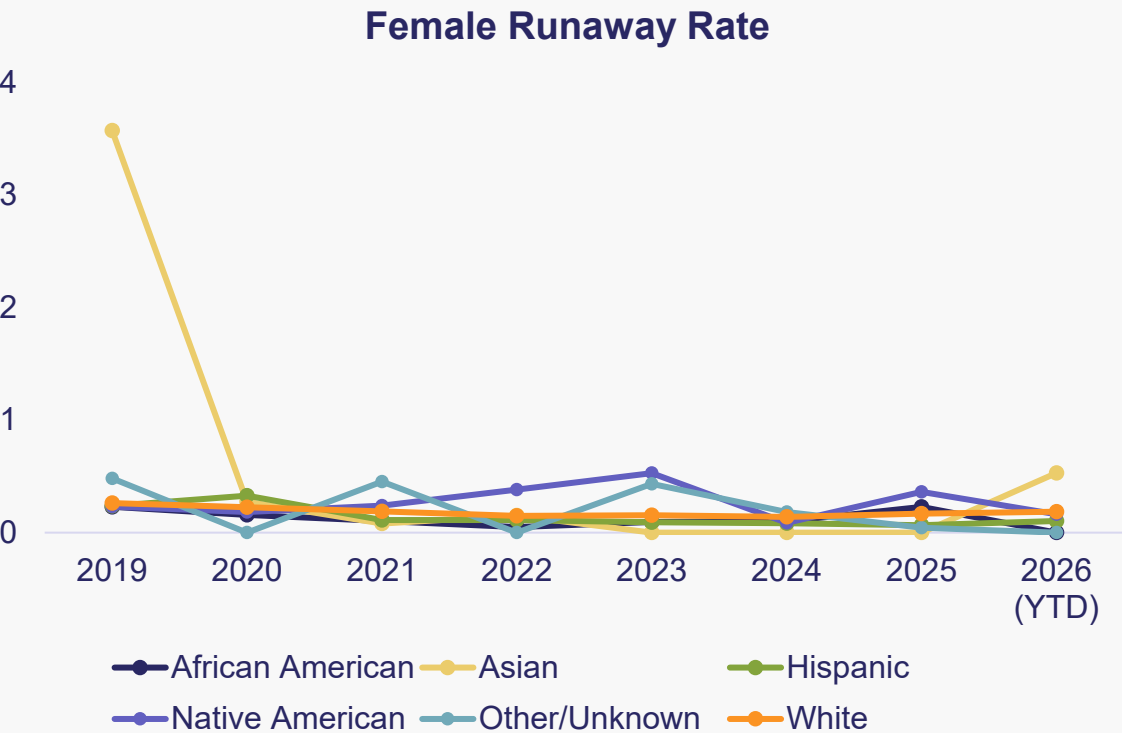


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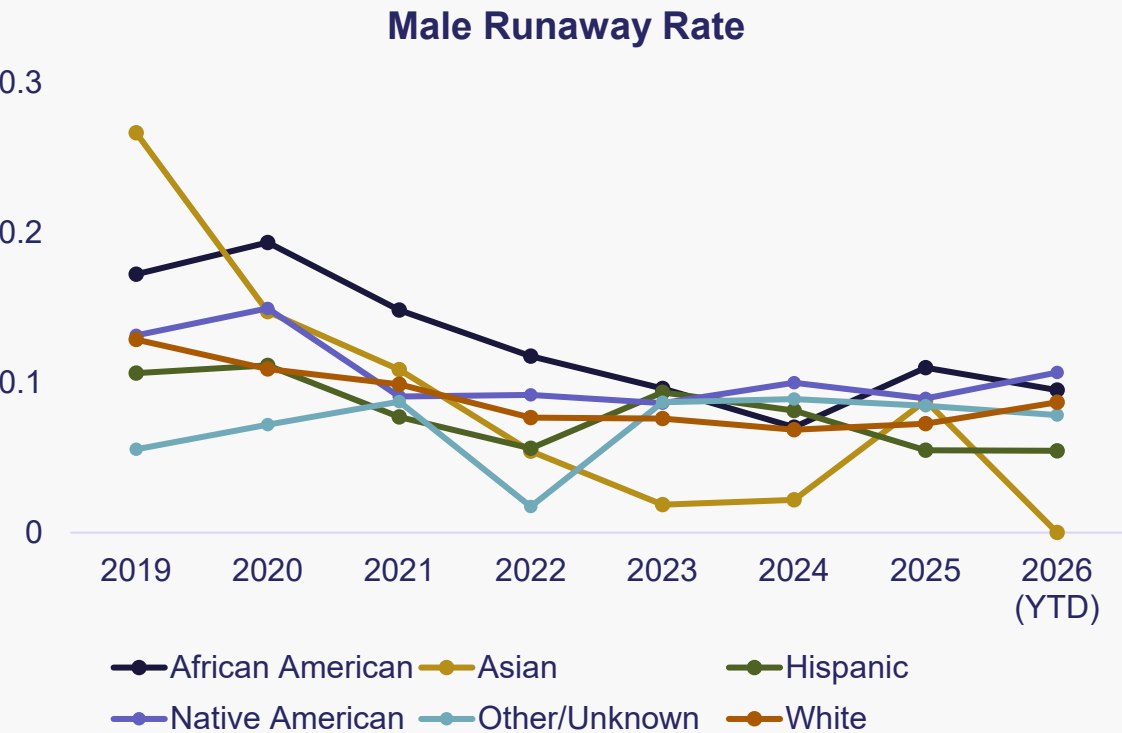


# Action Item: Runaway Rate by Gender and Race/Ethnicity

Female Runaway Rates by Year and Race/Ethnicity



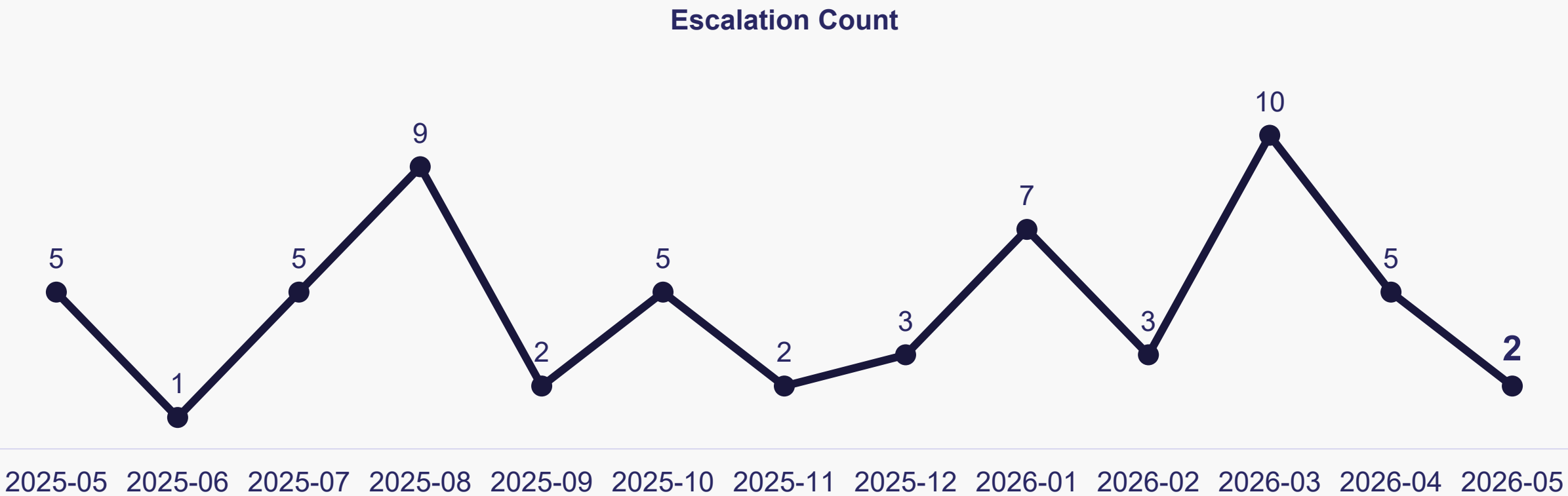
Male Runaway Rates by Year and Race/Ethnicity





# Escalation – Past 13 Months

Two OYA Probation youth were escalated to a YCF last month

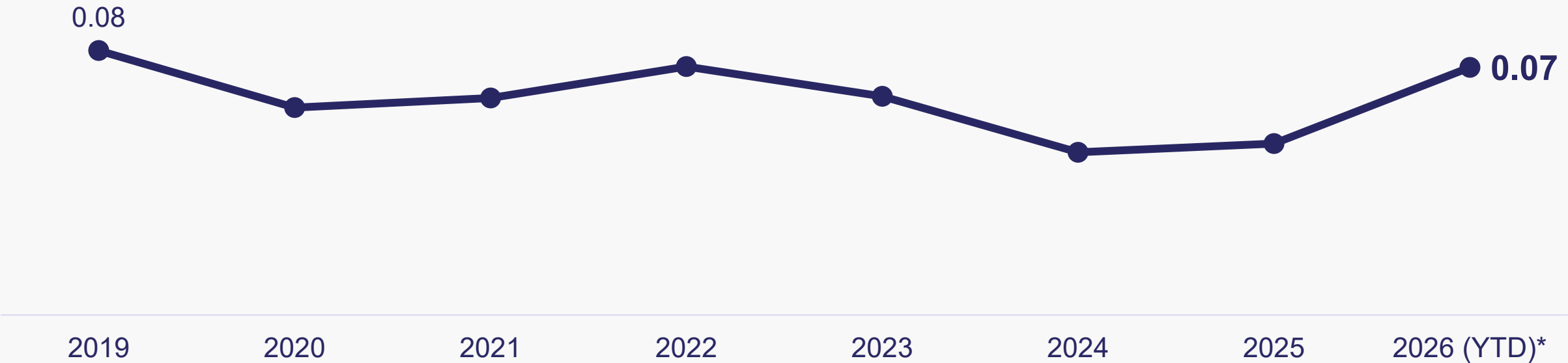




# Supplemental – Escalation Rate by Year

Escalation from Probation to YCF trended down from 2019-2025 but is trending up this year

Escalation Rate per 100 Youth Days

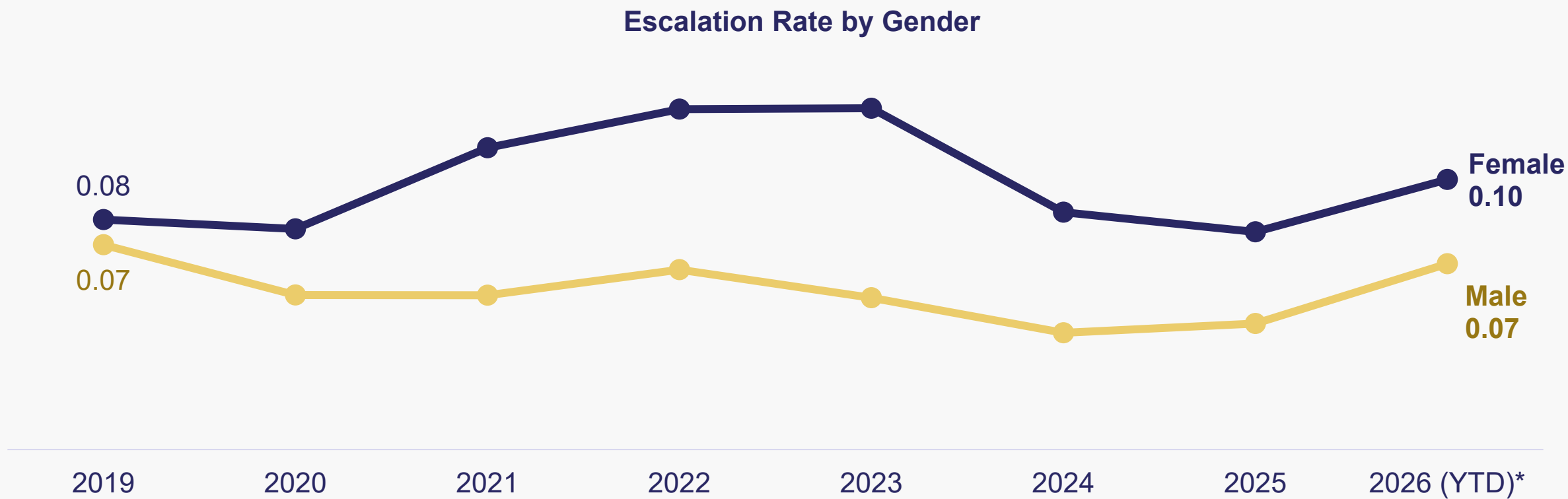


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# Supplemental – Escalation Rate by Gender

Escalation rates vary by gender

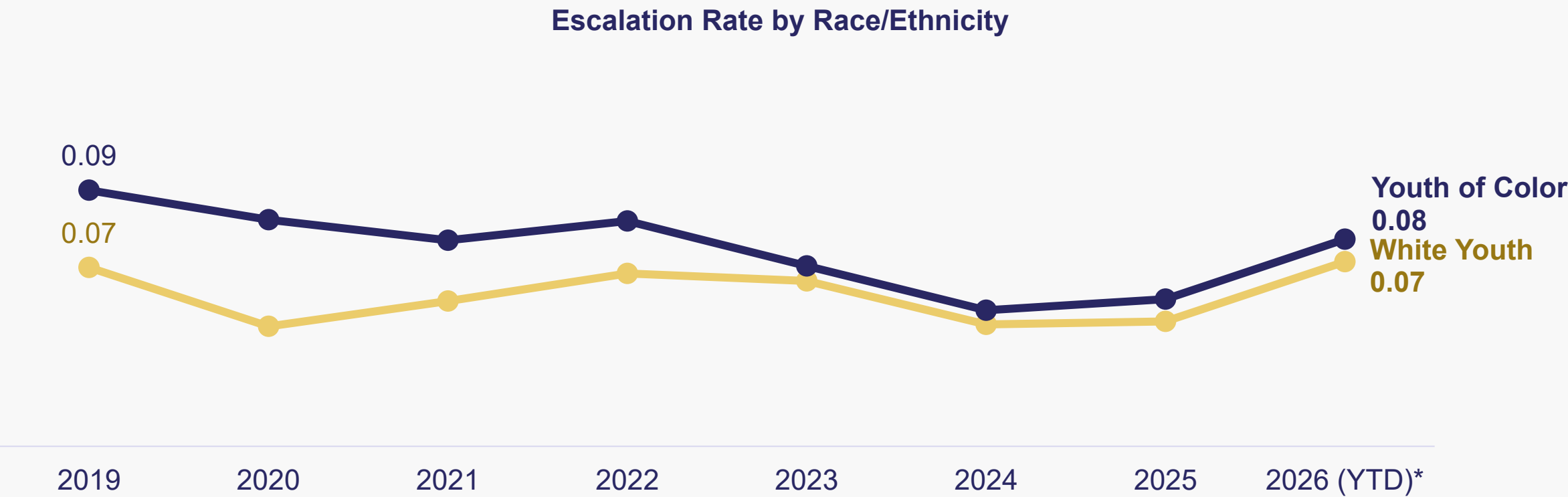


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# Supplemental – Escalation Rate by Race/Ethnicity

The Escalation Rate tends to be slightly higher for Youth of Color

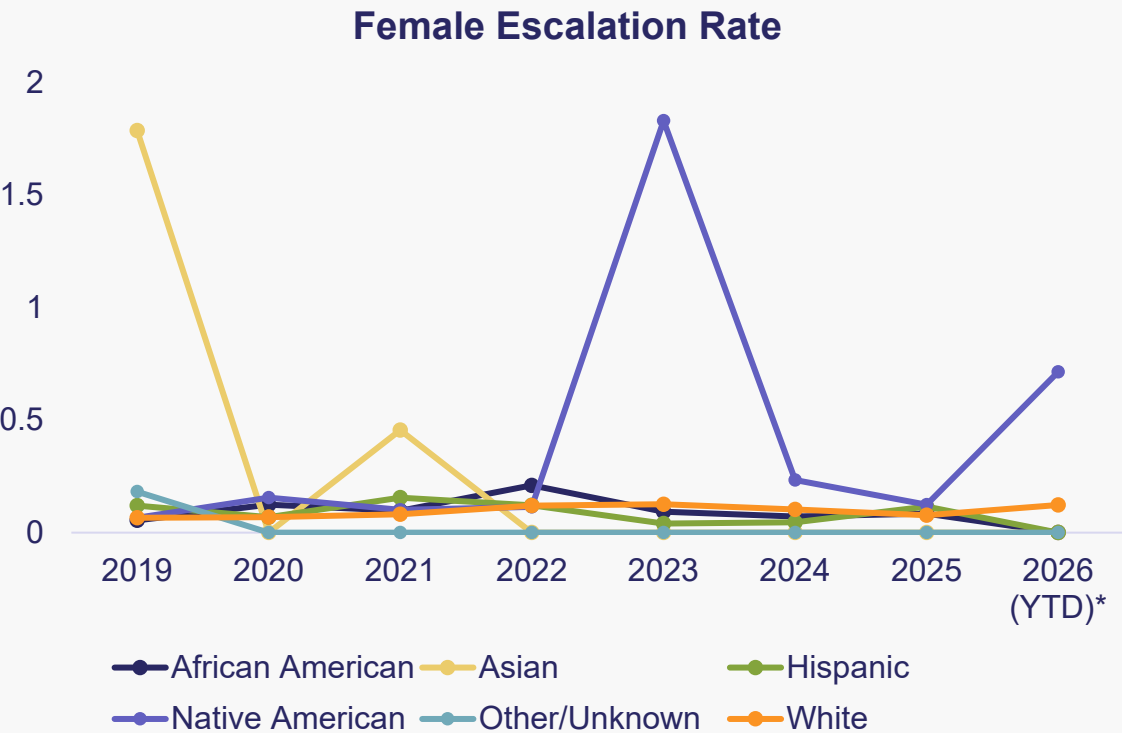


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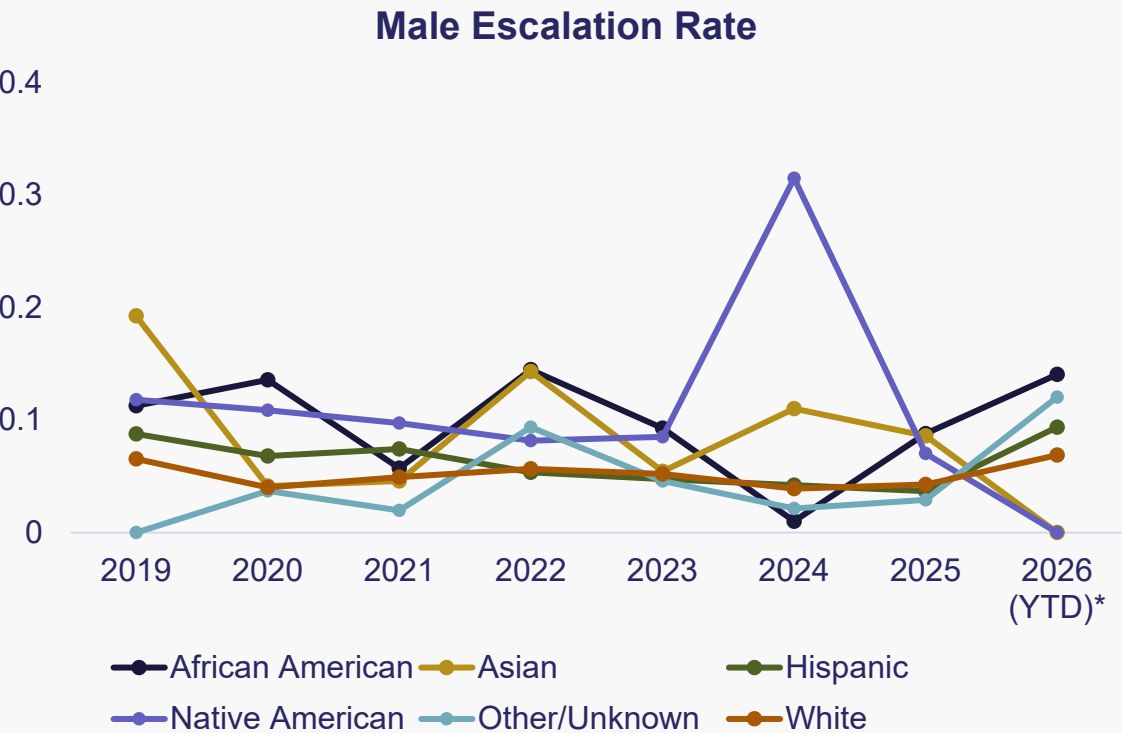


# Action Item: Escalation Rate by Gender and Race/Ethnicity

Female Escalation Rates by Year and  
Race/Ethnicity



Male Escalation Rates by Year and  
Race/Ethnicity

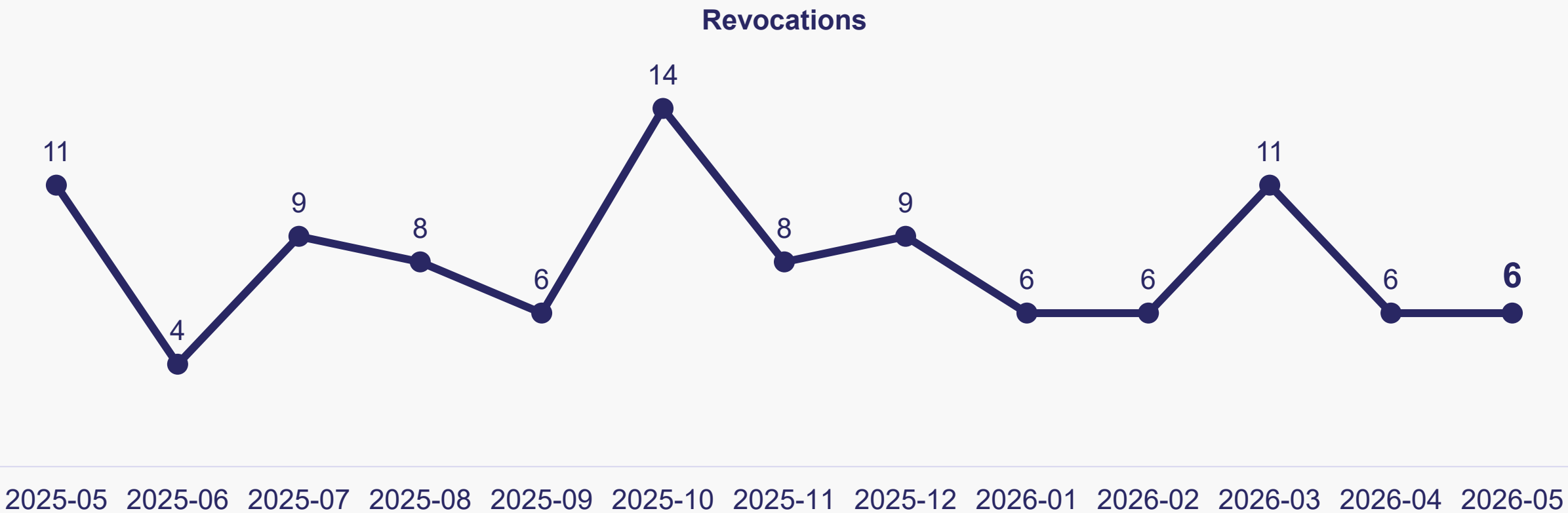






# Revocations – Past 13 Months

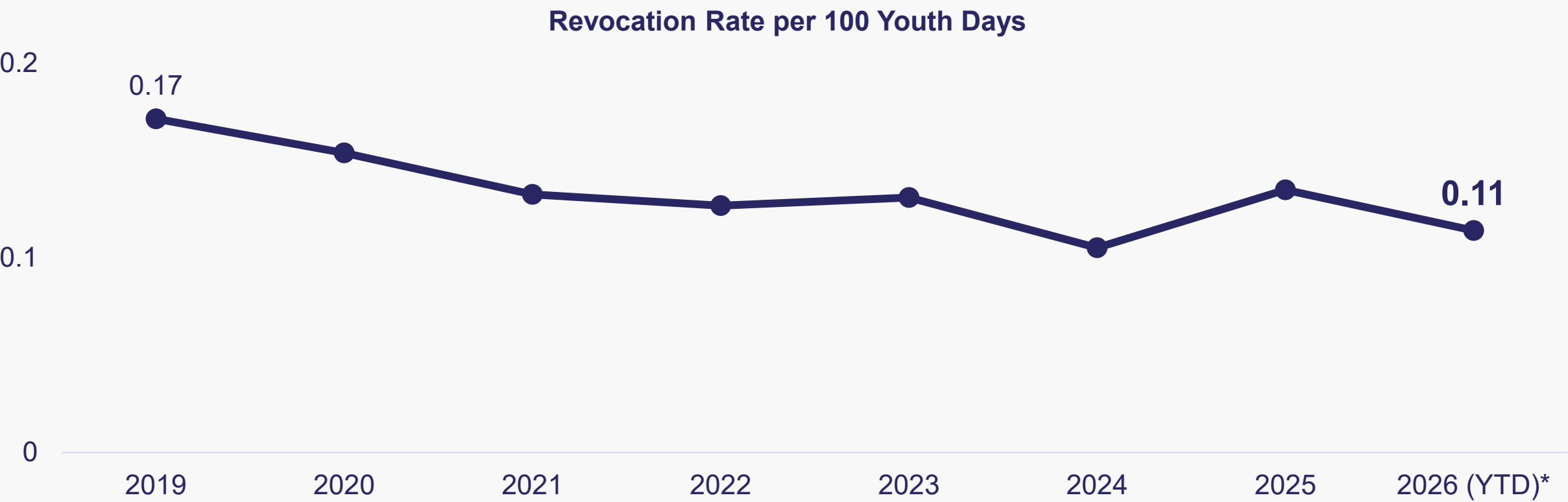
Six youth on Parole were revoked to a YCF last month





# Supplemental – Revocation Rate by Year

Revocation rates decreased between 2019 and 2024

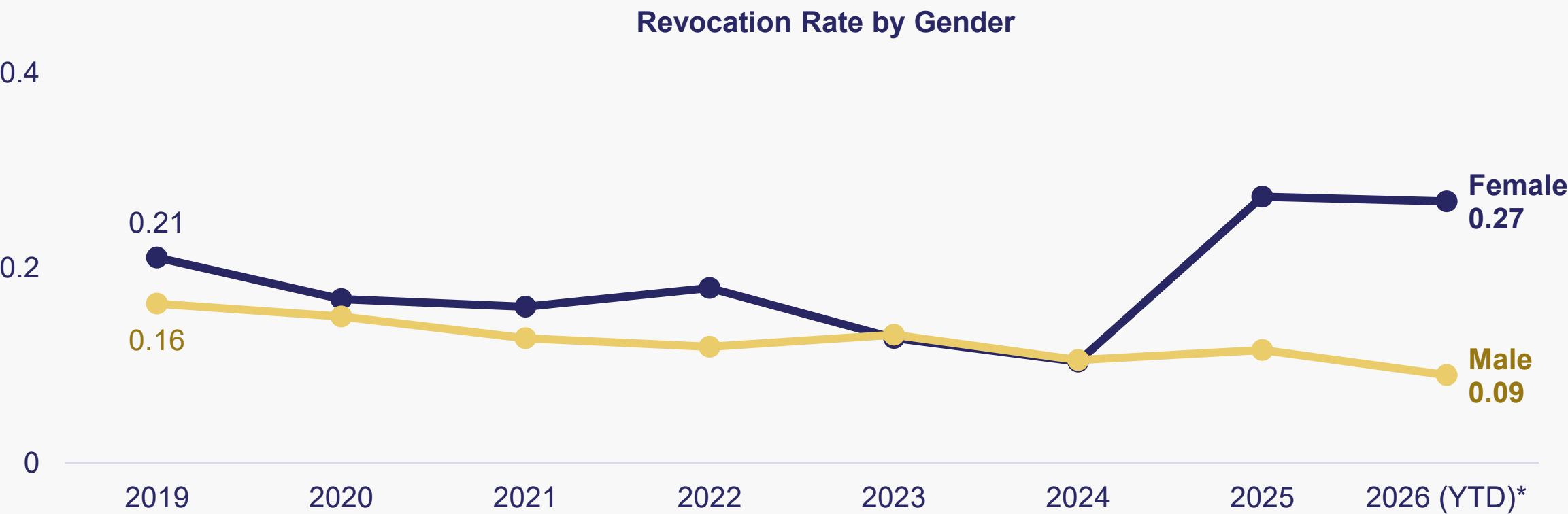


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# Supplemental – Revocation Rate by Gender

There has been a recent increase in revocation rate among Females

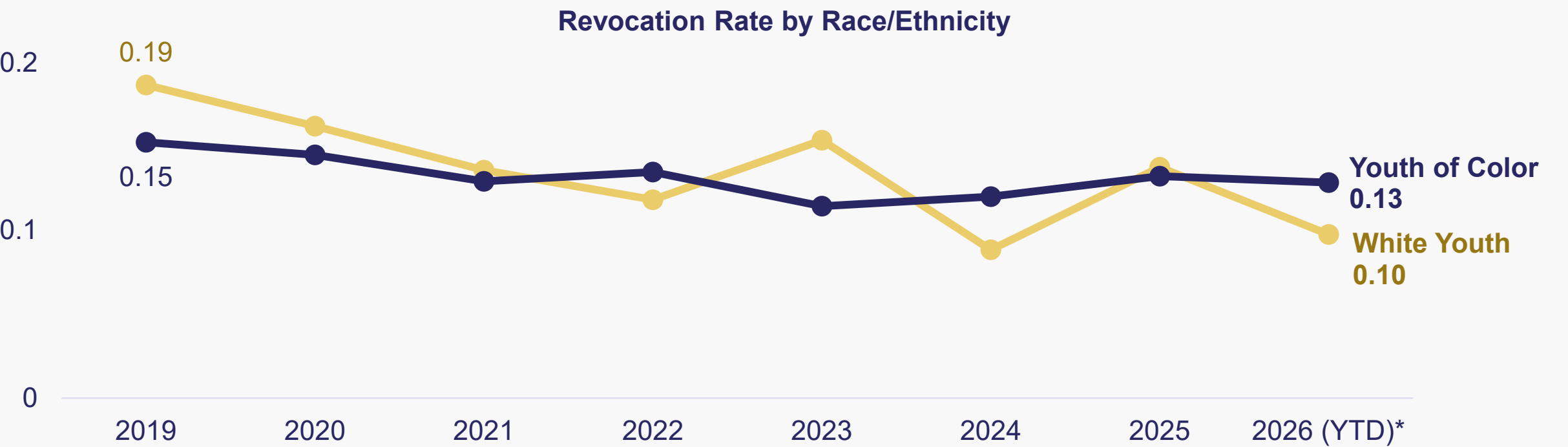


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# Supplemental – Revocation Rate by Race/Ethnicity

Revocation rates have declined more for White youth than Youth of Color since 2019

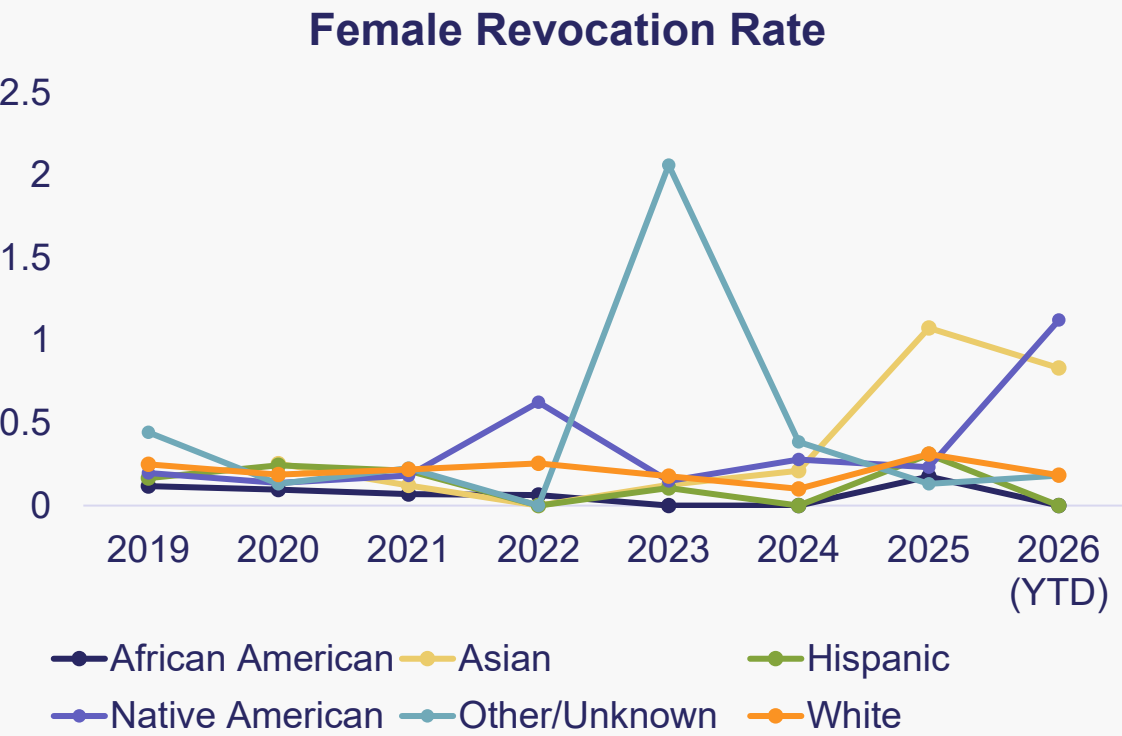


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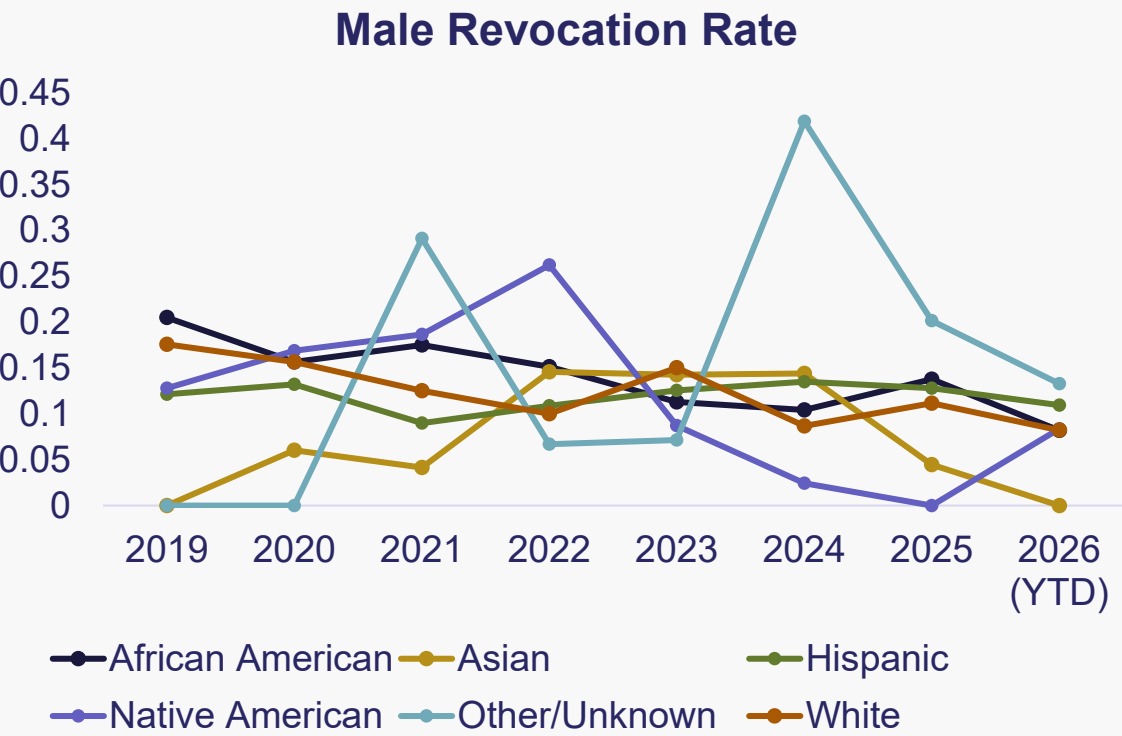


# Revocation Rate by Gender and Race/Ethnicity

Female Revocation Rates by Year and Race/Ethnicity



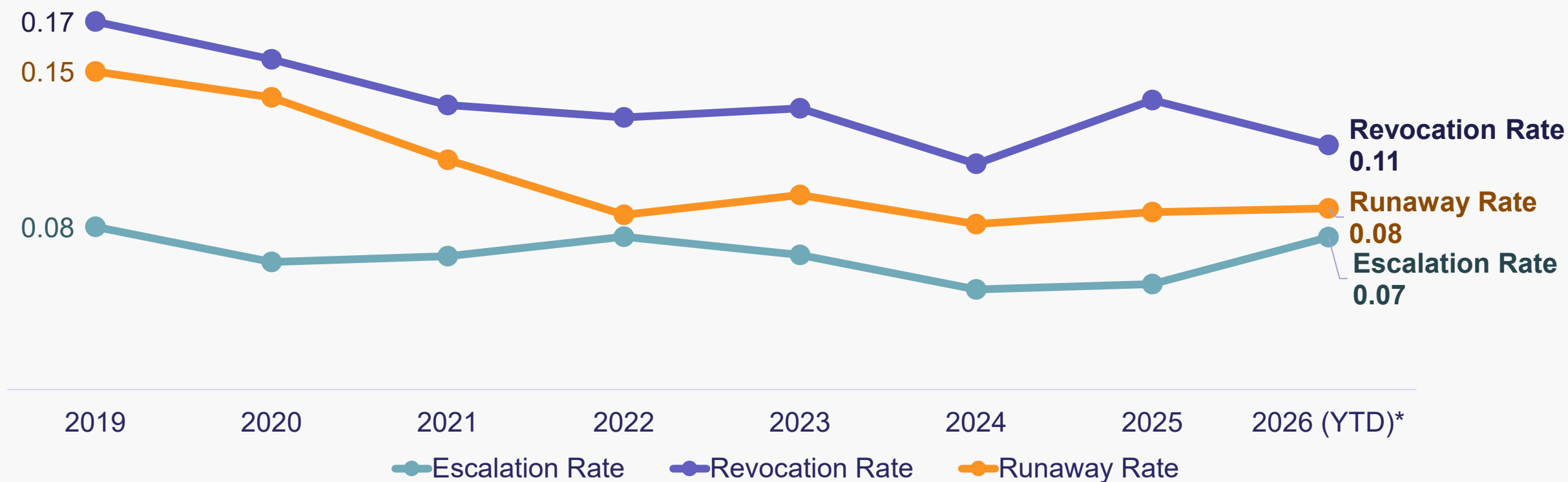
Male Revocation Rates by Year and Race/Ethnicity





# Supplemental - Runaway, Escalation, and Revocation Rate Comparison

Runaway, Revocation, and Escalation rates all decreased between 2019 and 2025; Escalation rates have been increasing this year

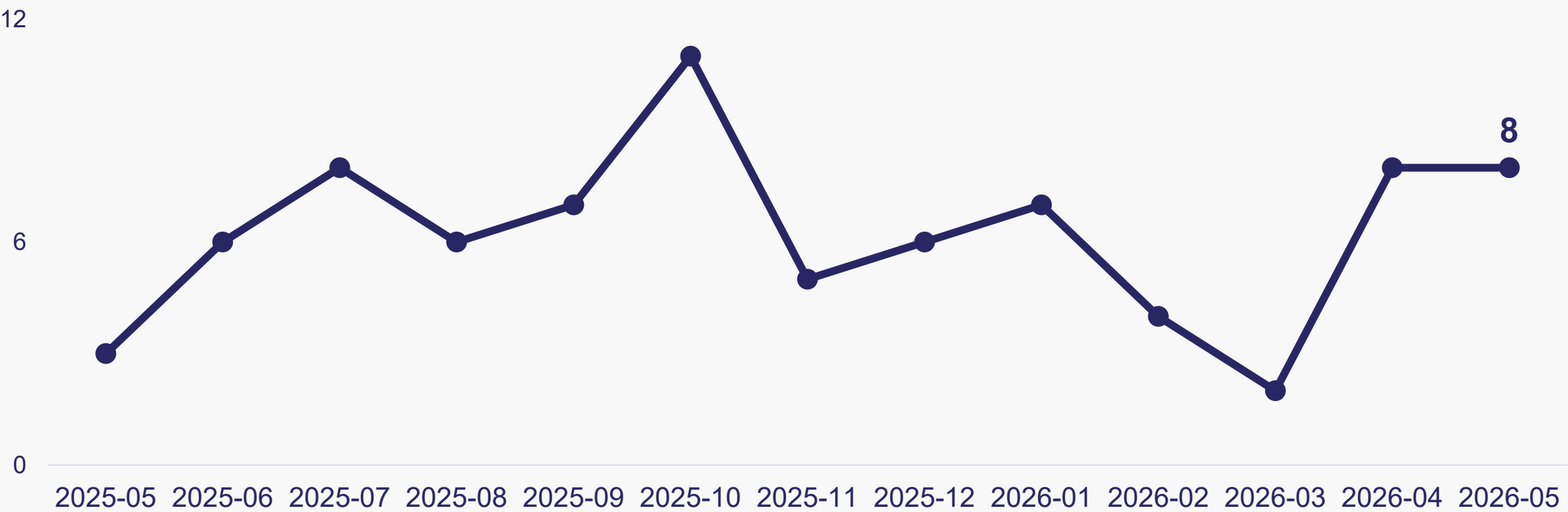


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# Field YIRs - Problem Behaviors

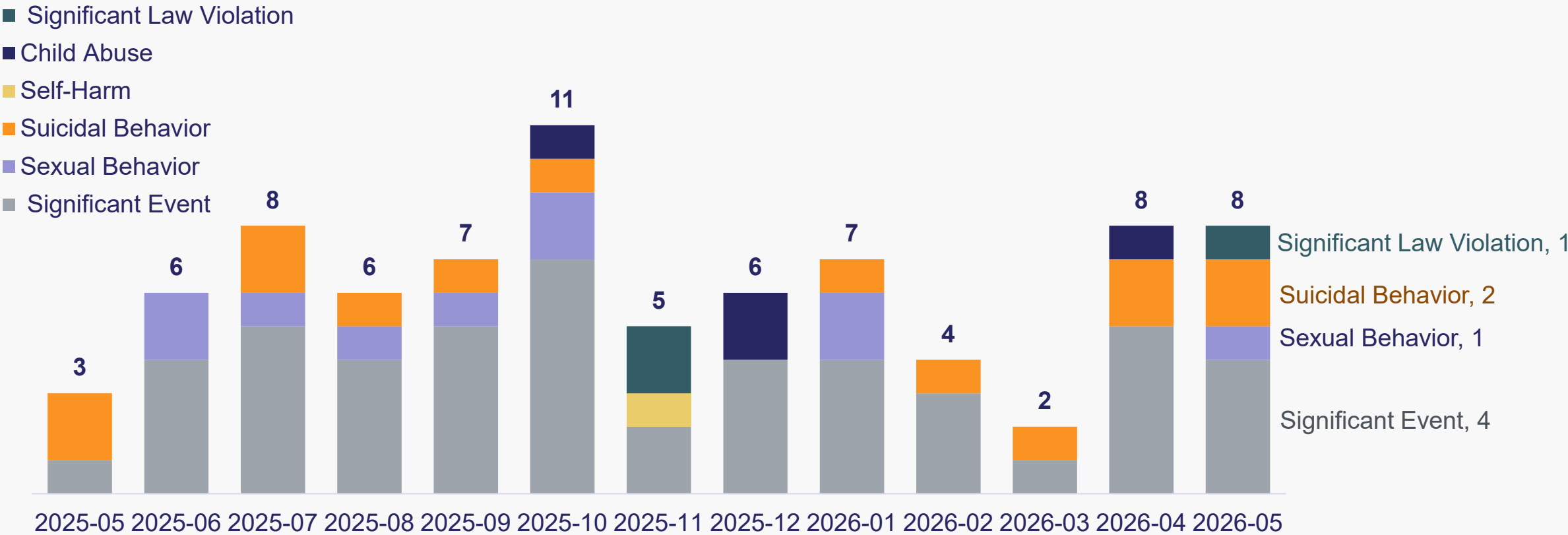
Eight youth behavior problems were recorded in Field YIRs last month





# Field YIRs – Problem Behaviors by Type

Last month’s YIRs included 4 Significant Events, 1 Sexual Behavior, 2 Self-Harm/Suicidal Behaviors, and 1 Significant Law Violation







# Closing Updates



## High Priority Work

Is there any high-priority work happening in your department that we don't see reflected in some way in these slides?



## Employee Engagement

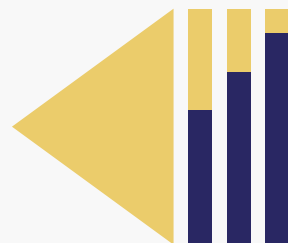
Updates on employee engagement efforts and areas of focus.



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