

Table II-18A. Share of Children Exiting Foster Care by Age and Reason for Exit, FY2013

Age in Years	Reunification with Parent(s) or Primary Caretaker(s)	Living with Other Relative(s)	Adoption	Guardianship	Emancipation	Transfer To Another Agency	Runaway	Death	Missing Exit Reason	TOTAL
<1	5.4%	8.9%	2.4%	2.6%	0.1%	5.1%	0.6%	28.0%	5.6%	4.4%
1	7.3%	9.2%	12.0%	6.3%	0.1%	3.7%	0.2%	12.1%	4.7%	7.6%
2	7.2%	8.0%	13.8%	6.4%	0.0%	2.7%	0.3%	7.9%	5.0%	7.8%
3	6.7%	7.5%	11.5%	6.8%	0.0%	2.7%	0.3%	2.8%	4.9%	7.0%
4	6.4%	7.0%	9.6%	6.4%	0.0%	2.0%	0.4%	3.7%	4.2%	6.4%
5	6.1%	6.4%	8.2%	6.7%	0.0%	2.0%	0.4%	3.1%	3.5%	5.9%
6	5.7%	6.0%	7.0%	6.1%	0.1%	2.1%	0.3%	2.8%	4.1%	5.4%
7	5.2%	5.2%	5.8%	5.9%	0.0%	1.7%	0.4%	1.7%	3.9%	4.8%
8	4.6%	4.7%	5.1%	5.3%	0.0%	1.3%	0.2%	1.7%	3.6%	4.3%
9	4.3%	4.3%	4.4%	5.5%	0.0%	1.3%	0.2%	1.7%	2.7%	3.9%
10	3.9%	3.9%	3.9%	4.9%	0.0%	1.3%	0.3%	2.3%	2.6%	3.5%
11	3.7%	3.5%	3.5%	4.5%	0.0%	1.3%	0.1%	2.0%	2.7%	3.3%
12	3.8%	3.6%	2.9%	4.9%	0.0%	1.7%	0.4%	1.7%	3.1%	3.3%
13	4.0%	3.6%	2.7%	5.1%	0.0%	2.5%	1.5%	1.7%	4.1%	3.3%
14	4.7%	3.7%	2.1%	5.5%	0.0%	6.3%	3.6%	2.5%	4.8%	3.7%
15	5.8%	4.2%	1.8%	5.2%	0.1%	11.8%	7.9%	4.2%	8.0%	4.3%
16	6.6%	4.2%	1.6%	6.3%	0.3%	16.5%	17.0%	7.1%	9.3%	4.9%
17	6.4%	4.2%	1.3%	4.9%	4.3%	20.4%	30.4%	9.3%	11.8%	5.2%
18	2.1%	1.3%	0.1%	0.5%	64.4%	8.7%	28.5%	2.0%	7.1%	7.8%
19	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.1%	19.8%	1.8%	5.4%	1.4%	2.7%	2.2%
20	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	2.9%	2.2%	1.2%	0.0%	1.2%	0.4%
Missing Age Data	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	7.6%	1.0%	0.5%	0.3%	0.5%	0.8%
All Ages	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Source: Table prepared by the Congressional Research Service on September 7, 2014 for the 2014 version of the House Ways and Means Committee Green Book. Based on AFCARS data provided by HHS, ACF,ACYF, Children’s Bureau, as reported by the 50 states, DC and PR as of July 2014.

Note: Some data may vary from previous versions of this table because foster care data are revised if states submit corrections.