



Four Pillars Scorecard

FY2018 Q3

Fewer entries into foster care. Stronger child and family functioning. More placement stability. Shorter time to permanence.

Performance Status: ■ 100% or more of target ■ 75-99% of target ■ Less than 75% of target

Front Yard/Front Porch/Front Door

Outcome: Families stay together safely.

Indicator	FY17 Annual	FY18 Target	FY18/Q1	FY18/Q2	FY18/Q3	FY18/Q4	FY18 Annual
Increase timely initiation of investigations*	91%	95%	94%	94%	86%		
NEW! Increase timely initiation of referrals to Family Assessment	—	80%	83%	82%	81%		
NEW! Increase families who accept community-based services following case closure	—	85%	79%	72%	59%		
NEW! Reduce children entering foster care after engagement with the Collaboratives	—	50%	Annual Measure				
Reduce length of time in In-Home	9	9	10	8	9		
Reduce new reports while in In-Home	8%	8%	7%	5%	6%		
Reduce foster care entries from In-Home*	87	85	37	34	41		
Reduce new entries into foster care*	275	320	63	66	71		
Reduce re-entries into foster care	73	70	17	9	33		

Temporary Safe Haven

Outcome: Children and youth are placed with families whenever possible.

Indicator	FY17 Annual	FY18 Target	FY18/Q1	FY18/Q2	FY18/Q3	FY18/Q4	FY18 Annual
Increase placements with relatives (kin)*	24%	25%	24%	23%	23%		
Increase placements in family foster homes*	84%	88%	83%	83%	82%		
Increase licensed foster homes in the District	47%	300	281	259	254		

Outcome: Planning for permanence begins the day a child enters care.

Increase children with one placement in the past 12 months	—	55%	49%	47%	49%		
NEW! Increase engagement with birth families	—	TBD	Annual Measure				
Increase parent-child visits	87%	87%	84%	88%	95%		
NEW! Increase birth family use of needed services and supports	—	TBD	Annual Measure				
NEW! Increase shared parenting	—	40%	26%	38%	28%		

Well Being

Outcome: Children and youth in foster care maintain good physical and emotional health.

Indicator	FY17 Annual	FY18 Target	FY18/Q1	FY18/Q2	FY18/Q3	FY18/Q4	FY18 Annual
Increase timely medical evaluations for children/youth following placement	92%	92%	85%	91%	97%		
Increase timely dental evaluations for children/youth following placement	56%	56%	51%	50%	70%		
Increase children/youth who receive needed behavioral health services	81%	81%	Annual Measure				
Reduce births to youth in foster care	17%	20%	19%	16%	17%		

Outcome: Children and youth in foster care get an appropriate education and meet expected milestones.

Increase children ages birth-5 in foster care who get a timely developmental screening*	94%	85%	100%	94%	95%		
Increase youth in foster care who graduate from high school*	73%	70%	Annual Measure				

Outcome: Youth in foster care pursue activities that support their positive transition to adulthood.

NEW! Increase youth who have employment or internship experience	—	60%	Annual Measure				
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Exit to Permanence

Outcome: Children and youth leave the child welfare system quickly and safely.

Indicator	FY17 Annual	FY18 Target	FY18/Q1	FY18/Q2	FY18/Q3	FY18/Q4	FY18 Annual
Reduce time to reunification	16	16	12	13	12		
Reduce time to guardianship	34	34	39	38	35		
Reduce time to adoption	32	32	33	29	34		
Reduce youth who age out of foster care	17%	17%	17%	19%	14%		

Outcome: Youth actively prepare for adulthood.

Increase youth engagement in after-care programming*	98%	98%	Annual Measure				
Increase youth graduating from college*	12%	20%	Annual Measure				
Increase youth completing vocational training or a certification program*	71%	70%	75%	73%	73%		
NEW! Increase re-engagement of older youth in educational/career services	—	30%	Annual Measure				
Increase youth who exit care with stable housing	81%	85%	100%	95%	100%		

* Key Performance Indicators for the Mayor's Plan FY18



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