



Trends in Foster Care and Adoption

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The **report** (https://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/cb/trends_fostercare_adoption2015.pdf) and data visualization below present national estimates related to children who experience time in foster care and who are adopted from the foster care system, relative to each Federal Fiscal Year shown. As states are permitted to resubmit AFCARS data, estimates may change over time. This reflects all AFCARS data received as of June 8, 2016 related to AFCARS reporting periods through September 30, 2015.

The national **dataset** (http://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/cb/afcars_trends_fy15.xlsx) and state **data tables** (http://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/cb/afcars_state_data_tables_fy2015.xlsx) are available for download as well.



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NATIONAL AFCARS TRENDS.XLSX (https://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/cb/afcars_trends_fy15.xlsx)

AFCARS STATE DATA TABLES FY15.XLSX (https://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/cb/afcars_state_data_tables_fy2015.xlsx)

TRENDS IN FOSTER CARE AND ADOPTION FY 2015.PDF (https://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/cb/trends_fostercare_adoption2015.pdf)

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