

Program Statistics
Child Protection and In-Care
(As of Dec 31, 2025)

Number of Clients by Service¹

Program	Central West	Metro	Labrador	Provincial Total
Protective Intervention # of Families	795	855	335	1985
Protective Intervention # of Children	1255	1260	520	3030
Kinship Services # of Kinship Homes	195	255	85	535
Kinship Services # of Children and Youth	265	345	120	730
Youth Services Non Residential ¹ and Residential	140	240	55	430
In Care/Custody # of Children and Youth	285	395	200	880
Residential # of Foster Homes*	185	195	140	515

¹ Data extracted from ISM on January 1, 2026

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Children/Youth In-Care from Central West by Indigenous Identity and Current Placement Location

Indigenous Identity	Home Community	Labrador	Island	Out of Province	Total
Inuit	..	..	..	0	10
Metis	0	0	0	0	0
Metis/Mi'kmaq	0	0	0	0	0
Mi'kmaq	10	0	5	0	20
Other Indigenous	0	0	0	0	0
Total Children/Youth	15	..	10	0	30

Children/Youth In-Care from Metro by Indigenous Identity and Current Placement Location

Indigenous Identity	Home Community	Labrador	Island	Out of Province	Total
Innu	0	0	0	0	0
Innu/Inuit	..	0	0	0	..
Inuit	10	..	..	0	10
Inuit/Metis	0	0	0	0	0
Metis	0	0	0	0	0
Metis/Mi'kmaq	0	0	0	0	0
Mi'kmaq	..	0	..	0	0
Other Indigenous	0	0	0	0	0
Total Children/Youth	10	..	..	0	15

Children/Youth In-Care from Labrador by Indigenous Identity and Current Placement Location

Indigenous Identity	Home Community	Labrador	Island	Out of Province	Total
Innu	65	30	25	..	120
Innu/Inuit	..	5	10	0	15
Inuit	45	20	45	0	110
Innu/Metis	0	0	0	0	0
Inuit/Metis	..	0	0	0	..
Metis	0	0	0	0	0
Mi'kmaq	..	0	0	0	..
Other Indigenous	0	0	0	0	0
Total Children/Youth	115	55	75	..	250

In total there are 0 indigenous children/youth in adoption placement for which placement cannot be disclosed. In addition to this less than 5 children came from Interprovincial Placement Agreements.

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Children/ Youth by Placement Type

Placement Type	Central West	Metro	Labrador	Provincial Total
Foster Home	220	235	165	620
Family Based Placement	..	30	..	40
Group Home (including Emergency Placement Homes)	25	55	25	100
Individualized Living Arrangements	25	70	5	100
Out-of-Province Placements	5	..	0	10
Other	5	..	5	10
Total Children/Youth	285	395	200	880

Placement Resources

Resource	Central West	Metro	Labrador	Provincial Total
Foster Homes Regular*	120	85	40	245
Foster Homes Relative/Significant Other*	65	110	95	275
Group Homes (including Emergency Placement Homes)	10	25	10	40
Individualized Living Arrangements	20	65	10	95
Family Based Placement Resource	5	40	..	45
Total Placement Resources	220	320	160	700

*Does not include those on hold

".." represents numbers that are less than 5

All numbers are rounded to the nearest five to protect the privacy of children, youth and families; Figures may not sum to total because of rounding.