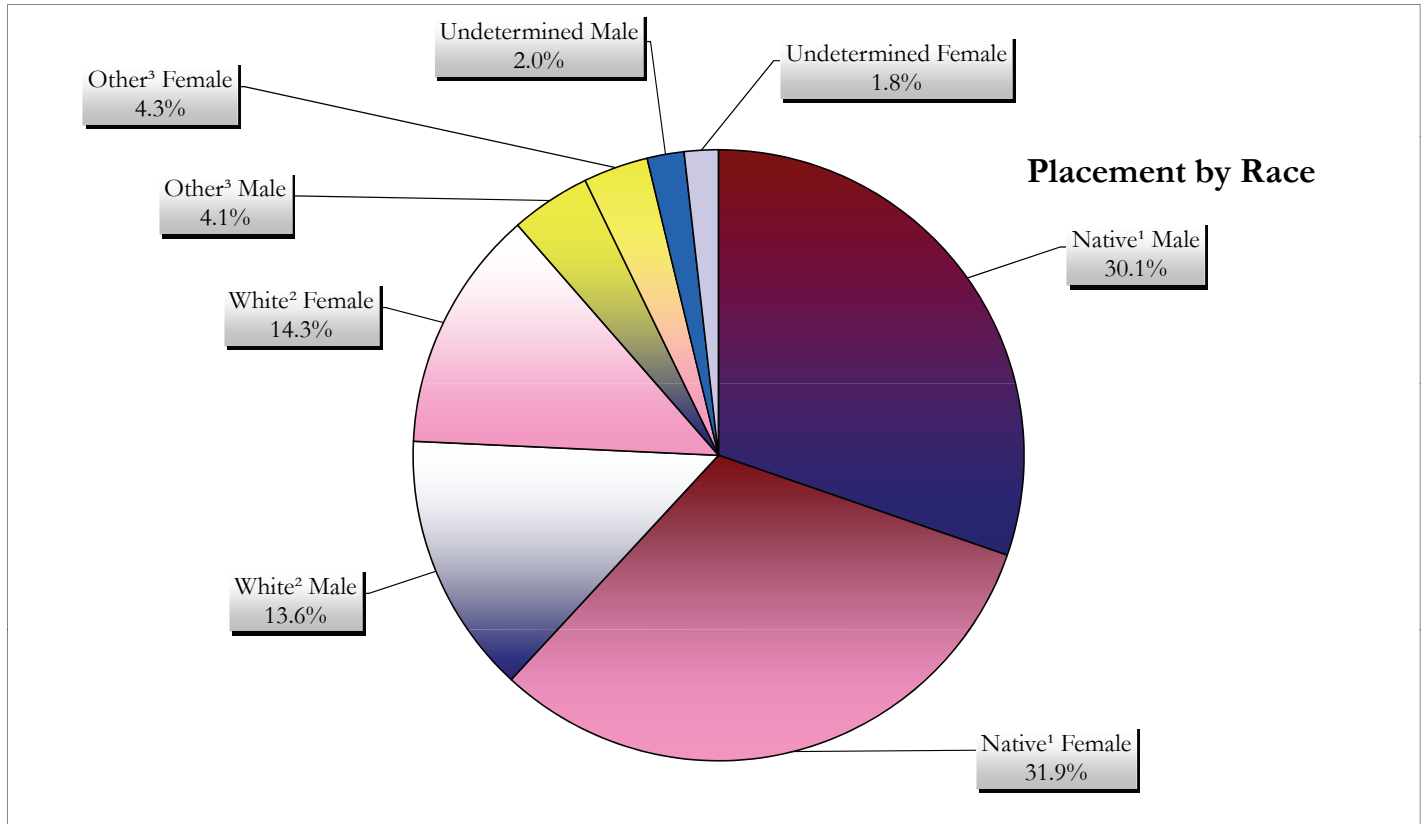


All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of November, 2011, by Race

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment.



All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of November, 2011.													TOTAL
Race	Native ¹			White ²			Other ³			Undetermined			
Region	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	
Anchorage	192	185	377	84	71	155	62	48	110	11	7	18	660
Northern	97	118	215	27	25	52	6	10	16	9	8	17	300
South Central	98	117	215	137	129	266	8	6	14	17	17	34	529
Southeast	62	55	117	14	18	32	4	1	5	0	1	1	155
Western	124	122	246	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	247
Total	573	597	1,170	262	243	505	80	65	145	37	34	71	1,891

¹ Native is any mention of Alaska Native or American Indian.

² White is White only, excluding all other races.

³ Other includes any mention of Asian, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, or Black/African American.

Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthly_ooH_web.sas.

Data in this report is current as of December 2, 2011. Subsequent reports with the same date parameter will contain up-dated statistics.

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