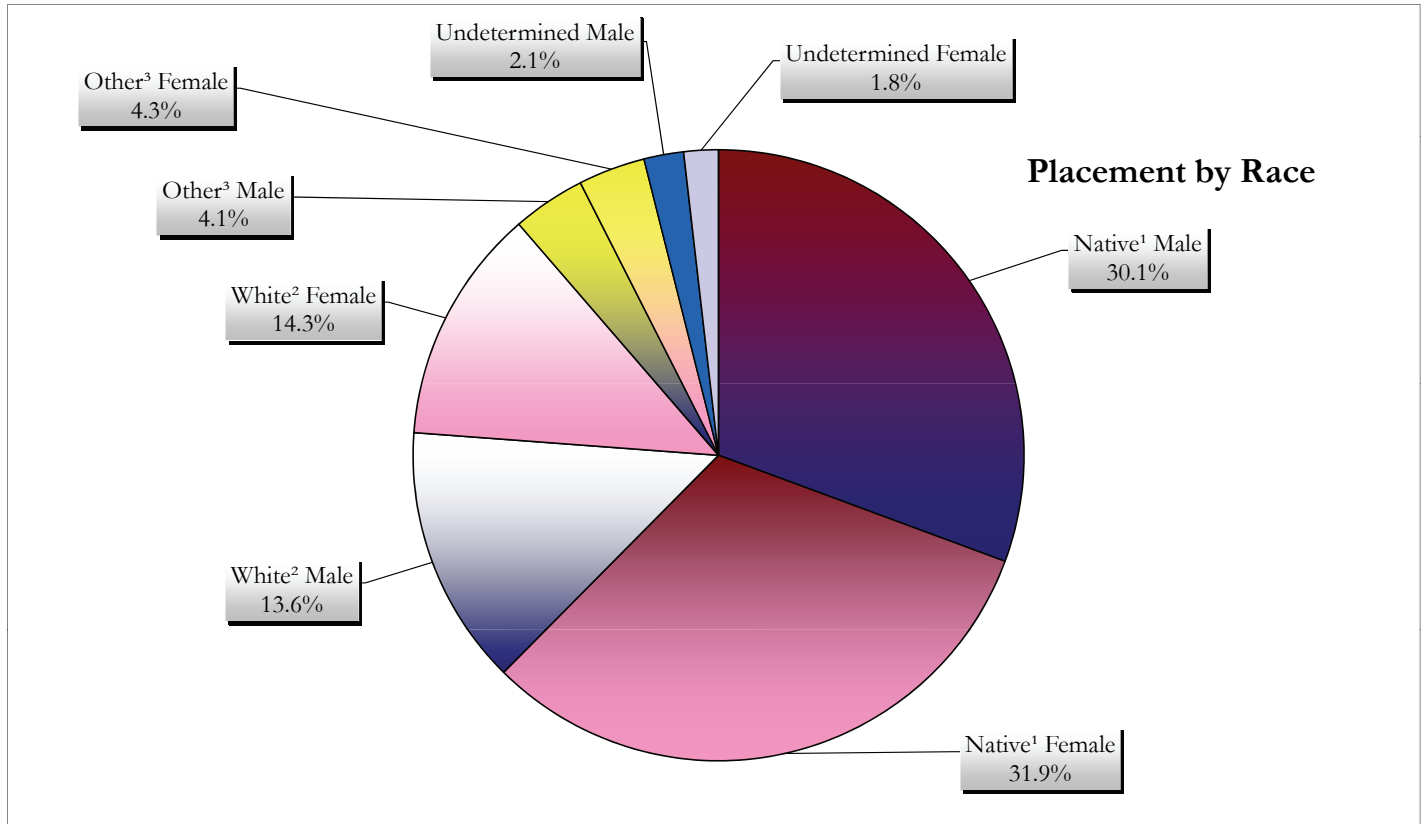


All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of December, 2011, by Race

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 December, 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 | 180 | 372 | 84 | 71 | 155 | 57 | 49 | 106 | 13 | 9 | 22 | 655 |
| Northern | 95 | 119 | 214 | 29 | 23 | 52 | 4 | 10 | 14 | 7 | 7 | 14 | 294 |
| South Central | 100 | 111 | 211 | 129 | 120 | 249 | 7 | 6 | 13 | 19 | 17 | 36 | 509 |
| Southeast | 60 | 55 | 115 | 14 | 18 | 32 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 152 |
| Western | 123 | 126 | 249 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 250 |
| Total | 570 | 591 | 1,161 | 256 | 232 | 488 | 72 | 66 | 138 | 39 | 34 | 73 | 1,860 |

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 January 3, 2012. Subsequent reports with the same date parameter will contain up-dated statistics.

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