

Tribal State Collaboration Group – Northern Regional Office Data Indicators

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2022 Alaska Native/American Indian Northern Regional Office child population was 34.5%; 2023 Alaska Native/American Indian in Northern Regional Office Out of Home care was 80%

These are high-level outcomes. To truly understand what is motivating these trends, additional analysis is required.

CHILDREN IN OUT OF HOME CARE

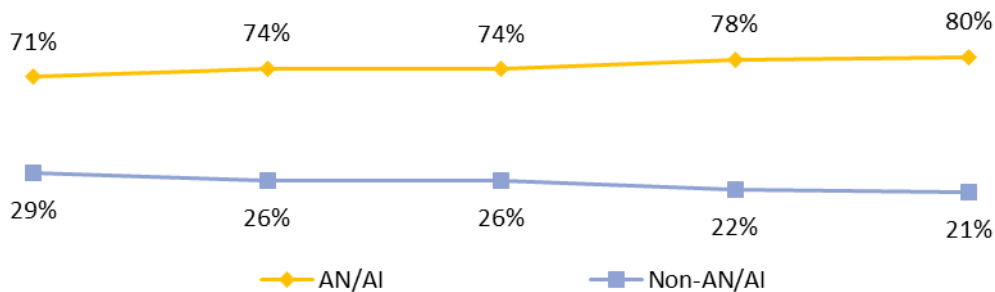
Number of Children in Out of Home Care by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	623	649	592	594	562
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	256	223	207	164	145

Percentage of Children in Out of Home Care by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	71%	74%	74%	78%	80%
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	29%	26%	26%	22%	21%

Children in Out of Home Care



SAFETY – Maltreatment

Maltreatment* by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	594	552	500	467	412
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	170	120	133	101	85

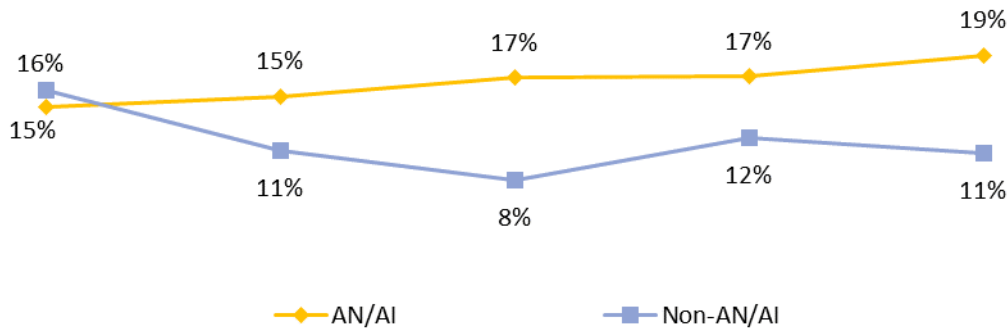
Repeat Maltreatment* by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	86	85	85	83	78
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	27	13	11	12	9

Percentage of Repeat Maltreatment* by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	15%	15%	17%	17%	19%
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	16%	11%	8%	12%	11%

Repeat Maltreatment



PLACEMENT

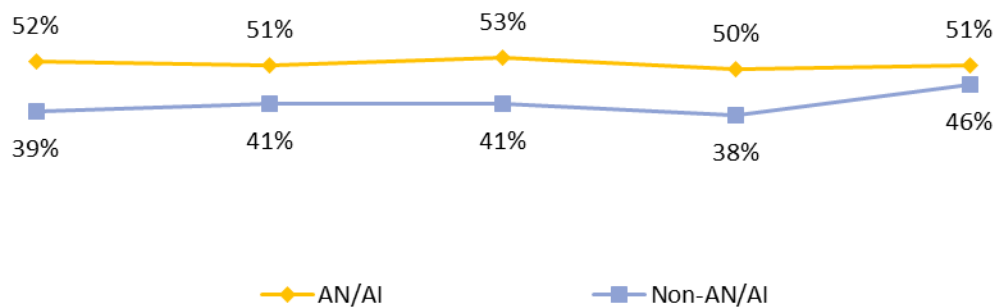
Number of Children in Extended Family Placements by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	175	162	166	154	146
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	60	45	40	31	31

Percentage of Children in Extended Family Placements by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	52%	51%	53%	50%	51%
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	39%	41%	41%	38%	46%

Extended Family Placements



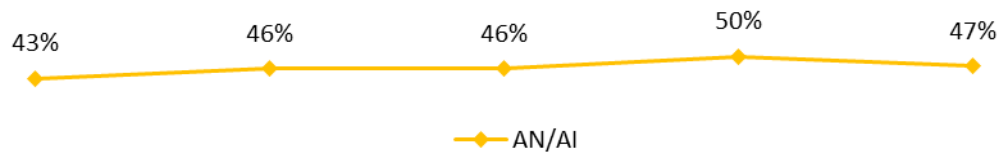
Number of Alaska Native/American Indian Children in Out of Preference Placements

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	163	166	165	184	158

Percentage of Alaska Native/ American Indian Children in Out of Preference Placements

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	43%	46%	46%	50%	47%

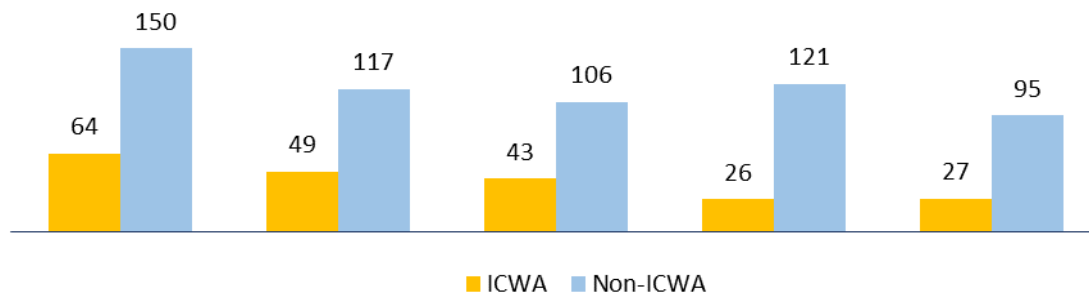
Out of Preference Placements



Number of Indian Child Welfare Act Homes

Type of Home	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Indian Child Welfare Act	64	49	43	26	27
Non-Indian Child Welfare Act	150	117	106	121	95

Indian Child Welfare Act Homes

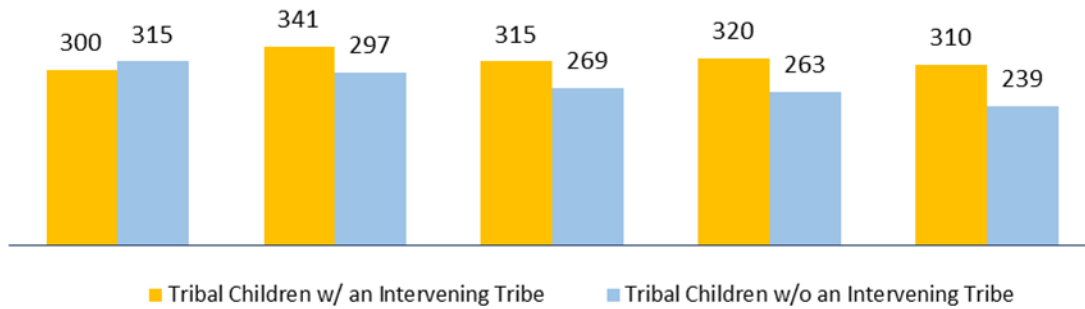


TRIBAL INTERVENTIONS

Number of Tribal Children who receive Tribal Interventions

Children	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian Children with an Intervening Tribe	300	341	315	320	310
Alaska Native/American Indian Children without an Intervening Tribe	315	297	269	263	239

Tribal Interventions



Percentage of Tribal Children who receive Tribal Interventions

Children	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian Children with an Intervening Tribe	49%	53%	54%	55%	56%
Alaska Native/American Indian Children without an Intervening Tribe	51%	47%	46%	45%	44%

RE-ENTRY

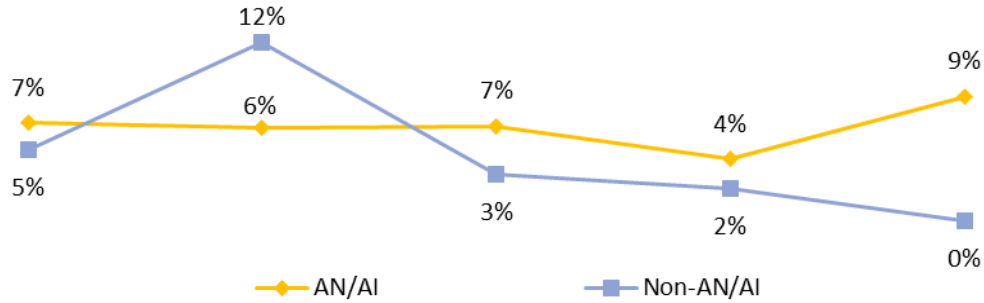
Number of Children who Re-Enter Care by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	15	12	11	8	12
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	5	5	5	1	0

Percentage of Children who Re-Enter Care by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	7%	6%	7%	4%	9%
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	5%	12%	3%	2%	0%

Re-Entry



PERMANENCY

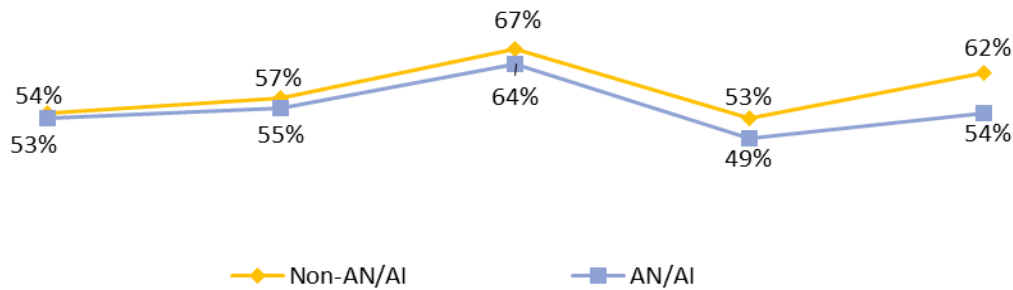
Number of Children who Exited to Reunification by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	94	129	126	88	89
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	41	50	63	31	37

Percentage of Children who Exited to Reunification by Race

RACE	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Alaska Native/American Indian	53%	55%	64%	49%	54%
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian	54%	57%	67%	53%	62%

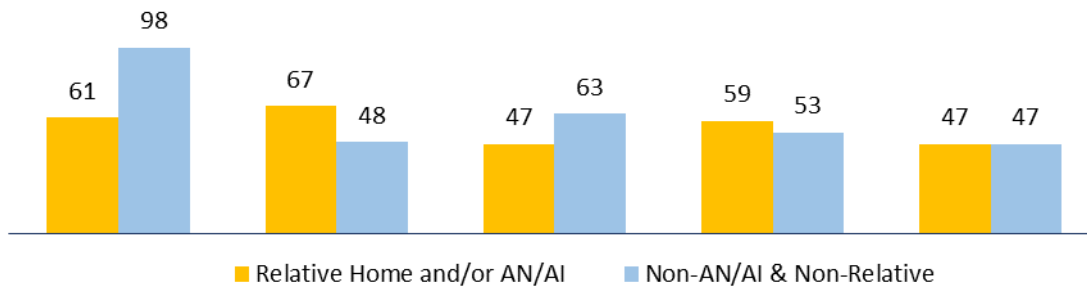
Reunification



Number of Alaska Native/American Indian Children Exiting

Type	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Relative Home and/or Alaska Native/American Indian	19	24	38	20	15
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian & Non-Relative Home	25	17	20	18	35
All Guardianships	2	3	5	12	7
All Adoptions	42	38	53	26	43

AN/AI Children Exiting to Adoption or Guardianship



Percentage of Alaska Native/American Indian Children Exiting

Type	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Relative Home and/or Alaska Native/American Indian	11%	10%	19%	11%	9%
Non-Alaska Native/American Indian & Non-Relative Home	14%	7%	10%	10%	21%
All Guardianships	1%	1%	3%	7%	4%
All Adoptions	24%	16%	27%	15%	26%

Notes:

Example: **2022 Alaska Native/American Indian statewide child population was 27.9%; 2023 Alaska Native/American Indian in Office of Children's Services Out of Home care was 64.8%**

Interpretation: **In 2022 28.2% of the 0-17 Alaska child population were Alaska Native/American Indian children; in 2023 64.9% of children in Statewide Office of Children's Services Out of Home Care were Alaska Native/American Indian.**

Example: **2022 Alaska Native/American Indian Anchorage Regional Office child population was 19.2%; 2023 Alaska Native/American Indian in Anchorage Regional Office Out of Home Care was 62.9%**

Interpretation: **In 2022 19.2% of the 0-17 Anchorage Regional Office child population were Alaska Native/American Indian children; in 2023 62.9% of children in Anchorage Regional Office/ Office of Children's Services Out of Home care were Alaska Native/American Indian.**

[Alaska Population Estimates](#) are provided by Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development.

Alaska Native/American Indian Children in Out of Home Care represents Alaska Native/American Indian children who were in OUT OF HOME care sometime during the calendar year, children are considered in OUT OF HOME care from the date of removal until discharged regardless of placement setting.

***Maltreatment & Repeat Maltreatment:** Numbers/rates may be impacted by data latency.

Maltreatment: count of children with substantiated maltreatment in investigations completed during the reporting period.

Repeat Maltreatment: Repeat victims are those with a previous substantiated allegation within the prior 12 months.

Placement data is point in time December 31.

Extended Family Placement: Preference 1 placements.

Indian Child Welfare Foster Homes data is point in time December 31.

Tribal Intervention: Represents the number of children who had an intervention during the reporting year. If intervention occurred after the reporting period, it is not included in this number. Children in non-intervening Tribes includes all Alaska Native/American Indian children who do not have a Tribal affiliation listed in ORCA.

Re-Entry into Care: Children removed from home during the reporting period who have a discharge within the 12 months prior to their most recent reporting period removal date.

Reunification: Total based on number of children discharged with an end reason of reunification and children on a trial home visit over 180 days or expired. 2023 totals may change slightly due to data latency entry.

Children Exiting to Adoption or Guardianship: 2023 totals may change slightly due to data latency entry.

Source: ORCA 1/8/24