

Hawaii Data Trends By Race/Ethnicity

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Note: data throughout the slides is from AFCARS

Cautionary Note

- Data imperfect – answers differ by how the question is asked
- More questions than answers
- Data presented from different sources, using different definitions
- More analyses can be conducted
- Focus on race/ethnicity differences, not disproportionality/disparity, although issue addressed.

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Definitions

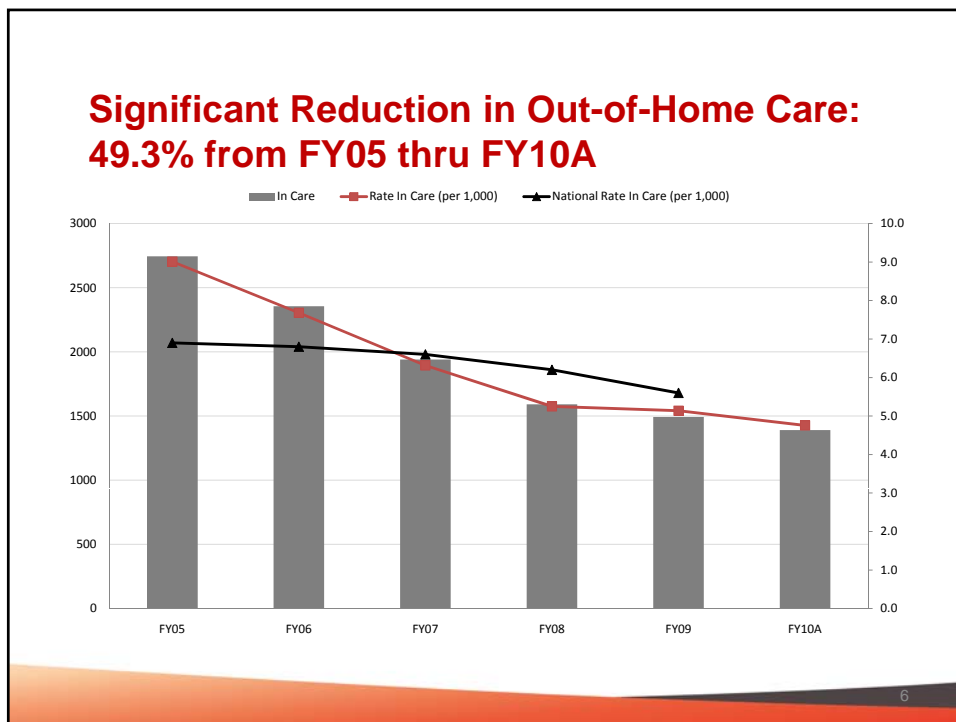
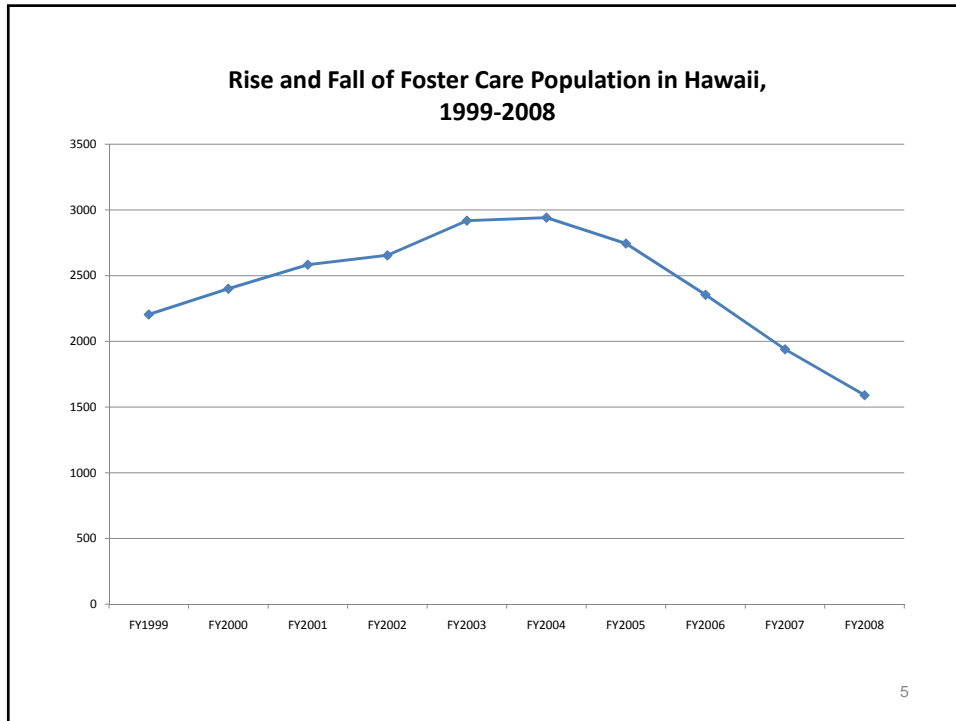
- Disproportionality – the relationship between a group’s presence in the general population and their presence in the child welfare system (there could be overrepresentation or under representation).

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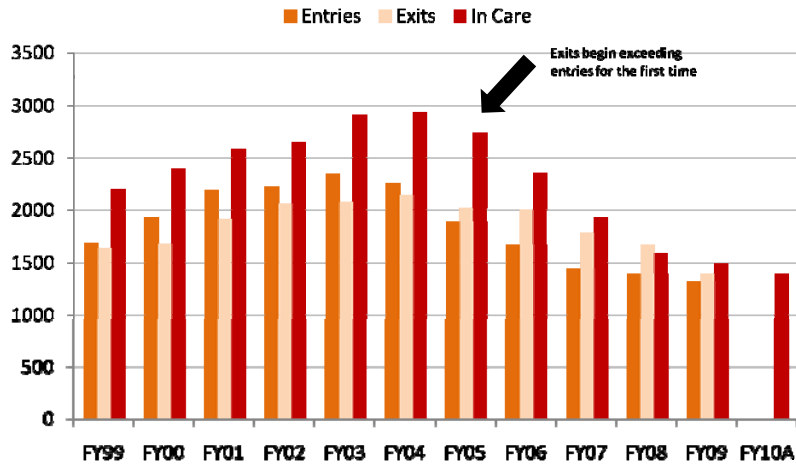
Definitions

- Disparities – the varied levels of resolution of child welfare cases by group (i.e., rates of reunification, adoption) or at various decision points, (i.e., rates of entries, length of stay, exits by race/ethnic groups).

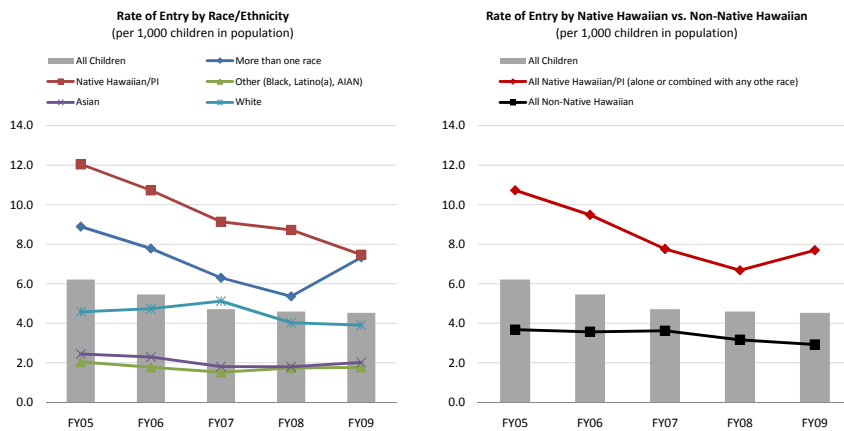
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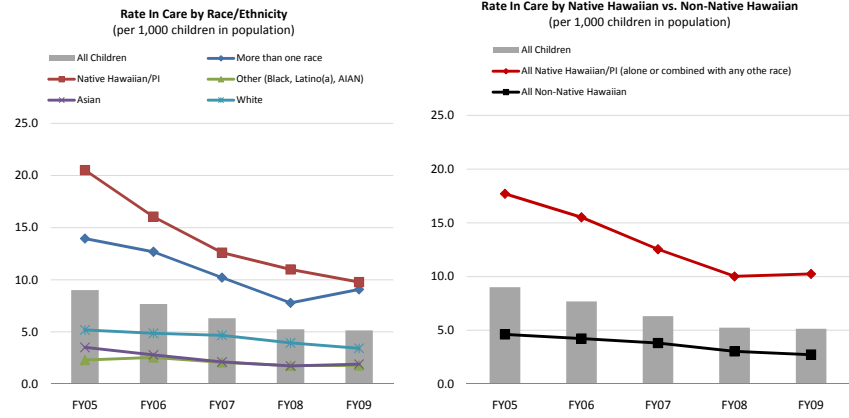
Trends in Out-of-Home Care



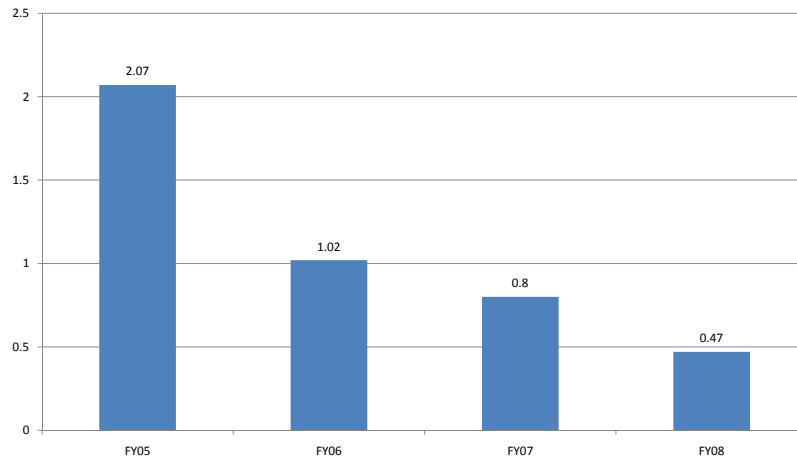
Overall Reduction in Rate of Entry



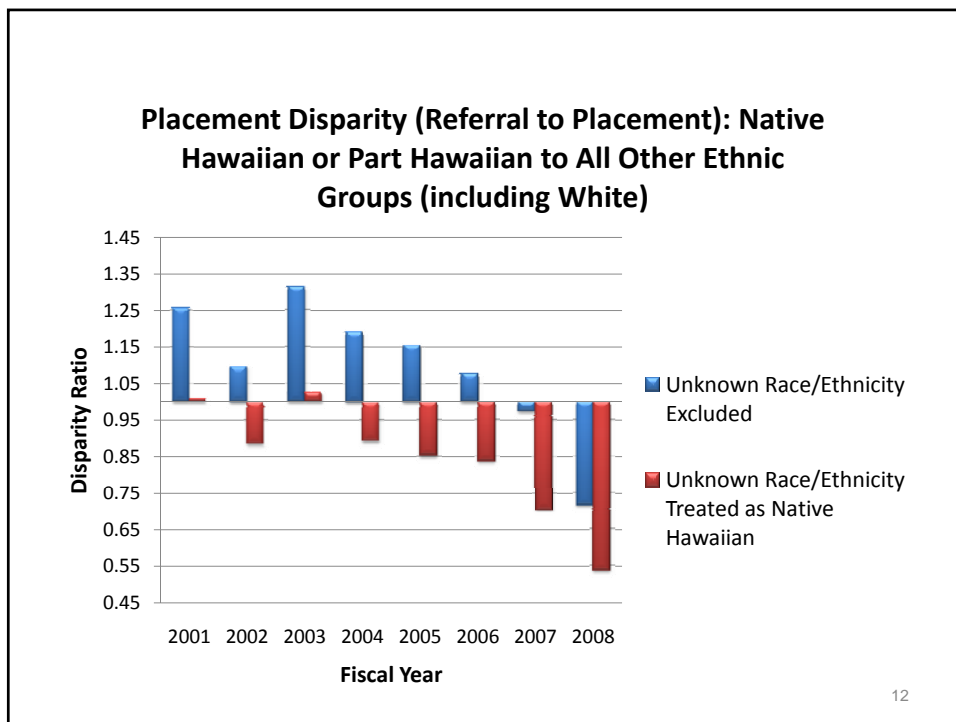
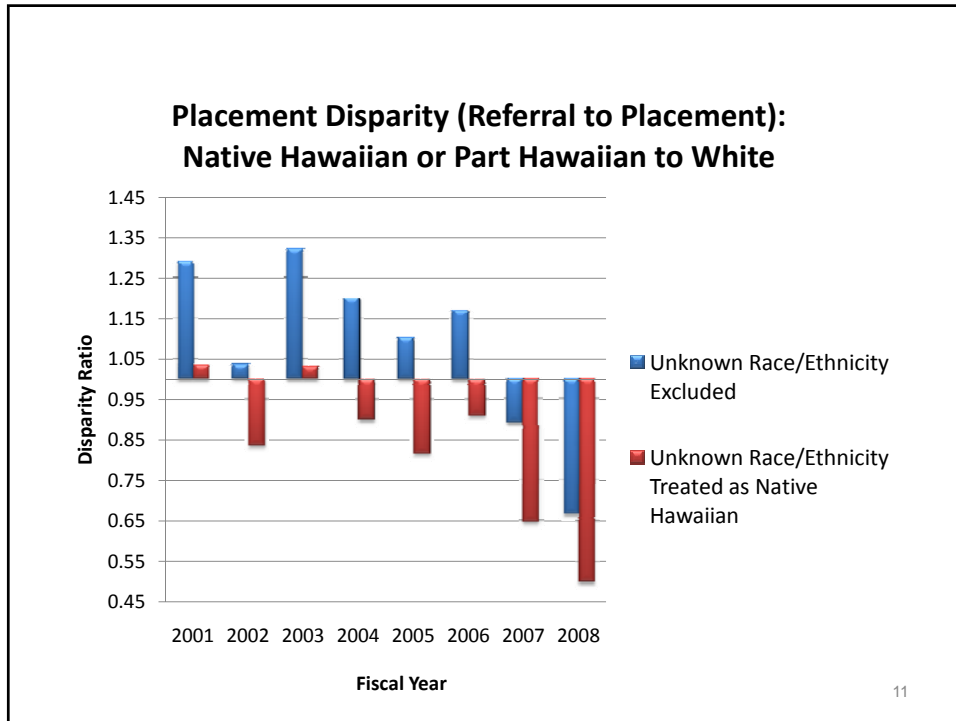
Overall Reduction in Rate of Children In Care

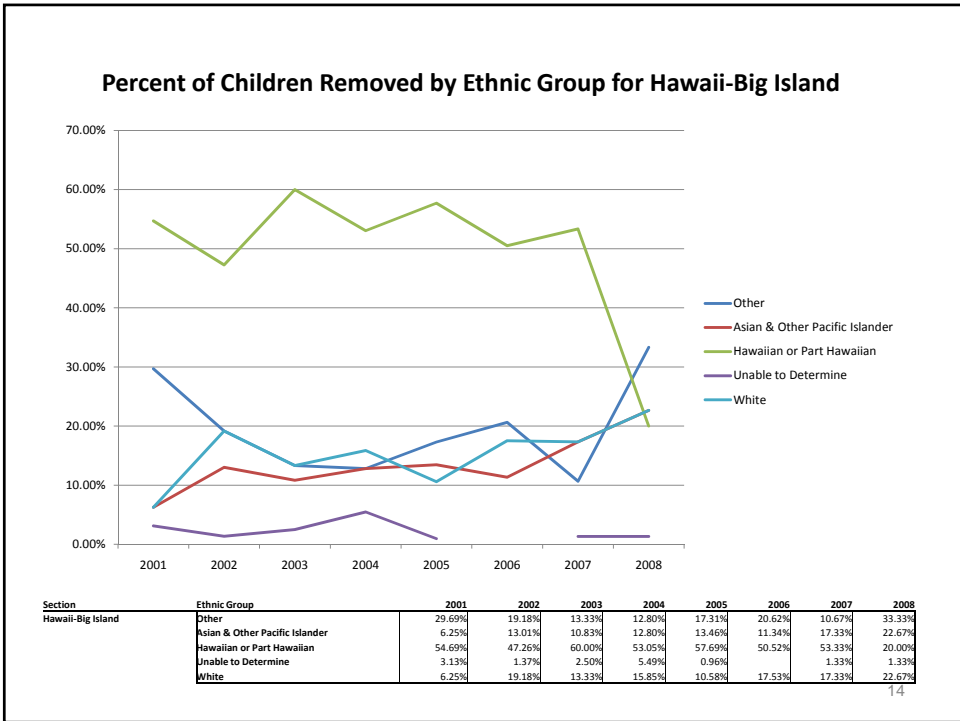
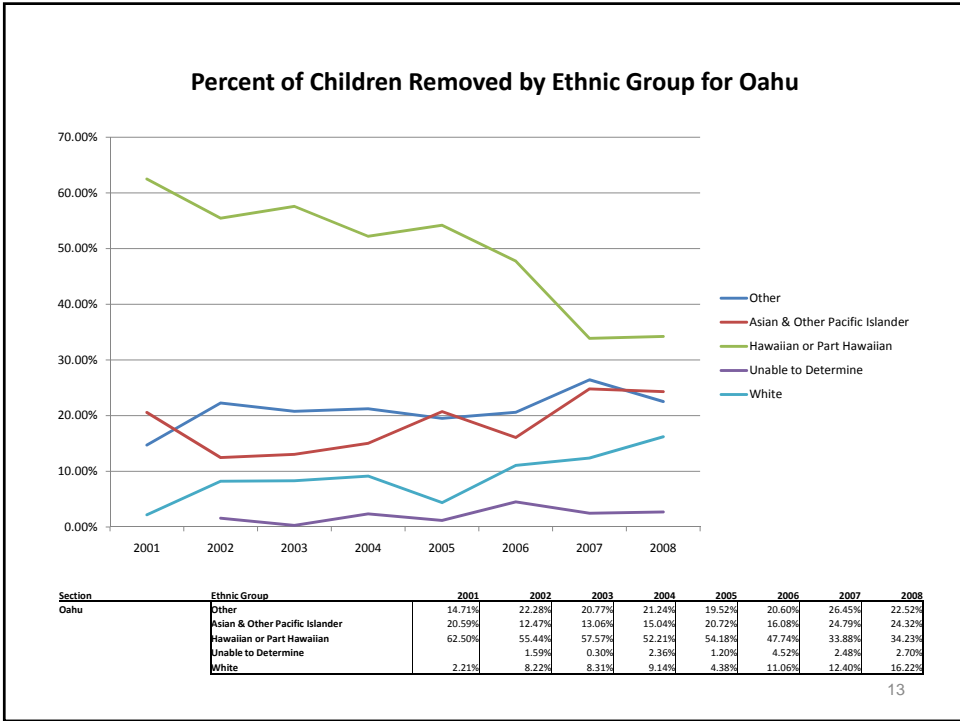


Disparity Index of Native Hawaiians to Whites Rate of placement compared to rate of referral



The disproportional placement of NH children compared to Caucasian/White children has been dramatically reduced since 2005 where NH children were twice as likely to be placed.





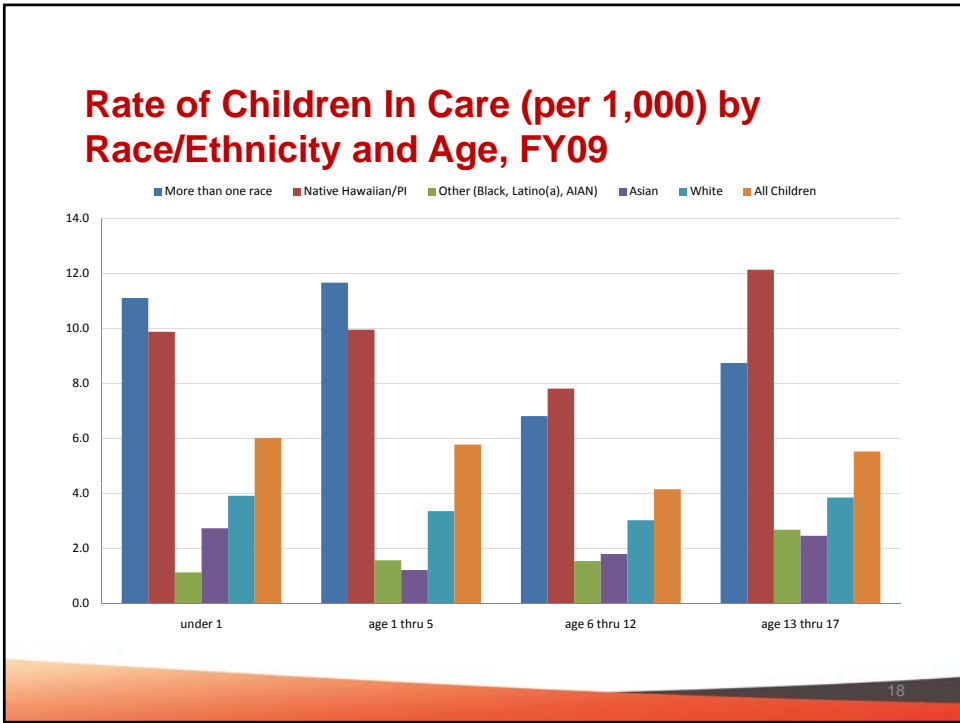
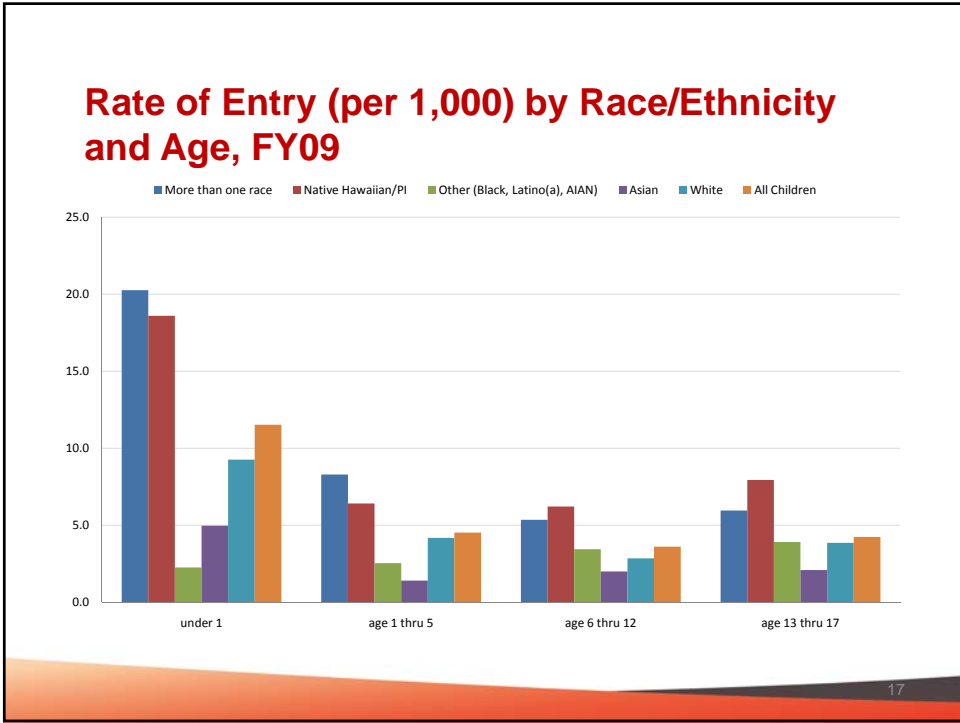
Decision Review Study

- However, if children remain in placement longer than 45 days, NH children have longer lengths of stay in placement compared to other race/ethnic groups except Samoan and Tongan.

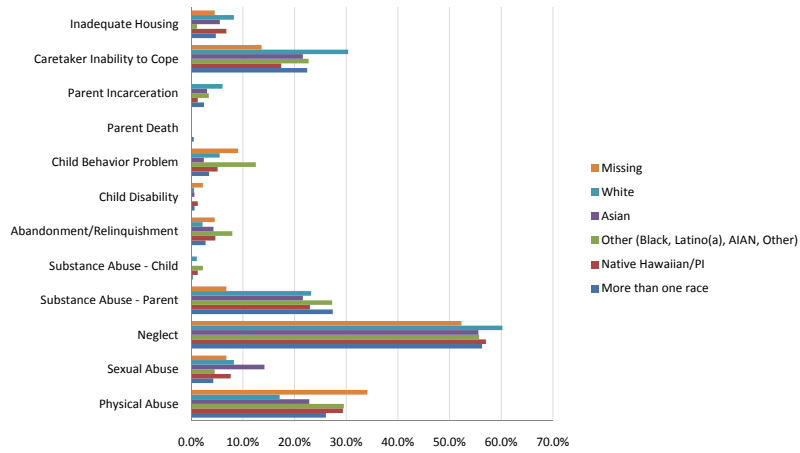
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Are There Differences by Age?

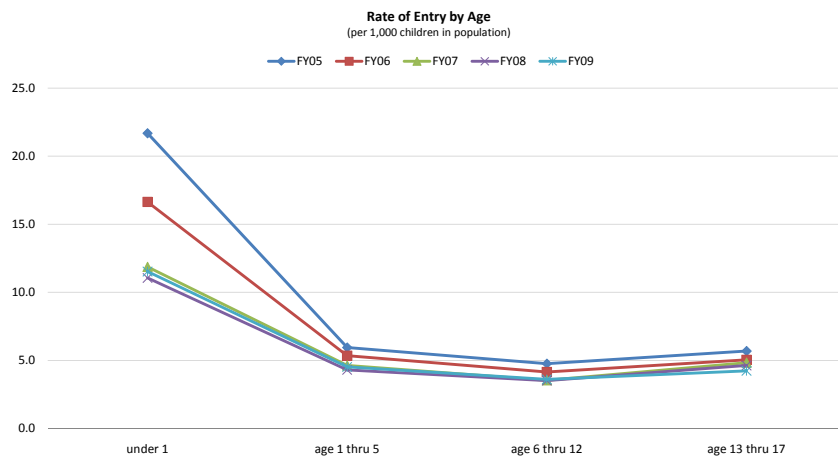
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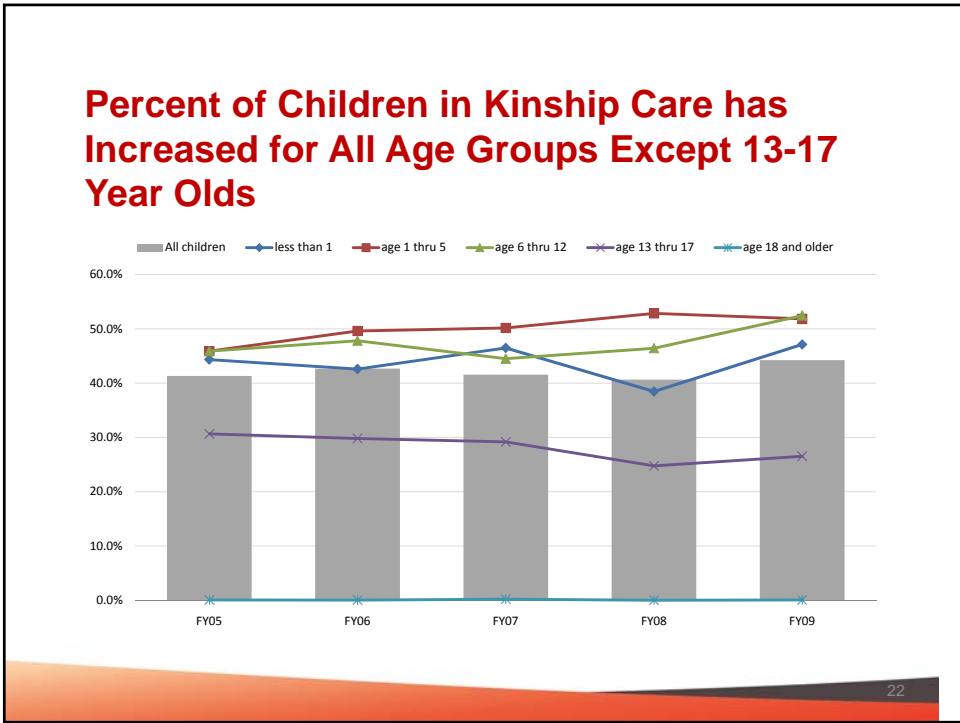
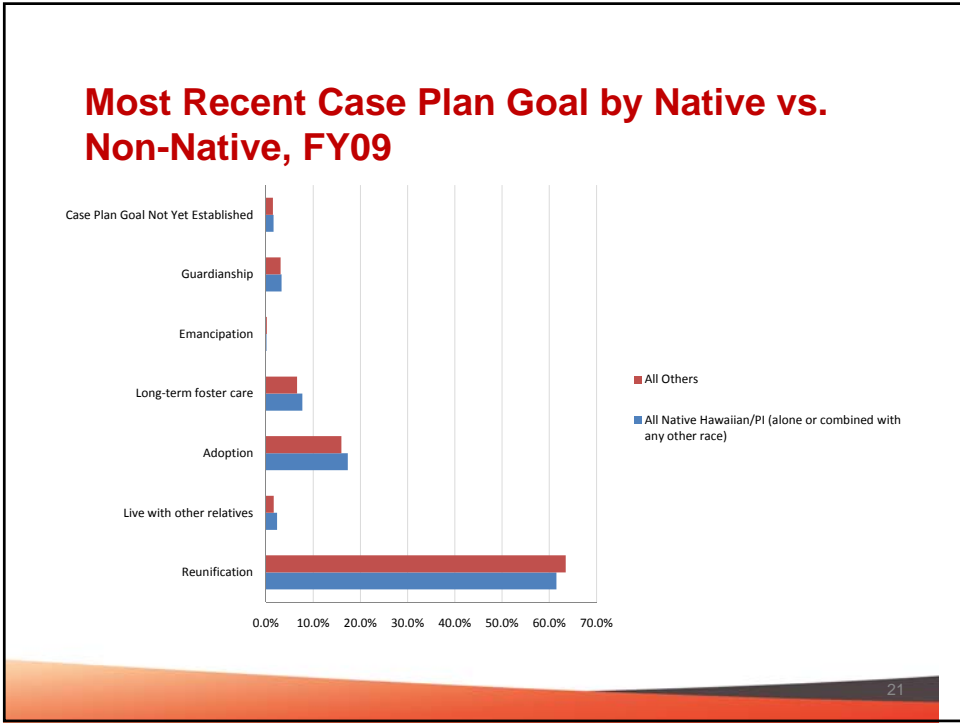


Removal Reason by Race/Ethnicity, FY09



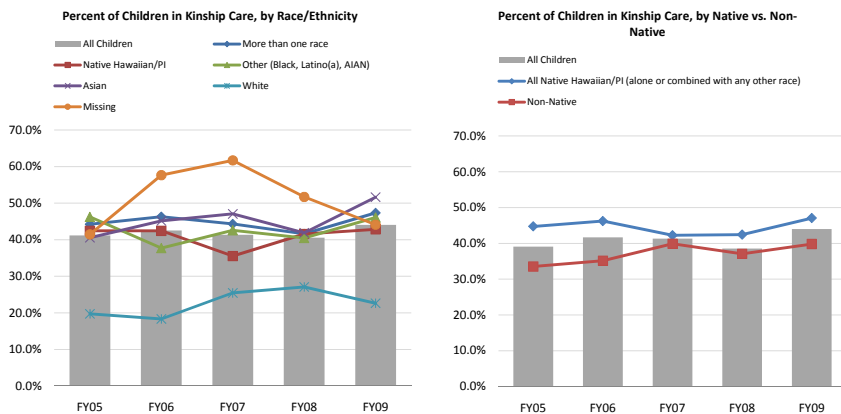
Entry Rate Declined for All Ages Groups by Remains High for Infants





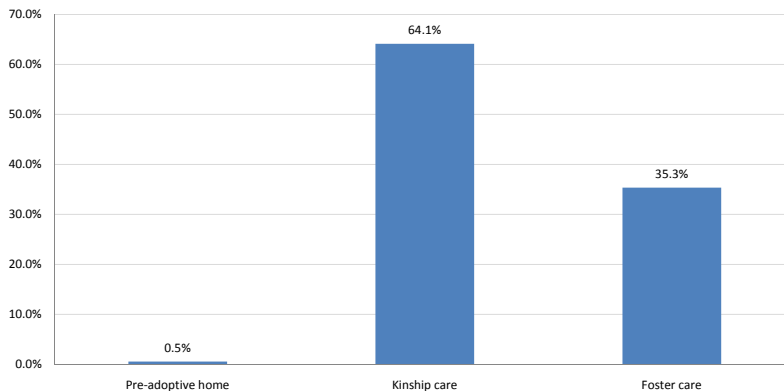
Overall Use of Kinship Care has Increased Across Racial Groups

(with the exception of Other, which as remained stable overall)

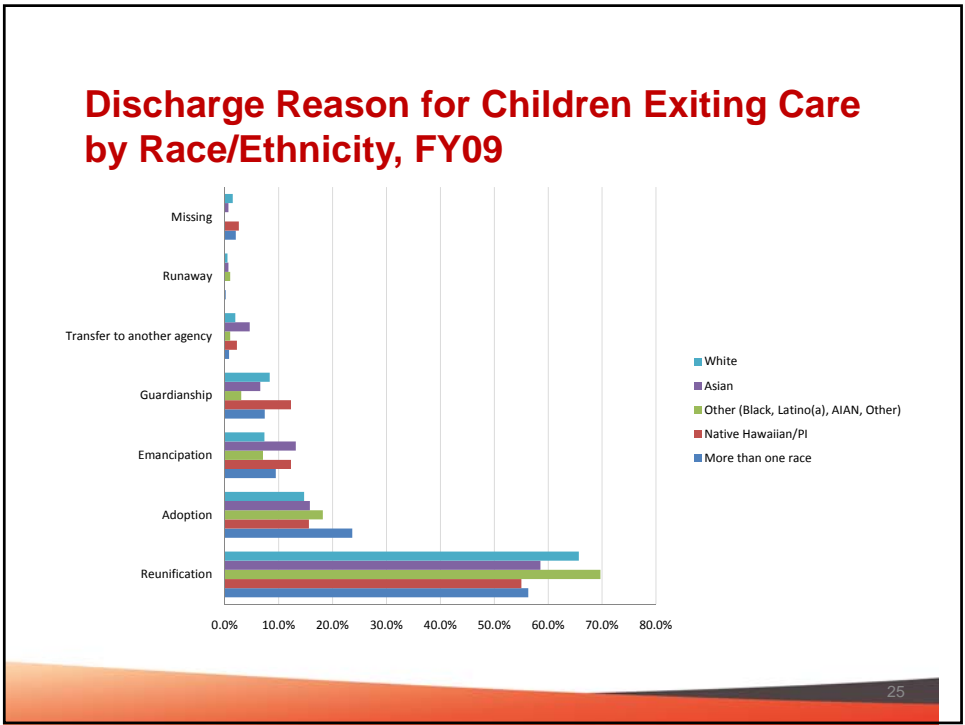


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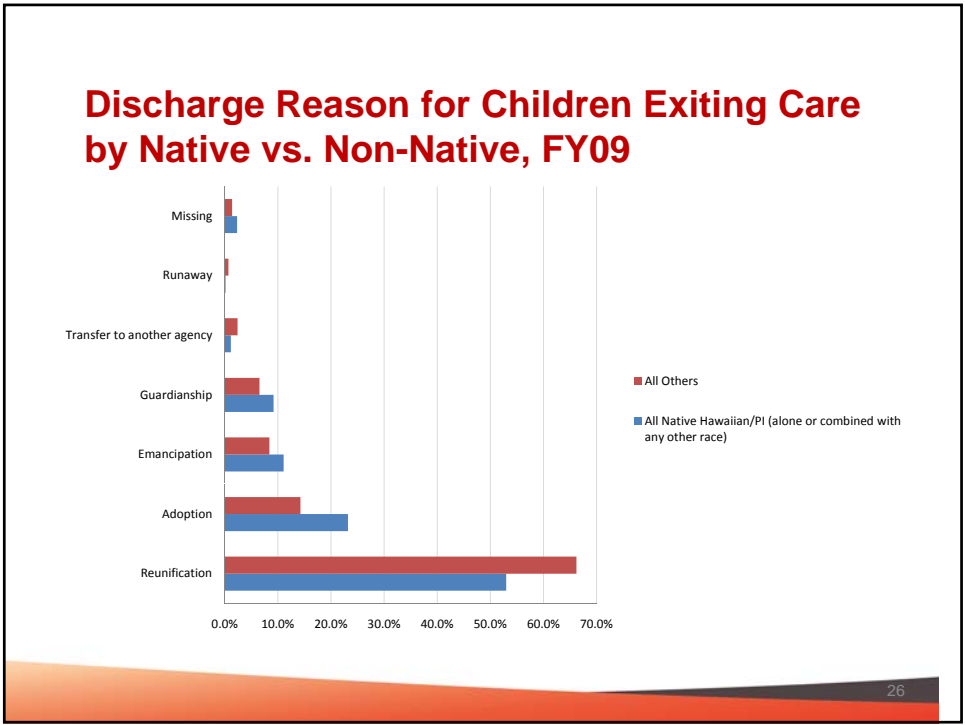
For any Native Hawaiian/PI child in care, what percent were placed with at least one Native Hawaiian/PI caregiver in FY09?



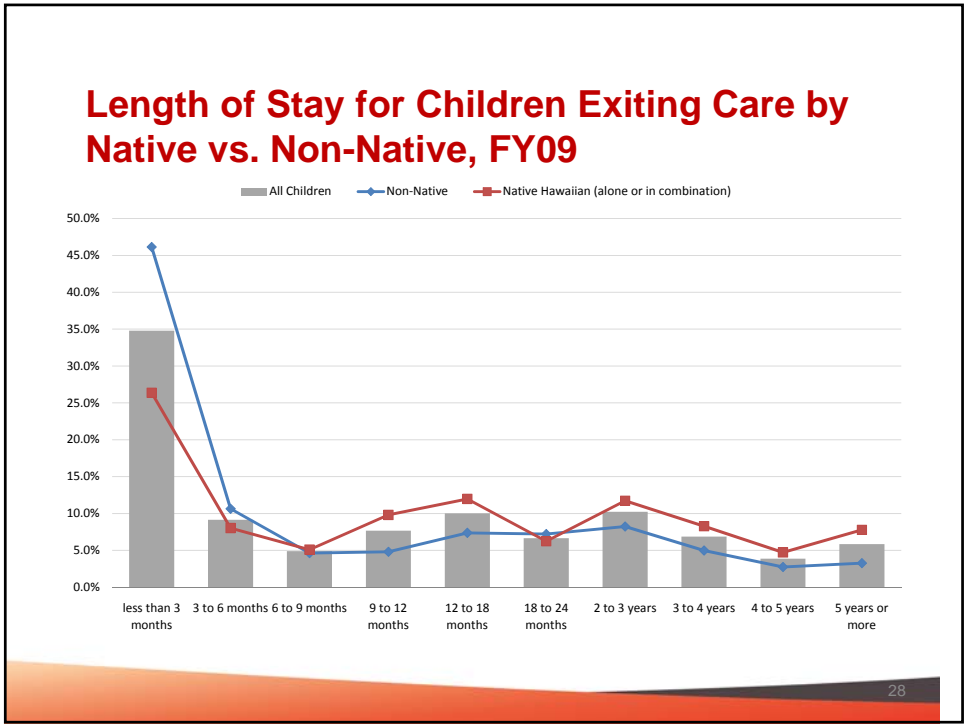
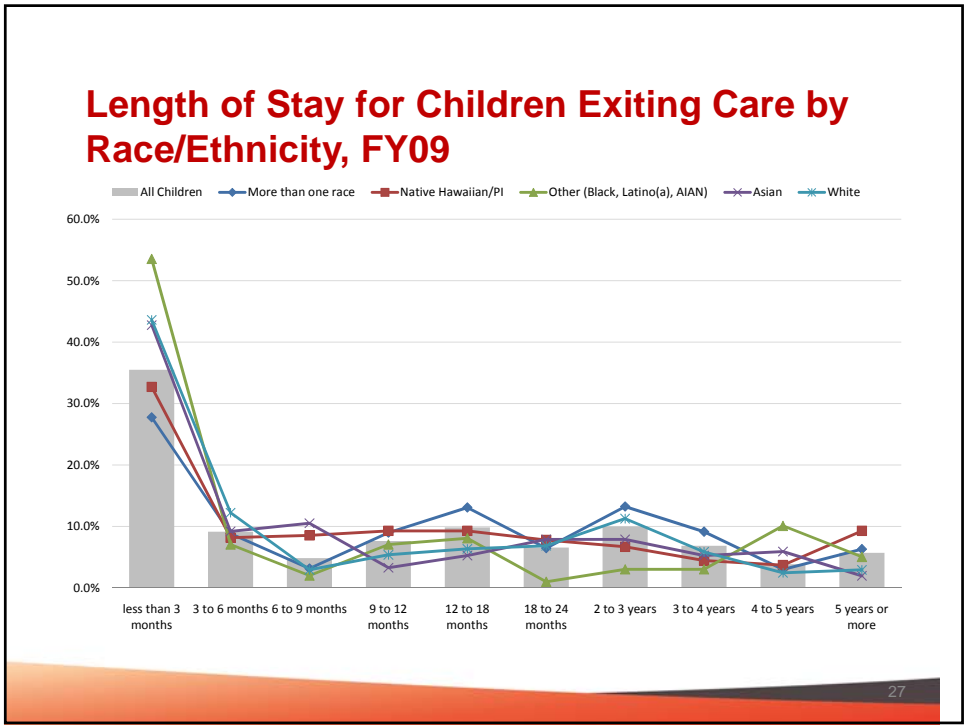
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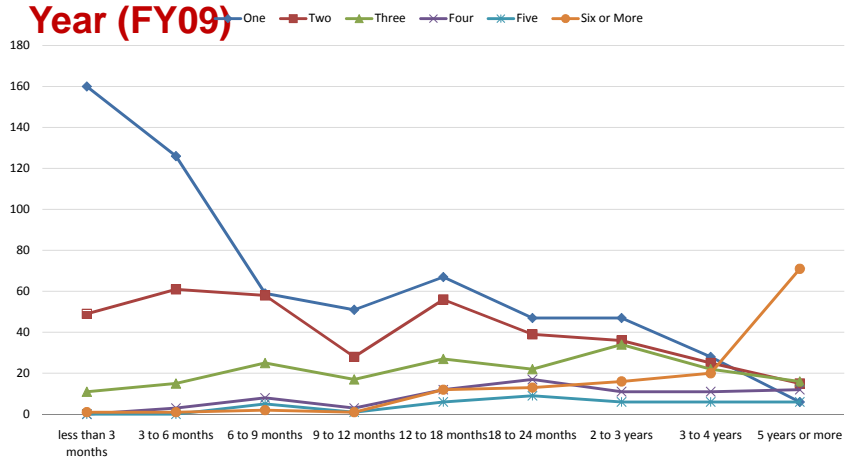
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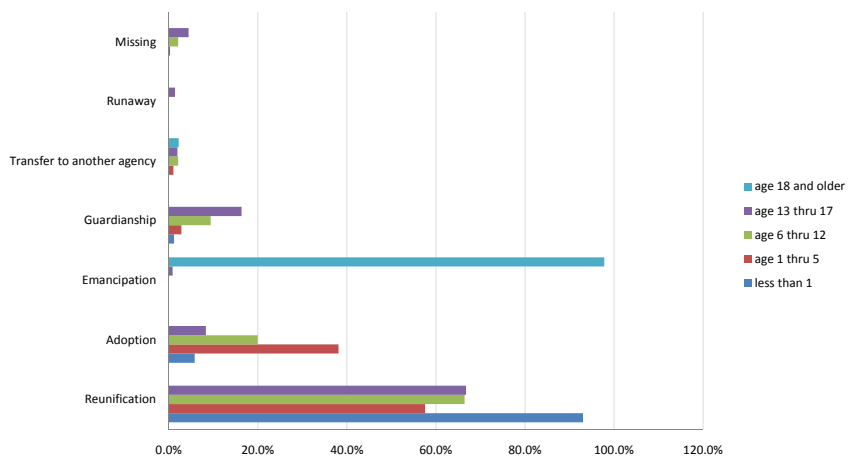
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Total Number of Placements by Length of Stay for Children In Care at the End of the Year (FY09)

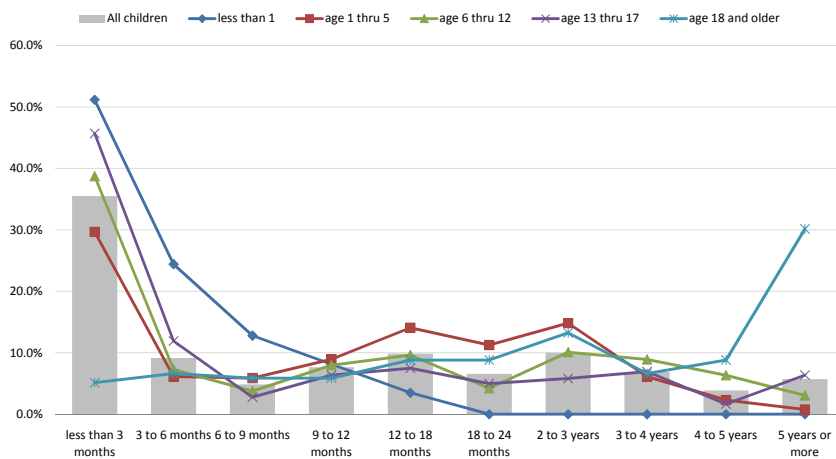


Discharge Reason for Children Exiting Care by Age, FY09

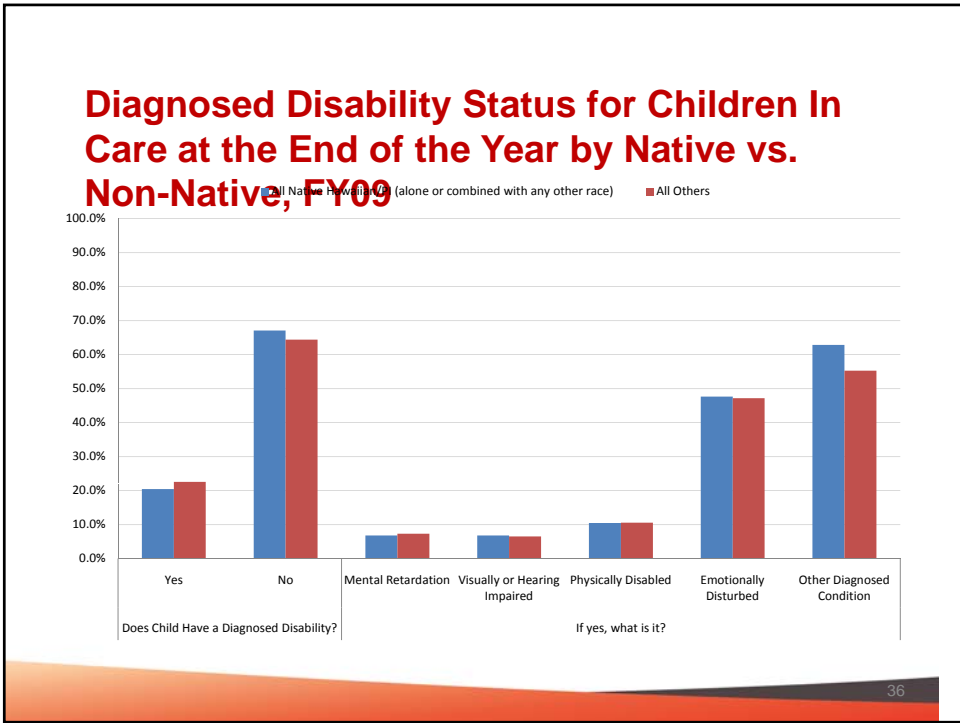
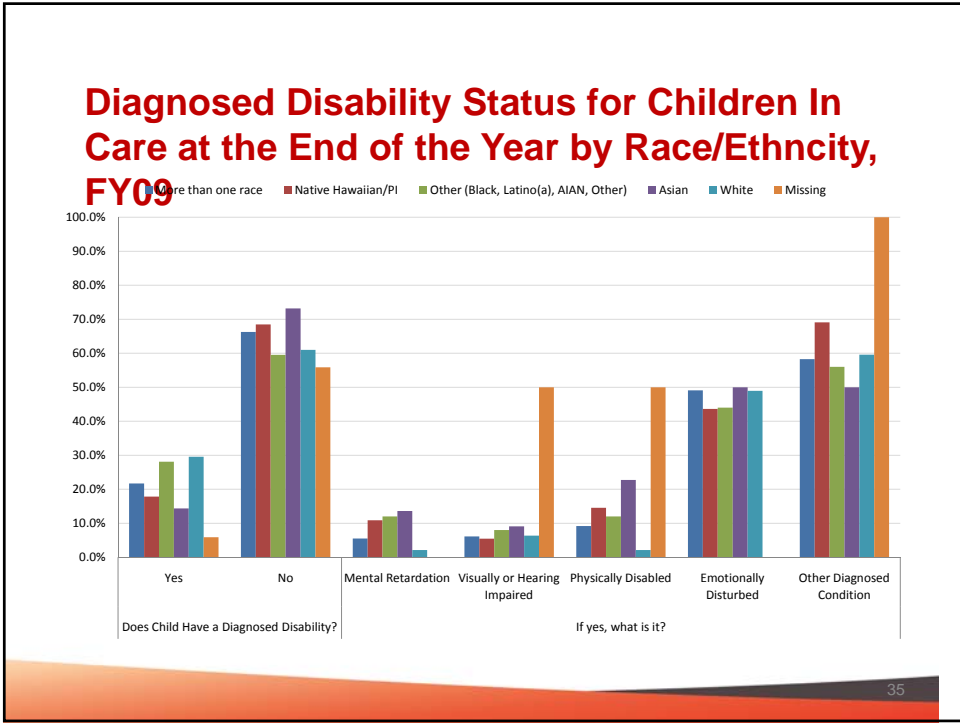


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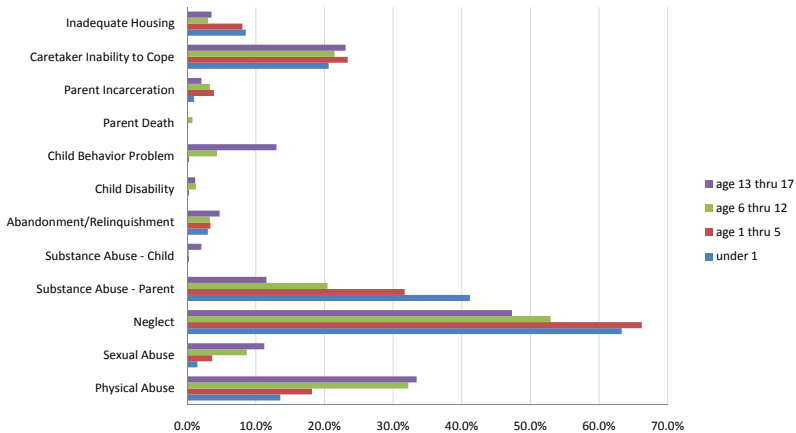
Length of Stay for Children Exiting Care by Age Group, FY09



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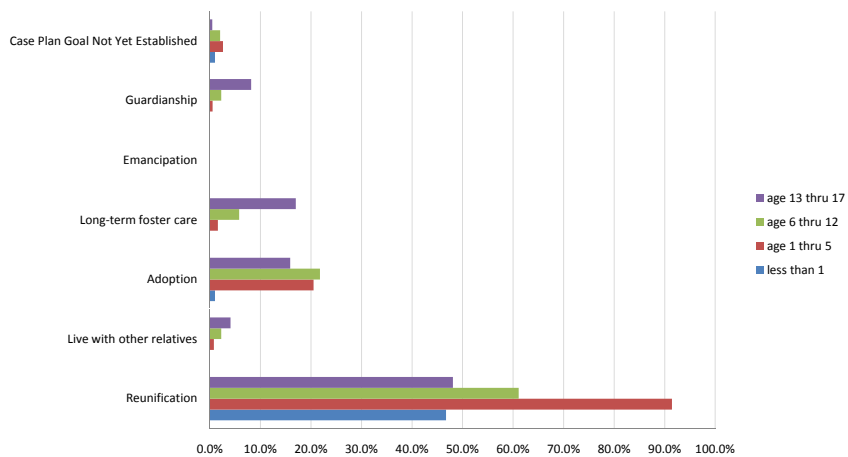


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Most Recent Case Plan Goal by Age, FY09



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