

**Percent of Children Removed with Parental Alcohol or Drug Abuse as an Identified Condition of Removal by Age, 2021**

State	Under Age 1 Percent	Age 1 and Older Percent	Under Age 1 (number)	Age 1 and Over (number)
AK	75.0%	65.4%	565	2,203
AL	60.8%	43.3%	1,108	3,142
AR	64.9%	47.1%	855	2,755
AZ	47.8%	30.9%	2,166	5,474
CA	16.7%	10.3%	2,612	5,767
CO	76.3%	43.2%	1,247	2,816
CT	54.0%	40.1%	655	1,534
DC	27.0%	13.3%	38	89
DE	37.2%	15.1%	55	87
FL	66.0%	47.9%	5,152	13,593
GA	61.1%	40.5%	1,969	5,192
HI	48.3%	32.2%	232	623
IA	70.8%	57.7%	908	3,540
ID	63.1%	37.0%	320	810
IL	14.0%	10.2%	907	2,126
IN	72.5%	59.0%	3,180	10,324
KS	48.6%	33.3%	731	2,923
KY	61.6%	37.6%	1,416	4,262
LA	2.0%	1.8%	28	81
MA	48.5%	31.2%	1,243	3,442
MD	51.9%	26.2%	558	1,157
ME	50.7%	51.7%	368	1,270
MI	53.1%	35.5%	1,657	4,036
MN	65.1%	48.3%	1,372	4,815
MO	70.5%	46.7%	2,654	7,270
MS	58.4%	45.2%	687	1,981
MT	48.6%	37.2%	476	1,508
NC	55.7%	41.3%	1,597	5,148
ND	67.1%	37.0%	312	741
NE	52.1%	33.5%	440	1,563
NH	26.9%	13.2%	72	188
NJ	56.1%	38.6%	840	1,463
NM	56.5%	40.6%	316	1,003
NV	20.1%	14.6%	332	801
NY	39.2%	28.3%	1,844	4,337
OH	47.2%	27.2%	2,256	5,718
OK	65.3%	48.4%	2,015	4,073
OR	67.7%	54.7%	1,118	3,629
PA	53.4%	32.7%	2,284	5,612
RI	51.6%	35.1%	320	793
SC	30.2%	15.1%	300	862
SD	71.8%	55.0%	328	1,194
TN	70.0%	34.9%	1,521	4,322
TX	76.7%	62.6%	7,564	21,959
UT	79.4%	57.5%	540	1,834
VA	55.3%	30.3%	591	1,971

State	Under Age 1 Percent	Age 1 and Older Percent	Under Age 1 (number)	Age 1 and Over (number)
VT	46.9%	28.6%	123	389
WA	66.2%	36.8%	2,324	3,620
WI	49.1%	35.4%	1,066	2,983
WV	75.9%	50.7%	1,611	4,963
WY	70.5%	47.8%	146	667
PR	31.1%	15.5%	111	360
<b>US</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	<b>36.0%</b>	65,536	196,275

### **Average**

When looking at information regarding children placed in out-of-home care who had parental alcohol or other drug (AOD) abuse as an identified condition for removal, there has been a particular interest in understanding how this is affecting families involved in child welfare with children under age 1. Slightly more than half of the children under age 1 (51.3%) removed from their homes and placed in out-of-home care had parental AOD abuse as an identified condition of removal. The percentage for children age 1 and older (36.0%) was closer to the overall national average (39.0%).

Source: Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System (AFCARS) Data, 2020 v1