










2020 Dependency Data Analysis

Indian Child Welfare Act Court Summit
10/2021

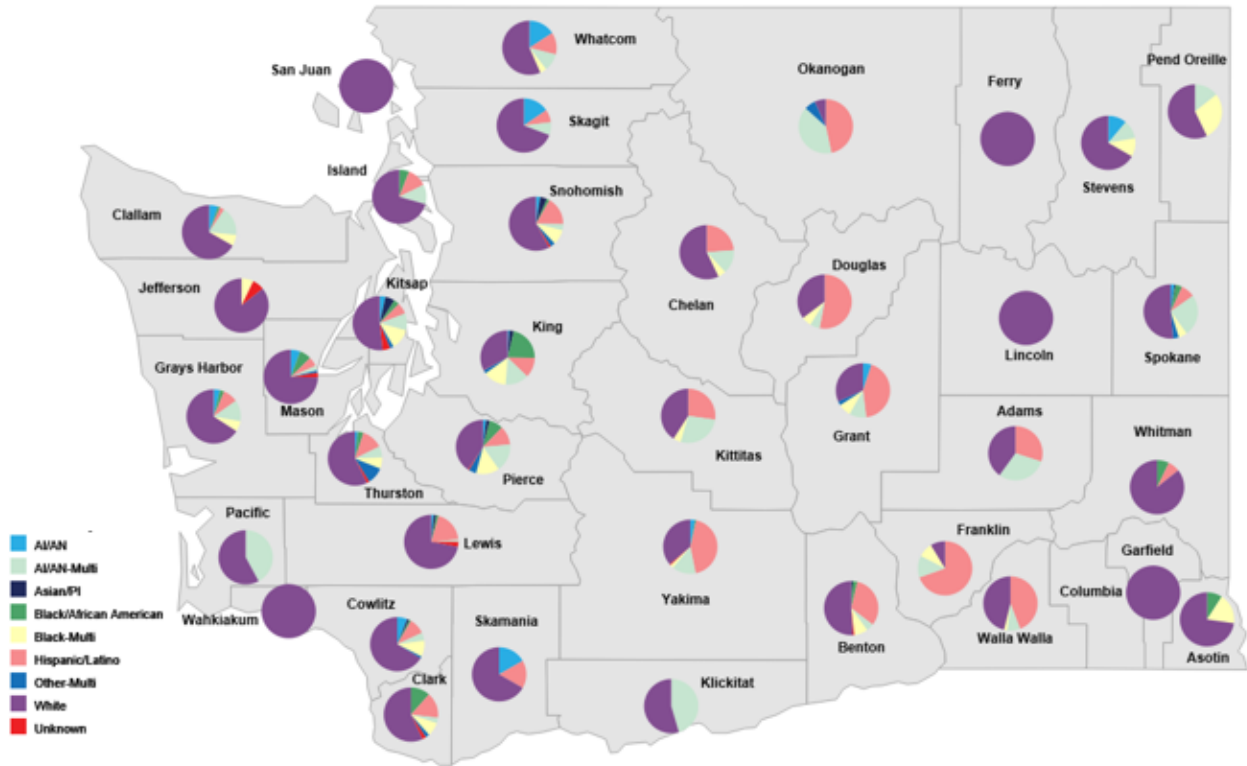
Race/Ethnicity Definitions Used in Dependency Reporting

The Washington State Racial Disproportionality Advisory Committee (WSRDAC) standard, has been changed to the WSRDAC/Modified (WSRDAC/M) standard, based on the WSRDAC recommended standard from 2011 and modified by DCYF in 2020 to slightly change the definition of Hispanic (and Multiracial, Other) to be more inclusive for the Hispanic race designation. The hierarchy that determines the race category for each person is as follows:

- American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN):** just one race/ethnicity indicated; Hispanic/Latino not indicated.
- American Indian/Alaska Native, Multiracial (AI/AN-Multi):** any American Indian/Alaska Native indicated along with another race/ethnicity.
- Asian/Pacific Islander (Asian/PI):** just one race/ethnicity indicated; Hispanic/Latino not indicated.
- Black/African American (Black):** just one race/ethnicity indicated; Hispanic/Latino not indicated.
- Black/African American, Multiracial (Black-Multi):** any Black/African American indicated along with another race/ethnicity except American Indian/Alaskan Native.
- Hispanic/Latino:** Hispanic/Latino indicated along with any racial categories except American Indian/Alaska Native and Black/African American. Race also may be unknown.
- Multiracial, Other (Other-Multi):** all other combinations, with no indication of American Indian/Alaska Native or Black.
- White:** just one race, Hispanic/Latino not indicated.
- Unknown:** no race indicated, Hispanic/Latino not indicated, including any residual “Missing” or “Other” category from source data collection.

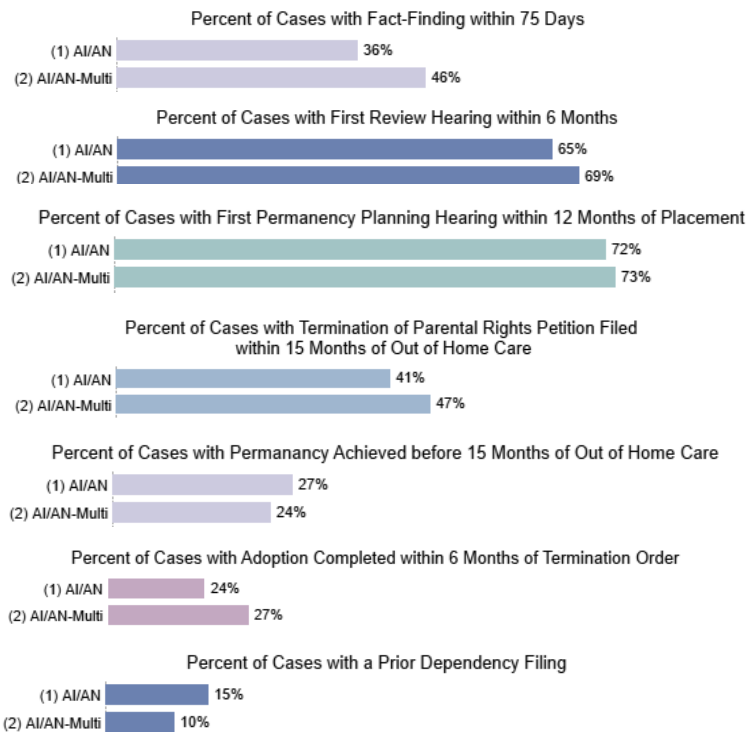
 AI/AN	 Black	 Other-Multi
 AI/AN-Multi	 Black-Multi	 White
 Asian/PI	 Hispanic/Latino	 Unknown

Dependency Cases by Race/Ethnicity in CY2020



To closely view the race/ethnicity information click here and hover over the pie chart in the county you would like to view:
<https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/wscrr/viz/DependencyDashboard/MonthlyUpdates-CurrentYear>

Washington State Dependency Case Measures by Race/Ethnicity in CY2020



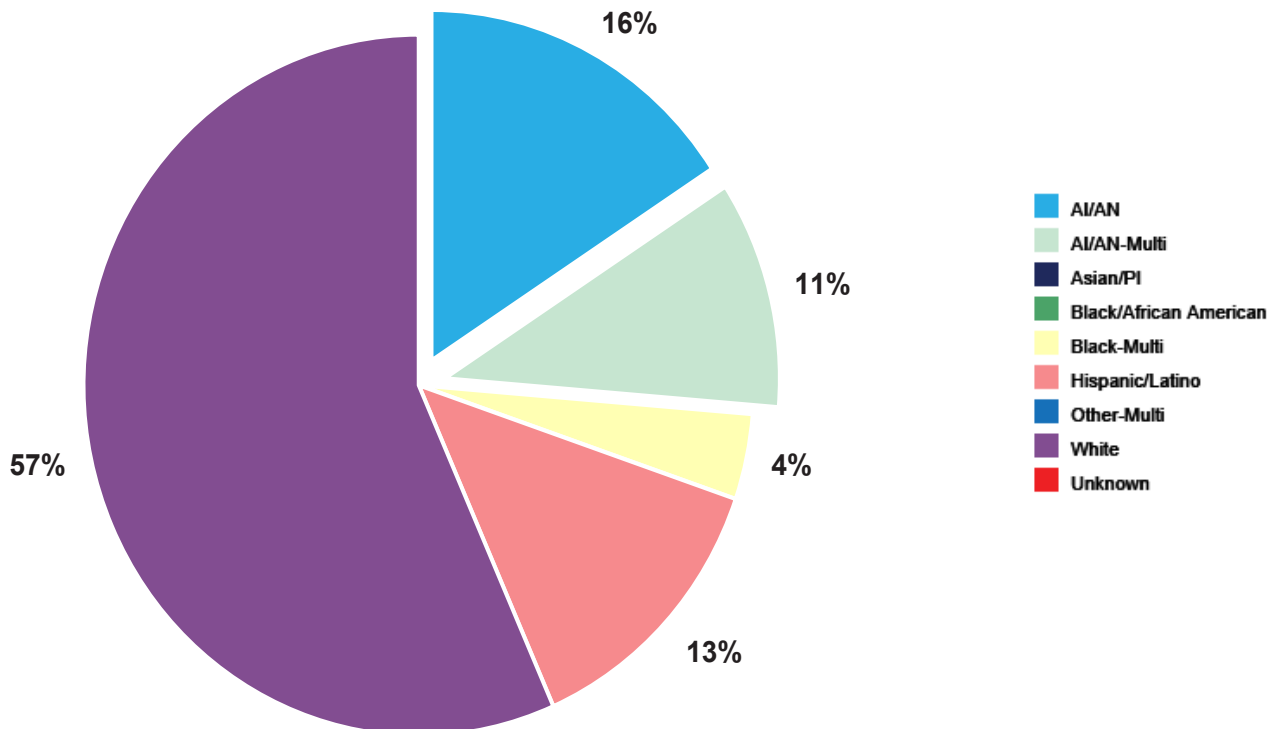
Click here to view all race/ethnicity information by dependency case measures:
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Whatcom County Dependency Cases by Demographics

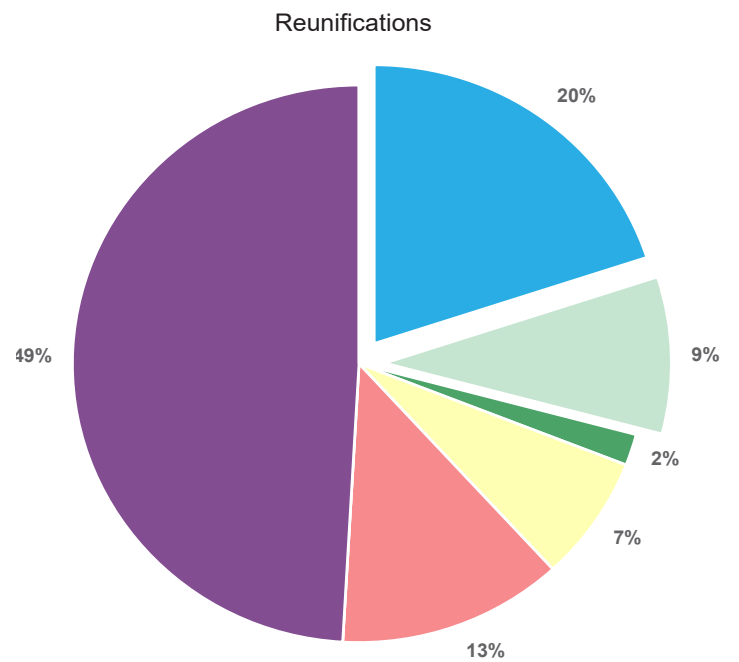
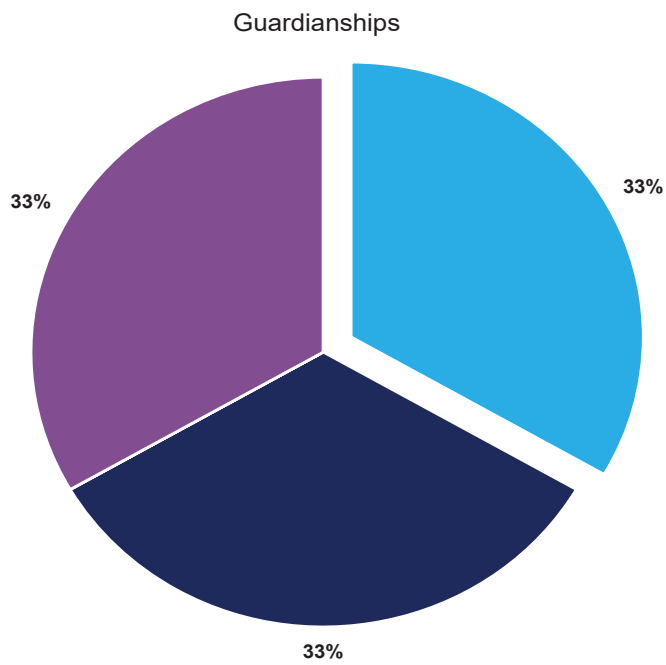
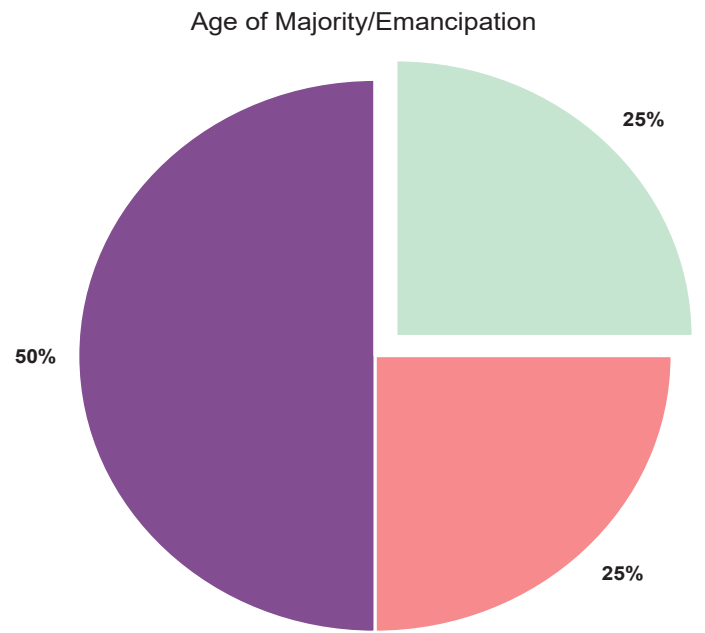
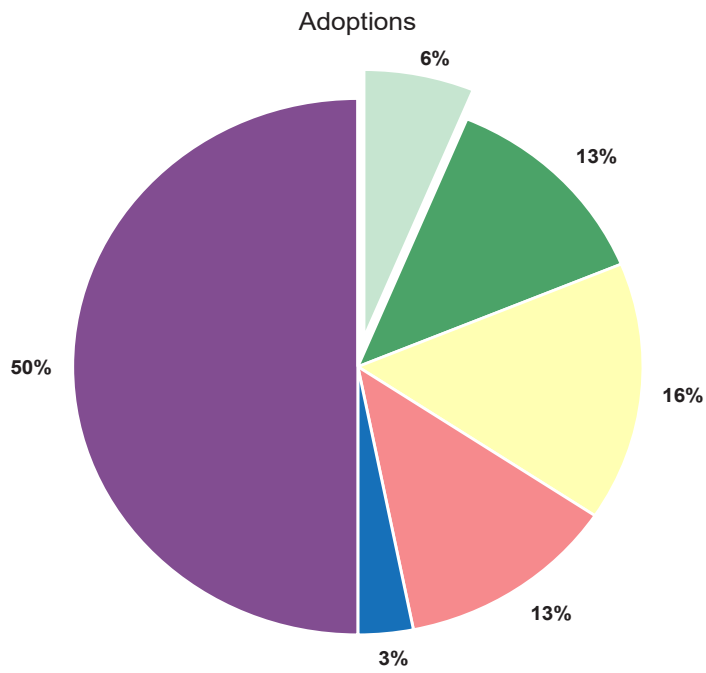
DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS OF CHILDREN IN DEPENDENCY CASES BY YEAR OF PETITION

		2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Age at Filing	(1) <1 yrs	25%	27%	40%	23%	33%
	(2) 1-2 yrs	19%	15%	11%	18%	7%
	(3) 3-5 yrs	22%	17%	20%	20%	24%
	(4) 6-11 yrs	23%	24%	21%	24%	28%
	(5) 12-17 yrs	11%	17%	7%	15%	9%
	(6) >17 yrs		1%			
Gender	(1) Female	47%	53%	49%	50%	49%
	(2) Male	53%	47%	51%	50%	51%
Race	(1) AI/AN	18%	15%	24%	16%	16%
	(2) AI/AN-Multi	8%	10%	13%	7%	11%
	(3) Asian/PI		1%	1%	5%	
	(4) Black	2%	1%	1%	2%	
	(5) Black-Multi	11%	6%	10%	8%	4%
	(6) Hispanic/Latino	13%	14%	13%	11%	13%
	(7) Multi-Other	1%	1%	2%	1%	
	(8) White	48%	51%	35%	50%	57%
	(9) Unknown		1%			

Children with Dependency Cases in Whatcom County by Race/Ethnicity for CY2020

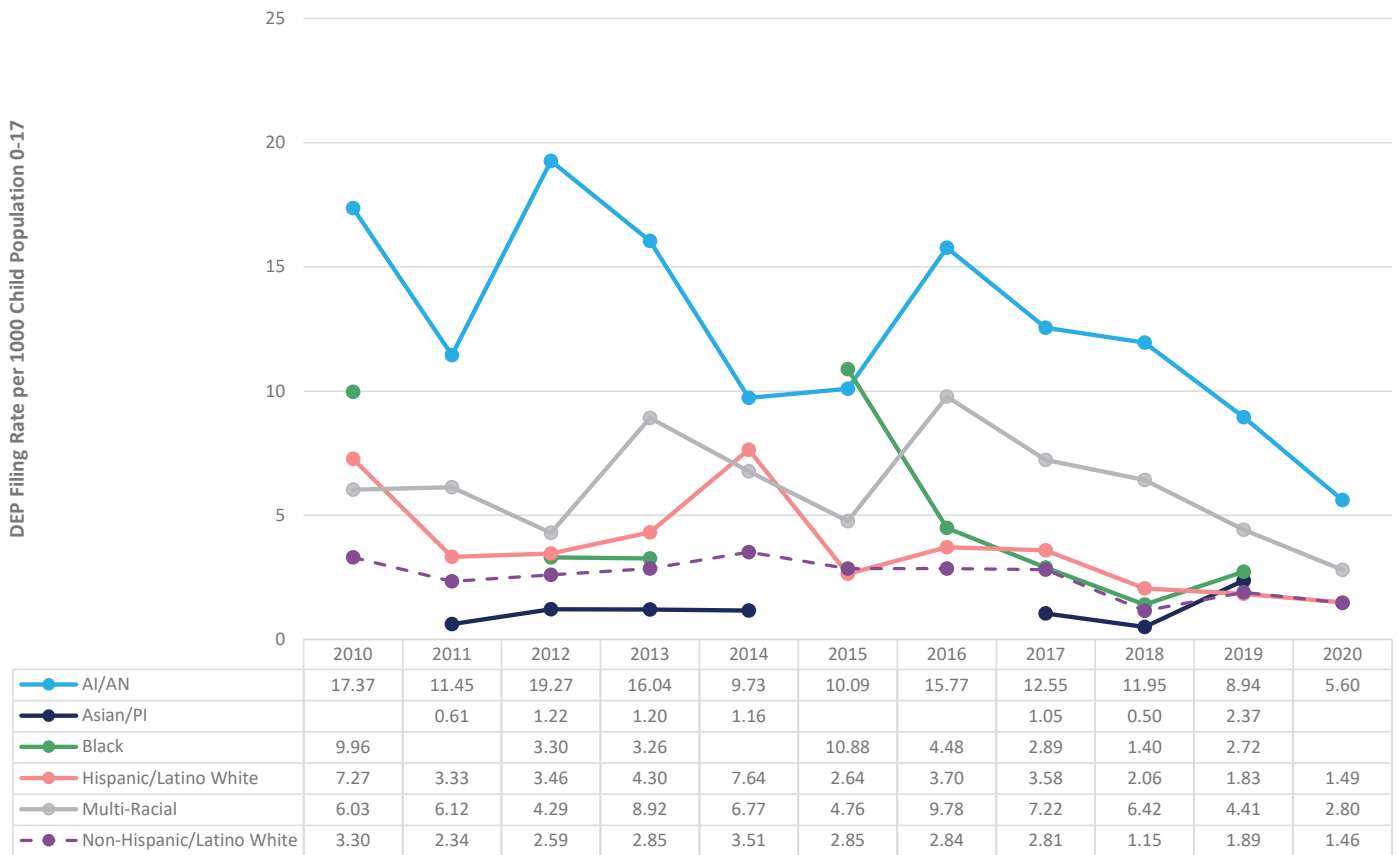


CY2020 FAMLINK Placement Exits from Dependency in Whatcom County by Race/Ethnicity



- AI/AN
- AI/AN-Multi
- Asian/PI
- Black/African American
- Black-Multi
- Hispanic/Latino
- Other-Multi
- White
- Unknown

Dependency Filing Rates per 1000 by Filing Year in Whatcom County



Race/Ethnicity categories are adjusted based on population data from the Office of Financial Management. Includes Multi-Racial category for 2 or more races documented. Unknown/Missing races are excluded.

AI/AN - American Indian/Alaska Native only

Asian/PI - Asian/Pacific Islander only

Black - Black only

Hispanic/Latino White - White only with documented 'Hispanic/Latino' marker

Non-Hispanic/Latino White - White only

Multi-Racial - 2 or more races documented

CY2020 County Population % vs. DEP Filing %

County	AI/AN		Asian/PI		Black		Hispanic		Multi-Race		White	
	% Pop	% DEP	% Pop	% DEP	% Pop	% DEP	% Pop	% DEP	% Pop	% DEP	% Pop	% DEP
Adams	6		1		3		71	30	2	30	17	40
Asotin	3		1		1	9	7		7	18	81	73
Benton	1	5	3	1	2	3	33	32	6	14	54	44
Chelan	3		2		1		49	23	4	18	42	59
Clallam	10	14	2		1	1	10	3	12	14	65	67
Clark	1		6	1	3	12	13	17	10	15	66	55
Columbia	3		2		0		12		7		76	
Cowlitz	3	7	2	1	1	1	16	9	8	14	70	67
Douglas	3		1		1		49	53	5	12	42	35
Ferry	23		2		1		5		11		57	100
Franklin	1	9	2		2		66	70	4	13	25	9
Garfield	1		2		0		7		6		85	100
Grant	2	6	1		2		56	43	4	20	34	31
Grays Harbor	8	3	2		1	3	17	8	9	19	62	66
Island	1		6		4	6	11	12	14	12	64	71
Jefferson	5		3		2		7		10	17	74	83
King	1	1	20	3	9	22	13	12	12	30	46	32
Kitsap	2	3	7	5	4	3	10	7	16	24	62	58
Kittitas	1		2		1		16	26	5	30	75	43
Klickitat	3		1		1		23		7	45	66	55
Lewis	2		2	1	1	1	19	21	8	1	68	75
Lincoln	2		0		1		4		5		88	100
Mason	7	5	2		1	7	16	7	10	4	64	77
Okanogan	17		2		1		33	47	7	47	40	7
Pacific	4		3		3		20		9	42	60	58
Pend Oreille	7		1		1		5		7	38	79	63
Pierce	2	2	8	3	9	10	13	11	17	34	51	41
San Juan	2		2		1		14		7		74	100
Skagit	4	15	3		2		32	8	7	3	52	75
Skamania	2	17	1		1		11	17	7		77	67
Snohomish	2	2	12	6	4	2	15	18	12	15	56	56
Spokane	2	5	4	0	2	4	7	8	10	32	75	52
Stevens	8	11	1		1		5		8	22	78	67
Thurston	2	1	8	1	4	3	11	12	14	26	61	56
Wahkiakum	3		1		2		7		9		77	100
Walla Walla	2		2		1		39	44	5	10	51	46
Whatcom	5	16	5		2		15	13	9	14	65	57
Whitman	1		8		2	7	7	7	7		74	86
Yakima	7	6	2		2	1	62	41	5	13	22	38
Statewide	2	4	10	2	5	7	19	16	11	22	53	50

CY2020 County Single Race AI/AN Population % vs. Single Race AI/AN DEP Filing %

