

### Children in Foster Care by their County of Origin/Licensed Foster Homes by Location - As of May 1, 2019

Source: CAPSS / SCDSS Division of Accountability, Data and Research

County of Origin	Total Children in Foster Care by County of Origin	# Children in Regular Foster Care by County of Origin	# Regular Foster Homes by County of Location	# Children in Specialized Placements by County of Origin	# Therapeutic Foster Homes by County of Location
ABBEVILLE	28	19	10	9	2
AIKEN	151	106	48	45	35
ALLENDALE	10	7	1	3	0
ANDERSON	235	164	93	71	42
BAMBERG	15	10	4	5	1
BARNWELL	17	10	5	7	3
BEAUFORT	58	41	33	17	20
BERKELEY	156	120	58	36	70
CALHOUN	13	10	4	3	4
CHARLESTON	377	232	73	145	66
CHEROKEE	106	80	13	26	7
CHESTER	17	11	6	6	5
CHESTERFIELD	80	65	10	15	8
CLARENDON	47	34	5	13	11
COLLETON	39	30	8	9	7
DARLINGTON	134	107	11	27	15
DILLON	26	20	9	6	5
DORCHESTER	71	49	37	22	36
EDGEFIELD	16	12	6	4	1
FAIRFIELD	32	24	5	8	7
FLORENCE	94	62	47	32	77
GEORGETOWN	27	16	19	11	37
GREENVILLE	491	357	299	134	67
GREENWOOD	31	25	23	6	0
HAMPTON	6	4	3	2	0
HORRY	259	192	97	67	70
JASPER	27	18	8	9	1
KERSHAW	65	56	32	9	16
LANCASTER	108	81	22	27	15
LAURENS	148	125	35	23	2
LEE	10	6	7	4	4
LEXINGTON	226	170	101	56	36
MCCORMICK	1	1	1	0	2
MARION	22	13	19	9	8
MARLBORO	4	2	7	2	4
NEWBERRY	31	26	15	5	5
OCONEE	149	115	42	34	11
ORANGEBURG	55	36	21	19	49
PICKENS	150	101	70	49	7
RICHLAND	454	365	122	89	168
SALUDA	13	11	3	2	2
SPARTANBURG	398	315	152	83	49
SUMTER	101	67	45	34	29
UNION	12	8	3	4	2
WILLIAMSBURG	16	11	20	5	52
YORK	187	145	66	42	20
<b>State Totals</b>	<b>4713</b>	<b>3479</b>	<b>1718</b>	<b>1234</b>	<b>1078</b>

**Data Notes:**

- This report shows children in foster care based on the county where they entered foster care (the county of legal jurisdiction).
- “# Children in Specialized Placements by County of Origin” category reflects children in foster care who are medically fragile, require therapeutic and/or other higher levels of care.
- Numbers of licensed regular and therapeutic foster homes by location does not include licensed group homes.
- Numbers of licensed regular and therapeutic foster homes may include homes not currently accepting placements.
- The SCDSS Statewide Foster Home Recruitment Campaign maintains a goal of recruiting one home for every child in foster care.