Estimated Need for Family-Like Settings for Children and Youth under 18 years of age by county of origin

As of July 1, 2025

							Characteristics by Race					Characteristics by Age Groups						Characteristics by type of foster home			Characteristics by sibling group sizes						
Region	County of Origin	All Children in Foster Care	Estimated Need in County for Family-Like Placements	Less Children or youth in a current Kinship Placement	Less Children or youth in a current Pre adoptive Adoptive Home*	Less Children or Youth currently in Family-Like settings in County of Origin**	Estimated Need in County for Family-Like Placements	White	African American or Black	All Other races	Of Hispanic Origin (Jullyhe of any race)	Estimated Need in County for Family-Like Placements 2	0-2	3-6	7-12	13-17	Estimated Need in County for Family-Like Placements 3	Placements needed in regular FC homes	Placements needed in therapeutic FC homes	Estimated Need in County for Family-like Placements	Total Need in county for homes for sibling groups (include single homes and homes for 2 or more siblings)	Total Need in county for homes for sibling groups (2 or more)	Total Need in county for homes for children with no siblings	in sibling group of 2	in sibling group of 3	in sibling group of 4+	Total of children from sibling groups of 2 or more
Upstate Total		**903**	**547**	**200**	**28**	**128**	**547**	**322**	**131**	**91**	**57**	**547**	**75**	**86**	**166**	**220**	**547**	**299**	**127**	**547**	**130**	**120**	**254**	**84**	**32**	**14**	**132**
	Abbeville	11	6	2	2	1	6	5	1	.	.	6	1	1	4	.	6	4	2	6	2	2	1	1	1	0	5
	Anderson	112	73	20	4	15	73	45	20	8	7	73	11	15	18	29	73	41	15	73	18	16	20	11	3	4	52
	Cherokee	37	30	2	2	2	30	17	8	5	.	30	6	3	7	12	30	19	6	30	7	7	12	5	1	1	18
	Greenville	298	173	76	3	46	173	77	50	44	20	173	26	27	50	70	173	96	42	173	45	45	60	28	14	3	113
	Greenwood	25	21	1	3	.	21	9	11	1	.	21	4	3	8	6	21	10	5	21	4	4	11	3	0	1	10
	Laurens	102	74	21	5	2	74	52	8	13	3	74	7	10	30	27	74	45	17	74	18	18	36	11	4	3	48
	Newberry	10	7	3	.	.	7	6	1	.	.	7	1	.	2	4	7	3	2	7	1	1	5	1	0	0	2
	Oconee	78	37	30	4	7	37	31	1	5	7	37	6	8	9	14	37	23	4	37	7	7	18	5	0	2	19
	Pickens	49	37	4	2	6	37	33	2	2	5	37	5	11	11	10	37	22	8	37	12	12	10	9	3	0	27
	Spartanburg	169	83	34	3	49	83	47	23	13	15	83	2	8	26	47	83	32	24	83	14	14	50	9	5	0	33
	Union	12	6	6	.	.	6	.	6	.	.	6	4	.	1	1	6	4	2	6	2	2	1	1	1	0	5
Midlands Total		**1092**	**543**	**260**	**34**	**155**	**543**	**238**	**220**	**72**	**34**	**543**	**79**	**111**	**142**	**211**	**543**	**319**	**103**	**543**	**123**	**123**	**231**	**82**	**26**	**15**	**312**
	Aiken	65	41	34	2	8	41	24	12	5	5	41	5	2	9	25	41	20	3	41	6	6	25	3	2	1	16
	Bamberg	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	0	0	.	.	.	.	.
	Barnwell	7	3	4	.	.	3	1	2	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	3	3	.	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	.
	Chester	43	26	15	1	1	26	16	7	3	1	26	4	4	4	14	26	10	9	26	5	5	15	4	1	0	11
	Edgefield	16	15	1	.	.	15	1	12	2	.	15	.	4	6	5	15	9	3	15	3	3	3	0	1	2	12
	Fairfield	15	7	8	.	.	7	4	3	.	.	7	1	4	1	1	7	7	.	7	2	2	3	2	0	0	4
	Kershaw	88	36	36	7	9	36	25	6	5	1	36	6	6	9	15	36	17	14	36	9	9	15	7	1	1	21
	Lancaster	82	35	32	5	10	35	19	9	6	.	35	6	8	11	10	35	21	12	35	11	11	10	8	3	0	25
	Lexington	138	76	32	5	25	76	49	16	9	3	76	15	16	17	28	76	43	15	76	19	19	29	12	5	2	47
	McCormick	6	4	2	2	.	4	2	2	.	.	4	.	1	1	2	4	2	1	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	.
	Richland	436	205	157	10	64	205	45	130	25	10	205	31	47	53	74	205	129	24	205	44	44	92	29	9	6	113
	Saluda	18	9	6	4	.	9	4	2	2	.	9	1	1	3	3	9	4	2	9	3	3	2	3	0	0	6
	York	157	87	32	.	38	87	68	10	15	4	87	9	18	27	33	87	54	20	87	21	21	30	14	4	3	57
Low Country Total		**692**	**371**	**209**	**13**	**89**	**371**	**149**	**187**	**62**	**39**	**371**	**56**	**69**	**97**	**149**	**371**	**202**	**96**	**371**	**73**	**73**	**176**	**39**	**23**	**11**	**196**
	Allendale	7	6	1	.	.	6	3	3	.	.	6	.	2	1	3	6	2	3	6	.	.	1	1	1	0	3
	Beaufort	56	27	20	2	7	27	7	11	9	10	27	3	2	10	12	27	18	4	27	7	7	10	4	3	0	17
	Berkeley	159	82	56	2	19	82	44	17	19	8	82	10	13	21	38	82	45	14	82	15	15	42	8	4	3	40
	Calhoun	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	.
	Charleston	201	119	50	5	29	119	43	66	10	14	119	21	20	35	43	119	58	41	119	23	23	59	14	6	3	60
	Colleton	66	31	26	1	8	31	18	11	2	1	31	8	7	6	10	31	18	7	31	7	7	13	3	4	0	18
	Dorchester	53	40	2	1	10	40	19	9	11	4	40	4	4	7	25	40	17	11	40	6	6	23	2	3	1	17
	Hampton	15	6	9	.	.	6	.	6	.	.	6	.	1	2	3	6	2	3	6	2	2	1	1	1	0	5
	Jasper	28	22	4	1	1	22	9	8	5	2	22	4	10	5	3	22	20	1	22	5	5	10	4	0	1	12
	Orangeburg	94	37	41	1	15	37	6	25	6	.	37	6	10	10	11	37	24	10	37	6	6	16	2	1	3	21
Pee Dee Total		**615**	**296**	**257**	**14**	**88**	**296**	**132**	**93**	**28**	**10**	**296**	**29**	**31**	**68**	**128**	**296**	**137**	**89**	**296**	**49**	**49**	**132**	**30**	**13**	**6**	**126**
	Chesterfield	29	6	12	2	.	6	5	.	1	.	6	1	1	1	3	6	5	.	6	2	2	2	2	0	0	4
	Clarendon	27	19	8	.	.	19	13	3	3	6	19	2	4	5	8	19	13	4	19	4	4	9	2	2	0	10
	Darlington	90	46	36	7	7	46	16	25	3	.	46	7	5	16	18	46	19	15	46	10	10	18	4	4	2	28
	Dillon	23	8	15	.	.	8	3	2	2	.	8	2	1	3	2	8	5	2	8	1	1	5	0	1	0	3
	Florence	65	21	33	.	11	21	12	8	1	.	21	3	3	3	12	21	10	3	21	4	4	13	4	0	0	8
	Georgetown	15	6	9	2	.	6	4	1	1	.	6	2	1	1	2	6	3	2	6	1	1	4	1	0	0	2
	Horry	192	81	60	4	47	81	52	20	9	3	81	8	6	21	46	81	45	16	81	13	13	46	6	5	2	35
	Lee	13	9	3	1	.	9	7	.	2	1	9	.	3	3	3	9	6	2	9	2	2	3	1	0	1	6
	Marion	50	16	30	.	1	16	2	14	.	.	16	2	2	4	8	16	8	5	16	3	3	10	3	0	0	6
	Marlboro	11	7	4	.	.	7	2	3	2	.	7	.	3	2	2	7	6	1	7	3	3	1	3	0	0	6
	Sumter	65	25	29	.	11	25	12	11	2	.	25	2	1	8	14	25	10	7	25	4	4	13	2	1	1	12
	Williamsburg	64	12	21	.	11	12	4	6	2	.	12	.	1	1	10	12	7	2	12	2	2	8	2	0	0	4
Statewide Total		**3282**	**1717**	**1026**	**89**	**460**	**1717**	**841**	**601**	**253**	**130**	**1717**	**219**	**287**	**473**	**708**	**1717**	**957**	**384**	**1717**	**375**	**375**	**792**	**235**	**94**	**46**	**963**

Please see the readme on formulas used to construct the estimated need.

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