

Foster Home to Child Ratio in Louisiana (As of May 11, 2026)

LA Parishes	# of FC Children	# of Foster Homes	Home to Child Ratio *
ACADIA	75	34	0.45
ALLEN	45	24	0.53
ASCENSION	73	65	0.89
ASSUMPTION	15	18	1.20
AVOUELLES	82	40	0.49
BEAUREGARD	38	31	0.82
BIENVILLE	13	8	0.62
BOSSIER	35	94	2.69
CADDO	335	140	0.42
CALCASIEU	211	133	0.63
CALDWELL	29	10	0.34
CAMERON	8	0	0.00
CATAHOULA	22	11	0.50
CLAIBORNE	9	10	1.11
CONCORDIA	19	14	0.74
DESOTO	16	23	1.44
EAST BATON ROUGE	358	215	0.60
EAST CARROLL	12	3	0.25
EAST FELICIANA	23	11	0.48
EVANGELINE	45	23	0.51
FRANKLIN	14	25	1.79
GRANT	34	33	0.97
IBERIA	51	33	0.65
IBERVILLE	42	16	0.38
JACKSON	14	13	0.93
JEFFERSON	168	95	0.57
JEFFERSON DAVIS	28	16	0.57
LAFAYETTE	334	149	0.45
LAFOURCHE	79	51	0.65
LASALLE	35	14	0.40
LINCOLN	36	36	1.00
LIVINGSTON	187	119	0.64
MADISON	7	7	1.00
MOREHOUSE	53	18	0.34
NATCHITOCHES	32	25	0.78
ORLEANS	114	107	0.94
OUACHITA	357	152	0.43
PLAQUEMINES	5	7	1.40
POINTE COUPEE	11	11	1.00
RAPIDES	309	172	0.56
RED RIVER	7	4	0.57
RICHLAND	20	20	1.00
SABINE	35	15	0.43
ST. BERNARD	9	14	1.56
ST. CHARLES	14	21	1.50
ST. HELENA	5	6	1.20
ST. JAMES	6	7	1.17
ST. JOHN	3	21	7.00
ST. LANDRY	72	60	0.83

ST. MARTIN	25	36	1.44
ST. MARY	26	26	1.00
ST. TAMMANY	124	114	0.92
TANGIPAHOA	111	94	0.85
TENSAS	4	2	0.50
TERREBONNE	171	94	0.55
UNION	25	17	0.68
VERMILION	34	31	0.91
VERNON	105	57	0.54
WASHINGTON	88	51	0.58
WEBSTER	59	34	0.58
WEST BATON ROUGE	27	13	0.48
WEST CARROLL	15	9	0.60
WEST FELICIANA	13	7	0.54
WINN	47	17	0.36
OUT-OF-STATE	0	20	
UNKNOWN PARISH (FC CHILDREN)	9	0	0.00
UNKNOWN PARISH (FC HOME)	0	2	
TOTAL	4427	2798	0.63

* The home-to-child ratio increased notably following changes in federal guidelines(see below).

1. In addition to certified foster homes, non-certified homes are now included in # of Foster Homes if they have active placements (including trial home).

2.Children placed in a juvenile justice facility are excluded from # of FC Children.