

## 2015 Foster Care State Footnotes

States are encouraged, but not required, to provide explanatory footnotes along with their data submissions. The footnotes allow states to provide additional information they consider necessary for proper interpretation of their data. The footnotes may include such information as:

- general characteristics of the state’s foster care system
- characteristics of the population, including whether certain types of placements are included
- state definitions that differ from federal AFCARS definitions.

Footnotes for the 2015 versions of the foster care data follow, sorted by element number and state. General state footnotes that are not specific to an element or period are given an element number of 00.

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*NDACAN strongly recommends that users review the 2015 footnotes that follow before attempting to analyze the AFCARS Foster Care data.*

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### AFCARS Foster Care FY2015 State Notes

| NotelD | Element | State        | Period | Note   |
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| 4204   | F00     | Louisiana    | 2015-3 | SEVERAL AFCARS DATA EXTRACTION CODE REVISIONS WERE COMPLETED PER TA REPORT FROM NRCCWDT.   |
| 4205   | F00     | Louisiana    | 2015-9 | THIS IS OUR USUAL FOSTER CARE SUBMISSION. THANK YOU.   |
| 4206   | F00     | Michigan     | 2015-3 | APPROXIMATELY 10% OF THE STATE'S SUBSTITUTE CARE POPULATION INCLUDES CHILDREN IN THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM.  |
| 4218   | F00     | Michigan     | 2015-3 | MICHIGAN IS AWARE OF AN INCREASED NUMBER OF DROPPED CASES BETWEEN 14B AND 15A. TRANSITION TO A NEW SACWIS SYSTEM OCCURRED DURING 14B AND THE ISSUE HAS BEEN RESOLVED FOR FUTURE SUBMISSIONS. |
| 4219   | F00     | Michigan     | 2015-3 | TITLE IV-E CONTRACT BETWEEN MICHIGAN AND A JJ SUPERVISING AGENCY EXPIRED RESULTING IN FORCED DISCHARGE OF THEIR ENTIRE REPORTING POPULATION FROM AFCARS.                                     |
| 4340   | F00     | Pennsylvania | 2015-3 | Number of shared case management with Juvenile Justice System: 1413.   |
| 4343   | F00     | Pennsylvania | 2015-9 | Number of shared case management with Juvenile Justice System: 1433.   |

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| 4350   | F00     | Utah     | 2015-3 | DJJS provided the last 183 FC records.  |
| 4351   | F00     | Utah     | 2015-9 | DJJS provided the last 197 FC records.  |
| 4164   | F03     | Florida  | 2015-9 | THIS ELEMENT HAS BEEN UPDATED TO REFLECT THE ACCURATE FIPS CODE (12086) FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY RATHER THAN THE OBSOLETE 120025 FOR DADE COUNTY. THE VALIDATOR DOES NOT YET RECOGNIZE THIS CODE AS VALID. |
| 4176   | F03     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | Adoption workers cover more than one county. Therefore, foster children awaiting adoption appear to be from a limited number of counties.   |
| 4177   | F04     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | Record numbers are encrypted in data submission.  |
| 4236   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 007423204276 was reported as 005621254277 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                          |
| 4237   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 002921254274 was reported as 006228294297 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                          |
| 4238   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 004227246249 was reported as 003420288224 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                          |
| 4239   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001227269231 was reported as 005729268229 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                          |
| 4240   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000929220256 was reported as 004322229239 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                          |
| 4241   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 004227206249 was reported as 003521259239 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                          |
| 4242   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008621230285 was reported as 002827299236 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                          |
| 4243   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 004923247282 was reported as 009529284235 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                          |

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| 4244   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000122264255 was reported as 000620210228 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4245   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008627224238 was reported as 001522200223 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4246   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 002125204293 was reported as 007024290216 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4247   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 007927290211 was reported as 000929260211 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4248   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006622240212 was reported as 001829230256 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4249   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 007427204252 was reported as 002023246227 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4250   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000527267217 was reported as 002825226224 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4251   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 002726214258 was reported as 005125226273 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4252   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 003929250286 was reported as 007421296247 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4253   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001426280284 was reported as 007521266203 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4254   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001923226226 was reported as 009926246266 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |

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| 4255   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 004022267260 was reported as 007928226297 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4256   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000824256290 was reported as 003729216258 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4257   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 002425230213 was reported as 001927216254 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4258   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001728236296 was reported as 008024206233 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4259   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001628290244 was reported as 000127236236 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4260   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001520286274 was reported as 000120256238 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4261   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006721290241 was reported as 004525256233 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4262   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 003527206285 was reported as 000224219222 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4263   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 005627226297 was reported as 007229219224 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4264   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008822220232 was reported as 002222299242 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4265   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 007021209249 was reported as 007026209243 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |

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| 4266   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 005829266259 was reported as 007427219204 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4267   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008422249200 was reported as 001422299205 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4268   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 003729256294 was reported as 004125249203 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4269   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 003729236294 was reported as 004125269203 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4270   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 007524209204 was reported as 007521279206 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4271   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 007927299203 was reported as 004728259267 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4272   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 004225289261 was reported as 002221229298 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4273   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008623200290 was reported as 004324209296 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4274   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006420256268 was reported as 009225219287 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4275   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008522289295 was reported as 001426259283 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4276   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006322289287 was reported as 004220269219 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |

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| 4277   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 009826299281 was reported as 007729219213 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4278   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 007022230241 was reported as 008025219216 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4279   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008229256281 was reported as 000624269214 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4280   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 009921239211 was reported as 006121299218 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4281   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 005624259229 was reported as 005324249216 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4282   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001422269216 was reported as 005825229253 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4283   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 005727220238 was reported as 003221289236 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4284   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000622274297 was reported as 001420269239 in the 14B period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4291   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001823257202 was reported as 007229277231 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4292   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 009521274228 was reported as 003629274275 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |
| 4293   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000229218249 was reported as 006225238249 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID. |

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| 4294   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 002025249287 was reported as 006325238272 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4295   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006528248279 was reported as 001529278279 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4296   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | The child reported as Record Number 000520248279 in the 15A period is not being reported in the current period since he/she is the child of a minor parent and is currently placed with the minor parent. |
| 4297   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006620269285 was reported as 002124288270 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4298   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008924200277 was reported as 008222270248 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4299   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 002926254244 was reported as 004027200219 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4300   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006720264279 was reported as 008225200255 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4301   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 007326240221 was reported as 004621210231 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4302   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006322204296 was reported as 008526296220 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4303   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000729240235 was reported as 000725206269 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4304   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 007923260235 was reported as 003022226262 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |

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| 4305   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000926287280 was reported as 007229256289 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4306   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006224250279 was reported as 001627269228 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4307   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001423277228 was reported as 002420239207 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4308   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 003825276267 was reported as 004921219205 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4309   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006628296273 was reported as 005926209205 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4310   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | The child reported as Record Number 001423209285 in the 15A period is not being reported in the current period since he/she is the child of a minor parent and is currently placed with the minor parent. |
| 4311   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000329280223 was reported as 003520269285 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4312   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008426279283 was reported as 006322289287 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4313   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 009826269281 was reported as 007729299213 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4314   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008127237214 was reported as 001425279212 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4315   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | The child reported as Record Number 003927299217 in the 15A period is not being reported in the current period since he/she is the child of a minor parent and is currently placed with the minor parent. |

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| 4316   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 001924239201 was reported as 002929249215 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4317   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 004220279256 was reported as 000728239252 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4318   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 006223266294 was reported as 002028239252 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4319   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 009027219282 was reported as 002923219259 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4320   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008326230221 was reported as 007526239257 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4321   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 003820209245 was reported as 003523279255 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4322   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 009228276252 was reported as 003225269236 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4323   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008424246254 was reported as 009221279239 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4324   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | The child reported as Record Number 009720249233 in the 15A period is not being reported in the current period since he/she is the child of a minor parent and is currently placed with the minor parent. |
| 4325   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 000724219299 was reported as 003427239237 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4326   | F04     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | The child reported as Record Number 007624239239 in the 15A period is not being reported in the current period since he/she is the child of a minor parent and is currently placed with the minor parent. |

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| 4327   | F04     | Oklahoma     | 2015-9 | The child reported as Record Number 009720248228 in the 15A period is not being reported in the current period since he/she is the child of a minor parent and is currently placed with the minor parent. |
| 4328   | F04     | Oklahoma     | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 005227219287 was reported as 003423298224 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4329   | F04     | Oklahoma     | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 008229296291 was reported as 004026238225 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4330   | F04     | Oklahoma     | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 004727236264 was reported as 000826218223 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4331   | F04     | Oklahoma     | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 009121249236 was reported as 001222208277 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4332   | F04     | Oklahoma     | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 005020299200 was reported as 003421268277 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4333   | F04     | Oklahoma     | 2015-9 | In this period, the row where Record Number is 005025299289 was reported as 002423218271 in the 15A period, due to Client Merge where we always retain the earliest client ID.                            |
| 4334   | F04     | Oklahoma     | 2015-9 | The child reported as Record Number 001925268277 in the 15A period is not being reported in the current period since he/she is the child of a minor parent and is currently placed with the minor parent. |
| 4341   | F04     | Pennsylvania | 2015-3 | Pennsylvania is continuing to phase in the use of the Department of Public Welfare's Master Client Index (MCI) numbers as unique record ID's during this report period.                                   |
| 4346   | F04     | Pennsylvania | 2015-9 | Pennsylvania is resubmitting this foster care file due to phase in of the Department of Human Service's Master Client Index (MCI) numbers as unique record ID's.  |
| 4153   | F05     | Florida      | 2015-3 | EXCLUDES CHILDREN WHOSE MOST RECENT REVIEW IS AFTER THEIR DISCHARGE DATE.   |
| 4154   | F05     | Florida      | 2015-3 | THIS REPORT MAY NOT INCLUDE DISPOSITIONAL HEARINGS THAT MAY ALSO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF A JUDICIAL REVIEW.  |

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| 4178   | F05     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | Iowa Citizen Foster Care Review Board Reviews, Court Reviews, and DHS Administrative Reviews are shown in element 5.   |
| 4179   | F06     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | A date of birth is required. We do not estimate date of birth.   |
| 4207   | F06     | Michigan | 2015-3 | CHILDREN IDENTIFIED AS 18 YEARS OR OLDER ARE STILL WARD OF THE STATE AND ARE CONSIDERED DEPENDENT CHILDREN.  |
| 4230   | F06     | Nevada   | 2015-3 | Cleanup effort in place so that children 18 or older who are not in school are not reported.   |
| 4180   | F10     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | A clinical diagnosis is required by a qualified professional.  |
| 4181   | F14     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | DSM III diagnostic criteria is used in this data element.  |
| 4182   | F19     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | For every foster care service with an exit date and 1)exit reason of return home or 2)exit reason of transfer custody to other parent, or 3) an exit reason of placement with a suitable person, counts as one removal.                      |
| 4155   | F24     | Florida  | 2015-3 | FLORIDA DOES NOT EXCLUDE PLACEMENTS OF LESS THAN 24 HOURS DURATION FROM PLACEMENT COUNT UNLESS PLACEMENT TYPE WOULD OTHERWISE BE EXCLUDED FROM THE COUNT.  |
| 4183   | F24     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | Data reflects same day in/out placements, emergency placements respite, day treatment and other short term placements.   |
| 4184   | F26     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | Iowa defines physical abuse as damage to any bodily tissue that must undergo a healing process or results in death.  |
| 4185   | F27     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | Iowa defines sexual abuse as commission of sexual offenses with or to a child as a result of acts or omissions of a caretaker.   |
| 4186   | F28     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | Failure of caretaker to provide adequate food, shelter, clothing or other care necessary for child's health & welfare when financially able: health/mental health care, emotional needs, proper supervision & response to infant's survival. |
| 4156   | F41     | Florida  | 2015-3 | FLORIDA IS NOT A TRIAL HOME VISIT STATE.   |
| 4187   | F41     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | Juvenile Justice population is included. Categories include: foster family, group care, relative, independent living; psychiatric medical institution for children, shelter, structured juvenile program, & medical institution.             |
| 4208   | F45     | Michigan | 2015-3 | IN SOME CASES WHEN THE EXACT YEAR OF BIRTH WAS UNKNOWN AN ESTIMATED YEAR WAS ENTERED.  |

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| 4209   | F46     | Michigan     | 2015-3 | IN SOME CASES WHEN THE EXACT YEAR OF BIRTH WAS UNKNOWN AN ESTIMATED YEAR WAS ENTERED.   |
| 4222   | F47     | Montana      | 2015-3 | Customary adoptions through tribal courts require a tribal court to have legal authority over the child and modify the custodial and legal relationship of the birth parents with the child but do not terminate the birth parent's rights. |
| 4223   | F48     | Montana      | 2015-3 | Customary adoptions through tribal courts require a tribal court to have legal authority over the child and modify the custodial and legal relationship of the birth parents with the child but do not terminate the birth parent's rights. |
| 4188   | F58     | Iowa         | 2015-3 | Placement with a suitable person includes placement with a relative, guardian or other suitable person. Iowa does not use emancipation. Clients coded as such have aged out of the system.  |
| 4226   | F58     | Nebraska     | 2015-3 | SUBSEQUENT SUBMISSION TO CORRECT ERRORS TO DISCHARGE REASON FIELD   |
| 4231   | F58     | Nevada       | 2015-3 | Frequency of children released to a legal relative guardian = 52 number and 81.25 percent of all guardianship.  |
| 4233   | F58     | Nevada       | 2015-9 | Frequency of children released to a legal relative guardian = 77 number and 92.77 percent of all guardianship.  |
| 4235   | F58     | Nevada       | 2015-9 | Frequency of children released to a legal relative guardian = 88 number and 90.72 percent of all guardianship.  |
| 4342   | F58     | Pennsylvania | 2015-3 | Total Number of Deaths: 7. accident (2), natural causes (3), suicide (1), undetermined (1).   |
| 4345   | F58     | Pennsylvania | 2015-9 | Total Number of Deaths: 7. child abuse (1), natural causes (4), suicide (1), undetermined (1).  |
| 4157   | F59     | Florida      | 2015-3 | THIS ELEMENT IS CODED BASED ON IV-E ELIGIBILITY OF THE CHILD. IF THE PLACEMENT IS NOT ELIGIBLE, PAYMENTS WILL NOT BE IV-E.  |
| 4158   | F60     | Florida      | 2015-3 | THIS ELEMENT IS CODED BASED ON IV-E PAYMENTS MADE TO THE CHILD DURING THE REPORT PERIOD.  |
| 4159   | F61     | Florida      | 2015-3 | THIS ELEMENT IS CODED BASED ON IV-A PAYMENTS MADE TO THE CHILD DURING THE REPORT PERIOD.  |
| 4160   | F62     | Florida      | 2015-3 | THIS ELEMENT IS CODED BASED ON IV-D PAYMENTS MADE TO THE CHILD DURING THE REPORT PERIOD.  |
| 4161   | F63     | Florida      | 2015-3 | THIS ELEMENT IS CODED BASED ON TITLE XIX PAYMENTS TO THE CHILD DURING THE REPORT PERIOD.  |

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| 4162   | F64     | Florida  | 2015-3 | THIS ELEMENT IS CODED BASED ON SSI PAYMENTS BEING MADE TO THE CHILD DURING THE REPORT PERIOD.   |
| 4285   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | 13 were made IV-E Ineligible by KIDS when the removal ended and the child did not have a compensable placement;   |
| 4286   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | 96 were documented with No Income;  |
| 4287   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | 137 children were forced to 1. Of these:  |
| 4288   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | 20 were in care less than 30 days;  |
| 4289   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | 0 are IV-E Eligible but no payment was made and Element 59 was set to 0;  |
| 4290   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-3 | 8 had no other documentation.   |
| 4335   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | 7 were made IV-E Ineligible by KIDS when the removal ended and the child did not have a compensable placement;  |
| 4336   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | 98 were documented with No Income;  |
| 4337   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | 144 children were forced to 1. Of these:  |
| 4338   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | 33 were in care less than 30 days;  |
| 4339   | F65     | Oklahoma | 2015-9 | 0 are IV-E Eligible but no payment was made and Element 59 was set to 0; 201509 F65 6 had no other documentation.   |
| 4163   | F66     | Florida  | 2015-3 | MOST RECENT MONTHLY AMOUNT PAID FOR MAINTENANCE ONLY.   |
| 4189   | F66     | Iowa     | 2015-3 | The receipt of IVD payments is recorded here, however they are not included in the total, since they are applied to the State of Iowa's general fund, not to the child's individual case. |