



Facts & Figures:

The Changing Face of Ohio's Multisystem Youth

ONE YEAR

33% increase
DYS Mental Health
Caseload

- 100% of females and 63% of males involved with DYS (Department of Youth Services) are on a mental health caseload – up 33% from this time last year
- **47% need special education services**

FIVE YEARS

22% increase
Out-of-Home
Placements

- 2013 = 21,987 out-of-home placements
- 2018 = 26,737 out-of-home placements
- 2018 placement costs = \$3.84M
- **56% of the dollars are spent on 34% of the kids...youth in custody ages 12+**

TEN YEARS

117% increase
Homeless Students

100% increase
18-25-Year-Olds
with Serious Mental
Illness (SMI)

87% increase
Autism (ASD)
Prevalence

- 2006-07 school year = 13,578 homeless students
- 2015-16 school year = 29,403 homeless students
- The number of economically disadvantaged students has increased 43% in that same time
- **21% of homeless students have a disability**

- 2008-09 = 3.69% of 18-25 with serious mental illness
- 2016-17 = 7.6% with
- Children and teens in the U.S. who visited emergency rooms for **suicidal thoughts and suicide attempts doubled** – 43% were 5 to 11-year-olds

- 2008 = 1 in 110
- 2014 = 1 in 59
- U.S. annual medical costs for Medicaid-enrolled children with ASD were **six times higher** than costs for children without ASD

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