

Percent of Children with Parental Alcohol or Drug Abuse as a Circumstance Reported at Removal who were Under Age 1 in the United States, 2000 to 2025

Year	National
2000	27.8%
2001	28.3%
2002	30.7%
2003	32.7%
2004	34.4%
2005	36.1%
2006	36.7%
2007	37.6%
2008	37.3%
2009	36.8%
2010	40.1%
2011	40.6%
2012	42.7%
2013	42.4%
2014	43.5%
2015	47.0%
2016	48.9%
2017	51.2%
2018	52.0%
2019	50.9%
2020	51.3%
2021	52.5%
2022	51.7%
2023	55.8%
2024	55.2%
2025	55.1%

The percentage of children under age 1 who entered out-of-home care with parental alcohol or drug abuse as a circumstance reported at removal increased from 27.8% in 2000 to 55.1% in 2025.

*Note: Estimates based on **all children in out of home care at some point** during Fiscal Year*

Source: Center for Children and Family Futures. (2026). *Analyses of the 2025 Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System from the National Data Archive on Child Abuse and Neglect* (file number 312) [Data set]. NDACAN. <https://www.ndacan.acf.hhs.gov/>