



LJ v. Massinga Reporting: **Measure 72a**

Date: July 27, 2015 | Revised: April 7, 2020

Note: For this Measure, and for every Measure for which there is both an “a” (quantitative) and “b” (qualitative) component, the compliance level for both the “a” and “b” components must reach the required compliance level (here 95%) for the Measure to be considered compliant.

#	Measure
72a	95 percent of children had documented visits from their caseworker once monthly in the child’s placement.

Source/Criteria:

1. According to the LJ v. Massinga, Modified Consent Decree (MCD), p. 26:

12. Each child in OHP shall be visited by the child’s assigned caseworker or designated substitute at least once every month in the child’s placement.

a. Definitions:

(1) A “visit” means an assessment of:

- (a) the quality of care provided to the child;
- (b) the child’s adjustment to the OHP, the supervising adults, any other individuals in the OHP, and school; and
- (c) the appropriateness and success of the placement and the adequacy of services provided to meet the child’s needs and the ability of the child’s caregiver to meet the child’s needs.

(2) The visit should be of sufficient duration and privacy to make the required assessments.

(3) The caseworker must indicate the date and summarize the results of each visit in the child’s case record.

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Key Data

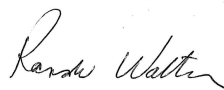
Data	Source	Description
Caseworker visits for OHP children	Child Welfare System of Record	Record of face-to-face caseworker visits in child’s placement.

Calculations for Report Period Compliance

Definition	Of the number of children who were in OHP for the entire month under review, the percent with a documented worker visit in the child’s placement during the month.
Denominator	Number of children in OHP who were in OHP for the entire month under review.
Numerator	Children in the denominator with a documented worker visit in the child’s placement during the month under review.
Unit of analysis	Child - unduplicated children are counted.
Data exclusions	Children on runaway for the entire review month.
Six-month calculation methodology	The percentage of children that met this standard will be calculated by DSS on a monthly basis for each six-month reporting period. Compliance is achieved for this portion “a” of the measure when the measure calculation in every one of the six months in the reporting period is 95 percent or greater.

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