

- IPPAs are manually reconciled bi-annually in June and December each year.
- PSIM does not keep centralized data of placement types at this time.
- PSIM does not reconcile data for children/youth NOT in care and is not included in the totals that follow.
- Basic maintenance rates vary depending on the child/youth's legal status. The basic rate for permanent and temporary wards is based on the receiving Province/Territory maintenance rates.
- Children/youth who are NOT in BC care but is involved in the child welfare system and placed in another Province/Territory are paid based on BC's rate as follows:

*Effective July 1, 2022, maintenance payments to foster caregivers and out-of-care care providers increased to \$1,024.64 for children 11 years of age and younger, and \$1,124.19 for children and youth 12 years of age and older. This increase is a result of the Canada Child Benefit increasing by 1.0%.*

*This rate change applies to foster caregivers and all out-of-care care providers, including those caring for children through the Extended Family Program (EFP), an interim or temporary court-ordered out-of-care arrangement, or a Permanent Transfer of Custody under sections 54.01 or 54.1 of the Child, Family and Community Service Act (CFCSA).*

As of June 30, 2022, the following is a breakdown of Children and Youth in Care (CYIC) by court order or agreement with active Interprovincial agreements (IPPA) in **MCFD** care:

64 BC CYIC placed out of province:

- 30 to AB
- 19 to ON
- 8 to SK
- 3 to MB
- 3 to NU
- 1 to YT
- 52 are permanent wards
- 12 are temporary wards
- 0 are in care via agreement
- 37 are Indigenous