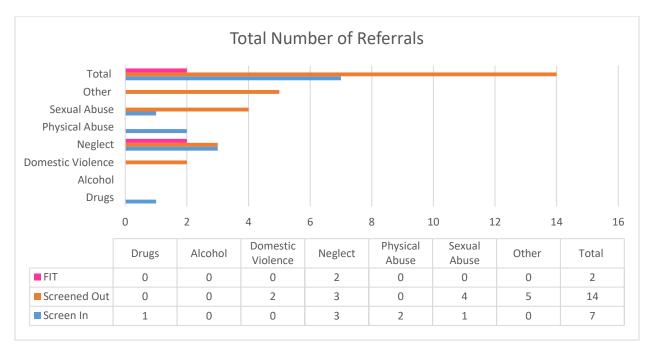
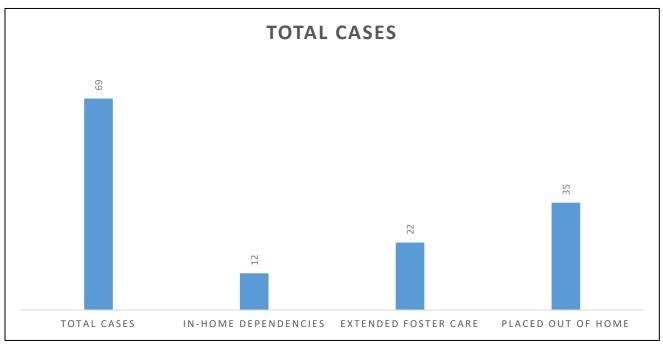
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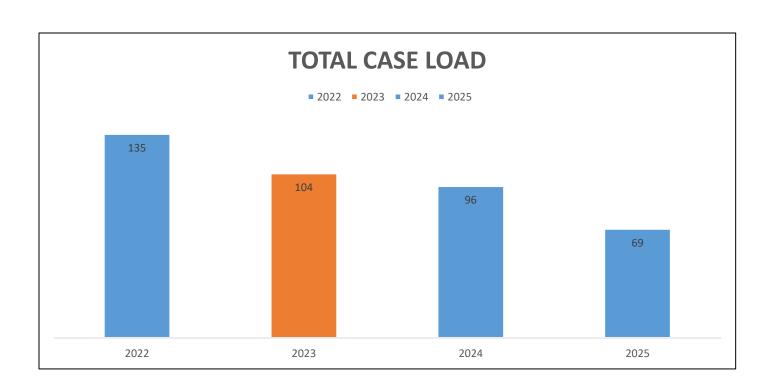


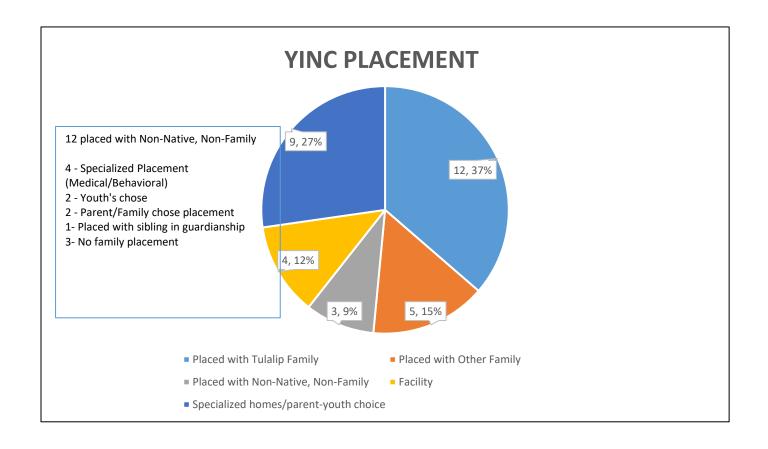
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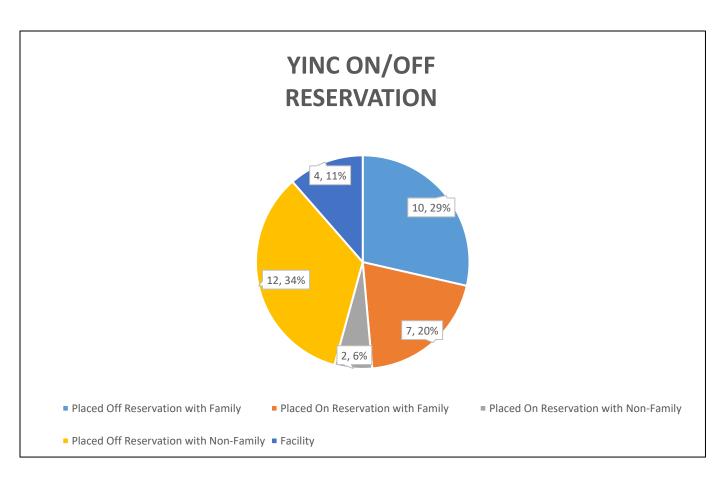


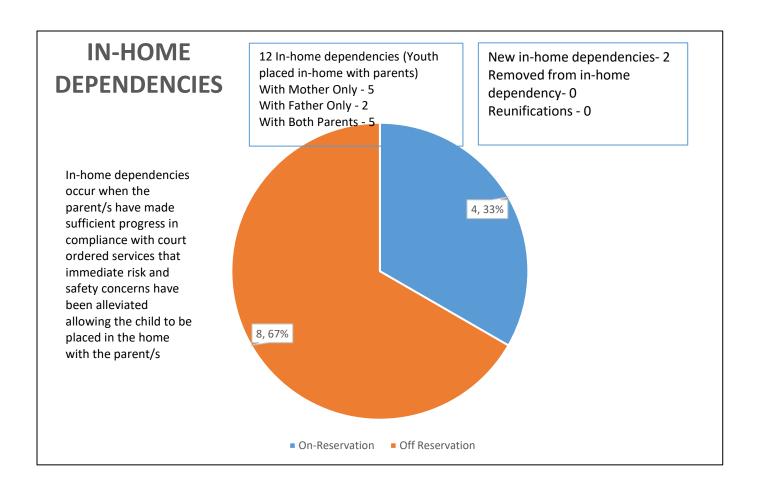


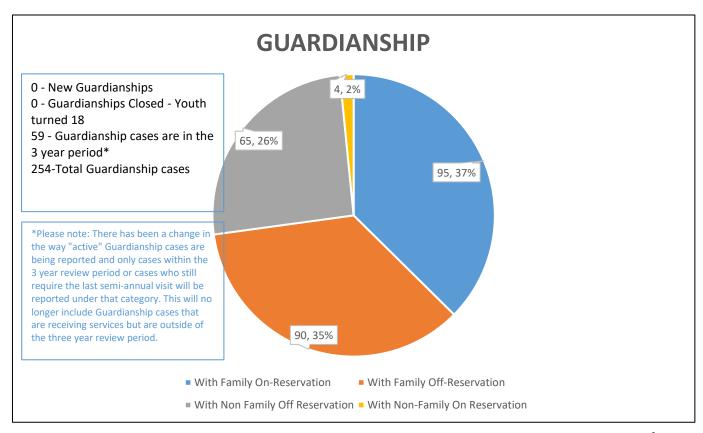












Recap/Highlights:

- There were 0 reunifications in November
- There were 0 new dependencies filed
- beda?chelh's Child Welfare Services (CWS) is working with 34 total families (excluding EFC)
- There are 22 youth participating in Extended Foster Care (ages 18-21)
- There were no new guardianships established
- There are 163 families that have Tulalip children in Guardianship
- This month, beda?chelh licensed their first caregiver home through qwuli?4, the beda?chelh licensing program.
- beda?chelh continues to host a bəlkwaligwəd support group and lunch, held the 3rd Tuesday of each month from 12-1pm. This is a safe space for Tulalip Tribal Members who were adopted, placed in foster care, or separated from their family to come together.
- Staff and Office of Reservation Attorney continue to work on the final redline draft for code amendments. Our goal is to have it ready for a community meeting in January 2026.
- Imagine a new child welfare system. Tulalip Tribes is a sovereign nation, we don't have to use the state model for child welfare. We will bring together a team of volunteers to develop an action plan to change our Tribal welfare system. Begin to imagine a new way. If you are interested in volunteering for the team, please contact Shelly Lacy.

Looking for Placement Homes

We need your assistance in providing temporary and long-term placement for our youth. Becoming a tribal foster parent is another way you can help uphold our Tulalip traditions and ensure that our tribal history and values continue for future generations. For more information, please call us, 360-716-3284.

If you have questions or would like to see different information. Please contact Shelly Lacy, beda?chelh Director at 360-716-4059 or email: slacy@tulaliptribes-nsn.gov.