

PIEDMONT CIRCUIT CHILD WELFARE DATA

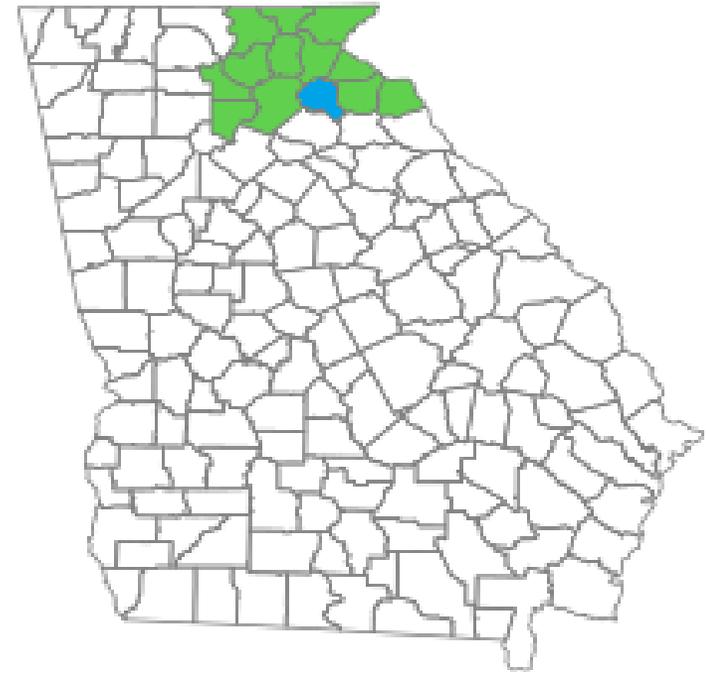
Multidisciplinary Child Abuse and Neglect Institute

September 22, 2022

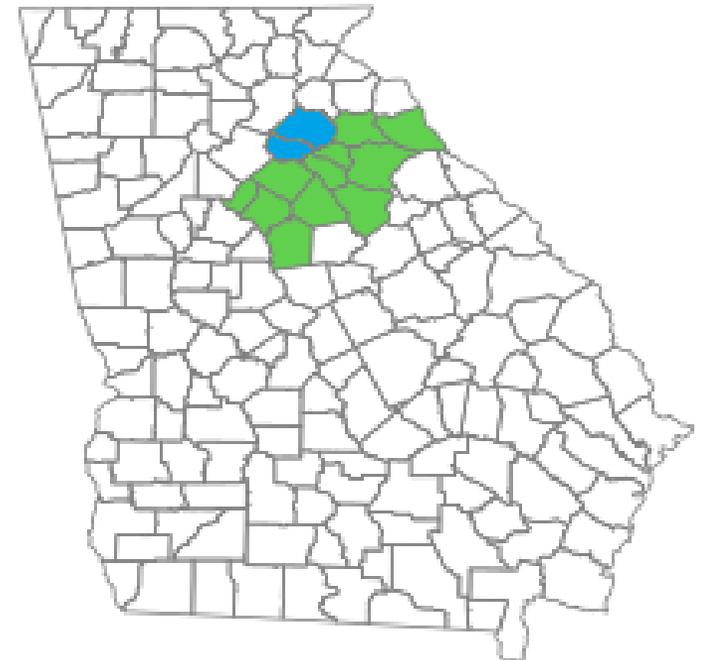
PIEDMONT CIRCUIT



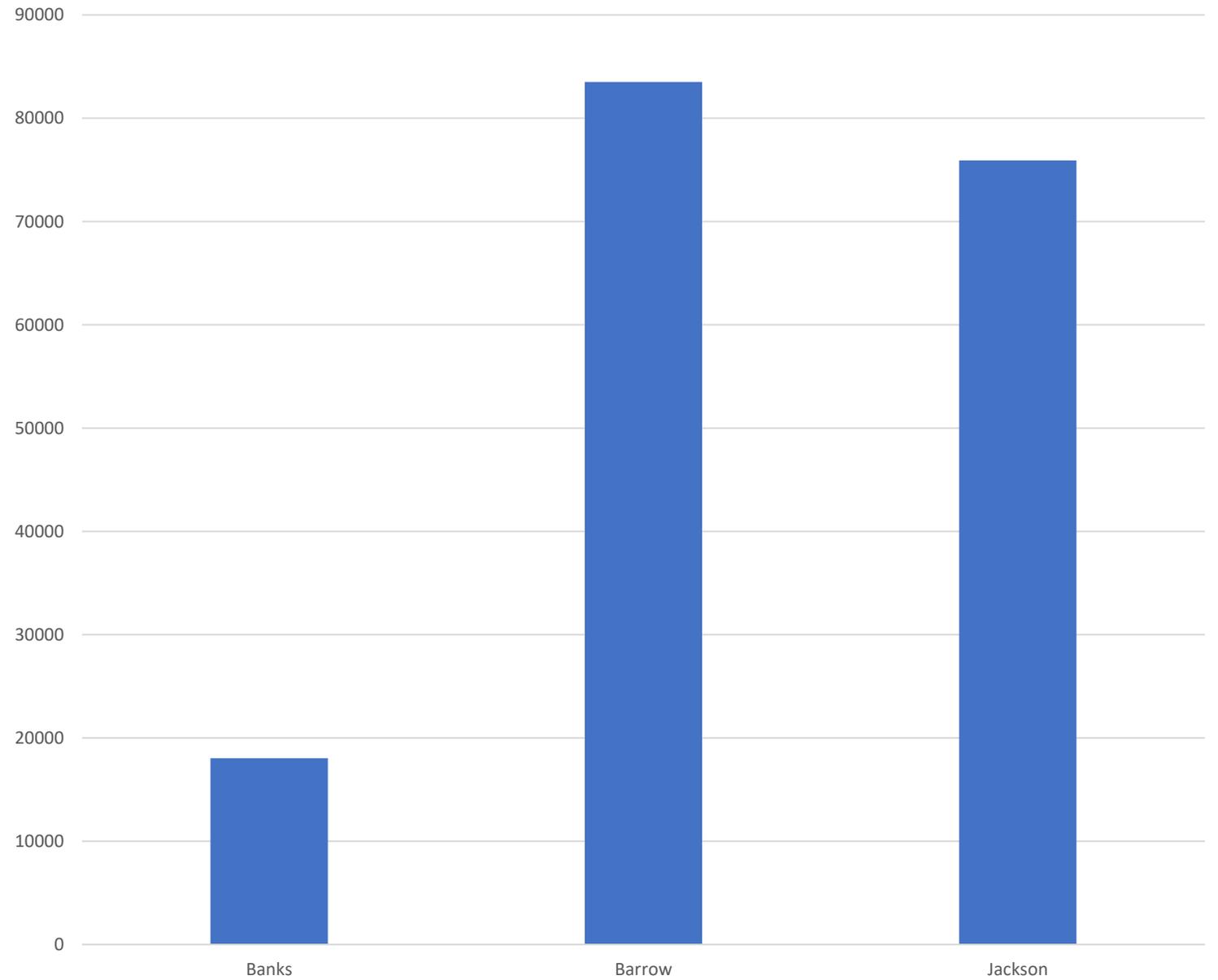
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DFCS REGION 5

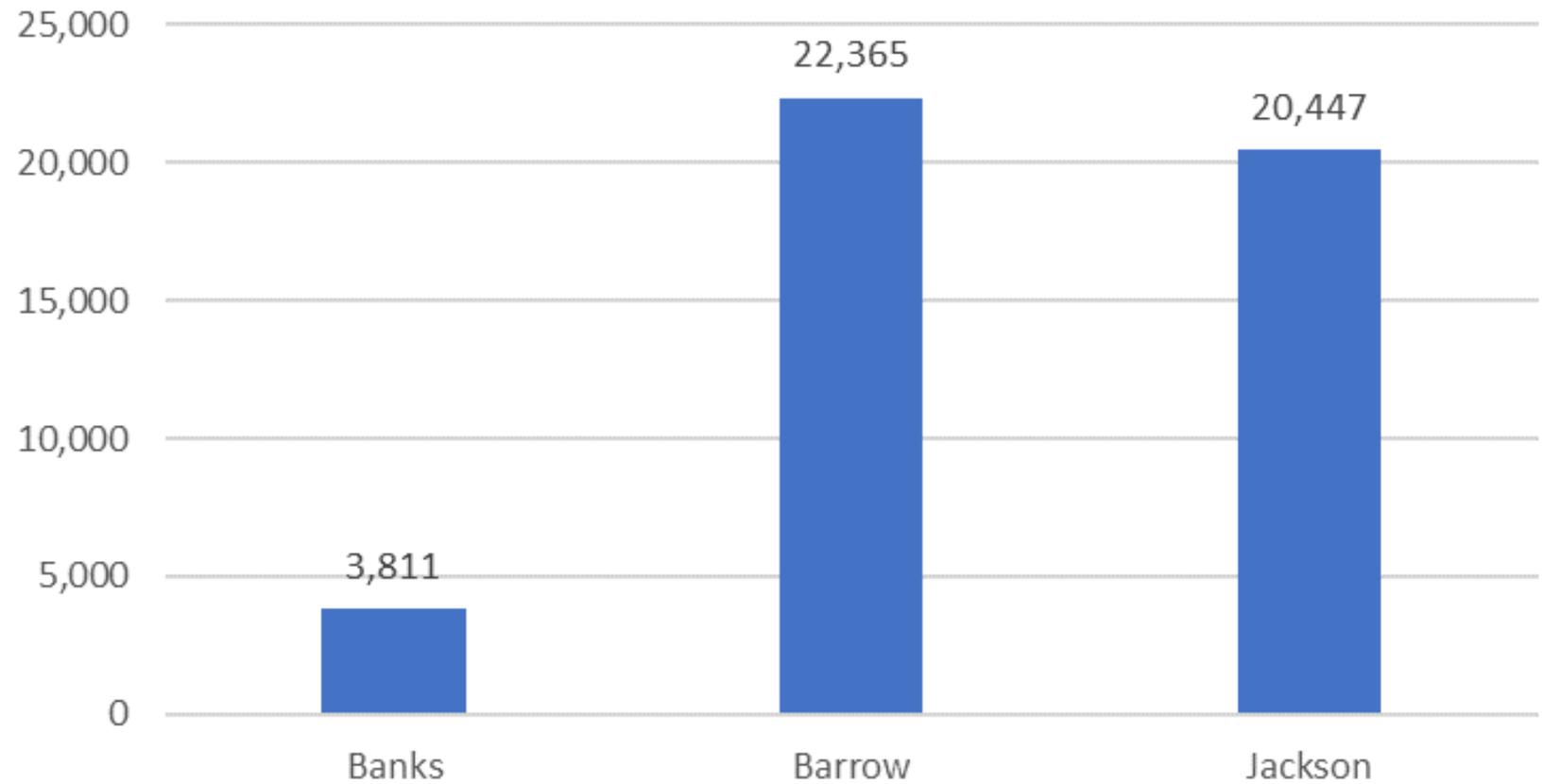


POPULATION SIZE 2020 CENSUS

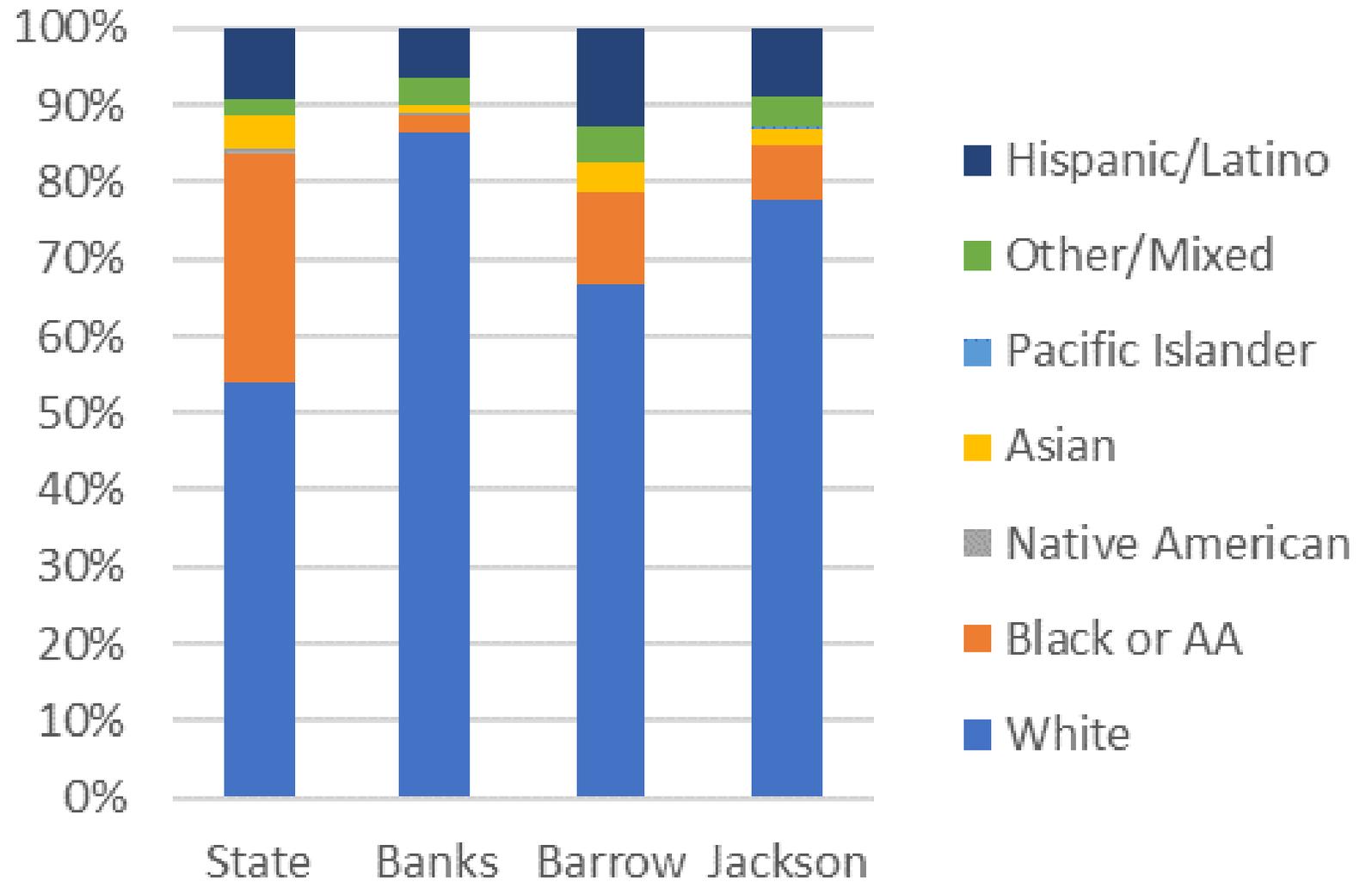


CHILDREN IN POPULATION

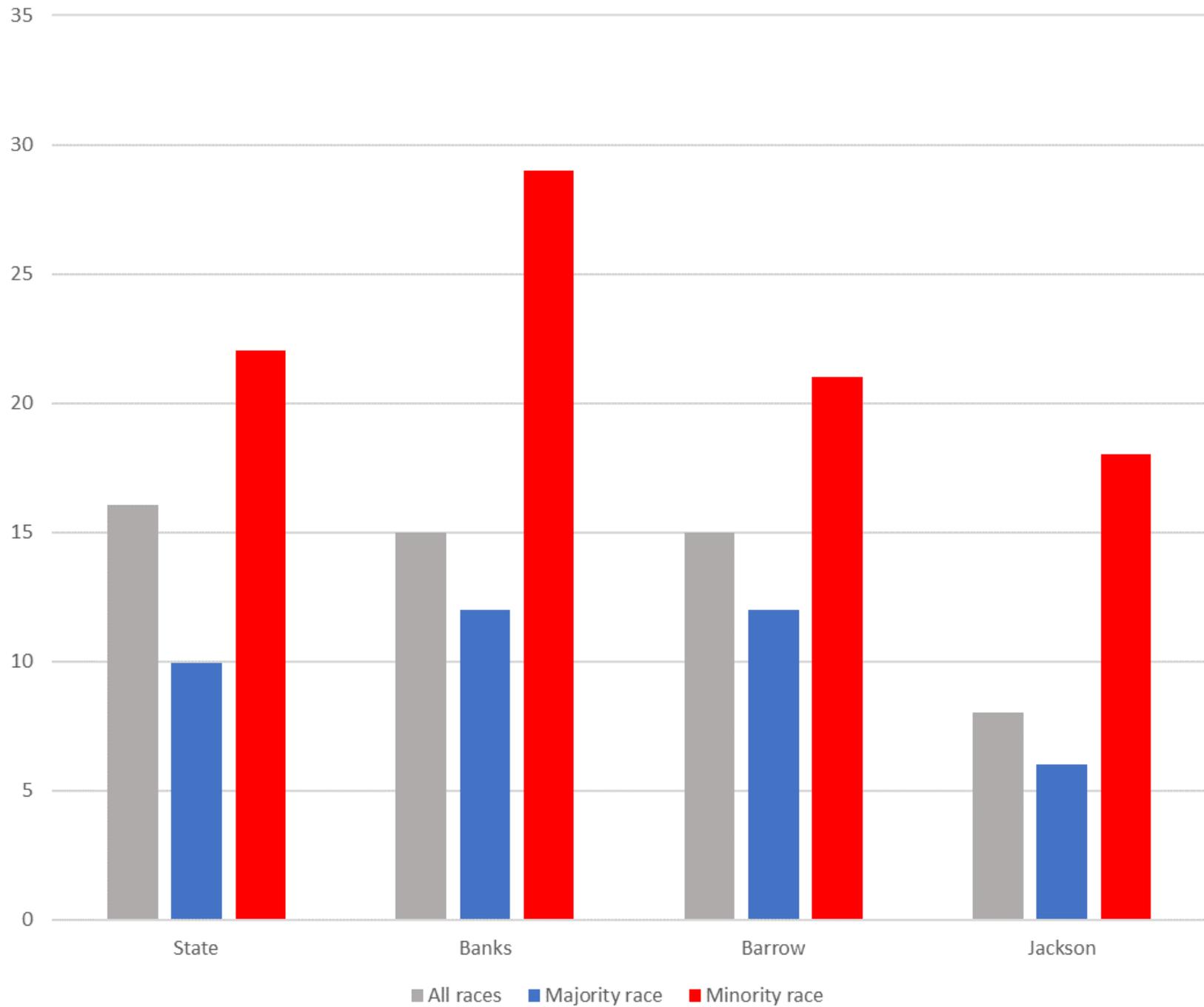
CHILDREN IN REGION ON MARCH 31, 2022



POPULATION OVERVIEW 2020 CENSUS



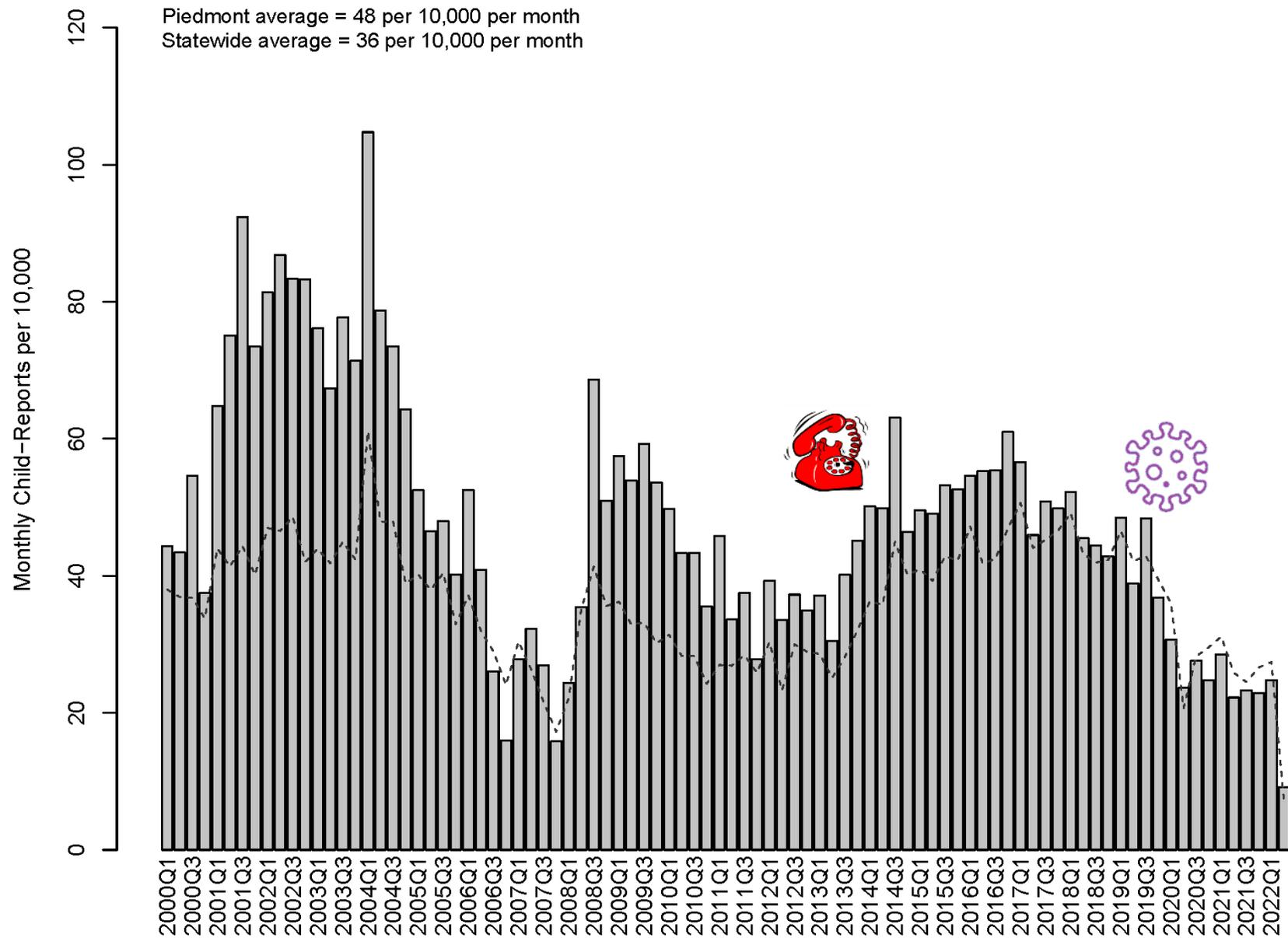
CHILD POVERTY 2020 CENSUS

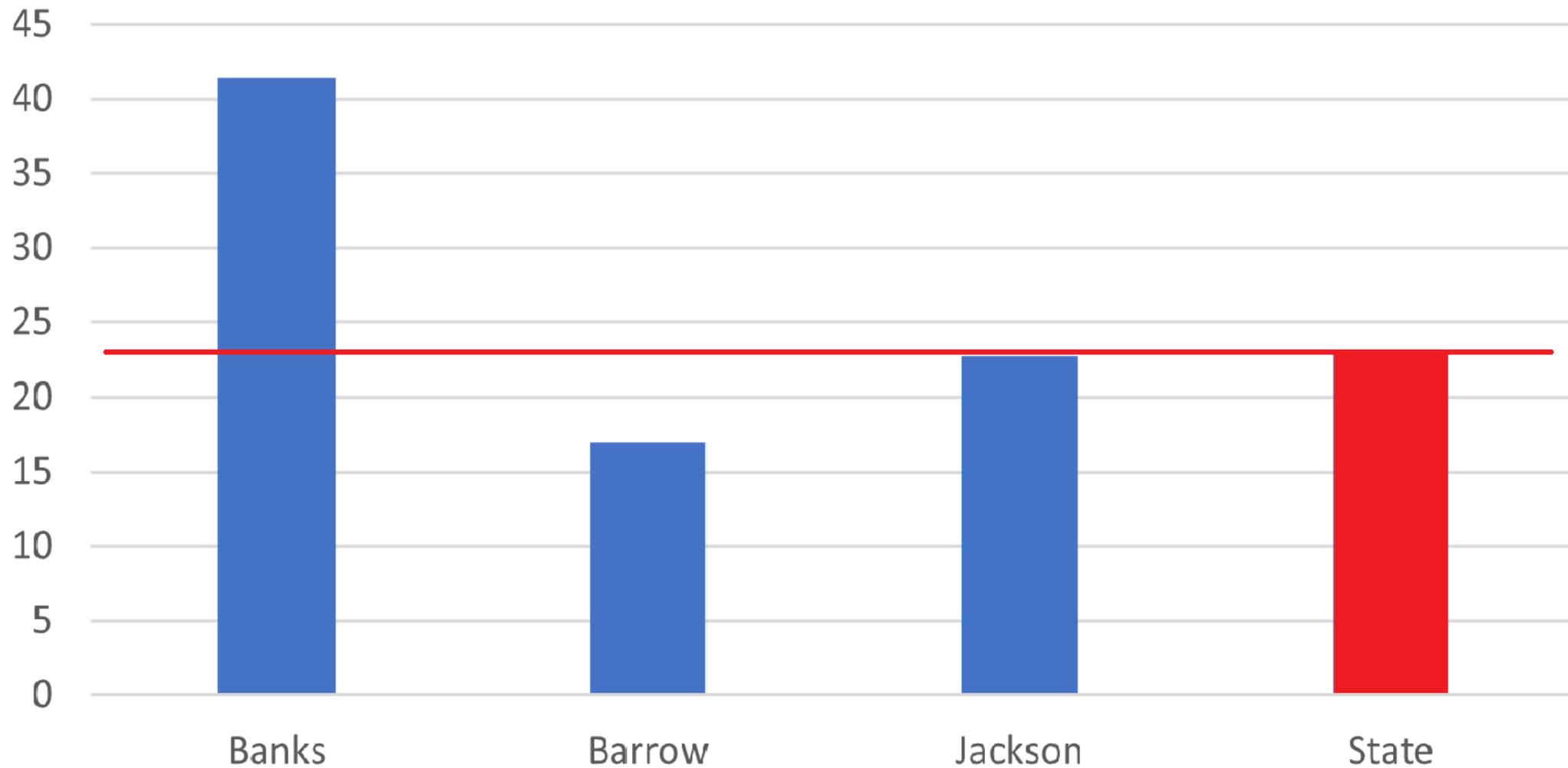


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Reports of Maltreatment

PIEDMONT CIRCUIT: MONTHLY REPORTS OF MALTREATMENT Jan 2000 – May 2022





REPORTS PER 10K CHILDREN IN POPULATION

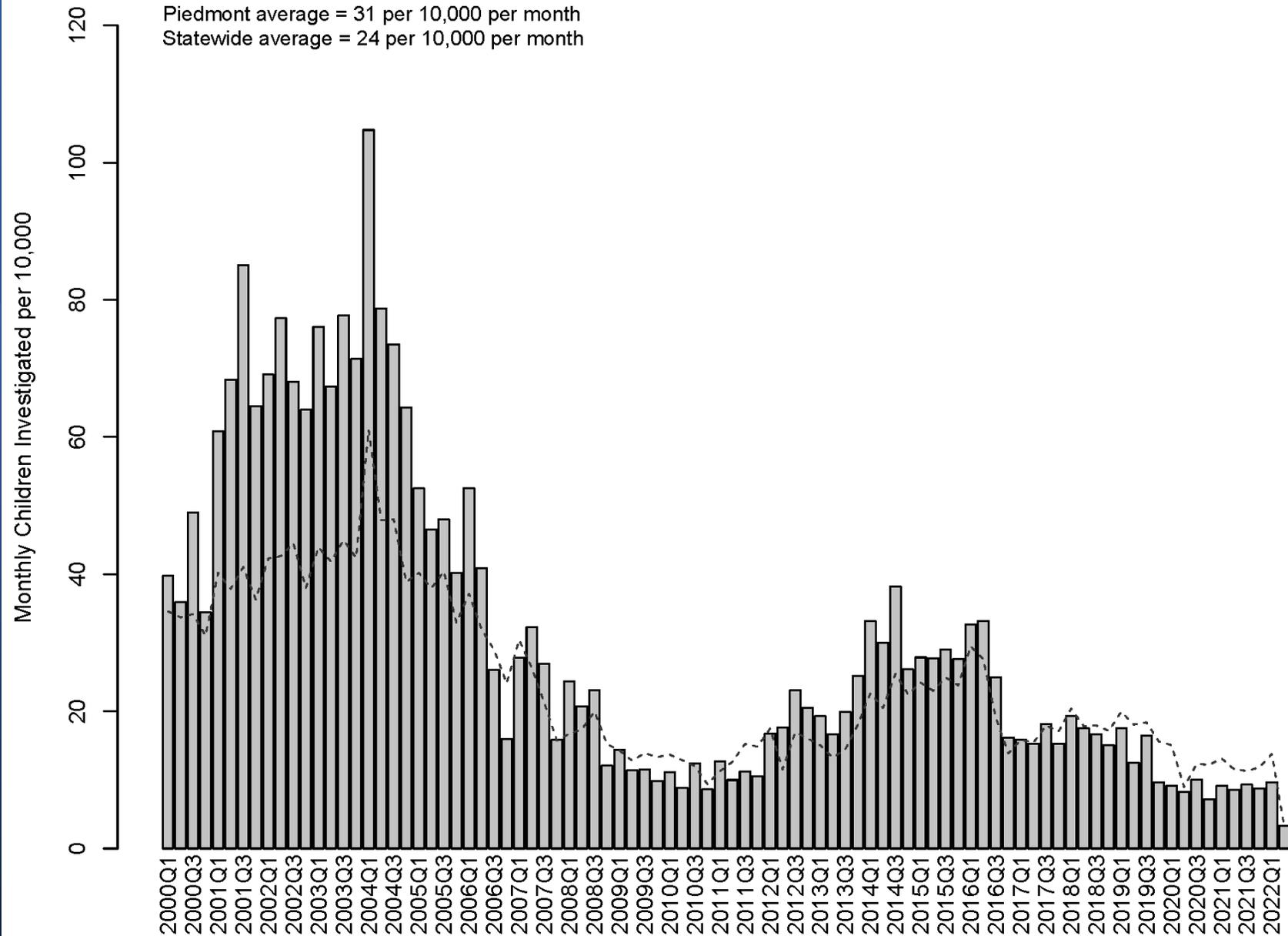
June 2021 – May 2022

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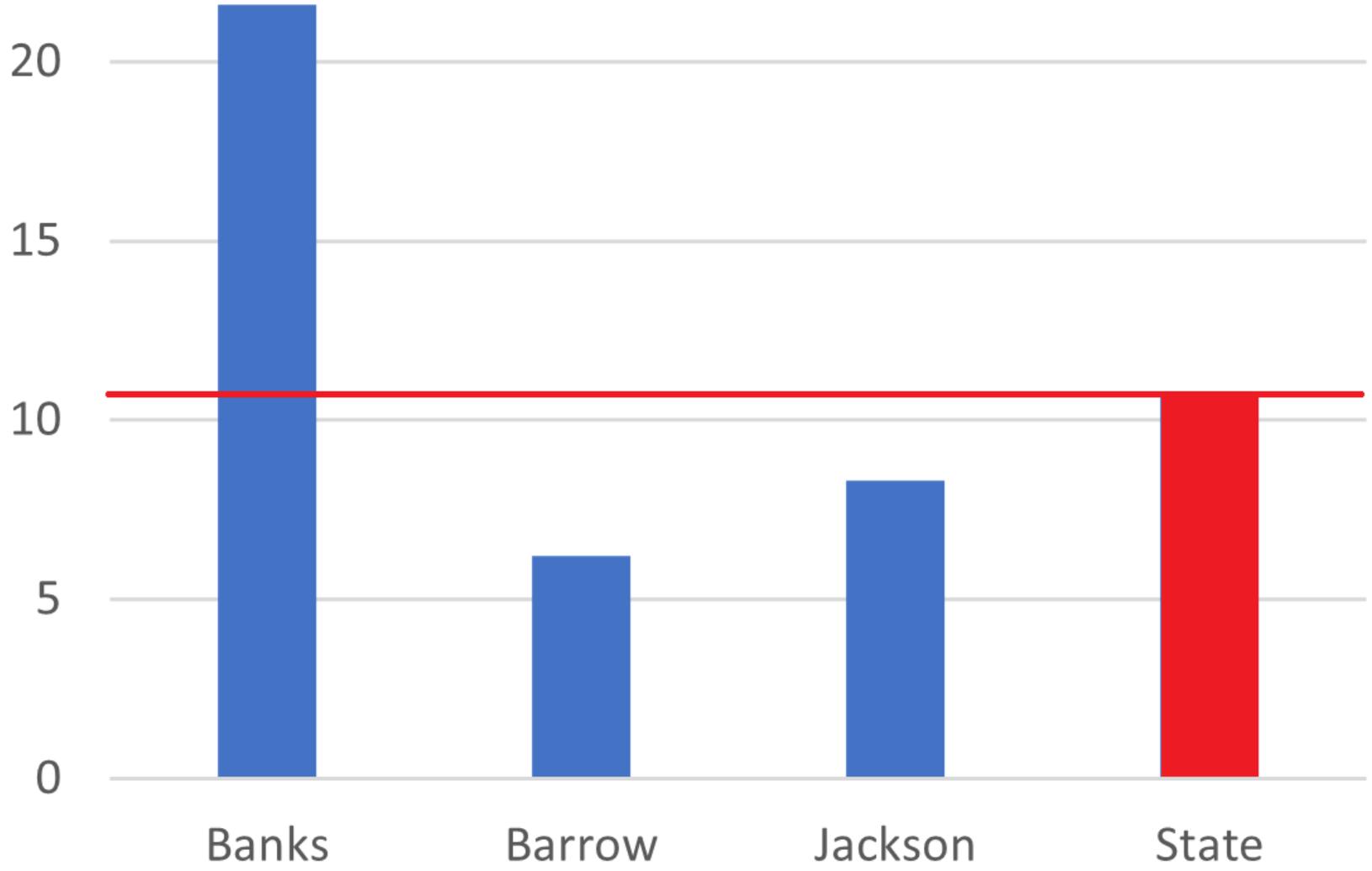
Investigations

PIEDMONT CIRCUIT: AVERAGE MONTHLY CHILDREN INVESTIGATED PER 10K CHILDREN IN THE POPULATION BY QUARTER

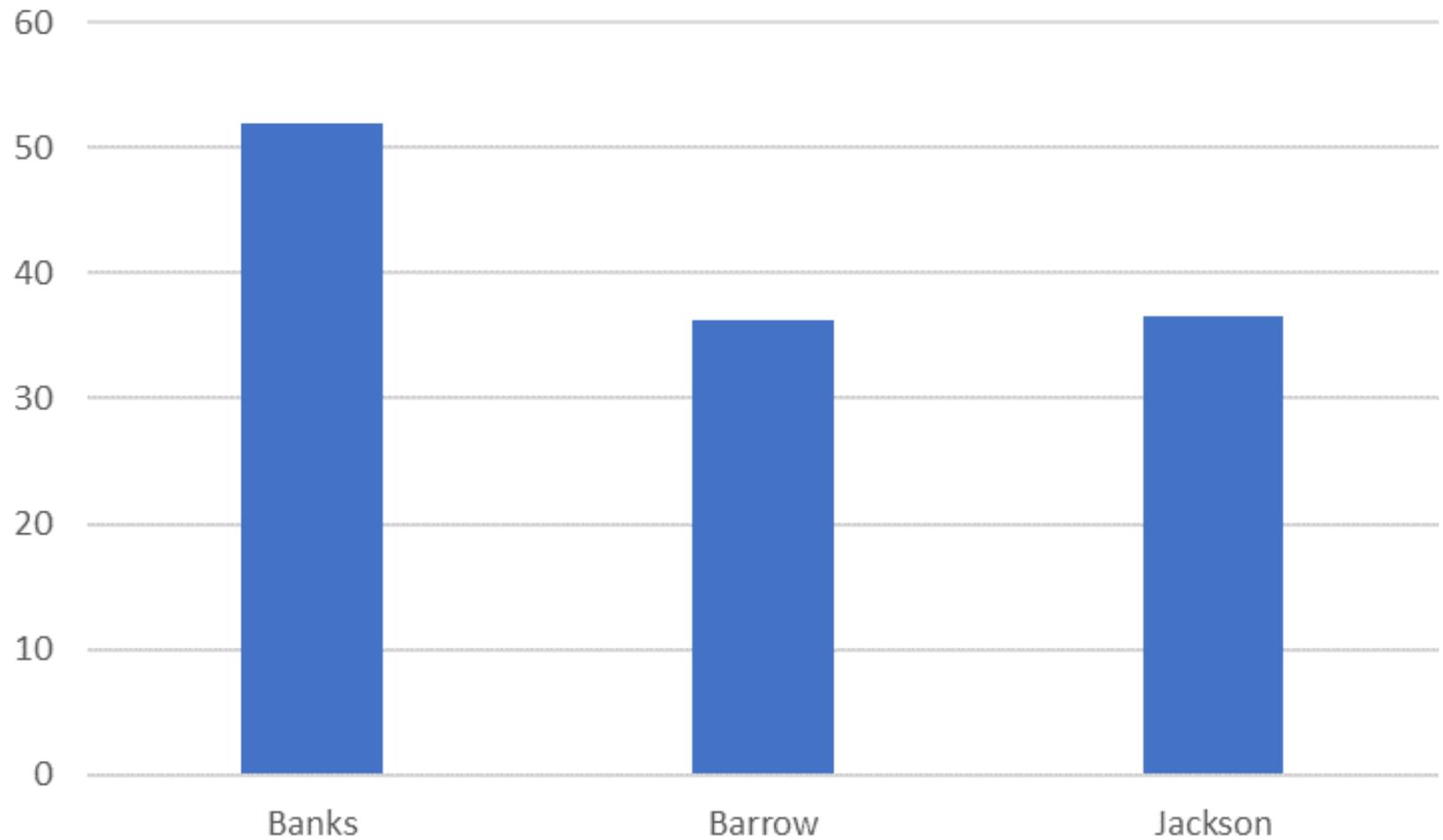
Jan 2000 – May 2022



CHILDREN SUBJECT
TO MALTREATMENT
INVESTIGATIONS
PER 10K CHILDREN
IN POPULATION
June 2021 – May 2022



PERCENTAGE OF
MALTREATMENT
REPORTS
INVESTIGATED
June 2021 – May 2022

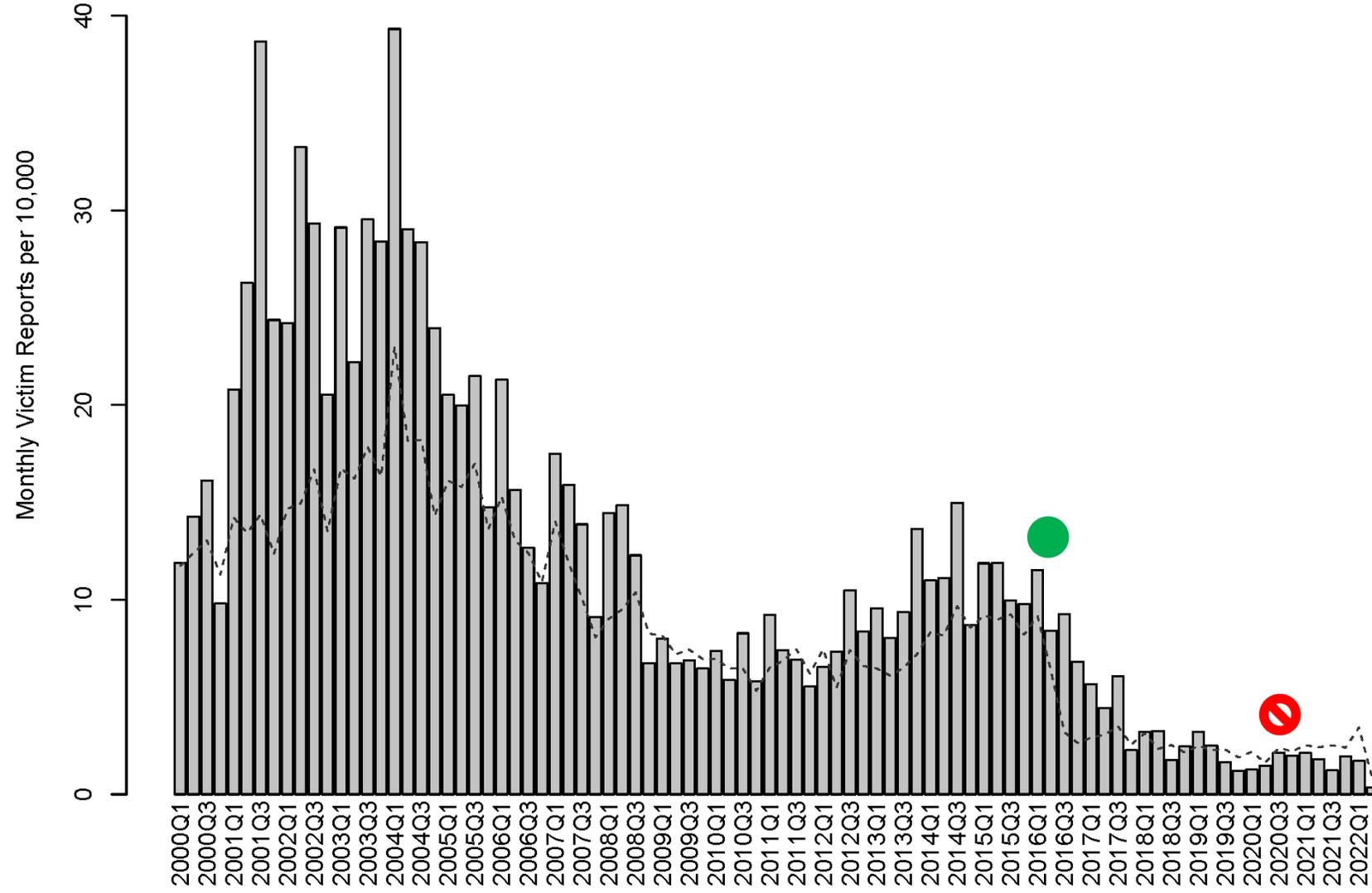


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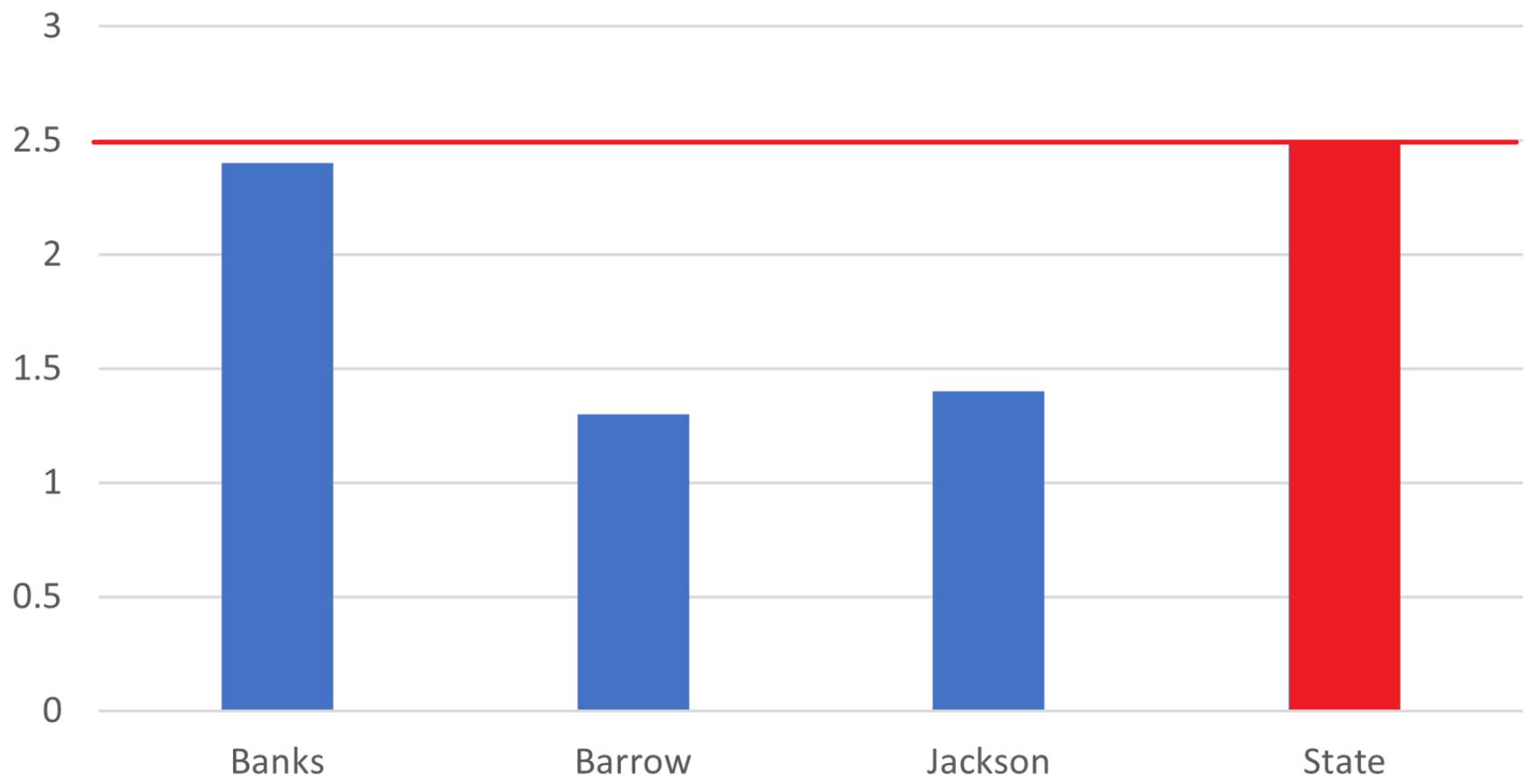
Substantiated Investigations

PIEDMONT CIRCUIT: SUBSTANTIATED VICTIM REPORTS PER 10K CHILDREN IN POPULATION BY QUARTER Jan 2000 – May 2022

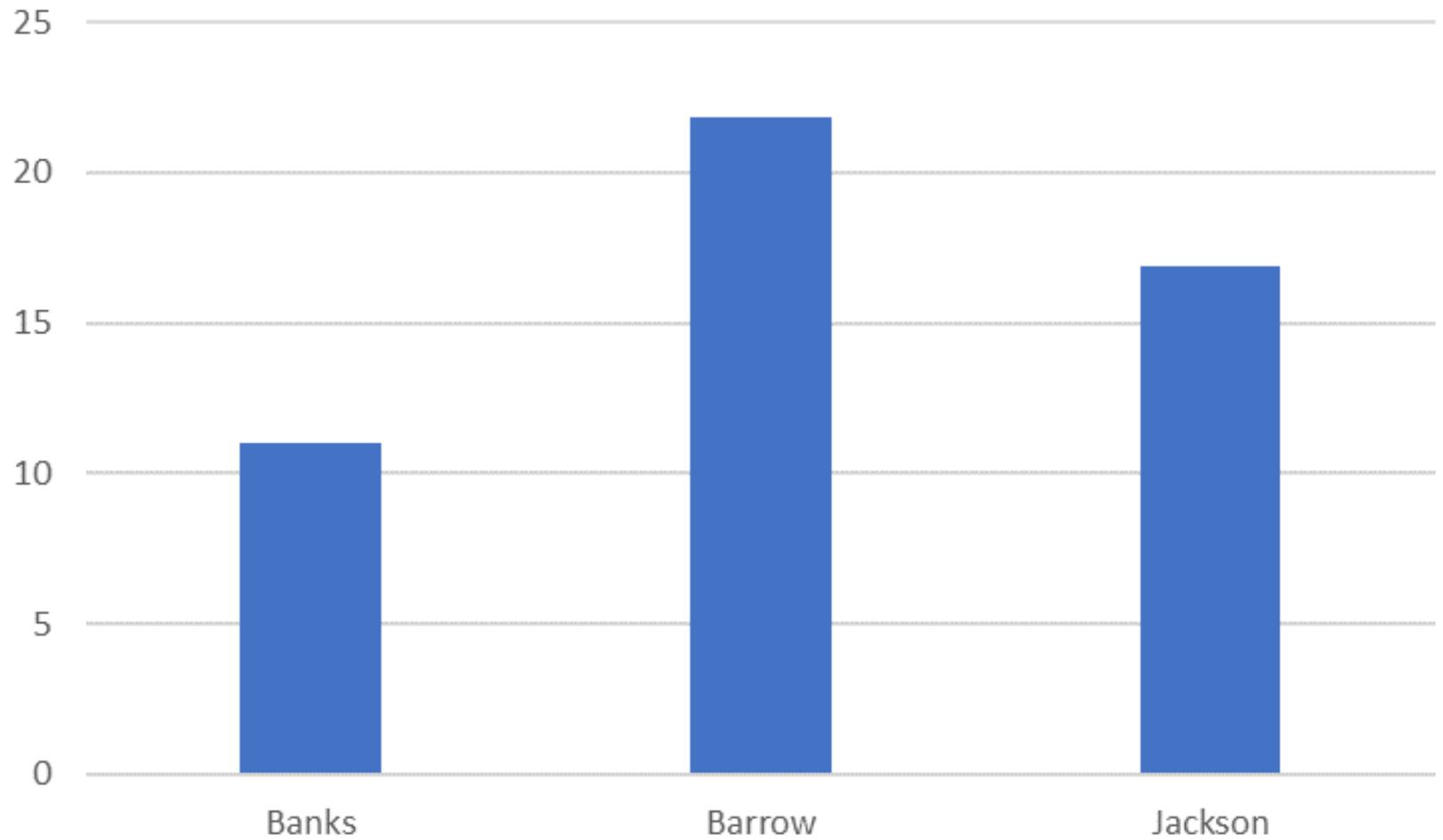
Piedmont average = 12 per 10,000 per month
Statewide average = 8.7 per 10,000 per month



SUBSTANTIATED REPORTS PER 10K CHILDREN IN POPULATION June 2021 – May 2022

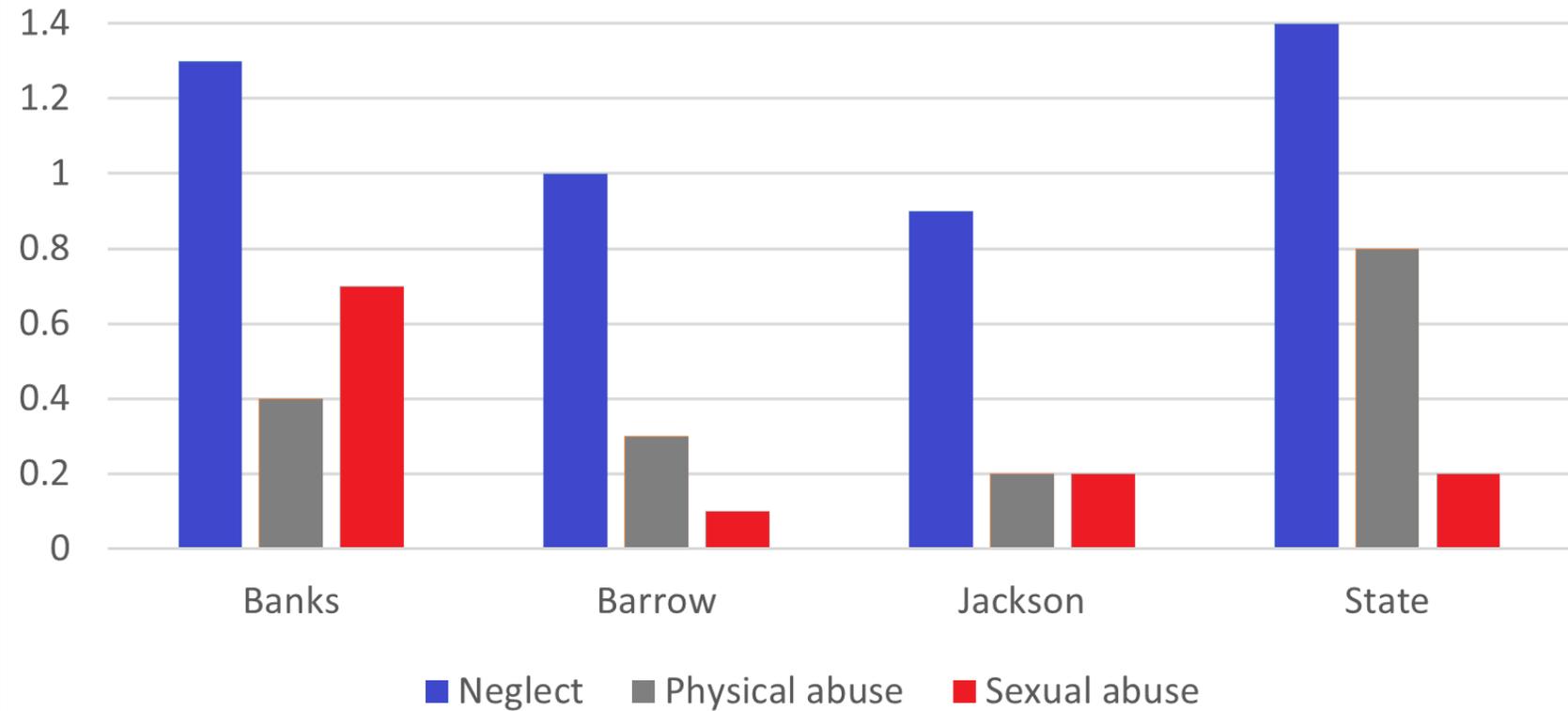


PERCENTAGE OF
INVESTIGATIONS
SUBSTANTIATED
June 2021 – May 2022



MALTREATMENT TYPES AMONG SUBSTANTIATED CASES PER 10K CHILDREN IN POPULATION

June 2021 – May 2022



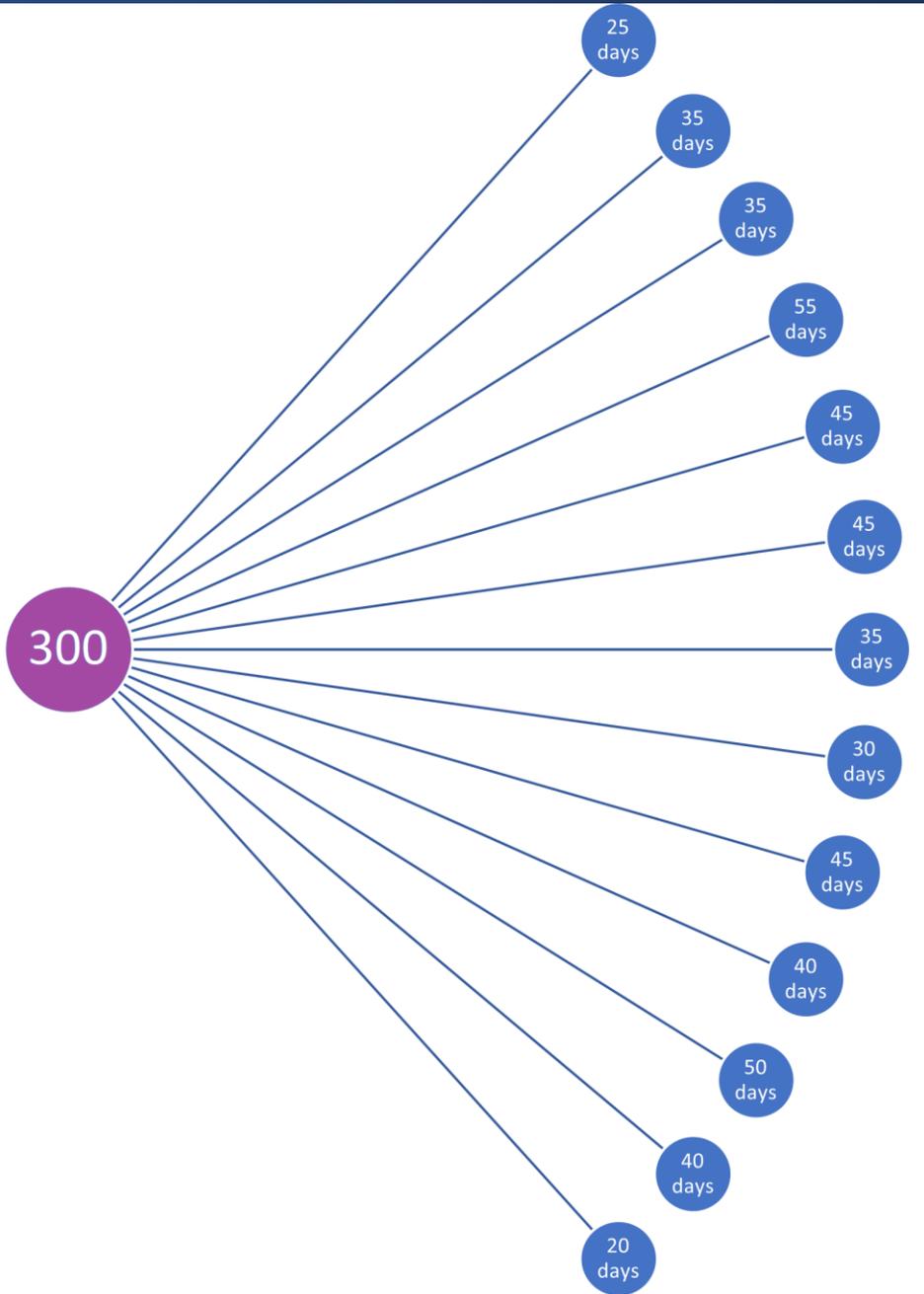
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Family Regulation

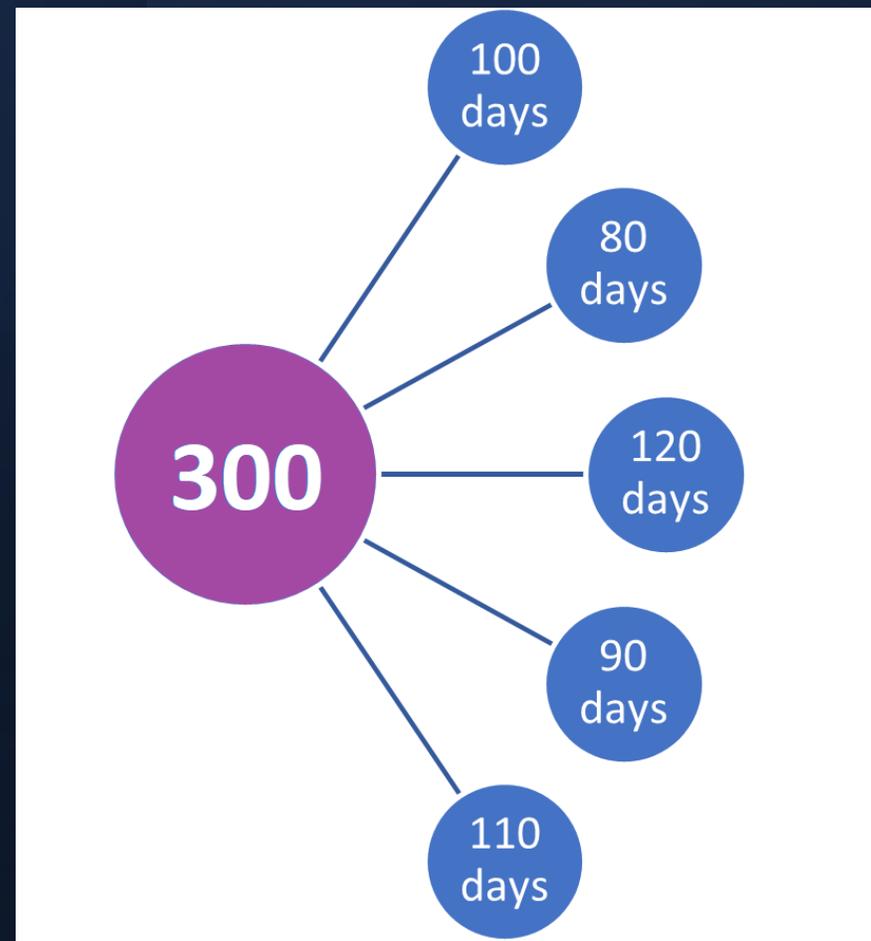
FAMILY REGULATION DAYS



- Person-time metric
- Count up all days that all children in a region were in open CPS cases
 - Open CPS cases = investigation or family support
 - Does not include family preservation cases
- Provides a picture of families and children touched by DFCS

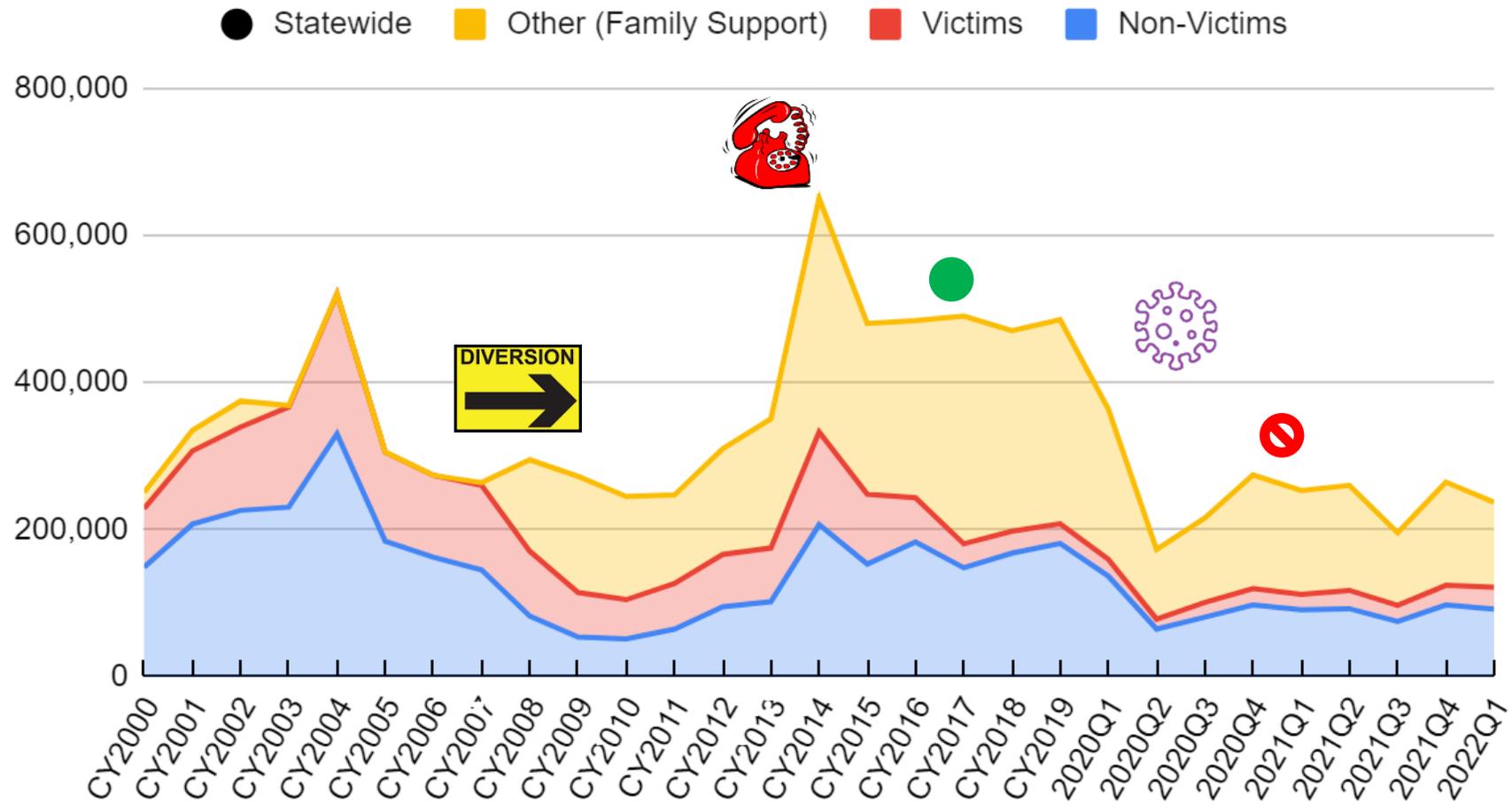


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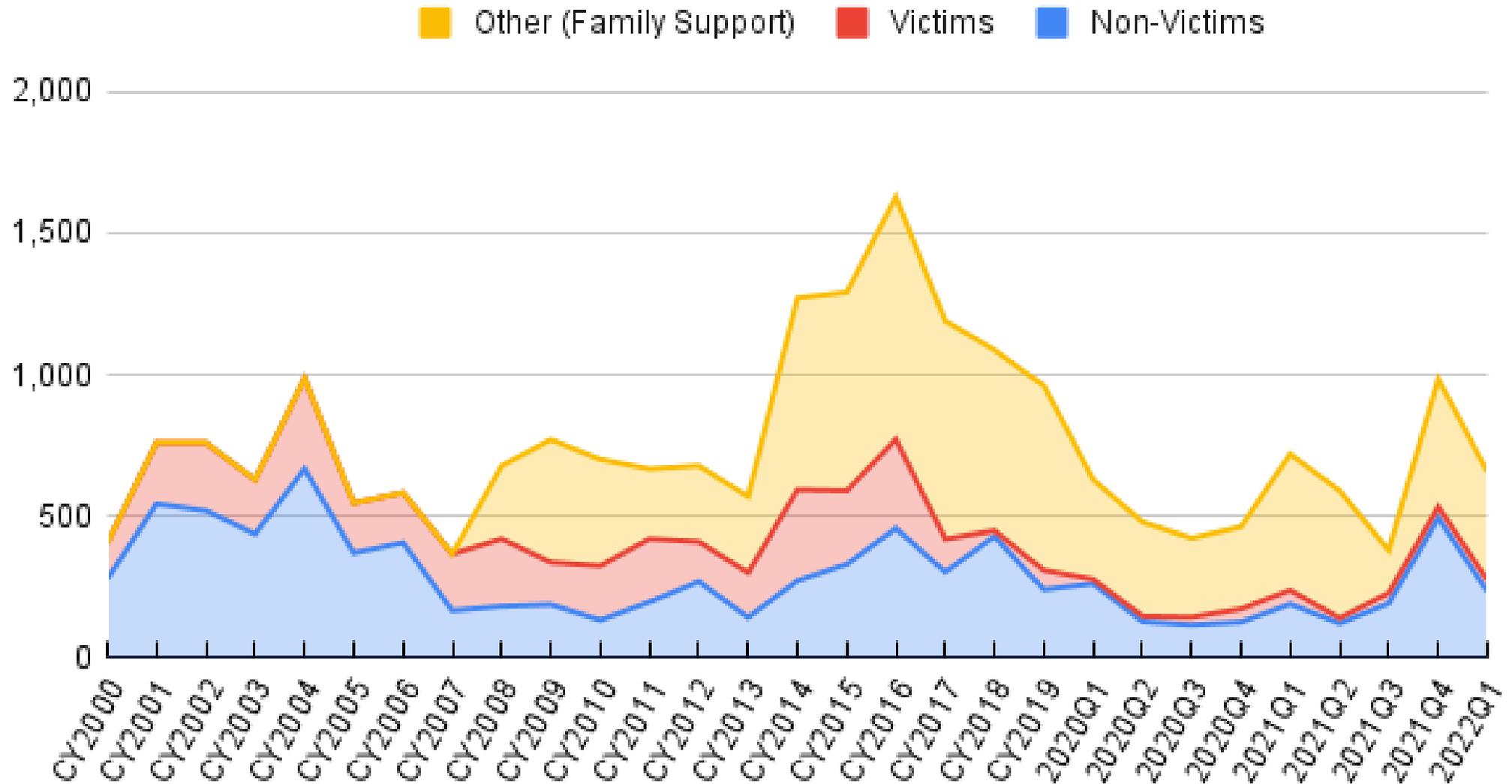


GEORGIA FAMILY REGULATION DAYS

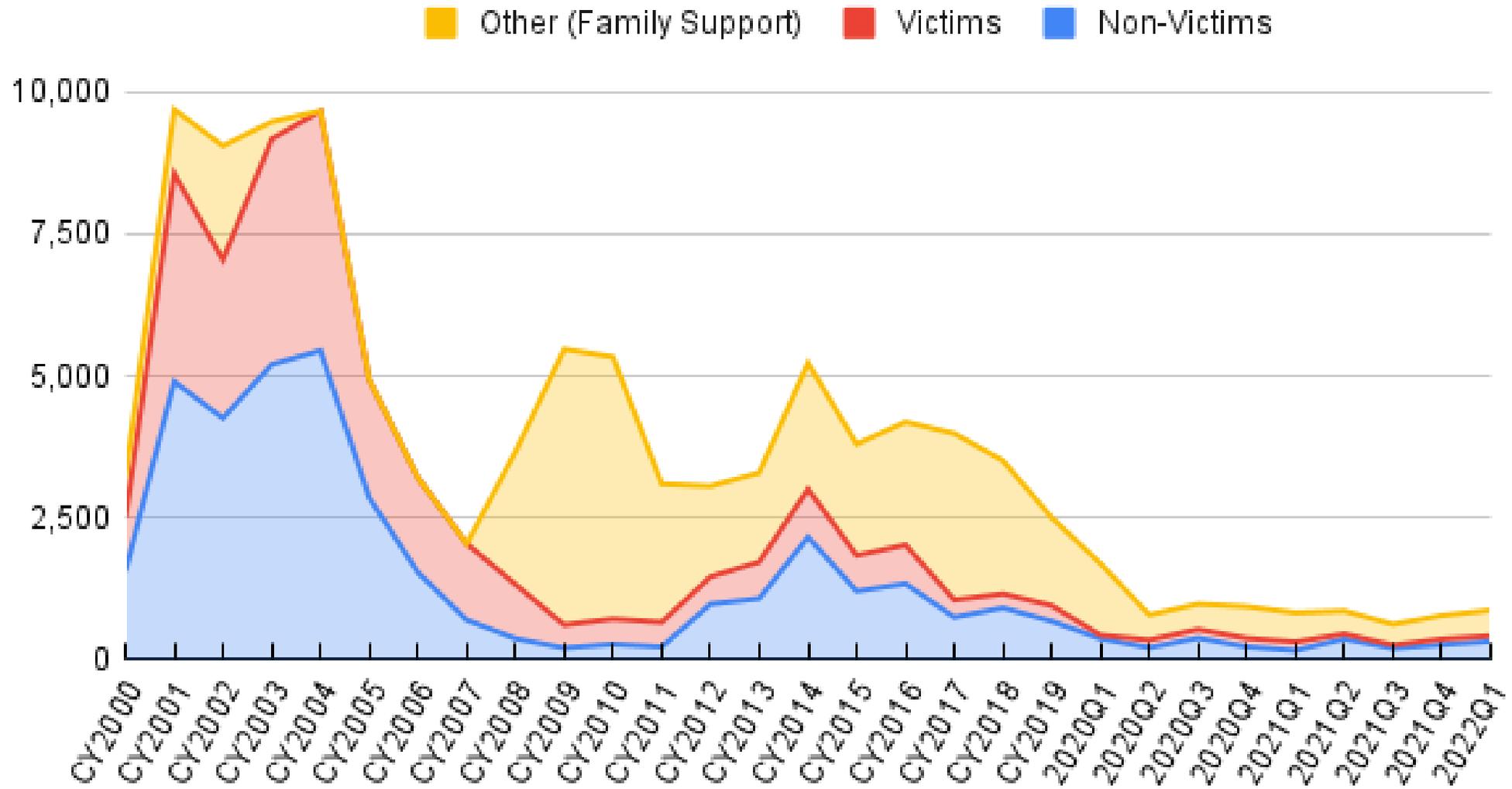
GA: Monthly Family Regulation Days



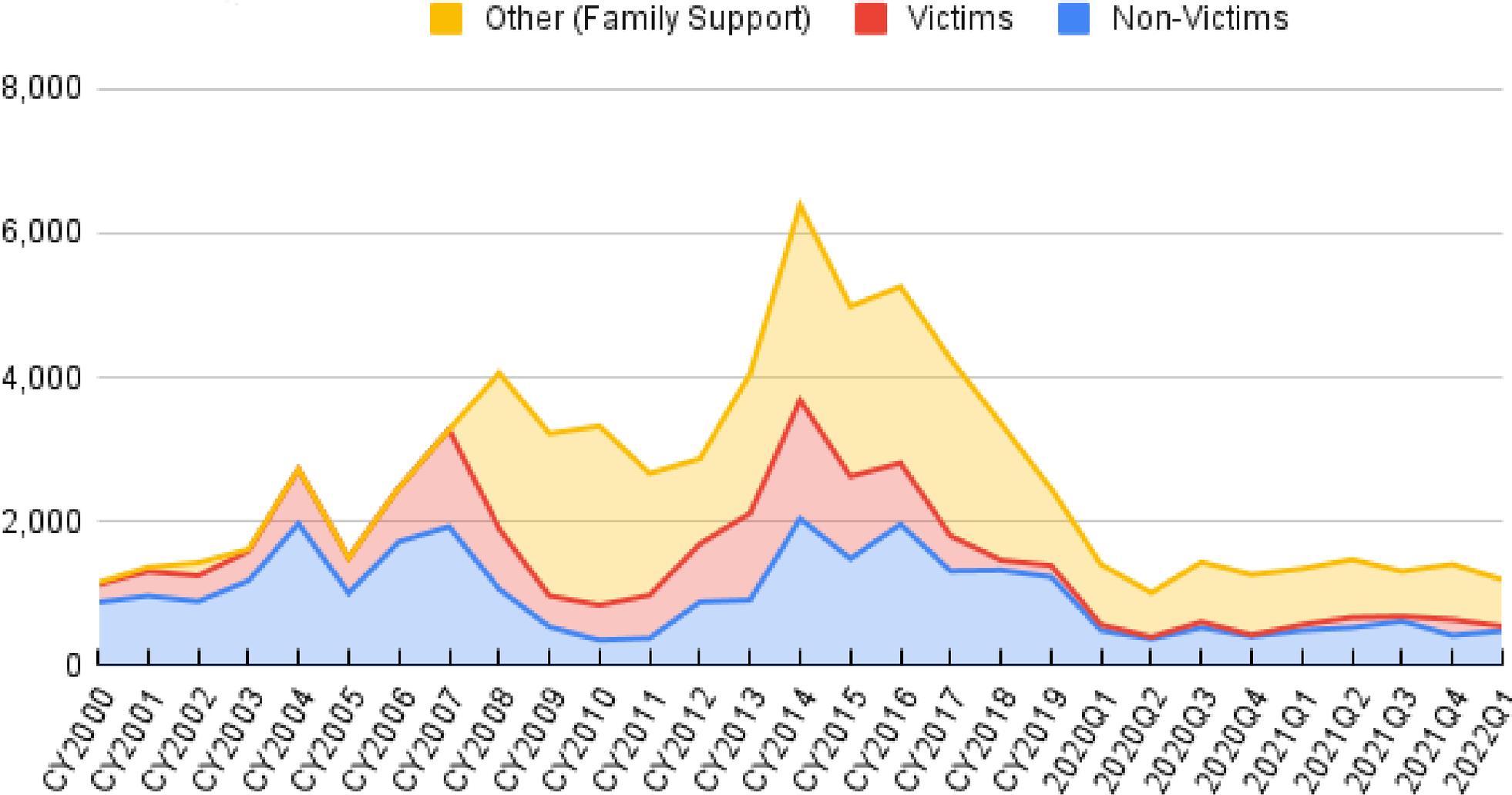
BANKS COUNTY



BARROW COUNTY



JACKSON COUNTY



RACIAL DISPARITY RATIO

a

days/year that minority race children spend in family regulation
of minority race children in population

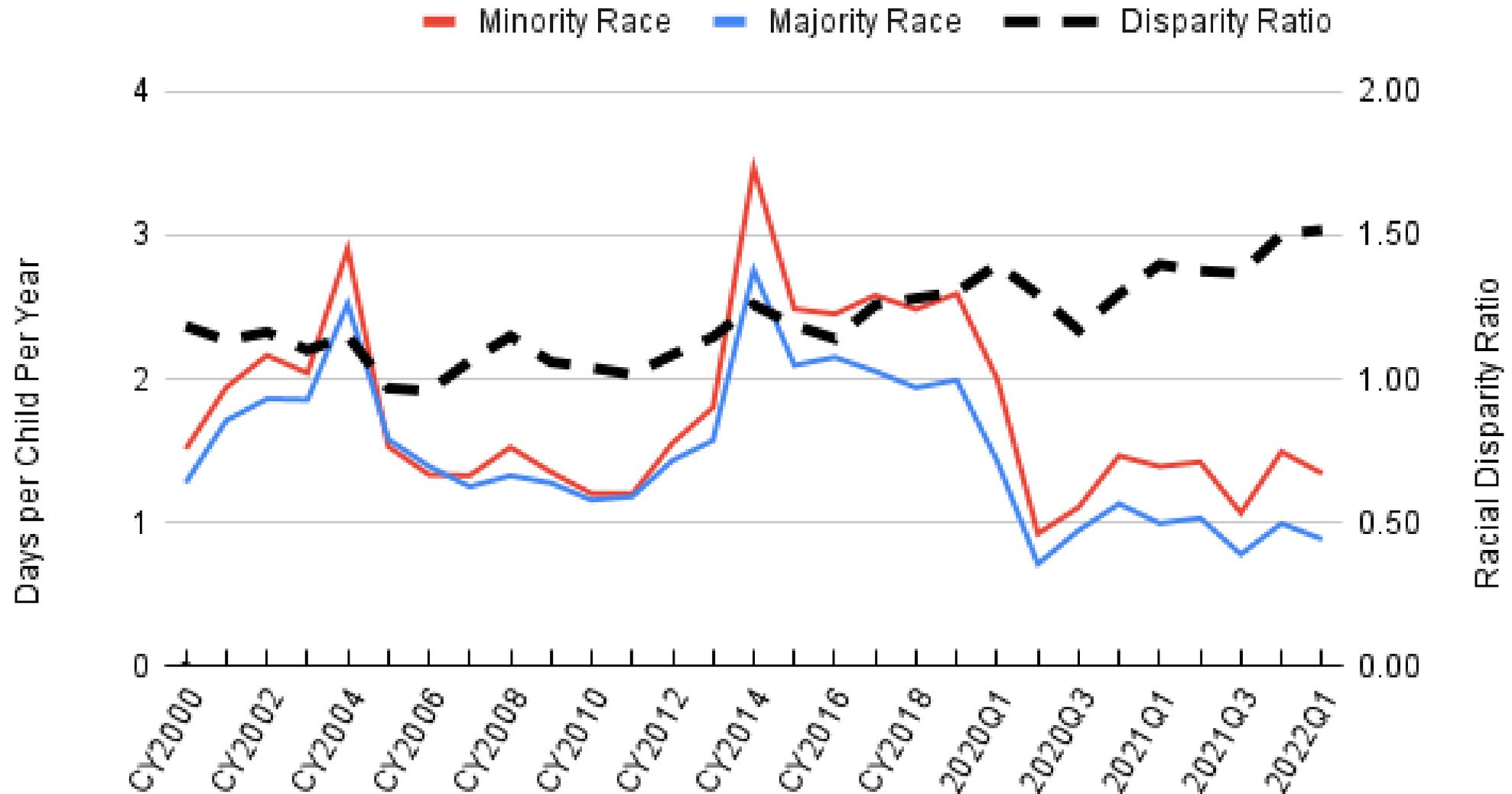
b

days/year that majority race children spend in family regulation
of majority race children in population

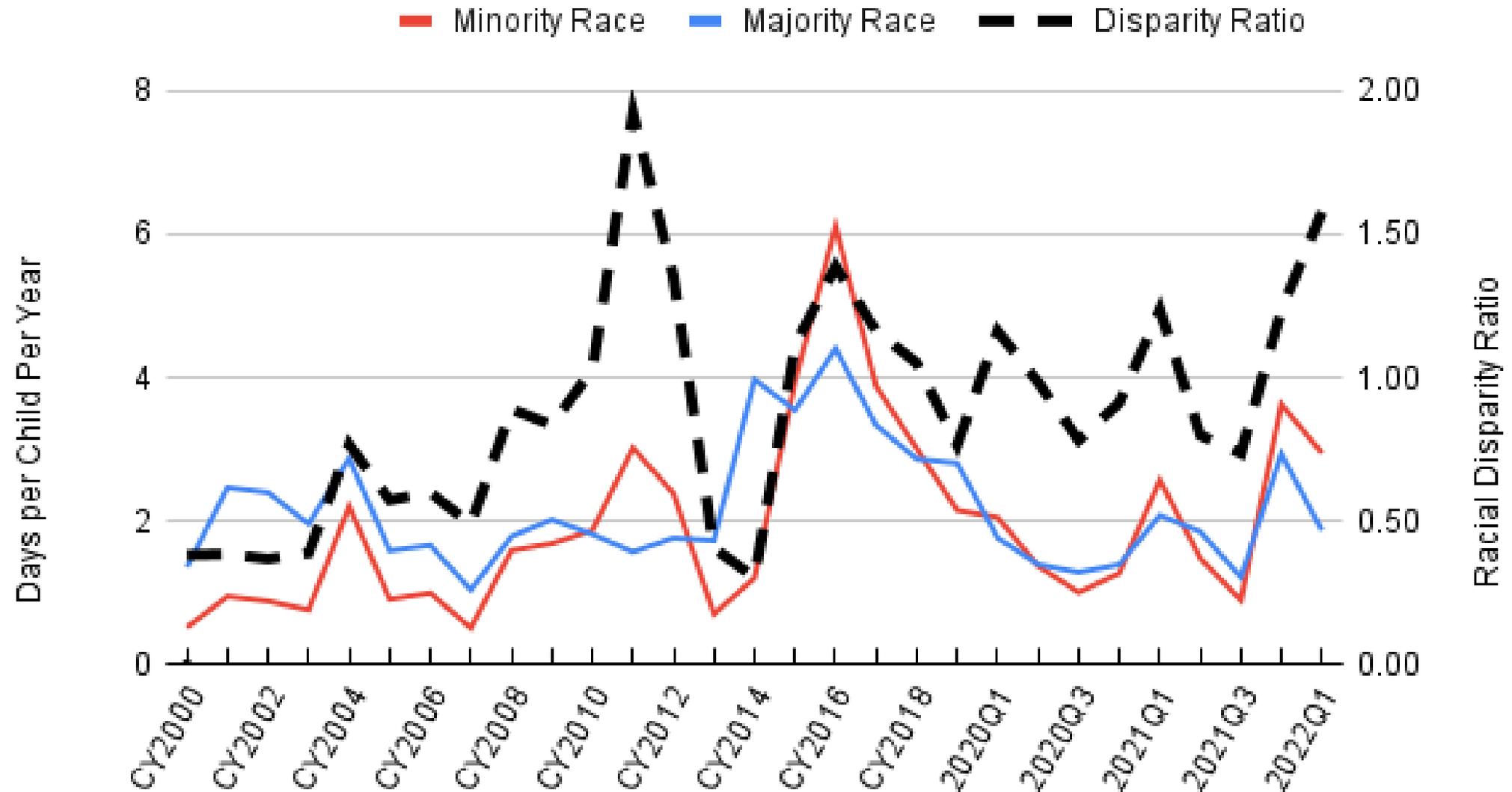
$$\frac{a}{b}$$

racial disparity ratio

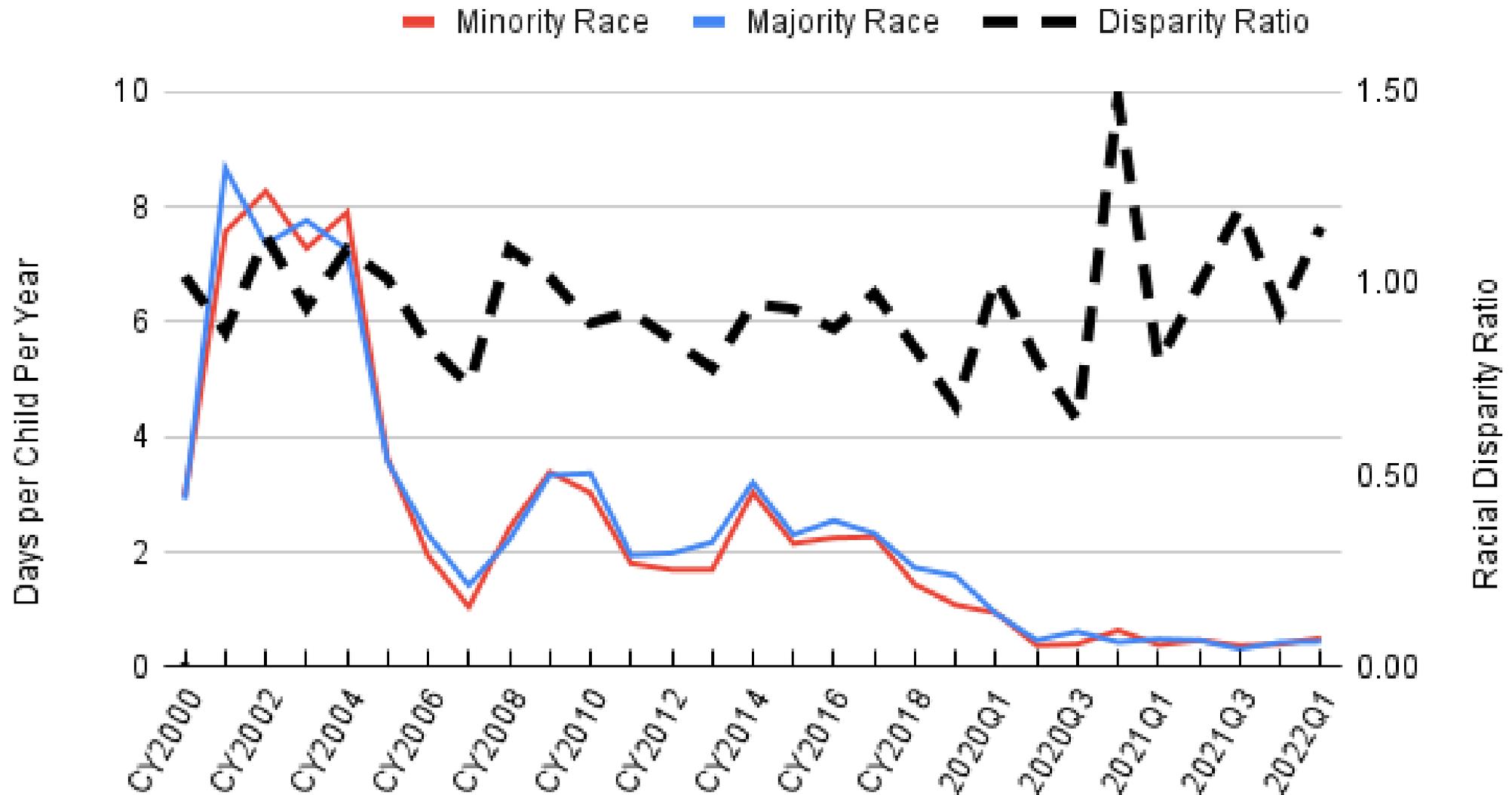
MONTHLY FAMILY REGULATION DAYS GEORGIA



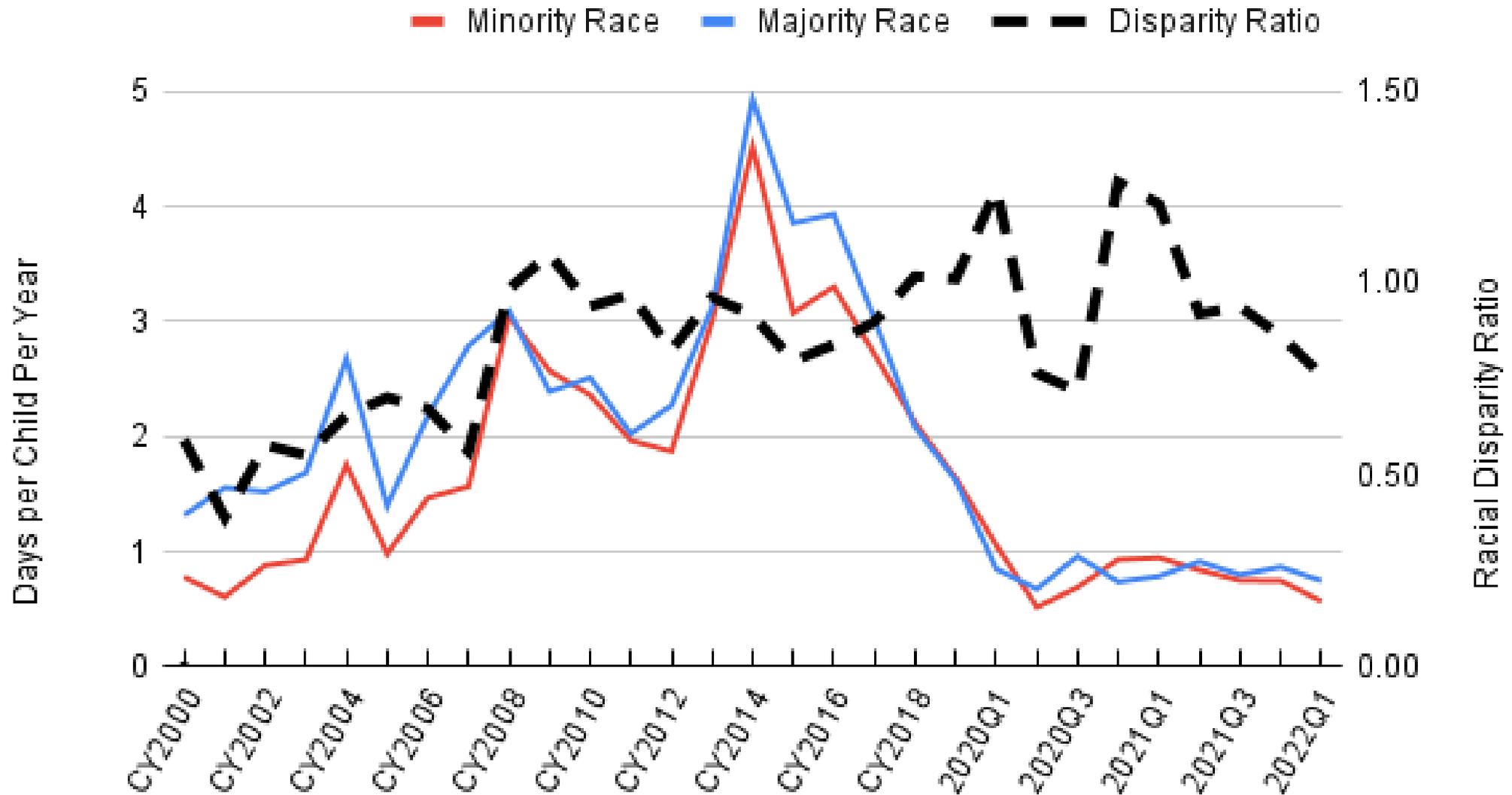
MONTHLY FAMILY REGULATION DAYS PER CHILD PER YEAR BANKS COUNTY



MONTHLY FAMILY REGULATION DAYS PER CHILD PER YEAR BARROW COUNTY



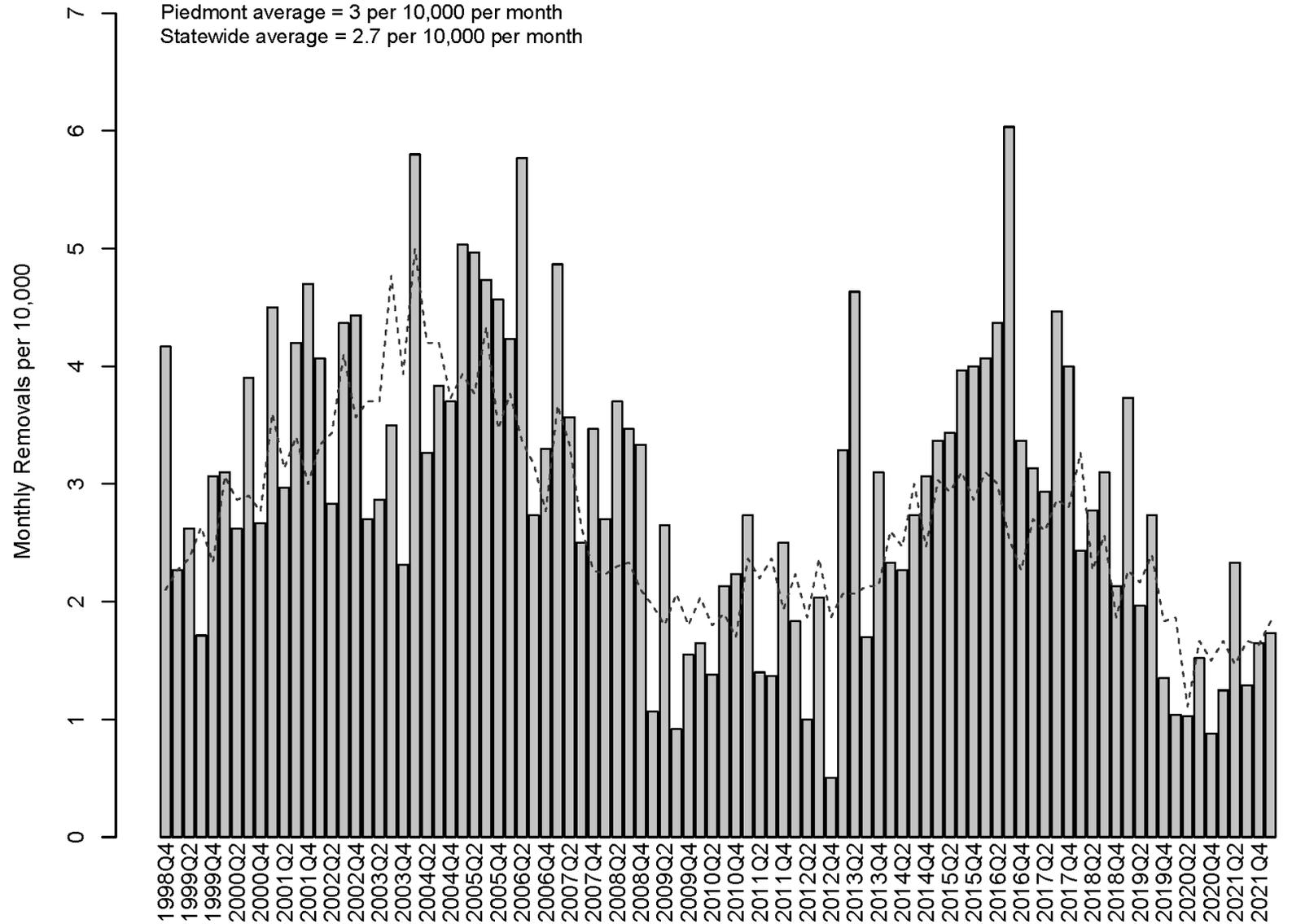
MONTHLY FAMILY REGULATION DAYS PER CHILD PER YEAR JACKSON COUNTY



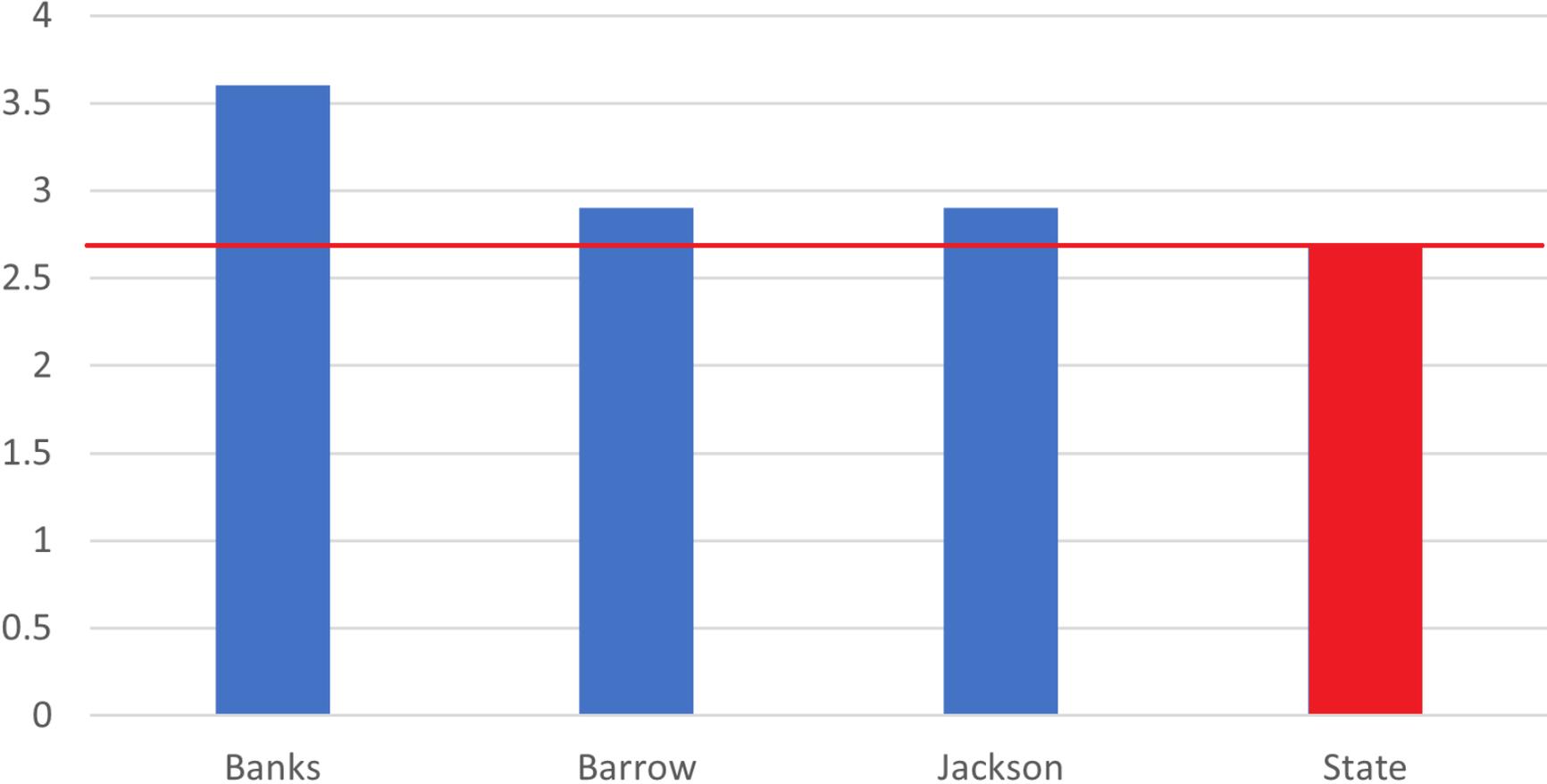
CPS

Removal to Foster Care

PIEDMONT CIRCUIT SUBSTANTIATED VICTIMS REMOVED TO FOSTER CARE PER 10K CHILDREN IN POPULATION Oct 1998 – March 2022

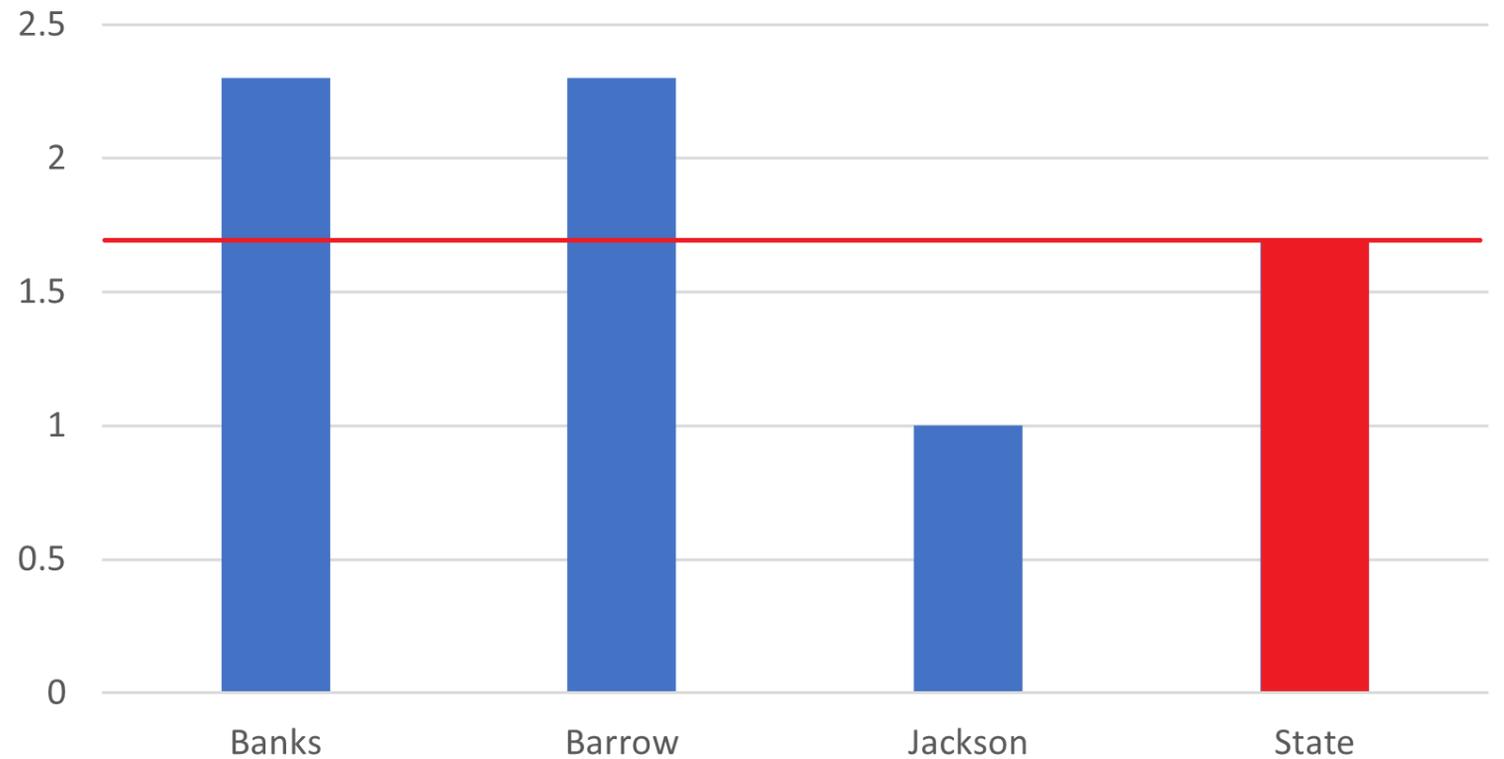


SUBSTANTIATED VICTIMS REMOVED TO FOSTER CARE PER 10K CHILDREN IN POPULATION
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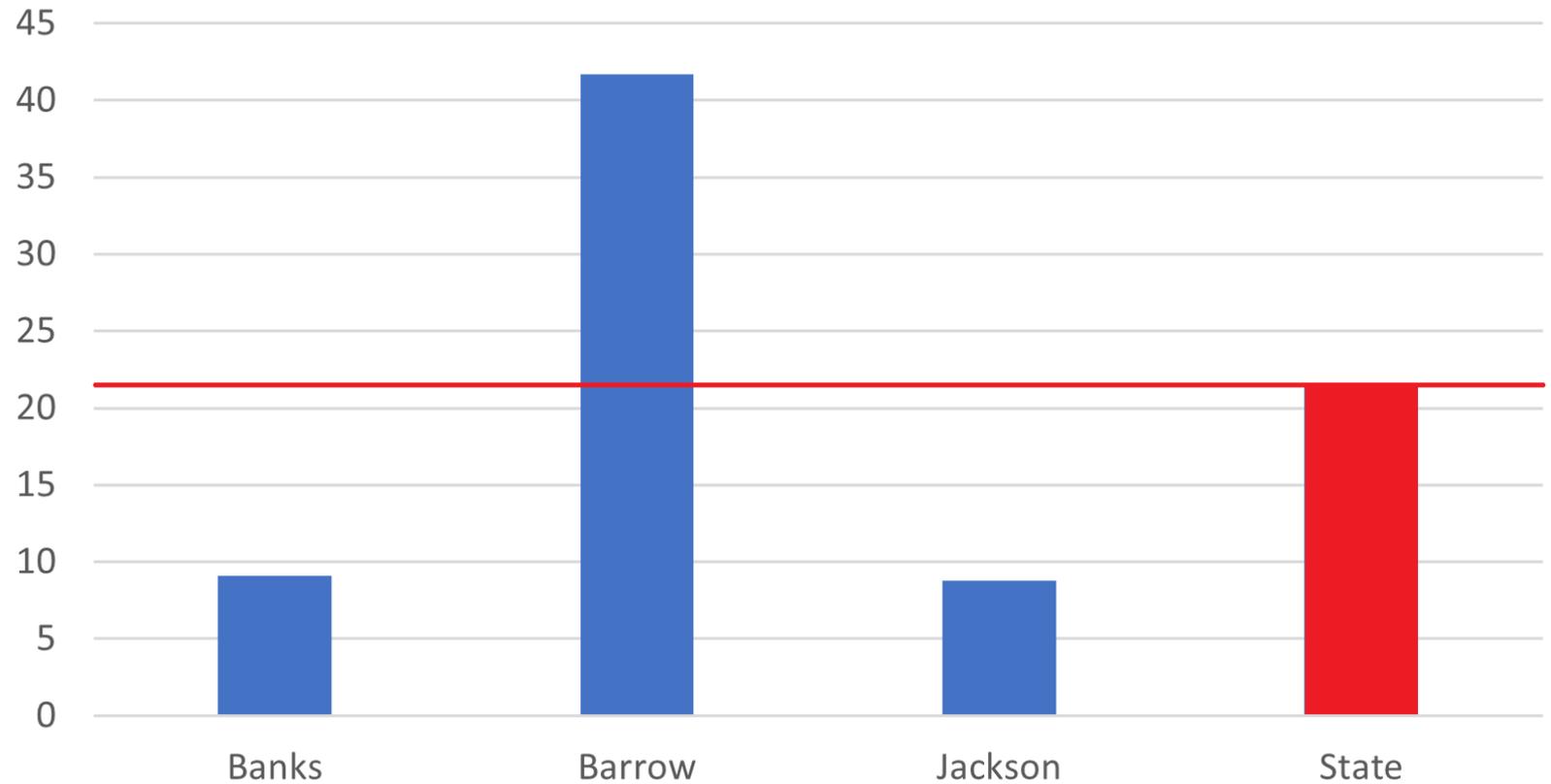


AVERAGE MONTHLY REMOVALS TO FOSTER CARE PER 10K CHILDREN IN POPULATION

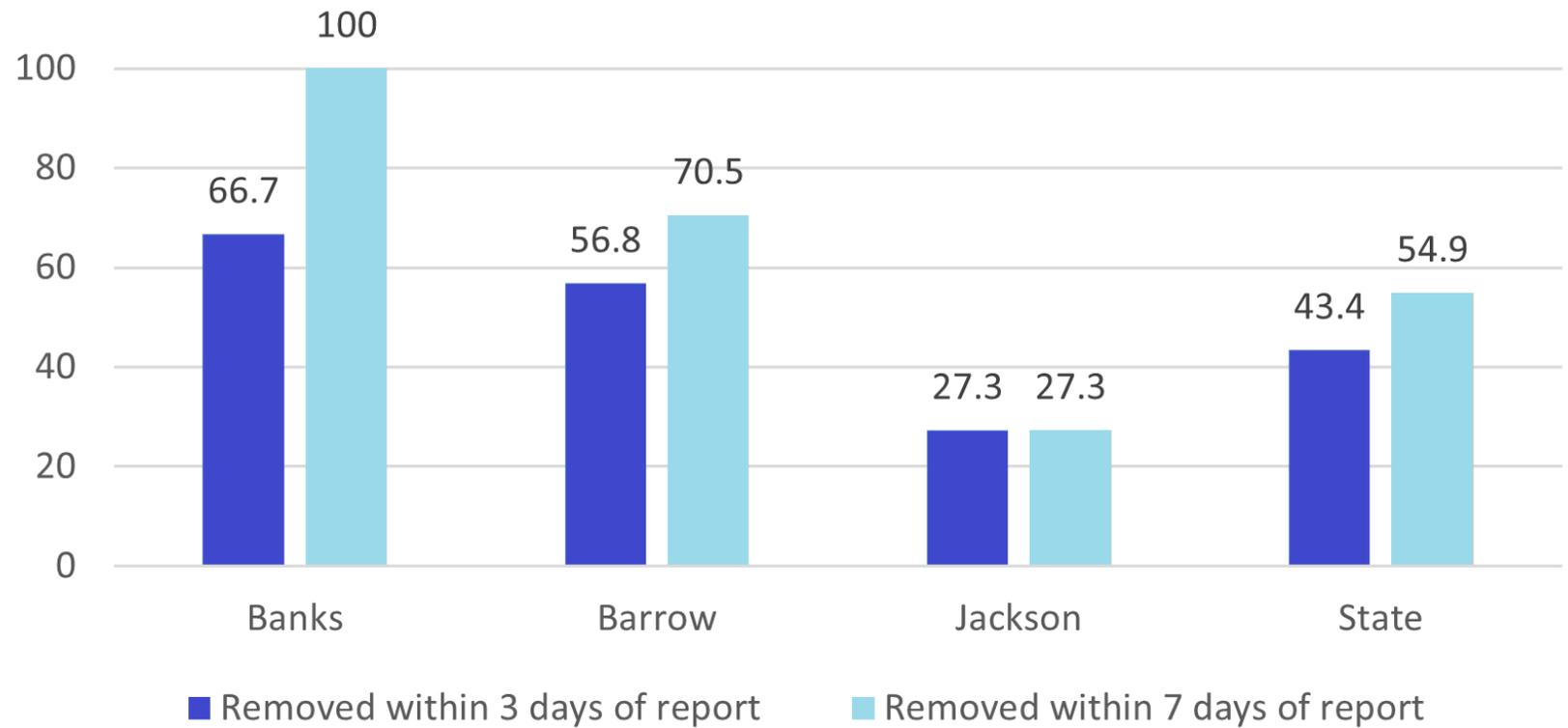
April 2021 – March 2022



PERCENT OF
SUBSTANTIATED
VICTIMS REMOVED
TO FOSTER CARE
April 2021 – March 2022



PERCENTAGE OF
VICTIMS REMOVED
RELATIVE TO DAYS
FROM REPORT
April 2021 – March 2022

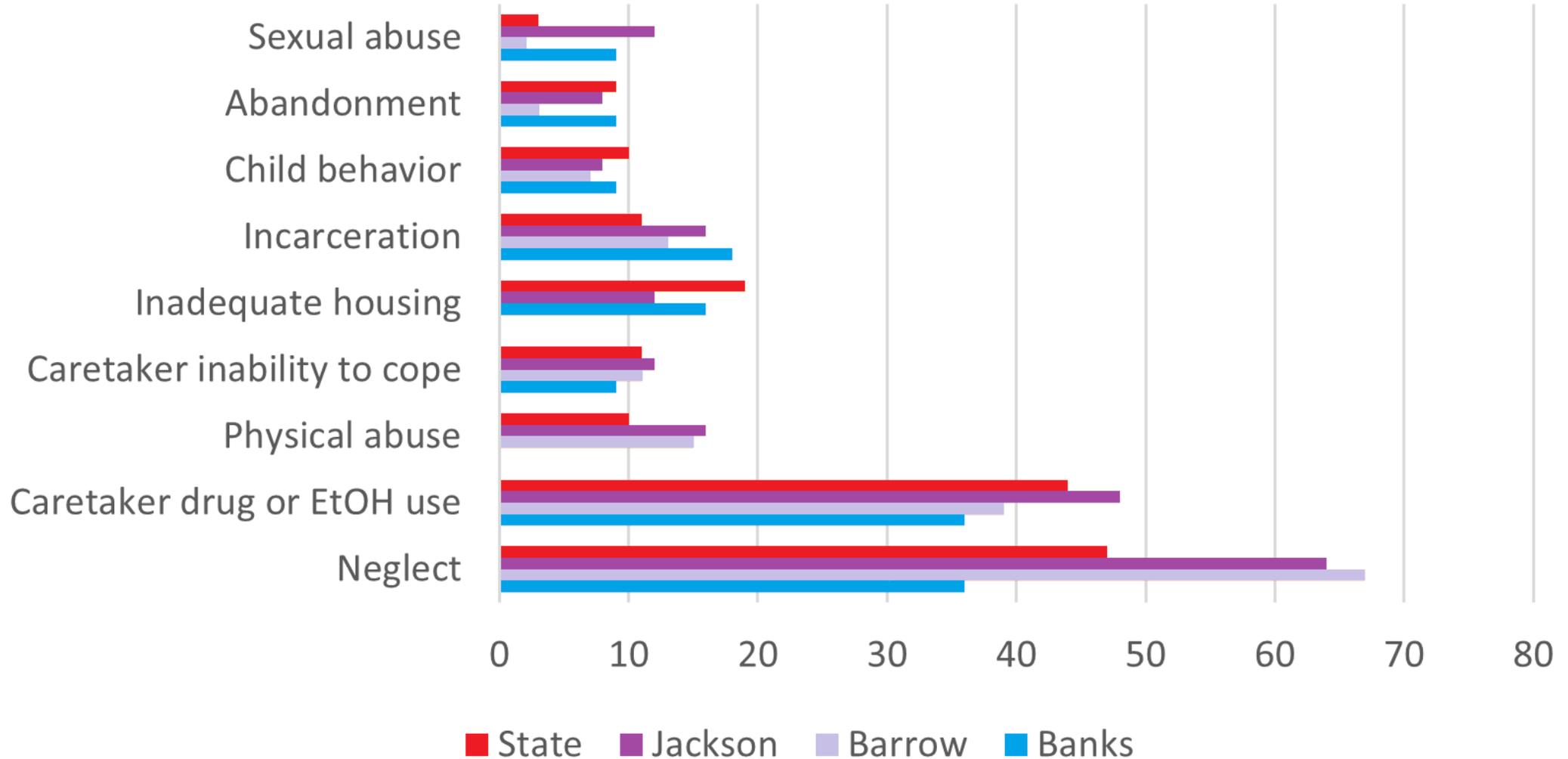


FOSTER CARE

Reasons for Removal

REASONS FOR REMOVAL BY PERCENTAGE

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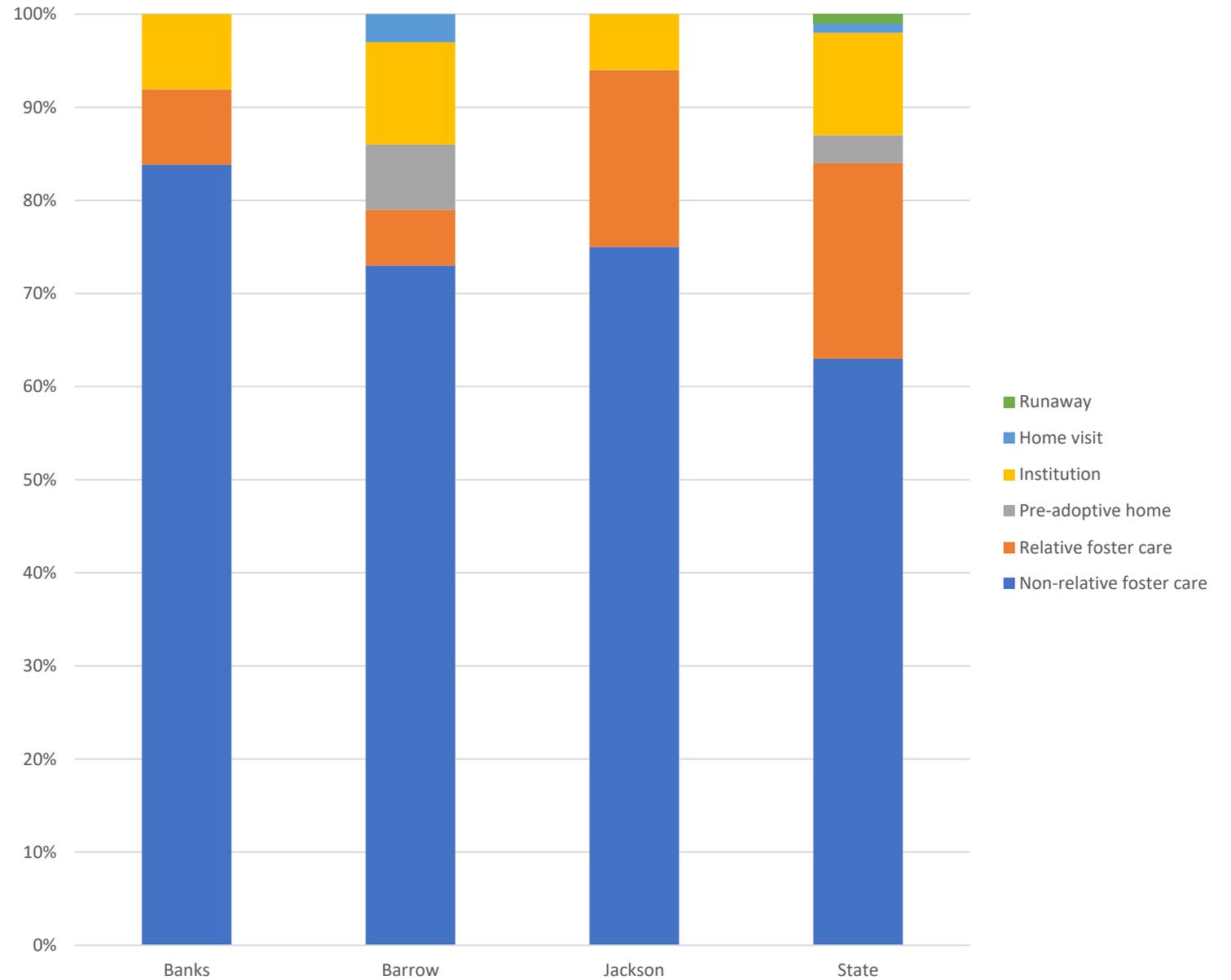


FOSTER CARE

Placement Types

SNAPSHOT OF PLACEMENT TYPES

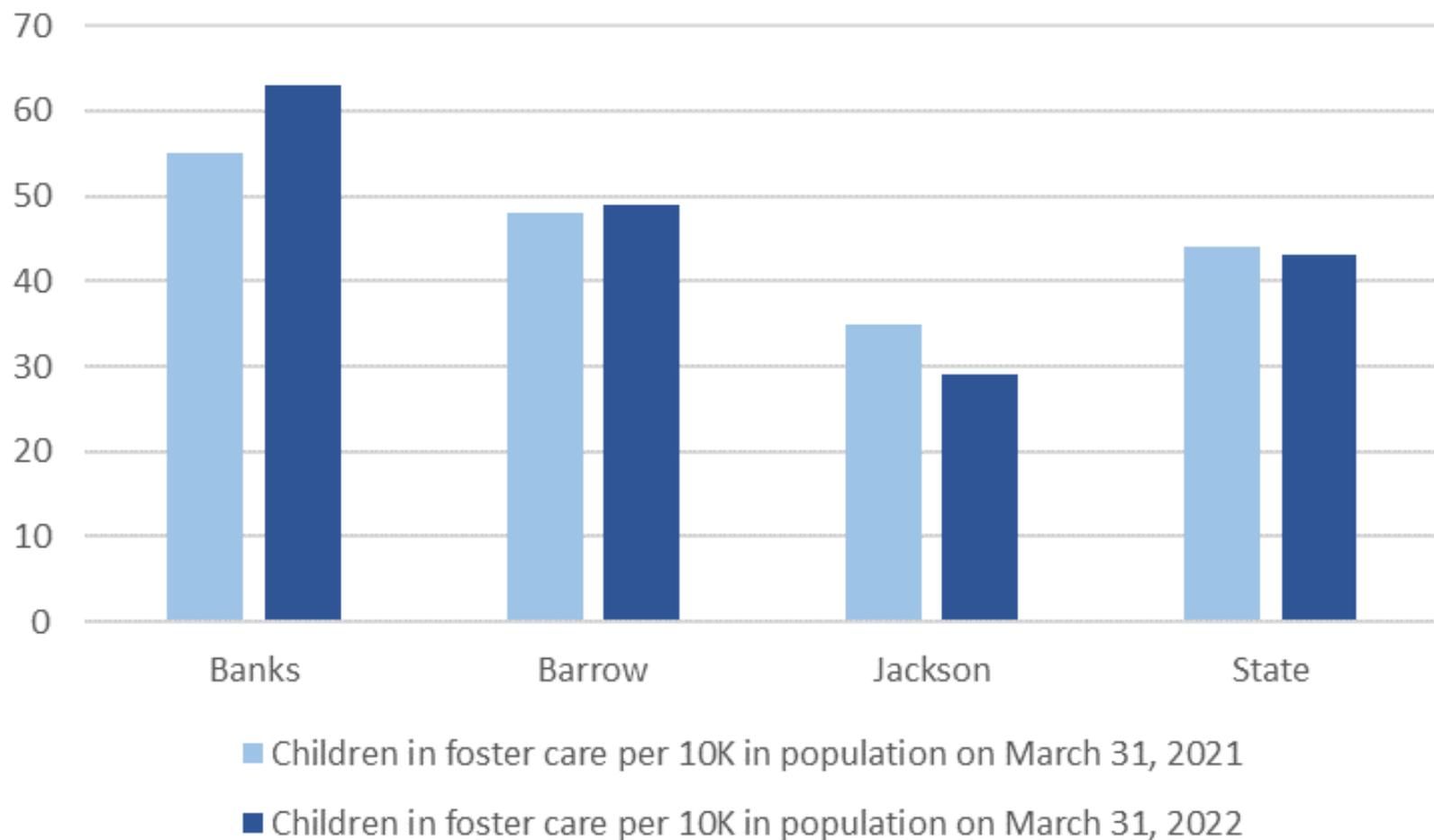
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FOSTER CARE

Total Population

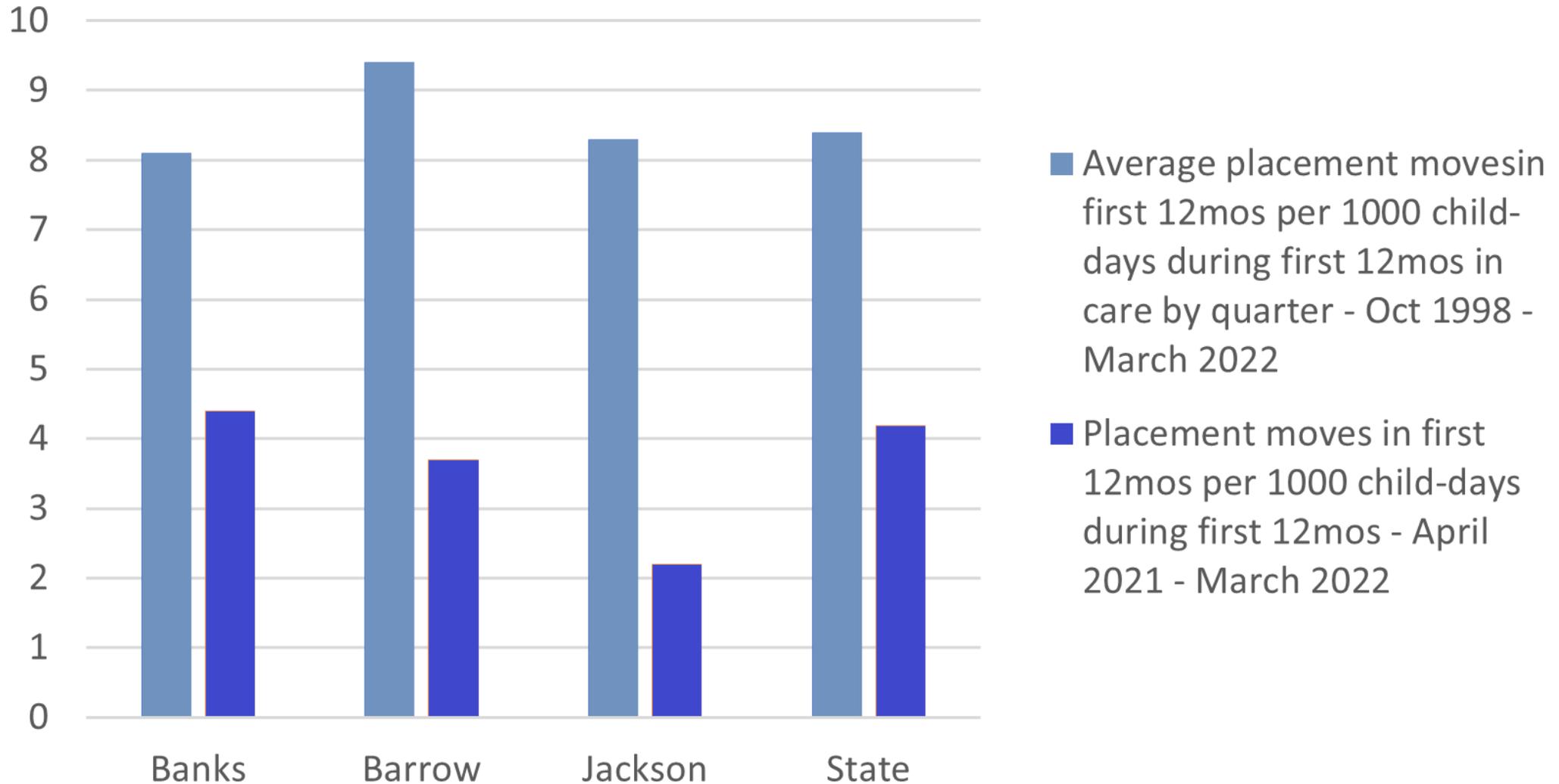
CHILDREN IN
FOSTER CARE
2021
vs.
2022



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Placement Stability

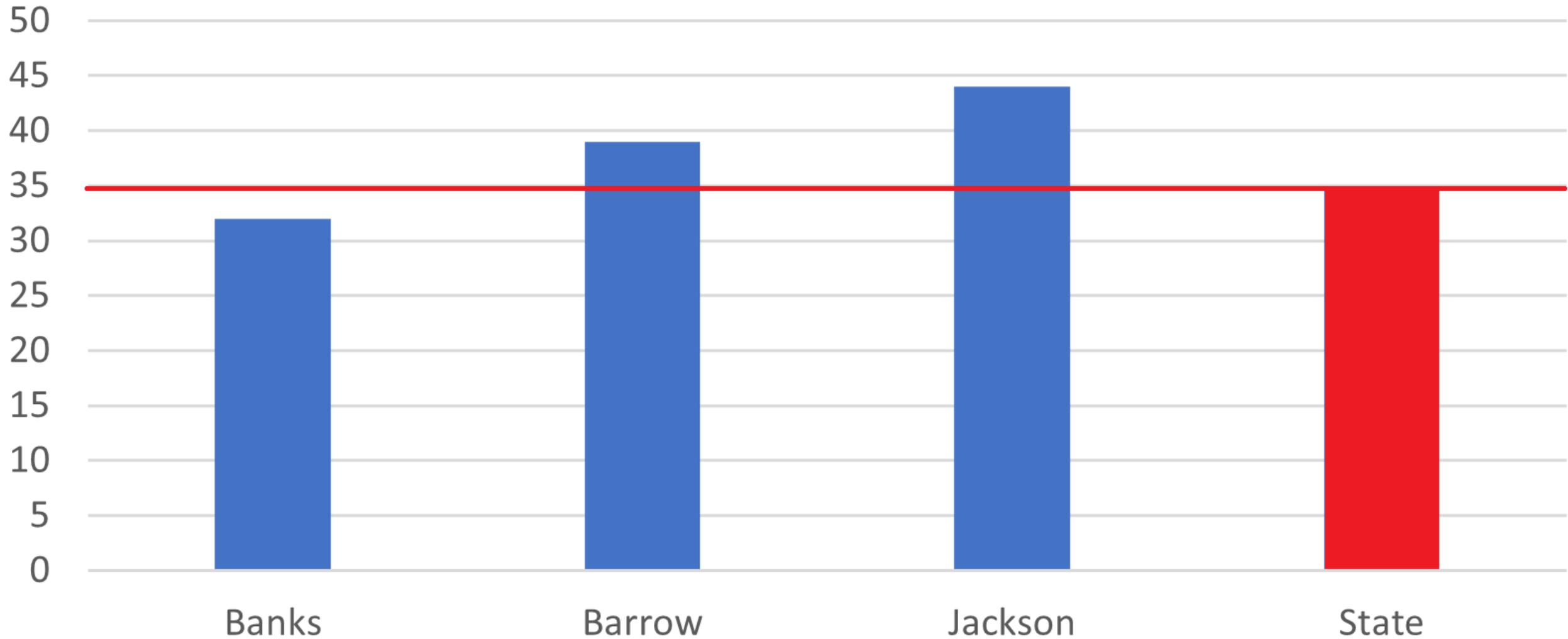
PLACEMENT MOVES



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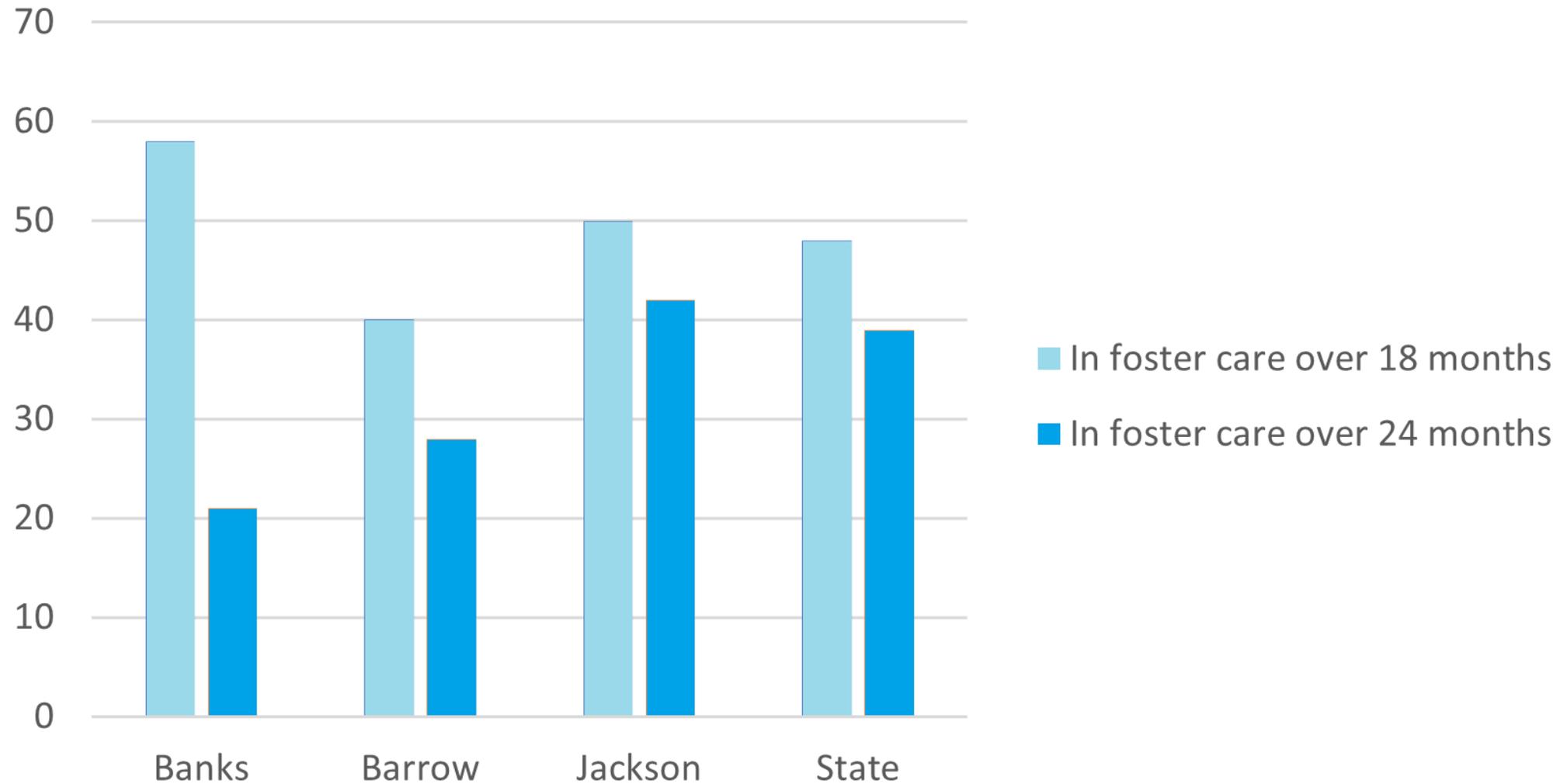
Length of Stay

PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
ON MARCH 31, 2021 WHO ACHIEVED
PERMANENCE WITHIN 12 MONTHS



PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN IN LONG STAY FOSTER CARE

March 31, 2022

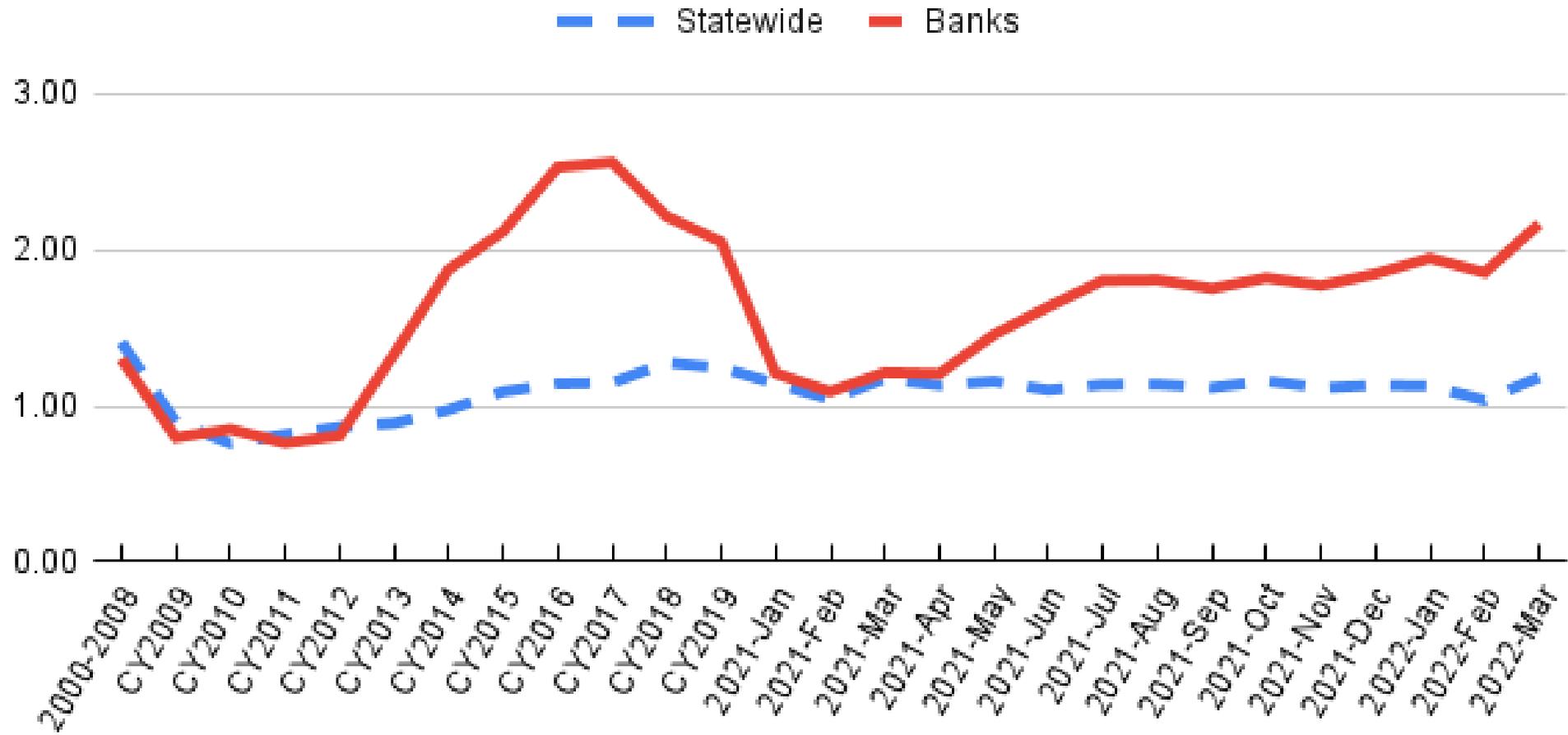


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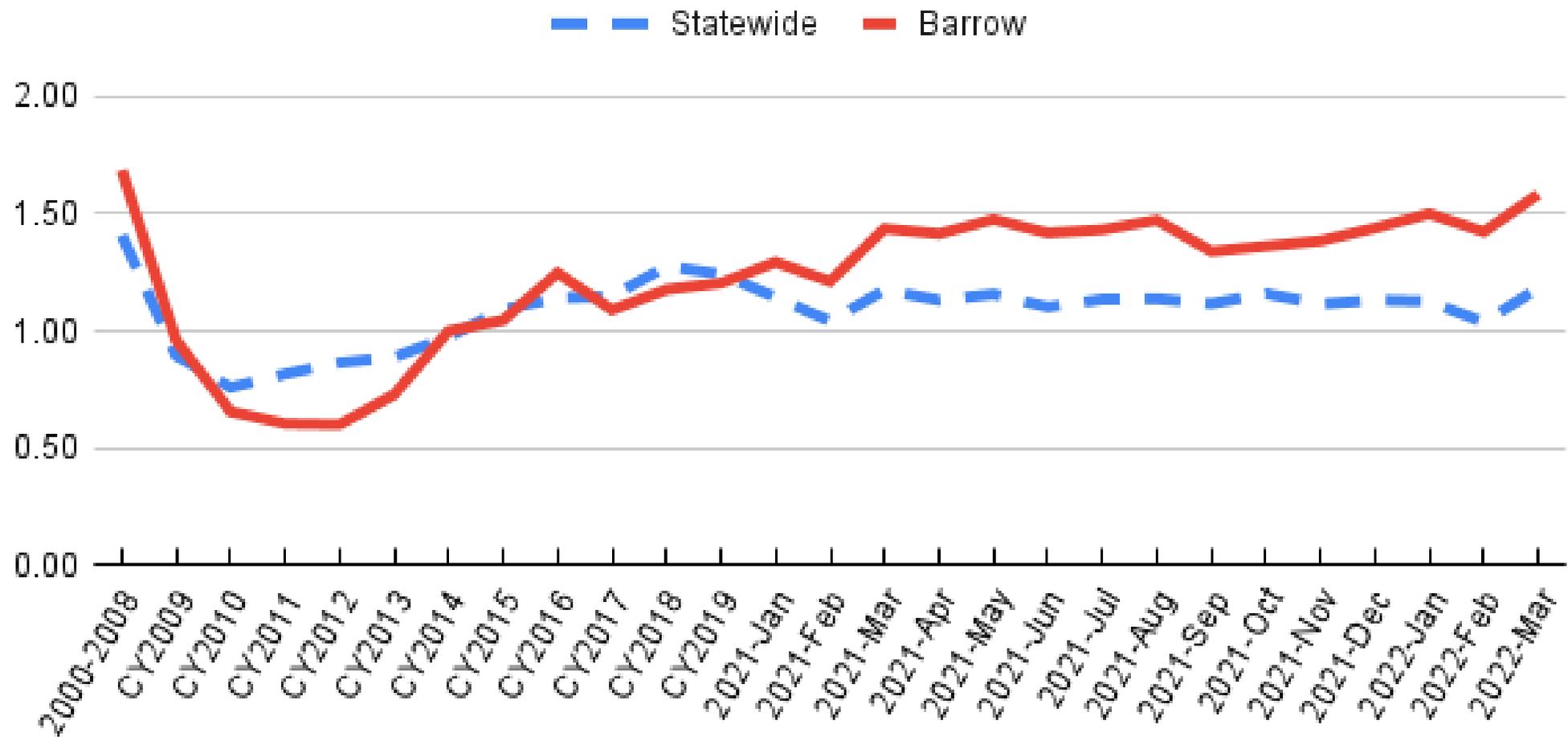
Family Separation Days

FAMILY SEPARATION DAYS

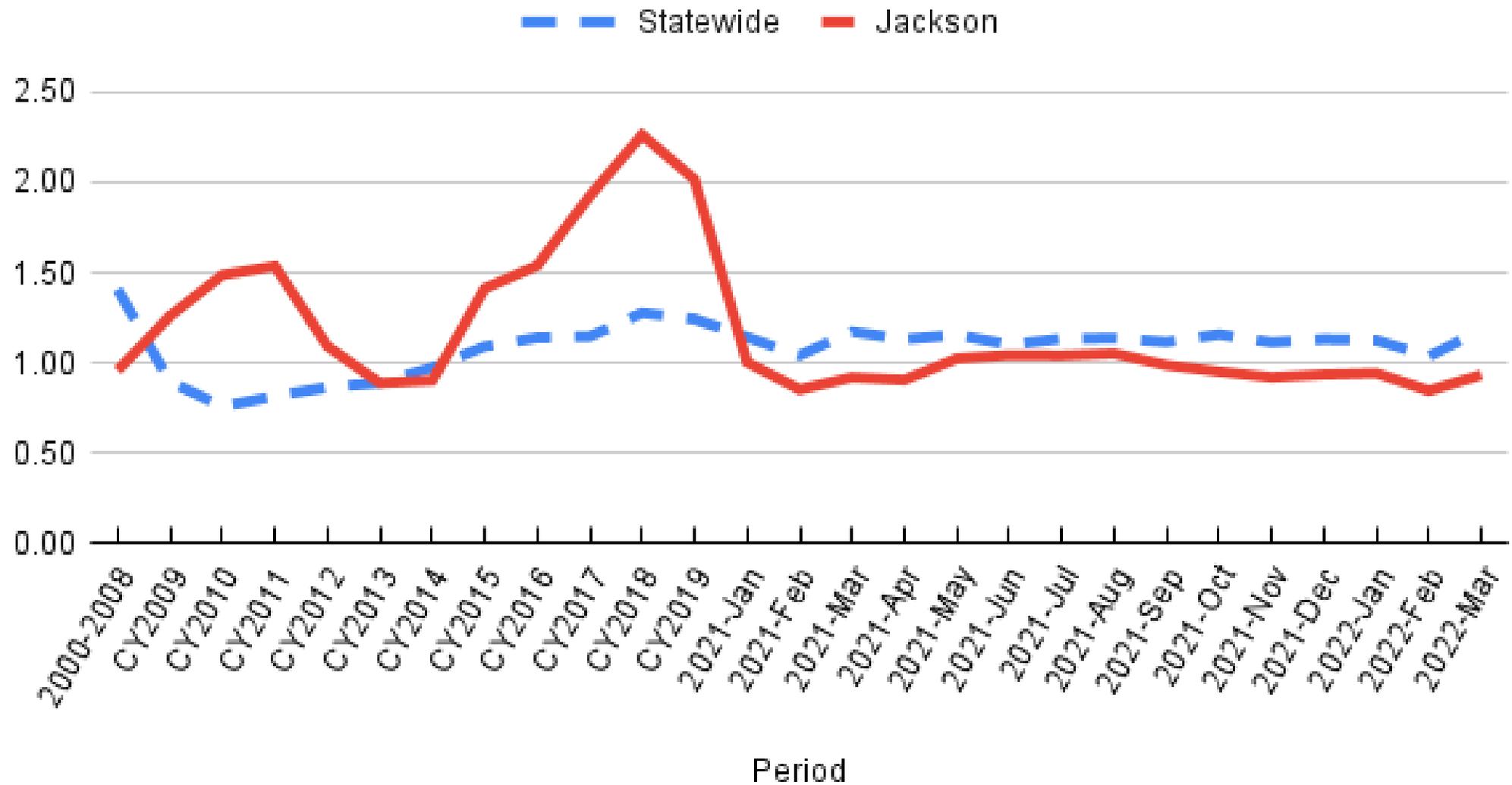
- Another person-time metric
- Count up all days that all children in a region were in non-family placements
 - Non-relative foster care
 - Congregate care
 - Runaway
 - ILP
 - Pre-adoption placement excluded



BANKS MONTHLY FAMILY SEPARATION DAYS PER CHILD PER YEAR

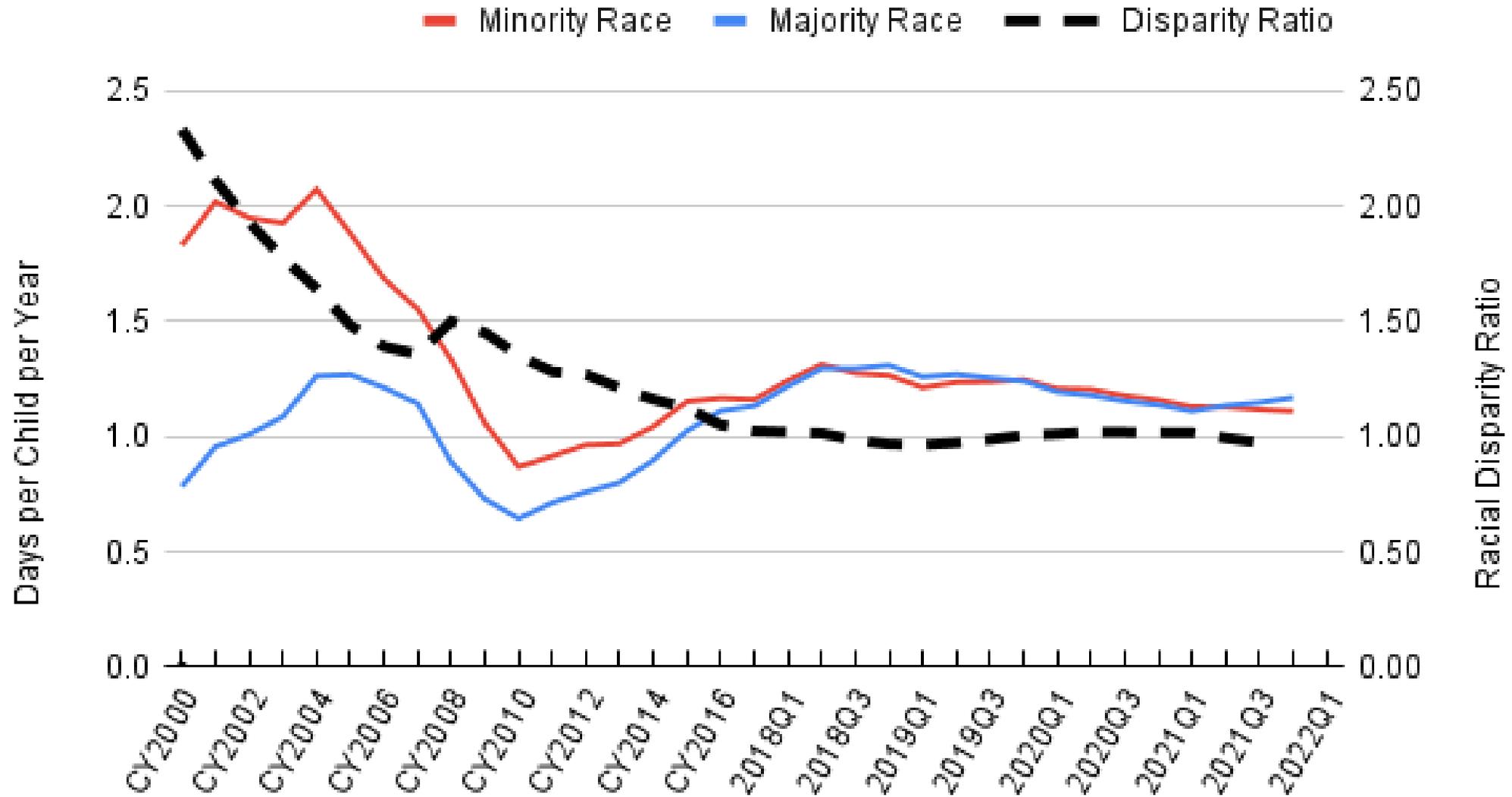


BARROW MONTHLY FAMILY SEPARATION DAYS PER CHILD PER YEAR

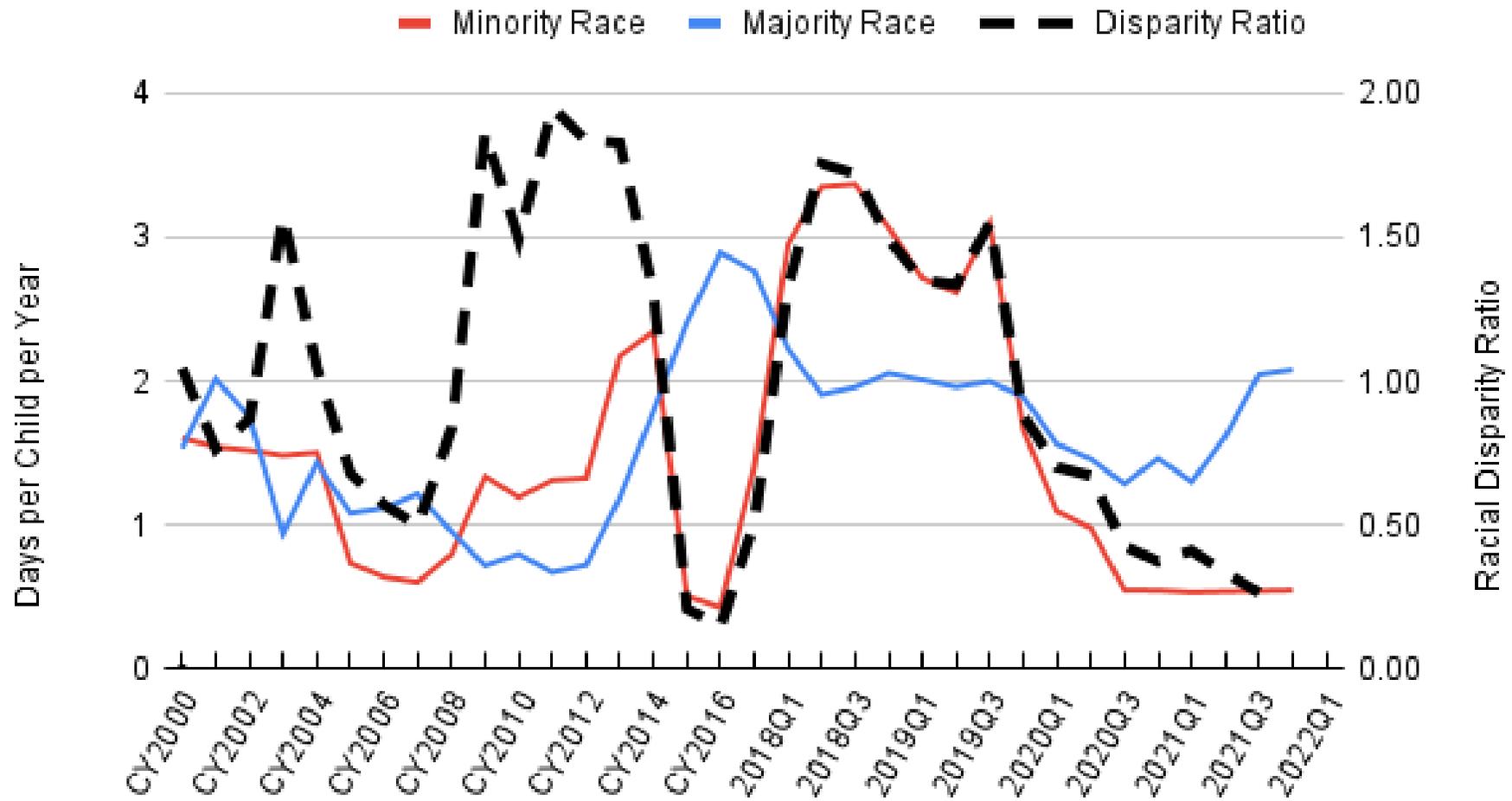


JACKSON MONTHLY FAMILY SEPARATION DAYS PER CHILD PER YEAR

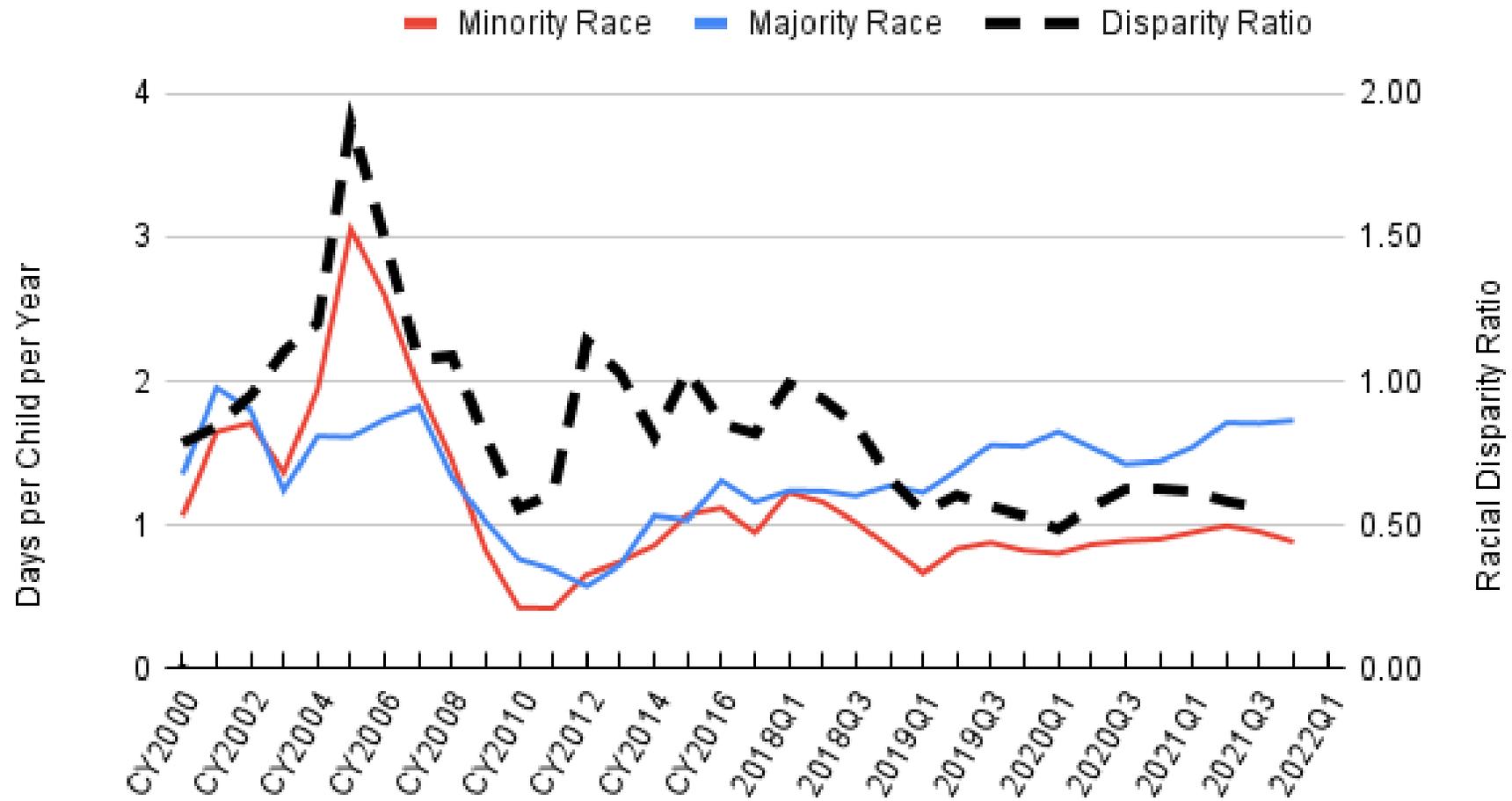
GEORGIA MONTHLY FAMILY SEPARATION DAYS PER CHILD PER YEAR



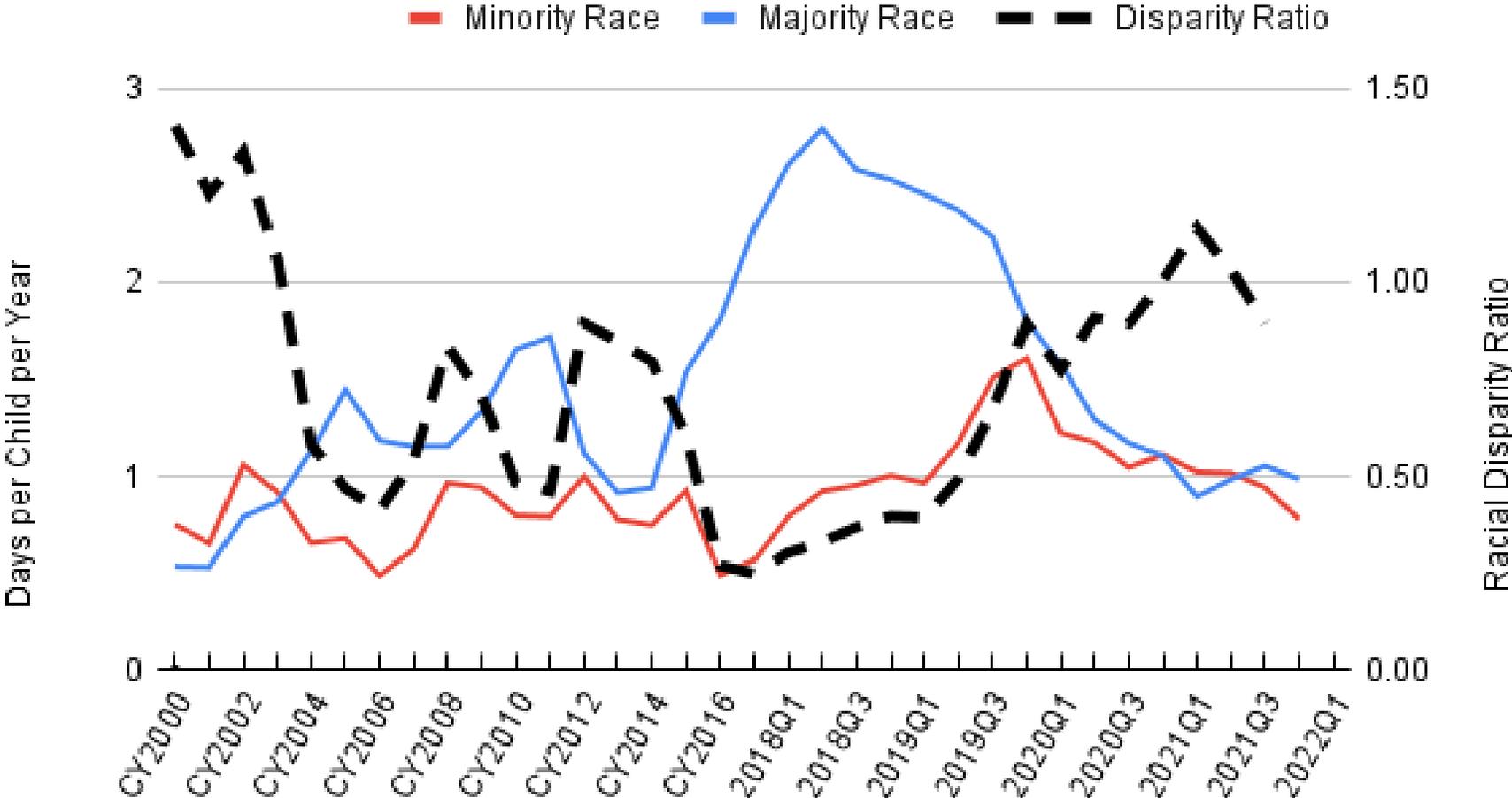
BANKS



BARROW



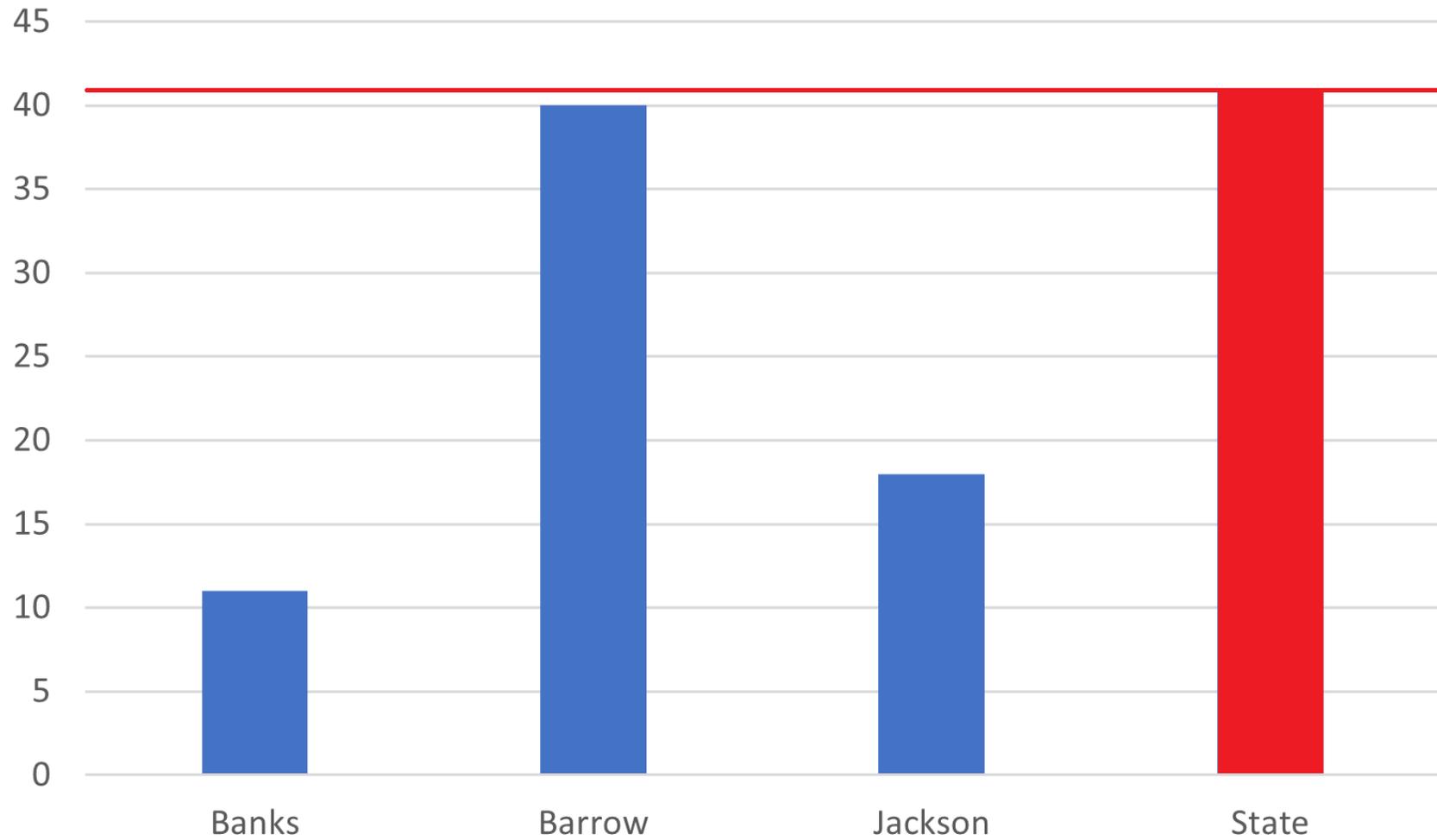
JACKSON



DISCHARGES FROM FOSTER CARE

Reunification

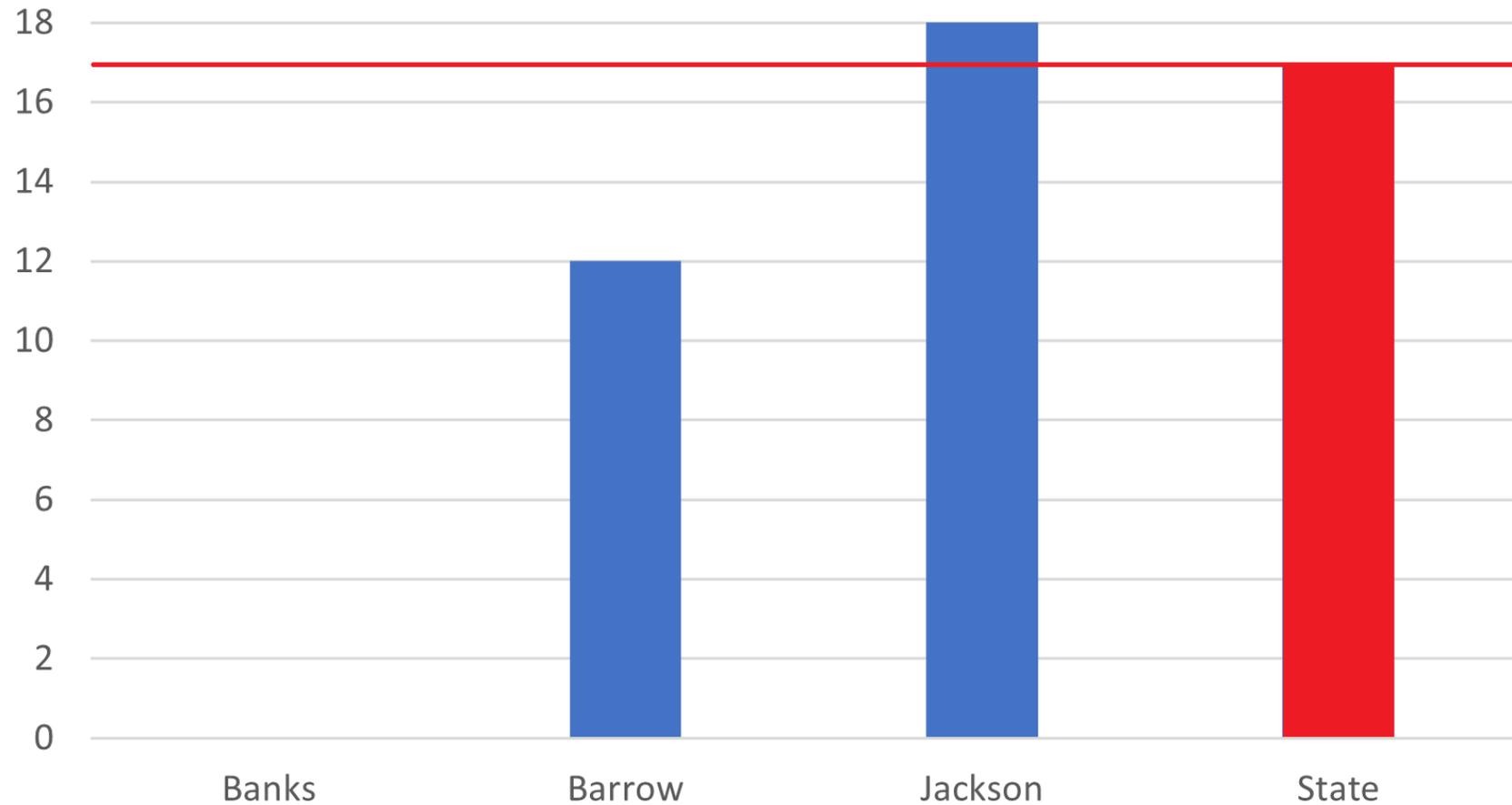
PERCENT
DISCHARGED TO
REUNIFICATION
April 2021 –
March 2022



DISCHARGES FROM FOSTER CARE

Guardianship

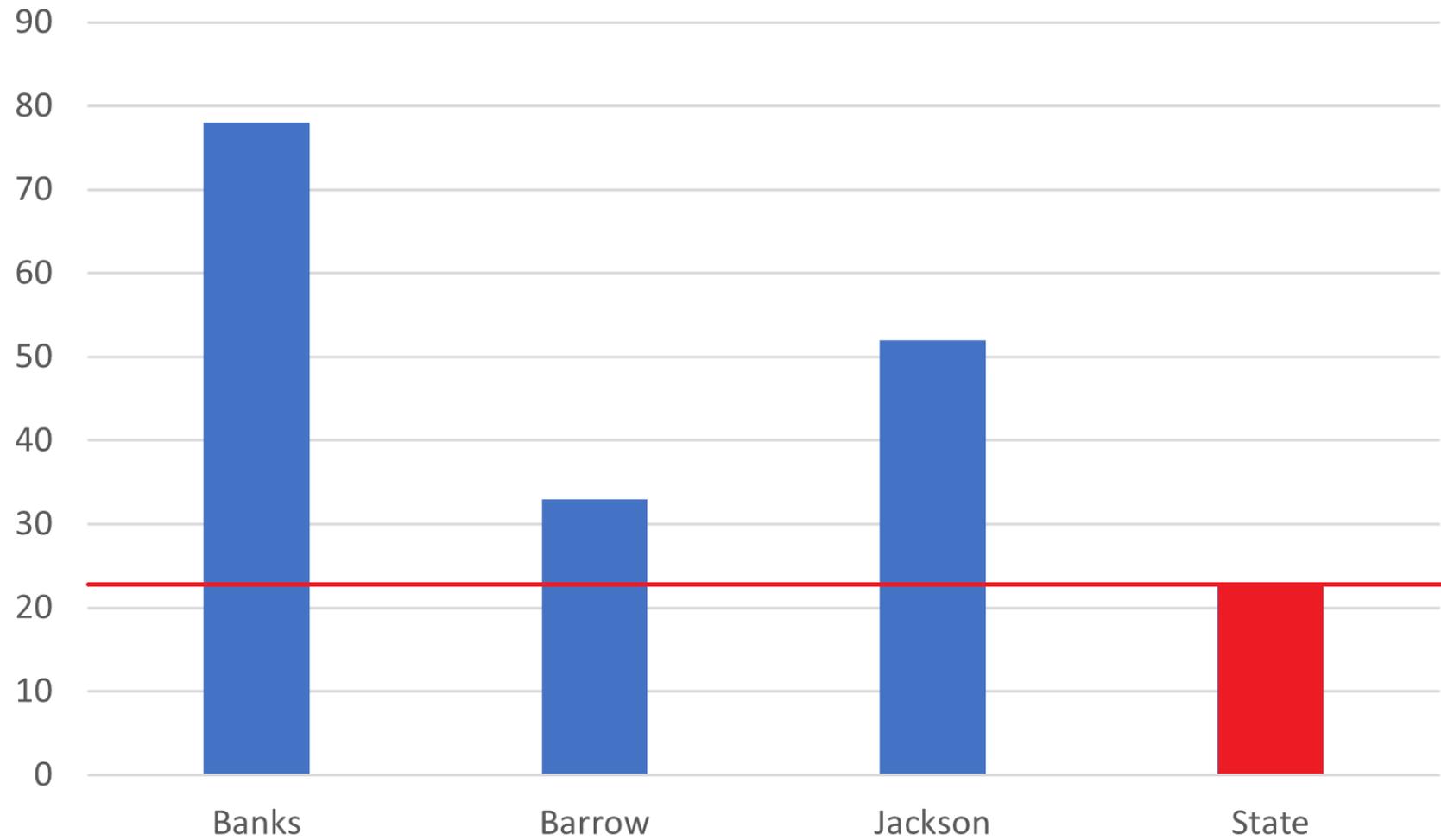
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GUARDIANSHIP
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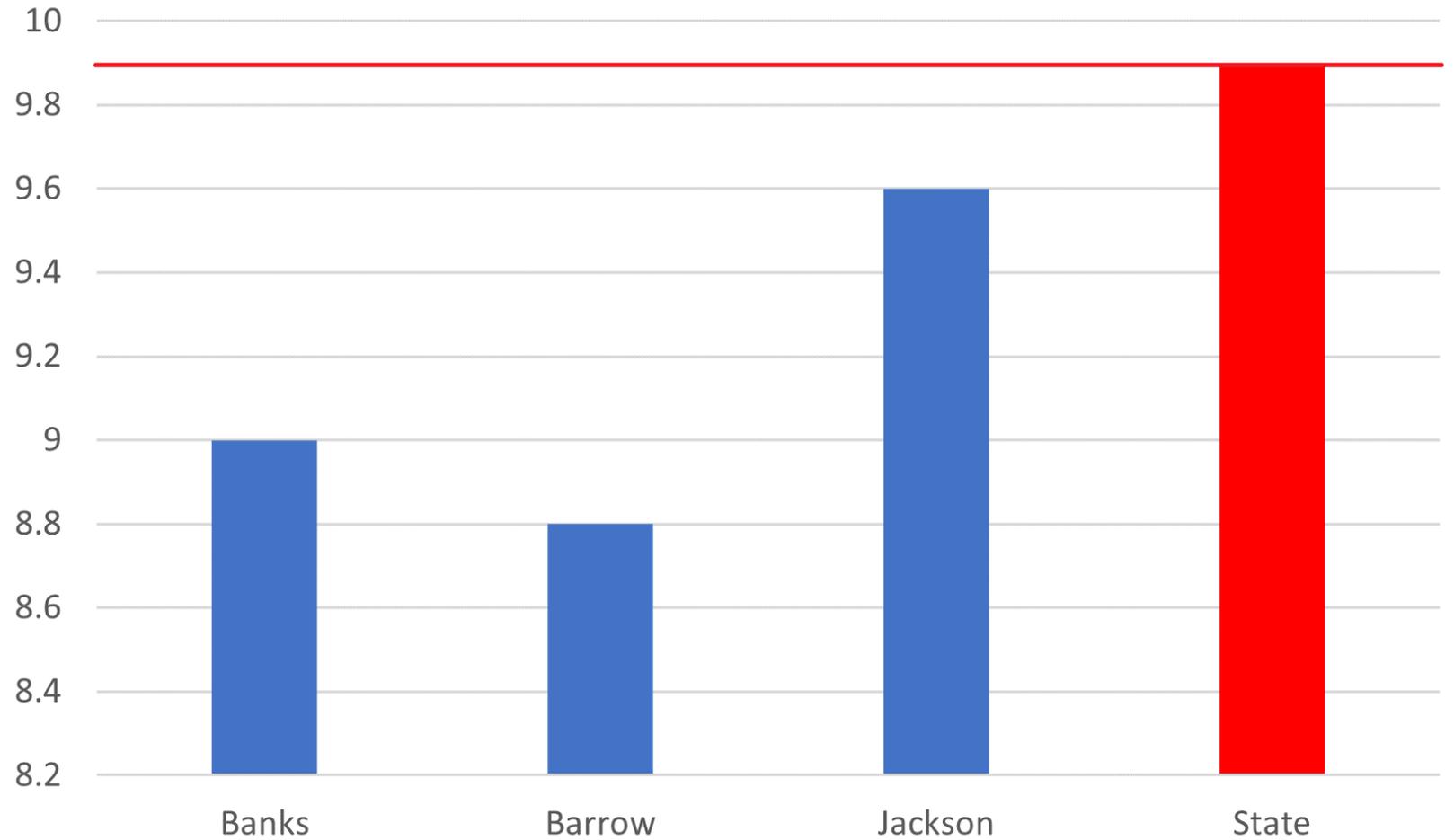
DISCHARGES FROM FOSTER CARE

Adoption

PERCENT
DISCHARGED TO
ADOPTION
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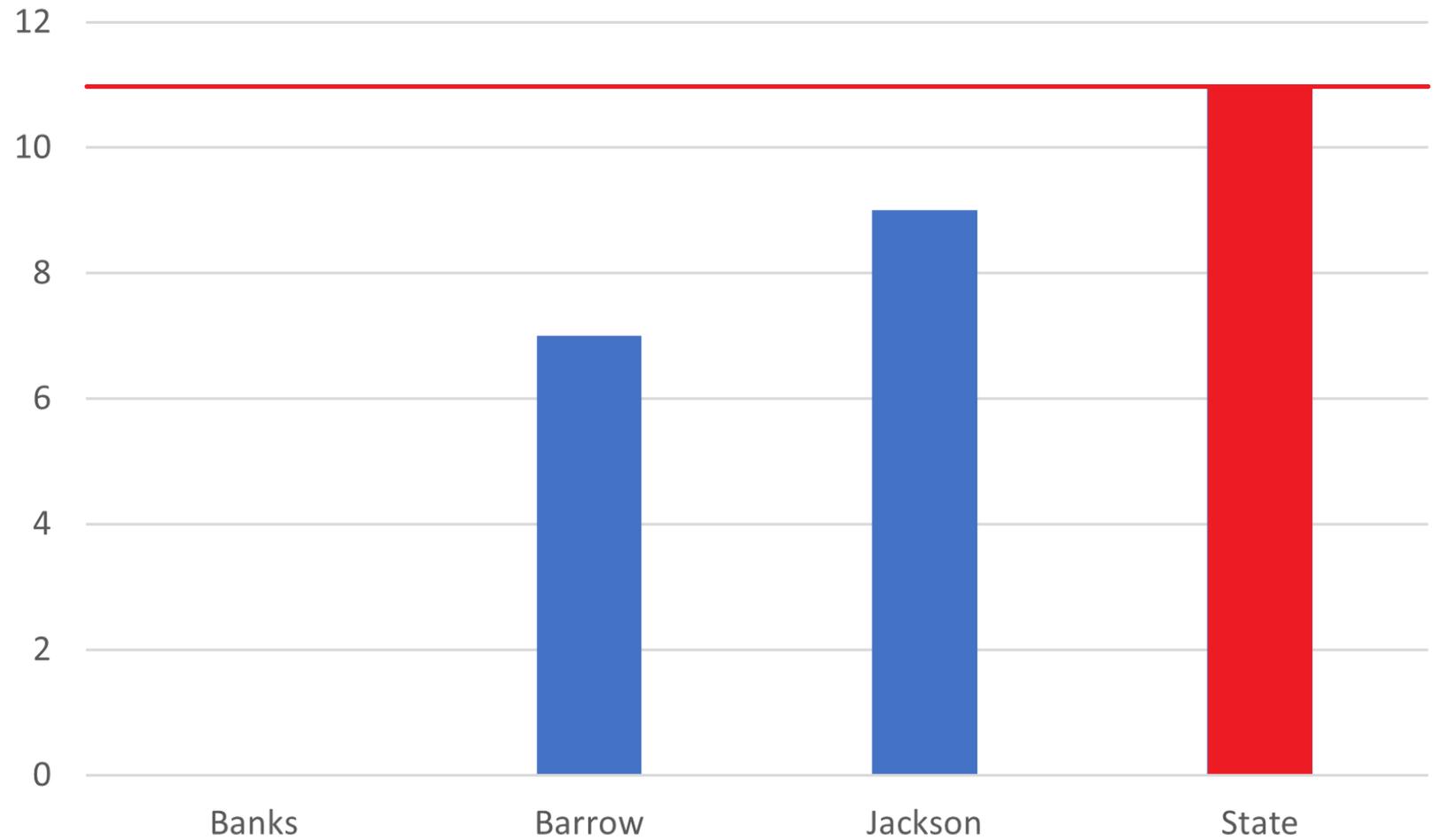
MEDIAN MONTHS
FROM TPR TO FINAL
ADOPTION AMONG
ADOPTIONS DURING
LATEST 12 MONTHS



DISCHARGES FROM FOSTER CARE

Emancipation

PERCENT
DISCHARGED TO
EMANCIPATION
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March 2022

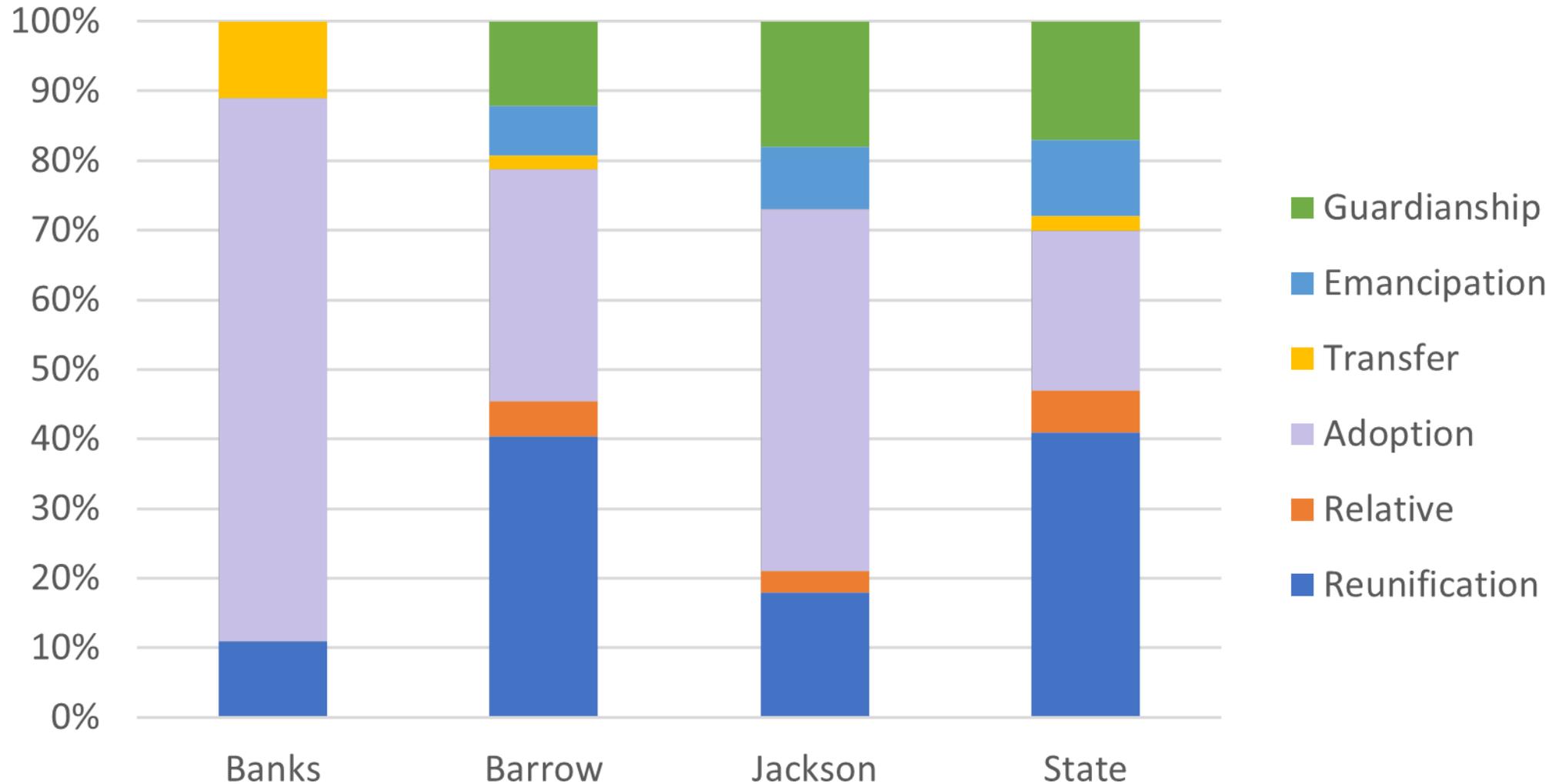


DISCHARGES FROM FOSTER CARE

All Discharge Types

ALL DISCHARGES FROM FOSTER CARE

April 2021 – March 2022



QUESTIONS?

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