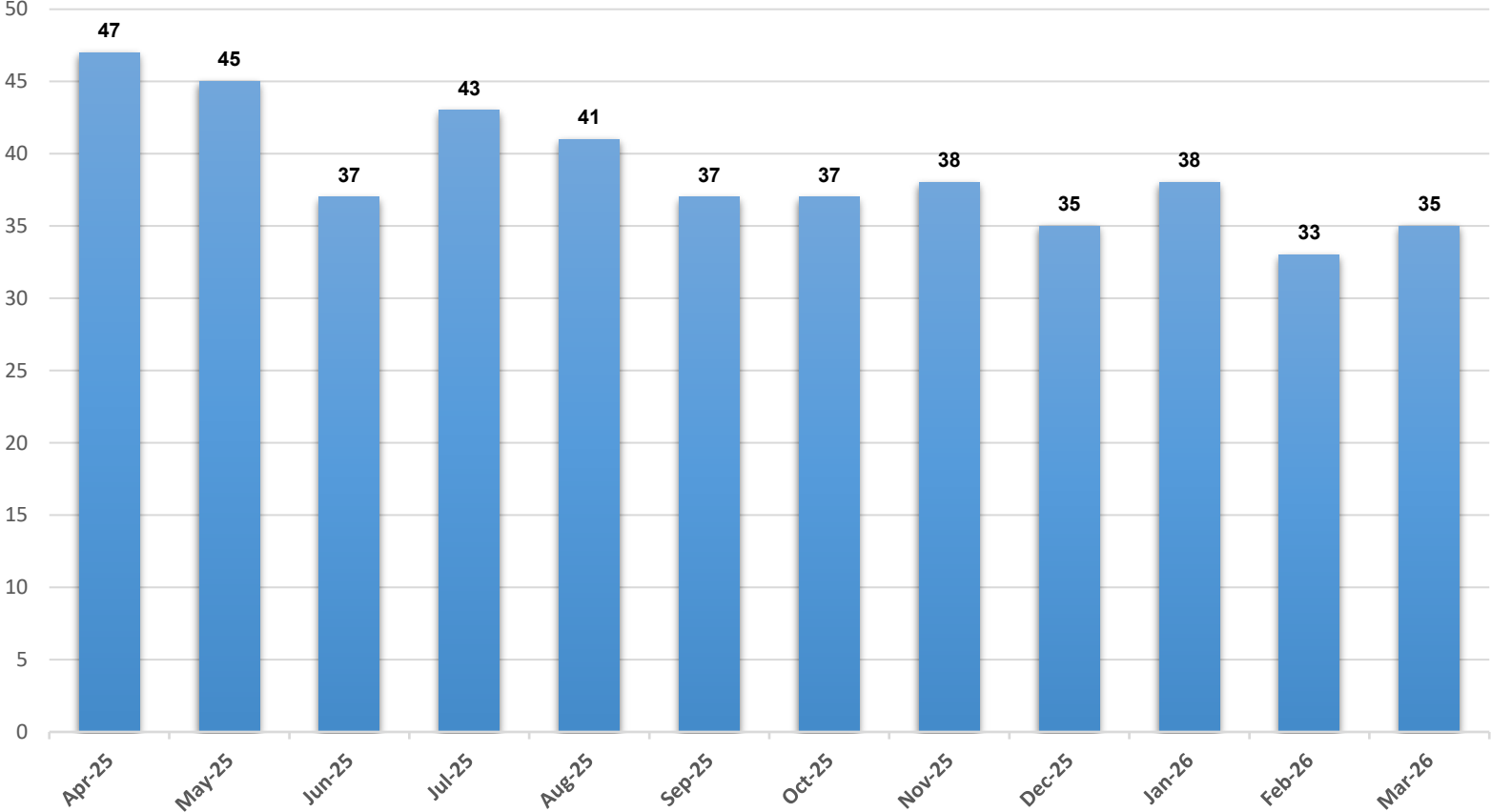
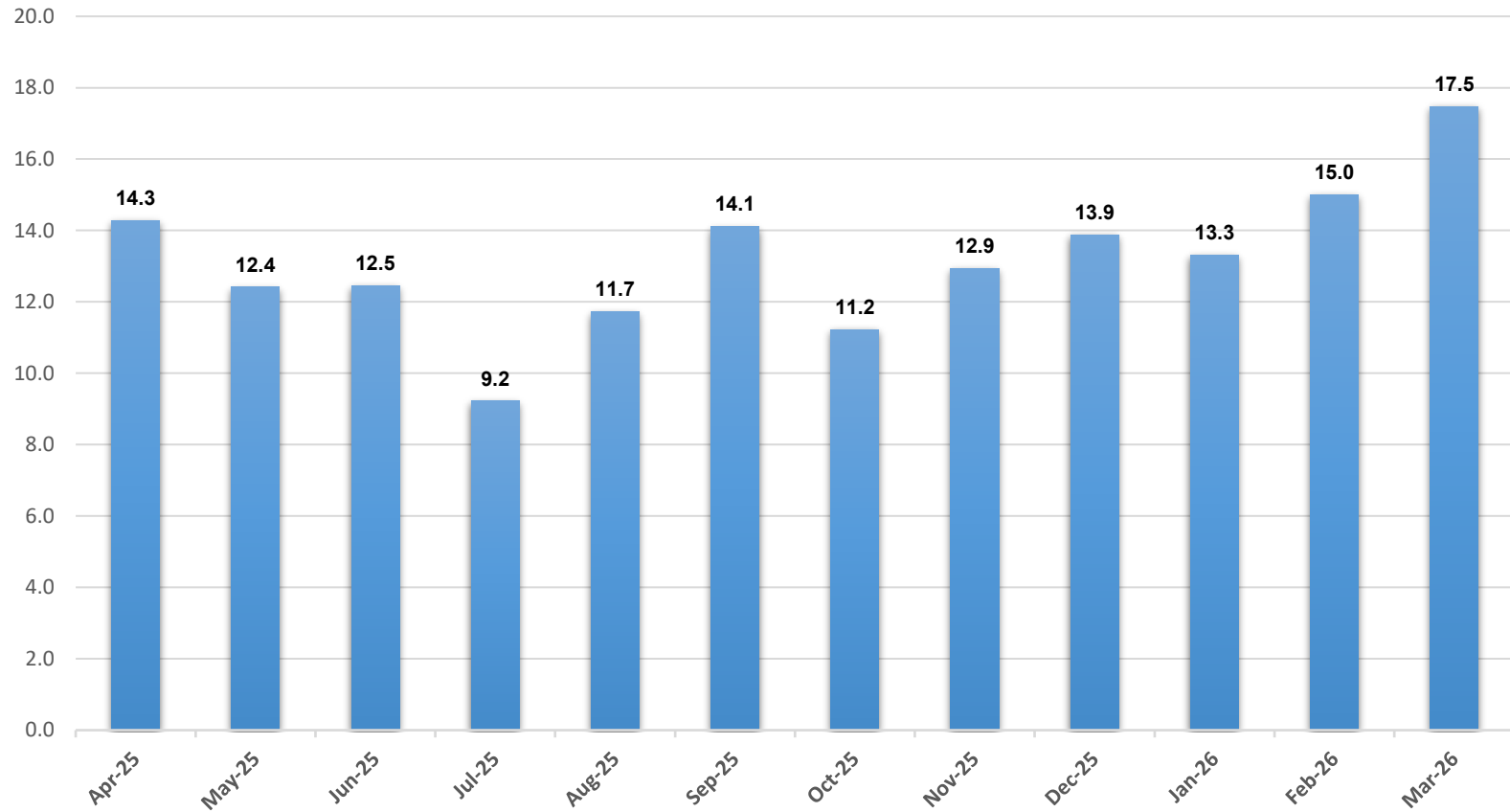


### Children in Foster Care, Independence



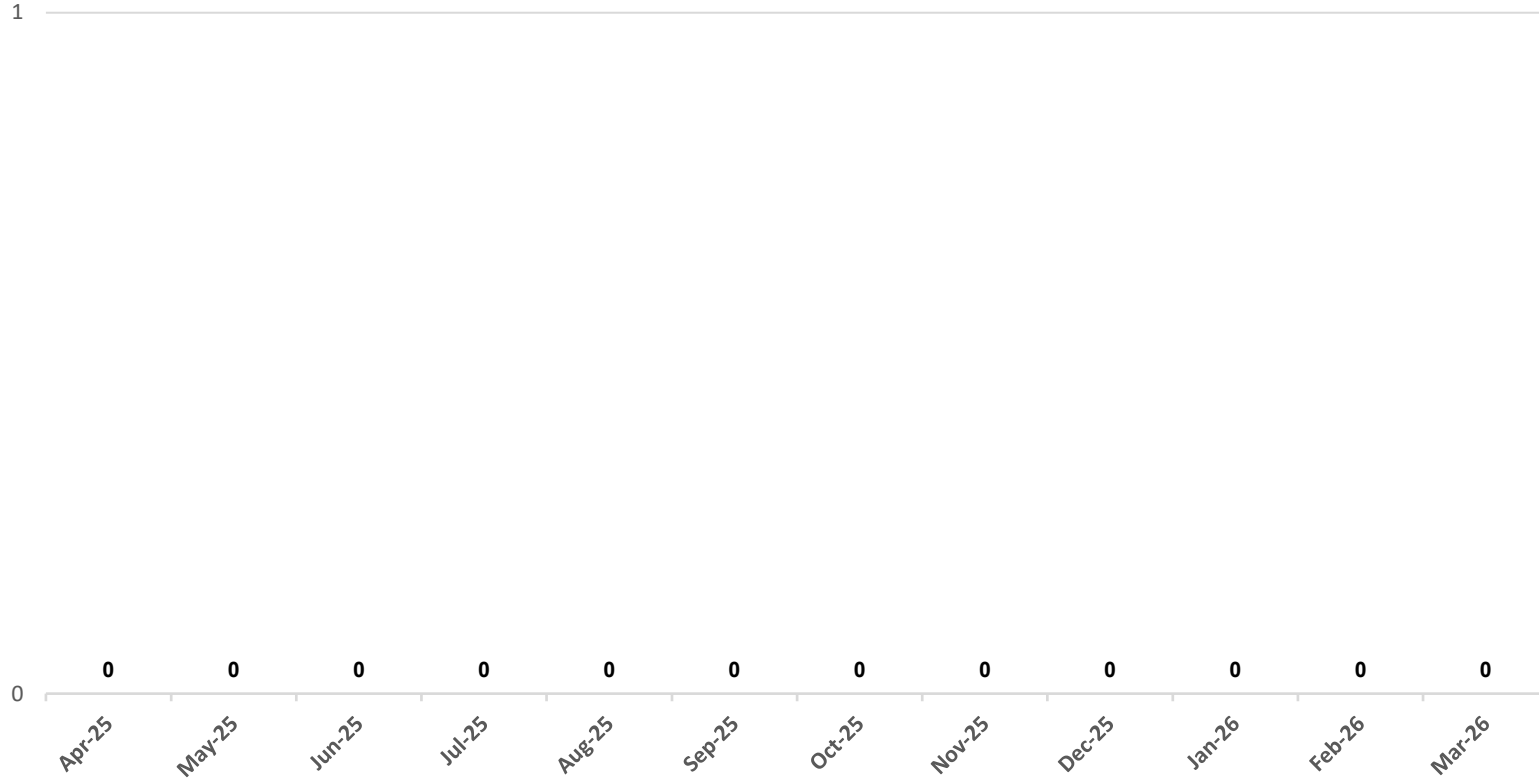
\*The chart above represents the number of children in foster care at the end of the month.

## Average Caseload, Independence



\*The chart above represents the average family service worker caseload at the end of each month.

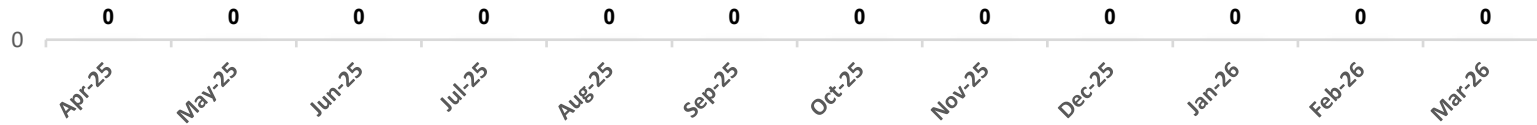
## Children Placed in Emergency Shelter for Longer than 14 Days, Independence



**\*The chart above represents the number of children residing in an emergency shelter for longer than 14 consecutive days at the end of each month.**

## Children Ages 12 and Younger Placed in Congregate Care, Independence

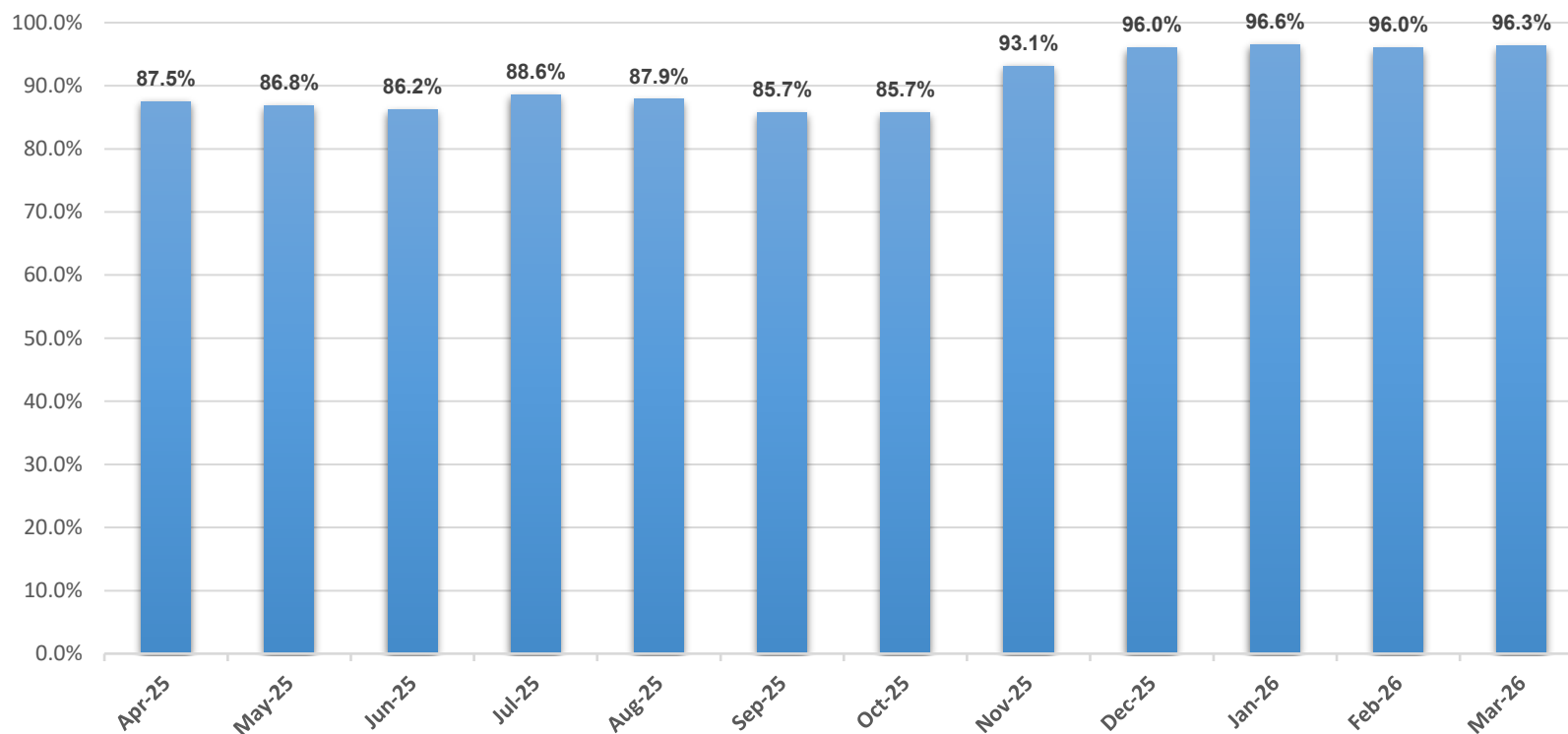
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\*The chart above represents the number of children ages 12 and younger placed in congregate care at the end of each month.

*\*For this measure, "Congregate Care" includes Emergency Shelter and Q RTP placements as well as Residential Treatment Care and Residential Care Only programs that do not qualify as a family-like setting.*

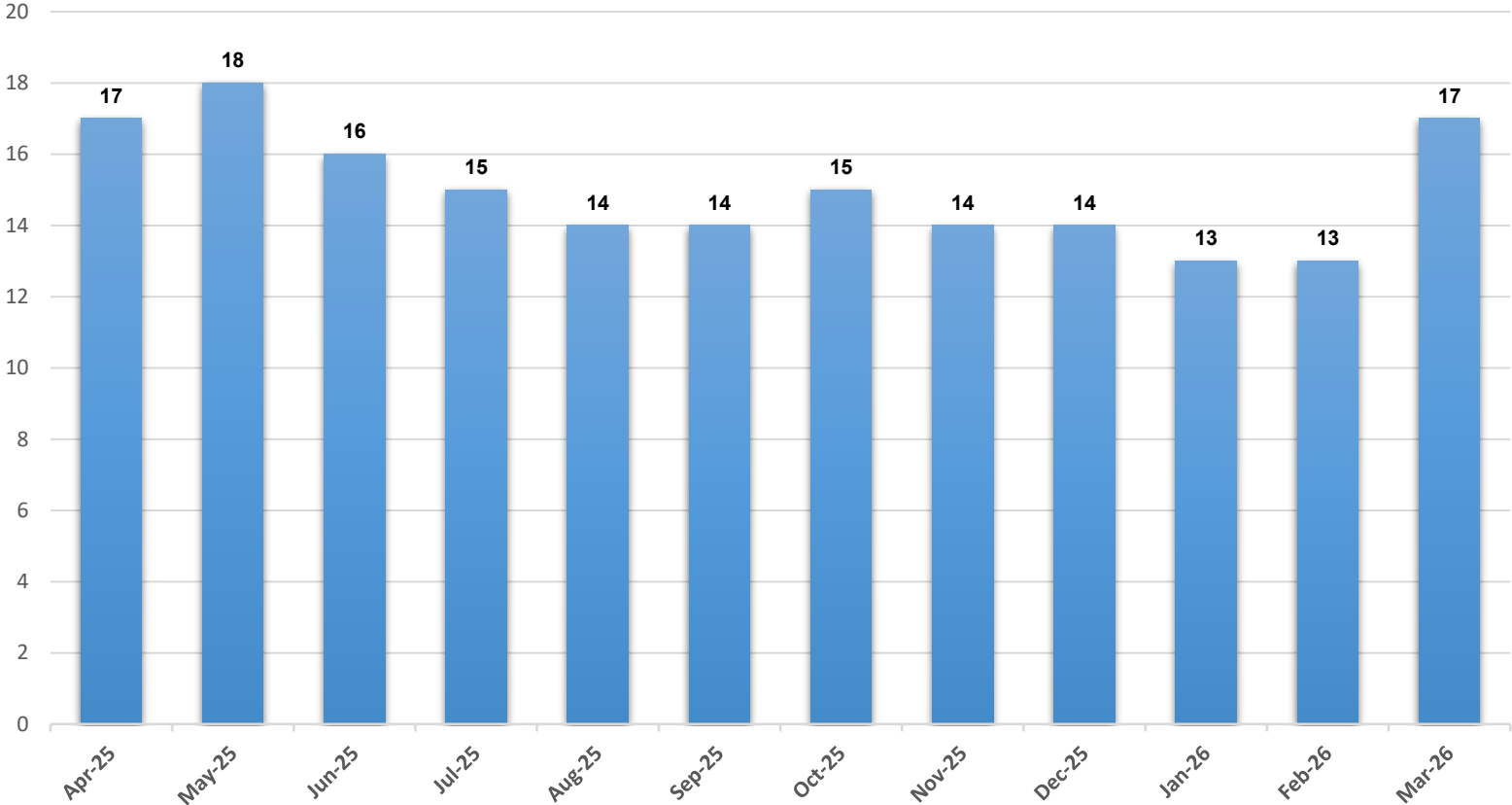
## Children Placed in Family-Like Setting, Independence



**\*The chart above represents the percentage of children residing in a family-like setting at the end of each month.**

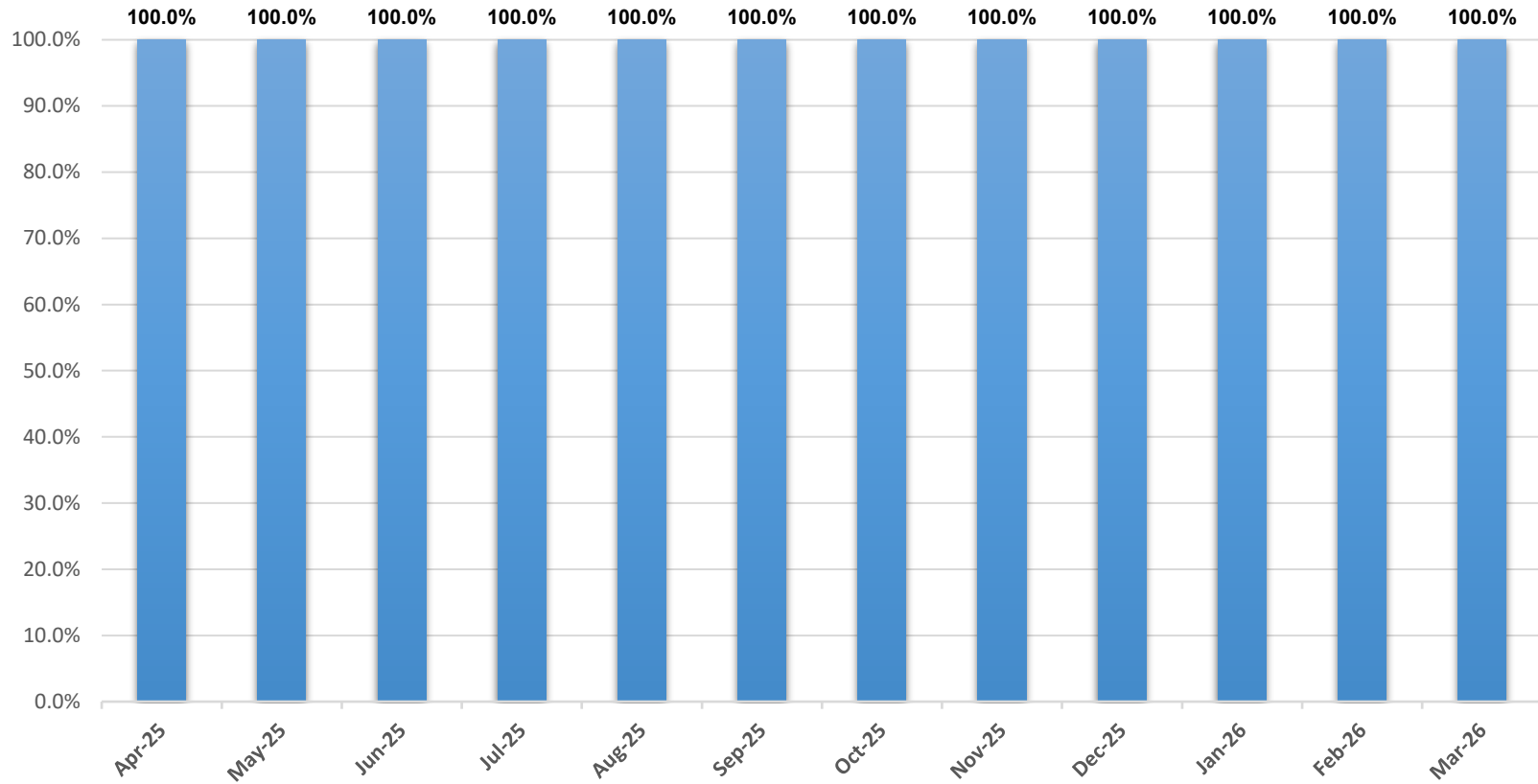
***\*Family-Like Settings include both family-like homes (e.g., foster family homes, relative placements, pre-adoptive homes, therapeutic foster homes) and family-like residential facilities (i.e., home-like residential settings with live-in house parents).***

### Foster Homes, Independence



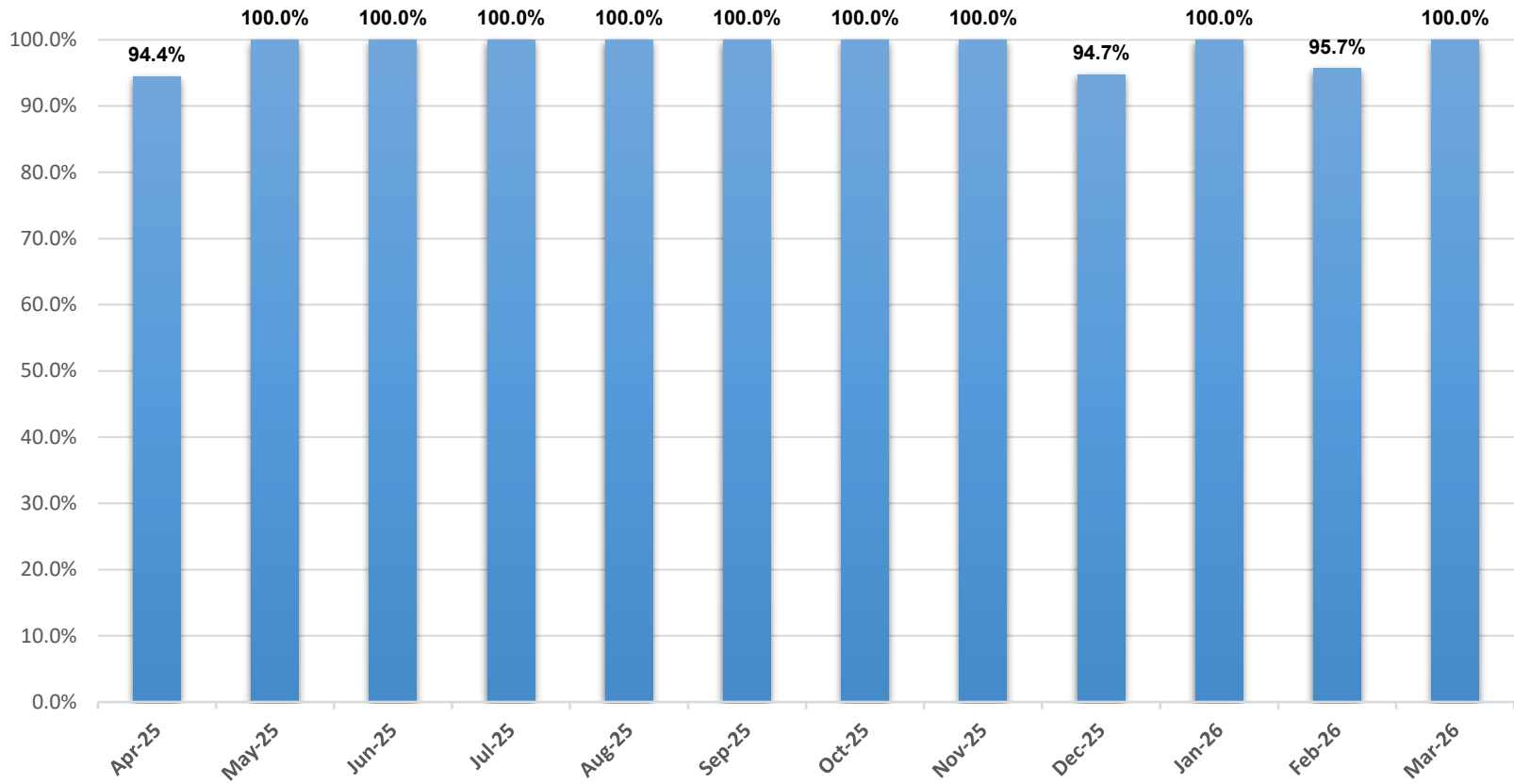
**\*The chart above represents the number of homes approved as either a foster family home (including relative/fictive kin foster homes and those recruited by private agencies), therapeutic foster home, and/or provisional home at the end of each month. Prior to March 2026, this chart had excluded provisional and therapeutic foster homes.**

## Foster Care Monthly Visits, Independence



**\*The chart above represents the percentage of required visits made by family service workers to see children in foster care during the month.**

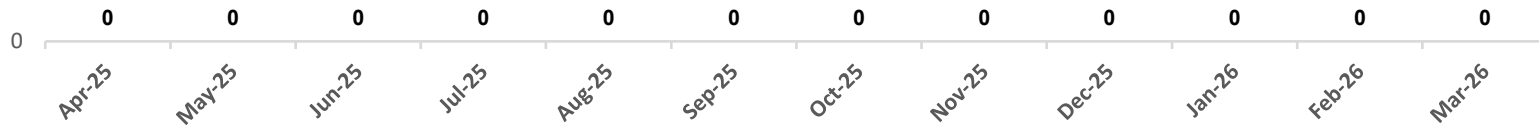
### In-Home Monthly Visits, Independence



**\*The chart above represents the percentage of required visits made by family service workers to see in-home families during the month.**

## Overdue Investigations, Independence

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**\*The chart above represents the number of overdue investigations at the end of each month.**

**\*An investigation that is overdue does not mean that the investigation is being ignored or is not being actively worked; rather, it signifies that the investigation has not yet been fully completed and approved within the required timeframe.**