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Public Report on the Administration of Psychotropic Medication to Children in ORR Custody from May 2025 to October 2025

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I. Introduction

Pursuant to Section VII.C.3 of the *Lucas R. Psychotropic Medications Settlement Agreement,* which became effective May 3, 2024, the Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR) Unaccompanied Alien Children Bureau (UAC Bureau) publishes the second public semi-annual report on the administration of psychotropic medication to children in ORR custody.

II. Number of Children in ORR Custody Prescribed Psychotropic Medications

In addition to providing the number of children in ORR from May 2025 to October 2025 prescribed psychotropic medication, the chart below details the average number of children in ORR custody each month and the percentage of children in ORR custody prescribed psychotropic medication.

Month	Average No. of Children in ORR Custody	No. of Children in ORR Custody Prescribed Psychotropic Medication	Percentage of Children in ORR Custody Prescribed Psychotropic Medication
May 2025	2,433	137	5.6%
June 2025	2,501	116	4.6%
July 2025	2,201	117	5.3%
August 2025	2,014	117	5.8%
September 2025	2,098	104	4.9%
October 2025	2,244	116	5.2%

III. Number of Children in ORR Custody Prescribed Certain Classes of Psychotropic Medications

The chart below details the number of psychotropic medications within each therapeutic class prescribed to children in ORR custody from May 2025 to October 2025. Some children are prescribed more than one medication within a therapeutic class. Therefore, the total number of children in the chart below is higher than the chart above because some children are counted more than once.

Month	Antidepressants	Antipsychotics	Antianxiety	Stimulants, Anti-Obesity, Anorexiants	Other
May 2025	29	8	60	11	2
June 2025	149	51	45	16	1
July 2025	170	47	65	18	1
August 2025	127	39	62	17	0
September 2025	125	37	68	14	0
October 2025	149	59	82	22	0

IV. Number of Times Children in ORR Custody Prescribed Psychotropic Medication for an Emergency

May 2025	June 2025	July 2025	August 2025	September 2025	October 2025
3	5	2	1	1	4