

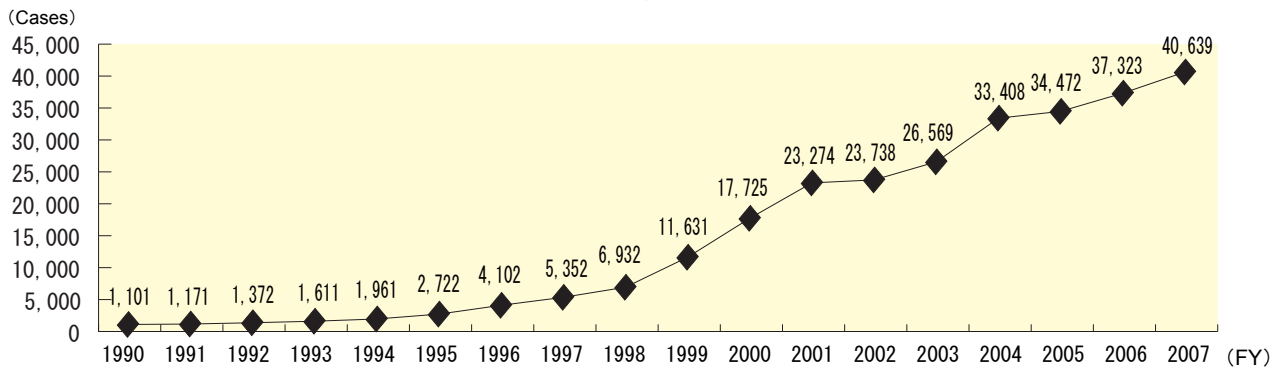
Changes in the number of receiving of consultation on child abuse in Child Guidance Center

○The number of consultation on child abuse in Child Guidance Center in the nationwide increased by 3.5 times in 2007 compared to the data of 1999 which is before enforcement of Child Abuse Prevention Act.

1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
(1.00)	(1.06)	(1.25)	(1.46)	(1.78)	(2.47)	(3.73)	(4.86)	(6.30)
1,101	1,171	1,372	1,611	1,961	2,722	4,102	5,352	6,932
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
(10.56)	(16.10)	(21.14)	(21.56)	(24.13)	(30.34)	(31.31)	(33.90)	(36.91)
[1.00]	[1.52]	[2.00]	[2.04]	[2.28]	[2.87]	[2.96]	[3.21]	[3.49]
11,631	17,725	23,274	23,738	26,569	33,408	34,472	37,323	40,639

Note 1: In the chart, the number on the top of the chart within () is the index (growth rate) calculated on the basis of 1990 fixed as 1.

Note 2: In the chart, the number on the middle of the chart within [] is the index (growth rate) calculated on the basis of 1999 fixed as 1.



Source: "Report on Social Welfare Administration and Services", Statistics and Information Department, Minister's Secretariat, MHLW