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Autism Treatment Assistance Program (ATAP)

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Objectives

This presentation demonstrates the outcomes reported on referrals, caseload, waitlist, and program type by the Autism Treatment and Assistance Program (ATAP) which are current through September 30, 2021.
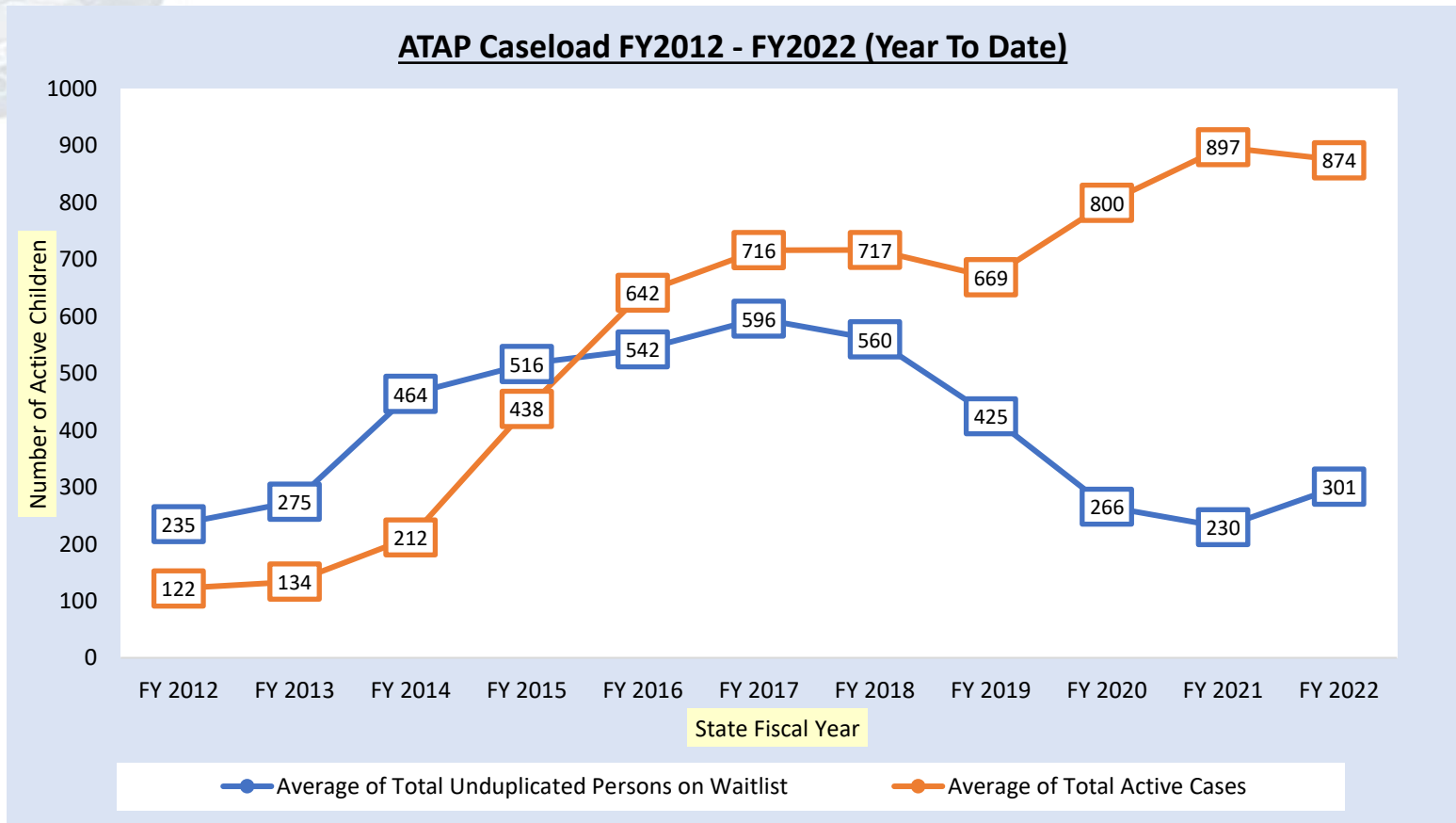
ATAP Caseload

Monthly caseload for September 2021

- 63 new applications

- 876 active children, average age: 9 years old

- 123 total inactive children:
    - 100 Straight ATAP – Average age of 5.3 years old
    - 23 Service Coordination – Average age of 7.6 years old

- Average wait time for all ATAP children *(days from application start date to the date the child drops or becomes active)*:
    - 107 Days

ATAP Caseload Growth

ATAP Caseload FY2012 - FY2022 (Year To Date)

Number of Active Children (y-axis, 0 to 1000)

State Fiscal Year (x-axis)

Average of Total Unduplicated Persons on Waitlist (blue):
- FY 2012: 235
- FY 2013: 275
- FY 2014: 464
- FY 2015: 516
- FY 2016: 542
- FY 2017: 596
- FY 2018: 560
- FY 2019: 425
- FY 2020: 266
- FY 2021: 230
- FY 2022: 301

Average of Total Active Cases (orange):
- FY 2012: 122
- FY 2013: 134
- FY 2014: 212
- FY 2015: 438
- FY 2016: 642
- FY 2017: 716
- FY 2018: 717
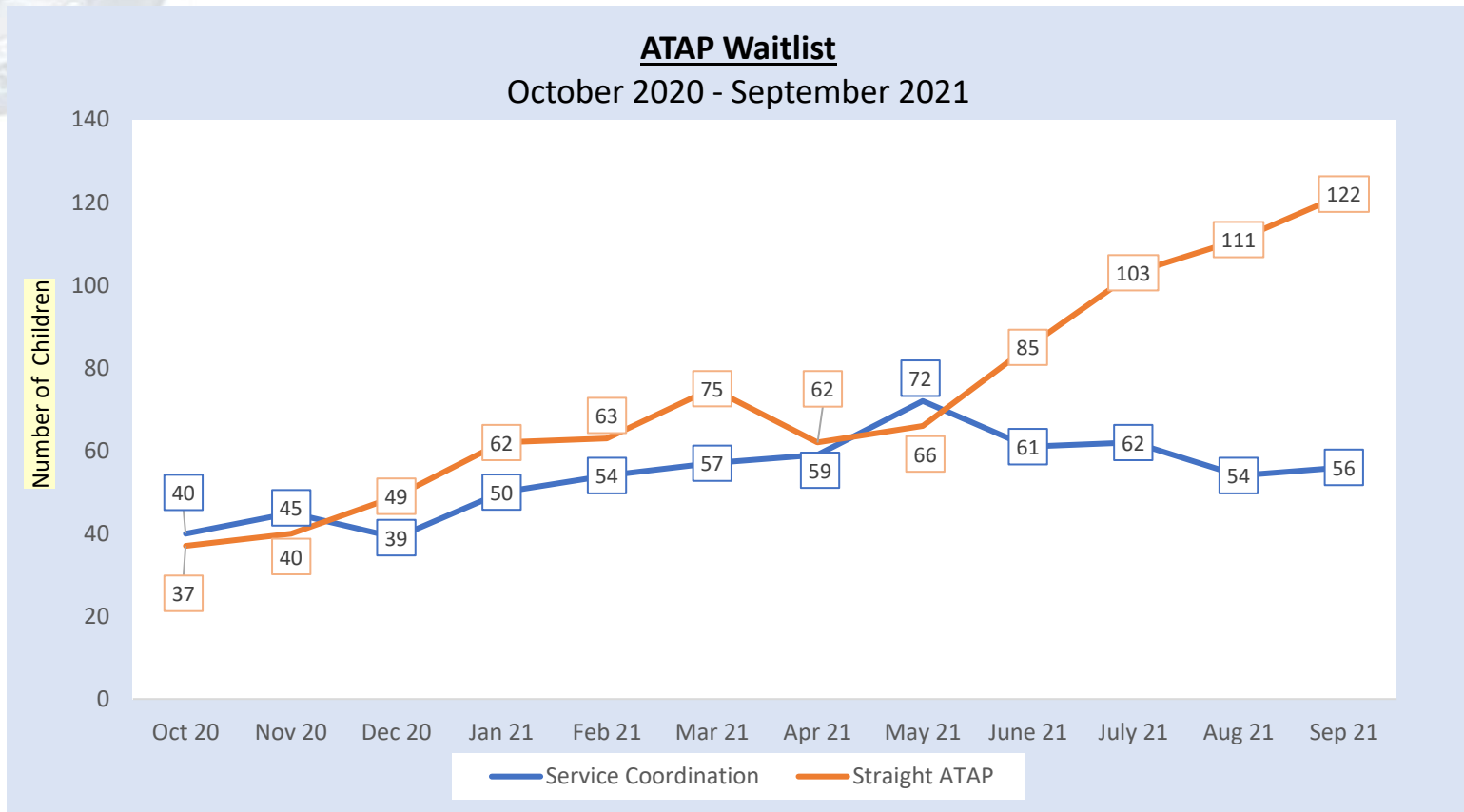- FY 2019: 669
- FY 2020: 800
- FY 2021: 897
- FY 2022: 874

The chart above demonstrates the active caseload and waitlist averages over time. These numbers are derived from the CLEO report.

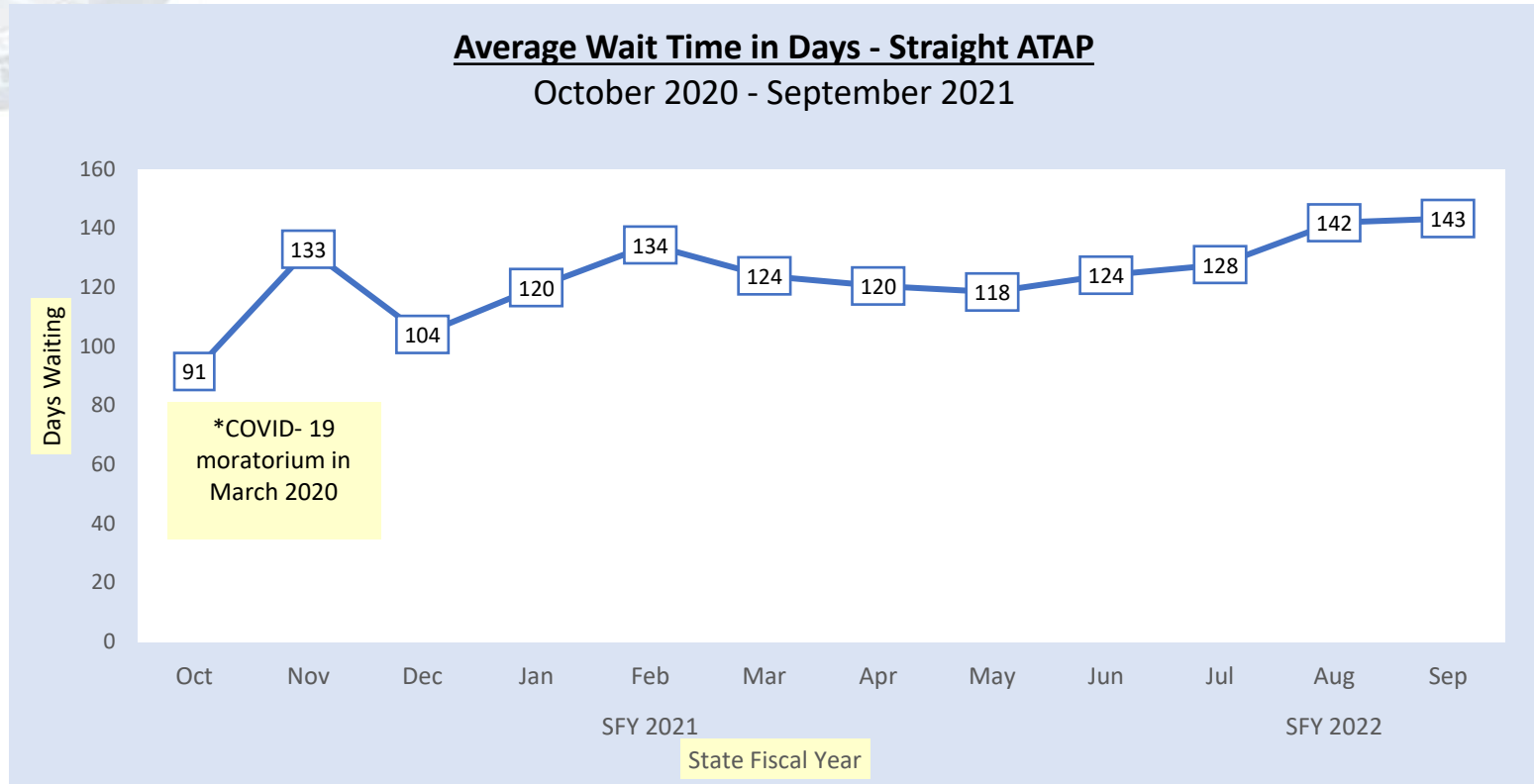*This data includes children in referral status.*

Waitlist Elimination Progress

ATAP Waitlist
October 2020 - September 2021

Number of Children

Month	Service Coordination	Straight ATAP
Oct 20	40	37
Nov 20	45	40
Dec 20	39	49
Jan 21	50	62
Feb 21	54	63
Mar 21	57	75
Apr 21	59	62
May 21	72	66
June 21	61	85
July 21	62	103
Aug 21	54	111
Sep 21	56	122

—— Service Coordination   —— Straight ATAP

The graph above shows the monthly waitlist as occurred from October 2020 through September 2021.

In March 2020, a moratorium was placed on face-to-face services due to the pandemic COVID-19. Decreases may be related to the Governor's directive to shut down all non-essential businesses and engage in social distancing.

Trend in Wait Time

Average Wait Time in Days - Straight ATAP
October 2020 - September 2021

The graph above demonstrates the average number of days waiting for children who are "Pending" or "In Process" to become either "Active" or "Dropped" in the program.
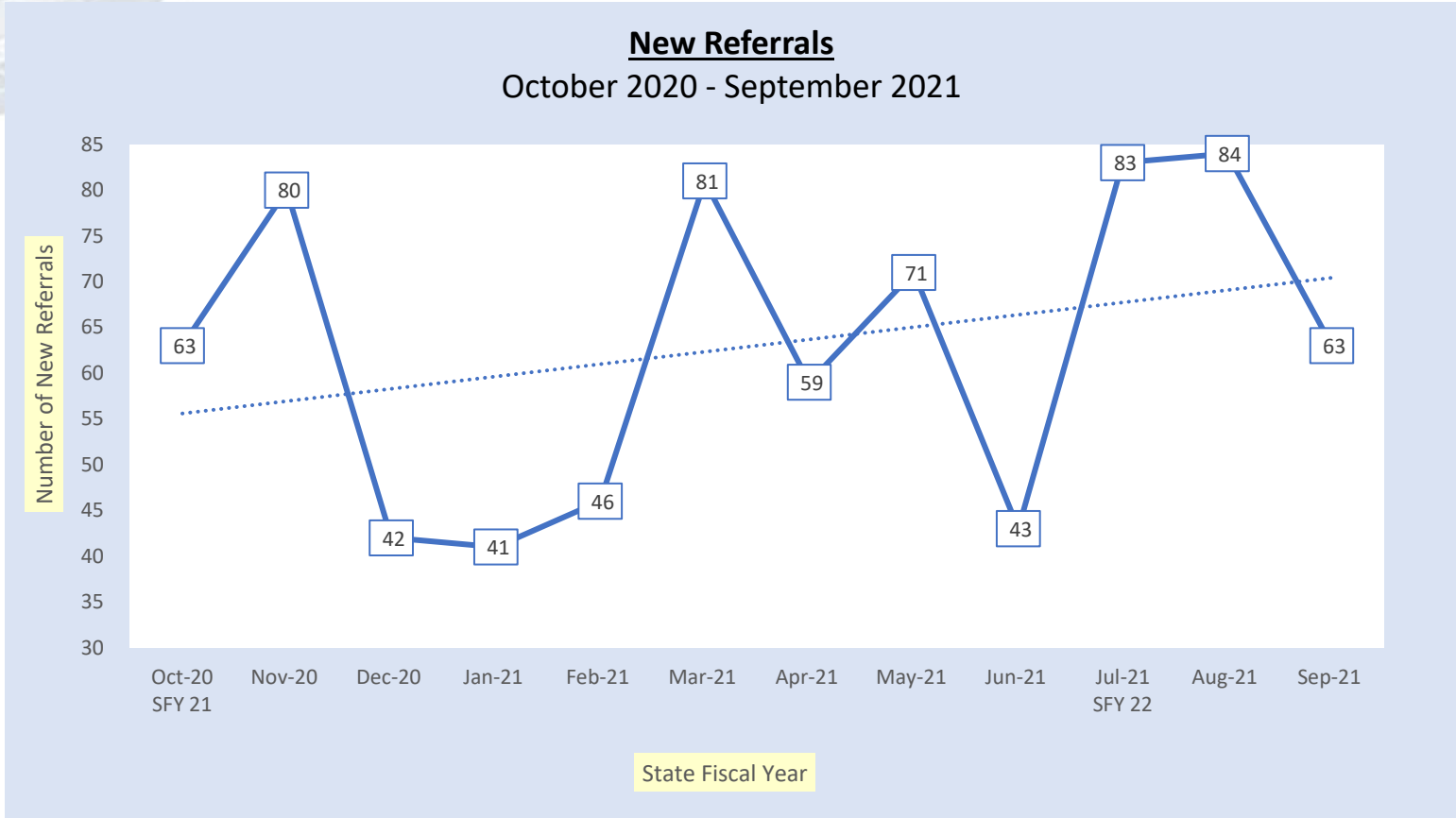
Wait time average includes all time child spent from application start date until they were either Dropped or went Active.
*** Please note, no new referrals are included in these averages, a change from previous presentations.*
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New Referrals
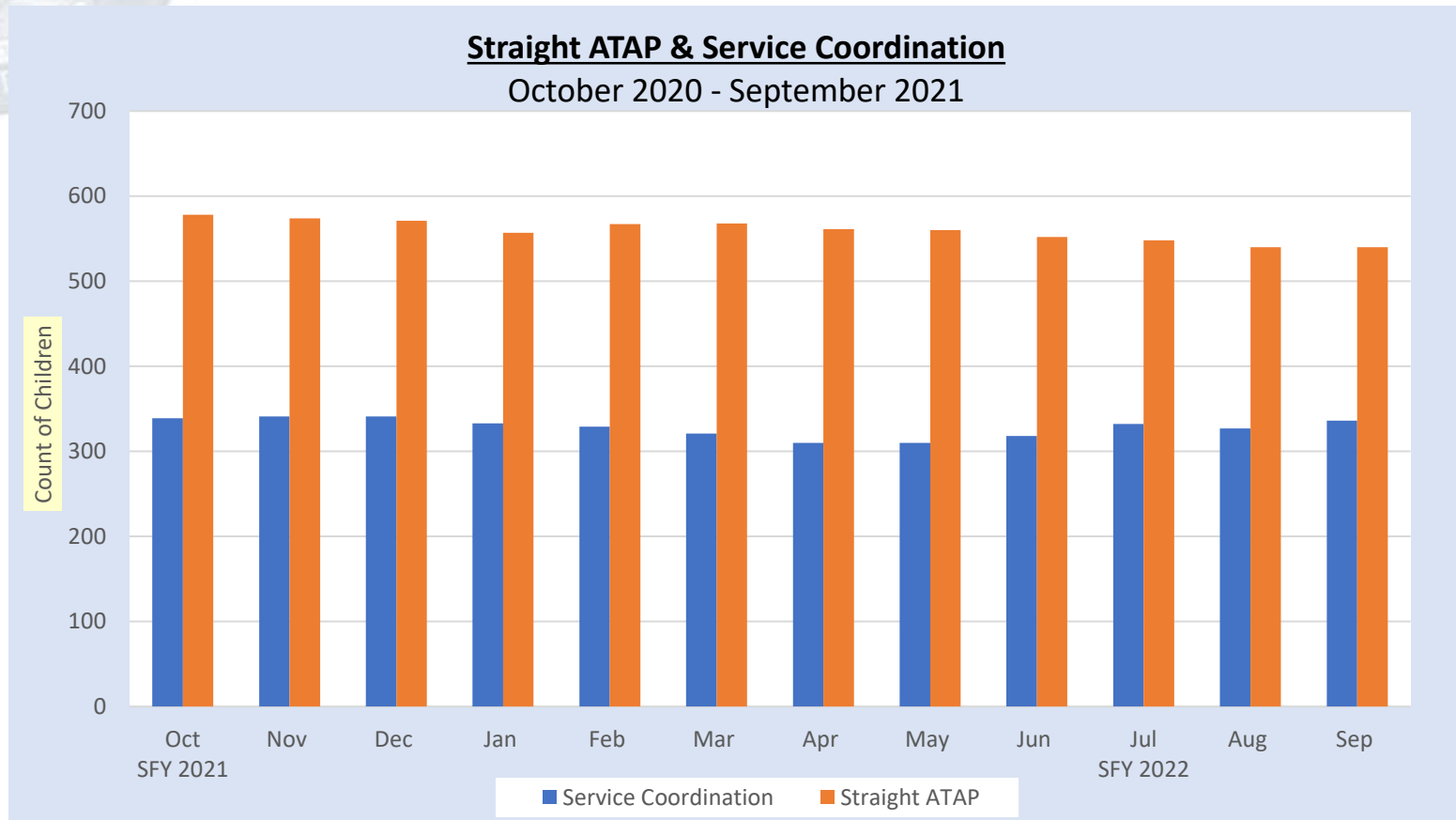

New Referrals
October 2020 - September 2021

The chart above demonstrates the number of new referrals entering the ATAP system.

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Straight ATAP & Service Coordination

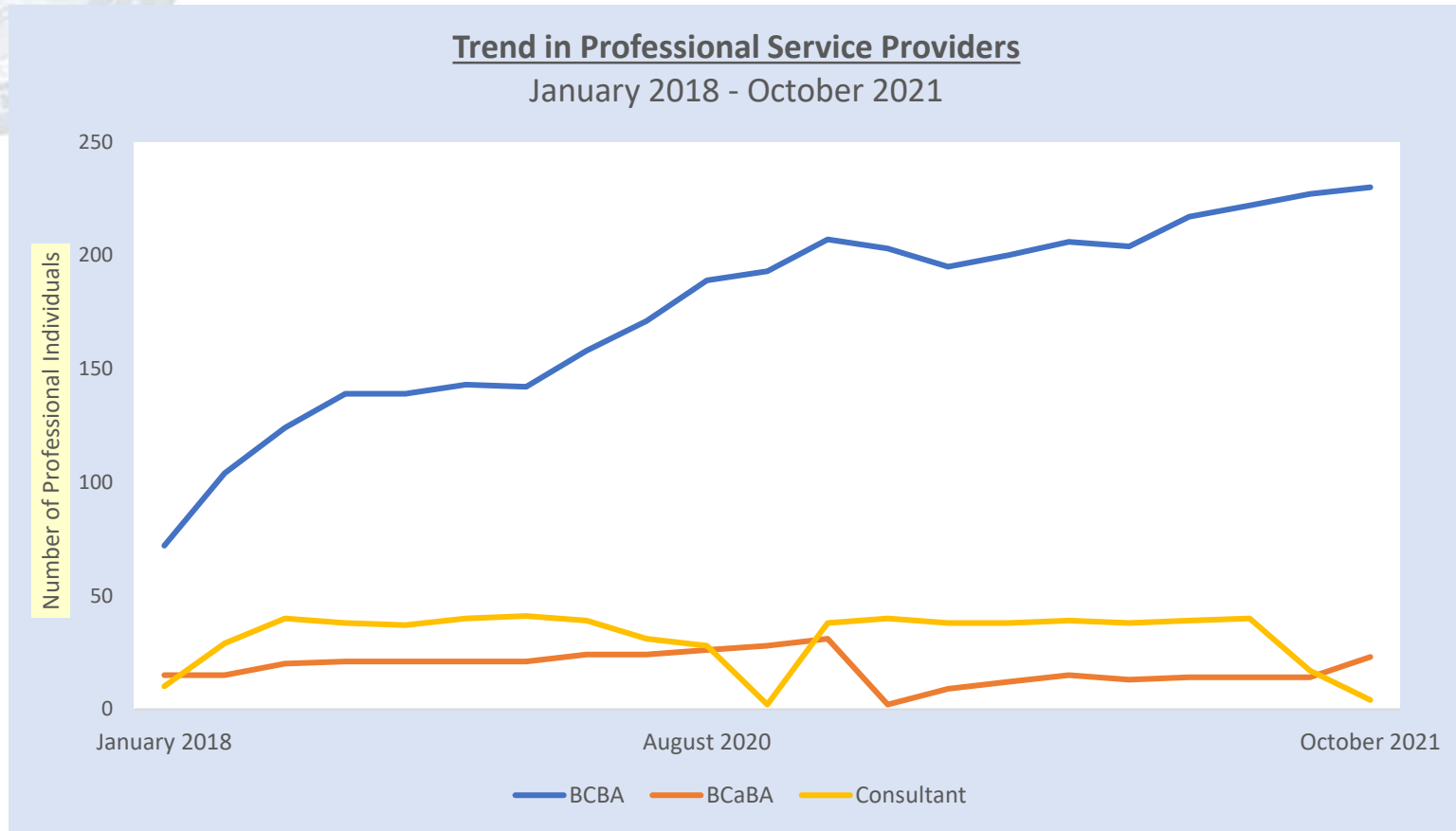**Straight ATAP & Service Coordination**
October 2020 - September 2021

This chart shows the comparison between Straight ATAP and Medicaid Caseload (Service Coordination).

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Professional Growth – BCBA Level

Trend in Professional Service Providers
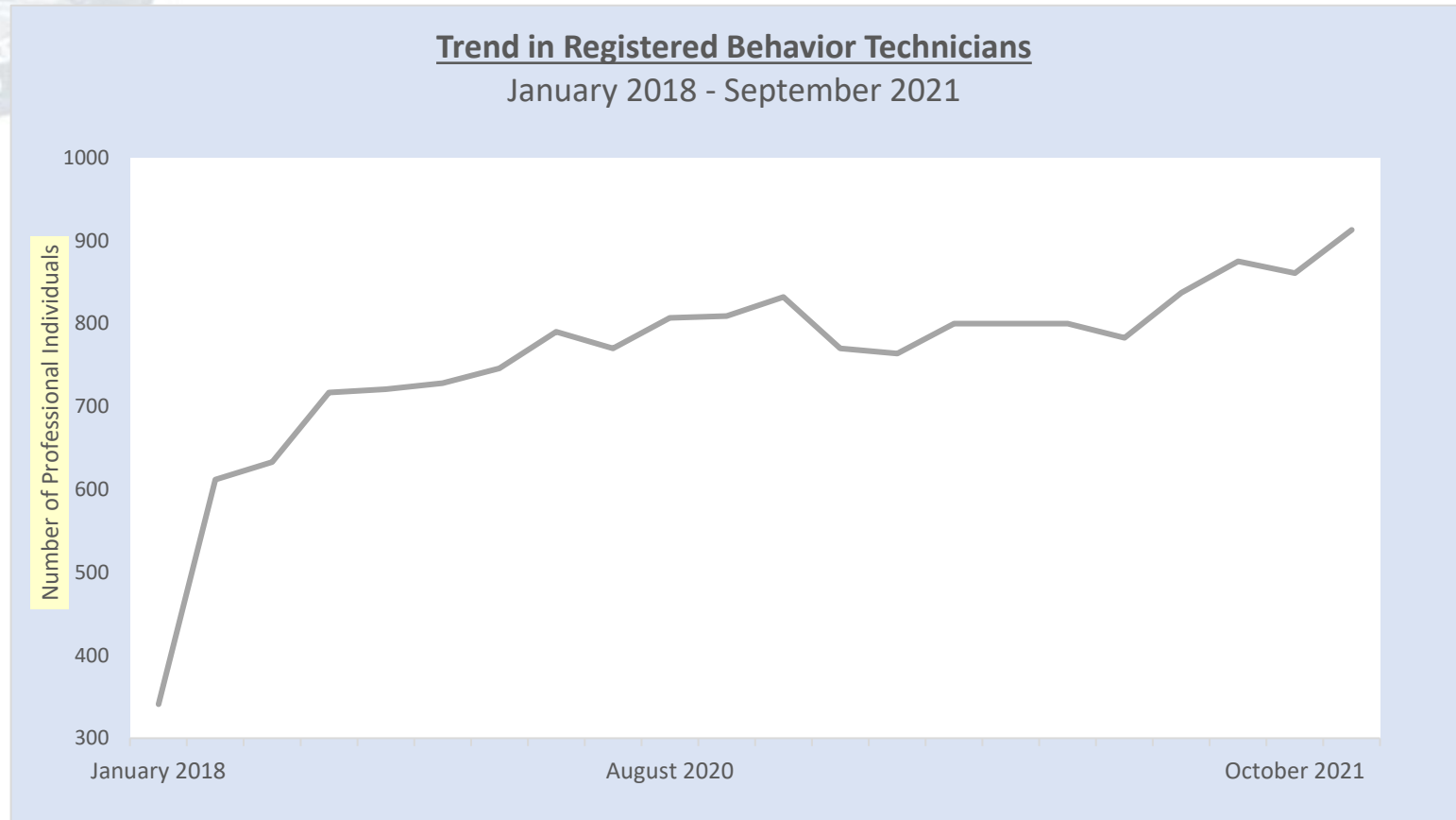January 2018 - October 2021

The chart above shows the trend in growth of professional service providers.

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Paraprofessional Growth – RBT Level

Trend in Registered Behavior Technicians
January 2018 - September 2021

The chart above shows the trend in growth of Registered Behavior Technicians.

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Status of Active Providers

As of September 30, 2021

Active Children with an ATAP Provider

ATAP Plan Type	Active Children
ATAP-Comprehensive	50
ATAP-Insurance Assistance In-Network	391
ATAP-Insurance Assistance Out-of-Network	36
ATAP-Service Coordination	224
ATAP-Social Skills	8
ATAP-Targeted Basic	10
ATAP-Targeted Extensive	33
ATAP-Transition Plan	1
Grand Total	**753**

Active Children without an ATAP Provider

ATAP Plan Type	Active Children
ATAP-Comprehensive	3
ATAP-Insurance Assistance In-Network	14
ATAP-Insurance Assistance Out-of-Network	5
ATAP-Service Coordination	95
ATAP-Social Skills	1
ATAP-Targeted Extensive	5
Grand Total	**123**

Questions?

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Acronyms

- DHHS – Department of Health and Human Services

- ADSD – Aging and Disability Services Division

- ATAP – Autism Treatment Assistance Program

- BCBA – Board Certified Behavior Analyst

- BCaBA – Board Certified Assistant Behavior Analyst

- RBT – Registered Behavior Technician