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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 Assistance Program (ATAP) which are current through  
February 28, 2023.



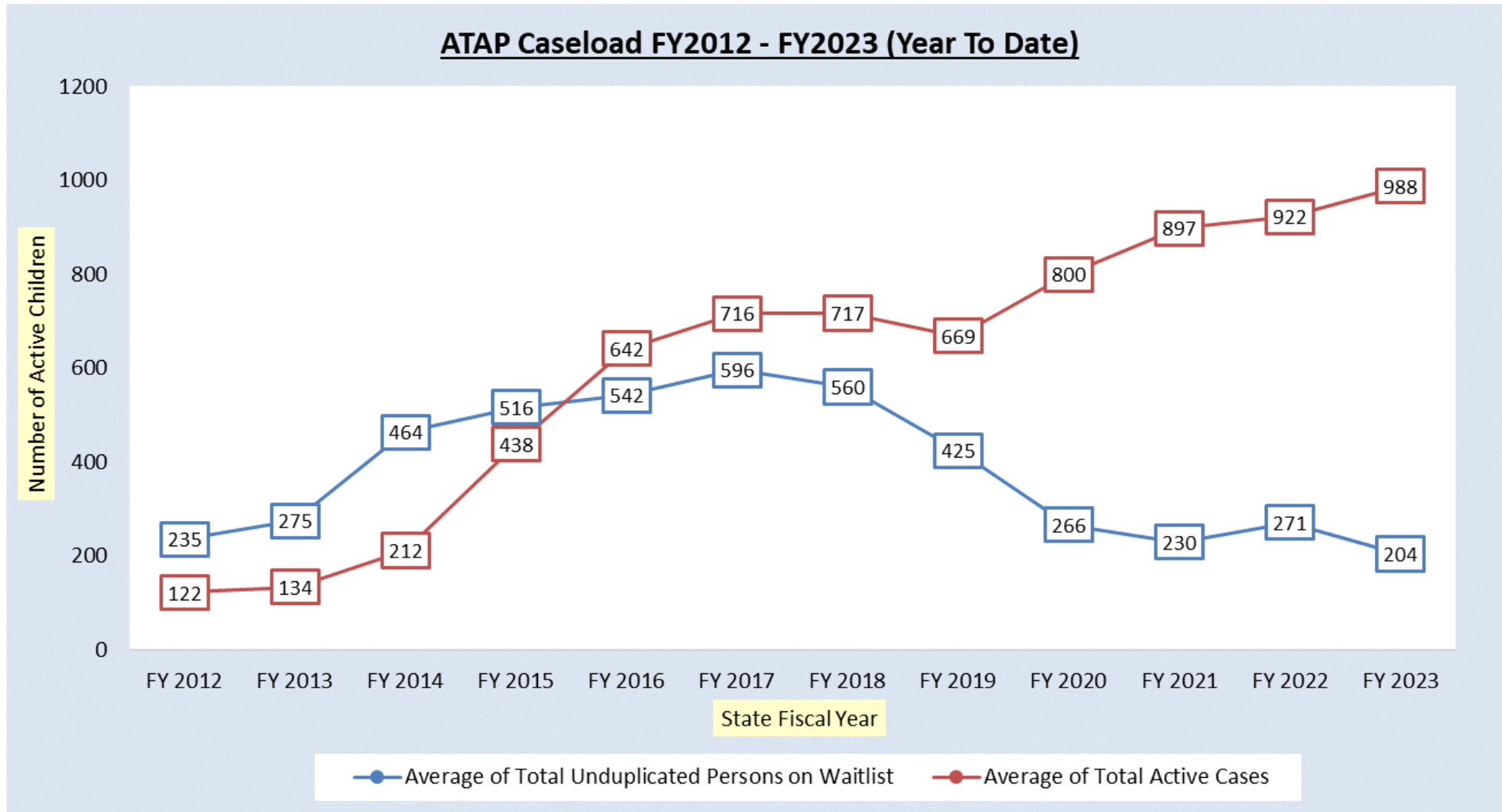
# ATAP Caseload

## Monthly caseload for February 2023

- 93 new applications
- 979 active children, average age: 8.81 years old
- 14 total inactive children:
  - 10 Straight ATAP – Average age of 3.7 years old
  - 4 Service Coordination – Average age of 4.3 years old
- Average wait time for all ATAP children (*days from application start date to the date the child drops or becomes active*):
  - 39 Days



# ATAP Caseload Growth

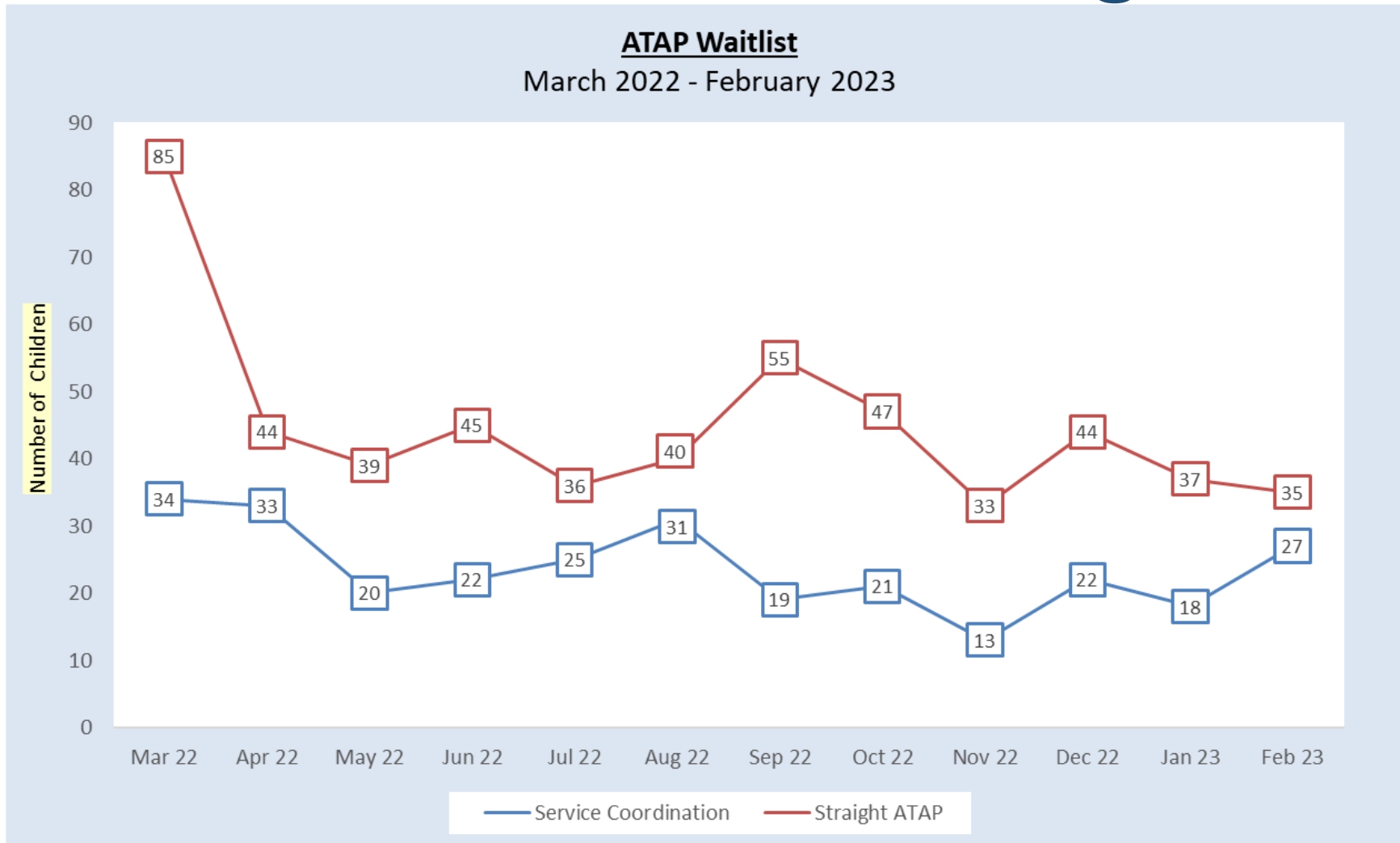


The chart above demonstrates the active caseload and waitlist averages over time. These numbers are derived from the CLEO report.

*This data includes children in referral status.*



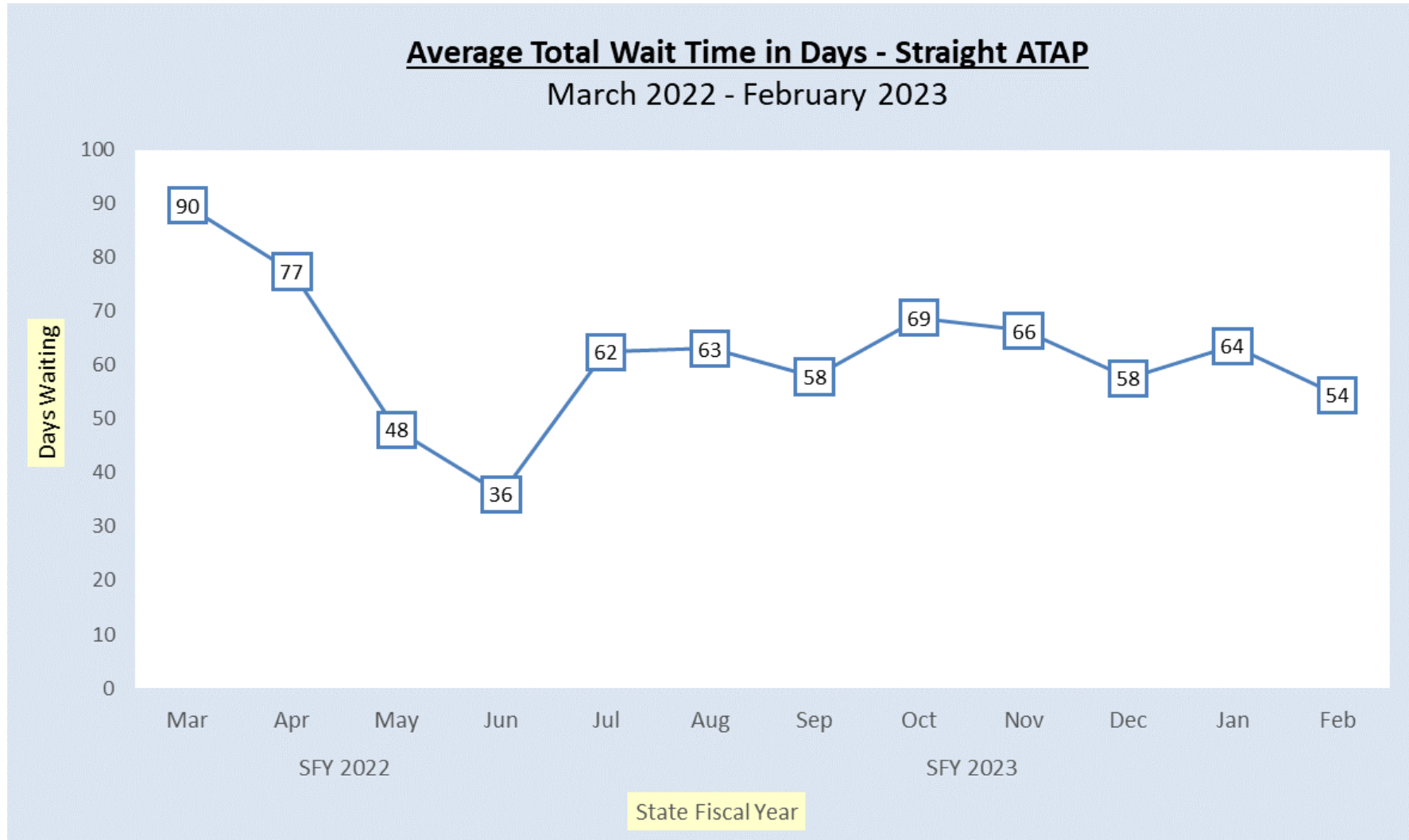
# Waitlist Elimination Progress



The graph above shows the monthly waitlist as occurred from March 2022 through February 2023.



# Trend in Total Wait Time



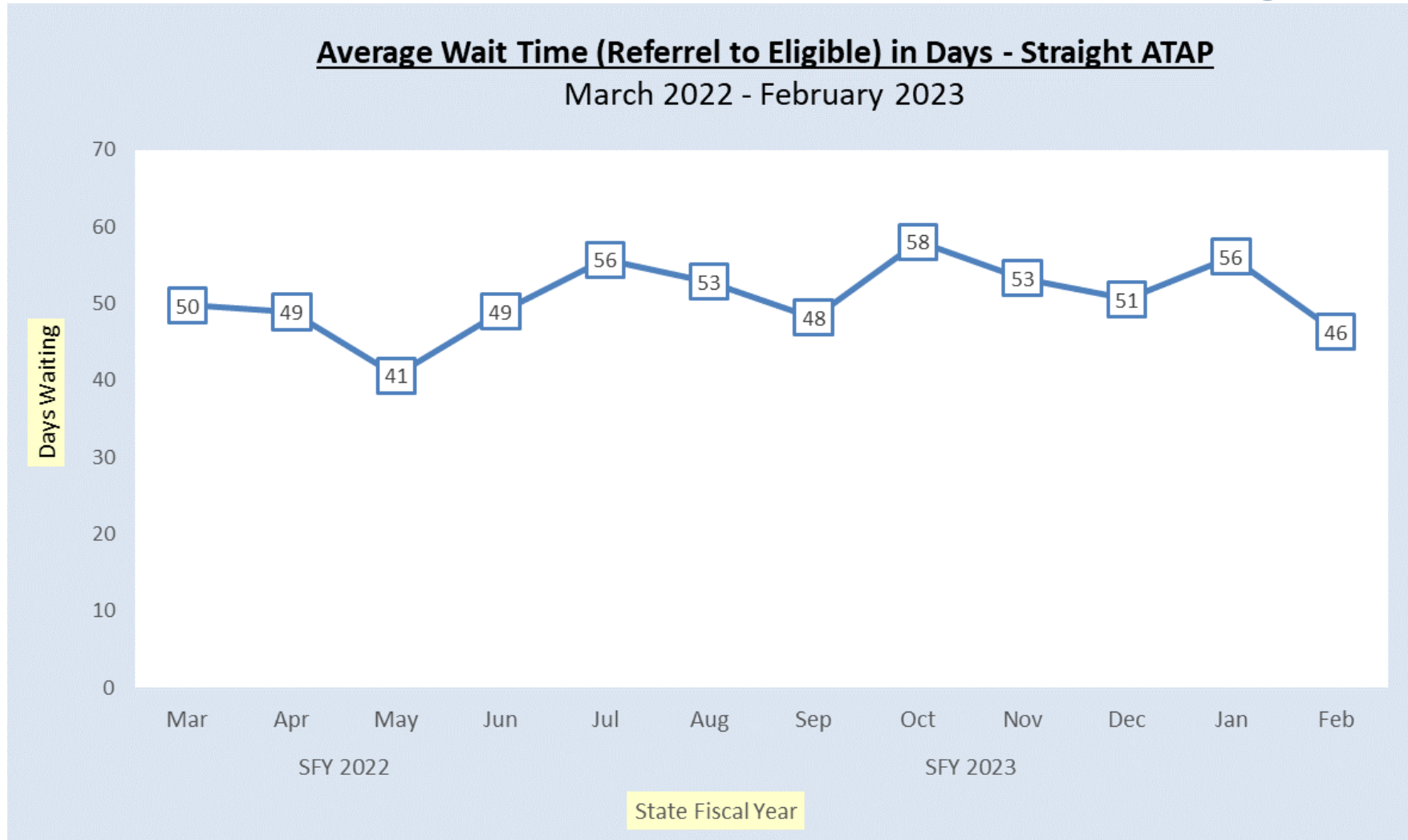
The graph above demonstrates the average number of days waiting for children who are “Pending” or “In Process” to become either “Active” or “Dropped” in the program.

*\*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.*



# Trend in Wait Time (Referral to Eligible)



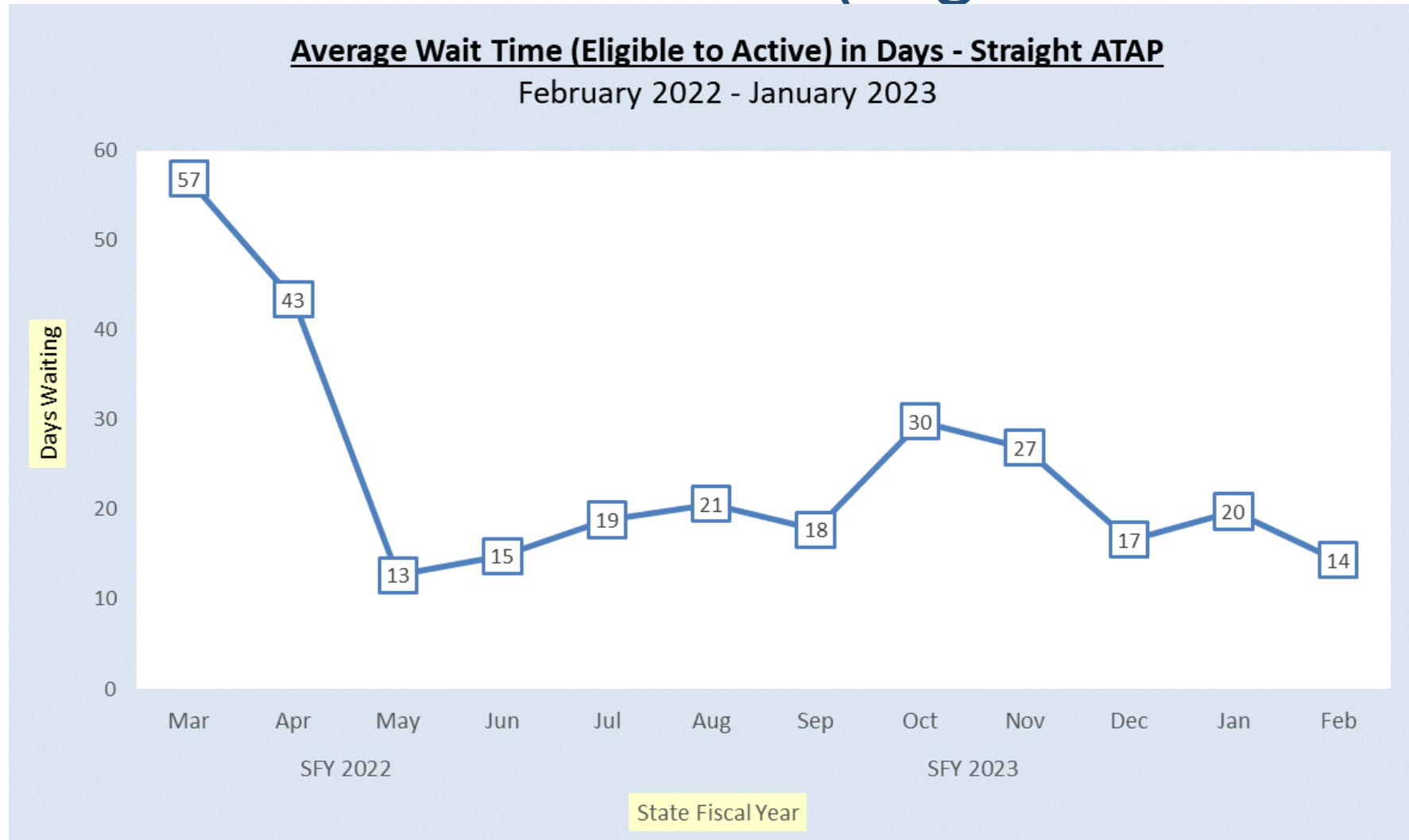
The graph above demonstrates the average number of days waiting for children from “Pending” until they are “In Process”.

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# Trend in Total Wait Time (Eligible to Active)



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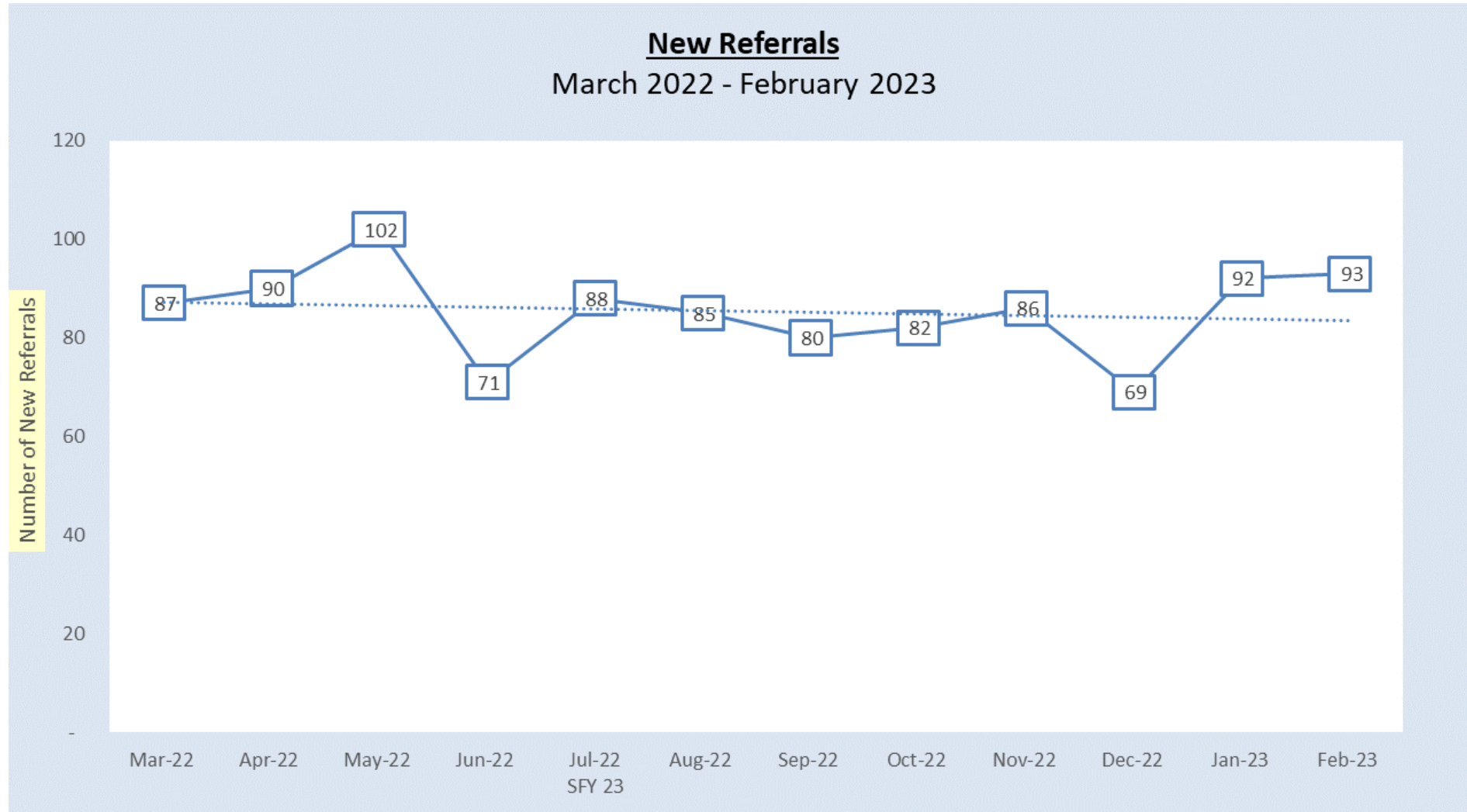
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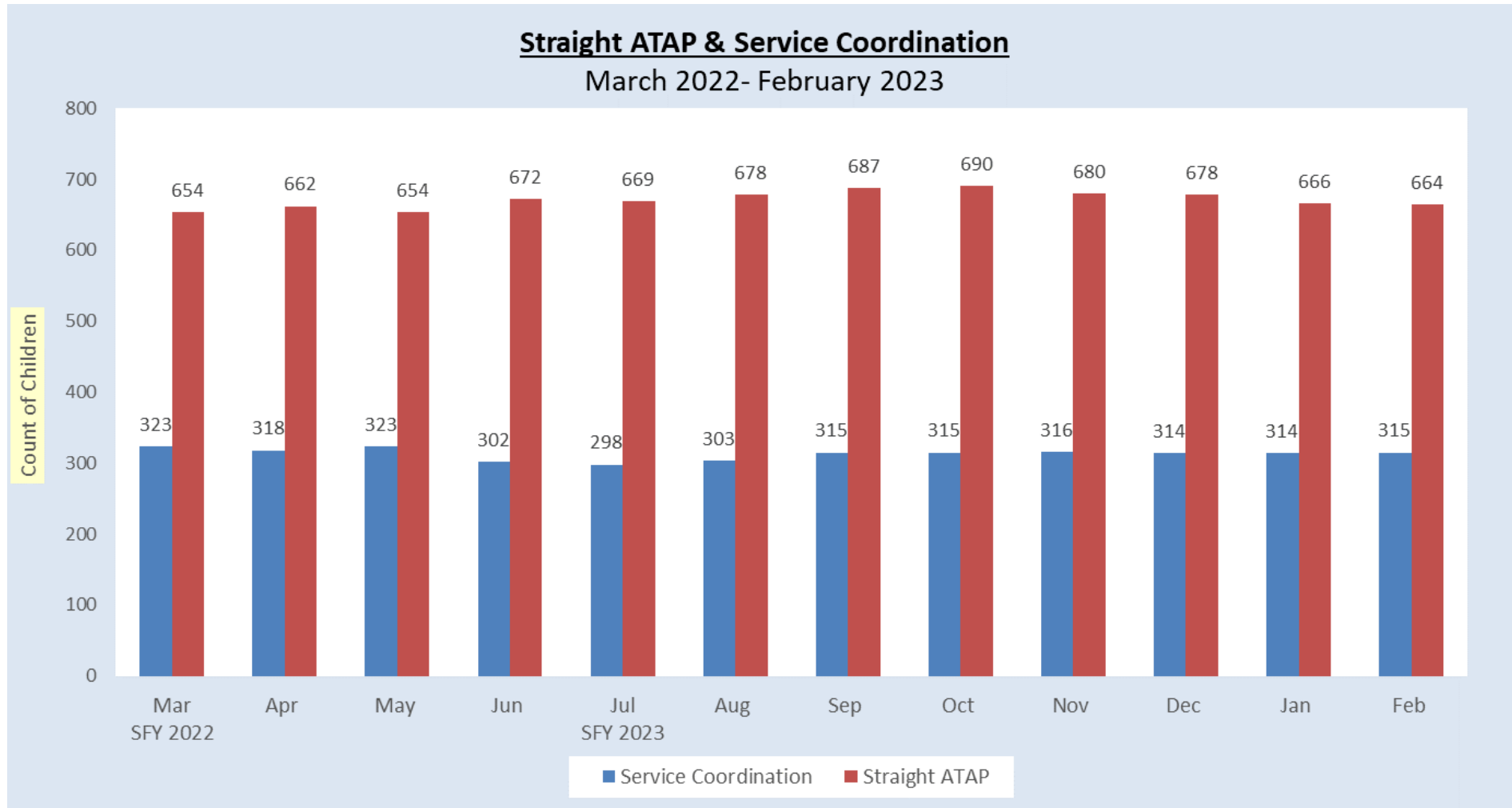
# New Referrals



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



# Straight ATAP & Service Coordination



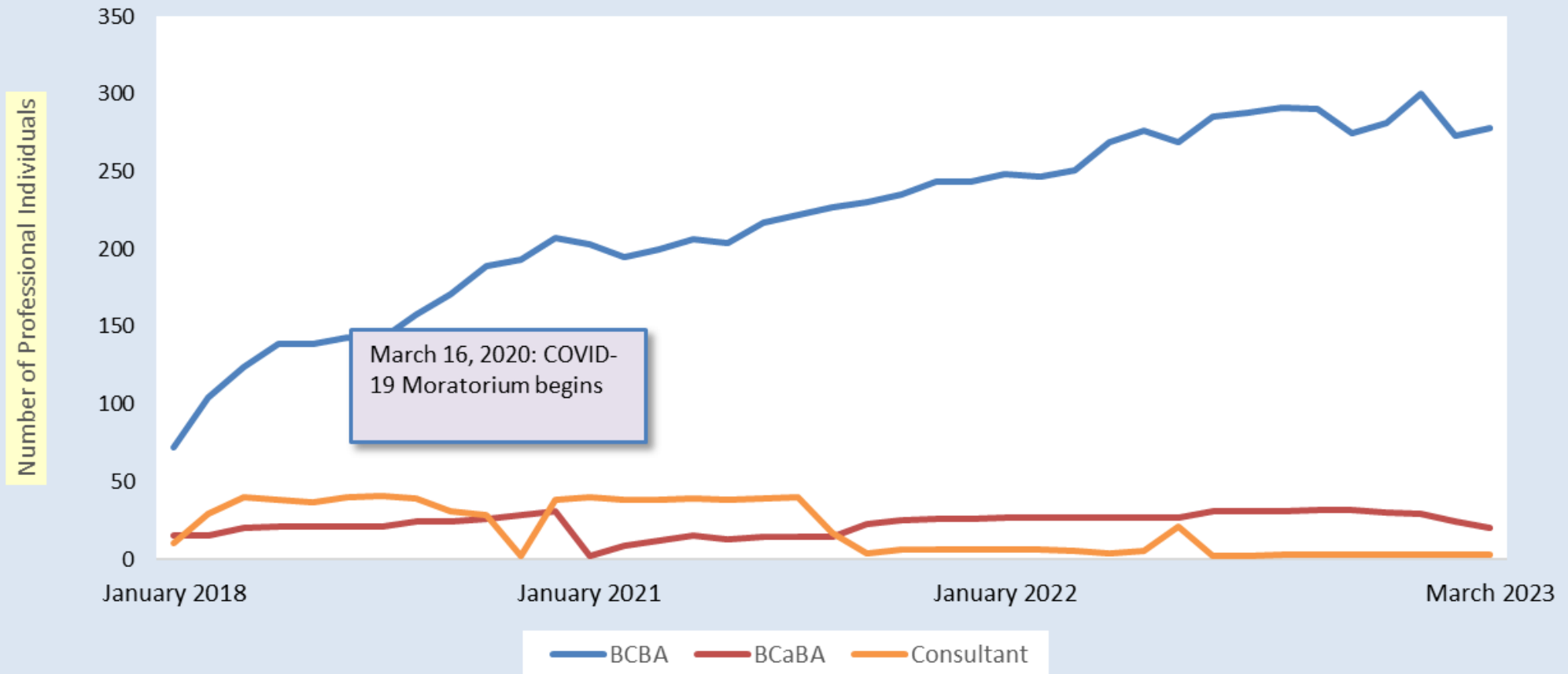
This chart shows the comparison between Straight ATAP and Medicaid Caseload (Service Coordination).



# Professional Growth – BCBA Level

## Trend in Professional Service Providers

January 2018 - March 2023

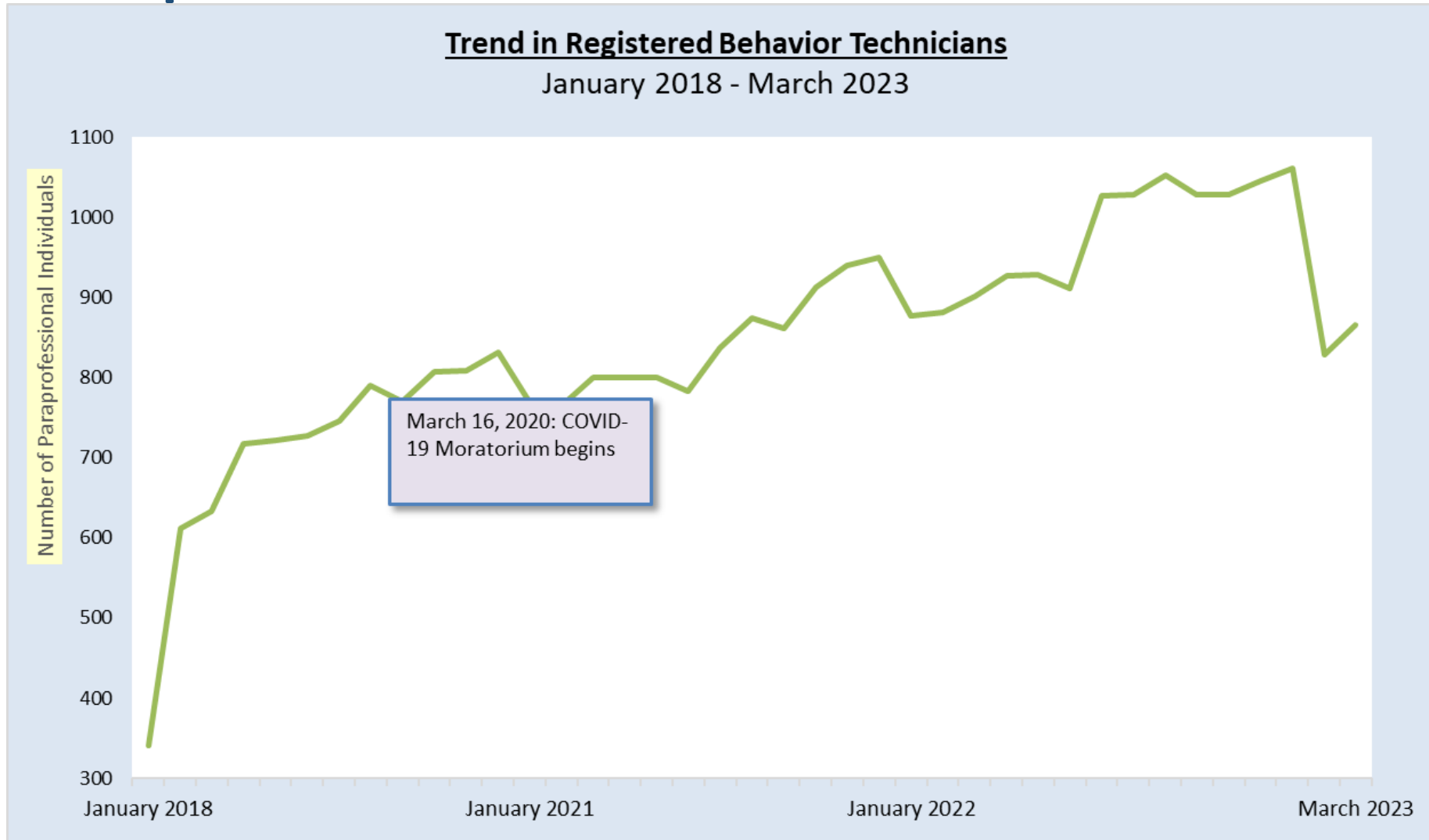


The chart above shows the trend in growth of professional service providers.

*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.*



# Paraprofessional Growth – RBT Level



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

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# Status of Active Providers

As of February 28, 2023

## Active Children with an ATAP Provider

Plan Type	Count of CLIENT ID
ATAP-Comprehensive	51
ATAP-Insurance Assistance In-Network	420
ATAP-Insurance Assistance Out-of-Network	27
ATAP-Service Coordination	201
ATAP-Social Skills	8
ATAP-Targeted Basic	11
ATAP-Targeted Extensive	24
ATAP-Transition Plan	0
ATAP-Therapeutic	4
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>746</b>

## Active Children without an ATAP Provider

Plan Type	Count of CLIENT ID
ATAP-Comprehensive	18
ATAP-Insurance Assistance In-Network	91
ATAP-Insurance Assistance Out-of-Network	3
ATAP-Service Coordination	109
ATAP-Targeted Basic	3
ATAP-Targeted Extensive	9
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>233</b>



# ATAP Age Breakdown

- **Active Children Age Breakdown**

- 0-5: 314 Children
- 6-10: 389 Children
- 11-15: 198 Children
- 16-20: 78 Children

- **Waiting Children Age Breakdown**

- 0-5: 12 Children
- 6-10: 2 Children
- 11-15: 0 Children
- 16-20: 0 Children



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