

# 2017 YEAR IN REVIEW

## PUBLIC LIBRARIES OF SUFFOLK COUNTY



**11,835,029**  
people visited a public library  
(that's **8** visits per capita)

**13,597,176**  
ITEMS CIRCULATED

**2,425,150**  
electronic checkouts

**11,172,026**  
physical checkouts



**2,053,037**  
COMPUTER  
SESSIONS

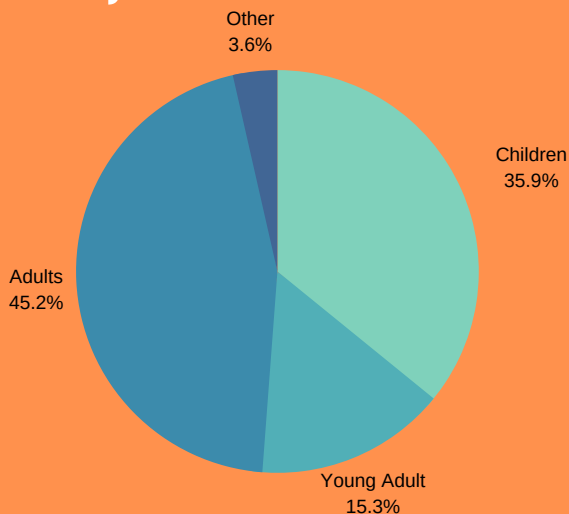
(**982** sessions  
per computer)

**2,441,180**  
REFERENCE TRANSACTIONS

(**12** per hour when  
libraries are open)



**78,136** PROGRAMS



**1,461,026**  
PROGRAM  
ATTENDANCE

**208,274**  
ANNUAL  
SERVICE  
HOURS



**\$154.11**  
TOTAL OPERATING  
SPENDING PER  
CAPITA (only **42¢** a day)