

Table 8-4. Infants under 1 year of age (excluding infants at risk) receiving early intervention services under IDEA, Part C, by age, and state (in descending order of percent of population receiving services): 2004

State	Number of children age 0-1	Population age 0	Percent of Population ^a	DIF ^b
Hawaii	539	18,956	2.84	1.92
Virgin Islands	42	1,672	2.51	1.59
Massachusetts	1,956	80,202	2.44	1.52
Rhode Island	214	12,240	1.75	0.83
Wyoming	114	6,600	1.73	0.81
North Dakota	129	7,488	1.72	0.80
Indiana	1,456	86,163	1.69	0.77
Idaho	349	21,032	1.66	0.74
Louisiana	1,110	67,320	1.65	0.73
Montana	170	10,738	1.58	0.66
Pennsylvania	2,113	145,759	1.45	0.53
West Virginia	289	20,649	1.40	0.48
Delaware	148	11,139	1.33	0.41
American Samoa	22	1,726	1.27	0.35
Kansas	479	38,945	1.23	0.31
Maryland	926	75,601	1.22	0.30
Oklahoma	617	50,398	1.22	0.30
New Hampshire	x	14,193	x	x
Wisconsin	782	68,647	1.14	0.22
Iowa	420	37,571	1.12	0.20
New York	2,793	254,293	1.10	0.18
Illinois	1,954	179,455	1.09	0.17
Michigan	1,396	128,830	1.08	0.16
Connecticut	441	42,876	1.03	0.11
California	5,233	537,777	0.97	0.05
South Dakota	97	10,855	0.89	-0.03
Vermont	54	6,199	0.87	-0.05
New Mexico	225	27,176	0.83	-0.09
Arkansas	311	37,667	0.83	-0.09
Alaska	83	10,150	0.82	-0.10
Texas	3,054	378,946	0.81	-0.11
Ohio	1,154	146,646	0.79	-0.13
Northern Marianas	10	1,297	0.77	-0.15
Utah	365	48,004	0.76	-0.16
Nebraska	192	25,787	0.74	-0.18
Colorado	505	67,840	0.74	-0.18
Mississippi	318	42,880	0.74	-0.18
Maine	98	13,848	0.71	-0.21
Tennessee	528	78,752	0.67	-0.25
Missouri	514	76,771	0.67	-0.25
South Carolina	374	56,452	0.66	-0.26
Florida	1,441	219,312	0.66	-0.26
Arizona	561	92,222	0.61	-0.31
Nevada	193	33,226	0.58	-0.34
Virginia	578	100,219	0.58	-0.34
District of Columbia	43	7,497	0.57	-0.35
Georgia	754	138,108	0.55	-0.37
New Jersey	629	118,575	0.53	-0.39
Oregon	229	44,962	0.51	-0.41
Washington	389	76,487	0.51	-0.41
North Carolina	600	118,874	0.50	-0.42
Alabama	291	59,756	0.49	-0.43
Kentucky	251	54,312	0.46	-0.46
Minnesota	282	68,793	0.41	-0.51
Puerto Rico	213	58,043	0.37	-0.55
Guam	x	3,535	x	x
National baseline	38,192	4,143,461	0.92	

Sources: U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs, Data Analysis System (DANS), "Report of infants and toddlers receiving early intervention services in accordance with Part C," 2004. Data updated as of July 30, 2005.

U.S. Bureau of the Census. For the 50 states and D.C., population data retrieved August 2005 from http://www.census.gov/popest/states/files/SC-EST2004-AGESEX_RES.CSV. For American Samoa, Guam, and Northern Marianas, population data are from Census 2000, Summary File 1, Table P7. For Puerto Rico they are from Census 2000, Summary File 1, Table P14. For Virgin Islands, they are from Census 2000, Summary File 1, Table P9. Retrieved August 2004 from http://factfinder.census.gov/servlet/DatasetMainPageServlet?_program=DEC&_lang=en.

. Data not available.

x Data suppressed.

^aPercent of population = Number of infants under 1 year of age receiving early intervention services divided the population under 1 year of age multiplied by 100.

^bDIF = Difference from national baseline. This column shows the difference between the percentage of the population under 1 year of age served in the state and the percentage served in the nation as a whole. A positive DIF value indicates that the state serves a higher percentage of its infant population than is true for the nation as a whole. Because criteria for Part C eligibility vary widely across states, differences in identification rates on this table should be interpreted with caution. See Part C Child Count