

 EMAPS: EDFacts Metadata and Process System
Delaware**IDEA Part C - Child Count and Settings Release 11.0****Year: 2022-23**

A zero count should be used when there were no children to report in the specific category for the given reporting period. Enter "M" (Missing) if the state did not collect or could not report a count for the specific category. Please provide an explanation for the missing data in the comment box at the bottom of the survey pages. Enter "NA" if the category is not applicable to your state.

Your State's Part C Child Count Date is: **12/1/2022**

Has your state elected under 20 U.S.C. 1432(5)(B)(ii) and 1435(c) to provide parents the choice of, and the child's parent has consented to their child, continuing to receive Part C services (in lieu of FAPE) under 20 U.S.C. 1435(c) for children ages 3 and older? **No**

Section A: Child Count and Settings by Age

<i>A.1. Age Group and Settings of Infants and Toddlers, Ages Birth through 2</i>					
Age Group	Home	Community-Based Setting	Other Setting	Total	Percentage
Birth to 1	136	5	3	144	9.2
1 to 2	420	38	16	474	30.27
2 to 3	831	100	17	948	60.54
Total (Birth through 2)	1387	143	36	1566	100
<i>A.2. Age Group and Settings of Children, Ages 3 or Older</i>					
Age Group	Home	Community-Based Setting	Other Setting	Total	Percentage
3 to 4	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4 to 5	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
5 or Older	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total (3 or Older)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

Comment: Delaware saw a 5% increase in the number of new referrals between December 2021 and December 2022. A 23% increase in data show that families were staying with the program and receiving services longer compared to the previous year. The program has determined that as the state recovered from COVID, more parents were able to socialize their children outside of the home, recognizing that there were delays compared to their children's peers. The ease of conducting evaluations and providing therapy services face to face and the opportunity of telehealth allowed parents to feel more comfortable with staying in the program.

Section B: Child Count and Settings by Race/Ethnicity

<i>B.1. Race/Ethnicity and Settings of Infants and Toddlers, Ages Birth through 2</i>					
Race/Ethnicity	Home	Community-Based Setting	Other Setting	Total	Percentage
Hispanic/Latino	276	20	4	300	19.16
American Indian or Alaska Native	3	0	0	3	0.19
Asian	52	5	1	58	3.7
Black or African	355	64	11	430	27.46

American					
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	0	0	1	0.06
White	614	45	16	675	43.1
Two or More Races	86	9	4	99	6.32
Total (Birth through 2)	1387	143	36	1566	100

B.2. Race/Ethnicity and Settings of Children, Ages 3 or Older

Race/Ethnicity	Home	Community-Based Setting	Other Setting	Total	Percentage
Hispanic/Latino	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
American Indian or Alaska Native	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Asian	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Black or African American	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
White	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Two or More Races	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total (3 or Older)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

Comment: Because of the 23% increase across the board of families staying with the program, there was a 24% increase in the number of individuals identifying as Hispanic/Latino, a 36% increase in the number of individuals identifying as Asian, a 26% increase in those identifying as Black, a 16% decrease in those identifying as white and a 47% increase of individuals identifying as being of 2 or more races.

Section C: Child Count by Gender

<i>C.1. Gender Of Infants and Toddlers, Ages Birth through 2, Receiving Early Intervention Services</i>		
Gender	Total	Percentage
Male	985	62.9
Female	581	37.1
Total (Birth through 2)	1566	100
<i>C.2. Gender of Children, Ages 3 Or Older, Receiving Early Intervention Services</i>		
Gender	Total	Percentage
Male	NA	NA
Female	NA	NA
Total (3 or Older)	NA	NA

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Comment: Data show that there was an increase of 21% of males being reported this year and an increase of 26% of females being reported. The average of these two matches the 23% overall increase of individuals participating in the program.

Section D: At Risk Child Count

Has your state elected under 20 U.S.C. 1432(5)(B)(i) to serve children under the age of three and at risk of having substantial delays if early intervention services are not provided? **No**

<i>At Risk Infants and Toddlers, Ages Birth through 2</i>				
<i>Ages as of Child Count Date</i>				
Race/Ethnicity	Total	Birth to 1	1 to 2	2 to 3
Hispanic/Latino	NA			
American Indian or Alaska Native	NA			
Asian	NA			
Black or African American	NA			
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	NA			
White	NA			
Two or More Races	NA			
Total (Birth through 2)	NA	NA	NA	NA

Comment:

Section E: Cumulative Child Count by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Cumulative Number of Infants and Toddlers Who Received Early Intervention Services by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Cumulative Child Count Reference Period: From: **12/2/2021** To: **12/1/2022**

<i>E.1. Cumulative Count of Infants and Toddlers, Ages Birth through 2, by Race/Ethnicity</i>		
Race/Ethnicity	Total	Percentage
Hispanic/Latino	539	19.76
American Indian or Alaska Native	7	0.26
Asian	103	3.78
Black or African American	746	27.35
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2	0.07

White	1171	42.93
Two or More Races	160	5.87
Total (Birth through 2)	2728	100
<i>E.2. Cumulative Count of Infants and Toddlers, Ages Birth through 2, by Gender</i>		
Gender	Total	Percentage
Male	1766	64.74
Female	962	35.26
Total (Birth through 2)	2728	100

Comment: Delaware saw a 40% increase in the number of families who were determined eligible for the program and who received services during the reported year. The program has determined that as the state recovered from COVID, more parents were able to socialize their children outside of the home, recognizing that there were delays compared to their children's peers. The ease of conducting evaluations and providing therapy services face to face and the opportunity of telehealth allowed parents to feel more comfortable with staying in the program. The data also show that there was an increase of 30% of referrals for children 0-6 months from the previous year. It was determined that more children stayed with the program throughout the year due to referrals being made at a younger age, adding to the cumulative count. The state also participated in multiple outreach events with the intent of utilizing these opportunities for child find activities. The results of our participation show in the increase in the number of referrals based on those events.

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