



Delaware

IDEA Part C - Exiting Process 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. If "Part B eligible, continuing in Part C" is not applicable, select "No" for Question 3a. Please provide an explanation for any missing data in the comment box at the bottom of the survey pages.

What is your state's 12 month reporting period? From: 12/02/2022 To: 12/01/2023

Section A: Reason for Exit by Race/Ethnicity

Reason for Exit	Hispanic/Latino	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian	Black or African American	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	White	Two or More Races	Total
Program Completion								
No Longer Eligible for Part C Prior to Reaching Age Three	10	0	3	12	1	67	3	96
Exit at Age Three								
Part B Eligible, Exiting Part C	210	1	36	285	0	312	63	907
Does your state's application for IDEA Part C funds include a policy under 20 USC 1432(5)(B)(ii) in which parents of children with disabilities who were eligible for services under IDEA Section 619 and previously received services under Part C may continue to receive early intervention services under Part C beyond age three?	No							
Part B Eligible, Continuing in Part C	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Not eligible for Part B, Exit with Referrals to other Programs	10	0	3	16	0	20	1	50
Not Eligible for Part B, Exit with No Referrals	15	1	5	18	0	57	4	100
Part B Eligibility Not Determined	22	1	5	44	0	27	5	104
Not Receiving Services								
Deceased	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Moved Out of State	8	0	6	18	0	15	3	50
Withdrawal by Parent or Guardian	30	0	4	39	0	65	19	157
Attempts to Contact Unsuccessful	31	0	3	54	0	32	13	133

Total Number of Infants and Toddlers Exiting by Racial Ethnic Groups	336	3	65	486	1	597	111	1599
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Comment: Overall, Delaware saw an increase of 16% of exiting children since last year's report. In conjunction, we have seen an increase of 20% of referrals to our program. Delaware saw an increase in the number of children who exited due to no longer being eligible for Part C prior to age 3. The Delaware Part C Program discontinued carrying Potential Part B children through summer months during this reporting period. This allowed the program to strengthen its collaboration between Regional Programs and EIS Providers regarding IFSP goals and outcomes. This resulted in more children exiting by meeting their goals prior to age 3. Delaware saw an increase in the number of children who exited who were not Part B eligible and had referrals to other programs. The increase prompted the Program to focus efforts on providing more resources to the families upon their transition. Delaware saw an increase in the number of children who exited the program and Part B eligibility was not determined. Part C continues to refer potentially Part B eligible to the School District to transition. And works with the Part B program to provide the necessary resources to help them determine if the child exiting the program is eligible for Part B. Delaware saw a decrease in the number of children moving out of state as a means of exiting the program. The Program acknowledges that this is a decrease in previous years percentages. It will be interesting to track this trend in future years. Delaware saw an increase in the number of families withdrawing from the program prior to age 3. With the challenges that the State has encountered with provision of timely services, some parents have expressed frustration and are leaving the program to find services outside of the Early Intervention System. Delaware saw a decrease in percentage of families identifying as American Indian/Alaskan Native and Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander. Upon research, it was found that the families who would normally identify as these two races, are now identifying as being of 2 or more races. Delaware saw an increase in the number of families identifying as Asian and Black which is reflected in the 16% increase overall. Delaware has found that more parents are identifying as being of more than one race as indicated by the American Indian/Alaskan Native and Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander statistics.

Section A (Percentages): Reason for Exit by Race/Ethnicity

Reason for Exit	% Hispanic/Latino	% American Indian or Alaska Native	% Asian	% Black or African American	% Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	% White	% Two or More Races	Total
Program Completion								
No Longer Eligible for Part C Prior to Reaching Age Three	10.4	0	3.1	12.5	1	69.8	3.1	100
Exit at Age Three								
Part B Eligible, Exiting Part C	23.2	0.1	4	31.4	0	34.4	6.9	100
Does your state's application for IDEA Part C funds include a policy under 20 USC 1432(5)(B)(ii) in which parents of children with disabilities who were eligible for services under IDEA Section 619 and previously received services under Part C may continue to receive early intervention services under Part C beyond age three?	No							
Part B Eligible, Continuing in Part C	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Not eligible for Part B, Exit with Referrals to other Programs	20	0	6	32	0	40	2	100
Not Eligible for Part B, Exit with No Referrals	15	1	5	18	0	57	4	100
Part B Eligibility Not Determined	21.2	1	4.8	42.3	0	26	4.8	100
Not Receiving Services								

Deceased	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	100
Moved Out of State	16	0	12	36	0	30	6	100
Withdrawal by Parent or Guardian	19.1	0	2.5	24.8	0	41.4	12.1	100
Attempts to Contact Unsuccessful	23.3	0	2.3	40.6	0	24.1	9.8	100
Total Number of Infants and Toddlers Exiting by Racial Ethnic Groups	21	0.2	4.1	30.4	0.1	37.3	6.9	100

Section B: Reason for Exit by Gender

Reason for Exit	Male	Female	Total
<i>Program Completion</i>			
No Longer Eligible for Part C Prior to Reaching Age Three	47	49	96
<i>Exit at Age Three</i>			
Part B Eligible, Exiting Part C	611	296	907
Does your state's application for IDEA Part C funds include a policy under 20 USC 1432(5)(B) (ii) in which parents of children with disabilities who were eligible for services under IDEA Section 619 and previously received services under Part C may continue to receive early intervention services under Part C beyond age three?	No		
Part B Eligible, Continuing in Part C	NA	NA	
Not eligible for Part B, Exit with Referrals to other Programs	29	21	50
Not Eligible for Part B, Exit with No Referrals	66	34	100

Part B Eligibility Not Determined	68	36	104
Not Receiving Services			
Deceased	0	2	2
Moved Out of State	32	18	50
Withdrawal by Parent or Guardian	90	67	157
Attempts to Contact Unsuccessful	93	40	133
Total Number of Infants and Toddlers Exiting by Gender	1036	563	1599

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Section B (Percentages): Reason for Exit by Gender

Reason for Exit	% Male	% Female	Total
Program Completion			
No Longer Eligible for Part C Prior to Reaching Age Three	49	51	100
Exit at Age Three			
Part B Eligible, Exiting Part C	67.4	32.6	100

Does your state's application for IDEA Part C funds include a policy under 20 USC 1432(5)(B) (ii) in which parents of children with disabilities who were eligible for services under IDEA Section 619 and previously received services under Part C may continue to receive early intervention services under Part C beyond age three?

No

Part B Eligible, Continuing in Part C	NA	NA	
Not eligible for Part B, Exit with Referrals to other Programs	58	42	100
Not Eligible for Part B, Exit with No Referrals	66	34	100
Part B Eligibility Not Determined	65.4	34.6	100
<i>Not Receiving Services</i>			
Deceased	0	100	100
Moved Out of State	64	36	100
Withdrawal by Parent or Guardian	57.3	42.7	100
Attempts to Contact Unsuccessful	69.9	30.1	100
Total Number of Infants and Toddlers Exiting by Gender	64.8	35.2	100

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