

# *The 2007 National Child Count of Children and Youth who are Deaf-Blind*



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## Introduction

The National Child Count of Children and Youth who are Deaf-Blind is the first and longest running registry and knowledge base of children who are deaf-blind in the world. It represents a 25 year collaborative effort between NCDB, its predecessors and each state/multi-state deaf-blind project throughout the country, as well as those projects funded in the Pacific Trust territories, the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico. It has been collaboratively designed and implemented as the common vehicle to meet federal grant requirements for both the state/multi-state and national technical assistance projects and serves as a common data collection and reporting mechanism for use across the country. Consistent with the priorities under which NCDB, its predecessors, and the state/multi-state projects are funded, this national child count is used to identify national and state technical assistance needs for children and youth who are deaf-blind, their families and the service providers and systems which serve them (Killoran, 2007).

The child count is conducted on December 1<sup>st</sup> of each year to supplement OSEP's federal Part C and Part B Child Counts, which include children as deaf-blind only when deaf-blindness is their single disability. In contrast to OSEP's December 1 counts, the Deaf-Blind Child Count data is collected for children with deaf-blindness in isolation, as well as those with additional disabilities (Muller, 2006). Across the United States, 675 infants (B-2) and 9,452 children and young adults (3-21) were identified and reported as deaf-blind by the state/multi-state projects on the December 1, 2007 (NCDB, 2008). An additional 47 students were reported by those state/multi-state projects, who by their respective State's legislation or regulation, continue to provide services through the end of the school year in which the student turns 22 years of age; thus a total of 10,174 infants, children and young adults were identified as deaf-blind by the state/multi-state projects representing a 4.4 percent increase from the previous year.

In contrast, WESTAT (2007) reports that only 1,656 students (3-21) were reported as deaf-blind on OSEP's 12/1/06 Part B count (OSEP's 2007 child count data was not released at the time this document was prepared). Due to the non-categorical nature of Part C, no infants or toddlers are reported as deaf-blind since they are all reported as developmentally delayed or at-risk by their state Part C lead agencies (WESTAT, 2007).

In reviewing the child count data submitted over the years, it is clear that no single portrait can be painted to represent a typical child with deaf-blindness. Children who are deaf-blind are as varied as the number reported and the nature and extent of deaf-blindness in children is often misunderstood (Malloy & Killoran, 2007). These children represent one of the lowest incidence, yet most diverse group of learners receiving early intervention and special education services. They are an extremely heterogeneous group whose sensory losses may be accompanied by additional physical or cognitive disabilities, complex medical needs and/or behavior challenges (Muller, 2006). State/multi-state deaf-blind project directors consistently indicate that most Part C lead agencies and State Education Agencies report their children and students with deaf-blindness as being developmentally delayed, multi-handicapped, visually impaired or hearing impaired, rather than identifying them as deaf-blind. Concerns about the under-identification of deaf-blindness and its resulting unique intervention requirements has been a consistent problem and one which results in a lack of, or delay in receiving, appropriate intervention and instruction critical to children's early development (Muller, 2006). The opportunity for early identification,

intervention and the provision of instructional services aimed at the unique needs of young children and students who are deaf-blind is a critical component that cannot be lost.

### ***Changes in the 2007 Child Count***

NCDB has recently implemented a comprehensive revision of its child count reporting elements. These changes were piloted with the 12/1/06 count and became mandatory for the 12/1/07 count. Based on an ongoing dialogue with state deaf-blind project staff and other deaf-blind community members, four specific issues were addressed:

- Easing the data collection burden of the projects
- Increasing the efficiency of data collection activities
- Increasing the accuracy of the data collected and reported, and
- Increasing cost efficiency

Activities initiated to ameliorate these identified issues included:

- Definitional changes to increase consistency across states
- Realignment of data elements with IDEA, section 618 data reporting requirements, and
- Changes in documentation procedures consistent with IDEA classification and reclassification regulatory changes

#### Definitional changes to increase consistency across states

Although each state deaf-blind project has the discretion of establishing the criteria for their project services, the IDEA 2004 definition of deaf-blindness must now be used for defining students in early childhood special education (3-5) and school age special education (6-21) programs and for their inclusion on the Census. This definition was also adapted to provide a consistent definition of infants and toddlers with deaf-blindness served in Part C early intervention programs across the country.

#### Realignment of data elements with Section 618 data reporting requirements

All data elements have been revised to reflect current section 618 IDEA data requirements. Existing data elements have been broken out into specific Part B and Part C elements using 618 language. Data elements which are consistent with the IDEA mandated child counts include:

- Race/Ethnicity
- Part B and C Category Codes
- Early Intervention Setting (Birth through 2)
- Educational Setting (3-5 and 6-21), and
- Part C Exiting Status (Birth through 2) and Part B Exiting Status (3-21)

Data elements identified for assisting projects to meet their Priority b requirements (e.g., collection of demographic and needs assessment information) include:

- Gender
- Etiology
- Documented Vision Loss
- Cortical Vision Impairment
- Documented Hearing Loss; Central Auditory Processing Disorder
- Auditory Neuropathy
- Other Impairments or Conditions
- Living Setting; and
- The use of corrective lenses, listening devices and/or assistive technology

#### Changes in documentation procedures

Identifying and maintaining current information related to dates of assessment has been difficult and costly for projects. This difficulty was exacerbated with the legislative and regulatory changes to IDEA 97 and maintained in IDEA 2004, which allow a student's IEP team to use existing data in the reclassification process rather than requiring a new tri-annual re-evaluation. Consistent with the IDEA classification/reclassification process, revisions reflect a team decision to verify a student's Degree of Documented Loss, rather than relying upon ongoing assessments.

#### ***Considerations for the Reader***

When reading the information that follows, the reader should note that:

- Although the revised forms were mandatory for use in 2007, two states submitted using the prior year formats and several states did not entirely convert their submittals to the new codes. NCDB developed crosswalks to convert the respective data to the new codes. However, in some cases this was not entirely possible. In those cases (e.g.; students were reported based on prior year educational settings, such as "Self-Contained Class", rather than as "Percentage of Time in Regular Education". The default rule established was to report the individual in the *most restrictive* setting.
- Several states also reported the student's "Degree of Documented Hearing and Vision Loss" by using the prior year codes of "Testing Non-Conclusive" or as "Missing/Not Reported". In this case, the default rule was to report the individual in the new "Further Testing Needed" category, which may be used for only one year. This testing must be completed prior to the next child count submission date for continued inclusion in the count.

- Though the IDEA definition is now used as the common definition of deafblindness across the state/multi-state deaf-blind projects, each state deafblind project has the discretion of establishing the criteria for their own project services
- The Census is a point-in-time snapshot and reflects those infants, young children, and students identified and eligible for services from State/Multi-State Deaf-Blind Projects on December 1 of each year. Thus, in many instances, projects serve more infants, young children and students over the course of the year than are reported on the December 1 child count date
- The language and reporting elements used in the Census are consistent with those found in Section 618 of IDEA.
- The Census data presented are based on aggregate data reported by each State/Multi-State Deaf-Blind Project and the aggregated counts provide a national perspective. However, there is substantial variability in the individual state project data reports

***Crosswalk***

Table 1 illustrates the crosswalk used for converting the old-to-new reporting codes.

<b>Column/Variable</b>	<b>New Codes Used Beginning 12/1/2007</b>	<b>Prior Year Codes</b>
State	No Change	Two-letter state abbreviation
ID	No Change	Four-digit alpha-character code
Code	No Change	Unique identifying number
Gender	No Change	0. Male 1. Female
DOB	No Change	Month, date and year
Etiology	No Change	Primary etiology code
Race/Ethnicity	1. American Indian or Alaska Native 2. Asian or Pacific Islander 3. Black (not Hispanic) 4. Hispanic 5. White (not Hispanic)	1. American Indian or Alaska Native 2. Asian or Pacific Islander 3. Black or African American (not Hispanic) 4. Hispanic or Latino 5. White (not Hispanic)
Documented Vision Loss	1. Low Vision 2. Legally Blind 3. Light Perception Only 4. Totally Blind 6. Diagnosed Progressive Loss 7. Further Testing Needed (1 year only) 9. Documented Functional Vision Loss	1. Low Vision 2. Legally Blind 3. Light Perception Only 4. Totally Blind 5. CVI moved to next column and replaced with Further Testing needed (7) 6. Diagnosed Progressive Loss 7. Further Testing Needed 8. Tested/Results Non-conclusive was subsumed into Further Testing Needed
CVI	0. No 1. Yes 2. Unknown	NA-Refer to Documented Vision Loss Code 5

Column/Variable	New Codes Used Beginning 12/1/2007	Prior Year Codes
Documented Hearing Loss	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mild (26-40 dB loss)</li> <li>2. Moderate (41-55 dB loss)</li> <li>3. Moderately Severe (56-70 dB loss)</li> <li>4. Severe (71-90 dB loss)</li> <li>5. Profound (91+ dB loss)</li> <li>6. Diagnosed Progressive Loss, or</li> <li>7. Further Testing Needed, (1 year only)</li> <li>9. Documented Functional Hearing Loss</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mild (26-40 dB loss)</li> <li>2. Moderate (41-55 dB loss)</li> <li>3. Moderately Severe (56-70 dB loss)</li> <li>4. Severe (71-90 dB loss)</li> <li>5. Profound (91+ dB loss)</li> <li>6. Diagnosed Progressive Loss</li> <li>7. Further Testing Needed</li> <li>8. Tested/Results Non-conclusive was subsumed into Further Testing Needed</li> </ol>
CAPD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> <li>2. Unknown</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> <li>5. Not tested</li> </ol>
Auditory Neuropathy	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> <li>2. Unknown</li> </ol>	NA
CI	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> <li>2. Unknown</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>
Other: Physical	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>
Other: Cognitive	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>
Other Behavioral	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>
Other: Complex Health	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>
Other: Communication	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>	N/A Refer to Part B Disability Code 10
Other: Other	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. No</li> <li>1. Yes</li> </ol>
Funding (Blank)	No longer collected	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. IDEA Part B</li> <li>2. IDEA Part C</li> <li>3. Not reported under Part B or C</li> </ol>
Part C Disability	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. At-risk</li> <li>2. Developmentally Delayed</li> <li>3. Not Reported under Part C of IDEA</li> </ol>	NA-Refer to Part B Disability Code 0
Part B Disability	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mental Retardation (previously 4)</li> <li>2. Hearing Impairment-includes deafness</li> <li>3. Speech or Language Impairment (previously 10)</li> <li>4. Visual Impairment-includes blindness (previously 12)</li> <li>5. Emotional Disturbance (previously 8)</li> <li>6. Orthopedic Impairment (previously 7)</li> <li>7. Other Health Impairment (previously 6)</li> <li>8. Specific Learning Disability (previously 9)</li> <li>9. Deaf-blindness (previously 3)</li> <li>10. Multiple Disabilities (previously 5)</li> <li>11. Autism (previously 1)</li> <li>12. Traumatic Brain Injury (previously 11)</li> <li>13. Developmentally Delayed-age 3 -9 Non-Categorical</li> <li>888 Not Reported under Part B of IDEA</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. Not applicable – Individual under 3</li> <li>1. Autism Spectrum Disorder</li> <li>2. HI</li> <li>3. DB</li> <li>4. MR</li> <li>5. Multi-disabled</li> <li>6. OHI</li> <li>7. OI</li> <li>8. ED</li> <li>9. SLD</li> <li>10. SLP</li> <li>11. TBI</li> <li>12. VI</li> <li>13. DD</li> <li>14. Non-Categorical</li> <li>888. Not reported under Part B</li> </ol>

Column/Variable	New Codes Used Beginning 12/1/2007	Prior Year Codes
Part C Setting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Home (previously 102)</li> <li>2. Community-based settings (previously 103, 105, 108)</li> <li>3. Other settings (previously 101, 104, 106, 109, 155)</li> </ol>	<p>101.Program designed for children w/DD or disabilities  102.Home  103.Combination of center and home based  104.Service provider location  105.Daycare/childcare  106.Hospital  107.Not receiving EI  108.Program designed for typically developing children  109.Residential facility  155.Other</p>
Part B Setting	<p><u>3-5</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Attending a regular early childhood program at least 80% of the time (previously 201)</li> <li>2. Attending a regular early childhood program 40% to 79% of the time</li> <li>3. Attending a regular early childhood program less than 40 % of the time (previously 203, 208)</li> <li>4. Attending a separate class (previously 202)</li> <li>5. Attending a separate school (previously 206)</li> <li>6. Attending a residential facility (previously 205)</li> <li>7. Service provider location (previously 207,255)</li> <li>8. Home (previously 204)</li> </ol>	<p>201.EC Setting  202.ECSE setting  203.Part EC &amp; part ECSE setting  204.Home  205.Residential facility  206.Separate school  207.Itinerant services outside of home  208.Reverse mainstreaming setting  255.Other</p>
	<p><u>6-21</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9. Inside the regular class 80% or more of day (previously 301, 312)</li> <li>10. Inside the regular class 40% to 79% of day</li> <li>11. Inside the regular class less than 40% of day (previously 302, 303)</li> <li>12. Separate school (previously 304)</li> <li>13. Residential facility (previously 306, 307)</li> <li>14. Homebound/Hospital (previously 308)</li> <li>15. Correctional facilities</li> <li>16. Parentally placed in private schools (previously 305, 310)</li> <li>17. (313,355,401)</li> </ol>	<p>301.Regular classroom  302.Resource Room  303.Separate Class  304.Public Separate School  305.Private Separate School  306.Public residential  307.Private residential  308.Homebound/Hospital  310.Home school program  311.Post-secondary program  312.Vocational program  313.Not in educational setting  355.Other  401.Individual is age 22-28</p>

Column/Variable	New Codes Used Beginning 12/1/2007	Prior Year Codes
Assessment	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Regular grade-level state assessment</li> <li>2. Regular grade-level state assessment with accommodations</li> <li>3. Alternate assessments aligned with grade-level achievement standards</li> <li>4. Alternate assessments based on alternate achievement standards</li> <li>5. Modified achievement standards</li> </ol> Not required at age or grade level	NA
Part C Exiting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. In a Part C early intervention program</li> <li>1. Completion of IFSP <i>prior to reaching maximum age</i> for Part C</li> <li>2. Eligible for IDEA, Part B</li> <li>3. Not eligible for Part B, exit with referrals to other programs</li> <li>4. Not eligible for Part B, exit with no referrals</li> <li>5. Part B eligibility not determined</li> <li>6. Deceased</li> <li>7. Moved out of state</li> <li>8. Withdrawal by parent (or guardian)</li> <li>9. Attempts to contact the parent and/or child were unsuccessful</li> <li>10. No longer receives early intervention, but still receiving state deaf-blind project services</li> <li>11. No longer meets the deaf-blind project's criteria for services</li> </ol>	NA
Part B Exiting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. In ECSE or school-aged special education program</li> <li>1. Transferred to regular education</li> <li>2. Graduated - regular high school diploma</li> <li>3. Received a certificate</li> <li>4. Reached maximum age</li> <li>5. Died</li> <li>6. Moved, known to be continuing</li> <li>7. <b><i>Intentionally not used</i></b></li> <li>8. Dropped out</li> <li>9. No longer receives special education, but still receiving state deaf-blind project services</li> <li>10. <b><i>Intentionally not used</i></b></li> <li>11. No longer meets the deaf-blind project's criteria for services</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. In special education</li> <li>1. No longer received Sp Ed/returned to regular education</li> <li>2. Graduated with regular high school diploma</li> <li>3. Received a certificate</li> <li>4. Reached maximum age</li> <li>5. Deceased</li> <li>6. Moved, known to be continuing</li> <li>7. Moved, not known to be continuing=8</li> <li>8. Dropped out</li> <li>9. No longer receives special education, but still receiving state deaf-blind project services</li> <li>10. Received a modified diploma = 3</li> <li>11. No longer meets criteria as DB</li> </ol>
Living	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Home: Parents</li> <li>2. Home: Extended family</li> <li>3. Home: Foster parents</li> <li>4. State residential facility</li> <li>5. Private residential facility</li> <li>6. Group home (less than 6 residents)</li> <li>7. Group home (6 or more residents)</li> <li>8. Apartment (with non-family person(s))</li> <li>9. Pediatric nursing home</li> <li>555. Other</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Home: Birth/Adoptive Parents</li> <li>2. Home: Extended family</li> <li>3. Home: Foster parents</li> <li>4. State residential facility</li> <li>5. Private residential facility</li> <li>6. Group home (less than 6 residents)</li> <li>7. Group home (6 or more residents)</li> <li>8. Apartment (with non-family person(s))</li> <li>9. Pediatric nursing home</li> <li>555. Other</li> </ol>



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Corrective Lenses	0 = No 1 = Yes 2 = Unknown	NA
Assistive Listening Device	0 = No 1 = Yes 2 = Unknown	NA
Additional Assistive Technology	0 = No 1 = Yes 2 = Unknown	NA

*Table 1: Old-to-New Reporting Crosswalk*

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December 1, 2007

(Ages birth through 21\*)

	AGE OF CHILD (Respective Count Year)							Total
	0 thru 2	3 thru 5	6 thru 11	12 thru 17	18 thru 21	Over 21	Unknown/ Missing	
ALABAMA	4	12	44	80	35	0	0	175
ALASKA	0	4	5	6	4	1	0	20
ARIZONA	28	42	56	52	30	3	0	211
ARKANSAS	1	9	40	31	20	0	0	101
CALIFORNIA	111	126	240	309	165	0	0	951
COLORADO	30	30	34	29	9	0	0	132
CONNECTICUT	4	6	21	22	7	0	0	60
DELAWARE	10	17	26	20	10	0	0	83
FLORIDA	30	26	92	103	62	0	3	316
GEORGIA	33	60	79	86	40	0	0	298
HAWAII	1	2	14	13	7	1	4	42
IDAHO	7	11	17	14	14	0	0	63
ILLINOIS	26	58	121	152	52	0	0	409
INDIANA	2	20	91	54	41	0	0	208
IOWA	3	8	22	24	5	6	0	68
KANSAS	8	16	31	35	10	0	0	100
KENTUCKY	8	10	60	55	23	0	0	156
LOUISIANA	1	7	26	51	33	0	0	118
MAINE	0	8	11	18	6	0	0	43
MARYLAND	17	29	48	49	37	0	0	180
MASSACHUSETTS	17	23	50	72	36	0	0	198
MICHIGAN	12	35	95	102	49	0	0	293
MINNESOTA	26	31	78	84	46	2	0	267
MISSISSIPPI	7	5	14	34	17	0	0	77
MISSOURI	12	21	58	47	44	11	0	193
MONTANA	2	9	31	28	6	1	0	77
NEBRASKA	3	8	27	41	32	2	0	113
NEVADA	16	16	27	31	10	0	0	100
NEW HAMPSHIRE	4	4	20	19	13	0	0	60
NEW JERSEY	2	15	59	117	119	0	0	312
NEW MEXICO	14	33	55	51	38	0	0	191
NEW YORK	6	25	142	419	389	0	0	981
NORTH CAROLINA	9	23	107	120	58	4	0	321
NORTH DAKOTA	5	9	14	5	5	0	0	38
OHIO	18	30	121	133	87	0	1	390
OKLAHOMA	3	12	48	59	24	0	0	146
OREGON	8	14	28	22	10	0	1	83
PENNSYLVANIA	21	44	109	121	48	0	1	344
PUERTO RICO	2	11	22	24	14	1	0	74
RHODE ISLAND	1	12	13	24	14	0	0	64
SOUTH CAROLINA	16	23	40	24	5	0	0	108
SOUTH DAKOTA	5	9	12	7	0	0	0	33
TENNESSEE	22	26	72	67	27	0	0	214
TEXAS	59	124	261	231	105	0	0	780
UTAH	5	17	35	39	12	0	0	108
VERMONT	0	2	9	8	4	0	0	23
VIRGIN ISLANDS	2	4	3	10	2	0	0	21
VIRGINIA	8	23	42	44	20	0	2	139
WASHINGTON	23	25	79	77	33	0	0	237
WEST VIRGINIA	10	20	51	37	8	0	0	126
WISCONSIN	5	26	81	76	51	15	0	254
WYOMING	5	4	8	9	1	0	0	27
PACIFIC BASIN	3	14	12	13	3	0	3	48
<b>Total</b>	<b>675</b>	<b>1198</b>	<b>2901</b>	<b>3398</b>	<b>1940</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>10174</b>

\*Some states continue to provide services through the end of the school year in which the individual turns 22 years old

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**December 1, 2007**  
**(Ages birth through 21\*)**

	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian or Pacific Islander	Black (not Hispanic)	Hispanic	White (not Hispanic)	UNKNOWN /MISSING	
ALABAMA	2	2	69	5	97	0	175
ALASKA	7	2	0	0	11	0	20
ARIZONA	24	2	11	83	91	0	211
ARKANSAS	0	0	21	6	69	5	101
CALIFORNIA	10	95	58	423	349	16	951
COLORADO	4	3	8	40	77	0	132
CONNECTICUT	0	1	13	9	35	2	60
DELAWARE	0	2	22	15	44	0	83
FLORIDA	1	8	36	65	117	89	316
GEORGIA	3	7	87	29	171	1	298
HAWAII	0	36	1	0	5	0	42
IDAHO	2	0	1	9	51	0	63
ILLINOIS	0	21	85	68	234	1	409
INDIANA	0	4	20	9	175	0	208
IOWA	0	1	1	3	63	0	68
KANSAS	3	5	12	14	66	0	100
KENTUCKY	0	0	9	3	144	0	156
LOUISIANA	0	1	48	0	68	1	118
MAINE	0	1	0	1	40	1	43
MARYLAND	1	4	55	9	104	7	180
MASSACHUSETTS	0	8	12	35	127	16	198
MICHIGAN	2	9	40	25	215	2	293
MINNESOTA	15	15	14	18	205	0	267
MISSISSIPPI	1	0	34	0	36	6	77
MISSOURI	1	9	43	4	128	8	193
MONTANA	11	1	0	4	55	6	77
NEBRASKA	1	0	3	6	103	0	113
NEVADA	2	5	8	36	49	0	100
NEW HAMPSHIRE	0	1	2	1	48	8	60
NEW JERSEY	0	11	67	43	135	56	312
NEW MEXICO	18	0	3	108	62	0	191
NEW YORK	3	33	192	209	491	53	981
NORTH CAROLINA	6	6	107	30	171	1	321
NORTH DAKOTA	10	0	0	3	25	0	38
OHIO	4	3	71	10	300	2	390
OKLAHOMA	30	2	16	14	84	0	146
OREGON	0	2	4	13	61	3	83
PENNSYLVANIA	0	9	68	23	242	2	344
PUERTO RICO	0	0	0	74	0	0	74
RHODE ISLAND	2	6	5	10	39	2	64
SOUTH CAROLINA	0	1	48	4	54	1	108
SOUTH DAKOTA	5	1	1	1	25	0	33
TENNESSEE	0	3	53	10	148	0	214
TEXAS	3	20	97	298	361	1	780
UTAH	3	0	1	10	94	0	108
VERMONT	0	1	1	1	20	0	23
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	12	3	6	0	21
VIRGINIA	3	9	35	13	79	0	139
WASHINGTON	7	12	7	49	162	0	237
WEST VIRGINIA	0	1	9	0	111	5	126
WISCONSIN	10	9	25	9	201	0	254
WYOMING	1	0	0	5	21	0	27
PACIFIC BASIN	0	40	0	0	0	8	48
<b>Total</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>1535</b>	<b>1860</b>	<b>5869</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>10174</b>

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	Gender			Total
	Male	Female	UNKNOWN/ MISSING	
ALABAMA	86	89	0	175
ALASKA	10	9	1	20
ARIZONA	107	103	1	211
ARKANSAS	58	43	0	101
CALIFORNIA	515	430	6	951
COLORADO	74	58	0	132
CONNECTICUT	34	26	0	60
DELAWARE	50	33	0	83
FLORIDA	151	159	6	316
GEORGIA	159	138	1	298
HAWAII	20	22	0	42
IDAHO	27	36	0	63
ILLINOIS	237	172	0	409
INDIANA	105	103	0	208
IOWA	30	38	0	68
KANSAS	57	43	0	100
KENTUCKY	79	76	1	156
LOUISIANA	56	62	0	118
MAINE	27	16	0	43
MARYLAND	104	76	0	180
MASSACHUSETTS	96	102	0	198
MICHIGAN	160	133	0	293
MINNESOTA	134	133	0	267
MISSISSIPPI	40	37	0	77
MISSOURI	99	90	4	193
MONTANA	47	30	0	77
NEBRASKA	74	39	0	113
NEVADA	62	38	0	100
NEW HAMPSHIRE	30	26	4	60
NEW JERSEY	180	120	12	312
NEW MEXICO	104	87	0	191
NEW YORK	549	432	0	981
NORTH CAROLINA	188	133	0	321
NORTH DAKOTA	19	19	0	38
OHIO	228	162	0	390
OKLAHOMA	68	78	0	146
OREGON	46	37	0	83
PENNSYLVANIA	189	155	0	344
PUERTO RICO	34	40	0	74
RHODE ISLAND	32	32	0	64
SOUTH CAROLINA	61	47	0	108
SOUTH DAKOTA	16	17	0	33
TENNESSEE	106	108	0	214
TEXAS	423	353	4	780
UTAH	65	43	0	108
VERMONT	10	13	0	23
VIRGIN ISLANDS	12	7	2	21
VIRGINIA	78	57	4	139
WASHINGTON	136	101	0	237
WEST VIRGINIA	65	61	0	126
WISCONSIN	147	107	0	254
WYOMING	15	12	0	27
PACIFIC BASIN	22	26	0	48
<b>Total</b>	<b>5521</b>	<b>4607</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>10174</b>

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	Primary Classification of Vision Impairment							Total
	Low Vision	Legally Blind	Light Perception Only	Totally Blind	Diagnosed Progressive Vision Loss	Further Testing Needed (1 year only)	Documented Functional Vision Loss	
ALABAMA	138	25	7	4	1	0	0	175
ALASKA	2	5	3	1	1	8	0	20
ARIZONA	48	41	6	10	11	35	60	211
ARKANSAS	21	25	10	5	5	35	0	101
CALIFORNIA	44	390	67	81	16	98	255	951
COLORADO	62	36	9	4	21	0	0	132
CONNECTICUT	13	34	2	3	1	1	6	60
DELAWARE	31	28	5	3	6	10	0	83
FLORIDA	149	63	11	24	22	39	8	316
GEORGIA	55	87	29	18	11	7	91	298
HAWAII	3	12	3	6	0	16	2	42
IDAHO	13	11	4	3	8	0	24	63
ILLINOIS	123	92	50	24	32	14	74	409
INDIANA	46	39	26	6	6	3	82	208
IOWA	17	16	3	4	2	6	20	68
KANSAS	48	21	6	4	3	3	15	100
KENTUCKY	35	42	22	6	2	0	49	156
LOUISIANA	20	31	6	9	12	37	3	118
MAINE	11	11	0	3	3	7	8	43
MARYLAND	36	31	13	12	7	39	42	180
MASSACHUSETTS	74	64	20	12	4	20	4	198
MICHIGAN	74	67	22	20	11	78	21	293
MINNESOTA	116	45	20	12	13	30	31	267
MISSISSIPPI	15	24	12	13	1	11	1	77
MISSOURI	35	41	26	22	5	19	45	193
MONTANA	40	20	3	1	2	9	2	77
NEBRASKA	45	36	12	8	2	0	10	113
NEVADA	16	22	11	9	5	9	28	100
NEW HAMPSHIRE	16	22	0	0	2	8	12	60
NEW JERSEY	212	55	11	8	3	1	22	312
NEW MEXICO	50	24	10	18	14	68	7	191
NEW YORK	197	239	46	106	7	386	0	981
NORTH CAROLINA	77	67	55	25	7	14	76	321
NORTH DAKOTA	14	3	3	1	0	8	9	38
OHIO	74	85	31	36	16	42	106	390
OKLAHOMA	51	21	12	16	4	30	12	146
OREGON	42	12	5	4	3	8	9	83
PENNSYLVANIA	102	114	14	21	9	45	39	344
PUERTO RICO	18	20	7	6	9	1	13	74
RHODE ISLAND	3	18	14	0	3	6	20	64
SOUTH CAROLINA	31	28	5	7	2	4	31	108
SOUTH DAKOTA	4	7	0	2	2	7	11	33
TENNESSEE	62	48	5	14	11	74	0	214
TEXAS	204	364	47	44	7	49	65	780
UTAH	44	34	8	2	4	2	14	108
VERMONT	4	2	4	1	0	8	4	23
VIRGIN ISLANDS	12	8	1	0	0	0	0	21
VIRGINIA	30	35	7	11	9	21	26	139
WASHINGTON	65	58	15	25	13	13	48	237
WEST VIRGINIA	37	23	5	6	3	29	23	126
WISCONSIN	49	30	25	20	10	119	1	254
WYOMING	9	3	3	3	0	5	4	27
PACIFIC BASIN	10	3	8	4	0	19	4	48
<b>Total</b>	<b>2747</b>	<b>2682</b>	<b>749</b>	<b>707</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>1501</b>	<b>1437</b>	<b>10174</b>

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	Cortical Visual Impairment			Total
	No	Yes	Unknown Missing	
ALABAMA	168	7	0	175
ALASKA	0	3	17	20
ARIZONA	127	60	24	211
ARKANSAS	25	36	40	101
CALIFORNIA	699	169	83	951
COLORADO	100	22	10	132
CONNECTICUT	44	16	0	60
DELAWARE	45	38	0	83
FLORIDA	17	47	252	316
GEORGIA	194	84	20	298
HAWAII	0	8	34	42
IDAHO	25	37	1	63
ILLINOIS	290	115	4	409
INDIANA	123	38	47	208
IOWA	49	18	1	68
KANSAS	43	33	24	100
KENTUCKY	63	93	0	156
LOUISIANA	78	14	26	118
MAINE	31	10	2	43
MARYLAND	47	47	86	180
MASSACHUSETTS	157	35	6	198
MICHIGAN	185	94	14	293
MINNESOTA	217	49	1	267
MISSISSIPPI	17	8	52	77
MISSOURI	108	45	40	193
MONTANA	32	9	36	77
NEBRASKA	92	12	9	113
NEVADA	54	28	18	100
NEW HAMPSHIRE	35	17	8	60
NEW JERSEY	2	44	266	312
NEW MEXICO	18	53	120	191
NEW YORK	0	33	948	981
NORTH CAROLINA	177	120	24	321
NORTH DAKOTA	23	8	7	38
OHIO	45	98	247	390
OKLAHOMA	102	42	2	146
OREGON	47	19	17	83
PENNSYLVANIA	127	80	137	344
PUERTO RICO	49	17	8	74
RHODE ISLAND	37	26	1	64
SOUTH CAROLINA	72	35	1	108
SOUTH DAKOTA	29	2	2	33
TENNESSEE	138	73	3	214
TEXAS	567	213	0	780
UTAH	64	42	2	108
VERMONT	4	16	3	23
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	21	21
VIRGINIA	53	30	56	139
WASHINGTON	82	81	74	237
WEST VIRGINIA	68	53	5	126
WISCONSIN	158	93	3	254
WYOMING	18	9	0	27
PACIFIC BASIN	2	3	43	48
<b>Total</b>	<b>4947</b>	<b>2382</b>	<b>2845</b>	<b>10174</b>

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	Primary Classification of Hearing Impairment								Total
	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Profound	Diagnosed Progressive Loss	Further Testing Needed (1 year only)	Documented Functional hearing Loss	
ALABAMA	116	17	3	20	19	0	0	0	175
ALASKA	1	4	2	1	5	0	7	0	20
ARIZONA	20	40	31	38	59	1	12	10	211
ARKANSAS	11	12	17	7	13	0	40	1	101
CALIFORNIA	16	31	24	265	289	7	156	163	951
COLORADO	32	23	14	26	20	0	17	0	132
CONNECTICUT	4	20	13	3	13	0	7	0	60
DELAWARE	18	15	3	11	13	0	22	1	83
FLORIDA	88	33	43	40	62	5	40	5	316
GEORGIA	68	44	34	36	53	4	7	52	298
HAWAII	0	5	5	1	9	0	22	0	42
IDAHO	19	13	8	7	9	1	3	3	63
ILLINOIS	137	69	46	51	43	5	27	31	409
INDIANA	19	38	30	19	39	1	5	57	208
IOWA	10	12	12	5	14	1	12	2	68
KANSAS	27	17	10	9	25	0	1	11	100
KENTUCKY	31	19	22	16	15	2	0	51	156
LOUISIANA	18	16	12	14	28	2	28	0	118
MAINE	9	12	8	1	8	1	4	0	43
MARYLAND	20	29	22	21	28	1	51	8	180
MASSACHUSETTS	39	46	31	23	33	1	24	1	198
MICHIGAN	39	35	34	44	61	7	61	12	293
MINNESOTA	32	54	36	39	75	4	12	15	267
MISSISSIPPI	10	11	5	13	10	0	28	0	77
MISSOURI	25	31	25	21	44	0	28	19	193
MONTANA	13	14	9	9	5	3	22	2	77
NEBRASKA	8	19	29	35	14	0	0	8	113
NEVADA	21	13	13	12	5	4	19	13	100
NEW HAMPSHIRE	12	14	6	7	2	0	17	2	60
NEW JERSEY	32	56	17	24	34	1	134	14	312
NEW MEXICO	42	24	30	21	23	5	46	0	191
NEW YORK	107	147	116	120	179	201	111	0	981
NORTH CAROLINA	121	66	29	21	46	1	16	21	321
NORTH DAKOTA	4	10	2	2	6	0	10	4	38
OHIO	47	44	43	35	53	6	96	66	390
OKLAHOMA	32	16	23	19	36	2	1	17	146
OREGON	9	24	17	14	13	0	5	1	83
PENNSYLVANIA	49	53	40	51	58	2	57	34	344
PUERTO RICO	9	14	13	5	13	1	2	17	74
RHODE ISLAND	10	22	7	5	2	1	9	8	64
SOUTH CAROLINA	21	19	14	14	21	2	3	14	108
SOUTH DAKOTA	3	3	4	0	11	0	10	2	33
TENNESSEE	46	19	19	33	40	7	15	35	214
TEXAS	101	107	138	136	162	0	117	19	780
UTAH	24	14	21	23	13	2	7	4	108
VERMONT	4	7	3	2	3	0	3	1	23
VIRGIN ISLANDS	13	4	1	0	3	0	0	0	21
VIRGINIA	20	15	16	21	36	2	24	5	139
WASHINGTON	26	38	45	29	52	4	31	12	237
WEST VIRGINIA	26	12	11	4	10	1	50	12	126
WISCONSIN	32	25	10	21	25	5	135	1	254
WYOMING	7	4	4	1	3	0	5	3	27
PACIFIC BASIN	11	7	4	3	0	0	20	3	48
<b>Total</b>	<b>1659</b>	<b>1456</b>	<b>1174</b>	<b>1398</b>	<b>1855</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>1579</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>10174</b>

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	Central Auditory Processing Disorder			Auditory Neuropathy			Cochlear Implant		
	No	Yes	Unknown/ Missing	No	Yes	Unknown/ Missing	No	Yes	Unknown/ Missing
ALABAMA	163	12	0	174	1	0	171	4	0
ALASKA	19	1	0	0	0	20	20	0	0
ARIZONA	201	9	1	187	0	24	200	11	0
ARKANSAS	30	8	63	27	2	72	45	1	55
CALIFORNIA	433	140	378	57	4	890	641	20	290
COLORADO	124	1	7	117	5	10	124	5	3
CONNECTICUT	54	4	2	57	2	1	50	8	2
DELAWARE	83	0	0	0	0	83	83	0	0
FLORIDA	185	25	106	0	0	316	158	16	142
GEORGIA	179	69	50	184	11	103	253	17	28
HAWAII	19	2	21	0	0	42	9	0	33
IDAHO	18	44	1	0	0	63	61	1	1
ILLINOIS	398	11	0	0	0	409	375	34	0
INDIANA	130	8	70	15	1	192	114	11	83
IOWA	57	6	5	0	0	68	63	5	0
KANSAS	36	10	54	35	8	57	84	11	5
KENTUCKY	96	60	0	0	0	156	153	3	0
LOUISIANA	104	12	2	7	0	111	112	1	5
MAINE	22	6	15	41	0	2	25	0	18
MARYLAND	111	2	67	0	0	180	106	11	63
MASSACHUSETTS	96	10	92	188	1	9	108	7	83
MICHIGAN	208	34	51	196	6	91	260	21	12
MINNESOTA	207	4	56	0	0	267	207	53	7
MISSISSIPPI	25	6	46	0	0	77	21	1	55
MISSOURI	133	15	45	0	0	193	106	15	72
MONTANA	58	7	12	35	3	39	36	1	40
NEBRASKA	106	7	0	102	2	9	108	4	1
NEVADA	69	18	13	37	4	59	96	2	2
NEW HAMPSHIRE	37	7	16	50	0	10	50	0	10
NEW JERSEY	282	10	20	0	0	312	21	5	286
NEW MEXICO	123	10	58	0	0	191	30	3	158
NEW YORK	946	12	23	0	0	981	13	9	959
NORTH CAROLINA	249	38	34	264	11	46	306	15	0
NORTH DAKOTA	33	2	3	0	0	38	31	6	1
OHIO	101	35	254	144	9	237	242	19	129
OKLAHOMA	133	8	5	110	2	34	137	5	4
OREGON	55	2	26	57	1	25	62	7	14
PENNSYLVANIA	270	18	56	0	0	344	306	26	12
PUERTO RICO	49	18	7	61	1	12	73	1	0
RHODE ISLAND	58	5	1	64	0	0	63	1	0
SOUTH CAROLINA	96	4	8	71	3	34	78	3	27
SOUTH DAKOTA	31	1	1	30	1	2	27	6	0
TENNESSEE	186	28	0	0	0	214	208	6	0
TEXAS	716	57	7	0	0	780	720	55	5
UTAH	97	1	10	95	4	9	103	5	0
VERMONT	18	1	4	18	0	5	21	1	1
VIRGIN ISLANDS	6	0	15	0	0	21	17	0	4
VIRGINIA	109	13	17	0	0	139	67	6	66
WASHINGTON	142	33	62	105	17	115	191	8	38
WEST VIRGINIA	95	24	7	0	0	126	116	3	7
WISCONSIN	215	26	13	8	2	244	97	6	151
WYOMING	23	4	0	26	1	0	26	1	0
PACIFIC BASIN	8	4	36	0	0	48	27	0	21
<b>Total</b>	<b>7442</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>1840</b>	<b>2562</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>7510</b>	<b>6821</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>2893</b>

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<b>PRIMARY IDENTIFIED ETIOLOGY</b>	
<b>Hereditary Syndromes/Disorders</b>	
CHARGE association	<b>713</b>
Usher Syndrome (I,II,III)	<b>301</b>
Down syndrome (Trisomy 21 syndrome)	<b>236</b>
OTHER: Hereditary/ Syndrome Disorders	<b>2357</b>
<b>Pre-Natal/Congenital Complications</b>	
Cytomegalo-virus (CMV)	<b>346</b>
Microcephaly	<b>336</b>
Hydrocephaly	<b>289</b>
Congenital Rubella	<b>115</b>
OTHER: Pre-Natal/ Congenital Complications	<b>750</b>
<b>Post-Natal/ Non-Congenital</b>	
Asphyxia	<b>283</b>
Meningitis	<b>271</b>
Severe Head Injury	<b>197</b>
Encephalitis	<b>99</b>
OTHER: Post-Natal/ Non-Congenital	<b>675</b>
<b>Complication of Prematurity</b>	<b>1194</b>
<b>No Determination of Etiology</b>	<b>2012</b>

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	<b>OTHER (ADDITIONAL) DISABILITIES</b>					
	<b>Orthopedic Physical Impairments</b>	<b>Cognitive Impairments</b>	<b>Behavioral Disorders</b>	<b>Complex Health Care Needs</b>	<b>Speech Language Impairments</b>	<b>Other Impairments</b>
ALABAMA	77	132	58	34	62	5
ALASKA	16	15	0	14	0	2
ARIZONA	102	104	5	58	129	57
ARKANSAS	75	90	16	64	65	47
CALIFORNIA	144	561	185	433	171	270
COLORADO	97	69	2	67	43	8
CONNECTICUT	41	46	4	31	50	7
DELAWARE	74	76	13	54	81	0
FLORIDA	138	189	37	116	52	73
GEORGIA	204	214	22	160	253	167
HAWAII	27	32	5	30	0	3
IDAHO	45	54	4	43	58	5
ILLINOIS	276	279	9	139	241	31
INDIANA	106	117	3	71	68	78
IOWA	45	52	6	48	40	0
KANSAS	73	84	13	66	87	28
KENTUCKY	118	131	5	75	155	1
LOUISIANA	74	94	5	43	4	21
MAINE	13	16	1	11	9	8
MARYLAND	113	135	15	96	64	37
MASSACHUSETTS	112	105	24	106	145	77
MICHIGAN	199	221	30	154	232	39
MINNESOTA	162	165	53	141	151	40
MISSISSIPPI	59	49	9	32	20	28
MISSOURI	133	146	7	111	155	26
MONTANA	26	43	9	11	48	0
NEBRASKA	50	65	5	49	93	20
NEVADA	79	86	12	70	90	12
NEW HAMPSHIRE	40	45	4	29	43	22
NEW JERSEY	87	102	12	65	4	15
NEW MEXICO	96	97	14	67	27	34
NEW YORK	473	586	77	147	9	574
NORTH CAROLINA	242	286	49	186	267	40
NORTH DAKOTA	27	30	5	28	33	8
OHIO	295	313	50	254	273	47
OKLAHOMA	97	125	20	67	135	3
OREGON	52	51	2	31	59	28
PENNSYLVANIA	266	283	81	233	232	83
PUERTO RICO	43	60	3	41	72	32
RHODE ISLAND	53	62	1	40	62	0
SOUTH CAROLINA	71	93	5	53	74	12
SOUTH DAKOTA	25	22	5	21	32	6
TENNESSEE	146	151	8	106	179	48
TEXAS	485	532	23	377	579	202
UTAH	84	102	9	72	106	0
VERMONT	21	18	3	17	17	5
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	4	7	0	0
VIRGINIA	79	102	9	59	58	27
WASHINGTON	187	200	24	164	179	102
WEST VIRGINIA	80	89	25	71	102	10
WISCONSIN	188	222	6	156	69	37
WYOMING	19	19	5	16	21	2
PACIFIC BASIN	25	29	8	21	20	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>5859</b>	<b>6989</b>	<b>1009</b>	<b>4655</b>	<b>5218</b>	<b>2432</b>

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	IDEA Part C Reported Category				Total
	At-Risk	Developmentally delayed	Not Reported under Part C	Unknown/ Missing	
ALABAMA	3	1	0	0	4
ALASKA	0	0	0	0	0
ARIZONA	19	9	0	0	28
ARKANSAS	1	0	0	0	1
CALIFORNIA	5	76	0	30	111
COLORADO	0	29	0	1	30
CONNECTICUT	0	4	0	0	4
DELAWARE	0	0	0	10	10
FLORIDA	0	25	0	5	30
GEORGIA	0	33	0	0	33
HAWAII	0	1	0	0	1
IDAHO	1	6	0	0	7
ILLINOIS	0	22	0	4	26
INDIANA	0	2	0	0	2
IOWA	3	0	0	0	3
KANSAS	0	8	0	0	8
KENTUCKY	1	7	0	0	8
LOUISIANA	0	0	0	1	1
MAINE	0	0	0	0	0
MARYLAND	4	5	0	8	17
MASSACHUSETTS	11	6	0	0	17
MICHIGAN	5	6	0	1	12
MINNESOTA	6	18	0	2	26
MISSISSIPPI	0	5	0	2	7
MISSOURI	0	12	0	0	12
MONTANA	0	2	0	0	2
NEBRASKA	0	3	0	0	3
NEVADA	0	15	0	1	16
NEW HAMPSHIRE	3	1	0	0	4
NEW JERSEY	0	1	0	1	2
NEW MEXICO	0	14	0	0	14
NEW YORK	0	6	0	0	6
NORTH CAROLINA	0	7	2	0	9
NORTH DAKOTA	0	5	0	0	5
OHIO	0	16	0	2	18
OKLAHOMA	0	3	0	0	3
OREGON	1	6	0	1	8
PENNSYLVANIA	0	19	0	2	21
PUERTO RICO	0	2	0	0	2
RHODE ISLAND	0	1	0	0	1
SOUTH CAROLINA	2	14	0	0	16
SOUTH DAKOTA	0	4	0	1	5
TENNESSEE	0	22	0	0	22
TEXAS	0	52	0	7	59
UTAH	0	5	0	0	5
VERMONT	0	0	0	0	0
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	0	2	2
VIRGINIA	0	6	0	2	8
WASHINGTON	2	19	0	2	23
WEST VIRGINIA	1	7	0	2	10
WISCONSIN	0	5	0	0	5
WYOMING	0	5	0	0	5
PACIFIC BASIN	0	1	0	2	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>516</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>675</b>

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	IDEA Part B Reported Category								
	Mental Retardation	Hearing Impairment	Speech Language Impairment	Visual Impairment	Emotional Disturbance	Orthopedic Impairment	Other health Impairment	Specific Learning Disability	Deaf-Blindness
ALABAMA	0	14	17	3	30	0	10	2	14
ALASKA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
ARIZONA	0	11	0	11	0	0	0	0	24
ARKANSAS	3	1	2	2	0	2	1	0	8
CALIFORNIA	49	103	4	108	1	88	12	3	192
COLORADO	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	55
CONNECTICUT	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	22
DELAWARE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73
FLORIDA	38	30	14	23	0	6	3	0	55
GEORGIA	93	16	2	28	0	0	16	0	30
HAWAII	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	9
IDAHO	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	11
ILLINOIS	72	60	4	25	1	3	28	3	36
INDIANA	6	18	0	8	0	1	3	0	20
IOWA	5	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1
KANSAS	5	11	0	1	0	1	7	1	8
KENTUCKY	0	6	0	1	0	0	3	0	20
LOUISIANA	14	16	0	8	0	3	1	0	12
MAINE	0	3	1	0	2	0	3	0	3
MARYLAND	2	17	0	9	0	0	3	0	31
MASSACHUSETTS	0	7	3	2	0	0	1	1	92
MICHIGAN	12	42	0	8	0	1	8	0	13
MINNESOTA	25	25	1	13	1	2	22	0	69
MISSISSIPPI	1	5	0	3	0	1	1	1	6
MISSOURI	7	2	0	12	0	0	5	0	23
MONTANA	17	10	0	8	2	0	11	0	3
NEBRASKA	6	4	0	3	1	2	18	0	13
NEVADA	1	3	0	1	5	0	5	2	5
NEW HAMPSHIRE	3	5	0	4	0	2	4	0	7
NEW JERSEY	0	11	1	11	0	0	1	0	15
NEW MEXICO	7	34	6	9	0	1	9	2	31
NEW YORK	46	68	9	12	0	25	434	3	41
NORTH CAROLINA	46	35	5	18	4	1	12	0	30
NORTH DAKOTA	8	9	1	3	0	1	3	0	2
OHIO	19	19	0	16	0	1	6	0	41
OKLAHOMA	3	10	0	7	0	0	1	0	13
OREGON	11	8	1	12	0	7	10	0	13
PENNSYLVANIA	22	24	1	35	0	3	5	3	84
PUERTO RICO	1	3	0	4	0	0	0	1	41
RHODE ISLAND	0	3	0	1	0	0	2	0	2
SOUTH CAROLINA	25	16	0	14	0	2	5	0	5
SOUTH DAKOTA	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
TENNESSEE	15	15	1	11	0	2	14	1	5
TEXAS	74	104	12	129	0	10	122	3	195
UTAH	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	33
VERMONT	0	2	0	3	0	0	2	0	5
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VIRGINIA	8	10	0	2	0	1	2	1	23
WASHINGTON	4	7	2	5	1	0	18	0	39
WEST VIRGINIA	27	10	1	12	0	3	4	0	36
WISCONSIN	65	19	3	13	0	8	18	1	11
WYOMING	0	3	0	2	0	3	1	1	0
PACIFIC BASIN	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>743</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>835</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1533</b>

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	IDEA Part B Reported Category - Continued						Total
	Multiple Disabilities	Autism	Traumatic Brain Injury	Developmentally Delayed (optional age 3 - 9)	Non-Categorical	Unknown Missing	
ALABAMA	76	0	5	0	0	0	171
ALASKA	10	0	0	2	0	5	20
ARIZONA	95	2	1	3	0	36	183
ARKANSAS	75	0	1	2	0	3	100
CALIFORNIA	139	5	2	15	0	119	840
COLORADO	37	0	0	0	0	7	102
CONNECTICUT	26	1	0	3	1	0	56
DELAWARE	0	0	0	0	0	0	73
FLORIDA	20	6	1	2	0	88	286
GEORGIA	3	3	2	52	0	20	265
HAWAII	28	1	0	2	0	0	41
IDAHO	25	2	2	4	0	7	56
ILLINOIS	101	1	3	28	0	18	383
INDIANA	120	3	2	3	0	22	206
IOWA	0	0	0	0	46	10	65
KANSAS	42	1	0	11	0	4	92
KENTUCKY	103	2	0	3	0	10	148
LOUISIANA	58	0	0	3	0	2	117
MAINE	26	2	1	0	0	2	43
MARYLAND	63	0	0	0	0	38	163
MASSACHUSETTS	10	0	0	8	57	0	181
MICHIGAN	187	7	0	2	1	0	281
MINNESOTA	65	2	1	15	0	0	241
MISSISSIPPI	22	0	2	3	0	25	70
MISSOURI	86	0	1	5	0	40	181
MONTANA	3	1	0	3	10	7	75
NEBRASKA	56	0	5	2	0	0	110
NEVADA	43	1	1	3	0	14	84
NEW HAMPSHIRE	21	0	0	0	0	10	56
NEW JERSEY	224	0	0	11	0	36	310
NEW MEXICO	57	3	3	7	2	6	177
NEW YORK	260	31	12	15	5	14	975
NORTH CAROLINA	136	2	1	18	0	4	312
NORTH DAKOTA	0	0	0	3	2	1	33
OHIO	208	3	7	8	1	43	372
OKLAHOMA	87	3	3	13	0	3	143
OREGON	4	1	0	2	0	6	75
PENNSYLVANIA	105	2	0	5	0	34	323
PUERTO RICO	20	2	0	0	0	0	72
RHODE ISLAND	52	0	0	0	0	3	63
SOUTH CAROLINA	9	1	1	12	1	1	92
SOUTH DAKOTA	20	0	0	1	0	0	28
TENNESSEE	98	1	2	9	8	10	192
TEXAS	50	7	7	1	3	4	721
UTAH	61	1	1	2	0	0	103
VERMONT	9	0	1	1	0	0	23
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	19	19
VIRGINIA	49	2	2	17	0	14	131
WASHINGTON	116	0	3	16	0	3	214
WEST VIRGINIA	4	3	1	7	1	7	116
WISCONSIN	64	0	7	25	0	15	249
WYOMING	10	0	0	1	0	1	22
PACIFIC BASIN	16	0	0	1	0	15	45
<b>Total</b>	<b>3199</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>726</b>	<b>9499</b>

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	Early Intervention Setting - Birth through 2 years old				Total
	Home	Community-based setting	Other setting	Unknown/Missing	
ALABAMA	4	0	0	0	4
ALASKA	0	0	0	0	0
ARIZONA	24	3	0	1	28
ARKANSAS	1	0	0	0	1
CALIFORNIA	98	1	10	2	111
COLORADO	28	0	0	2	30
CONNECTICUT	3	0	0	1	4
DELAWARE	4	1	5	0	10
FLORIDA	18	1	3	8	30
GEORGIA	32	0	1	0	33
HAWAII	0	0	0	1	1
IDAHO	6	1	0	0	7
ILLINOIS	24	0	0	2	26
INDIANA	2	0	0	0	2
IOWA	3	0	0	0	3
KANSAS	3	4	1	0	8
KENTUCKY	5	2	1	0	8
LOUISIANA	1	0	0	0	1
MAINE	0	0	0	0	0
MARYLAND	11	1	0	5	17
MASSACHUSETTS	14	0	1	2	17
MICHIGAN	7	1	0	4	12
MINNESOTA	23	0	1	2	26
MISSISSIPPI	1	0	0	6	7
MISSOURI	5	4	0	3	12
MONTANA	2	0	0	0	2
NEBRASKA	3	0	0	0	3
NEVADA	15	0	0	1	16
NEW HAMPSHIRE	4	0	0	0	4
NEW JERSEY	2	0	0	0	2
NEW MEXICO	14	0	0	0	14
NEW YORK	0	6	0	0	6
NORTH CAROLINA	1	2	1	5	9
NORTH DAKOTA	5	0	0	0	5
OHIO	8	6	1	3	18
OKLAHOMA	2	1	0	0	3
OREGON	7	0	0	1	8
PENNSYLVANIA	13	3	1	4	21
PUERTO RICO	0	0	0	2	2
RHODE ISLAND	1	0	0	0	1
SOUTH CAROLINA	15	0	0	1	16
SOUTH DAKOTA	5	0	0	0	5
TENNESSEE	19	3	0	0	22
TEXAS	55	3	0	1	59
UTAH	4	0	0	1	5
VERMONT	0	0	0	0	0
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	0	2	2
VIRGINIA	5	1	0	2	8
WASHINGTON	13	6	1	3	23
WEST VIRGINIA	8	0	0	2	10
WISCONSIN	4	0	0	1	5
WYOMING	2	1	0	2	5
PACIFIC BASIN	0	0	0	3	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>675</b>

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	Educational Setting ECSE (3-5) Settings									Total
	Regular EC setting 80% of time	Regular EC setting 40-79% of time	Regular EC setting < 40% of time	Separate Class	Separate School	Residential facility	Service provider location	Home	Unknown/ Missing	
ALABAMA	4	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
ALASKA	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	4
ARIZONA	4	1	4	16	7	0	0	4	6	42
ARKANSAS	3	0	1	0	1	1	0	3	0	9
CALIFORNIA	5	6	14	43	24	0	0	14	20	126
COLORADO	7	5	10	2	5	0	0	1	0	30
CONNECTICUT	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	6
DELAWARE	3	0	1	3	8	0	0	1	1	17
FLORIDA	3	0	4	5	1	0	0	4	9	26
GEORGIA	5	2	4	31	10	0	1	7	0	60
HAWAII	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
IDAHO	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	2	0	11
ILLINOIS	3	0	17	24	5	0	0	9	0	58
INDIANA	6	3	1	7	2	0	0	1	0	20
IOWA	0	0	2	4	1	0	0	1	0	8
KANSAS	4	0	1	1	2	0	2	4	2	16
KENTUCKY	2	0	5	0	1	0	0	2	0	10
LOUISIANA	1	0	2	1	0	1	0	2	1	7
MAINE	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	8
MARYLAND	4	0	0	7	8	0	0	4	6	29
MASSACHUSETTS	1	3	1	3	8	0	0	6	1	23
MICHIGAN	3	3	1	7	18	0	0	3	0	35
MINNESOTA	9	3	2	9	4	0	0	4	0	31
MISSISSIPPI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
MISSOURI	2	1	0	4	6	0	0	5	3	21
MONTANA	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
NEBRASKA	1	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	8
NEVADA	2	1	0	6	0	0	1	1	5	16
NEW HAMPSHIRE	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	4
NEW JERSEY	3	0	0	1	6	0	1	4	0	15
NEW MEXICO	0	2	0	0	8	0	0	13	10	33
NEW YORK	6	0	7	7	0	0	0	5	0	25
NORTH CAROLINA	1	0	5	2	9	5	0	1	0	23
NORTH DAKOTA	2	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	9
OHIO	6	3	2	1	5	0	0	4	9	30
OKLAHOMA	1	5	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	12
OREGON	4	1	2	0	4	0	0	2	1	14
PENNSYLVANIA	4	1	1	3	28	0	0	2	5	44
PUERTO RICO	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	5	0	11
RHODE ISLAND	2	0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	12
SOUTH CAROLINA	0	0	5	7	4	4	0	3	0	23
SOUTH DAKOTA	1	0	0	2	2	1	0	2	1	9
TENNESSEE	0	2	6	3	3	0	0	9	3	26
TEXAS	35	10	28	27	3	0	0	15	6	124
UTAH	2	2	5	1	5	0	0	2	0	17
VERMONT	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
VIRGINIA	3	1	4	7	1	0	0	2	5	23
WASHINGTON	3	3	8	6	1	1	0	2	1	25
WEST VIRGINIA	3	1	5	1	0	0	0	6	4	20
WISCONSIN	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	24	26
WYOMING	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	4
PACIFIC BASIN	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	8	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>1198</b>

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	Educational Setting School aged (6-21) Settings									Total
	Regular class > 80%	Regular Class 40 - 79%	Regular class < 40%	Separate school	Residential facility	Homebound Hospital	Parentally placed private school	Other	Unknown / Missing	
ALABAMA	39	40	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	159
ALASKA	2	1	6	0	2	1	0	2	2	16
ARIZONA	17	6	52	35	0	4	0	0	27	141
ARKANSAS	6	22	29	6	17	9	2	0	0	91
CALIFORNIA	74	26	335	158	20	38	0	0	63	714
COLORADO	9	2	40	5	11	3	1	1	0	72
CONNECTICUT	5	4	27	10	2	2	0	0	0	50
DELAWARE	1	0	8	40	1	6	0	0	0	56
FLORIDA	33	2	108	37	23	9	5	0	43	260
GEORGIA	23	8	108	14	22	13	4	12	1	205
HAWAII	0	0	1	7	0	0	0	0	31	39
IDAHO	0	4	26	2	0	5	2	6	0	45
ILLINOIS	27	24	124	79	47	18	1	0	5	325
INDIANA	23	17	76	17	15	14	10	0	14	186
IOWA	5	9	25	4	4	2	0	0	8	57
KANSAS	8	12	40	8	4	2	0	0	2	76
KENTUCKY	14	14	68	9	6	16	11	0	0	138
LOUISIANA	11	0	67	3	9	18	1	0	1	110
MAINE	5	12	3	6	3	5	1	0	0	35
MARYLAND	15	5	13	77	6	8	5	0	5	134
MASSACHUSETTS	30	9	30	70	9	9	1	0	0	158
MICHIGAN	31	9	50	138	3	14	0	1	0	246
MINNESOTA	43	36	82	15	17	15	2	0	0	210
MISSISSIPPI	2	0	12	0	1	2	0	0	48	65
MISSOURI	12	11	13	57	1	2	2	0	62	160
MONTANA	1	2	48	8	0	0	1	0	6	66
NEBRASKA	8	30	44	8	7	5	0	0	0	102
NEVADA	7	3	23	23	0	3	3	0	6	68
NEW HAMPSHIRE	9	5	16	11	4	7	0	0	0	52
NEW JERSEY	12	2	1	268	4	7	1	0	0	295
NEW MEXICO	24	12	23	5	7	4	1	0	68	144
NEW YORK	104	0	480	63	59	74	170	0	0	950
NORTH CAROLINA	12	9	83	60	116	7	1	0	1	289
NORTH DAKOTA	1	3	8	1	6	2	1	0	2	24
OHIO	26	8	64	138	18	20	1	0	67	342
OKLAHOMA	12	19	85	0	5	8	0	0	2	131
OREGON	12	8	25	2	4	4	1	0	5	61
PENNSYLVANIA	25	17	68	114	7	16	0	0	32	279
PUERTO RICO	5	4	15	21	0	15	1	0	0	61
RHODE ISLAND	2	9	15	20	3	2	0	0	0	51
SOUTH CAROLINA	3	1	33	2	20	9	0	0	1	69
SOUTH DAKOTA	2	2	8	1	2	2	2	0	0	19
TENNESSEE	22	6	68	36	9	22	0	0	3	166
TEXAS	82	58	332	39	34	43	4	0	5	597
UTAH	3	9	29	40	0	4	1	0	0	86
VERMONT	7	3	7	0	1	1	2	0	0	21
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	15
VIRGINIA	12	1	53	13	8	8	3	0	10	108
WASHINGTON	30	25	93	16	8	11	6	0	0	189
WEST VIRGINIA	11	7	44	0	26	7	0	0	1	96
WISCONSIN	5	0	9	9	10	0	7	0	183	223
WYOMING	3	9	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	18
PACIFIC BASIN	0	1	10	0	0	3	1	0	16	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>3107</b>	<b>1696</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>8301</b>

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	Participation in Statewide Assessment							Total
	Regular grade-level state assessment	Regular with accommodations	Alternative assessments - regular grade level standards	Alternative assessment - alternative standards	Modified standards	Not required at age grade level	Unknown/ Missing	
ALABAMA	23	38	62	40	0	12	0	175
ALASKA	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	20
ARIZONA	1	4	5	2	9	158	32	211
ARKANSAS	1	2	15	13	2	68	0	101
CALIFORNIA	8	17	2	700	2	217	5	951
COLORADO	6	3	38	0	0	85	0	132
CONNECTICUT	1	5	6	4	16	27	1	60
DELAWARE	5	0	41	0	0	37	0	83
FLORIDA	0	1	2	0	1	2	310	316
GEORGIA	3	49	125	0	0	119	2	298
HAWAII	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	42
IDAHO	0	0	0	23	11	28	1	63
ILLINOIS	6	47	3	91	28	233	1	409
INDIANA	2	10	3	22	0	7	164	208
IOWA	0	10	27	0	0	25	6	68
KANSAS	3	8	5	43	4	37	0	100
KENTUCKY	1	14	41	0	0	100	0	156
LOUISIANA	0	4	13	3	0	7	91	118
MAINE	1	2	6	1	0	33	0	43
MARYLAND	3	14	14	19	1	57	72	180
MASSACHUSETTS	0	29	40	55	12	62	0	198
MICHIGAN	5	27	128	9	3	116	5	293
MINNESOTA	7	53	3	69	33	102	0	267
MISSISSIPPI	0	2	0	9	0	13	53	77
MISSOURI	3	14	7	41	0	77	51	193
MONTANA	0	1	0	66	0	2	8	77
NEBRASKA	0	9	56	0	0	48	0	113
NEVADA	0	9	0	22	0	60	9	100
NEW HAMPSHIRE	0	2	1	13	0	35	9	60
NEW JERSEY	1	0	1	4	0	3	303	312
NEW MEXICO	3	9	5	1	0	53	120	191
NEW YORK	0	0	0	0	0	0	981	981
NORTH CAROLINA	7	11	46	94	9	140	14	321
NORTH DAKOTA	1	2	1	9	4	18	3	38
OHIO	8	41	37	189	7	49	59	390
OKLAHOMA	0	16	87	0	0	41	2	146
OREGON	9	7	1	12	8	36	10	83
PENNSYLVANIA	1	41	11	114	7	127	43	344
PUERTO RICO	0	6	24	0	1	43	0	74
RHODE ISLAND	0	3	0	35	0	26	0	64
SOUTH CAROLINA	2	7	15	14	3	64	3	108
SOUTH DAKOTA	3	2	2	8	0	18	0	33
TENNESSEE	2	16	1	39	1	153	2	214
TEXAS	31	28	273	1	65	328	54	780
UTAH	0	4	2	73	5	24	0	108
VERMONT	0	1	0	4	0	18	0	23
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	21
VIRGINIA	2	7	2	29	1	41	57	139
WASHINGTON	3	25	21	51	13	92	32	237
WEST VIRGINIA	3	11	18	43	1	43	7	126
WISCONSIN	2	1	0	5	0	53	193	254
WYOMING	3	3	0	8	1	12	0	27
PACIFIC BASIN	0	0	13	1	1	7	26	48
<b>Total</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>615</b>	<b>1203</b>	<b>1979</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>3156</b>	<b>2812</b>	<b>10174</b>

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	Part C Exiting Status													Total
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ALABAMA	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
ALASKA	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
ARIZONA	28	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47
ARKANSAS	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
CALIFORNIA	111	0	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	147
COLORADO	30	0	11	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	42
CONNECTICUT	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
DELAWARE	11	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
FLORIDA	30	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40
GEORGIA	32	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	57
HAWAII	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
IDAHO	7	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
ILLINOIS	26	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51
INDIANA	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
IOWA	3	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
KANSAS	7	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	17
KENTUCKY	8	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
LOUISIANA	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
MAINE	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
MARYLAND	17	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
MASSACHUSETTS	15	1	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
MICHIGAN	9	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	23
MINNESOTA	25	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32
MISSISSIPPI	7	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
MISSOURI	11	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
MONTANA	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
NEBRASKA	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
NEVADA	16	0	6	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	26
NEW HAMPSHIRE	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8
NEW JERSEY	2	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
NEW MEXICO	14	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
NEW YORK	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
NORTH CAROLINA	6	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
NORTH DAKOTA	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	11

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OHIO	15	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	<b>34</b>
OKLAHOMA	3	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>10</b>
OREGON	7	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	<b>13</b>
PENNSYLVANIA	16	1	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	<b>35</b>
PUERTO RICO	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	<b>5</b>
RHODE ISLAND	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>6</b>
SOUTH CAROLINA	15	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	<b>25</b>
SOUTH DAKOTA	5	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	<b>10</b>
TENNESSEE	21	0	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	<b>36</b>
TEXAS	51	1	33	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	5	<b>93</b>
UTAH	5	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>11</b>
VERMONT	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	<b>3</b>
VIRGINIA	8	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>15</b>
WASHINGTON	18	0	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	<b>35</b>
WEST VIRGINIA	10	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>16</b>
WISCONSIN	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	<b>9</b>
WYOMING	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>7</b>
PACIFIC BASIN	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	<b>7</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1103</b>

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	<b>Part B Exiting Status</b>											<b>Total</b>
	<b>In Special Education Program</b>	<b>Transferred to regular education</b>	<b>Graduated with regular diploma</b>	<b>Received a certificate</b>	<b>Reached Maximum Age for Part B Services</b>	<b>Died</b>	<b>Moved: Known to be Continuing</b>	<b>Dropped out</b>	<b>No Longer Receives Sp Ed, Receiving State DB Project Svcs.</b>	<b>No Longer Meets Deaf- Blind Criteria</b>	<b>Unknown/ Missing</b>	
ALABAMA	171	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	171
ALASKA	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	20
ARIZONA	148	0	0	0	9	5	1	12	10	1	21	207
ARKANSAS	55	41	0	2	1	2	1	1	3	0	0	106
CALIFORNIA	753	5	7	0	0	1	77	11	3	2	2	861
COLORADO	98	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	1	7	0	111
CONNECTICUT	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	58
DELAWARE	69	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	74
FLORIDA	238	3	4	2	0	0	2	10	0	1	46	306
GEORGIA	242	0	6	7	0	2	2	4	8	4	0	275
HAWAII	39	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	41
IDAHO	49	0	0	1	0	0	1	4	6	2	0	63
ILLINOIS	365	1	6	0	0	3	1	0	16	2	1	395
INDIANA	182	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	206
IOWA	55	0	0	0	5	2	0	1	4	0	0	67
KANSAS	86	1	2	3	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	97
KENTUCKY	137	1	2	10	2	2	2	0	9	0	0	165
LOUISIANA	108	2	2	4	0	1	1	3	0	0	2	123
MAINE	39	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	45
MARYLAND	150	0	4	1	2	5	3	2	6	12	8	193
MASSACHUSETTS	172	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	7	0	1	184
MICHIGAN	274	4	1	0	34	4	1	2	2	1	0	323
MINNESOTA	226	0	0	0	2	0	8	0	5	0	0	241
MISSISSIPPI	19	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	63	86
MISSOURI	129	1	0	0	5	3	22	1	20	19	8	208
MONTANA	69	0	0	2	5	1	0	0	5	15	0	97
NEBRASKA	108	0	0	8	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	120
NEVADA	70	0	1	0	0	2	6	1	5	2	3	90
NEW HAMPSHIRE	49	1	1	1	1	3	0	0	6	3	0	65
NEW JERSEY	316	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	322
NEW MEXICO	100	28	0	0	0	0	1	5	46	0	2	182
NEW YORK	952	13	4	1	0	30	9	10	0	0	0	1019
NORTH CAROLINA	298	10	1	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	315
NORTH DAKOTA	28	0	0	1	0	2	3	0	2	0	1	37

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OHIO	345	3	4	1	0	9	9	1	5	39	10	<b>426</b>
OKLAHOMA	137	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	<b>151</b>
OREGON	68	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	6	<b>79</b>
PENNSYLVANIA	300	0	10	1	0	5	9	1	4	37	11	<b>378</b>
PUERTO RICO	72	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>73</b>
RHODE ISLAND	61	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	<b>64</b>
SOUTH CAROLINA	90	0	2	3	0	1	1	1	1	6	0	<b>105</b>
SOUTH DAKOTA	25	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	6	1	<b>34</b>
TENNESSEE	186	0	9	1	6	3	1	2	6	10	0	<b>224</b>
TEXAS	677	14	9	7	11	9	24	3	8	36	7	<b>805</b>
UTAH	98	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	<b>106</b>
VERMONT	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	<b>23</b>
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	25	<b>26</b>
VIRGINIA	106	1	7	2	14	5	14	1	0	1	11	<b>162</b>
WASHINGTON	209	1	4	0	0	3	4	4	1	1	0	<b>227</b>
WEST VIRGINIA	112	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	4	<b>119</b>
WISCONSIN	207	0	1	0	15	11	2	0	24	8	1	<b>269</b>
WYOMING	20	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>23</b>
PACIFIC BASIN	38	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	1	5	<b>49</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>8635</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>10216</b>

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	Living Setting											Total
	Home: Parents	Home: Extended Family	Home: Foster Parents	State Residential Facility	Private Residential Facility	Group Home (less than 6 residents)	Group Home (6 or more residents)	Apartment (w/ non-family person(s))	Pediatric Nursing Home	Other	Unknown/ Missing	
ALABAMA	169	0	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	175
ALASKA	12	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	20
ARIZONA	174	7	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	24	211
ARKANSAS	65	6	2	4	10	0	0	0	0	14	0	101
CALIFORNIA	852	19	26	1	7	23	9	0	4	0	10	951
COLORADO	126	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	132
CONNECTICUT	56	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	60
DELAWARE	62	2	4	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	10	83
FLORIDA	199	10	5	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	98	316
GEORGIA	272	15	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	298
HAWAII	31	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	42
IDAHO	54	1	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	63
ILLINOIS	324	5	13	28	17	2	2	0	16	1	1	409
INDIANA	181	16	2	1	1	1	0	0	6	0	0	208
IOWA	59	1	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	2	68
KANSAS	83	5	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	100
KENTUCKY	143	5	2	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	156
LOUISIANA	107	9	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	118
MAINE	36	1	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	43
MARYLAND	156	6	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	15	180
MASSACHUSETTS	177	7	5	2	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	198
MICHIGAN	271	5	5	1	8	0	1	0	0	1	1	293
MINNESOTA	231	5	21	2	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	267
MISSISSIPPI	49	7	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	77
MISSOURI	148	2	3	0	0	3	7	0	0	0	30	193
MONTANA	64	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	77
NEBRASKA	102	2	3	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	113
NEVADA	82	5	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	4	0	100
NEW HAMPSHIRE	47	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	2	0	6	60
NEW JERSEY	289	6	6	2	4	0	0	0	2	2	1	312
NEW MEXICO	163	12	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	191
NEW YORK	741	25	31	15	44	4	16	8	0	25	72	981
NORTH CAROLINA	192	10	2	0	105	4	6	0	0	0	2	321
NORTH DAKOTA	28	0	1	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	38
OHIO	315	18	4	11	26	2	2	0	0	6	6	390
OKLAHOMA	123	13	5	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	146

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OREGON	59	5	11	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	4	<b>83</b>
PENNSYLVANIA	284	5	7	1	14	4	0	0	1	1	27	<b>344</b>
PUERTO RICO	72	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>74</b>
RHODE ISLAND	54	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	<b>64</b>
SOUTH CAROLINA	99	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	<b>108</b>
SOUTH DAKOTA	27	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>33</b>
TENNESSEE	188	13	5	2	3	0	1	1	0	1	0	<b>214</b>
TEXAS	699	30	27	2	5	6	0	0	5	0	6	<b>780</b>
UTAH	102	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	<b>108</b>
VERMONT	21	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>23</b>
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	<b>21</b>
VIRGINIA	111	6	2	9	1	0	0	1	1	1	7	<b>139</b>
WASHINGTON	219	3	8	3	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	<b>237</b>
WEST VIRGINIA	93	3	1	20	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	<b>126</b>
WISCONSIN	220	10	9	8	3	1	0	1	0	1	1	<b>254</b>
WYOMING	26	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>27</b>
PACIFIC BASIN	34	6	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	4	<b>48</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>8491</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>10174</b>

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	Corrective Lenses			Assistive Listening Devices			Additional Assistive Tech.		
	No	Yes	Unknown/ Missing	No	Yes	Unknown/ Missing	No	Yes	Unknown/ Missing
ALABAMA	4	171	0	0	175	0	0	175	0
ALASKA	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	20
ARIZONA	58	39	114	42	58	111	0	0	211
ARKANSAS	39	27	35	39	23	39	34	28	39
CALIFORNIA	121	75	755	71	82	798	78	56	817
COLORADO	75	57	0	69	63	0	86	46	0
CONNECTICUT	34	19	7	23	31	6	48	4	8
DELAWARE	56	24	3	54	26	3	0	80	3
FLORIDA	30	18	268	23	29	264	18	22	276
GEORGIA	134	83	81	131	90	77	54	180	64
HAWAII	3	1	38	2	0	40	0	1	41
IDAHO	46	17	0	57	6	0	31	31	1
ILLINOIS	241	164	4	198	206	5	117	287	5
INDIANA	23	24	161	22	23	163	8	23	177
IOWA	14	3	51	8	8	52	9	4	55
KANSAS	44	47	9	58	35	7	21	74	5
KENTUCKY	122	33	1	111	44	1	116	39	1
LOUISIANA	4	4	110	4	2	112	0	5	113
MAINE	4	18	21	1	1	41	4	0	39
MARYLAND	55	43	82	41	55	84	37	48	95
MASSACHUSETTS	46	113	39	30	83	85	59	8	131
MICHIGAN	149	122	22	160	111	22	146	125	22
MINNESOTA	88	115	64	59	155	53	106	53	108
MISSISSIPPI	12	4	61	12	6	59	10	6	61
MISSOURI	83	40	70	55	66	72	41	81	71
MONTANA	60	8	9	58	10	9	62	7	8
NEBRASKA	46	56	11	28	77	8	7	92	14
NEVADA	67	23	10	67	23	10	35	54	11
NEW HAMPSHIRE	18	26	16	27	18	15	41	2	17
NEW JERSEY	12	11	289	8	15	289	18	3	291
NEW MEXICO	15	14	162	7	19	165	18	5	168
NEW YORK	0	0	981	0	0	981	0	0	981
NORTH CAROLINA	204	97	20	228	82	11	84	215	22
NORTH DAKOTA	14	21	3	15	20	3	9	23	6
OHIO	205	116	69	213	104	73	62	239	89
OKLAHOMA	88	54	4	71	70	5	68	38	40
OREGON	32	42	9	15	57	11	33	36	14
PENNSYLVANIA	142	116	86	111	152	81	69	161	114
PUERTO RICO	53	21	0	49	23	2	9	63	2
RHODE ISLAND	46	10	8	45	7	12	0	64	0
SOUTH CAROLINA	63	23	22	53	34	21	43	31	34
SOUTH DAKOTA	20	13	0	25	8	0	13	18	2
TENNESSEE	0	0	214	0	0	214	0	0	214
TEXAS	413	367	0	345	429	6	172	557	51
UTAH	71	37	0	58	50	0	9	99	0
VERMONT	7	11	5	9	9	5	3	15	5
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	0	21	0	0	21	0	0	21
VIRGINIA	3	6	130	5	8	126	18	18	103
WASHINGTON	89	60	88	75	71	91	64	63	110
WEST VIRGINIA	14	23	89	15	21	90	5	38	83
WISCONSIN	63	46	145	77	32	145	67	33	154
WYOMING	0	0	27	0	0	27	0	0	27
PACIFIC BASIN	16	0	32	14	4	30	4	13	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>3246</b>	<b>2462</b>	<b>4466</b>	<b>2888</b>	<b>2721</b>	<b>4565</b>	<b>1936</b>	<b>3263</b>	<b>4975</b>

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**National Deaf-Blind Child Count Summary**

December 1, 2007

(Ages birth through 21\*)

	<b>Reported by State</b>	<b>Reported on Child Count</b>	<b>Exited Part C or B Prior to 12-1-07</b>
Alabama	175	175	0
Alaska	20	20	0
Arizona	236	211	25
Arkansas	107	101	6
California	972	951	21
Colorado	142	132	10
Connecticut	62	60	2
Delaware	85	83	2
Florida	336	316	20
Georgia	309	298	11
Hawaii	42	42	0
Idaho	70	63	7
Illinois	422	409	13
Indiana	208	208	0
Iowa	70	68	2
Kansas	106	100	6
Kentucky	173	156	17
Louisiana	124	118	6
Maine	45	43	2
Maryland	210	180	30
Massachusetts	202	198	4
Michigan	336	293	43
Minnesota	268	267	1
Mississippi	93	77	16
Missouri	220	193	27
Montana	99	77	22
Nebraska	123	113	10
Nevada	108	100	8
New Hampshire	70	60	10
New Jersey	324	312	12
New Mexico	196	191	5
New York	1025	981	44
North Carolina	324	321	3
North Dakota	42	38	4
Ohio	444	390	54
Oklahoma	154	146	8
Oregon	87	83	4
Pennsylvania	399	344	55
Puerto Rico	75	74	1
Rhode Island	65	64	1
South Carolina	123	108	15
South Dakota	40	33	7
Tennessee	249	214	35
Texas	866	780	86
Utah	111	108	3
Vermont	23	23	0
Virgin Islands	28	21	7
Virginia	170	139	31
Washington	250	237	13
West Virginia	129	126	3
Wisconsin	274	254	20
Wyoming	28	27	1
Pacific Basin	53	48	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>10912</b>	<b>10174</b>	<b>738</b>

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