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Local Infants and Toddlers Program Results for Early Intervention Services Maryland: Indicator 5

- Percent of infants and toddlers birth to 1 with IFSPs compared to:
- A. Other States with similar eligibility definitions; and
- B. National data.

Results

	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11
State Baseline:	1.22%	-	-	-	-	-	-
State Target:	-	1.33%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%
State Results:	-	1.24%	1.34%	1.25%	-	-	-
State Total# of Children:	-	76493	76493	78060	-	-	-
State Indicator Measurement:	-	951	951	979	-	-	-

Narrative Description of Indicator

Based on the data provided by OSEP on www.ideadata.org, Maryland served 1.25% of its 2007 resident birth to one population in the reporting period.

A. Of the 23 States and 2 territories classified by OSEP as having a broad eligibility definition in 2007, Maryland ranks 13th. When the number of at-risk infants and toddlers are excluded, Maryland ranks 11th.

B. Compared to national data, Maryland served .20% more children birth to one than the national baseline and ranked 17th among the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and reporting territories. When the number of at-risk infants and toddlers are excluded, Maryland ranks 15th.

The percentage of children birth to one year old served decreased from 1.34 in FFY 06 to 1.25% in FFY 2007. Fourteen of the 24 LITPs demonstrated decreases in the percentage of birth to one year olds served. Efforts were made throughout the state to increase public awareness of the program, especially with primary health care providers, in an attempt to increase the number of referrals from both parents and providers. The resident population of birth to one-year olds increased statewide by 5.4% from FFY 2006 to FFY 2007, while the number of birth to one-year old referrals increased by only 1.9% from FFY 2006 to FFY 2007.