

Proposed Indicator Set for Early Childhood Comprehensive Systems (Draft 1-8-09)

Indicator / Performance Measure <i>(all rates/percents)</i>	MCHB [*]	IOM [†]	NCCP [‡]	State School Readiness Project [§]	State ECCS	50-state data exist
LEGEND: ✓ yes * measure with same meaning						
Overarching Outcome Measures						
Children with reading proficiency in fourth grade as measured by the state's proficiency tests.				✓	✓	Y
Children ready in all five domains of development as measured by kindergarten surveys/assessments.					✓	
Children with newly diagnosed developmental delays at kindergarten entrance.					✓	
Population-based Risk Measures						
Children who have multiple risk factors (4 or more demographic risk factors – poverty, parent single and or non English speaking, less than HS education, no employment).			✓		*	Y
Children birth to six whose racial/ethnic origin is non-white, non-Hispanic.			✓		✓	Y
Children birth to six living in extreme poverty (family income at or below 50% of the federal poverty level).		✓	✓			Y
Children birth to six living in families with income below the poverty threshold.		✓	✓	✓	✓	Y
Births under 2500 grams (5.5 pounds)	✓			✓	✓	Y
Births to teens ages 15-17 per 1,000 girls.	✓			✓	✓	Y
Infants born to mothers who receiving late or no prenatal care.				✓	✓	
Health and Medical Home Measures						
Children under age 6 without health insurance.			✓	✓	✓	Y
Children under age 6 with medical homes.		✓				
Percent of toddlers (ages 13 to 36 months) who receive at least one EPSDT periodic screen in a year.	*		✓		✓	Y
Young children (ages 19-36 months) who complete the basic series of age appropriate immunizations against Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Polio, Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis, Haemophilus Influenza, and Hepatitis B. (series 4-3-1-3-3.)	✓				✓	Y
Children ages 2-6 years receiving dental care in the last 12 months.		✓			✓	Y
Children ages 2 to five receiving WIC services with a BMI at or above the 85th percentile.	✓				✓	Y
Mothers who breastfeed their infants at 6 months of age.	✓				✓	
Children hospitalized for asthma (ICD-9 Codes: 493.0-493.9) per 100,000 children less than five years of age.	✓				✓	Y

* Maternal and Child Health Services Title V Block Grant Program. Title V Information System Measurement and Indicator Data. <https://perfddata.hrsa.gov/mchb/mchreports/Search/core/measureindicatemenu.asp>

† Institute of Medicine. *Children's Health, The Nation's Wealth.*

‡ National Center for Children in Poverty. *Improving the Odds.*

§ State School Readiness Indicators Project.

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Children under age 6 with blood lead levels at or above 10 micrograms per deciliter.				✓	✓	Y
Children under 6 receiving developmental and behavioral screenings.						
Special Needs Measures						
Children birth to 3 years who receive Part C Early Intervention Services.			✓			Y
Children birth to age three with substantiated cases of abuse and neglect referred to Part C Early Intervention (based on CAPTA).		✓*	✓		✓	Y?
Children ages 3-5 enrolled in early childhood Part B Preschools special education programs.					✓	Y
Children with special health care needs age 0 to 6 who receive coordinated, ongoing, comprehensive care within a medical home.	✓				✓	Y?
Social-emotional Development and Mental Health Measures						
Substantiated cases of child abuse and neglect among children birth to age 6.		✓*		✓	✓	Y
Children birth to age 6 in out-of-home placement (foster care) that had no more than two placements in a 24-month period.				✓	✓	Y
Children under age 6 who are expelled from child care or preschools due to behavioral problems.					✓	
Mothers of children under age six who are screened and referred for depression.					✓	
Early Care and Education Measures						
Children attending early care and education centers with high quality ratings (slots).					✓	
Children ages 3 and 4 years enrolled in a center-based early childhood care and education program (including child care centers, nursery schools, preschool programs, Head start programs, and pre-kindergarten programs).				✓	✓	Y
Children under age 6 receiving child care subsidies.			*	✓	✓	Y
Child care centers that have access to ongoing health or mental health consultation.				*		
Infants and toddlers (birth to age 3) in poverty who are enrolled in Early Head Start.				✓		Y
Early childhood teachers with a bachelor's degree and specialized training in early childhood.				✓	✓	
Child care centers accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young children (NAECY).				✓	✓	Y
Family child care homes accredited by the National Association for Family and child Care (NAFCC).				✓	✓	Y
Family Support and Parenting Measures						