



Office of Head Start - Head Start Services Snapshot

NATIONAL (2013-2014)

This National Head Start Services Snapshot summarizes key data on demographics and services for preschool-age children served by Head Start programs. The data in this Snapshot is a subset of the annual Program Information Report (PIR) submission to the Office of Head Start.

Funded Enrollment

Number of enrollment slots the program is funded to serve.

	<i># of funded enrollment slots</i>	<i>% of funded enrollment slots</i>
Total Funded Enrollment	777,426	100.0%

Funded Enrollment by Program Option

	<i># of funded enrollment slots</i>	<i>% of funded enrollment slots</i>
Center-based	749,412	96.4%
Home-based	17,220	2.2%
Combination	6,051	0.8%
Family Child Care	1,427	0.2%
Locally Designed	3,316	0.4%

Detail - Center-based Funded Enrollment

	<i># of center-based funded enrollment slots</i>	<i>% of center-based funded enrollment slots</i>
Center-based Part Day (4 days per week)	213,701	28.5%
Center-based Full Day (4 days per week, >6 hours per day)	28,867	3.9%
Center-based Part Day (5 days per week)	170,440	22.7%
Center-based Full Day (5 days per week, >6 hours per day)	336,404	44.9%
Of the funded enrollment slots in the line above, the number available for a full-working-day (not less than 10 hours per day)	97,520	
Of the funded enrollment slots in the line above, the number also available for a full-calendar-year	57,522	

Total Cumulative Enrollment

Actual number of children and pregnant women served by the program throughout the entire program year, inclusive of enrollees who left during the program year and the enrollees who filled those empty places. Due to turnover, more children and families may receive Head Start services cumulatively throughout the program year (all of whom are reported in the PIR) than indicated by the funded enrollment numbers.

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
Total Cumulative Enrollment	884,872	100.0%

Participants By Age

Children's ages for this program year are reported as of the date used by the local school system in determining eligibility for public school.

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
2 Year Old	18,345	2.1%
3 Year Old	363,441	41.1%
4 Year Old	490,547	55.4%
5 Year Old	12,520	1.4%

Homelessness Services

	<i># of children</i>	<i>% of children</i>
Total number of children experiencing homelessness that were served during the enrollment year	36,358	4.1%

Foster Care

	<i># of children</i>	<i>% of children</i>
Total number of enrolled children who were in foster care at any point in the program year	17,858	2.0%

Prior Enrollment of Children

Children who were enrolled previously in Early Head Start, Head Start, or some combination for at least half of the time that classes or home visits were in session.

	<i># of children</i>	<i>% of children</i>
Second Year	245,576	27.8%
Three (or more) Years	25,074	2.8%

Ethnicity

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
Hispanic or Latino Origin	319,821	36.1%
Non-Hispanic or Non-Latino Origin	565,042	63.9%

Race

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
American Indian or Alaska Native	37,394	4.2%
Asian	17,111	1.9%
Black or African American	269,674	30.5%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	6,261	0.7%
White	366,181	41.4%
Biracial or Multi-Racial	84,815	9.6%
Other Race	74,712	8.4%
Unspecified Race	28,724	3.2%

Primary Language of Family at Home

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
English	637,251	72.0%
Spanish	205,054	23.2%
Central American, South American, or Mexican Languages	1,568	0.2%
Caribbean Languages	2,809	0.3%
Middle Eastern or South Asian Languages	8,368	0.9%
East Asian Languages	9,824	1.1%
Native North American or Alaska Native Languages	565	0.06%
Pacific Island Languages	2,677	0.3%
European or Slavic Languages	5,789	0.7%
African Languages	6,123	0.7%
Other Languages	1,501	0.2%
Unspecified Languages	3,343	0.4%

Health Services

<i>Services to All Children at Beginning of Enrollment Year Compared to End of Enrollment Year (based on Cumulative Enrollment)</i>	<i># at Beginning of Enrollment Year</i>	<i>% at Beginning of Enrollment Year</i>	<i># at End of Enrollment Year</i>	<i>% at End of Enrollment Year</i>
Children with health insurance	830,472	93.9%	855,965	96.7%
Children with a medical home	824,190	93.1%	856,338	96.8%
Children with up-to-date immunizations or all possible immunizations to date, or exempt	839,708	94.9%	863,235	97.6%
Children with a dental home	739,487	83.6%	826,829	93.4%

Disabilities Services

	<i># of children</i>	<i>% of children</i>
Children with an Individualized Education Program (IEP), indicating they were determined eligible to receive special education and related services	108,316	12.2%

Family Services

	<i># of families</i>	<i>% of families</i>
Total Number of Families	832,838	100.0%
Families Who Received at Least One Family Service	608,069	73.0%

Specific Services

	<i># of families</i>	<i>% of families</i>
Emergency or Crisis Intervention	143,369	17.2%
Housing Assistance	72,356	8.7%
Mental Health Services	83,790	10.1%
English as a Second Language (ESL) Training	45,858	5.5%
Adult Education	107,197	12.9%
Job Training	72,684	8.7%
Substance Abuse Prevention	41,878	5.0%
Substance Abuse Treatment	9,220	1.1%
Child Abuse and Neglect Services	90,808	10.9%
Domestic Violence Services	39,213	4.7%
Child Support Assistance	23,928	2.9%
Health Education	366,744	44.0%
Assistance to Families of Incarcerated Individuals	8,765	1.1%
Parenting Education	405,971	48.7%
Relationship or Marriage Education	27,459	3.3%