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2015-2016 Special Education Report



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State

Target

100.0%

Program

100.0%

Dear Parents and Community Members,

The Oregon Department of Education is proud to issue the eleventh annual special education report. Reported indicators and targets correspond to the information in the State Performance Plan (SPP) for Special Education that is required by the United States Department of Education.

Oregon has a seamless system of services for children with disabilities from birth through age five that is operated by the Oregon Department of Education (ODE). ODE contracts with nine Education Service Districts (ESDs) across the state to provide early intervention/early childhood special education (EI/ECSE) services in 35 local programs. This system includes Part C early intervention (EI) for children birth to age three and Part B early childhood special education (ECSE) for children age three to kindergarten age, which is age five in Oregon. Children who are age five by September 1st are eligible for public school with special education services provided by the local school district.

As Oregon schools and districts continue to face many challenges, educators remain committed to providing the highest quality education for Oregon students. This report is not meant to tell you everything about your district, but it offers a starting point for discussions about where improvement might be needed and for celebrating successes in education for Oregon's children.

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EARLY INTERVENTION / EARLY CHILDHOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION COUNTY PROGRAM INFORMATION

Timely El Services	Program	State Target	Timeline for El IFSP
Infants and toddlers who receive early intervention services in a timely manner	*	100.0%	Eligible infants and toddlers for whom an evaluation, assessment, and initial IFSP were completed or were justified within 45 days

Special Education

§300.39(a) Special education means specially designed instruction, at no cost to the parents, to meet the unique needs of a child with a disability.

Timely El Services = Initiation date on the IFSP or 10 days from when the parent provides consent for IFSP Services.

IFSP = Individualized Family Service Plan

Department of Education Notes

- -- No data available.
- * Not displayed because at least 6 students are needed to maintain confidentiality.

For more information, contact your local program or district

EARLY INTERVENTION / EARLY CHILDHOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION COUNTY PROGRAM INFORMATION

Improved Outcomes in Positive Social-Emotional Skills	Program	State Target
Infants and toddlers who entered or exited early intervention below age expectations and substantially increased their rate of growth by age 3 or when they exited the program	93.6%	4
Infants and toddlers who were functioning within age expectations by age 3 or when they exited the program	36.0%	⁴
Preschool children who entered the preschool program below age expectations and substantially increased their rate of growth by age 6 or when they exited the program	72.9%	4
Preschool children who were functioning within age expectations by age 6 or when they exited the program	53.3%	4

Improved Use of Appropriate Behaviors to Meet Needs	Program	State Target
Infants and toddlers who entered or exited early intervention below age expectations and substantially increased their rate of growth by age 3 or when they exited the program	87.8%	4
Infants and toddlers who were functioning within age expectations by age 3 or when they exited the program	26.0%	4
Preschool children who entered the preschool program below age expectations and substantially increased their rate of growth by age 6 or when they exited the program	74.4%	4
Preschool children who were functioning within age expectations by age 6 or when they exited the program	54.7%	⁴

Improved Acquisition and Use of Knowledge and Skills	Program	State Target
Infants and toddlers who entered or exited early intervention below age expectations and substantially increased their rate of growth by age 3 or when they exited the program	70.8%	4
Infants and toddlers who were functioning within age expectations by age 3 or when they exited the program	20.0%	4
Preschool children who entered the preschool program below age expectations and substantially increased their rate of growth by age 6 or when they exited the program	65.1%	4
Preschool children who were functioning within age expectations by age 6 or when they exited the program	50.7%	⁴

Timely Transition	Program	State Target
Children exiting Early Intervention with IFSP transition steps	*	100.0%
Children exiting Early Intervention and potentially eligible for Early Childhood Special Education that had a transition conference	*	100.0%
Children referred by Early Intervention prior to age 3, found eligible for Early Childhood Special Education, with IFSP developed and implemented by third birthday	*	100.0%

IFSP = Individualized Family Service Plan

El Transition Conference = IFSP meeting to discuss and plan child's transition to ECSE or other community services.

EARLY INTERVENTION / EARLY CHILDHOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION COUNTY PROGRAM INFORMATION

Individual Family Service Plan (IFSP)	Program	State Target
Infants and toddlers birth to 1 with IFSPs ¹	0.61%	0.76%
Infants and toddlers birth to 3 with IFSPs ²	2.27%	2.3%
Services in Natural	Program	State Target

Services in Natural Environments	Program	State Target
Infants and toddlers who primarily receive early intervention services in home or programs for typically developing children	100.0%	96.5%

Placement	Program	State Target
Children receiving majority of ECSE services in regular childhood program	50.7%	35.5%
Children in separate special education class, separate school, or residential facility	25.6%	24.0%

Family and Parent Survey Results	Program	State Target
Families who report that early intervention services helped the family know rights ³	6 88.9%	89.73%
Families who report that early intervention services helped family effectively communicate child's needs ³	6 77.8%	89.60%
Families who report that early intervention services helped them help their child to develop and learn ³	6 77.8%	92.19%
Parents who report that the early childhood special education program facilitated parent involvement as means of improving services and results ³	6 71.4%	82.48%

Timeline for ECSE Eligibility	Program	State Target
Children with parental consent to evaluate who were evaluated and eligibility determined within 60 school days	100.0%	100.0%

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- ¹ Percentage of total population birth to age 1 receiving EI services.
- ² Percentage of total population birth to age 3 receiving El services.
- ³ All families and parents are not surveyed. A sampling of families and parents complete the Oregon Family and Parent Survey.
- ⁴ No targets for 2015-2016.
- ⁶ Data displayed are Family and Parent Survey data collected in 2015-2016 from a sampling of families and parents in your county.