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Local School System Results for Special Education

Maryland: Indicator 11

Percent of children who were evaluated within 60 days of receiving parental consent for initial evaluation or; if the establishes a timeframe within which the evaluation must be conducted, within that timeframe.

Results

	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13
State Baseline:	-	77.00%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
State Target:	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
State Results:	-	-	82.93%	89.43%	92.12%	95.00%	-	-	-

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In accordance with the OSEP Part B Indicator Support Grid (10/15/08), page 6, a State may factor out the 300.301(d) exce and State timeline exceptions from both the numerator and denominator. Federal and State timeline exceptions include:

- Parent repeatedly failed or refused to make child available [\$300.301(d)(1)]
- Student enrolled after the 60-calendar day time frame has started and prior to determination by the previous publ agency. Receiving LEA made sufficient progress to complete evaluation, and to a specific time to complete the eva (All conditions must be met.) parent and LEA agreed [300.301(d)(2) and (e)]; and
- Parent requests a delay and the timeline is extended by mutual written agreement [COMAR 13A.05.01.04A(4),effec 7, 2007]
- Inclement weather Acceptable Reason

Other Data for this Indicator

A total of 17,180 or 95% of evaluations were completed within 60 calendar days of parental consent for evaluation. Local s systems and public agencies reported a total of 1084 students as having "Acceptable Reasons for Delay" beyond the 60 days date of parental consent for evaluation. A total of 536 students did not receive evaluations within 60 calendar days of the consent for evaluation. Unacceptable reasons for delay included: Inclement weather; Paperwork error; Inconclusive testin results; Child not available (not parent failure)/child refusal; Staffing issue; and other reason(s).

For the students not evaluated within 60 days of parental consent for evaluation, the range of days for all reasons clustered as follows:

- 918 (56.65%) 1 day to 15 days
- 568 (35.06%) 16 to 45 days
- 134 (8.29%) beyond 45 days