

## Percent Screened for Hearing Loss United States, 2007–2010\* (based on Different Denominators)

\*The number of states and territories reporting screening data varied in each year

## Data Summary

	<b>2007</b> (n=47)	<b>2008</b> (n=50)	<b>2009</b> (n=50)	<b>2010</b> (n=52)
<b>Percent Screened</b> based on the number of births according to the EHDI program, <u>excluding</u> Parental Refusals / Infant Deaths)	97.4%	97.4%	98.0%	98.3%
<b>Percent Screened</b> (based on the number of births according to the EHDI program)	97.0%	96.9%	97.4%	97.9%
<b>Percent Screened</b> (based on the number of births according to Vital Records)	95.9%	96.2%	96.5%	97.4%

**Data Source:** 2007 – 2010 CDC Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EHDI) Hearing Screening and Follow-up Survey (HSFS).

## **Data Notes**

- All birth data is based on occurrent births.
- Vital Records (VR) birth data for years 2007, 2008, 2009, and 2010 was based on reports from EHDI programs about what the numbers of births were according to the State or Territorial VR program. These numbers of VR births may differ from the CDC National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010 birth data.
  - VR data was also not available from some jurisdictions in each year, so the number reported for Total Occurrent Births was used as a substitute in these cases.
- n: Number of responding states and territories.