

Summary of 2015 National CDC EHDI Data

Data Source: 2015 CDC EHDI Hearing Screening & Follow-up Survey (HSFS)

Number of Respondents: 56^a (49 states, 7 territories) AL, AK, American Samoa, AZ, AR, CA, Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, CT, DE, District of Columbia, FL, GA, Guam, HI, ID, IL, IN, IA, KS, KY, LA, ME, Marshall Islands, MD, MA, MI, Micronesia, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, Palau, PA, Puerto Rico, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA, WA, WV, WI, WY

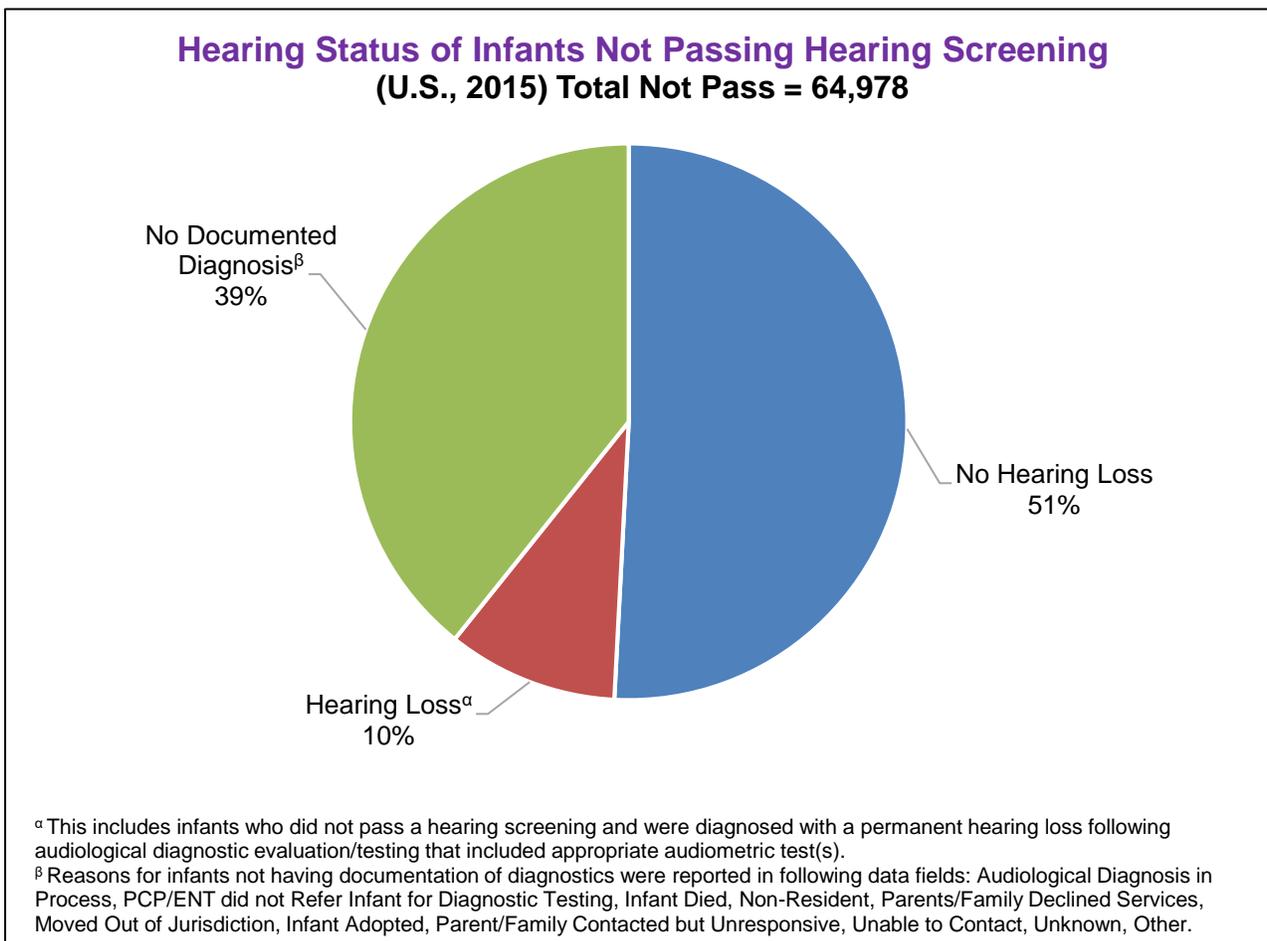
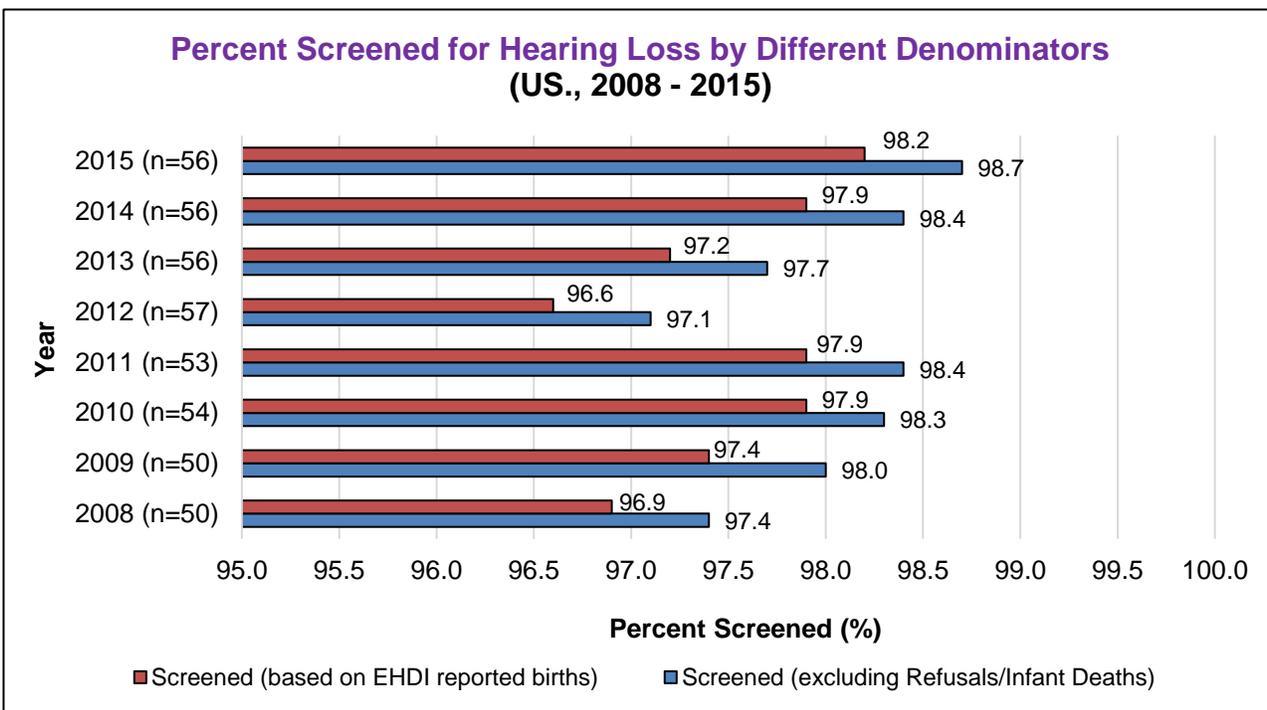
2015 Documented EHDI Data Items	
Total Occurrent Births (<i>according to state & territorial EHDI programs</i>)	3,866,820
Documented Hearing Screening	
Percent Screened	98.2% (n = 3,796,042) (Range: 80.4% - 99.7%)
○ Percent Screened (<i>excluding infant deaths & parental refusals</i>)	98.7%
○ Percent Screened before 1 Month of Age	95.5% (n = 3,624,044)
Percent Not Passing final / most recent screening	1.7% (n = 64,978)
No Documented Hearing Screening	
Percent w. No Documented Screening:	1.8% (n = 70,778)
○ Overall Percent Loss to Follow-up (LFU) / Loss to Documentation (LTD) for Screening [∞]	0.7% (n = 26,314) (Range: 0.0 – 7.1%)
▪ LFU/LTD = # Parents/Family Contacted but Unresponsive (1,667) + # Unable to Contact (1,217) + # Unknown (23,430)	
Documented Diagnosis (<i>based on 64,978 infants not passing final/most recent screening</i>)	
Percent Diagnosed	60.7% (n = 39,468) (Range: 1.9% - 89.9%)
○ Percent with No Hearing Loss (<i>i.e., no diagnosed hearing loss</i>)	50.8% (n = 33,026)
○ Percent with Hearing Loss	9.9% (n = 6,442)
○ Percent Diagnosed (<i>normal hearing + hearing loss</i>) before 3 Months of Age [‡]	71.9% (n = 23,013)
Prevalence of Hearing Loss	1.7 per 1,000 screened
No Documented Diagnosis (<i>based on 64,978 infants not passing final/most recent screening</i>)	
Percent w. No Documented Diagnosis:	39.3% (n = 25,510)
○ In Process	1.4% (n = 887)
○ Infant Died / Parents Declined	3.0% (n = 1,938)
○ Non-Resident / Moved	2.6% (n = 1,695)
○ Overall Percent Loss to Follow-up (LFU) / Loss to Documentation (LTD) for Diagnosis [∞]	27.9% (n = 18,126) (Range: 0.0 – 93.2%)
▪ LFU/LTD = # Parents/Family Contacted but Unresponsive (5,549) + # Unable to Contact (2,659) + # Unknown (9,918)	
▪ Percent LFU / LTD for Diagnosis: Due to Unable to Contact and Unknown	19.4% (n = 12,577)
▪ Percent Unresponsive for Diagnosis: Due to Parents/Family Contacted but Unresponsive	8.5% (n = 5,549)
Other Cases of Hearing Loss	
Number of Additional Cases (<i>e.g., late-onset hearing loss & infants not screened at birth</i>)	n = 1,416
Number of Cases of Non-Permanent / Transient Hearing Loss	n = 905
Documented Referral to Early Intervention (EI) (<i>based on 6,442 infants w. hearing loss</i>)	
Percent Referred to Part C EI (<i>of those with hearing loss</i>)	87.6% (n = 5,640)
Percent Not Referred to Part C and Unknown (<i>of those with hearing loss</i>)	12.4% (n = 797)
Documented Enrollment in EI (<i>based on 6,442 infants w. hearing loss</i>)	
Percent Enrolled in EI (<i>Part C & Non-Part C</i>)	66.5% (n = 4,285) (Range 0.0% - 100%)
○ Enrolled in EI = # in Part C EI (4,153) + # in Non-Part C EI (132)	
○ Percent Enrolled in EI before 6 Months of Age (<i>Part C & Non-Part C</i>)	65.3% (n = 2,799)
No Documented Enrollment in EI (<i>based on 6,442 infants w. hearing loss</i>)	
Percent w. No Documented EI Services	33.2% (n = 2,136)
○ Infant Died / Parents Declined	7.6% (n = 487)
○ Non-Resident / Moved	2.1% (n = 138)
○ Not Eligible for Part C Services	2.3% (n = 147)
○ Overall Percent Loss to Follow-up (LFU) / Loss to Documentation (LTD) for EI [∞]	20.4% (n = 1,315) (Range 0.0 – 100.0%)
▪ LFU/LTD = # Parents/Family Contacted but Unresponsive (202) + # Unable to Contact (154) + # Unknown (959)	
▪ Percent LFU / LTD for EI: Due to Unable to Contact and Unknown	17.3% (n = 1,113)
▪ Percent Unresponsive for EI: Due to Parents/Family Contacted but Unresponsive	3.1% (n = 202)

Notes: ^aAll 56 states and territories responded to all parts of the survey [∞]Respondents had the option to either use the revised definition or previous version for the field "Parents/Family Contacted but Unresponsive." 44 jurisdictions used the revised definition for the 2015 HSFS.

[‡]Diagnosed before 3 months is based on the 55 jurisdictions who were able to report complete data for this measure (for formula, see page 4).

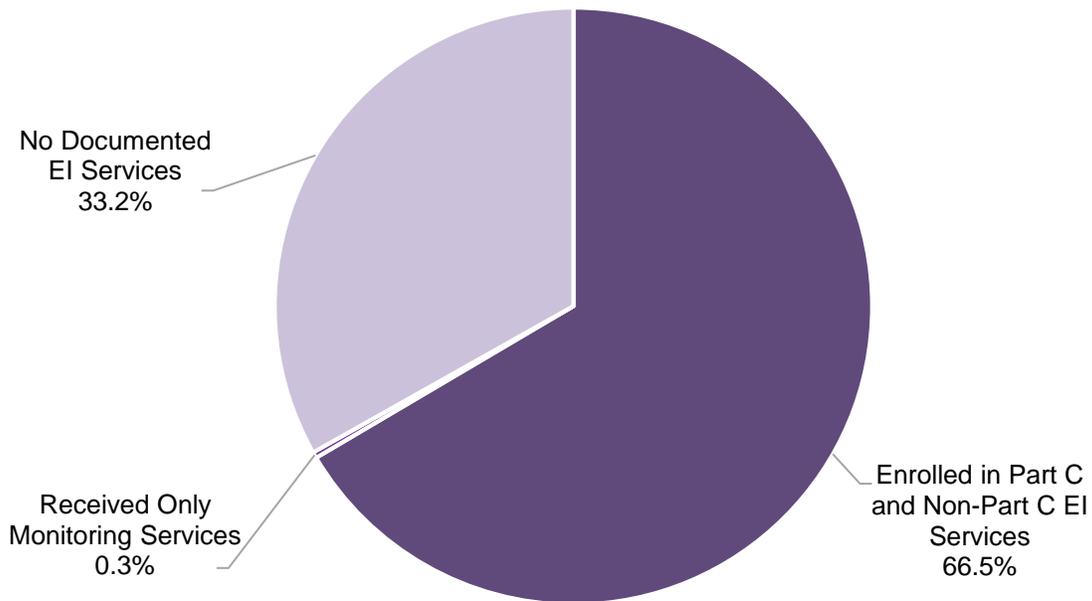
For summaries by jurisdiction please visit: www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/hearingloss/ehdi-data.html

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**Documented Intervention Status of Infants with Hearing Loss
(U.S., 2015) Total w. Hearing Loss = 6,442**



^a Enrollment in Part C EI is defined as documentation of infants identified with a permanent hearing loss having a signed Individual Family Services Plan (IFSP) form.

^b Reasons for infants not having documentation of intervention services were reported in following data fields: Not eligible for Part C Services, Infant Died, Non-resident, Unable to Receive EI due to Medical Reasons, Parents/Family Declined Services, Moved Out of Jurisdiction, Infant Adopted, Parent/Family Contacted but Unresponsive, Unable to Contact, Unknown, Other.

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Data Notes

- HSFS data reflects information that states and territories have reportedly **documented** without estimation. As a result, data reported by CDC EHDI may differ from other sources.
- Some respondents only provided partial data (e.g. hearing screening data only). As a result, the number of reporting states and territories and denominators varies for some of the data sections.
- This data is subject to change if additional states and/or territories report data for year 2015.
- **In Process:** Respondents were advised that to be reported in this category each infant must have been seen for diagnostic testing at least one time and have a follow-up appointment already scheduled.
- **LFU (Loss to Follow-up) / LTD (Loss to Documentation):** Sub group of “No Documented Diagnosis / Undetermined” and “No Intervention Services.” Includes instances where infant’s families were *Unable to be contacted or Unresponsive*, and *Unknown* cases.

Explanation of 2015 Calculations

Documented Hearing Screening (based on data from 56 states & territories)

Percent Screened

3,796,042 (# screened) / 3,866,820 (occurrent births reported by EHDI programs) x 100 = 98.2%

Percent Screened (excluding infant deaths & parental refusals)

3,796,042 (# screened) / 3,844,630 (occurrent births excluding infant deaths & parental refusals) x 100 = 98.7%

Percent Screened Before 1 Month of Age

3,624,044 (# pass before 1 month + # not pass before 1 month) / 3,796,042 (# screened) x 100 = 95.5%

Percent Not Passing final / most recent hearing screening

64,978 (# not pass) / 3,796,042 (# screened) x 100 = 1.7%

No Documented Hearing Screening (based on data from 56 states & territories)

Percent with No Documented Hearing Screening

70,778 (# w. no documented screening) / 3,866,820 (# occurrent births reported by EHDI programs) x 100 = 1.8%

Overall Percent LFU / LTD (i.e., Unable to Contact / Unresponsive / Unknown)

26,314 (# unable to contact + # unresponsive + # unknown) / 3,866,820 (# occurrent births) x 100 = 0.7%

Documented Diagnosis (based on 64,978 infants not passing, data from 56 states & territories)

Percent Diagnosed

39,468 (# w. documented diagnosis) / 64,978 (# not pass) x 100 = 60.7%

Percent with No Hearing Loss (i.e., no diagnosed hearing loss)

33,026 (# w. no hearing loss) / 64,978 (# not pass) x 100 = 50.8%

Percent Hearing Loss

6,442 (# w. diagnosed permanent hearing loss) / 64,978 (# not pass) x 100 = 9.9%

Percent Diagnosed Before 3 Months of Age* (based on 32,019 infants w. documented diagnosis from 55 states and territories who were able to report complete data for this measure)

23,013 (# diagnosed with no hearing loss before 3 months + # with permanent hearing loss before 3 months) / 32,019 (# w. documented diagnosis) x 100 = 71.9%

Prevalence of Hearing Loss

6,442 (# w. diagnosed permanent hearing loss) / 3,796,042 (# screened) x 1,000 = 1.7 per 1,000 screened

No Documented Diagnosis (based on 64,978 infants not passing screening, data from 56 states & territories)

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Percent with No Documented Diagnosis *(of those not passing)*

25,510 (# w. no documented diagnosis) / 64,978 (# not pass screening) x 100 = 39.3%

Percent In Process

887 (# in process) / 64,978 (# not pass screening) x 100 = 1.4%

Percent Infant Died / Parents Declined Services

1,938 (# infant died + # parents declined services) / 64,978 (# not pass screening) x 100 = 3.0%

Percent Non-Resident or Moved Out of Jurisdiction

1,695 (# non-resident + # moved out of jurisdiction) / 64,978 (# not pass screening) x 100 = 2.6%

Overall Percent LFU / LTD *(i.e., Unable to Contact / Unresponsive / Unknown)*

18,126 (# unable to contact + # unresponsive + # unknown) / 64,978 (# not pass screening) x 100 = 27.9%

Percent LFU/LTD for Diagnosis: Due to Unable to Contact and Unknown

12,577 (# unable to contact + # unknown) / 64,978 (# not pass screening) x 100 = 19.4%

Percent Unresponsive for Diagnosis: Due to Parents/Family Contacted but Unresponsive

5,549 (# parents/family contacted but unresponsive) / 64,978 (# not pass screening) x 100 = 8.5%

Documented Referral to EI *(based on 6,442 infants w. hearing loss, data from 56 states & territories)*

Percent Referred to Part C EI *(of those with hearing loss)*

5,640 (# referred to Part C EI) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss) x 100 = 87.6%

Percent Not Referred to Part C and Unknown *(of those with hearing loss)*

797 (# not referred to Part C + # unknown) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss) x 100 = 12.4%

Documented Enrollment in EI *(based on 6,442 infants w. hearing loss, data from 56 States & Territories)*

Percent Enrolled in EI *(Part C & Non-Part C)*

4,285 (# enrolled in Part C + # in non-Part C EI) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss) x 100 = 66.5%

Percent Enrolled in EI before 6 Months of Age *(Part C & Non-Part C)*

2,799 (# enrolled in Part C EI before 6 months + # in Non-Part C EI before 6 Months) /
4,285 (# enrolled in Part C + # in non-Part C EI) x 100 = 65.3%

No Documented Enrollment in EI *(based on 6,442 infants w. hearing loss, data from 56 states & territories)*

Percent with No Documented EI Services *(of those with hearing loss)*

2,136 (# not receiving any EI services) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss) x 100 = 33.2%

Percent Infant Died / Parents Declined *(of those with hearing loss)*

487 (# infant died + # parents declined services) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss) x 100 = 7.6%

Percent Non-Resident / Moved *(of those with hearing loss)*

138 (# non-resident + # moved out of jurisdiction) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss) x 100 = 2.1%

Percent Not Eligible for Part C Services *(of those with hearing loss)*

147 (# not eligible for Part C services) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss) x 100 = 2.3%

Percent LFU / LTD for EI

1,315 (# unable to contact + # unresponsive + # unknown) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss)
x 100 = 20.4%

Percent LFU/LTD for EI: Due to Unable to Contact and Unknown

1,113 (# unable to contact + # unknown) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss) x 100 = 17.3%

Percent Unresponsive for EI: Due to Parents/Family Contacted but Unresponsive

202 (# parents/family contacted but unresponsive) / 6,442 (# w. permanent hearing loss) x 100 = 3.1%