

NCHS Update

Board of Scientific Counselors

September 22, 2011



Edward J. Sondik

Today's Update

- Budget Update
- NCHS Activities and Program Highlights

NCHS 2011 Budget

- \$138.7 M – Same as FY 2010
- 2012 President's Budget calls for: \$161.9 M
(+\$23.2 M)

Program Highlights



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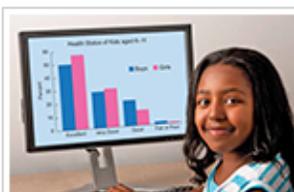
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NCHS Director Edward Sondik and health policy expert Michael O'Grady discuss trends in, and demographics of, U.S. mortality rates.



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[Not Enough Youth Drinking Low-fat Milk, New Report Shows.](#) Kids in higher income brackets more likely to drink low-fat milk.

[New Report Looks at Race, Ethnic Differences in U.S. Infant Mortality.](#) Data come from 2007 linked birth/infant death data set

[Prevalence of Complex Activity Limitations Among Racial/Ethnic Groups and Hispanic Subgroups of Adults: United States, 2003-2009.](#) New report analyzes 7 years of data from the National Health Interview Survey

[Summary Health Statistics for the U.S. Population: National Health Interview Survey, 2010](#) 
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[Los Angeles-area Adults Have Lower Obesity Rates Than Nation as a Whole](#) New report looks at selected health measures in L.A. vs. U.S.  [PDF - 351 KB]

[Half of U.S. Population Consumes Sugar Drinks on Any Given Day.](#) First-ever analysis comes from the 2005-2008 National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey

[Leading Causes of Death Tables by Age, Race and Gender Featured in New Report.](#) Report utilizes 2007 final data  [PDF - 3.6 MB]

[High Blood Pressure Common at Hospital Emergency Room Visits.](#) Data are from the 2007-2008 National Hospital Ambulatory Medical Care Survey

[Resting Pulse Rates Decrease With Age, Plateau Earlier for Men Than for Women.](#) New NHANES report offers national reference data for key vital sign.  [PDF - 441 KB]

[Nearly 1 in 10 Children Diagnosed With ADHD, New Report Shows.](#) Percentage of ADHD Diagnoses Has Increased Over Past Decade.

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- No. 75.** [Low-fat Milk Consumption Among Children and Adolescents in the United States, 2007–2008](#). 8 pp. (PHS) 2011-1209. September 2011.  [PDF - 706 KB]
- No. 74.** [Understanding Racial and Ethnic Disparities in U.S. Infant Mortality Rates](#). 8 pp. (PHS) 2011-1209. September 2011.  [PDF - 531 KB]
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- No. 65.** [Community Health Centers: Providers, Patients, and Content of Care](#). 8 pp. (PHS) 2011-1209. July 2011.  [PDF - 550 KB]
- No. 64.** [Death in the United States, 2009](#). 8 pp. (PHS) 2011-1209. July 2011.  [PDF - 699 KB]
- No. 63.** [Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Among Adults Aged 18 and Over in the United States, 1999–2009](#). 8 pp. (PHS) 2011-1209. June 2011.  [PDF - 650 KB]

Health Care Statistics

- NAMCS and NHAMCS computerized data collection Jan. 2012
 - Sample expanded for CY 2013: 20,200 (36 states)
 - Includes preventive care during prior year for patients at risk for cardiovascular disease
- New National Hospital Care Survey recruitment launched to include NHAMCS in CY 2013 (uses claims data)
- New 2012 National Survey of Long-Term Care Providers includes residential care facilities and adult day centers

Health Care Statistics

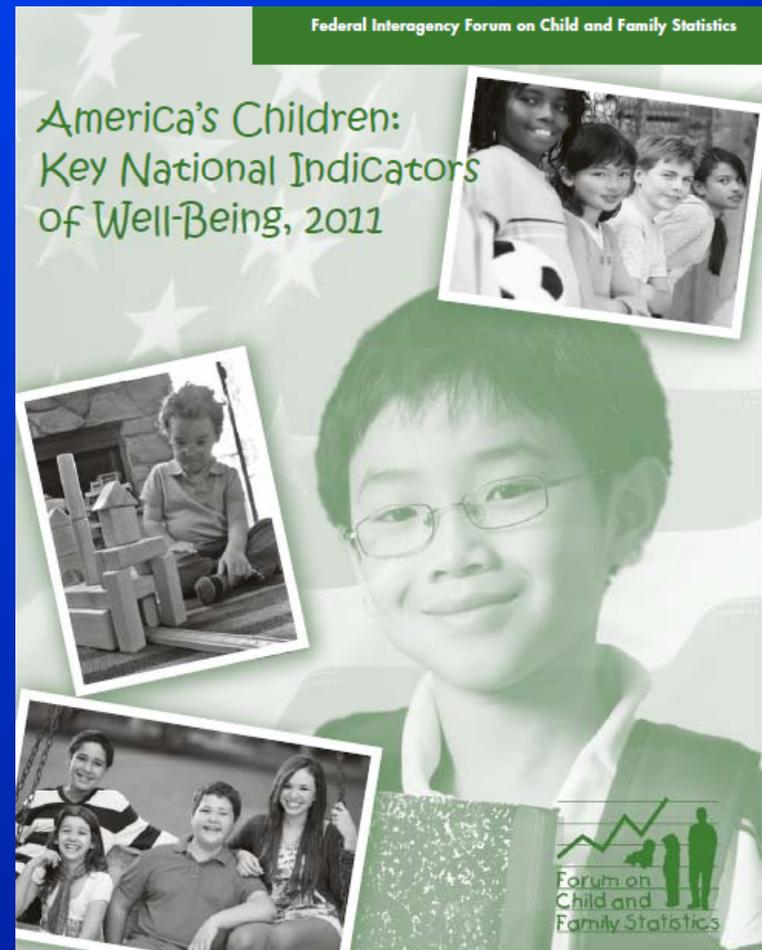
- 2010 National Survey of Residential Care Facilities: data files to be released this winter
- NCHS/SAMHSA collaboration to incorporate Drug Abuse Warning Network (DAWN) as integral part of NHAMCS-ED from CY 2013
- Planning preliminary release of first 6 months of key 2011 NAMCS/NHAMCS data by mid 2012
- Selection from annual AcademyHealth abstracts for JAMA competitive review:
 - Medicaid payment levels to dentists and access to dental care among children and adolescents; Sandra L Decker; JAMA 306:187-93. 2011

Health Care Statistics – Electronic Health Records

- Survey on Electronic Health Record adoption (ONC support)
 - Data by state: E-Stat by December 2011: Survey on physicians' adoption of EHRs, by state; includes new patient acceptance , by payer
- Survey on EHRs' effects on physician office workflow by state; E-Stat expected in December

Health Interview Statistics

- Release of America's Children
Special collaborative feature on Adoption using
 - National Survey of Adoptive Parents
 - National Survey of Children's Health
 - American Community Survey



Health Interview Statistics

- Testing of demographic questions to collect Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual data
- NHIS Audio Computer-Aided Survey Instrument
- Consideration of approaches to collecting Transgender data –
 - Later on this meeting's agenda ...

Office of Analysis and Epidemiology

- Releasing linked Medicare CCW, SMEC, and Part D files at the end of August
- Releasing the linked Medicaid files at the end of October
- The Healthy People 2010 Final Review is scheduled for release in September
- Healthy People 2010 Final Review is scheduled for release soon: Webinar October 6
- Traci Cook takes on “Kid’s” and “Older Americans” Forums

National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey

- R and D
 - Blood spot research – results promising (See Lew Berman)
 - Youth Physical Fitness Survey Component
 - 24-hour Urine Testing for Sodium
- ACA Support

Staff Awards

American Statistical Association

- **Charles Rothwell – Fellow**
- **Nathaniel Schenker Founder's Award**

Vital Statistics

- Secretary approves moving forward with minimum standards for Birth Certificates

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Date: January 7, 2005

President Bush Signs Public Law 108-458, the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004

On December 17, 2004, President Bush signed into law S. 2845, the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 (Public Law 108-458). On December 7, 2004, the House of Representatives passed S. 2845 by a vote of 336 to 75. The Senate passed S. 2845 by a vote of 89-2 on December 8, 2004. The law provides for reform of the intelligence community, terrorism prevention and prosecution, border security, and international cooperation and coordination.

Included in the legislation are the following provisions of interest to SSA:

Section 7211. Minimum Standards for Birth Certificates

- Requires the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS), in consultation with Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and the Commissioner of Social Security and others, to promulgate regulations establishing minimum standards for birth certificates. These regulations must be promulgated within one year of the date of enactment. The standards shall include, among other things, a requirement for proof and verification of identity as a condition of issuance of a birth certificate.

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Recent Trends in Births and Fertility Rates Through 2010

by Paul D. Sutton, Ph.D., and Brady E. Hamilton, Ph.D., Division of Vital Statistics

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FastStats

The broad-based decline in births and fertility rates from 2007 through 2009 is now well-documented (1-3). An earlier NCHS Health E-Stat showed the overall birth count and fertility rate continuing to decline through the first 6 months of 2010 (4). This report updates and extends the trend through December 2010 (5).

The provisional count of births in the United States for 2010 (12-month period ending December 2010) was 4,007,000 (3). This count was 3 percent less than the number of births in 2009 (4,131,019) and 7 percent less than the all-time high of 4,316,233 births in 2007 (3,6).

The provisional fertility rate for 2010 was 64.7 births per 1,000 women aged 15-44 (5). This was 3 percent less than the 2009 preliminary rate of 66.7 and 7 percent less than the 17-year high of 69.5 in 2007 (see Figure) (3,6).

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Number 68, August 2011

Childbearing Differences Among Three Generations of U.S. Women

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Sharon E. Kirmeyer, Ph.D.; and Brady E. Hamilton, Ph.D.

Key findings

- Of three generations of women born in 1910, 1935, and 1960, those born in 1935 had the most children (on average 3.0 children per woman) and those born in 1960 had the fewest (2.0).
- Women born in 1910 and 1935 started their

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- [Women born in 1935 had on average three births—the highest of the three cohorts.](#)
- [Women born in 1960 started their childbearing at an older age.](#)
- [Women born in 1935 had the highest number of children; women born in 1910 had the fewest children.](#)
- [Women born in 1910 were almost twice as likely to be childless as](#)

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Health Status of Kids aged 6-11

Health Status	Boys (%)	Girls (%)
Excellent	50	58
Very Good	30	32
Good	22	15
Fair or Poor	5	5

I Want to be a Statistician Just Like my Mom



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Federal Interagency Forum on Child and Family Statistics

America's Children: Key National Indicators of Well-Being, 2011



Nationwide Search

- At last meeting I told you that Jane and Linda were leaving
- Now I can tell you we conducting nationwide search for replacements
 - Dozens of applicants for each
 - Announcement closed and we're reviewing applications
 - Hope to have selections in coming months

Major Recognition at ASA

- **Charlie Rothwell named Fellow of the American Statistical Association**
- **Nat Schenker was recipient of the ASA Founders Award**

NCHS 2012 Budget

- **2012 President's Budget : \$161.9 M
(+\$23.2 M above the FY 2010 level)**