

**Table 6B**  
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**California**  
**Comparison of Growth and Anemia Indicators by County**  
**Children Aged < 5 Years** <sup>(2)</sup>

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County	Birthweight <sup>(5)</sup>			Height and Weight						Anemia Low Hb/Hct <sup>(8)</sup>		
	Low	High		Short Stature <sup>(6)</sup>	Under-weight <sup>(7)</sup>	Over-weight <sup>(7)</sup>	≥ 2 Yrs Over-weight <sup>(7)</sup>					
	Number	% <2500 g (Rank)	% >4000 g (Rank)	Number	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% >95th (Rank)	Number	% 85th- <95th (Rank)	% ≥95th (Rank)	Number	% (Rank)
Alameda	4,558	7.2 (36)	10.2 (50)	25,908	4.7(31)	6.7(35)	13.3(26)	9,877	16.1(23)	16.1(25)	8,041	14.0 (41)
Alpine	31	* *	* *	133	5.3(44)	5.3(20)	16.5(53)	52	* *	* *	73	* *
Amador	134	6.0 (10)	9.7 (47)	693	4.9(35)	5.2(18)	15.2(42)	241	17.4(52)	17.8(39)	314	11.1 (17)
Butte	1,744	7.6 (43)	7.7 (18)	6,921	4.9(35)	6.1(30)	11.9(14)	2,595	14.8 (8)	12.8 (4)	4,463	10.3 (13)
Calaveras	151	6.6 (21)	11.3 (54)	1,026	6.0(59)	6.3(33)	15.8(48)	453	14.8 (8)	16.8(32)	640	13.1 (32)
City Of Be	13	* *	* *	59	* *	* *	* *	19	* *	* *	29	* *
Colusa	333	3.3 (1)	9.3 (38)	1,302	3.9(10)	9.6(58)	11.4(11)	448	15.8(17)	14.3(11)	744	16.4 (52)
Contra Cos	1,913	7.2 (36)	10.5 (51)	11,563	5.4(47)	7.2(44)	14.1(34)	3,766	16.7(37)	17.2(34)	3,564	12.9 (27)
Del Norte	218	5.5 (4)	14.7 (57)	897	5.0(38)	4.0 (3)	14.8(39)	366	17.8(55)	19.1(55)	583	6.7 (2)
El Dorado	586	5.8 (7)	9.6 (43)	2,451	3.3 (4)	11.0(63)	9.8 (3)	851	15.2(11)	14.0 (9)	1,240	9.3 (6)
Fresno	8,025	7.2 (36)	7.6 (16)	45,072	5.8(54)	4.0 (3)	16.4(52)	18,872	16.4(30)	17.1(33)	30,760	13.2 (35)

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Glenn	198	8.1 (51)	8.6 (30)	1,023	3.9(10)	6.0(27)	13.8(31)	387	13.2 (4)	16.0(20)	739	14.7 (46)
Humboldt	648	7.7 (47)	12.0 (55)	3,454	5.2(42)	5.9(26)	12.9(24)	1,263	16.6(35)	16.0(20)	1,954	12.2 (20)
Imperial	1,725	7.0 (29)	7.5 (12)	6,892	3.5 (7)	6.9(37)	15.4(45)	2,918	17.0(46)	18.9(50)	4,443	6.8 (3)
Inyo	73	* *	* *	400	5.3(44)	5.0(15)	14.5(36)	140	17.1(47)	17.9(41)	235	10.2 (12)
Kern	7,440	7.2 (36)	8.8 (32)	33,579	4.7(31)	5.8(25)	16.6(54)	13,780	16.1(23)	18.5(45)	19,711	10.0 (11)
Kings	459	5.2 (3)	10.0 (49)	4,054	4.8(34)	4.5(13)	20.7(64)	1,658	16.2(27)	22.4(59)	2,747	23.3 (62)
L.A. East	16,184	6.5 (19)	7.5 (12)	41,986	6.0(59)	4.1 (5)	17.6(58)	11,637	16.2(27)	18.9(50)	18,564	14.6 (44)
L.A. North	5,834	6.7 (22)	6.7 (8)	23,214	5.8(54)	4.3(11)	16.7(55)	6,589	17.6(54)	17.8(39)	9,336	12.9 (27)
L.A. Other	15,139	7.6 (43)	7.5 (12)	161,426	4.1(19)	4.2 (8)	18.1(61)	79,025	16.6(35)	18.5(45)	101,348	12.9 (27)
L.A. South	15,973	6.8 (25)	7.5 (12)	42,997	5.7(50)	4.1 (5)	17.7(59)	12,063	17.1(47)	16.7(31)	19,700	12.2 (20)
L.A. West	2,528	7.1 (32)	7.0 (9)	8,297	6.4(61)	4.3(11)	18.1(61)	2,421	16.1(23)	19.0(53)	3,515	13.4 (37)

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Lake	235	8.9 (55)	7.7 (18)	975	3.4 (6)	9.5(57)	10.1 (5)	362	19.6(60)	11.3 (2)	616	12.0 (19)
Lassen	112	7.1 (32)	4.5 (3)	562	3.9(10)	10.7(61)	11.0 (9)	218	11.5 (2)	12.4 (3)	316	11.4 (18)
Long Beach	1,814	7.9 (49)	8.4 (29)	10,145	4.7(31)	5.3(20)	17.5(56)	4,135	16.7(37)	19.6(56)	4,791	13.3 (36)
Madera	1,457	7.5 (42)	7.3 (10)	5,718	4.3(24)	4.1 (5)	15.5(46)	2,263	16.9(44)	16.3(27)	4,444	18.2 (55)
Marin	114	6.1 (12)	7.9 (22)	2,235	4.5(28)	7.7(49)	11.7(12)	694	16.9(44)	18.9(50)	1,175	7.6 (4)
Mariposa	22	* *	* *	170	1.8 (2)	8.8(52)	10.6 (7)	76	* *	* *	124	9.7 (9)
Mendocino	720	7.9 (49)	9.3 (38)	2,533	3.5 (7)	9.6(58)	12.4(19)	869	18.4(57)	18.6(47)	1,135	18.5 (57)
Merced	2,807	7.6 (43)	8.0 (24)	10,819	5.7(50)	3.9 (2)	15.9(49)	4,320	18.5(58)	18.0(43)	7,754	14.6 (44)
Modoc	41	* *	* *	172	1.7 (1)	9.3(54)	9.9 (4)	74	* *	* *	103	4.9 (1)
Mono	105	6.7 (22)	1.9 (1)	376	4.0(18)	11.4(64)	7.7 (1)	114	6.1 (1)	10.5 (1)	225	12.4 (23)
Monterey	1,180	5.8 (7)	9.6 (43)	6,124	5.7(50)	3.2 (1)	15.3(43)	1,663	18.8(59)	17.7(37)	2,949	13.8 (40)

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Napa	502	6.2 (13)	9.6 (43)	2,743	3.3 (4)	9.4(56)	11.0 (9)	910	16.5(33)	14.8(13)	1,141	20.9 (61)
Nevada	253	7.1 (32)	4.7 (4)	1,049	5.1(40)	9.2(53)	8.9 (2)	305	16.4(30)	13.4 (7)	468	12.8 (26)
Orange	11,180	6.3 (16)	7.7 (18)	27,265	6.8(63)	5.1(16)	18.8(63)	10,049	15.6(15)	20.9(58)	34,917	13.1 (32)
Pasadena	436	10.1 (57)	4.1 (2)	2,141	4.3(24)	7.6(48)	12.2(18)	887	14.1 (6)	13.6 (8)	1,380	13.0 (30)
Placer	681	6.0 (10)	9.0 (33)	3,067	5.4(47)	7.1(43)	12.6(23)	999	16.1(23)	14.8(13)	1,643	12.2 (20)
Plumas	85	* *	* *	374	5.9(57)	10.7(61)	11.8(13)	134	12.7 (3)	16.4(28)	163	10.4 (14)
Riverside	11,014	6.7 (22)	7.9 (22)	38,448	5.7(50)	5.1(16)	15.9(49)	12,643	15.1(10)	15.9(19)	18,320	16.3 (50)
Sacramento	3,543	7.0 (29)	9.1 (34)	37,270	5.2(42)	6.9(37)	13.9(33)	14,637	16.0(20)	16.1(25)	19,534	15.5 (49)
San Benito	163	4.3 (2)	16.0 (58)	1,215	2.7 (3)	5.6(23)	17.7(59)	445	17.8(55)	23.8(61)	882	18.3 (56)
San Bernar	9,157	7.6 (43)	7.3 (10)	45,717	6.6(62)	5.2(18)	16.0(51)	15,968	16.2(27)	16.0(20)	22,641	16.3 (50)
San Diego	11,803	6.8 (25)	9.2 (35)	49,527	4.6(29)	6.4(34)	13.0(25)	17,704	16.0(20)	15.3(16)	30,543	11.0 (16)

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San Franci	609	7.7 (47)	4.9 (5)	8,299	3.9(10)	6.9(37)	12.1(16)	3,183	16.8(41)	16.5(29)	1,452	13.4 (37)
San Joaqui	5,875	8.2 (52)	8.1 (25)	23,850	5.1(40)	6.9(37)	14.6(38)	9,414	15.7(16)	16.6(30)	10,157	13.1 (32)
San Luis O	990	7.3 (40)	8.2 (27)	4,548	3.8 (9)	10.0(60)	10.1 (5)	1,562	15.8(17)	13.1 (5)	2,036	13.6 (39)
San Mateo	884	8.6 (54)	9.2 (35)	9,629	3.9(10)	6.9(37)	13.4(28)	3,358	17.3(51)	19.6(56)	4,526	7.9 (5)
Santa Barb	3,981	15.7 (58)	7.6 (16)	15,066	4.9(35)	5.6(23)	14.4(35)	5,482	17.1(47)	19.0(53)	9,917	14.8 (47)
Santa Clar	2,797	6.8 (25)	8.3 (28)	27,702	3.9(10)	6.0(27)	13.8(31)	11,124	15.3(12)	15.7(18)	14,059	9.5 (7)
Santa Cruz	768	7.0 (29)	9.8 (48)	2,340	5.5(49)	8.2(50)	13.5(29)	517	17.4(52)	23.0(60)	777	14.3 (42)
Shasta	1,186	9.1 (56)	9.5 (41)	4,531	7.0(64)	4.2 (8)	13.7(30)	1,764	17.1(47)	15.1(15)	2,908	10.9 (15)
Sierra	25	* *	* *	75	* *	* *	* *	20	* *	* *	40	* *
Siskiyou	287	5.9 (9)	6.6 (7)	1,108	5.0(38)	9.3(54)	12.5(21)	417	16.8(41)	18.7(48)	754	19.6 (60)
Solano	1,550	7.4 (41)	9.2 (35)	7,152	4.6(29)	7.3(45)	13.3(26)	2,672	16.7(37)	17.9(41)	2,956	9.6 (8)

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Sonoma	1,105	6.9 (28)	9.3 (38)	7,453	3.9(10)	7.5(47)	12.4(19)	2,551	16.7(37)	16.0(20)	2,875	18.0 (54)
Stanislaus	3,558	8.3 (53)	8.1 (25)	16,322	4.2(20)	6.9(37)	15.0(40)	6,477	15.5(14)	17.6(36)	12,738	17.4 (53)
Sutter	551	7.1 (32)	8.7 (31)	2,621	4.2(20)	8.3(51)	12.0(15)	946	16.0(20)	13.1 (5)	1,495	12.7 (24)
Tehama	439	6.2 (13)	13.2 (56)	2,272	4.2(20)	6.8(36)	12.1(16)	865	14.7 (7)	14.6(12)	1,199	19.3 (59)
Trinity	54	* *	* *	263	5.3(44)	5.3(20)	15.6(47)	100	14.0 (5)	16.0(20)	171	24.0 (63)
Tulare	4,112	6.5 (19)	7.8 (21)	24,190	5.8(54)	4.2 (8)	17.5(56)	9,719	16.8(41)	17.7(37)	16,234	18.6 (58)
Tuolumne	143	6.3 (16)	11.2 (52)	596	5.9(57)	6.0(27)	10.9 (8)	209	15.3(12)	15.3(16)	348	15.2 (48)
Ventura	4,924	6.2 (13)	9.6 (43)	19,356	4.2(20)	4.7(14)	15.3(43)	7,223	15.9(19)	18.0(43)	13,312	9.9 (10)
Yolo	632	5.7 (6)	11.2 (52)	4,417	3.9(10)	7.3(45)	14.5(36)	1,648	16.5(33)	17.3(35)	2,379	13.0 (30)
Yuba	379	6.3 (16)	6.3 (6)	2,096	4.4(26)	6.1(30)	12.5(21)	770	19.6(60)	14.0 (9)	1,055	14.4 (43)
Unknown Counties	1,985	5.6 (5)	9.5 (41)	8,126	4.4(26)	6.2(32)	15.0(40)	3,064	16.4(30)	18.8(49)	3,891	12.7 (24)

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<b>California</b>	<b>178,165</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>864,004</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>15.9</b>	<b>331,975</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>17.4</b>	<b>493,286</b>	<b>13.4</b>
<b>Nation (Prior Year)</b>	<b>1,607,770</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6,477,531</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>2,774,537</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>4,020,686</b>	<b>13.7</b>

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Alameda	12,543	7.2 (35)	10.2 (50)	72,578	5.0(41)	6.5(36)	14.1(32)	26,290	16.1(25)	16.7(31)	25,091	13.9 (40)
Alpine	82	* *	* *	392	6.4(61)	5.4(21)	16.3(50)	155	16.1(25)	22.6(63)	219	14.6 (42)
Amador	459	10.0 (57)	7.8 (16)	2,091	5.2(47)	6.1(28)	14.1(32)	749	16.4(34)	14.2(12)	945	12.3 (18)
Butte	5,159	7.2 (35)	8.3 (22)	19,898	4.7(33)	6.3(29)	11.8(14)	7,678	15.1(10)	13.0 (7)	13,181	10.2 (10)
Calaveras	453	7.1 (31)	10.8 (53)	2,823	6.3(60)	6.4(35)	16.6(54)	1,195	16.6(39)	16.3(29)	1,767	14.1 (41)
City Of Be	87	* *	* *	392	4.1(14)	4.3 (9)	21.2(66)	124	23.4(65)	14.5(13)	219	25.1 (65)
Colusa	818	5.5 (6)	8.9 (31)	3,628	3.7 (8)	9.0(56)	14.8(39)	1,347	14.7 (7)	19.7(60)	2,144	16.9 (53)
Contra Cos	7,179	6.8 (26)	10.8 (53)	38,807	4.9(36)	7.2(44)	14.3(35)	13,260	16.9(43)	17.6(39)	13,454	12.9 (26)
Del Norte	560	4.8 (3)	14.1 (62)	2,671	4.5(29)	4.5(12)	16.4(51)	1,099	19.4(63)	18.9(55)	1,738	8.7 (3)
El Dorado	1,484	7.5 (43)	7.3 (10)	6,110	4.4(22)	11.2(65)	9.6 (5)	2,117	14.9 (9)	13.1 (8)	3,145	10.1 (8)
Fresno	24,001	7.2 (35)	8.0 (18)	132,133	5.5(51)	4.1 (4)	16.4(51)	55,473	16.1(25)	16.9(33)	90,015	12.5 (20)

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Glenn	685	6.7 (24)	12.6 (59)	3,161	4.1(14)	5.7(25)	14.0(30)	1,237	17.0(46)	16.7(31)	2,200	12.7 (22)
Humboldt	1,883	7.4 (39)	12.6 (59)	10,224	5.0(41)	5.5(22)	13.1(21)	3,761	17.0(46)	15.2(19)	5,791	12.8 (25)
Imperial	4,544	7.0 (27)	8.3 (22)	18,968	3.3 (3)	7.0(40)	14.9(41)	7,836	15.9(22)	17.9(42)	12,783	6.7 (1)
Inyo	252	8.7 (53)	8.3 (22)	1,313	5.4(49)	4.9(15)	16.1(48)	476	15.1(10)	19.5(58)	691	12.7 (22)
Kern	20,168	7.1 (31)	9.0 (33)	95,831	4.6(31)	5.6(24)	16.4(51)	38,982	16.1(25)	17.6(39)	57,534	10.1 (8)
Kings	1,583	5.4 (4)	10.0 (47)	10,327	4.4(22)	4.8(14)	19.9(65)	4,089	16.1(25)	20.9(62)	6,782	24.5 (64)
L.A. East	49,107	7.0 (27)	7.7 (13)	132,411	6.0(58)	4.3 (9)	17.8(58)	40,191	16.1(25)	17.9(42)	63,695	15.4 (44)
L.A. North	20,576	6.5 (17)	7.3 (10)	83,500	6.7(65)	4.6(13)	18.6(64)	27,944	17.1(52)	23.0(64)	40,183	12.5 (20)
L.A. Other	41,741	7.8 (48)	7.7 (13)	471,346	4.0(11)	4.2 (7)	18.3(61)	234,505	16.4(34)	18.4(49)	303,106	13.3 (29)
L.A. South	49,056	7.4 (39)	7.7 (13)	136,683	6.1(59)	4.1 (4)	18.5(63)	41,296	16.6(39)	17.9(42)	67,681	13.3 (29)
L.A. West	10,243	6.6 (21)	6.8 (6)	32,679	5.9(56)	4.3 (9)	17.6(57)	10,273	17.3(56)	17.9(42)	15,297	15.7 (48)

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Lake	670	8.4 (52)	9.3 (39)	2,966	3.2 (2)	7.5(48)	11.2(10)	1,131	16.7(42)	13.7(11)	1,892	13.4 (33)
Lassen	417	7.4 (39)	9.1 (35)	1,826	4.4(22)	10.4(63)	10.9 (7)	716	12.2 (3)	11.6 (4)	1,005	11.8 (15)
Long Beach	6,593	7.9 (49)	8.5 (26)	33,316	4.9(36)	4.9(15)	18.0(59)	13,680	17.0(46)	19.8(61)	15,775	13.7 (35)
Madera	4,232	7.1 (31)	8.0 (18)	16,192	4.4(22)	4.2 (7)	15.6(44)	6,643	17.2(54)	16.3(29)	12,772	16.6 (51)
Marin	316	5.4 (4)	6.6 (4)	6,930	4.0(11)	8.6(54)	10.9 (7)	2,307	15.8(18)	18.2(47)	3,896	8.0 (2)
Mariposa	85	* *	* *	480	4.0(11)	10.0(60)	9.4 (4)	197	14.2 (5)	11.2 (3)	297	13.5 (34)
Mendocino	2,016	7.5 (43)	9.6 (45)	7,354	3.4 (4)	9.1(58)	12.3(17)	2,543	18.8(61)	19.0(57)	3,015	17.4 (56)
Merced	8,088	7.9 (49)	8.8 (28)	32,301	5.7(54)	4.1 (4)	16.6(54)	12,594	17.9(58)	18.6(50)	23,476	15.6 (47)
Modoc	110	5.5 (6)	10.0 (47)	512	3.1 (1)	8.4(52)	9.6 (5)	220	11.4 (2)	9.1 (1)	310	8.7 (3)
Mono	357	9.0 (56)	3.9 (1)	1,080	4.4(22)	12.4(66)	8.8 (2)	301	10.0 (1)	10.6 (2)	595	12.9 (26)
Monterey	3,203	6.2 (14)	10.2 (50)	20,225	5.4(49)	3.8 (1)	15.4(43)	6,086	18.6(60)	18.3(48)	10,741	12.7 (22)

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Napa	1,234	6.6 (21)	9.1 (35)	7,713	3.6 (7)	9.0(56)	11.2(10)	2,626	16.0(24)	14.9(17)	3,506	21.0 (63)
Nevada	949	7.2 (35)	6.8 (6)	3,440	4.9(36)	10.2(61)	8.4 (1)	1,018	15.5(14)	12.9 (6)	1,601	12.0 (16)
Orange	32,120	6.2 (14)	8.1 (20)	127,385	5.1(43)	5.5(22)	16.7(56)	50,322	15.8(18)	18.6(50)	103,950	13.8 (38)
Pasadena	1,816	10.0 (57)	4.3 (2)	7,952	4.4(22)	7.1(43)	13.6(25)	3,209	14.3 (6)	14.5(13)	5,192	10.9 (13)
Placer	1,946	6.5 (17)	8.8 (28)	8,262	5.7(54)	8.5(53)	12.0(16)	2,683	14.8 (8)	15.2(19)	4,603	13.8 (38)
Plumas	256	11.7 (61)	4.7 (3)	1,078	5.1(43)	10.6(64)	13.5(23)	399	13.5 (4)	17.0(34)	526	9.3 (6)
Riverside	29,768	6.7 (24)	7.9 (17)	112,891	5.6(53)	4.9(15)	15.9(47)	38,548	15.3(13)	15.8(25)	57,038	15.9 (50)
Sacramento	10,883	7.0 (27)	9.5 (42)	106,288	5.1(43)	6.8(37)	13.8(28)	41,986	15.8(18)	15.5(21)	55,906	15.8 (49)
San Benito	490	3.5 (1)	13.5 (61)	3,899	3.5 (6)	4.9(15)	18.2(60)	1,437	18.9(62)	24.0(65)	2,923	18.9 (61)
San Bernar	26,804	7.4 (39)	7.6 (12)	135,312	6.5(64)	5.2(20)	16.2(49)	49,102	15.9(22)	16.2(27)	71,456	16.8 (52)
San Diego	35,606	6.4 (16)	9.4 (40)	156,283	4.6(31)	6.3(29)	13.6(25)	57,456	15.8(18)	15.7(24)	96,340	11.3 (14)

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San Franci	1,845	7.6 (47)	7.2 (8)	22,895	4.2(19)	7.0(40)	12.5(19)	8,519	17.1(52)	17.0(34)	4,308	12.1 (17)
San Joaqui	15,622	8.8 (55)	8.1 (20)	65,005	5.5(51)	6.3(29)	15.7(46)	25,292	16.1(25)	17.0(34)	28,117	12.3 (18)
San Luis O	2,924	7.5 (43)	10.3 (52)	12,674	4.1(14)	9.6(59)	11.2(10)	4,261	15.7(17)	14.5(13)	5,599	15.3 (43)
San Mateo	2,678	7.5 (43)	9.1 (35)	29,523	4.4(22)	7.0(40)	14.4(37)	10,128	18.5(59)	19.6(59)	13,630	9.1 (5)
Santa Barb	10,853	14.1 (62)	7.2 (8)	41,923	4.7(33)	6.0(26)	14.3(35)	15,561	17.2(54)	18.8(54)	28,117	13.3 (29)
Santa Clar	8,290	5.9 (10)	8.8 (28)	78,179	4.1(14)	6.3(29)	13.6(25)	29,110	15.5(14)	16.2(27)	37,449	12.9 (26)
Santa Cruz	2,041	5.9 (10)	9.8 (46)	11,220	4.8(35)	6.3(29)	14.0(30)	2,950	17.0(46)	18.7(53)	4,702	15.4 (44)
Shasta	2,731	8.7 (53)	10.0 (47)	10,916	6.4(61)	3.9 (2)	14.1(32)	4,267	17.0(46)	14.8(16)	6,909	10.7 (11)
Sierra	58	* *	* *	187	6.4(61)	10.2(61)	9.1 (3)	57	* *	* *	97	* *
Siskiyou	792	5.6 (8)	6.7 (5)	3,416	5.1(43)	8.8(55)	11.8(14)	1,339	17.3(56)	15.5(21)	2,310	17.9 (57)
Solano	4,549	8.0 (51)	9.0 (33)	20,329	4.9(36)	8.1(50)	13.2(22)	7,314	16.6(39)	17.5(38)	8,819	9.6 (7)

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Sonoma	3,660	6.5 (17)	9.5 (42)	21,585	3.4 (4)	7.6(49)	12.3(17)	7,492	16.4(34)	16.0(26)	8,817	18.4 (59)
Stanislaus	10,587	10.0 (57)	8.4 (25)	46,837	4.1(14)	7.2(44)	14.8(39)	18,430	15.6(16)	17.2(37)	36,557	17.2 (55)
Sutter	1,655	6.6 (21)	11.5 (55)	7,369	3.8(10)	8.3(51)	11.2(10)	2,639	15.1(10)	12.1 (5)	4,127	15.4 (44)
Tehama	1,286	6.5 (17)	11.6 (56)	6,314	4.5(29)	6.8(37)	12.9(20)	2,431	16.2(32)	15.0(18)	3,762	17.9 (57)
Trinity	135	10.4 (60)	8.9 (31)	629	6.7(65)	7.2(44)	14.5(38)	244	21.3(64)	13.5 (9)	368	19.0 (62)
Tulare	11,658	7.0 (27)	8.6 (27)	67,898	5.9(56)	4.0 (3)	18.4(62)	27,392	16.9(43)	18.6(50)	46,169	18.7 (60)
Tuolumne	391	5.9 (10)	11.8 (57)	2,025	5.3(48)	6.8(37)	10.9 (7)	765	16.9(43)	13.5 (9)	1,213	13.7 (35)
Ventura	13,627	5.9 (10)	9.1 (35)	53,638	4.3(20)	4.9(15)	15.6(44)	19,964	16.3(33)	18.1(46)	37,109	10.8 (12)
Yolo	2,030	4.6 (2)	12.5 (58)	12,960	3.7 (8)	7.4(47)	13.8(28)	4,907	16.4(34)	17.6(39)	7,171	13.7 (35)
Yuba	1,258	7.1 (31)	9.5 (42)	6,226	4.9(36)	6.3(29)	13.5(23)	2,282	17.0(46)	15.6(23)	3,322	16.9 (53)
Unknown Counties	2,000	5.6 (8)	9.4 (40)	8,413	4.3(20)	6.0(26)	15.2(42)	3,222	16.4(34)	18.9(55)	4,158	13.3 (29)

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**California**  
**Comparison of Growth and Anemia Indicators by County**  
**Children Aged < 5 Years** <sup>(2)</sup>

<b>Comparison of Growth and Anemia Indicators by County</b> <sup>(3,4)</sup>												
<b>County</b>	Birthweight <sup>(5)</sup>			Height and Weight						Anemia Low Hb/Hct <sup>(8)</sup>		
	Low	High		Short Stature <sup>(6)</sup>	Under- weight <sup>(7)</sup>	Over- weight <sup>(7)</sup>	≥ 2 Yrs Over- weight <sup>(7)</sup>					
	Number	% <2500 g (Rank)	% >4000 g (Rank)	Number	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% >95th (Rank)	Number	% 85th- (Rank)	% <95th (Rank)	% >95th (Rank)	Number
<b>California</b>	<b>521,292</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>2,601,812</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>1,013,847</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>1,497,306</b>	<b>13.7</b>

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Comparison of Growth and Anemia Indicators by County (3,4)							
County	Height and Weight					Anemia Low Hb/Hct (7)	
	Short Stature (5)	Under- weight (6)	Over- weight (6)				
	Number	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% 85th- <95th (Rank)	% ≥95th (Rank)	Number	% (Rank)
Alameda	17,083	7.1 (38)	3.0 (52)	17.2 (11)	21.8 (26)	8,151	15.7 (52)
Alpine	85	* *	* *	* *	* *	73	* *
Amador	324	6.5 (24)	2.8 (46)	17.6 (16)	24.4 (49)	227	13.7 (38)
Butte	2,642	7.9 (47)	2.4 (31)	17.8 (22)	19.4 (14)	2,444	12.1 (22)
Calaveras	601	6.3 (19)	3.0 (52)	18.6 (32)	21.0 (19)	530	13.2 (33)
City Of Be	38	* *	* *	* *	* *	33	* *
Colusa	498	7.2 (41)	1.4 (8)	18.7 (37)	26.7 (60)	461	13.0 (31)
Contra Cos	4,958	7.1 (38)	2.3 (25)	19.1 (44)	24.6 (51)	2,643	15.4 (50)
Del Norte	322	5.0 (4)	1.2 (2)	19.6 (48)	23.0 (36)	265	8.7 (10)
El Dorado	942	7.0 (36)	3.4 (57)	17.5 (15)	17.6 (7)	759	8.3 (5)
Fresno	32,839	8.2 (49)	2.5 (36)	17.8 (22)	24.1 (48)	28,433	12.8 (28)
Glenn	332	6.9 (33)	2.4 (31)	16.0 (5)	20.2 (16)	334	13.8 (39)

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	Short Stature (5)	Under- weight (6)	Over- weight (6)				
	Number	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% 85th- <95th (Rank)	% ≥95th (Rank)	Number	% (Rank)
Humboldt	1,044	5.8 (13)	1.9 (14)	17.9 (24)	20.9 (18)	770	10.3 (14)
Imperial	2,529	6.3 (19)	2.6 (39)	19.2 (45)	25.2 (58)	2,448	7.7 (3)
Inyo	203	5.4 (7)	0.5 (1)	23.6 (62)	27.1 (61)	147	12.2 (23)
Kern	16,469	5.9 (15)	2.8 (46)	18.1 (25)	24.0 (46)	14,284	11.6 (20)
Kings	1,763	6.1 (17)	1.7 (10)	19.7 (50)	24.0 (46)	1,731	20.9 (62)
L.A. East	23,439	6.8 (30)	2.5 (36)	18.6 (32)	20.7 (17)	24,456	12.7 (27)
L.A. North	17,155	9.5 (54)	2.5 (36)	19.0 (41)	19.3 (13)	16,981	8.5 (7)
L.A. Other	100,110	4.7 (2)	2.3 (25)	18.7 (37)	26.0 (59)	79,247	11.8 (21)
L.A. South	36,096	6.7 (28)	2.1 (22)	19.5 (47)	16.1 (2)	36,810	8.4 (6)
L.A. West	5,080	6.0 (16)	2.3 (25)	18.3 (28)	21.3 (21)	4,418	14.1 (41)
Lake	430	6.3 (19)	1.2 (2)	17.2 (11)	20.0 (15)	386	10.9 (16)
Lassen	373	11.5 (60)	1.9 (14)	16.6 (7)	23.3 (38)	334	15.0 (46)

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Comparison of Growth and Anemia Indicators by County (3,4)							
County	Height and Weight					Anemia Low Hb/Hct (7)	
	Short Stature (5)	Under- weight (6)	Over- weight (6)				
	Number	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% 85th- <95th (Rank)	% ≥95th (Rank)	Number	% (Rank)
Long Beach	4,988	5.1 (5)	2.4 (31)	18.1 (25)	24.9 (55)	3,562	14.9 (45)
Madera	2,820	5.7 (10)	2.4 (31)	18.6 (32)	22.3 (28)	2,954	15.9 (53)
Marin	725	7.4 (42)	2.8 (46)	18.9 (40)	23.4 (40)	391	5.6 (1)
Mariposa	96	* *	* *	* *	* *	91	* *
Mendocino	824	8.1 (48)	1.7 (10)	20.5 (57)	24.8 (54)	577	13.3 (34)
Merced	4,624	10.7 (59)	1.9 (14)	19.2 (45)	22.3 (28)	4,595	15.5 (51)
Modoc	108	3.7 (1)	1.9 (14)	22.2 (60)	17.6 (7)	102	9.8 (12)
Mono	121	9.9 (56)	1.7 (10)	22.3 (61)	11.6 (1)	113	8.0 (4)
Monterey	2,573	8.5 (52)	1.4 (8)	20.9 (58)	22.9 (35)	2,578	10.2 (13)
Napa	1,130	6.8 (30)	1.3 (6)	18.6 (32)	24.5 (50)	729	15.2 (47)
Nevada	290	6.6 (27)	3.1 (54)	15.9 (4)	16.9 (5)	172	16.3 (56)
Orange	22,878	11.9 (61)	3.9 (60)	18.8 (39)	23.6 (42)	35,776	12.5 (24)

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	Short Stature (5)	Under- weight (6)	Over- weight (6)				
	Number	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% 85th- <95th (Rank)	% ≥95th (Rank)	Number	% (Rank)
Pasadena	1,387	5.7 (10)	3.4 (57)	16.1 (6)	22.8 (34)	1,330	8.5 (7)
Placer	1,040	9.9 (56)	4.1 (62)	18.5 (30)	22.4 (31)	839	12.6 (26)
Plumas	198	5.1 (5)	4.0 (61)	17.7 (17)	16.7 (4)	161	6.2 (2)
Riverside	17,546	5.8 (13)	2.6 (39)	17.7 (17)	21.3 (21)	15,652	13.4 (36)
Sacramento	24,181	9.2 (53)	2.7 (43)	17.3 (13)	21.1 (20)	17,499	18.7 (59)
San Benito	472	8.3 (50)	1.3 (6)	20.1 (53)	27.3 (62)	490	20.0 (61)
San Bernar	25,872	6.3 (19)	2.8 (46)	17.4 (14)	22.3 (28)	23,197	14.0 (40)
San Diego	23,893	6.8 (30)	2.3 (25)	18.5 (30)	22.6 (33)	22,970	10.9 (16)
San Franci	7,287	7.0 (36)	3.7 (59)	15.7 (3)	17.7 (9)	2,310	12.5 (24)
San Joaqui	13,606	7.6 (44)	3.2 (56)	16.7 (8)	21.5 (25)	6,895	15.3 (48)
San Luis O	1,546	6.5 (24)	1.9 (14)	19.0 (41)	23.4 (40)	887	13.0 (31)
San Mateo	3,652	7.6 (44)	2.0 (20)	20.1 (53)	25.1 (56)	2,087	9.1 (11)

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County	Height and Weight					Anemia Low Hb/Hct (7)	
	Short Stature (5)	Under- weight (6)	Over- weight (6)				
	Number <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% 85th- <95th (Rank)	% ≥95th (Rank)	Number	% (Rank)
Santa Barb	4,768	7.5 (43)	1.8 (13)	20.3 (56)	25.1 (56)	4,449	14.6 (43)
Santa Clar	14,394	6.7 (28)	2.9 (51)	16.7 (8)	22.5 (32)	7,683	10.6 (15)
Santa Cruz	1,003	9.5 (54)	1.2 (2)	19.8 (51)	23.8 (45)	867	11.0 (18)
Shasta	1,754	6.9 (33)	2.0 (20)	17.7 (17)	18.9 (12)	1,305	12.9 (30)
Sierra	32	* *	* *	* *	* *	27	* *
Siskiyou	502	5.4 (7)	2.2 (24)	20.9 (58)	18.5 (11)	460	14.8 (44)
Solano	2,905	6.5 (24)	2.1 (22)	19.0 (41)	21.8 (26)	1,595	16.2 (54)
Sonoma	2,661	6.4 (23)	2.3 (25)	19.6 (48)	21.3 (21)	1,370	12.8 (28)
Stanislaus	7,749	6.9 (33)	1.9 (14)	18.3 (28)	23.7 (43)	8,006	16.5 (57)
Sutter	713	4.9 (3)	3.1 (54)	16.8 (10)	21.3 (21)	634	16.9 (58)
Tehama	756	6.2 (18)	2.6 (39)	15.2 (2)	23.3 (38)	662	19.9 (60)
Trinity	149	12.1 (62)	2.7 (43)	20.1 (53)	16.1 (2)	128	13.3 (34)

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County	Height and Weight					Anemia Low Hb/Hct (7)	
	Short Stature (5)	Under- weight (6)	Over- weight (6)				
	Number	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% 85th- <95th (Rank)	% ≥95th (Rank)	Number	% (Rank)
Tulare	12,044	7.1 (38)	2.6 (39)	18.1 (25)	23.7 (43)	11,822	15.3 (48)
Tuolumne	251	7.6 (44)	1.2 (2)	13.9 (1)	18.3 (10)	221	11.3 (19)
Ventura	6,437	5.5 (9)	2.3 (25)	17.7 (17)	24.6 (51)	6,346	8.6 (9)
Yolo	2,055	5.7 (10)	2.7 (43)	18.6 (32)	23.0 (36)	1,256	16.2 (54)
Yuba	629	9.9 (56)	2.4 (31)	20.0 (52)	17.5 (6)	495	14.1 (41)
Unknown Counties	4,666	8.3 (50)	2.8 (46)	17.7 (17)	24.6 (51)	3,342	13.4 (36)
<b>California</b>	<b>490,680</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>422,990</b>	<b>12.5</b>

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	Short Stature (5)	Under- weight (6)	Over- weight (6)				
	Number (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% 85th- <95th (Rank)	% ≥95th (Rank)	Number	% (Rank)
Alameda	46,532	7.0 (37)	3.1 (59)	17.4 (14)	21.6 (28)	23,769	15.5 (54)
Alpine	244	9.8 (62)	2.0 (17)	19.3 (46)	18.4 (10)	235	15.3 (52)
Amador	1,022	6.7 (29)	2.9 (52)	15.9 (2)	22.8 (42)	751	13.6 (37)
Butte	8,170	7.8 (48)	2.6 (44)	17.0 (7)	18.8 (14)	7,715	11.9 (18)
Calaveras	1,709	6.5 (24)	2.0 (17)	17.2 (11)	22.0 (33)	1,603	13.5 (36)
City Of Be	240	6.7 (29)	0.8 (1)	23.3 (64)	21.3 (26)	227	24.2 (65)
Colusa	1,485	8.4 (58)	1.9 (15)	18.3 (28)	26.3 (65)	1,393	13.9 (39)
Contra Cos	17,204	6.4 (22)	2.0 (17)	18.8 (41)	23.5 (49)	9,696	14.4 (45)
Del Norte	1,091	5.4 (6)	1.5 (8)	19.6 (49)	23.2 (45)	939	9.4 (7)
El Dorado	2,542	7.2 (39)	2.9 (52)	18.3 (28)	16.3 (3)	2,083	7.9 (2)
Fresno	96,211	8.1 (55)	2.5 (38)	17.4 (14)	23.2 (45)	82,526	12.0 (20)
Glenn	1,032	7.8 (48)	2.1 (22)	19.8 (51)	20.7 (21)	1,012	13.6 (37)

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	Short Stature (5)	Under- weight (6)	Over- weight (6)				
	Number (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% <5th (Rank)	% 85th- <95th (Rank)	% ≥95th (Rank)	Number	% (Rank)
Humboldt	3,367	5.9 (11)	1.8 (13)	17.8 (20)	22.5 (38)	2,566	13.0 (30)
Imperial	7,503	5.5 (7)	2.6 (44)	18.9 (43)	24.7 (59)	7,485	7.4 (1)
Inyo	631	6.0 (16)	0.8 (1)	23.1 (63)	24.7 (59)	465	12.5 (24)
Kern	46,059	5.9 (11)	2.9 (52)	17.9 (22)	23.4 (48)	40,170	11.6 (15)
Kings	4,976	5.6 (8)	2.3 (28)	19.1 (45)	22.7 (41)	4,858	20.4 (64)
L.A. East	83,382	6.6 (25)	2.7 (47)	18.4 (34)	20.6 (20)	83,924	13.3 (34)
L.A. North	74,236	7.8 (48)	2.4 (32)	20.1 (54)	20.3 (18)	75,425	8.7 (4)
L.A. Other	281,582	4.6 (1)	2.4 (32)	18.7 (40)	25.4 (63)	219,556	12.5 (24)
L.A. South	112,838	6.7 (29)	2.5 (38)	19.6 (49)	17.8 (6)	126,461	9.2 (6)
L.A. West	21,708	5.9 (11)	2.4 (32)	18.4 (34)	21.6 (28)	20,010	16.1 (57)
Lake	1,379	6.2 (19)	1.9 (15)	18.1 (24)	19.7 (17)	1,148	12.5 (24)
Lassen	1,059	13.7 (65)	2.8 (50)	15.2 (1)	23.5 (49)	881	13.4 (35)

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Long Beach	17,816	4.8 (2)	2.5 (38)	18.5 (38)	24.0 (55)	13,324	14.3 (44)
Madera	8,796	6.7 (29)	2.1 (22)	18.3 (28)	21.9 (31)	9,442	16.0 (56)
Marin	2,396	8.3 (57)	2.5 (38)	19.5 (48)	23.2 (45)	1,499	8.3 (3)
Mariposa	334	6.6 (25)	3.9 (63)	19.8 (51)	16.2 (2)	314	10.2 (12)
Mendocino	2,872	7.5 (44)	1.6 (9)	20.1 (54)	22.2 (36)	1,998	12.8 (27)
Merced	13,437	9.8 (62)	2.2 (26)	18.3 (28)	22.5 (38)	13,653	15.6 (55)
Modoc	298	5.0 (3)	1.3 (6)	23.8 (65)	17.8 (6)	276	9.4 (7)
Mono	304	6.6 (25)	2.3 (28)	20.7 (59)	15.5 (1)	293	14.7 (47)
Monterey	8,532	7.7 (47)	1.3 (6)	19.9 (53)	23.5 (49)	8,665	11.1 (13)
Napa	3,524	6.3 (21)	2.0 (17)	19.3 (46)	24.0 (55)	2,246	16.3 (59)
Nevada	1,024	6.7 (29)	2.9 (52)	16.1 (3)	17.6 (5)	649	11.2 (14)
Orange	91,536	9.0 (59)	3.4 (61)	18.4 (34)	22.5 (38)	105,057	12.8 (27)

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Pasadena	4,070	5.3 (4)	3.0 (57)	17.7 (19)	22.2 (36)	3,765	9.0 (5)
Placer	3,000	9.3 (60)	4.4 (64)	17.6 (17)	20.8 (22)	2,552	11.8 (17)
Plumas	549	6.9 (36)	2.9 (52)	17.3 (12)	18.6 (12)	443	9.7 (10)
Riverside	56,499	5.9 (11)	2.6 (44)	17.8 (20)	20.9 (23)	51,904	13.2 (32)
Sacramento	69,077	8.0 (53)	2.7 (47)	17.1 (9)	20.3 (18)	50,080	18.0 (63)
San Benito	1,555	7.8 (48)	1.2 (4)	20.7 (59)	25.5 (64)	1,591	16.8 (61)
San Bernar	79,991	6.1 (17)	2.8 (50)	17.4 (14)	21.3 (26)	73,363	14.8 (48)
San Diego	75,109	6.6 (25)	2.5 (38)	18.2 (26)	21.8 (30)	69,478	11.7 (16)
San Franci	18,691	7.5 (44)	3.5 (62)	16.2 (6)	18.2 (9)	6,523	11.9 (18)
San Joaqui	34,294	7.3 (42)	3.2 (60)	17.0 (7)	21.2 (24)	17,304	14.5 (46)
San Luis O	4,280	7.2 (39)	2.1 (22)	18.6 (39)	22.0 (33)	2,690	13.1 (31)
San Mateo	11,196	8.0 (53)	1.7 (10)	20.5 (58)	25.0 (62)	6,775	9.8 (11)

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Santa Barb	14,070	7.2 (39)	1.7 (10)	20.2 (56)	24.8 (61)	13,266	13.2 (32)
Santa Clar	38,442	7.0 (37)	3.0 (57)	17.3 (12)	22.1 (35)	20,132	12.0 (20)
Santa Cruz	5,215	7.5 (44)	1.2 (4)	20.8 (61)	23.7 (54)	4,520	12.3 (23)
Shasta	4,367	6.2 (19)	2.0 (17)	18.4 (34)	17.9 (8)	3,184	12.8 (27)
Sierra	88	* *	* *	* *	* *	67	* *
Siskiyou	1,703	5.9 (11)	1.8 (13)	20.3 (57)	18.5 (11)	1,520	15.3 (52)
Solano	8,199	6.4 (22)	2.3 (28)	18.8 (41)	23.1 (44)	5,022	15.1 (50)
Sonoma	7,957	6.8 (35)	2.1 (22)	19.0 (44)	21.9 (31)	4,341	14.2 (42)
Stanislaus	21,499	6.7 (29)	2.2 (26)	18.2 (26)	23.5 (49)	22,323	16.4 (60)
Sutter	2,227	5.7 (9)	4.4 (64)	16.1 (3)	19.6 (16)	1,901	16.1 (57)
Tehama	2,269	6.1 (17)	2.3 (28)	17.1 (9)	21.2 (24)	2,100	17.7 (62)
Trinity	388	10.6 (64)	1.0 (3)	22.7 (62)	17.3 (4)	309	13.9 (39)

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Tulare	32,577	7.3 (42)	2.4 (32)	18.3 (28)	23.5 (49)	31,719	15.1 (50)
Tuolumne	984	7.9 (52)	1.7 (10)	16.1 (3)	18.9 (15)	865	12.1 (22)
Ventura	18,514	5.3 (4)	2.4 (32)	18.3 (28)	24.2 (57)	18,334	9.6 (9)
Yolo	6,281	5.7 (9)	2.4 (32)	18.0 (23)	23.0 (43)	4,332	14.9 (49)
Yuba	2,210	9.5 (61)	2.5 (38)	18.1 (24)	18.7 (13)	1,909	14.2 (42)
Unknown Counties	4,952	8.1 (55)	2.7 (47)	17.6 (17)	24.6 (58)	3,626	14.0 (41)
<b>California</b>	<b>1,497,324</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>22.2</b>	<b>1,298,252</b>	<b>12.6</b>

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