

Table 2C
2006 Pediatric Nutrition Surveillance ⁽¹⁾
California
Summary of Health Indicators
Children Aged < 5 Years ⁽²⁾

Summary of Health Indicators ⁽³⁾						
			California Prevalence		National Prevalence (Prior Year)	
			Number	%	Number	%
Birthweight (4)						
Low	< 2500 g		229,856	6.4	1,641,264	9.4
High	> 4000 g		229,856	7.7	1,641,264	6.6
Height and Weight						
Short Stature (5)						
	< 5th		1,056,397	5.1	6,709,486	6.4
	< 10th		1,056,397	8.9	6,709,486	11.4
Underweight (6)						
	< 5th		1,056,397	5.5	6,709,486	4.8
	< 10th		1,056,397	9.1	6,709,486	8.1
Overweight (6)						
	≥ 95th		1,056,397	15.4	6,709,486	13.9
≥ 2 Yrs Overweight (6)						
	85th - < 95th		339,961	16.2	2,869,075	16.1
	≥ 95th		339,961	17.0	2,869,075	14.7
Anemia (7)						
Low Hb			489,957	14.5	3,841,438	14.1
Low Hct			68,967	9.3	773,087	9.8
Low Hb/Hct			527,868	14.0	4,381,087	13.6
Breastfeeding (8)						
Ever Breastfed			0	*	1,515,954	58.5
Breastfed At Least 6 Months			0	*	751,259	24.3
Breastfed At Least 12 Months			0	*	869,342	17.7
Smoking in Household						
≤ 2 Hours TV Viewing/ Day (9)			1,235,658	4.6	1,120,034	16.9
			0	*	343,170	64.7

(1) Reporting period is January 1 through December 31.

(2) Analyses based on one record per child.

(3) Excludes records with unknown data or errors.

(4) Infants born during the reporting period included in the analysis.

(5) Based on 2000 CDC growth chart percentiles for length-for-age for children under 2 years of age and height-for-age for children 2 years of age and older.

(6) Based on 2000 CDC growth chart percentiles for weight-for-length for children under 2 years of age and BMI-for-age for children 2 years of age and older. 85th - < 95th percentile category identifies children at risk of overweight.

(7) Based on 1998 CDC MMWR, "Recommendations to Prevent and Control Iron Deficiency in the United States", altitude adjusted, children 6 months of age and older included in the analysis.

(8) Infants born during the reporting period included in the Ever Breastfed analysis. Infants who turned 6 months of age during the reporting period by/on their date of visit included in the Breastfed At Least 6 Months analysis. Children who turned 12 months of age during the reporting period by/on their date of visit included in the Breastfed At Least 12 Months analysis.

(9) Children aged 2 years and older included in the analysis.

* Percentages are not calculated if < 100 records are available for analysis after exclusions.

Table 2C
2006 Pediatric Nutrition Surveillance ⁽¹⁾
California
Summary of Health Indicators
Children Aged 5 to <20 Years ⁽²⁾

Summary of Health Indicators ⁽³⁾				
	California Prevalence		National Prevalence (Prior Year)	
	Number	%	Number	%
Height and Weight				
Short Stature ⁽⁴⁾	< 5th	486,312 6.5	0	*
Underweight ⁽⁵⁾	< 5th	486,312 2.5	0	*
Overweight ⁽⁵⁾	85th - < 95th	486,312 18.4	0	*
	≥ 95th	486,312 23.1	0	*
Anemia ⁽⁶⁾				
Low Hb		397,349 13.1	0	*
Low Hct		52,610 12.1	0	*
Low Hb/Hct		424,886 12.9	0	*
Smoking in Household				
		575,773 5.9	0	*
≤2 Hours TV Viewing/Day ⁽⁷⁾				
		0 *	0	*

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