

# ANNUAL CALIFORNIA NEWBORN HEARING SCREENING PROGRAM DATA FOR 2024

California Newborn Hearing Screening Data	Totals for 2024	Percentage of Totals for 2024
1. Number of live births	396764	--
2. Number of infants screened (of total live births)	394815	99.51%
3. Number referred for diagnostic evaluation (of those screened)	2002	0.51%
4. Number completing diagnostic evaluation (of those not passing screening)	1818	90.81%
5. Number identified Deaf or Hard of Hearing (of those screened)	880	0.22%
6. Number diagnosed by 3 months of age (of those not passing the screening)	547	27.32%
7. Number enrolled in early intervention (of those identified)	594	67.50%
8. Number enrolled in early intervention by 6 months of age (of those identified)	458	52.05%
9. Number of infants lost to follow-up between screening and diagnostic evaluation (of those needing diagnostic evaluation)	97	11.02%
10. Number (%) of infants lost to follow-up between audiological diagnosis and entry into early intervention (of those identified)	0	0.0%

1. Live births noted indicate what providers have reported for births during the year and not data from vital records.

2. All screens received for infants born during the year noted with percentages calculated from #1.

3. Those referred for diagnostic evaluation are determined by taking the last screening result refer. Percentage calculated from #2.

4. Completed Diagnostic evaluation includes all those with hearing loss identified plus the diagnostic pass and the transient hearing loss. Percentage calculated from #3.
5. All deaf and hard of hearing are counted. Percentage calculated from #2.
6. Infants diagnosed and recorded in system within 90 days. Percentage calculated from #3.
7. Calculated from date of IFSP. Percentage calculated from #5.
8. Calculated from date of IFSP. Percentage calculated from #5.
9. Based on coding of lost to follow-up in system. Percentage calculated from #3.
10. Based on quarterly reporting.