## California Newborn Hearing Screening Program
### Data for Infants Born in 2008

**Total California Births** | 552,618
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Secreened prior to hospital discharge | 511,830 (93% of all births)
Refer at time of hospital discharge | 10,524 (2%)
Missed screening in certified hospitals | 1,000 (0.2%)
Waived screening in certified hospitals | 496 (0.1%)
Received inpatient or outpatient screening | 515,062 (93% of all births)
---Received screening by 1 month of age | 503,428 (98% of those screened)
Need diagnostic evaluation | 2,848 (0.6% of those screened)
Identified with Hearing Loss | 832 (1.6 per 1000 screened)
---Identified by 3 months of age | 553 (66% of those with hearing loss)
Enrolled in Early Start | 718 (86% of those with hearing loss)
---Enrolled by 6 months of age | 494 (69% of those enrolled in Early Start)
Lost to Follow-up | 3.6%
---Of infants needing any outpatient follow-up |