



California Newborn Hearing Screening Program
Calendar Year 2010 Data



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Number of live births	510,981
Number (%) of infants screened	505,847 (99%)
% refer at time of hospital discharge	2.4%
Number (%) needing outpatient screen	13,392 (2.6%)
Number (%) referred for diagnostic evaluation after outpatient screen	2,765 (0.5%)
Number (%) who completed diagnostic evaluation	2,012 (73%)
Number (%) identified with hearing loss	925 (0.18%)
Number (%) identified with hearing loss by 3 months of age	620 (67%)
Number (%) known by NHSP to be enrolled in early intervention	809 (87%)
Number (%) known by NHSP to be enrolled in early intervention by 6 months of age	593 (73%)
Number (%) of infants needing a diagnostic evaluation after outpatient screen who have an identified PCP (Primary Care Physician)	2,121 (77%)
Number (%) of infants lost to follow-up between final screen and diagnostic evaluation (as reported to CDC)	572 (18%)
Number (%) of infants lost to follow-up between hospital discharge and outpatient (re)screening	392 (2.9%)
Number (%) of infants lost to follow-up between outpatient (re)screening and audiologic diagnosis	125 (4.5%)
Number (%) of infants lost to follow-up between audiologic diagnosis and entry into early intervention	3 (0.3%)

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