

APPENDIX E: PRE-K SPECIAL EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

STATE

NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGES OF 3- AND 4-YEAR-OLDS, BY STATE 2011-2012

	3-year-olds		4-year-olds		Total 3- and 4-year-olds	
	Number Enrolled	Percent of State Population	Number Enrolled	Percent of State Population	Number Enrolled	Percent of State Population
Alabama	1,432	2.3%	2,503	4.0%	3,935	3.2%
Alaska	483	4.4%	716	6.6%	1,199	5.5%
Arizona	3,600	3.9%	5,617	6.0%	9,217	5.0%
Arkansas	3,285	8.2%	5,293	13.0%	8,578	10.6%
California	18,106	3.5%	25,813	5.0%	43,919	4.2%
Colorado	3,028	4.3%	4,454	6.3%	7,482	5.3%
Connecticut	2,127	5.2%	2,802	6.7%	4,929	6.0%
Delaware	552	4.9%	839	7.4%	1,391	6.1%
Florida	7,848	3.6%	13,159	6.0%	21,007	4.8%
Georgia	3,426	2.4%	5,135	3.6%	8,561	3.0%
Hawaii	685	3.9%	894	5.1%	1,579	4.5%
Idaho	795	3.2%	1,239	5.0%	2,034	4.1%
Illinois	8,830	5.3%	12,786	7.5%	21,616	6.4%
Indiana	4,585	5.2%	6,147	6.9%	10,732	6.1%
Iowa	1,634	4.0%	2,564	6.2%	4,198	5.1%
Kansas	2,602	6.3%	3,760	9.1%	6,362	7.7%
Kentucky	3,747	6.5%	6,301	11.0%	10,048	8.8%
Louisiana	2,368	3.7%	3,735	5.8%	6,103	4.7%
Maine	900	6.4%	1,402	9.8%	2,302	8.1%
Maryland	3,274	4.4%	4,514	6.1%	7,788	5.2%
Massachusetts	4,080	5.5%	5,836	7.8%	9,916	6.7%
Michigan	5,190	4.4%	6,891	5.7%	12,081	5.0%
Minnesota	3,458	4.8%	5,307	7.3%	8,765	6.0%
Mississippi	1,867	4.3%	3,407	7.7%	5,274	6.0%
Missouri	3,280	4.2%	5,864	7.5%	9,144	5.8%
Montana	321	2.6%	554	4.3%	875	3.4%
Nebraska	1,244	4.7%	1,870	7.0%	3,114	5.8%
Nevada	1,698	4.4%	2,776	7.3%	4,474	5.9%
New Hampshire	848	6.1%	1,145	7.9%	1,993	7.0%
New Jersey	4,458	4.1%	6,225	5.6%	10,683	4.9%
New Mexico	1,680	5.6%	2,513	8.5%	4,193	7.0%
New York	19,950	8.6%	25,440	11.0%	45,390	9.8%
North Carolina	4,235	3.3%	6,369	4.9%	10,604	4.1%
North Dakota	413	4.6%	624	6.9%	1,037	5.8%
Ohio	5,797	4.0%	8,894	6.1%	14,691	5.0%
Oklahoma	1,457	2.7%	2,786	5.1%	4,243	3.9%
Oregon	2,710	5.6%	3,630	7.5%	6,340	6.5%
Pennsylvania	8,867	6.0%	12,498	8.4%	21,365	7.2%
Rhode Island	745	6.4%	1,048	9.1%	1,793	7.8%
South Carolina	2,160	3.5%	3,625	5.8%	5,785	4.7%
South Dakota	600	4.9%	915	7.5%	1,515	6.2%
Tennessee	2,444	2.9%	4,417	5.3%	6,861	4.1%
Texas	8,027	2.0%	14,315	3.6%	22,342	2.8%
Utah	2,346	4.4%	3,164	6.0%	5,510	5.2%
Vermont	510	7.9%	619	9.3%	1,129	8.6%
Virginia	3,748	3.6%	5,658	5.5%	9,406	4.5%
Washington	3,431	3.8%	4,950	5.5%	8,381	4.7%
West Virginia	1,011	4.7%	1,846	8.8%	2,857	6.7%
Wisconsin	3,546	4.9%	5,479	7.5%	9,025	6.2%
Wyoming	896	11.0%	1,311	16.0%	2,207	13.5%
50 states	174,324	4.3%	259,649	6.3%	433,973	5.3%
District of Columbia	338	4.9%	514	8.0%	852	6.4%

Source: U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs, Data Accountability Center (DAC). IDEA Data, Part B, Child Count 201. Data updated as of November 2012.