



# Thurston County EHDDI Profile

EHDDI Summit 2007

## General County Demographics

|                                                | County                                                                 | Washington State                                                     |
|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Total Population<sup>a</sup></b>            | 207,355                                                                | 5,894,121                                                            |
| <b>Annual Number of Births<sup>b</sup></b>     | Resident: 2,618<br>Occurrent: 2,798                                    | Resident: 82,625<br>Occurrent: 82,364                                |
| <b>Population by Race<sup>a</sup></b>          | White: 88%; Black: 2.5%; Indian: 1.6%;<br>API: 5.1%; Two or more: 3.1% | White: 86%; Black: 3.4%; Indian: 1.6%;<br>API: 6%; Two or more: 2.7% |
| <b>Percent Hispanic<sup>a</sup></b>            | 5%                                                                     | 7%                                                                   |
| <b>Percent Below Poverty Level<sup>a</sup></b> | 9%                                                                     | 11%                                                                  |
| <b>Percent Uninsured<sup>c</sup></b>           | 7.9%                                                                   | 8.4%                                                                 |

a. Data from Census 2000 - <http://www.ofm.wa.gov/census2000/>

b. Data from 2005 Washington State Vital Statistics Birth Data Tables - [http://www.doh.wa.gov/ehspl/chs/chs-data/birth/bir\\_VD.htm](http://www.doh.wa.gov/ehspl/chs/chs-data/birth/bir_VD.htm)

c. Source of Insurance by Region for the Total Population (adjustments made to account for Medicaid underreporting):  
Washington State Population Survey 2002 - <http://www.ofm.wa.gov/healthcare/>

## Hospital Newborn Hearing Screening Information

### Hospital and Screening Practices

| Hospital               | Well-Baby Protocol | Who Performs Hearing Screens? | Is There a Consulting Audiologist/ENT? |
|------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Capital Medical Center | OAE                | RN                            | Yes                                    |
| Saint Peter Hospital   | ABR                | Contracted Staff              | Yes                                    |

### Hospital Follow-up Procedures

| Hospital               | Procedure for Failed Initial Screen              | Procedure for Rescheduling Missed Rescreen | Who Handles Referrals to Audiology? |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Capital Medical Center | Schedule at the hospital for outpatient rescreen | Contact family                             | Primary care provider               |
| Saint Peter Hospital   | Schedule at the hospital for outpatient rescreen | Contact family                             | Pediatric program coordinator       |

### Screening Statistics - 2006

| Hospital               | Births | Percent Reported Initial Screen | % Refer on Initial Screen | % Refer on Rescreen |
|------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Capital Medical Center | 793    | 98%                             | 14%                       | 13%                 |
| Saint Peter Hospital   | 1962   | 97%                             | 5%                        | 9%                  |

## Diagnosis

### Number Infants in County Born in 2006 Who Were Diagnosed with a Hearing Loss<sup>d</sup>

| Type of Hearing Loss | Bilateral | Unilateral |
|----------------------|-----------|------------|
| Conductive           | 1         | 1          |
| Sensorineural        | 1         | 0          |
| Unspecified          | 0         | 2          |

d. Source: EHDDI program tracking and surveillance system

## Early Intervention

### Location of County SKI-HI Curriculum: ESD 113 (Mary Perkins)

#### September 2005 - August 2006 WSDS Training Activities

| Event Title                                                                    | Agencies/School Districts Participating | Number of Participants |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>Coaching/Site Visits</u><br>Training at Infant & Early Childhood Conference | Centralia School District               | 1                      |

#### September 2006 - August 2007 WSDS Training Activities

| Event Title                                                                                                                          | Agencies/School Districts Participating | Number of Participants |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------|
| EI/DHH Planning Meeting: Dec. 8-9, 2006<br>(Alderbrook, Union)                                                                       | North Thurston Public Schools           | 2                      |
|                                                                                                                                      | P-2-P Thurston County                   | 1                      |
| Online Training Course:<br>March 5-31, 2007<br>“Facilitating Outcomes: Language, Learning, Speech & Listening”                       | North Thurston Public Schools           | 3                      |
|                                                                                                                                      | Parent to Parent Support Program        | 1                      |
| Online Training Course:<br>May 7-June 2, 2007<br>“Facilitating Outcomes: Language, Learning, Speech & Listening”                     | North Thurston Public Schools           | 1                      |
|                                                                                                                                      | Parent to Parent                        | 1                      |
|                                                                                                                                      | Yelm Public Schools                     | 1                      |
| <u>Coaching/Site Visits</u><br>(January - August 2007)<br>3 Coaching/Site Visits and Training at Infant & Early Childhood Conference | ESD 113                                 | 1                      |
|                                                                                                                                      | North Thurston Public Schools           | 1                      |
|                                                                                                                                      | Parent to Parent                        | 1                      |
|                                                                                                                                      | ESD 113 Special Education Directors     | 4                      |
| Spring Family Weekend<br>May 11-13, 2007<br>(Ellensburg)                                                                             | Family                                  | 1 Family               |

## September 2007 - August 2008 WSDS Training Activities

| Event Title                                        | Agencies/School Districts Participating | Number of Participants |
|----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------|
| ODHH-WSDS B-3 Collaboration<br>(November 27, 2007) | Parent to Parent                        | 1                      |

## Early Intervention Facilities<sup>e</sup>

| Facility               | Address                               | Phone Number | # Children with HL, Age 0-3 yrs, Served in 2006 |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| North Thurston SD      | 305 College St. N.E.; Lacey, WA 98156 | 360-412-4482 | 0                                               |
| Pediatric Therapy Assc | 7211 Bayview Dr NE; Olympia, WA 98506 | 360-943-2827 | 0                                               |
| Tenino SD              | P O Box 4024; Tenino, WA 98589        | 360-264-3408 | 0                                               |

e. Information obtained from the EHDDI program Infant/Toddler Survey: 2007. Only early intervention facilities that responded to the survey are listed.

## County Resources

### Lead Family Resources Coordinator:

Kim Smith  
 Parent to Parent Support Program of  
 Thurston Co.  
 1012 Homann Drive SE  
 Lacey, WA 98503  
 Phone: 360-352-1126  
 Fax: 360-352-0761  
[ksmith@parenttoparentolympia.com](mailto:ksmith@parenttoparentolympia.com)

### CSHCN Coordinator:

Bonnie Peterson, RN  
 412 Lilly Road NE, MS 40947  
 Olympia, WA 98506  
 Phone: 360-754-3351  
 Fax: 360-754-2988  
[petersb@co.thurston.wa.us](mailto:petersb@co.thurston.wa.us)

### Local Audiology Clinic(s)

\*ENT Associates SW Inc.  
 128 Lilly Rd NE, Ste 202  
 Olympia, WA 98506  
 Phone: 360-357-6314  
 Fax: 360-705-3745

\*ENT Associates SW Inc.  
 404 Yauger Way #150  
 Olympia, WA 98502  
 Phone: 360-357-6314  
 Fax: 360-705-3745

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### Regional Service Center

HSDC-Tacoma  
 3516 S. 47<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 200  
 Tacoma, WA 98409  
 Voice: 253-475-0782  
 TTY: 253-474-1748  
 Fax: 253-475-1188  
 Toll-free: 866-698-1748 V/TTY  
 D-Link IP: tac-frontdesk.hsdco.org  
 VP200 #: 253-474-1748  
 VP200 IP: tac-frontdesk.hsdco.org  
 Email: [Tacoma@hsdc.org](mailto:Tacoma@hsdc.org)  
 Website: [www.hsdco.org](http://www.hsdco.org)

**Local Audiology Clinic(s) (continued)**

\*Hearing Healthcare Center  
3525 Ensign Rd NE, Ste M-1  
Olympia, WA 98506  
Phone: 360-491-9733  
Fax: 360-493-1943

\*Hearing Healthcare Center  
400 Yaeger Way SW  
Olympia, WA 98502  
Phone: 360-754-0305  
Fax: 360-493-1943

*\*This audiologist has not met the requirements of the Washington State Department of Health Protocol for Diagnostic Assessment of Infants, but is available for testing of infants.*