



# Washington State

## Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs Data Report





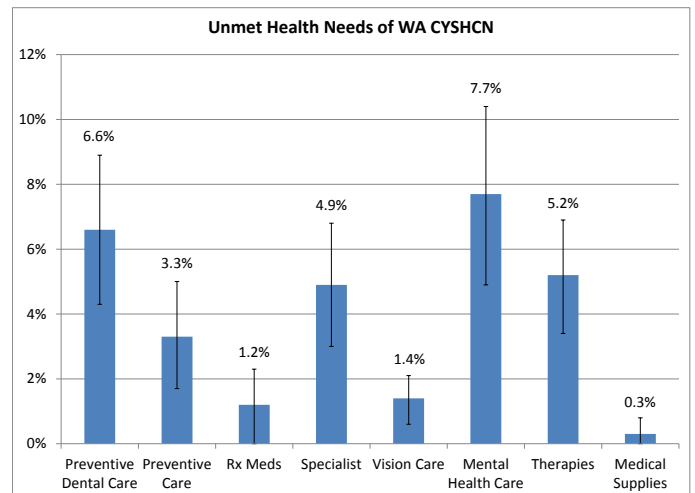
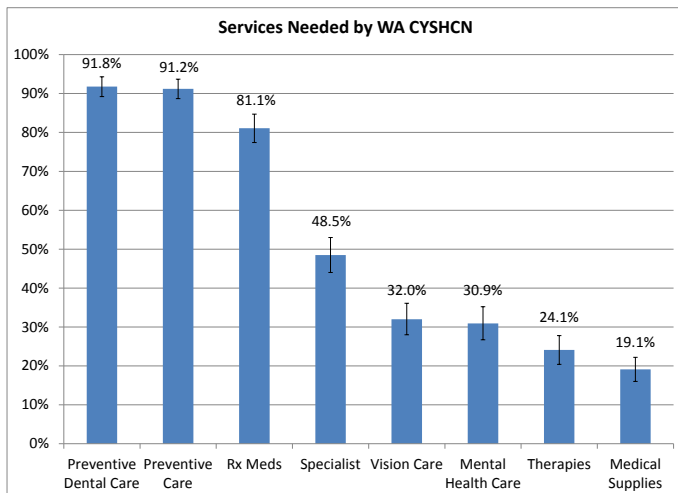
# Results from the National Survey of Children with Special Health Care Needs, 2009-10

## Prevalence

	WA State %	U.S. %
<b>CSHCN Prevalence</b>		
Percent of children who have special health care needs	15.0	15.1
<b>CSHCN Prevalence by Age</b>		
Age 0-5 years	8.1	9.3
Age 6-11 years	17.6	17.7
Age 12-17 years	19.5	18.4
<b>CSHCN Prevalence by Sex</b>		
Male	16.9	17.4
Female	13.2	12.7
<b>Prevalence by Poverty Level</b>		
0%-99% Federal Poverty Level (FPL)	15.9	16.0
100%-199% FPL	14.8	15.4
200%-399% FPL	14.4	14.5
400% FPL or greater	15.3	14.5
<b>Prevalence by Race/Ethnicity</b>		
Non-Hispanic	15.9	16.2
White	16.0	16.3
Black	13.6	17.5
Other	15.9	13.6
Hispanic	11.1	11.2
Spanish Language Household	7.7	8.2
English Language Household	16.2	14.4

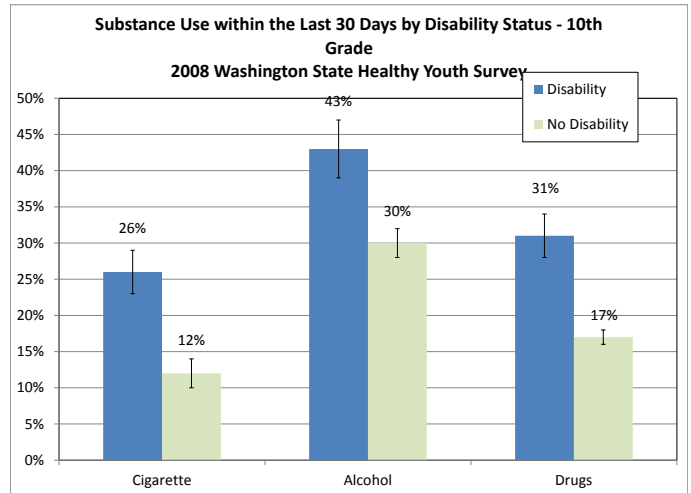
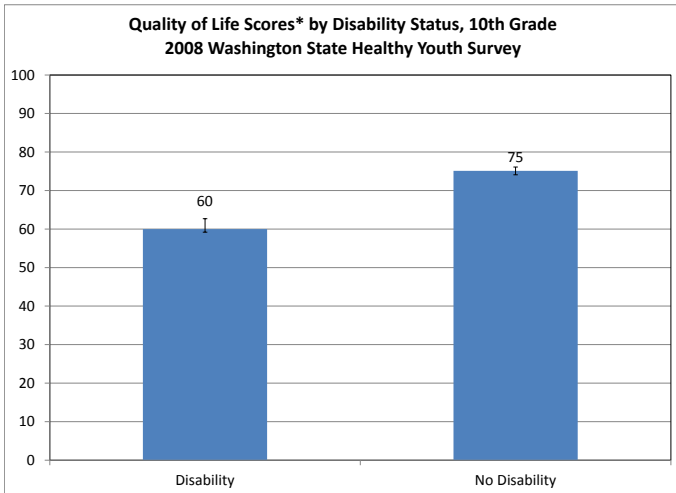
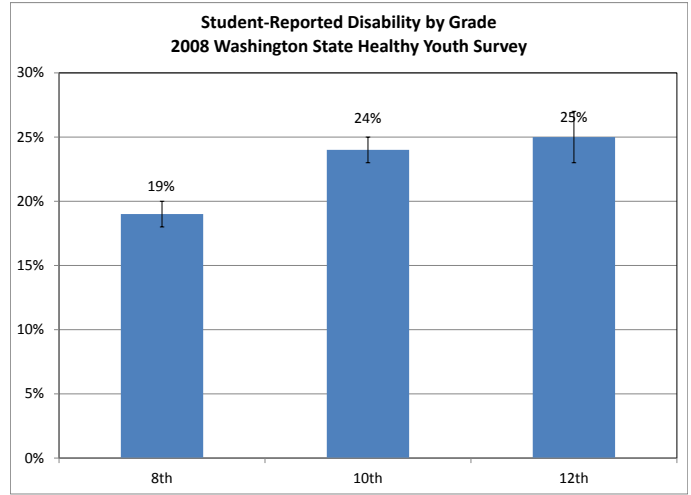
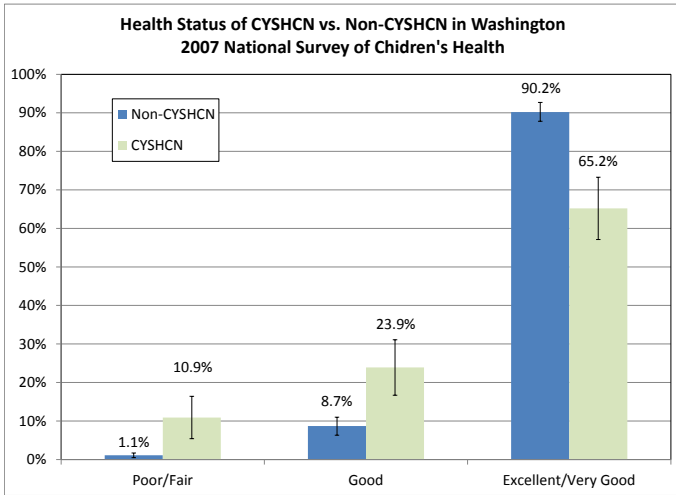
## Indicators

	WA State %	U.S. %
<b>Child Health</b>		
CSHCN whose conditions affect their activities usually, always, or a great deal	27.6	27.1
<b>Health Insurance Coverage</b>		
CSHCN without insurance at some point in past year	6.3	9.3
CSHCN without insurance at time of survey	1.5	3.5
Currently insured CSHCN whose insurance is inadequate	31.8	34.3
<b>Access to Care</b>		
CSHCN with any unmet need for specific health care services	24.5	23.6
CSHCN with any unmet need for family support services	7.2	7.2
CSHCN needing a referral who have difficulty getting it	20.9	23.4
CSHCN without a usual source of care when sick (or who rely on the emergency room)	8.2	9.5
CSHCN without any personal doctor or nurse	7.2	6.9
<b>Family Centered Care</b>		
CSHCN without family-centered care	30.2	35.4
<b>Impact on Family</b>		
CSHCN whose families pay \$1,000 or more out of pocket in medical expenses per year for the child	25.5	22.1
CSHCN whose conditions cause financial problems for the family	21.3	21.6
CSHCN whose families spend 11 or more hours per week providing or coordinating child's health care	9.4	13.1
CSHCN whose conditions cause family members to cut back or stop working	24.7	25.0





# Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) and Healthy Youth Survey (HYS) Data



\*Quality of life scores based on responses to six questions: get along with parents/guardians; look forward to the future; satisfied with my life now; feel alone in my life; rating of my life compared to others my age. Scores are based on a scale of 100, higher scores indicating higher quality of life.



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## What is the purpose of this report?

The purpose of this report is to provide information about children and youth with special health care needs in Washington State. The Maternal and Child Health Bureau defines children with special needs as children who have or are at increased risk for chronic physical, developmental, behavioral, or emotional conditions and who require more health and related services than other children. This report is written for Children with Special Health Care Need Program Coordinators, state and local agencies, families of children and youth with special health care needs and others interested in this population.

## What information is in this report?

- Estimated number of children and youth with special health care needs

- Social and economic characteristics
- Services used by this population
- Unmet service needs
- Risk behaviors among adolescents with disabilities

## How can this report be used?

- To inform stakeholders about important needs of this population
- To contribute to community-based and statewide assessment activities
- To promote policy discussions
- To guide program planning and grant development

## Data Notes

**National Survey of Children with Special Health Care Needs (NS-CSHCN).** The 2009/2010 National Survey of Children with Special Health Care Needs used random parent telephone surveys to identify CYSHCN based on health care needs and limitations that last or are expected to last 12 months or longer. These include: (1) need for, or use of, prescription medications; (2) need for, or use of, more medical care, mental health, or educational services than other children the same age; (3) limitations in the ability to do the things other children of the same age can do; (4) need for, or receipt of, special therapy, such as physical, occupational or speech therapy, and (5) any kind of emotional, developmental, or behavioral problem that requires treatment or counseling. State-level data from this survey are available at the Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health: <http://childhealthdata.org/learn/NS-CSHCN>.

**Healthy Youth Survey Data.** The 2008 Washington State Healthy Youth Survey (HYS) identified youth with disabilities as having “a limitation or inability to perform important life activities in a manner considered appropriate for the age and social role of the person because of a long-lasting (defined as lasting or expected to last 6 months or more) physical, mental, or emotional condition.” Students in grades 6, 8, 10 and 12 at schools were asked to respond to questions about their behaviors and health status. Information about the HYS and county-level data are available at the Ask HYS website: <http://www.askhys.net>.

**Birth Data.** Children with low birth weight (less than 2500 grams, about 5 ½ pounds) are at risk for long-term health and developmental problems. The incidence of low birth weight included in this report is from Washington State

Birth Certificates. Low birth weight data by county can be calculated using the data available on the Washington State Department of Health website (Table D7): <http://www.doh.wa.gov/DataandStatisticalReports/VitalStatisticsData/BirthData/NativityTables.aspx>

**Hospitalization Data.** Hospitalization data are from the Comprehensive Hospital Abstracts Reporting System (CHARS). CHARS contains information about every inpatient admission in Washington State. CHARS excludes admissions into military facilities, individuals who reside in institutions, and Washington state residents hospitalized in other states.

The rate of hospitalizations by chronic conditions is based on children's zip code of residence as reported in CHARS. Classification of chronic condition status is based on the principal diagnosis and is modeled after the definition of pediatric chronic conditions in the National Committee for Health Care Quality HEDIS 2002 Quality - Protocols for Administering CAHPS 2.0H Survey. Analyses in this report were performed using the Community Health Assessment Tool (CHAT), accessed April, 2011. However, CHAT could not exactly match the list of pediatric chronic conditions, and included a few additional diagnosis codes for this report. We anticipate that the additional diagnosis codes increase the hospitalization rate by 1 - 4%. For example, a hospitalization rate of 5 per 1,000 children would increase to a rate of 5.05 to 5.2 per 1,000 children.

**Population Data.** Washington State population data are available from the Washington State Office of Financial Management website: <http://www.ofm.wa.gov/pop/>

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## Technical Notes

**Small Numbers.** To ensure confidentiality, data are only presented when there are five or more cases. For some counties, multiple years of data are combined to increase the number of cases to five or more. This was done for the age and gender bar charts, using CSHCN Program Child Health Intake Form (CHIF) data. When a county has five or fewer children in one or more of the age or gender categories, or when multiple years of data are used, the Total Number of Children Served tables are not provided. Diagnostic categories that use the CSHCN Program CHIF data are presented if the county had five or more children in any of the diagnostic categories.

The Special Education Services totals do not include the categories with fewer than five children.

This report includes *Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate for Chronic Conditions* trend charts for counties that had five or more hospitalizations for all age groups in each of the 3-year rolling averages between 2000 and 2009. The *Hospitalization Rate for Chronic Conditions* trend charts are included for counties that had five or more hospitalizations in every year between 2000 and 2009.

This report includes *Number and Percent of Babies Born with Low Birth Weight* trend charts for counties with five or more cases of low birth weight in every year between 2001 and 2010.

Counties with small numbers may want to combine additional years of data (for example, 5-year rolling averages). They could also combine data with neighboring counties.

**Confidence Intervals.** Confidence intervals provide a measure of how much a rate varies by random factors or chance. They are wider when there are fewer cases, and narrower when there are larger numbers of cases. The confidence intervals presented here are 95% confidence intervals. If the confidence interval of the county does not overlap the confidence interval of the state, the rates are statistically different. If the rates overlap, the rates may or may not be statistically different.

## Data Notes, continued

**Children with Special Health Care Needs Program Data.** Children with Special Health Care Needs Coordinators, based in local health jurisdictions, provide linkages to resources for children with special health care needs and their families in their community. Information on their clients is entered into the Child Health Intake Form (CHIF) database. For state-level CHIF data, contact Washington State Department of Health CSHCN Program at 360-236-3571 or email [cshcn.support@doh.wa.gov](mailto:cshcn.support@doh.wa.gov)

**Special Education Data.** Washington State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI), Special Education Child Count and Placement Data: <http://www.k12.wa.us/SpecialEd/Data>. County-level data can be requested from OSPI.

**Family Service Plans and Early Intervention Services.** Data on Family Service Plans are available at Washington State Department of Early Learning, Early Support for Infants and Toddlers Publications, ESIT Data by County: <http://www.del.wa.gov/publications/esit>.

**Department of Social and Health Service Data.** Data are available at the Washington State Department of Social and Health Services website, under Client Data and Client Counts and Service Costs: <http://clientdata.rda.dshs.wa.gov/>.

## Acknowledgements

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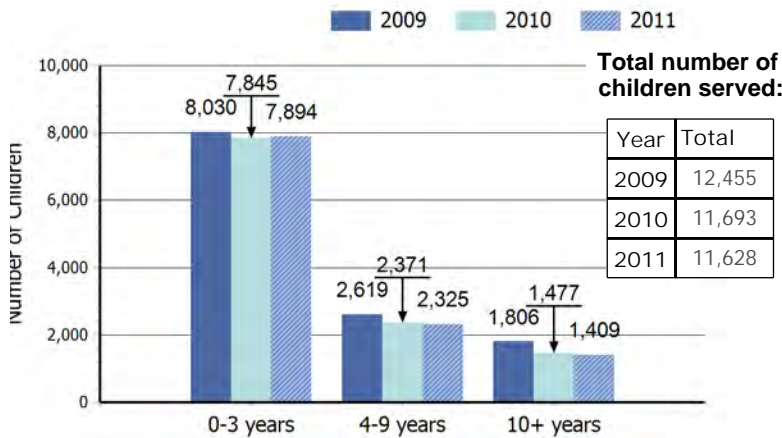
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	373,923	394,307	433,346	440,168
5-9 years	370,093	425,910	427,191	429,911
10-14 years	335,946	434,837	434,710	434,927
15-19 years	325,081	427,970	472,124	470,800
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,405,043</b>	<b>1,683,024</b>	<b>1,767,371</b>	<b>1,775,806</b>

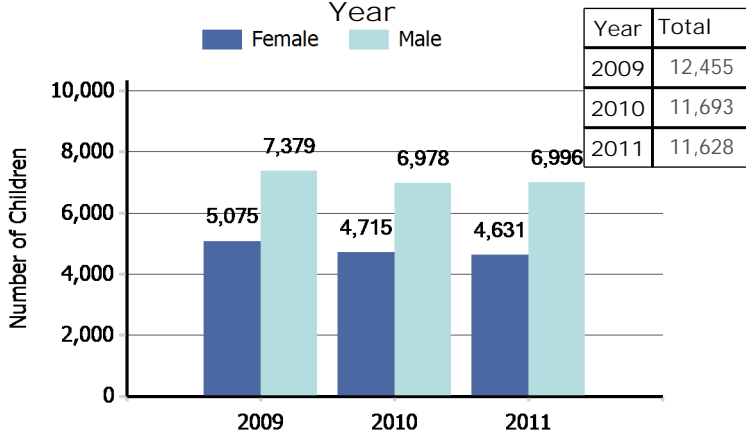
Source: Community Health Assessment Tool (CHAT), 1990-2009 Population Estimates: Population Estimates for Public Health Assessment, Washington State Department of Health and Krupski Consulting, December 2009. Accessed 12/9/11.

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Number<sup>2</sup> of Children Served by Child Special Health Care Needs Program by Year

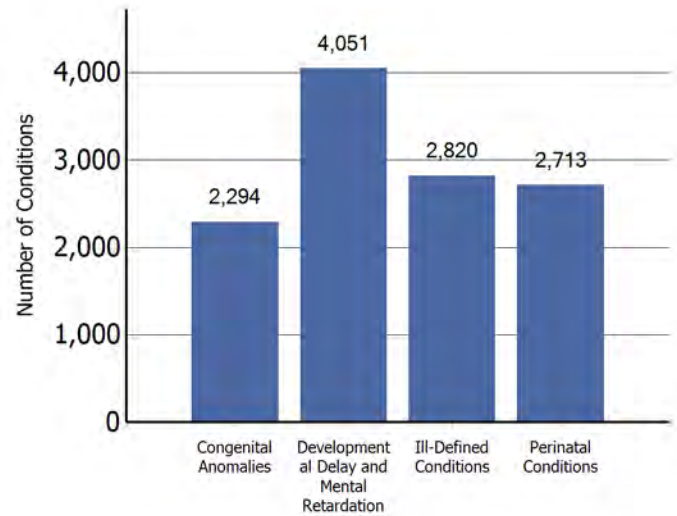


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Leading Four Diagnostic Categories<sup>3</sup> among Children Served by the Children with Special Health Care Needs Program: 2011



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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	44,774
Health Impairment	22,802
Communication Disorder	20,841
Developmental Delay - Preschool	16,285
Autism	8,598
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	4,704
Intellectual Disabilities	4,614
Multiple Disabilities	2,697
Hearing Impairment	916
Orthopedic Impairment	572
Visual Impairments	402
Deafness	393
Traumatic Brain Injury	340
Deaf - Blindness	29
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>127,967</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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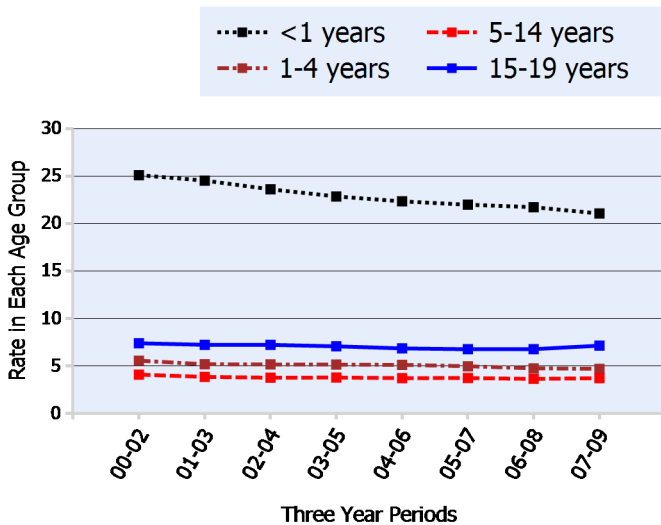
Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	5,008
July 2010 - June 2011	5,532

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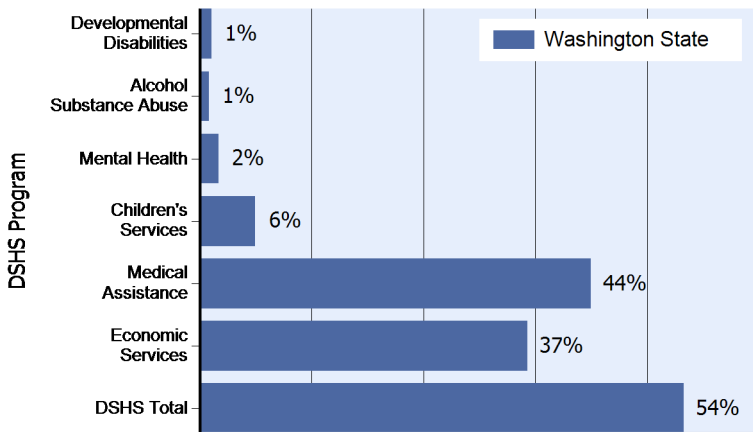
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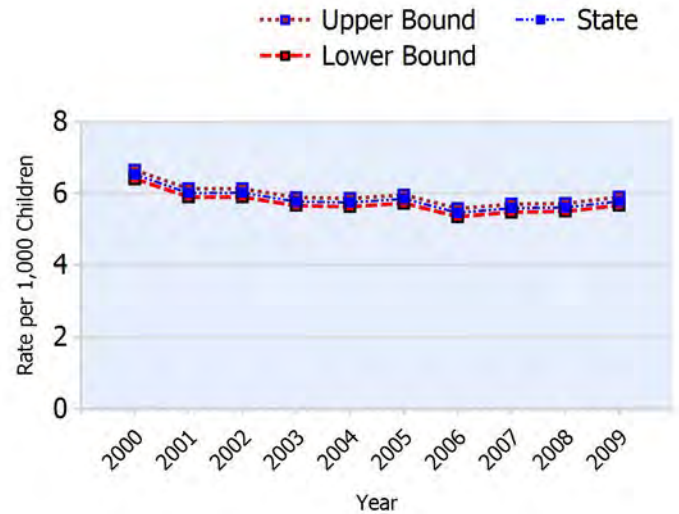
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Percent of Children Age 0-17 in Programs of the Department of Social and Health Services:<sup>7</sup> June 2007 - July 2008



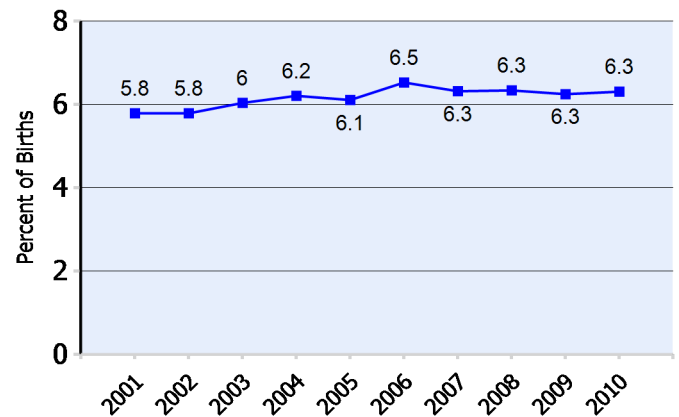
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Hospitalization Rate<sup>8</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Age 0-19 Years



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Number and Percent<sup>5</sup> of Babies Born with Low Birth Weight (less than 2,500 grams)



<sup>5</sup> Percent of births for which the birthweight is known. Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	9,482	2001	4,578 79,132
Developmental Disabilities	20,276	2002	4,516 77,962
Mental Health	33,363	2003	4,844 80,179
Children's Services	97,896	2004	5,053 81,365
Economic Services	577,557	2005	5,033 82,318
Medical Assistance	673,313	2006	5,654 86,589
DSHS Total	853,392	2007	5,613 88,791
		2008	5,711 90,079
		2009	5,568 89,046
		2010	5,449 86,331



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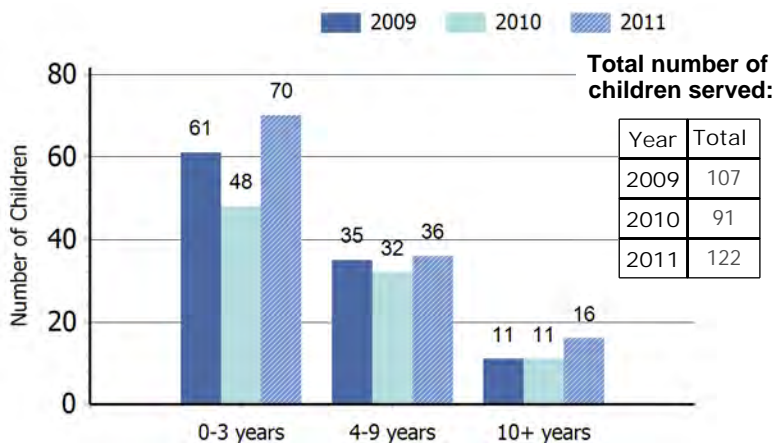
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Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	1,305	1,552	1,648	1,676
5-9 years	1,334	1,616	1,568	1,579
10-14 years	1,333	1,489	1,441	1,443
15-19 years	1,040	1,492	1,597	1,592
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,012</b>	<b>6,149</b>	<b>6,254</b>	<b>6,290</b>

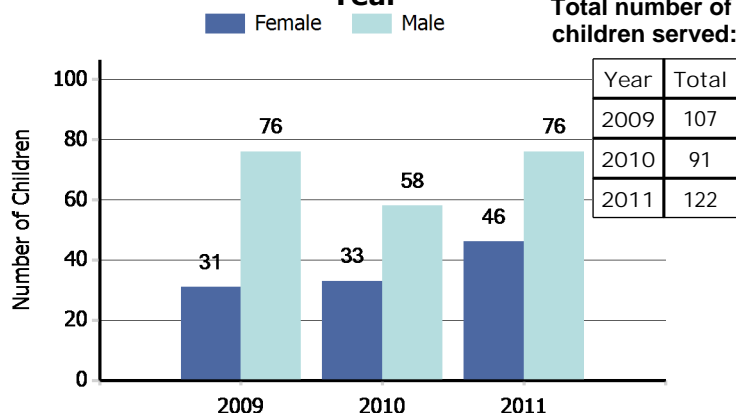
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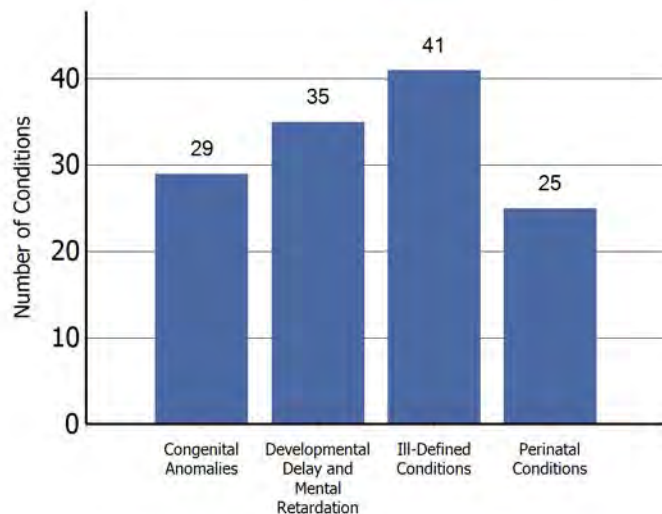


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### Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	178
Communication Disorder	104
Developmental Delay - Preschool	53
Intellectual Disabilities	38
Health Impairment	27
Multiple Disabilities	9
Autism	8
Hearing Impairment	5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>422</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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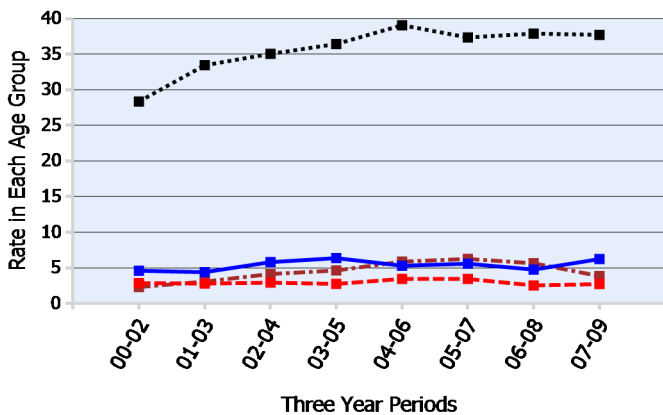
July 2009 - June 2010	33
July 2010 - June 2011	40

<sup>4</sup>Unduplicated count from Adams County.

Source: Early Support for Infants and Toddlers (ESIT), Washington State Department of Early Learning, Accessed 11/15/11. Program information and data are available at: <http://www.del.wa.gov/publications/esit/Default.aspx>.

## Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19

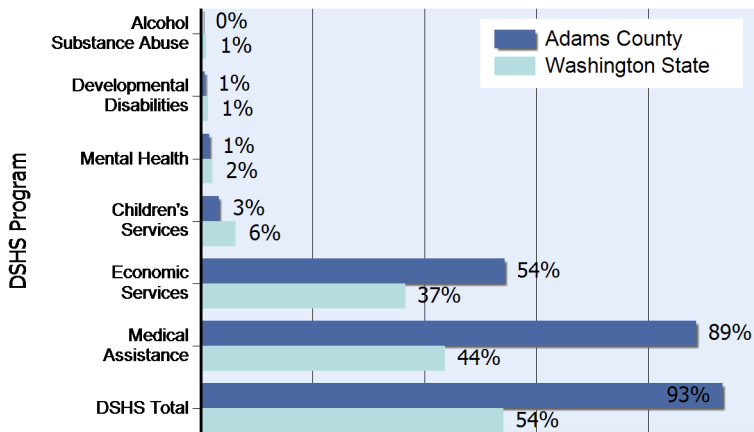
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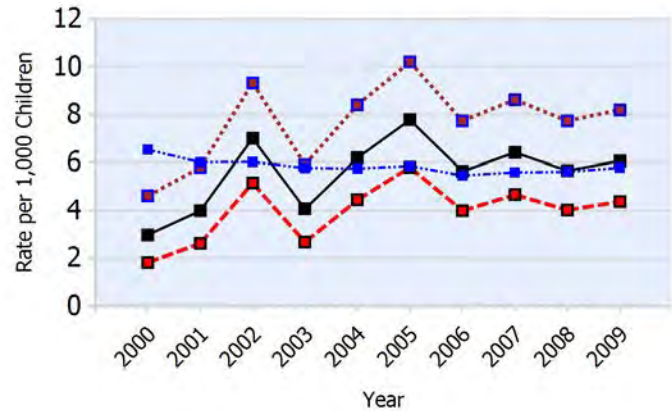


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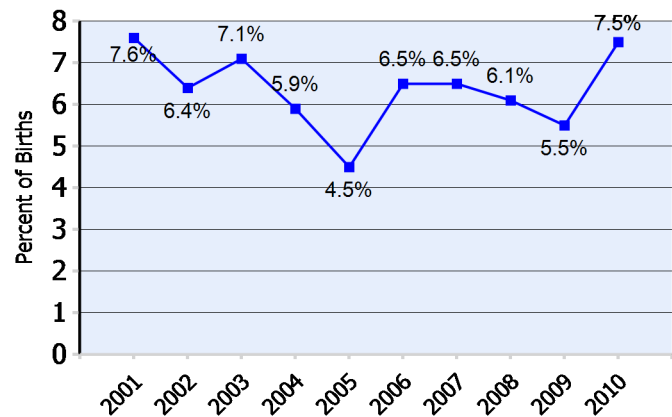
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### Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	9
Developmental Disabilities	40
Mental Health	85
Children's Services	185
Economic Services	3,076
Medical Assistance	5,021
DSHS Total	5,291

Year	LBW	All Births
2001	25	328
2002	22	344
2003	24	339
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2005	19	424
2006	25	386
2007	27	417
2008	26	426
2009	25	456
2010	35	468



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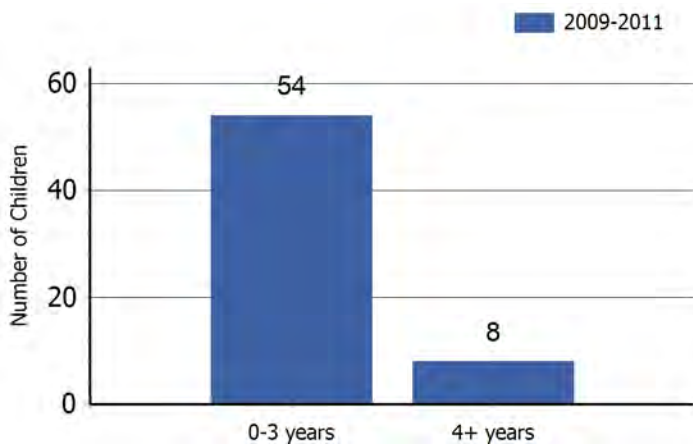
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	1,335	1,406	1,413	1,421
5-9 years	1,420	1,444	1,325	1,320
10-14 years	1,334	1,428	1,307	1,295
15-19 years	1,198	1,524	1,541	1,522
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,287</b>	<b>5,802</b>	<b>5,586</b>	<b>5,558</b>

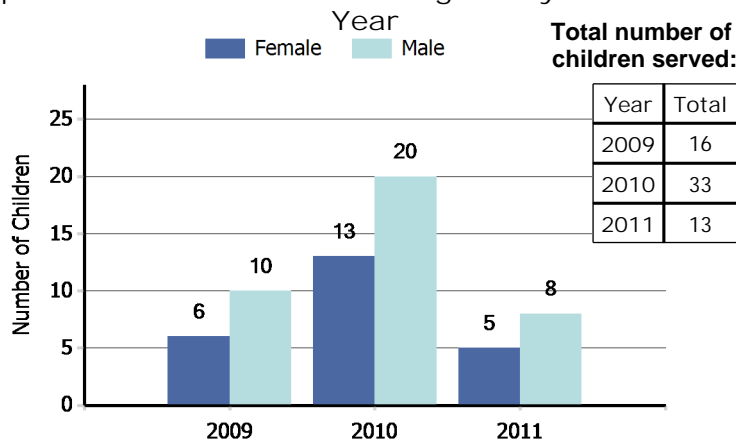
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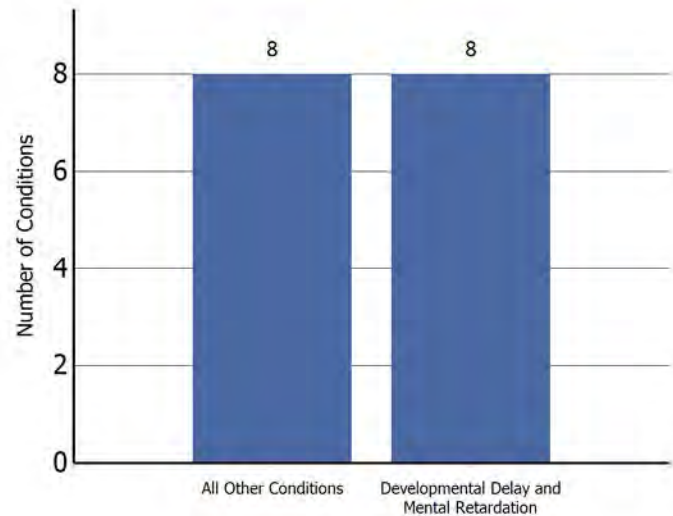


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	240
Health Impairment	112
Communication Disorder	96
Developmental Delay - Preschool	74
Intellectual Disabilities	24
Autism	22
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	18
Multiple Disabilities	12
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>598</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

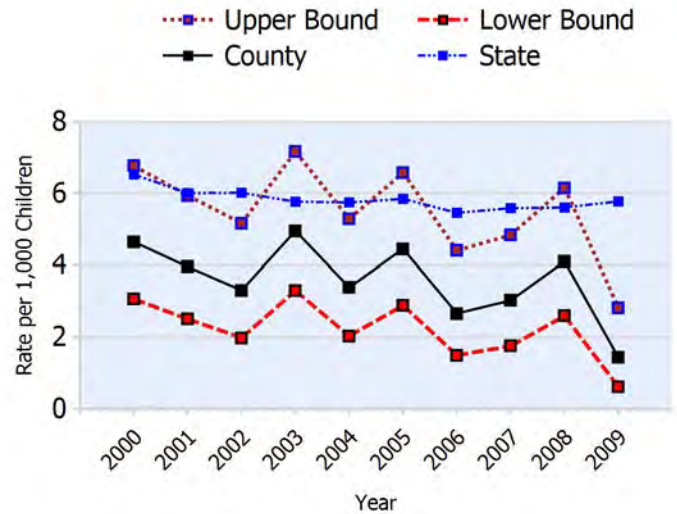
July 2009 - June 2010	27
July 2010 - June 2011	29

<sup>4</sup>Unduplicated count from Asotin County.  
Source: Early Support for Infants and Toddlers (ESIT), Washington State Department of Early Learning, Accessed 11/15/11. Program information and data are available at: <http://www.del.wa.gov/publications/esit/Default.aspx>.

Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19

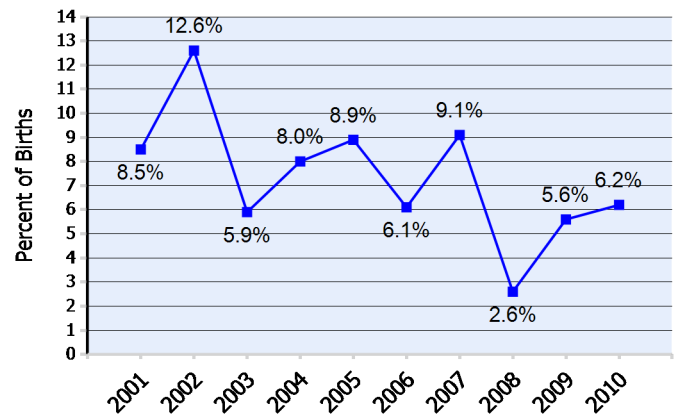
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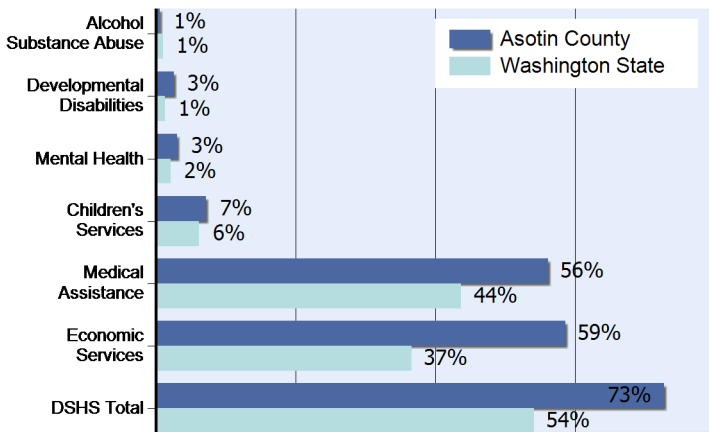
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<sup>7</sup>Based upon unduplicated count of children within each service category. Source: Client Services Database, Research and Data Analysis Division, Department of Social and Health Services, Accessed 11/15/11. Note: In 2010, the Medical Assistance program moved from the Washington State Department of Social and Health Services to the Health Care Authority. Client data and program descriptions are available at <http://clientdata.rda.dshs.wa.gov/>.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	31	2001	15 176
Developmental Disabilities	130	2002	20 159
Mental Health	153	2003	17 287
Children's Services	360	2004	21 261
Medical Assistance	2,812	2005	21 237
Economic Services	2,934	2006	15 245
DSHS Total	3,640	2007	21 232
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		2009	13 233
		2010	15 242





# Benton County

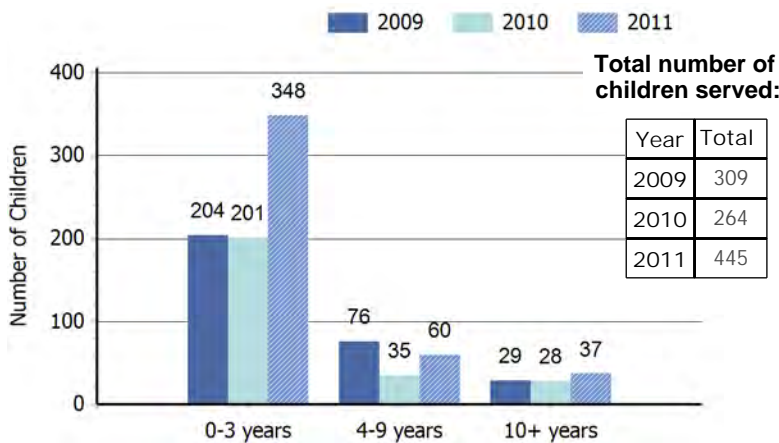
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	9,479	10,779	12,285	12,622
5-9 years	10,075	11,682	12,160	12,377
10-14 years	9,237	12,313	12,785	12,938
15-19 years	8,056	11,683	13,405	13,519
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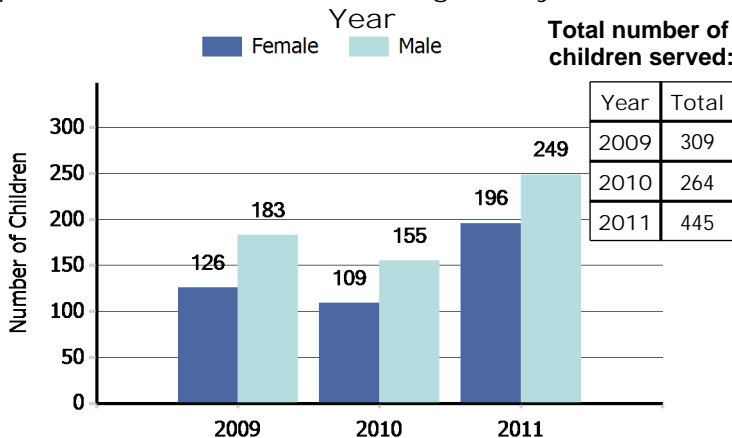
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Number<sup>2</sup> of Children Served by Children with Special Health Care Needs Program by Gender and Year

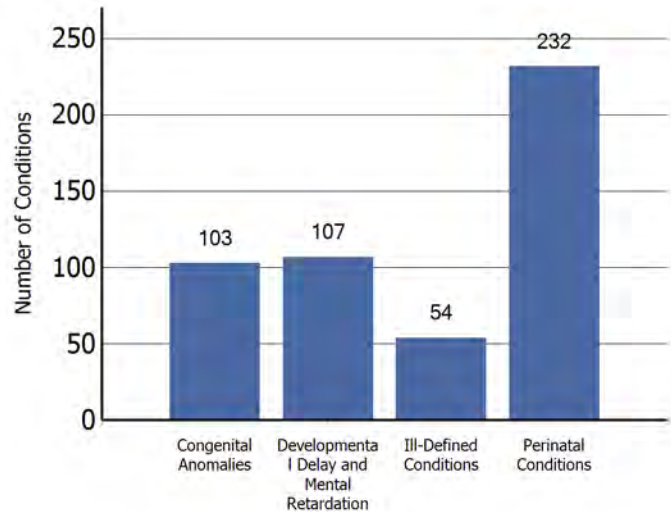


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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	1,049
Health Impairment	719
Communication Disorder	655
Developmental Delay - Preschool	492
Autism	270
Intellectual Disabilities	199
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	107
Multiple Disabilities	53
Hearing Impairment	18
Orthopedic Impairment	15
Visual Impairments	15
Traumatic Brain Injury	14
Deafness	6
Deaf - Blindness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,612</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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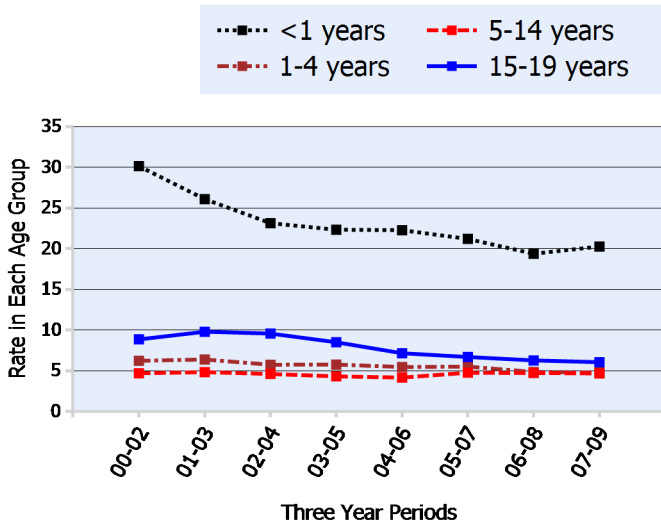


Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	264
July 2010 - June 2011	296

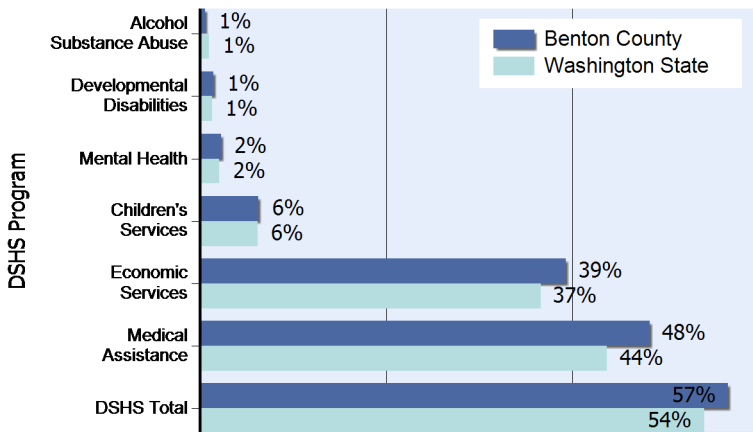
<sup>4</sup>Unduplicated count from Benton and Franklin Counties.  
Source: Early Support for Infants and Toddlers (ESIT), Washington State Department of Early Learning, Accessed 11/15/11. Program information and data are available at: <http://www.del.wa.gov/publications/esit/Default.aspx>.

Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19



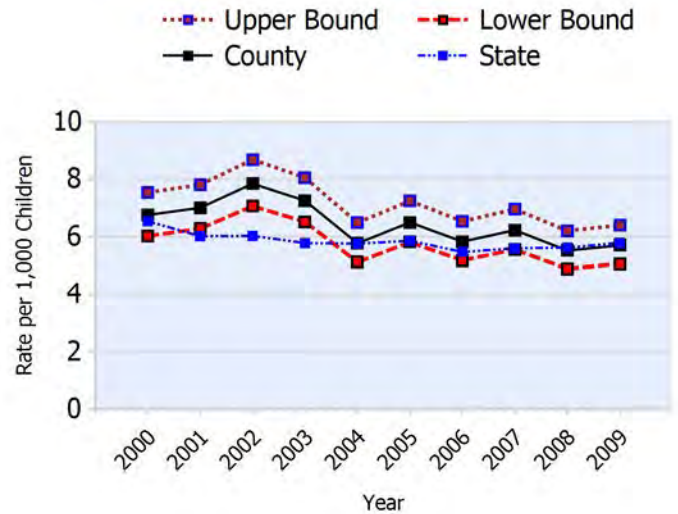
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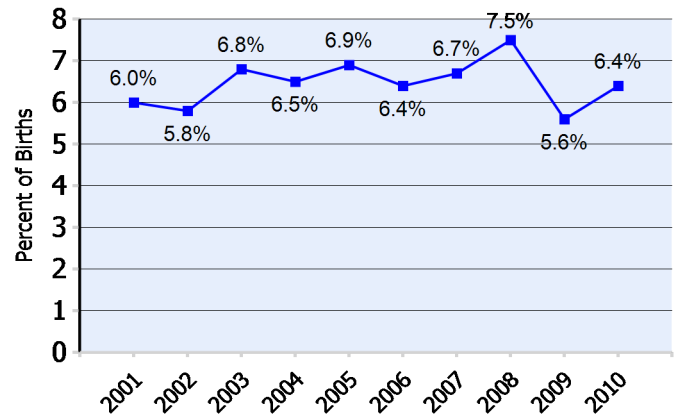
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Number and Percent<sup>5</sup> of Babies Born with Low Birth Weight (less than 2,500 grams)



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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year	LBW	All Births
Alcohol Substance Abuse	261	2001	132	2,213
Developmental Disabilities	674	2002	126	2,156
Mental Health	1,047	2003	149	2,186
Children's Services	2,867	2004	142	2,173
Economic Services	18,029	2005	148	2,160
Medical Assistance	22,126	2006	150	2,339
DSHS Total	26,007	2007	164	2,454
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		2010	162	2,529



# Chelan County

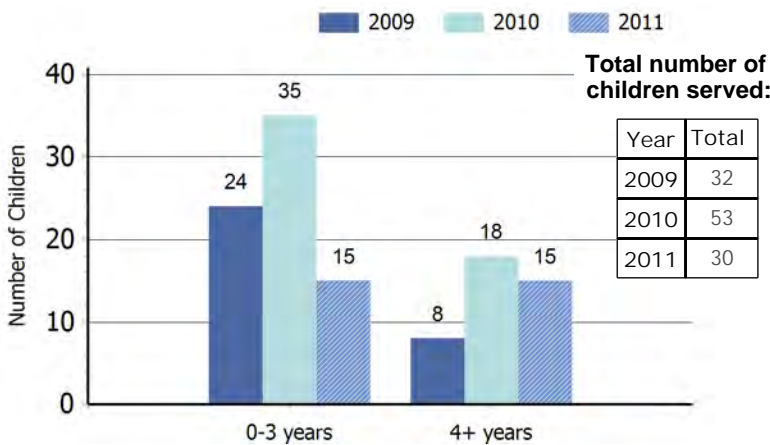
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	4,097	4,750	5,012	5,068
5-9 years	4,205	5,140	4,954	4,961
10-14 years	3,757	5,449	5,240	5,216
15-19 years	3,308	5,188	5,513	5,468
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,367</b>	<b>20,527</b>	<b>20,719</b>	<b>20,713</b>

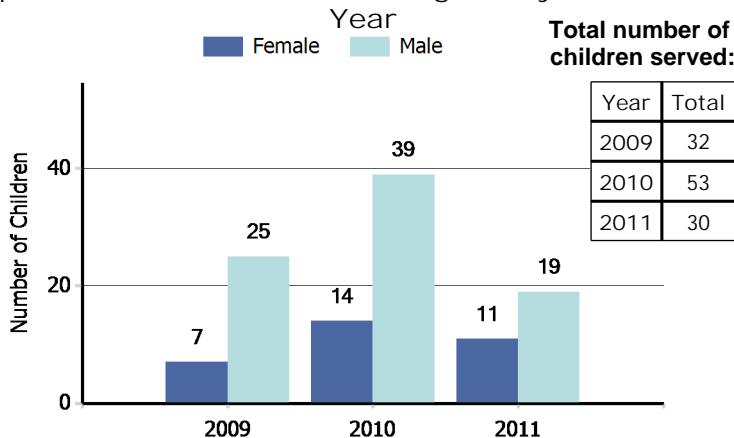
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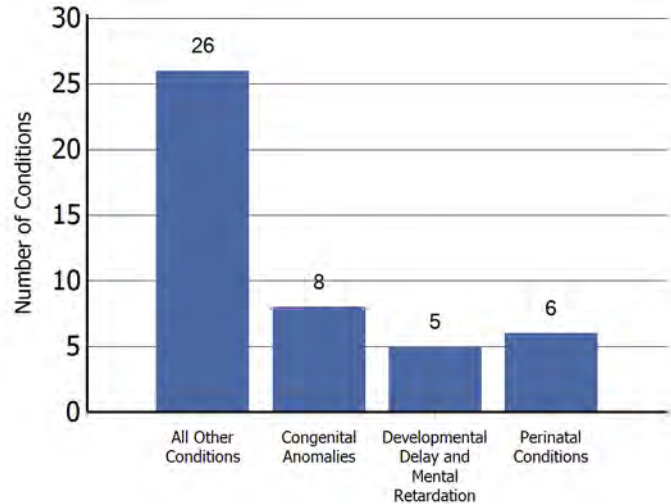


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	533
Communication Disorder	238
Health Impairment	139
Developmental Delay - Preschool	130
Autism	61
Intellectual Disabilities	53
Multiple Disabilities	24
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	19
Orthopedic Impairment	8
Visual Impairments	8
Hearing Impairment	6
Traumatic Brain Injury	5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,224</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

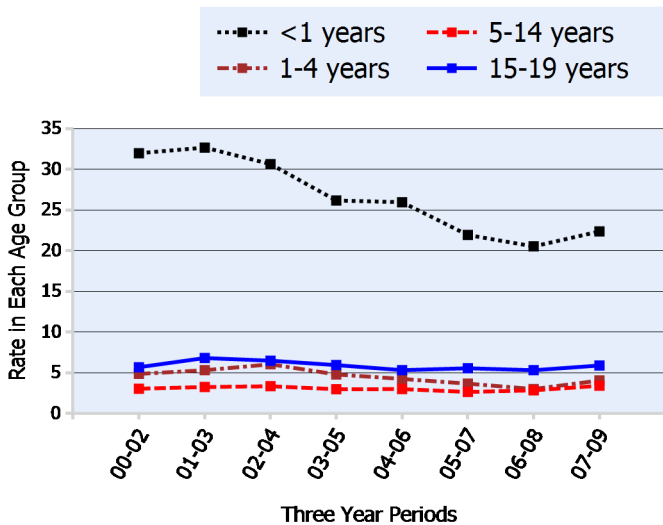
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	114
July 2010 - June 2011	124

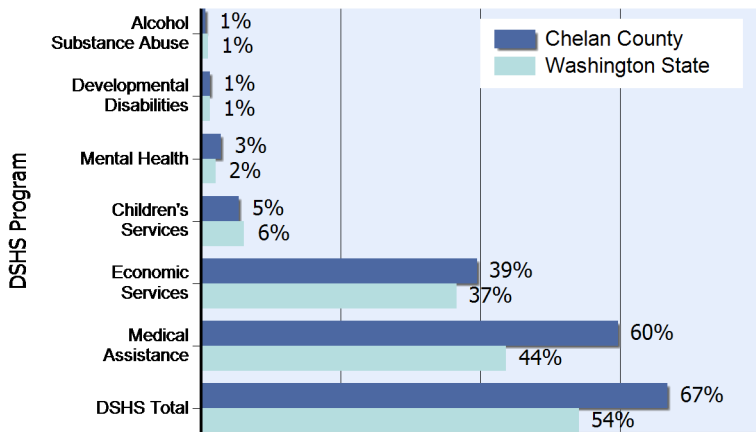
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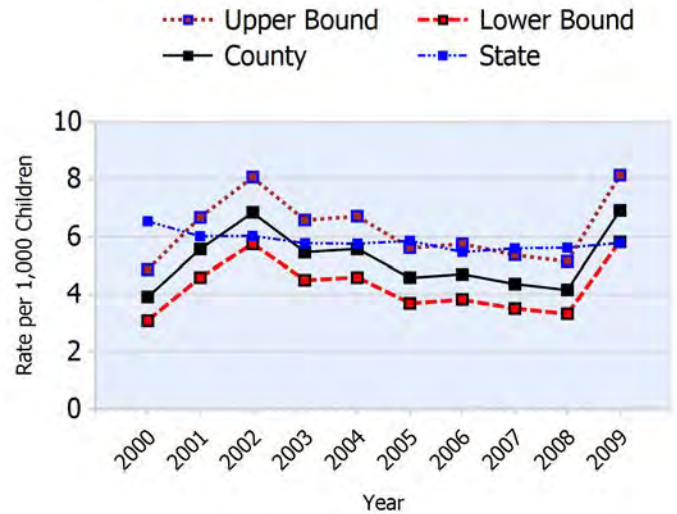
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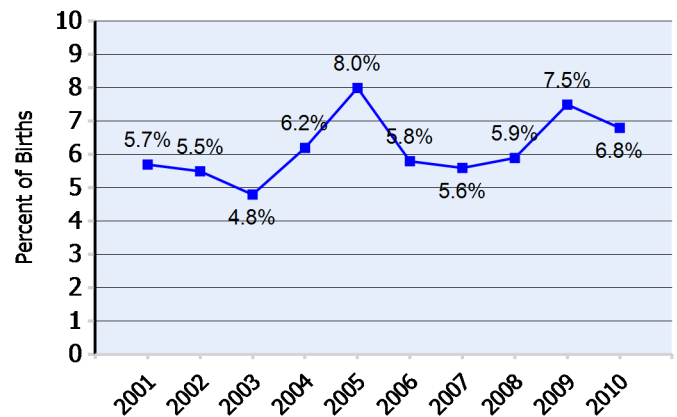
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<sup>5</sup> Percent of births for which the birthweight is known.  
Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	136	2001	55 971
Developmental Disabilities	238	2002	50 908
Mental Health	538	2003	43 888
Children's Services	1,010	2004	56 902
Economic Services	7,370	2005	72 902
Medical Assistance	11,146	2006	57 982
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# Clallam County

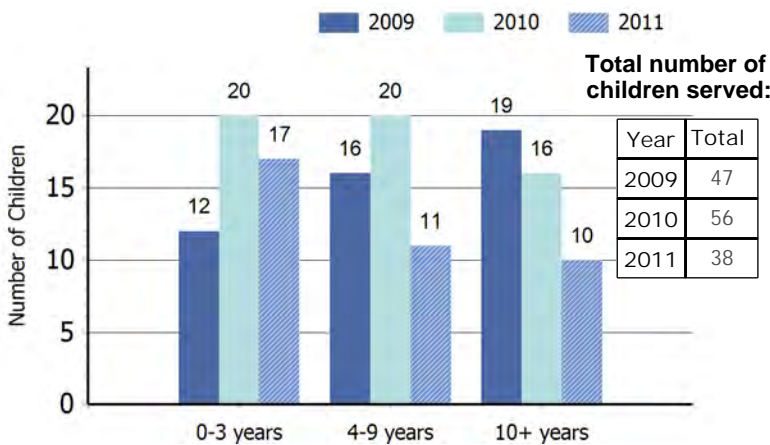
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	3,681	3,313	3,411	3,424
5-9 years	4,118	3,737	3,513	3,494
10-14 years	3,871	4,309	4,041	3,996
15-19 years	3,284	4,481	4,622	4,556
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,954</b>	<b>15,840</b>	<b>15,587</b>	<b>15,470</b>

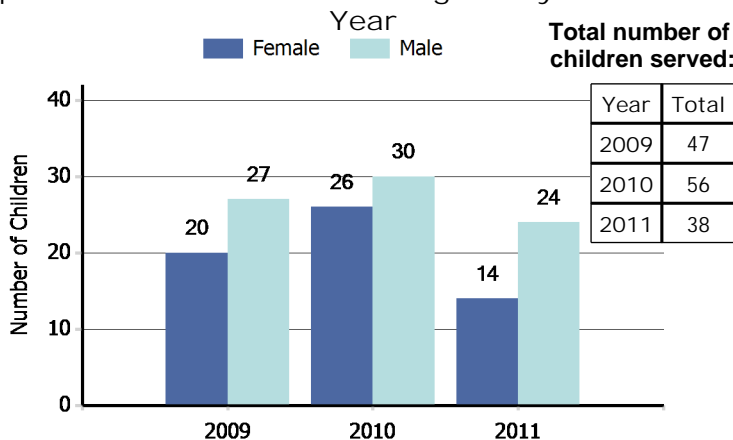
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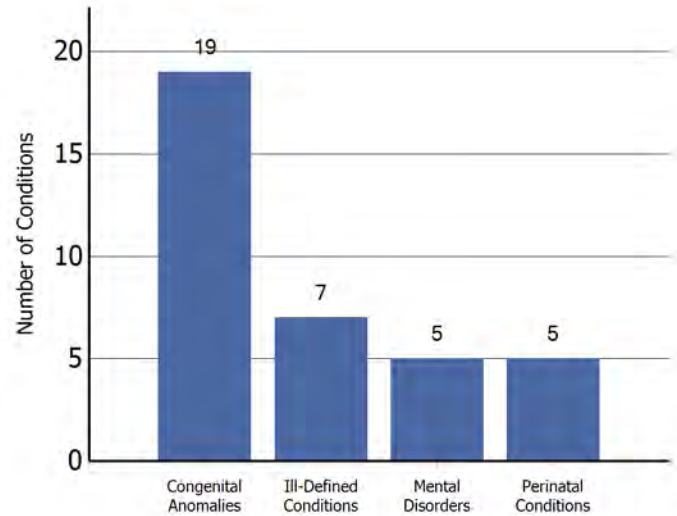


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	510
Health Impairment	261
Developmental Delay - Preschool	152
Communication Disorder	147
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	77
Autism	65
Intellectual Disabilities	55
Multiple Disabilities	26
Hearing Impairment	14
Orthopedic Impairment	7
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,314</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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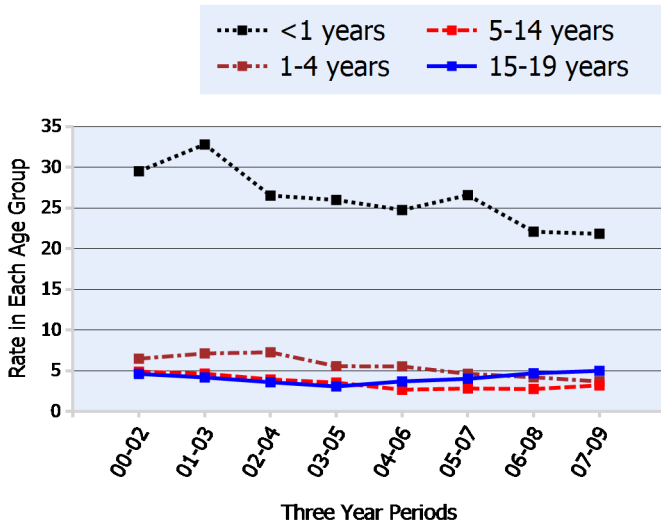


Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	41
July 2010 - June 2011	47

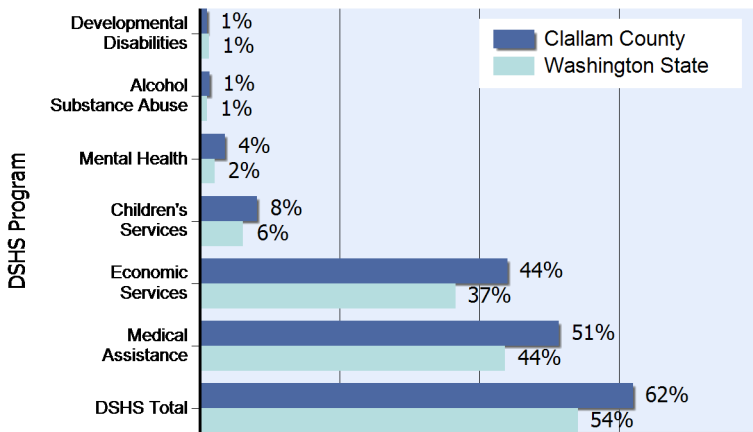
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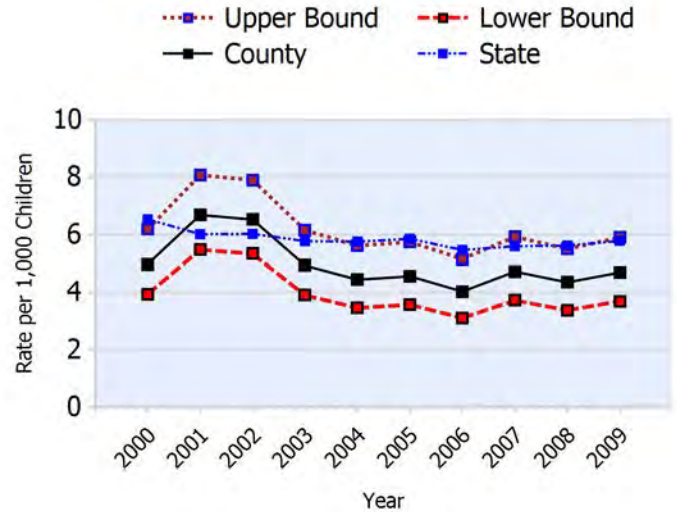
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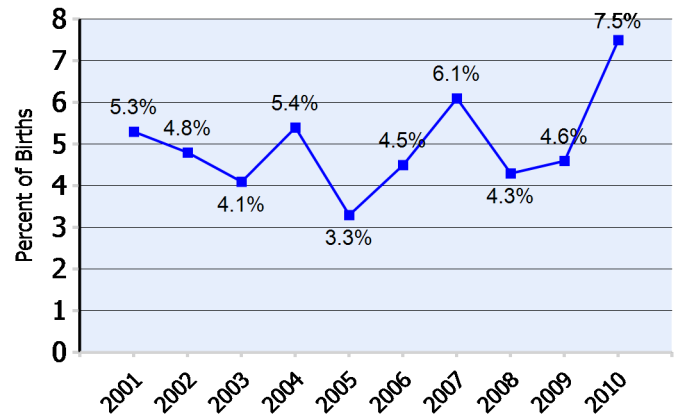
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Developmental Disabilities	133	2001	32 605
Alcohol Substance Abuse	189	2002	28 588
Mental Health	500	2003	25 607
Children's Services	1,138	2004	32 598
Economic Services	6,080	2005	20 615
Medical Assistance	7,100	2006	29 645
DSHS Total	8,566	2007	39 639
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		2009	30 654
		2010	51 678





# Clark County

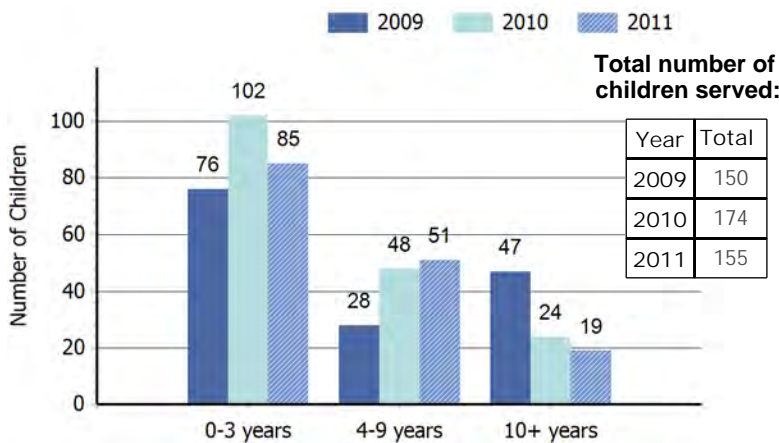
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	18,872	26,886	32,535	33,190
5-9 years	19,469	28,279	31,244	31,584
10-14 years	19,067	27,996	30,851	31,010
15-19 years	17,039	24,876	30,287	30,344
<b>Total</b>	<b>74,447</b>	<b>108,037</b>	<b>124,917</b>	<b>126,128</b>

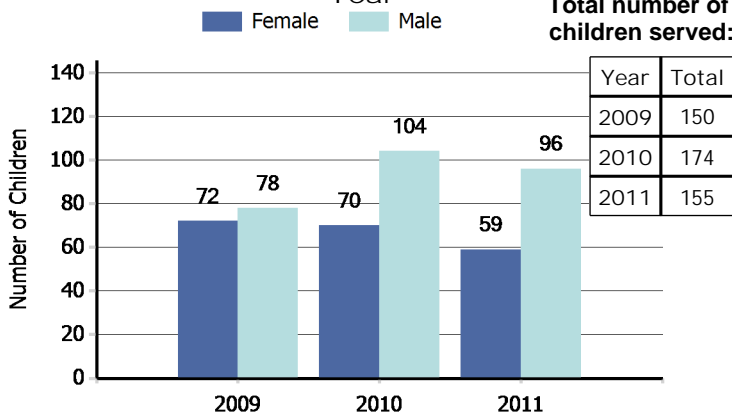
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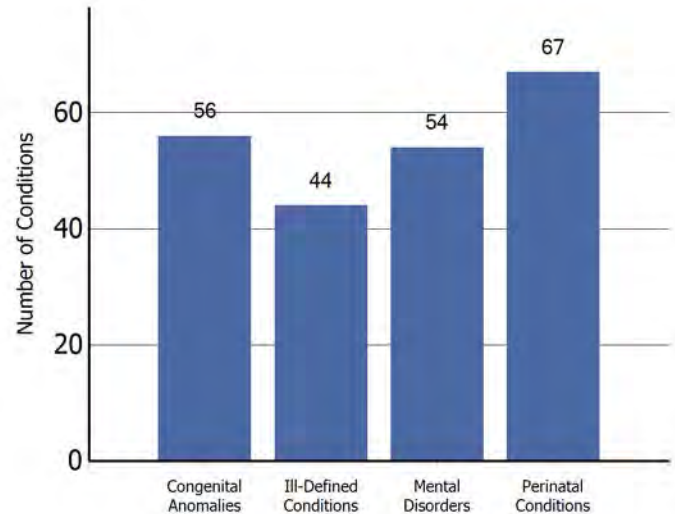


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	3,224
Communication Disorder	1,831
Health Impairment	1,458
Developmental Delay - Preschool	884
Autism	747
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	546
Intellectual Disabilities	323
Multiple Disabilities	195
Hearing Impairment	61
Orthopedic Impairment	34
Traumatic Brain Injury	24
Deafness	19
Visual Impairments	18
Deaf - Blindness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9,364</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

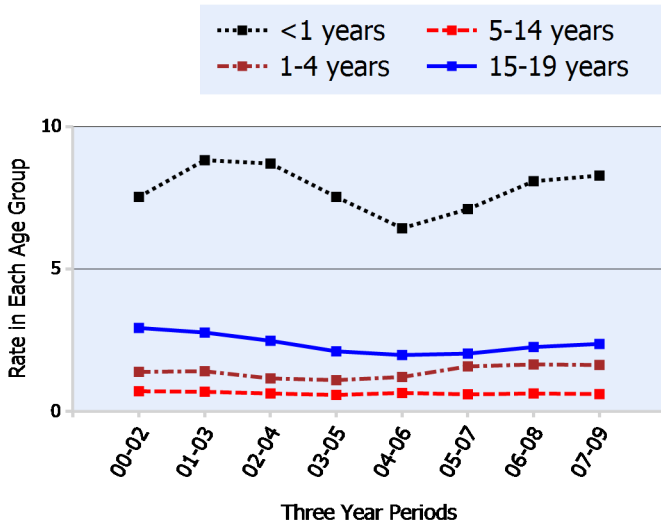
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	278
July 2010 - June 2011	288

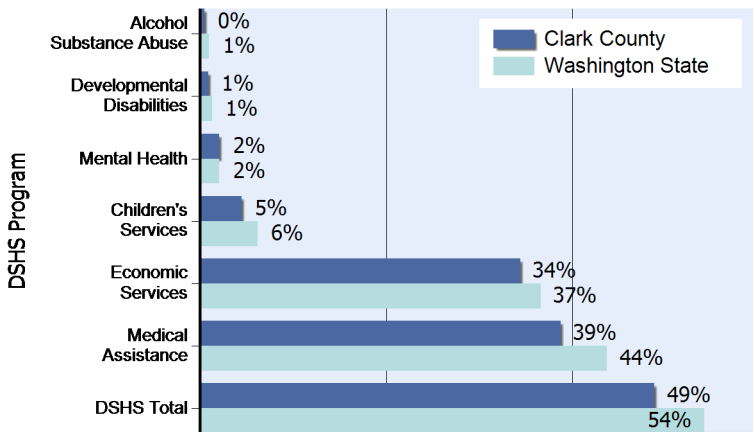
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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19



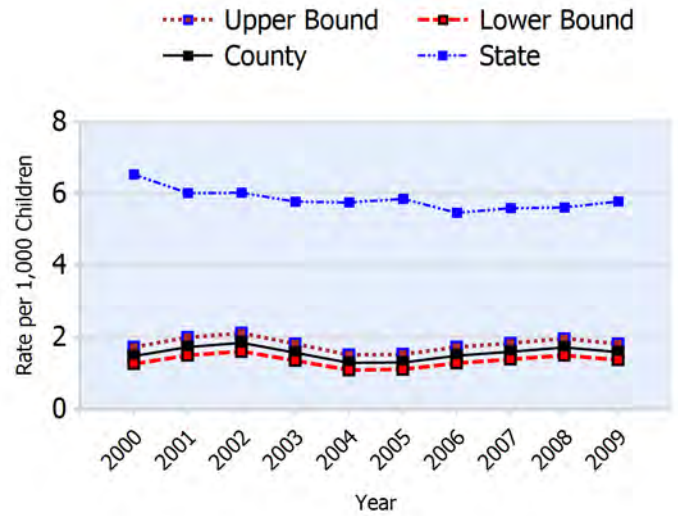
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Percent of Children Age 0-17 in Programs of the Department of Social and Health Services:<sup>7</sup> June 2007 - July 2008



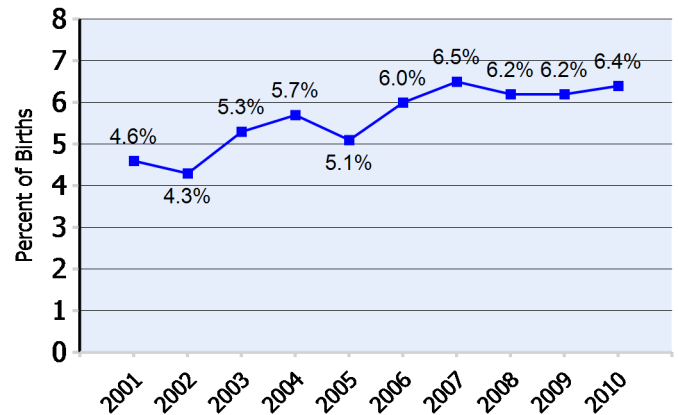
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 Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	554	2001	243 5,233
Developmental Disabilities	996	2002	205 4,816
Mental Health	2,416	2003	285 5,329
Children's Services	5,165	2004	315 5,539
Economic Services	39,133	2005	285 5,634
Medical Assistance	44,051	2006	350 5,787
DSHS Total	55,482	2007	386 5,901
		2008	365 5,849
		2009	346 5,577
		2010	348 5,478



# Columbia County

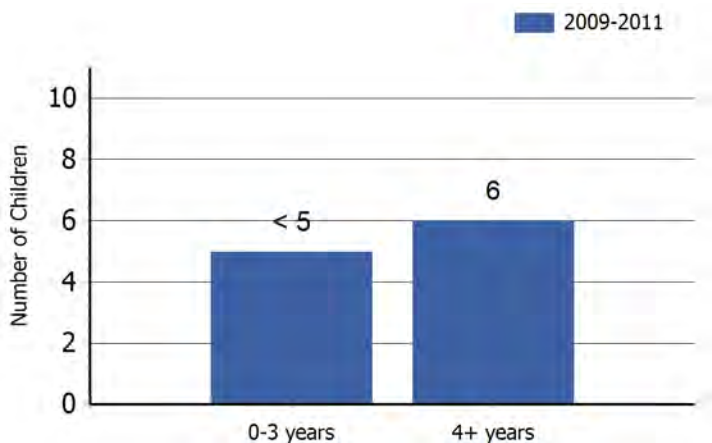
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	223	217	210	210
5-9 years	275	268	236	234
10-14 years	311	291	256	252
15-19 years	275	295	287	282
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,084</b>	<b>1,071</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>978</b>

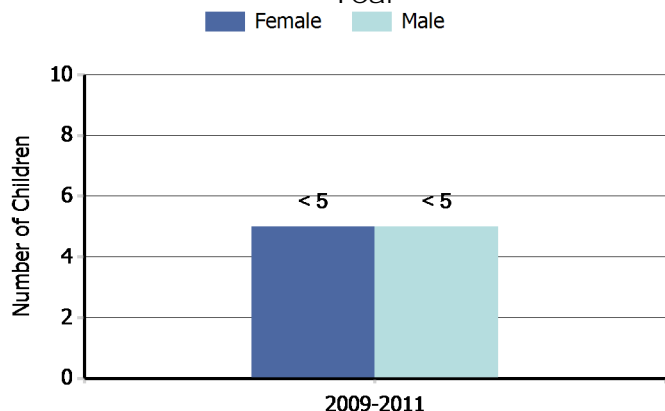
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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Developmental Delay - Preschool	13
Specific Learning Disability	13
Communication Disorder	12
Health Impairment	11
Multiple Disabilities	5
Autism	<5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Intellectual Disabilities	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>54</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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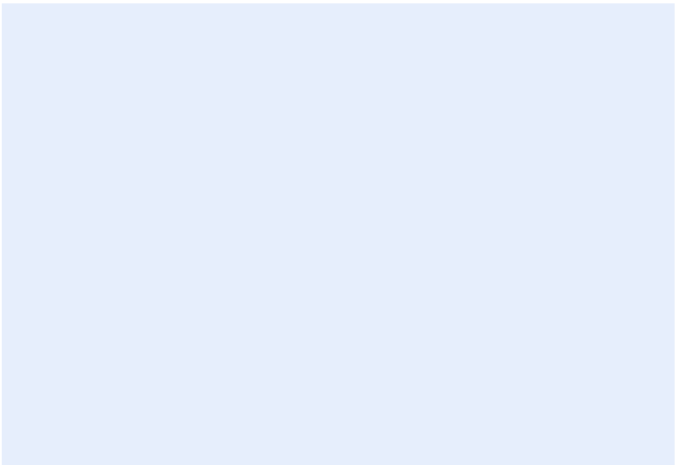
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July 2009 - June 2010	<5
July 2010 - June 2011	<5

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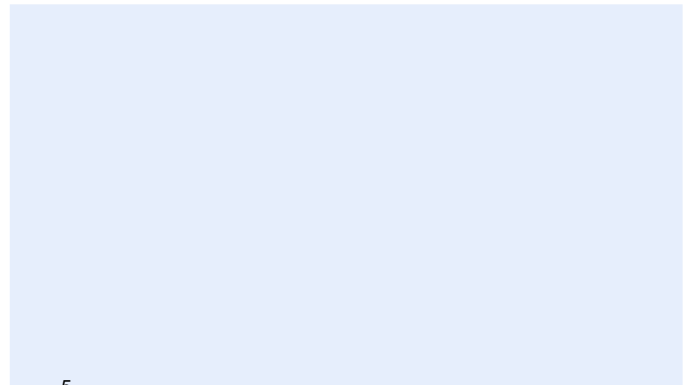


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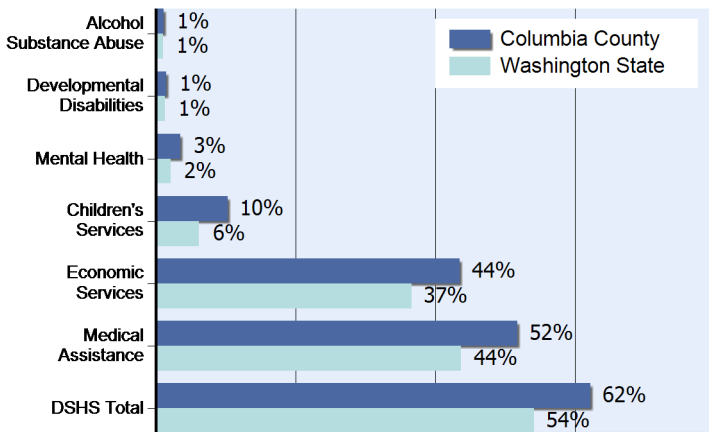
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	10
Developmental Disabilities	13
Mental Health	31
Children's Services	92
Economic Services	388
Medical Assistance	461
DSHS Total	554





# Cowlitz County

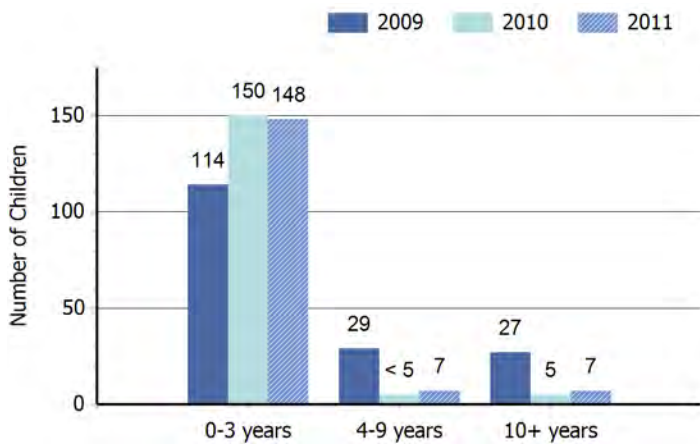
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	6,224	6,203	6,423	6,477
5-9 years	6,439	7,135	6,747	6,740
10-14 years	6,299	7,266	6,853	6,807
15-19 years	5,892	6,824	7,112	7,041
<b>Total</b>	<b>24,854</b>	<b>27,428</b>	<b>27,135</b>	<b>27,065</b>

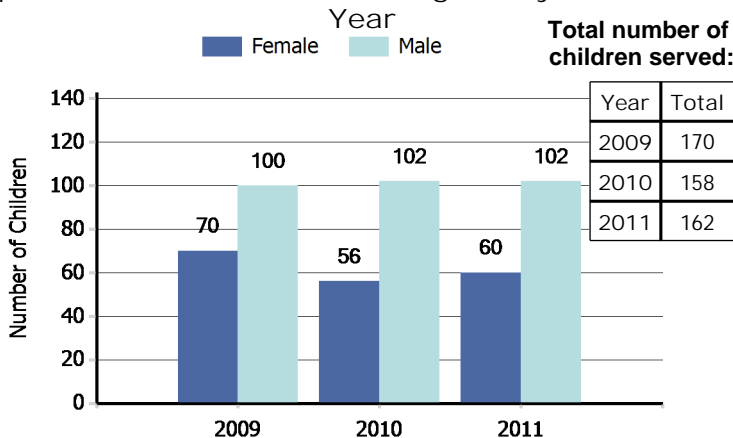
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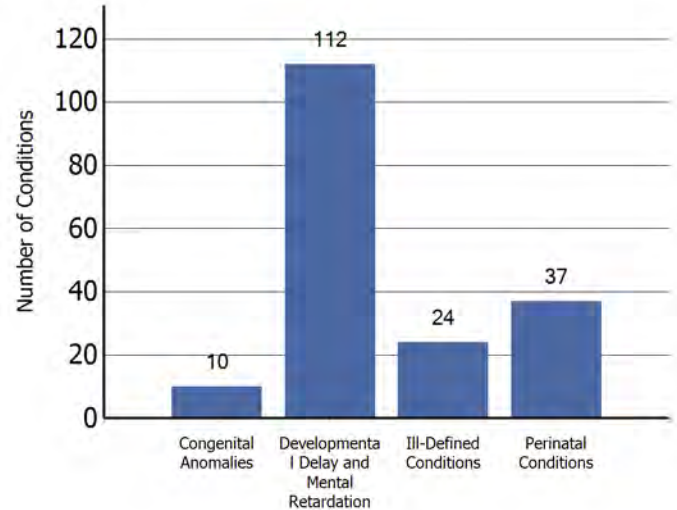


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	812
Health Impairment	374
Developmental Delay - Preschool	316
Communication Disorder	283
Autism	138
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	101
Intellectual Disabilities	92
Multiple Disabilities	91
Hearing Impairment	15
Traumatic Brain Injury	7
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,229</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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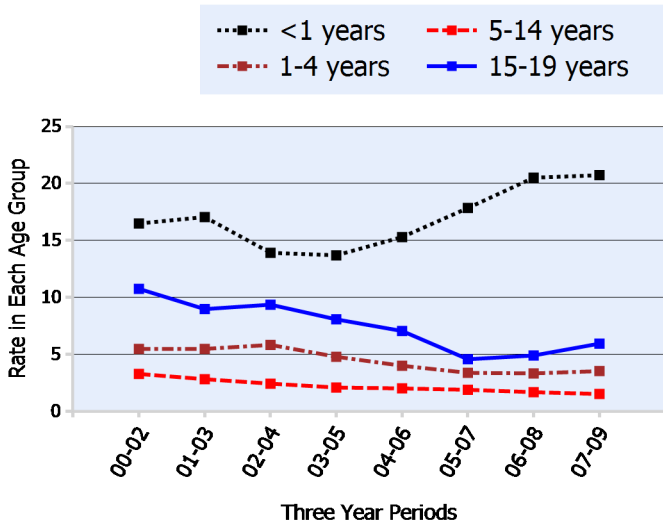


Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	88
July 2010 - June 2011	110

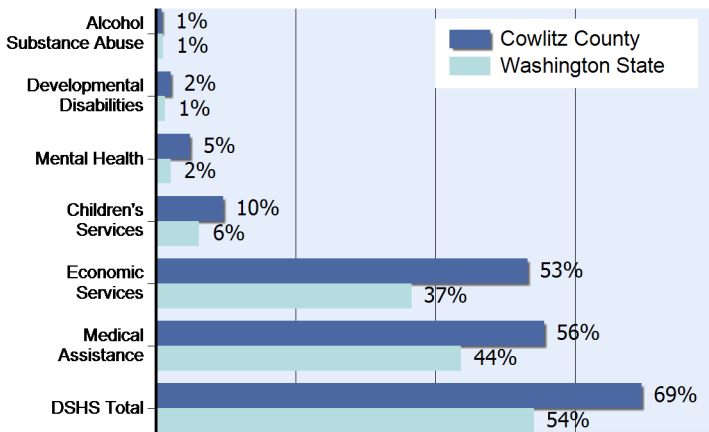
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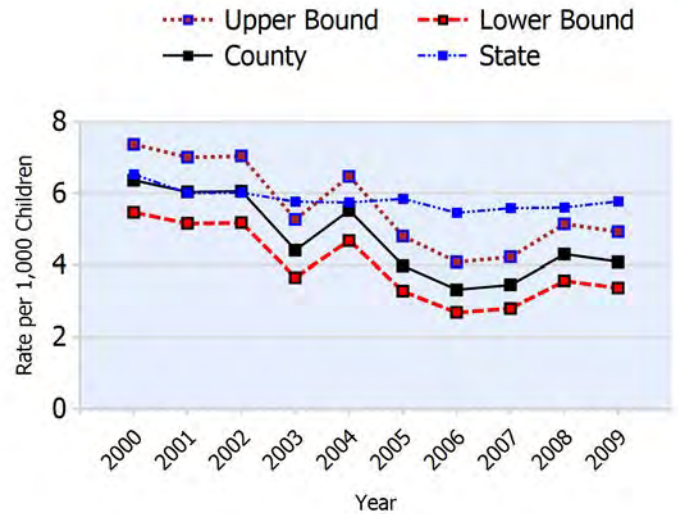
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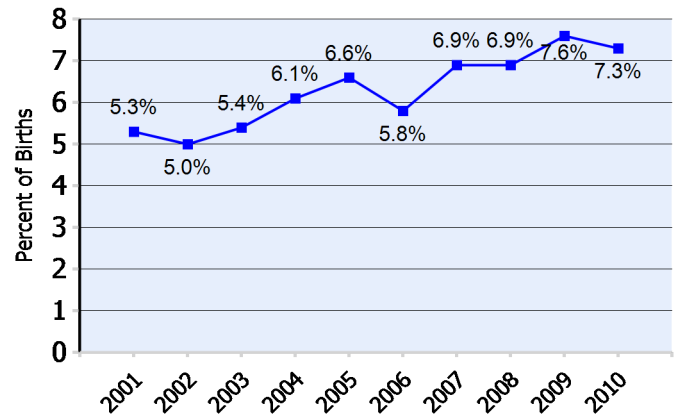
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<sup>5</sup> Percent of births for which the birthweight is known.  
Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	214
Developmental Disabilities	514
Mental Health	1,201
Children's Services	2,383
Economic Services	13,015
Medical Assistance	13,593
DSHS Total	16,988

Year	LBW	All Births
2001	65	1,223
2002	60	1,211
2003	62	1,139
2004	75	1,227
2005	82	1,242
2006	77	1,325
2007	96	1,382
2008	92	1,343
2009	98	1,298
2010	87	1,193



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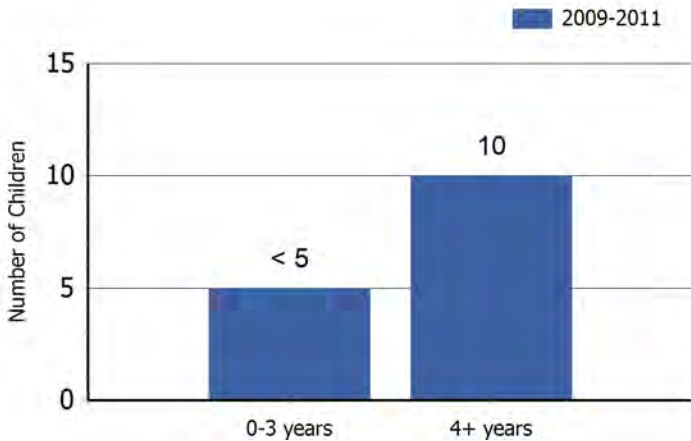
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	2,113	2,464	2,734	2,790
5-9 years	2,249	2,683	2,719	2,749
10-14 years	2,095	2,815	2,846	2,860
15-19 years	1,870	2,595	2,900	2,903
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,327</b>	<b>10,557</b>	<b>11,199</b>	<b>11,302</b>

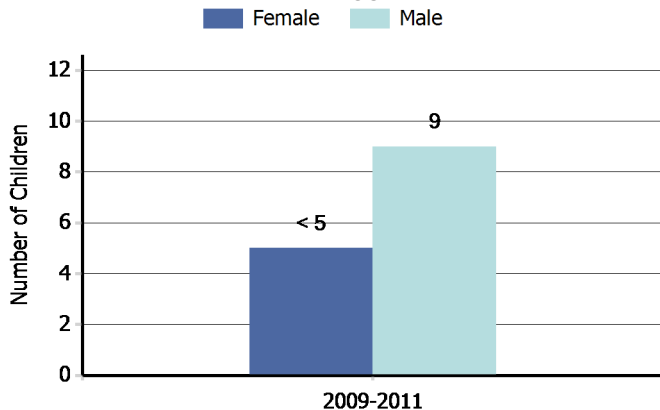
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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	337
Communication Disorder	135
Health Impairment	116
Developmental Delay - Preschool	112
Intellectual Disabilities	33
Autism	24
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	18
Multiple Disabilities	10
Hearing Impairment	7
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>792</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

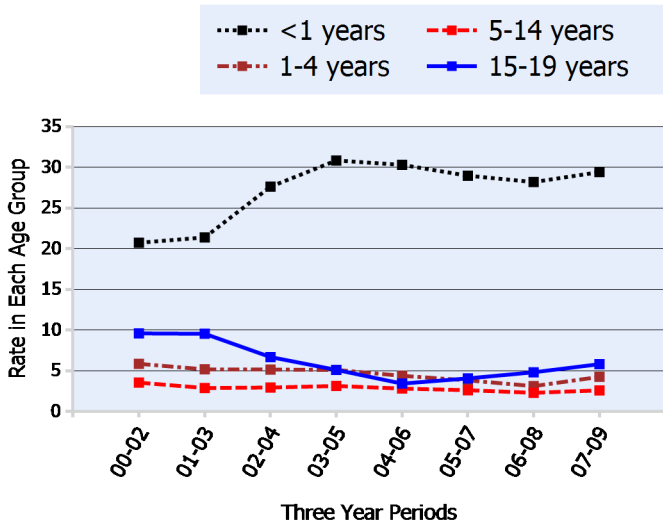
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July 2009 - June 2010	114
July 2010 - June 2011	124

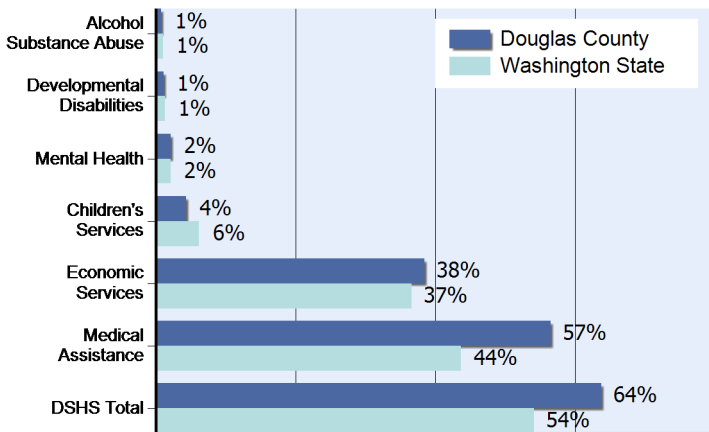
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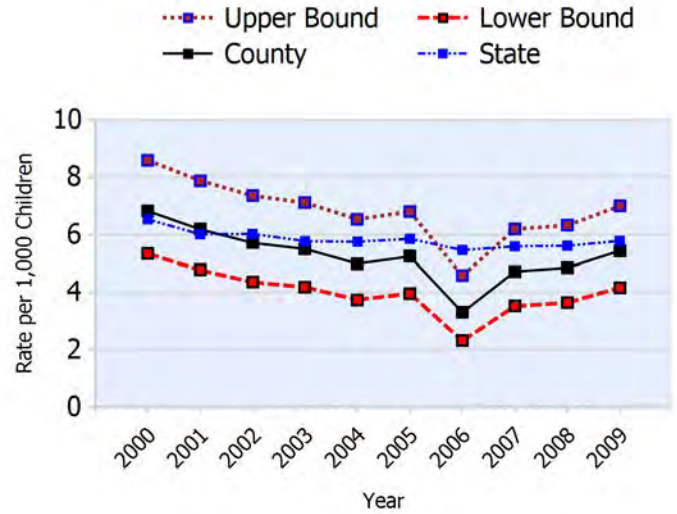
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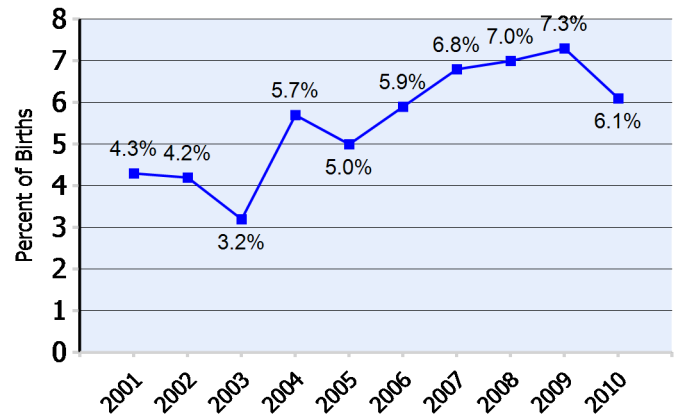
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year	LBW	All Births
Alcohol Substance Abuse	77	2001	19	440
Developmental Disabilities	113	2002	18	429
Mental Health	208	2003	14	432
Children's Services	435	2004	26	455
Economic Services	3,887	2005	26	517
Medical Assistance	5,716	2006	32	543
DSHS Total	6,439	2007	37	544
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		2009	39	537
		2010	32	523



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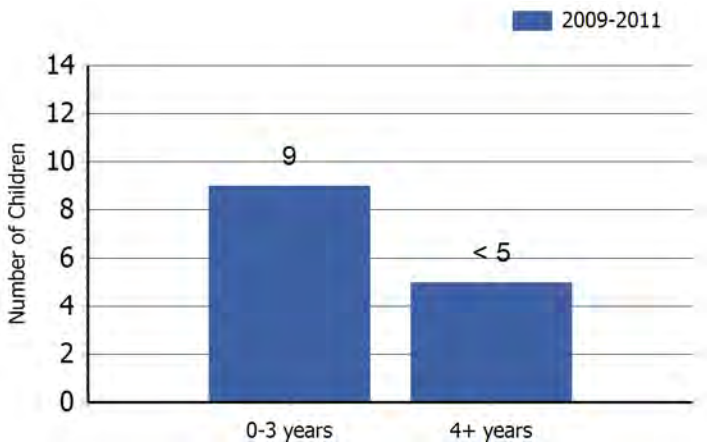
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	512	394	400	406
5-9 years	538	503	466	469
10-14 years	561	589	545	544
15-19 years	600	695	710	707
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,211</b>	<b>2,181</b>	<b>2,121</b>	<b>2,126</b>

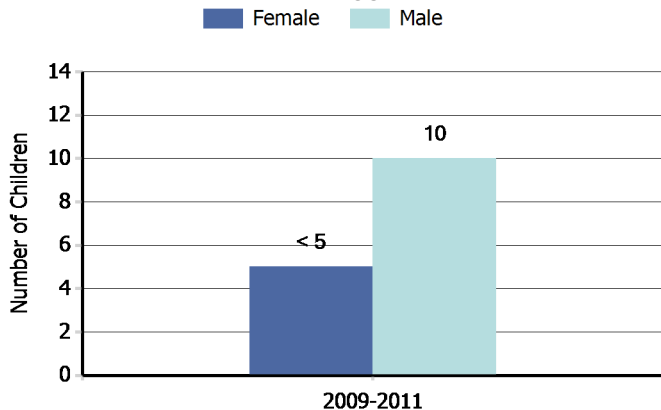
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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	46
Communication Disorder	26
Developmental Delay - Preschool	10
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	5
Intellectual Disabilities	5
Multiple Disabilities	5
Autism	<5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Health Impairment	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>97</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

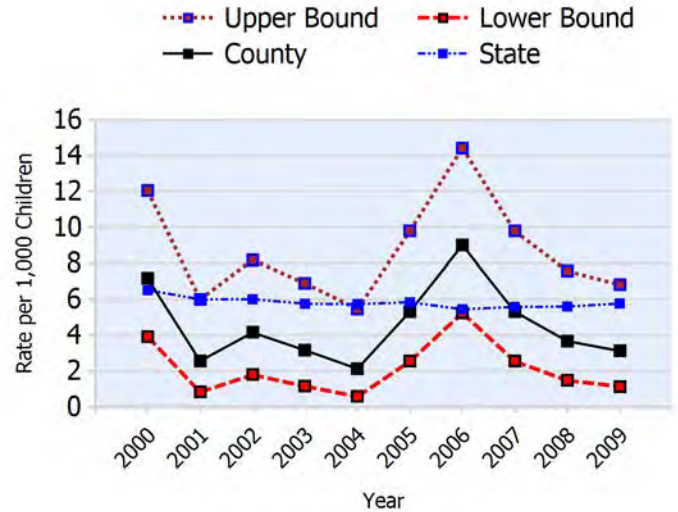
July 2009 - June 2010	29
July 2010 - June 2011	32

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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19

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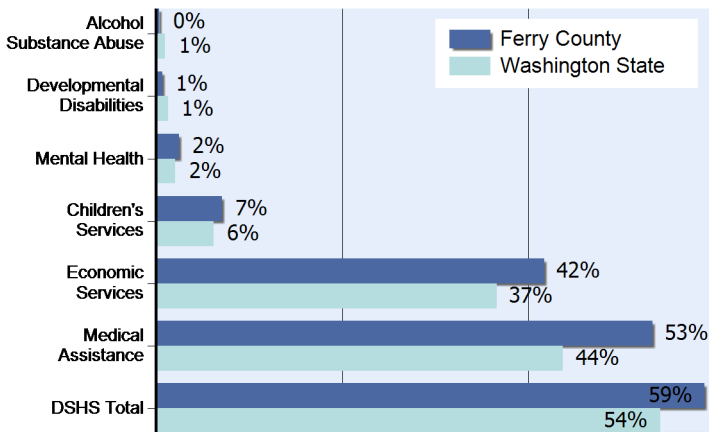
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Percent of Children Age 0-17 in Programs of the Department of Social and Health Services:<sup>7</sup> June 2007 - July 2008



<sup>7</sup>Based upon unduplicated count of children within each service category.  
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	8
Developmental Disabilities	13
Mental Health	47
Children's Services	134
Economic Services	784
Medical Assistance	1,003
DSHS Total	1,107



# Franklin County

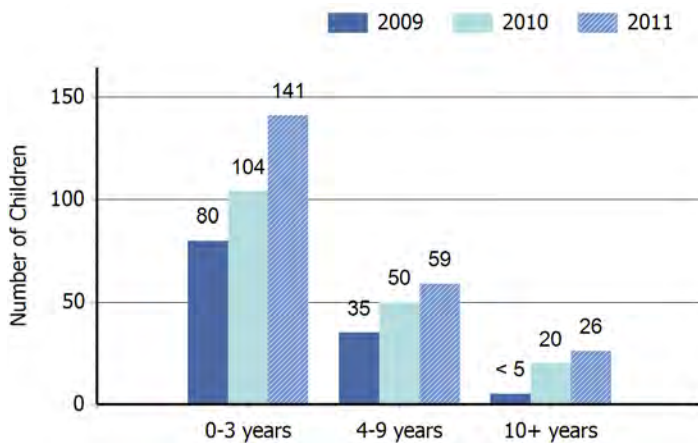
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	3,618	4,933	6,924	7,222
5-9 years	3,943	4,861	6,234	6,439
10-14 years	3,507	4,466	5,715	5,867
15-19 years	3,137	4,503	6,369	6,513
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,205</b>	<b>18,763</b>	<b>25,242</b>	<b>26,041</b>

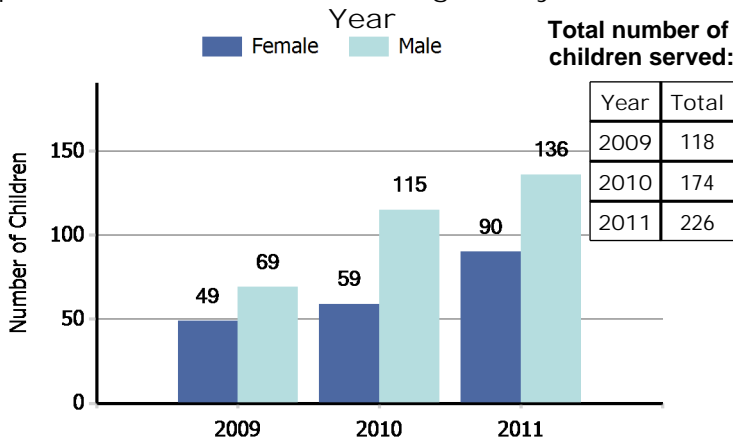
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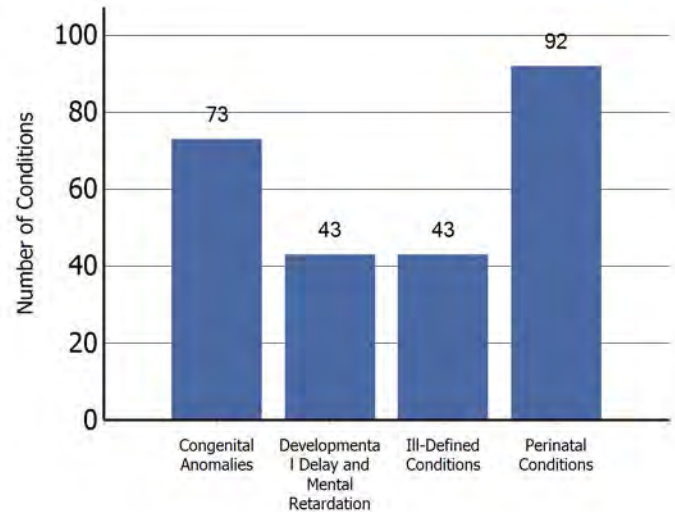


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	1,010
Communication Disorder	319
Health Impairment	286
Developmental Delay - Preschool	219
Intellectual Disabilities	81
Autism	78
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	48
Hearing Impairment	22
Deafness	18
Multiple Disabilities	16
Visual Impairments	13
Orthopedic Impairment	11
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,121</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

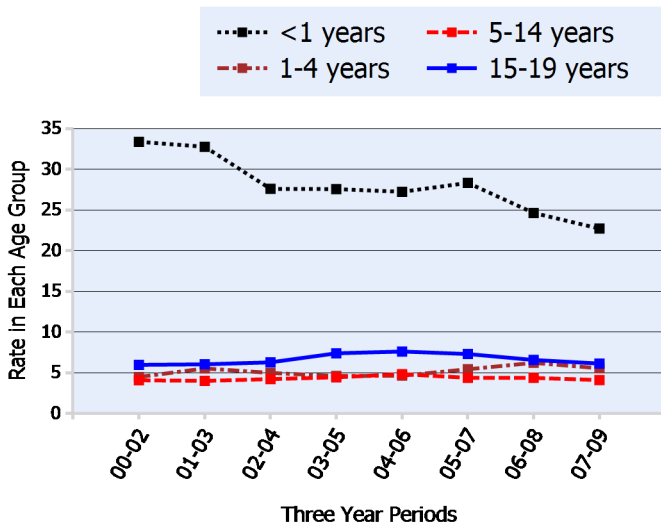
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	264
July 2010 - June 2011	296

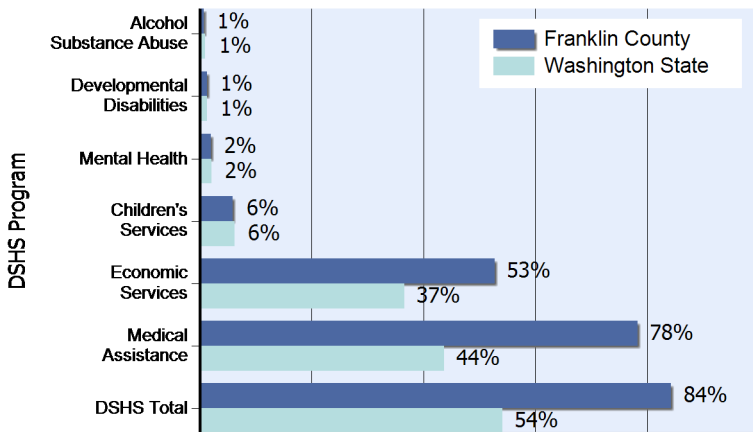
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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19



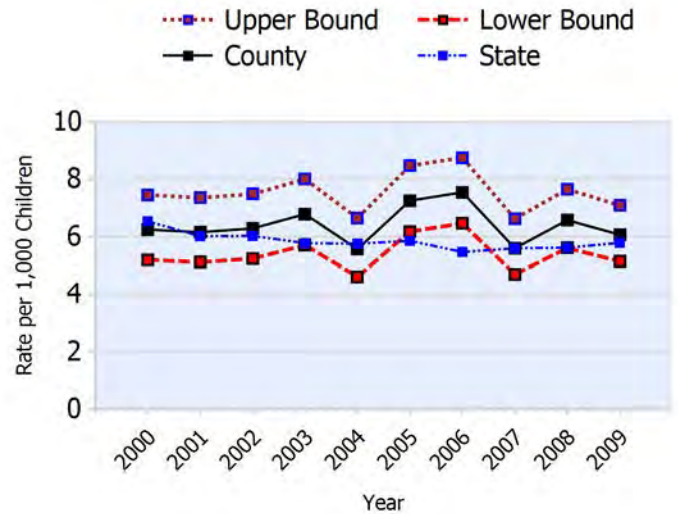
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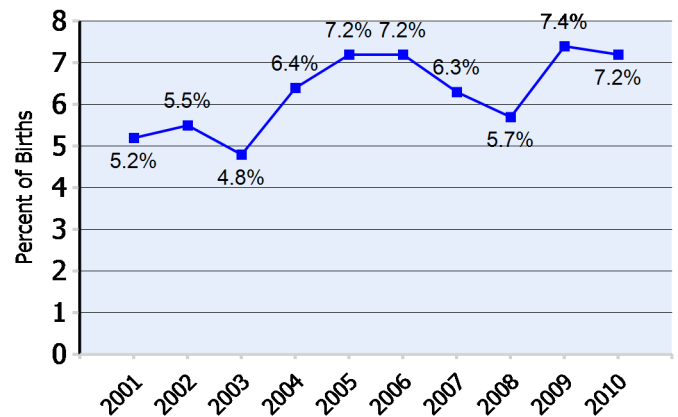
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Hospitalization Rate<sup>8</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Age 0-19 Years



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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	160	2001	60 1,147
Developmental Disabilities	295	2002	65 1,189
Mental Health	449	2003	63 1,322
Children's Services	1,348	2004	85 1,320
Economic Services	12,020	2005	106 1,481
Medical Assistance	17,870	2006	110 1,534
DSHS Total	19,227	2007	100 1,583
		2008	94 1,654
		2009	124 1,686
		2010	120 1,661



# Garfield County

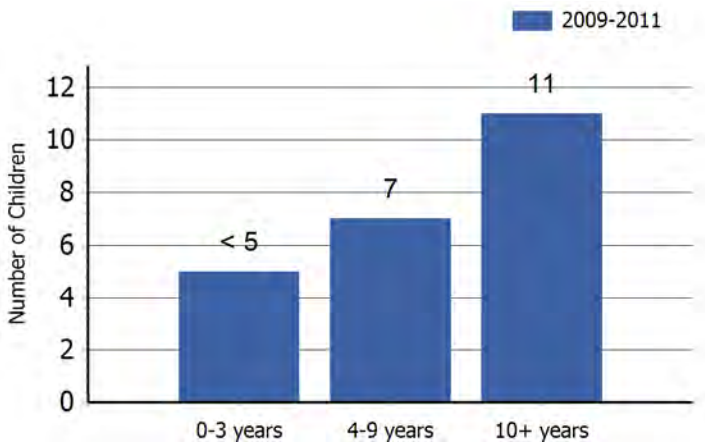
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	121	110	102	99
5-9 years	179	162	137	133
10-14 years	179	199	168	162
15-19 years	128	206	192	185
<b>Total</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>579</b>

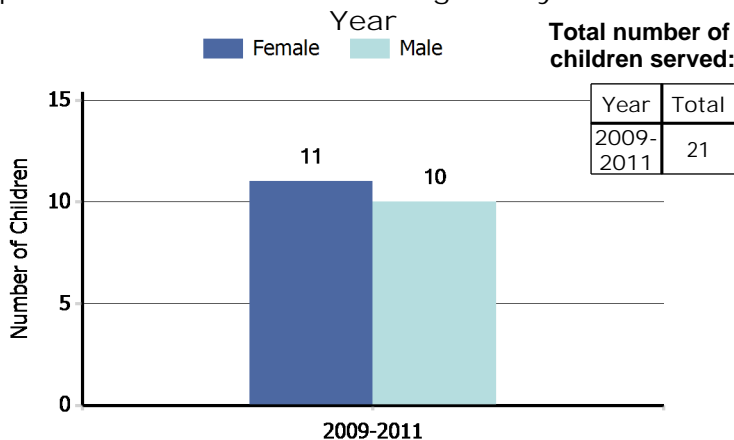
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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	22
Communication Disorder	16
Health Impairment	12
Autism	<5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Developmental Delay - Preschool	<5
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Intellectual Disabilities	<5
Multiple Disabilities	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>50</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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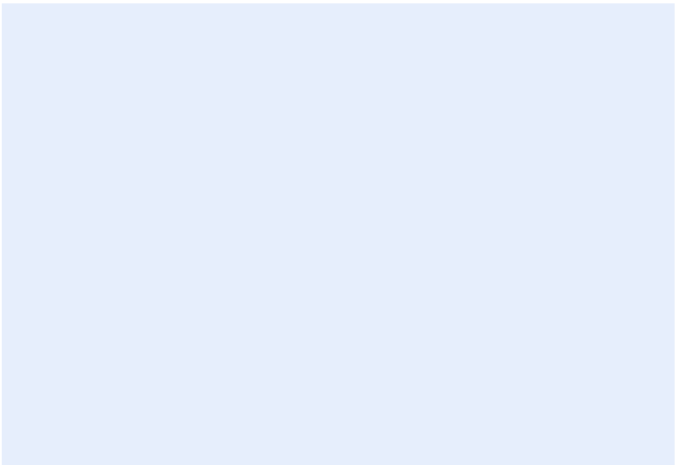
Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	<5
July 2010 - June 2011	<5

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 Source: Early Support for Infants and Toddlers (ESIT), Washington State Department of Early Learning, Accessed 11/15/11. Program information and data are available at: <http://www.del.wa.gov/publications/esit/Default.aspx>.

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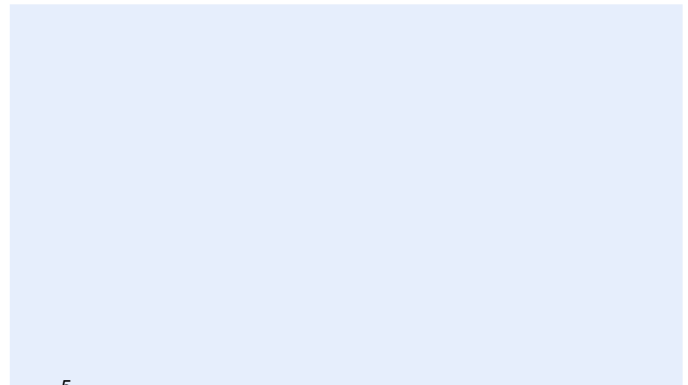


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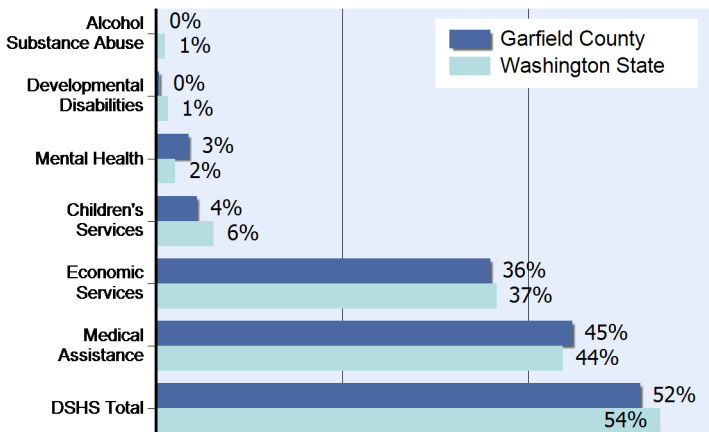
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	0
Developmental Disabilities	< 5
Mental Health	19
Children's Services	24
Economic Services	196
Medical Assistance	244
DSHS Total	284





# Grant County

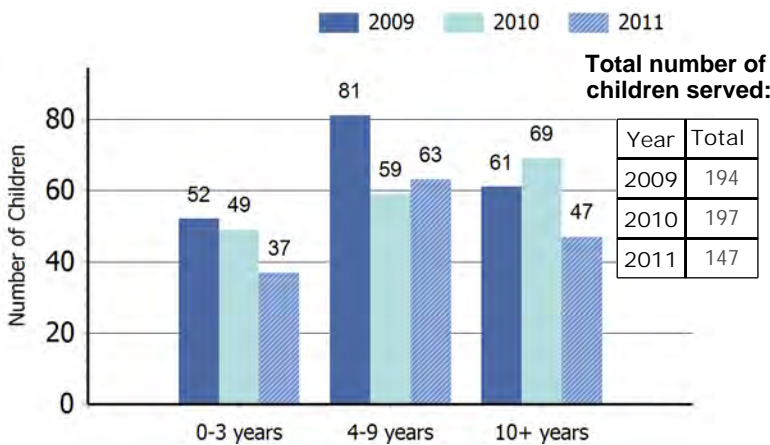
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	4,861	6,524	7,241	7,404
5-9 years	5,069	6,600	6,690	6,777
10-14 years	4,709	6,719	6,797	6,843
15-19 years	4,237	6,519	7,287	7,310
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,876</b>	<b>26,362</b>	<b>28,015</b>	<b>28,334</b>

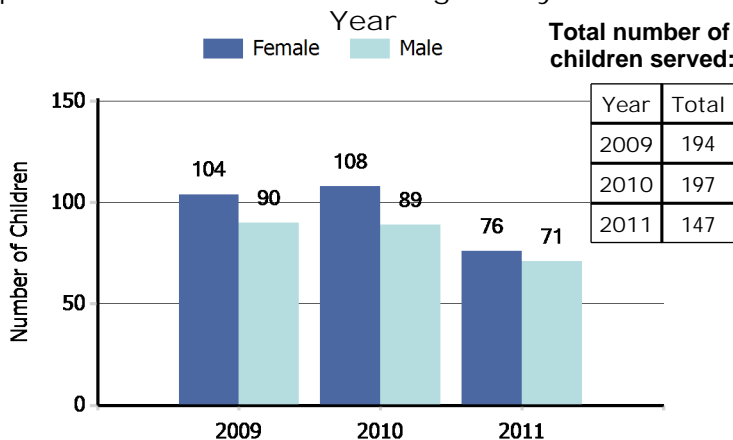
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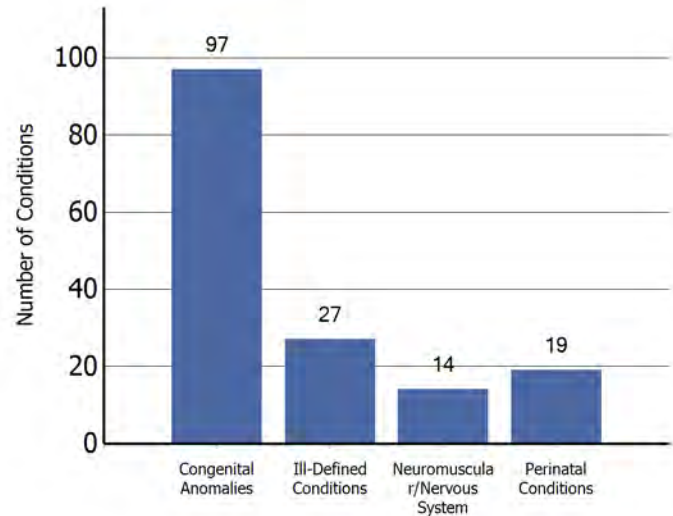


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	810
Communication Disorder	453
Developmental Delay - Preschool	366
Health Impairment	239
Intellectual Disabilities	115
Autism	81
Multiple Disabilities	33
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	23
Orthopedic Impairment	20
Hearing Impairment	15
Visual Impairments	11
Traumatic Brain Injury	10
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,176</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

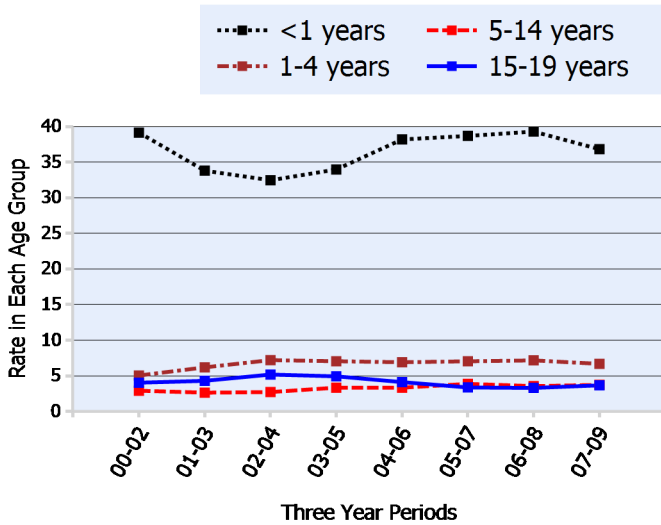
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	74
July 2010 - June 2011	85

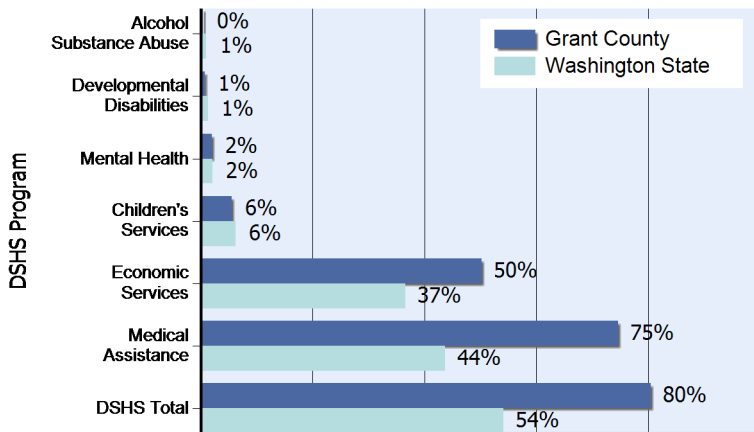
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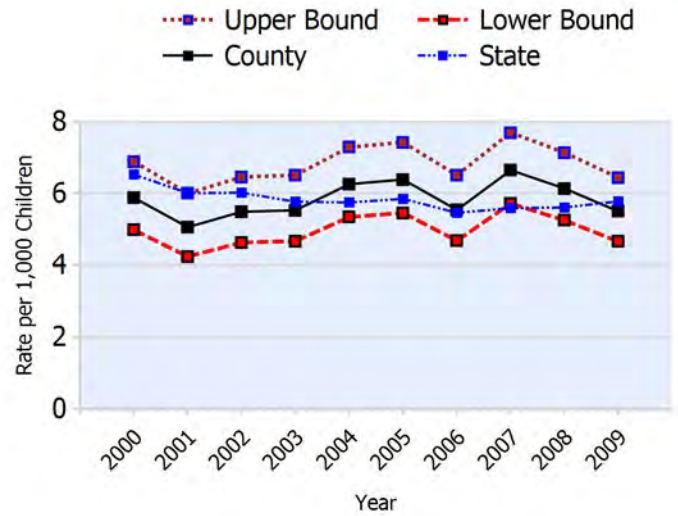
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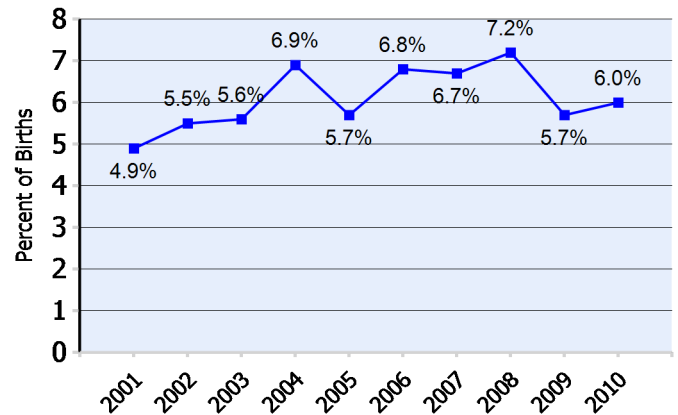
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	105	2001	64 1,313
Developmental Disabilities	186	2002	77 1,389
Mental Health	510	2003	80 1,429
Children's Services	1,396	2004	99 1,441
Economic Services	12,679	2005	82 1,451
Medical Assistance	18,828	2006	105 1,549
DSHS Total	20,318	2007	105 1,567
		2008	117 1,635
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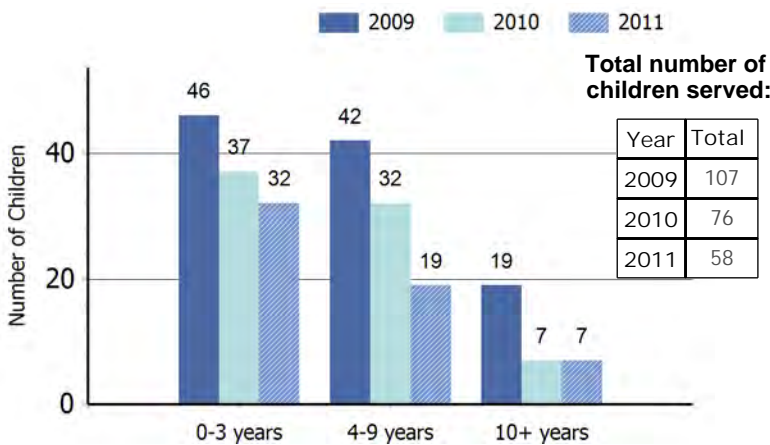
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	4,788	4,185	4,270	4,297
5-9 years	5,016	4,599	4,286	4,272
10-14 years	4,873	5,176	4,812	4,768
15-19 years	4,272	5,147	5,287	5,222
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,949</b>	<b>19,107</b>	<b>18,655</b>	<b>18,559</b>

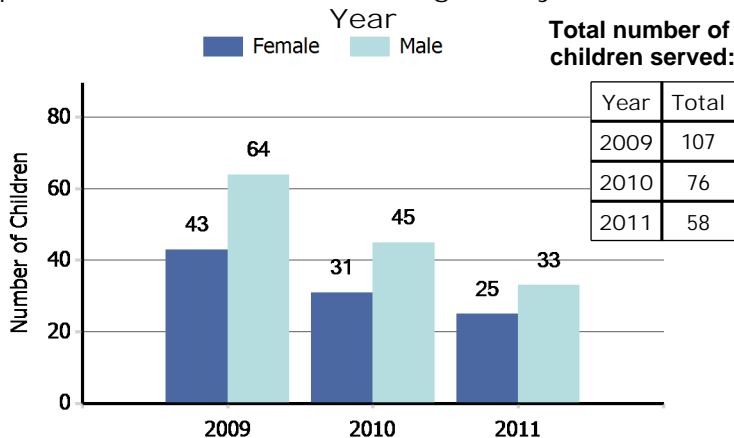
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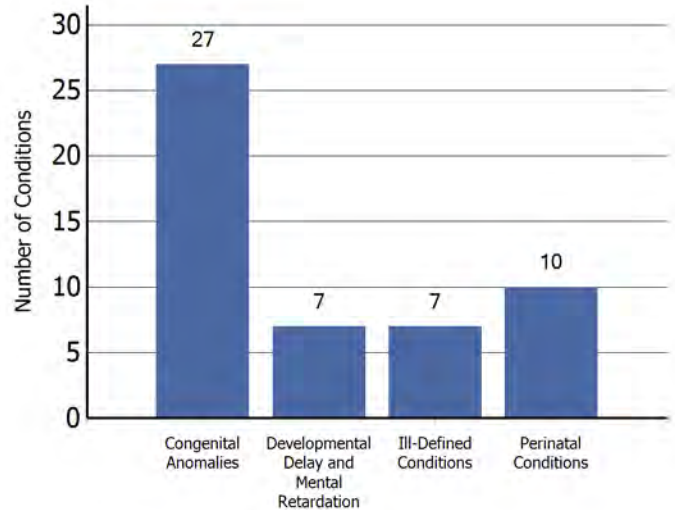


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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	482
Communication Disorder	281
Developmental Delay - Preschool	245
Health Impairment	206
Intellectual Disabilities	80
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	66
Autism	58
Multiple Disabilities	47
Hearing Impairment	6
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,471</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

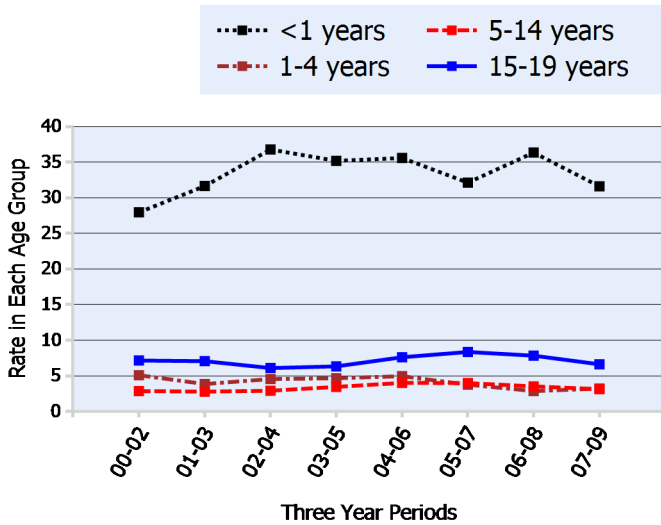
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	36
July 2010 - June 2011	37

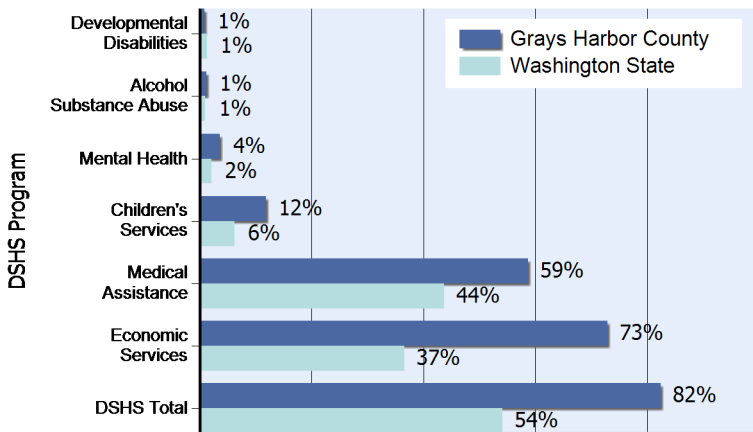
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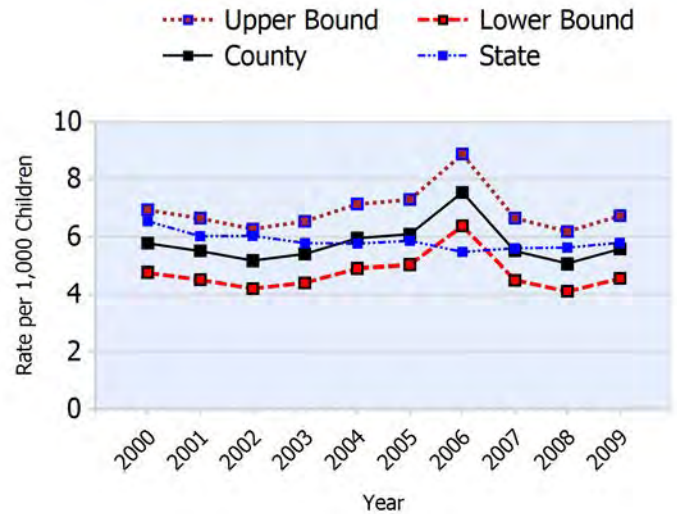
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Percent of Children Age 0-17 in Programs of the Department of Social and Health Services:<sup>7</sup> June 2007 - July 2008



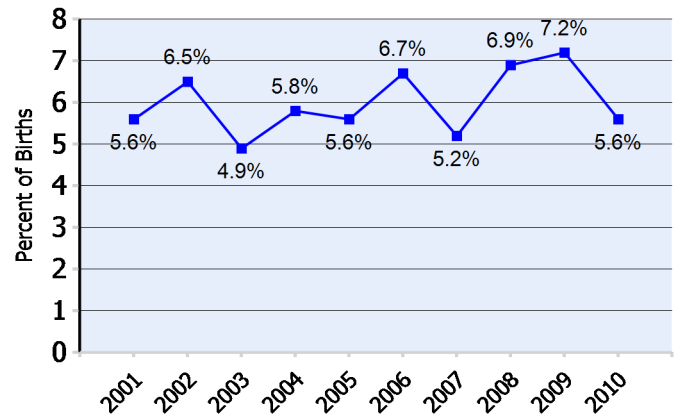
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year	LBW	All Births
Developmental Disabilities	129	2001	43	766
Alcohol Substance Abuse	204	2002	52	802
Mental Health	608	2003	40	816
Children's Services	1,984	2004	48	829
Medical Assistance	9,815	2005	48	856
Economic Services	12,176	2006	59	884
DSHS Total	13,775	2007	45	863
		2008	63	913
		2009	60	839
		2010	47	846



# Island County

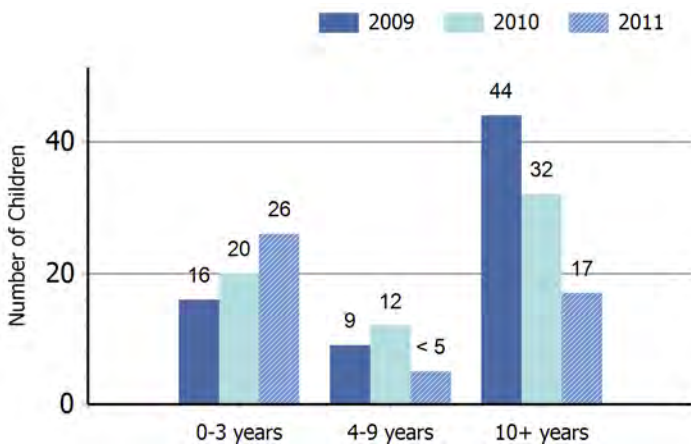
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	5,031	4,781	5,141	5,211
5-9 years	4,626	5,179	5,085	5,107
10-14 years	3,869	5,259	5,150	5,143
15-19 years	3,479	4,734	5,121	5,098
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,005</b>	<b>19,953</b>	<b>20,497</b>	<b>20,559</b>

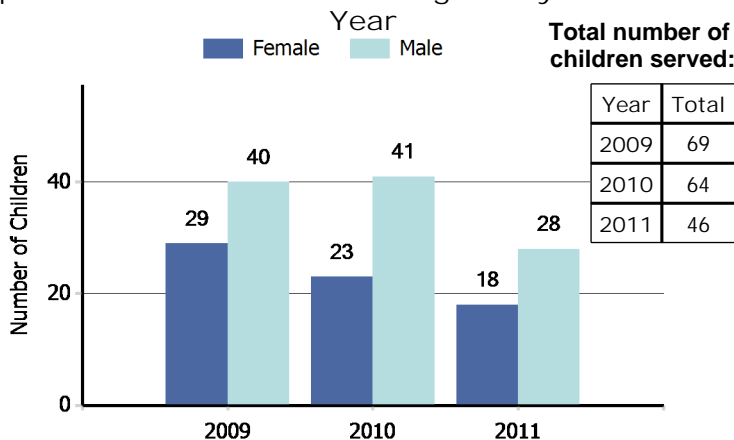
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Number<sup>1</sup> of Children Served by Children with Special Health Care Needs Program by Age Group and Year



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Number<sup>2</sup> of Children Served by Children with Special Health Care Needs Program by Gender and Year

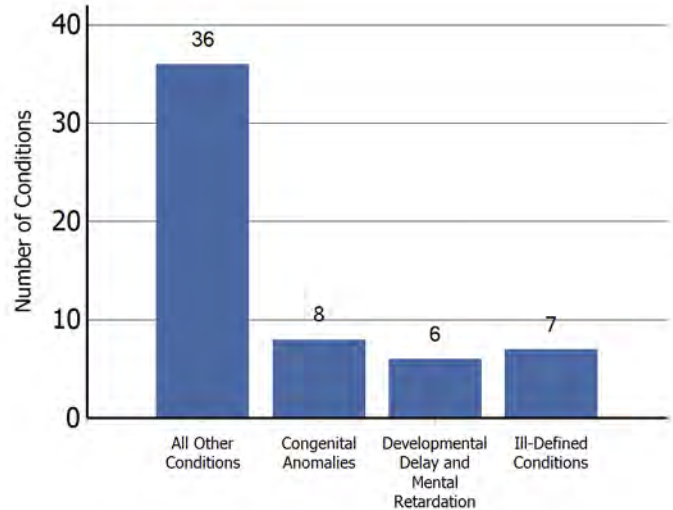


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	333
Communication Disorder	204
Health Impairment	160
Developmental Delay - Preschool	124
Autism	108
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	60
Intellectual Disabilities	37
Multiple Disabilities	16
Orthopedic Impairment	7
Traumatic Brain Injury	6
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,055</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

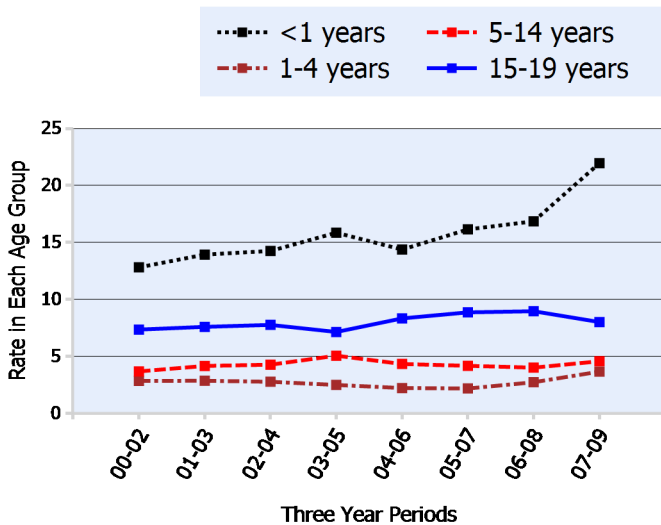
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	81
July 2010 - June 2011	80

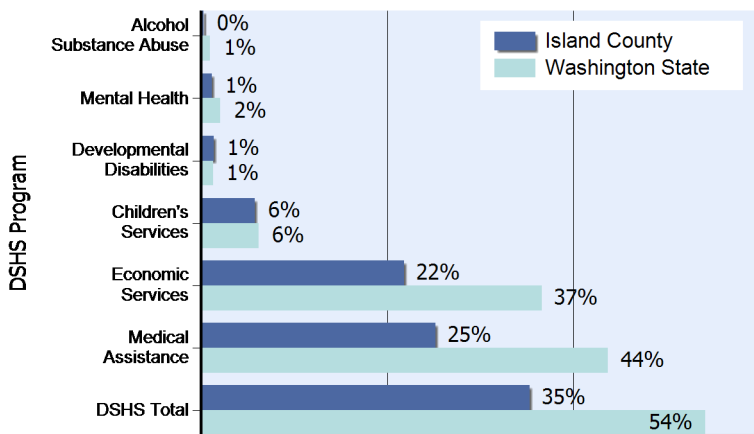
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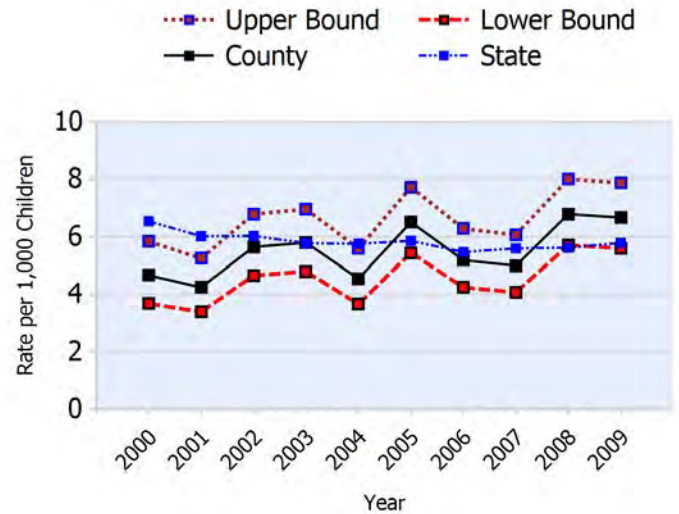
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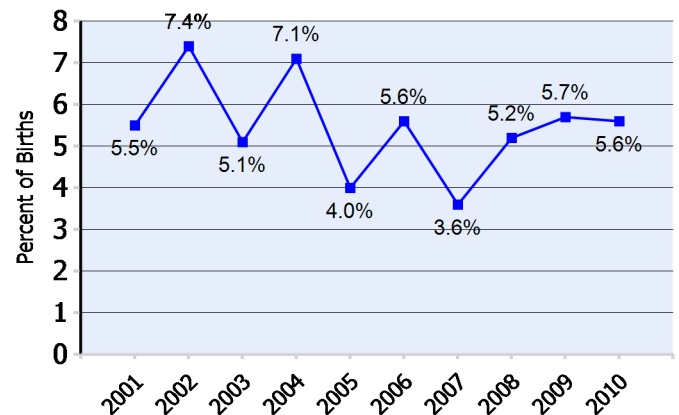
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year	LBW	All Births
Alcohol Substance Abuse	55	2001	49	896
Mental Health	227	2002	68	923
Developmental Disabilities	257	2003	48	943
Children's Services	1,081	2004	69	978
Economic Services	4,060	2005	40	989
Medical Assistance	4,698	2006	52	921
DSHS Total	6,573	2007	35	981
		2008	50	953
		2009	51	899
		2010	52	927

# Jefferson County

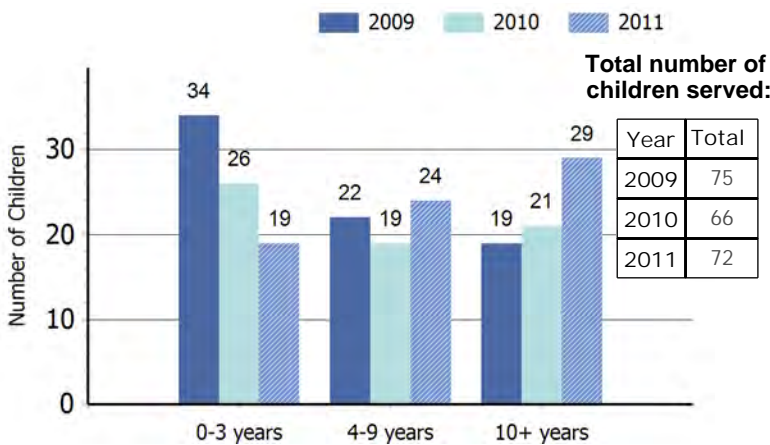
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	1,174	1,059	1,097	1,103
5-9 years	1,362	1,409	1,333	1,328
10-14 years	1,315	1,640	1,547	1,533
15-19 years	1,054	1,536	1,620	1,601
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,905</b>	<b>5,644</b>	<b>5,597</b>	<b>5,565</b>

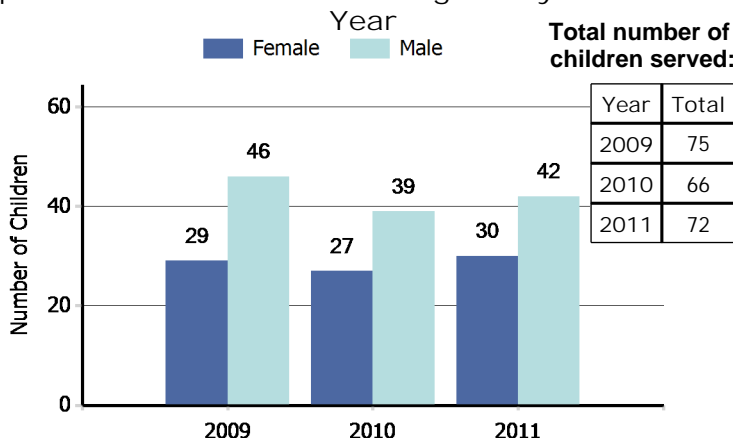
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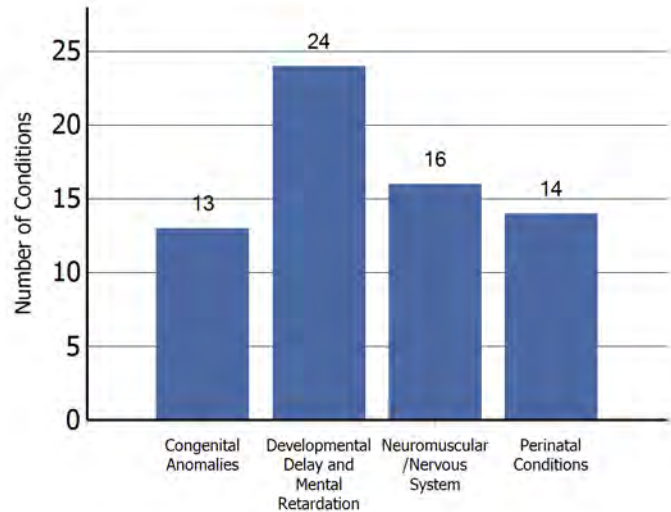


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	137
Developmental Delay - Preschool	65
Health Impairment	55
Communication Disorder	42
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	31
Intellectual Disabilities	15
Autism	13
Multiple Disabilities	8
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>366</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

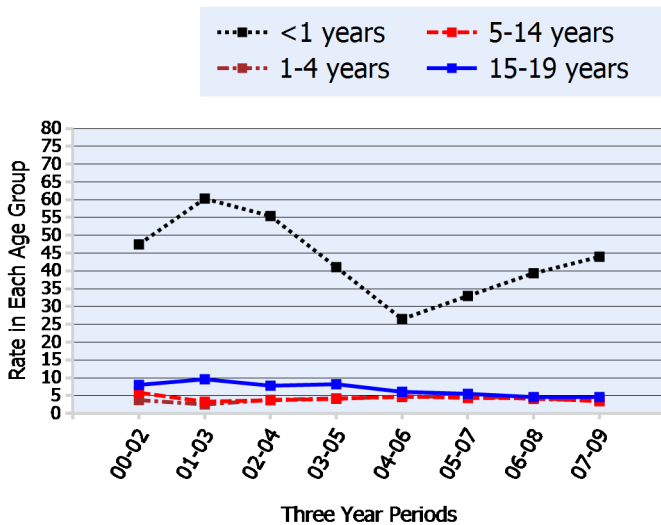
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July 2009 - June 2010	16
July 2010 - June 2011	18

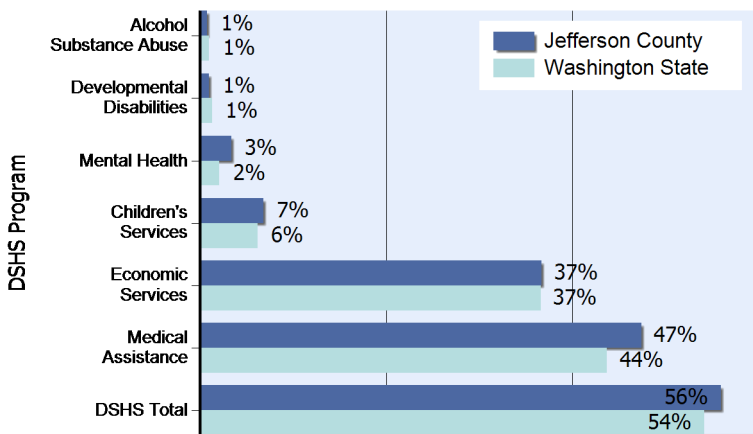
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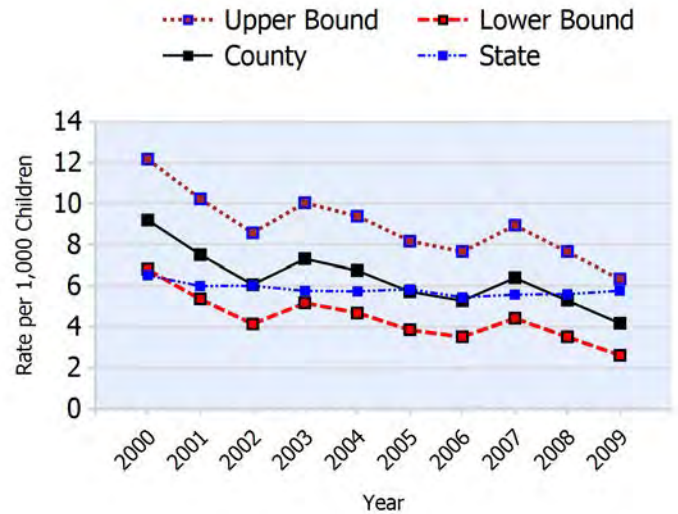
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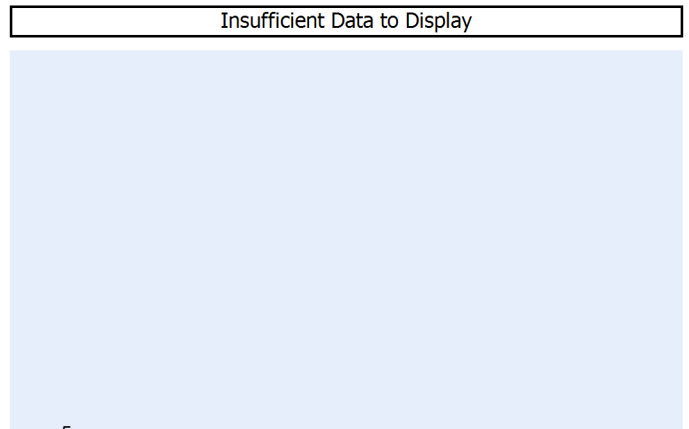
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Number and Percent<sup>5</sup> of Babies Born with Low Birth Weight (less than 2,500 grams)



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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	38
Developmental Disabilities	51
Mental Health	174
Children's Services	342
Economic Services	1,856
Medical Assistance	2,397
DSHS Total	2,830



# King County

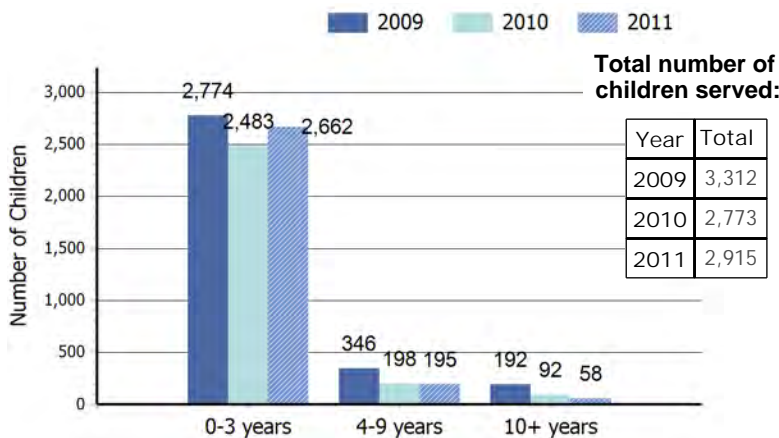
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	106,849	105,321	112,230	114,032
5-9 years	98,529	111,162	108,148	108,893
10-14 years	87,109	109,992	106,728	106,859
15-19 years	88,669	108,262	116,060	115,833
<b>Total</b>	<b>381,156</b>	<b>434,737</b>	<b>443,166</b>	<b>445,617</b>

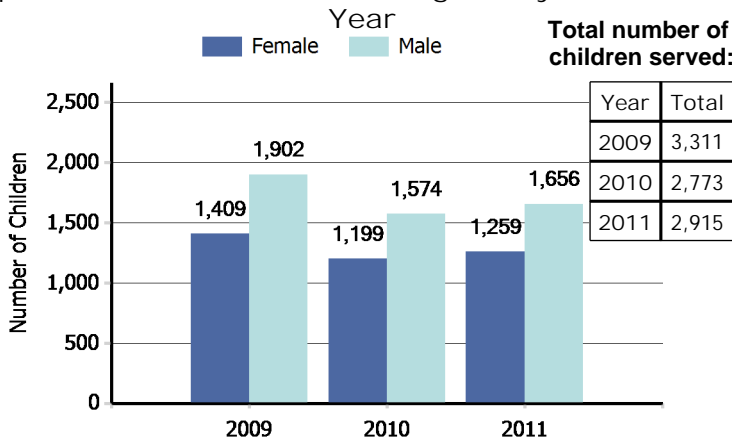
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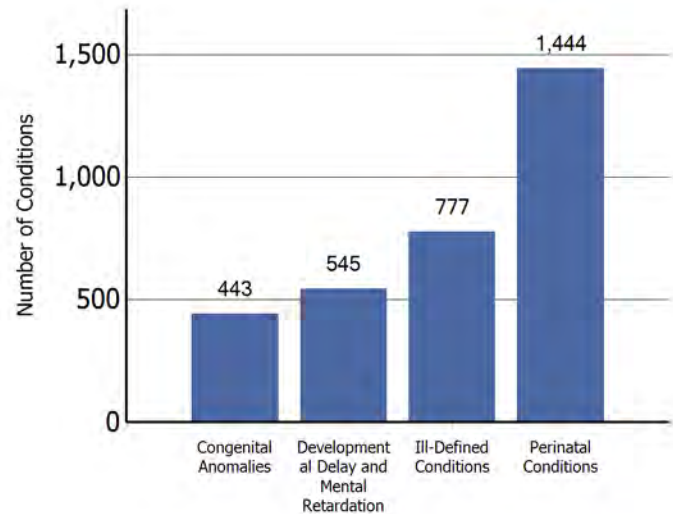


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	11,102
Health Impairment	6,454
Communication Disorder	3,739
Developmental Delay - Preschool	3,686
Autism	2,623
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	1,195
Intellectual Disabilities	834
Multiple Disabilities	494
Hearing Impairment	206
Orthopedic Impairment	93
Traumatic Brain Injury	78
Visual Impairments	76
Deafness	61
Deaf - Blindness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30,641</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

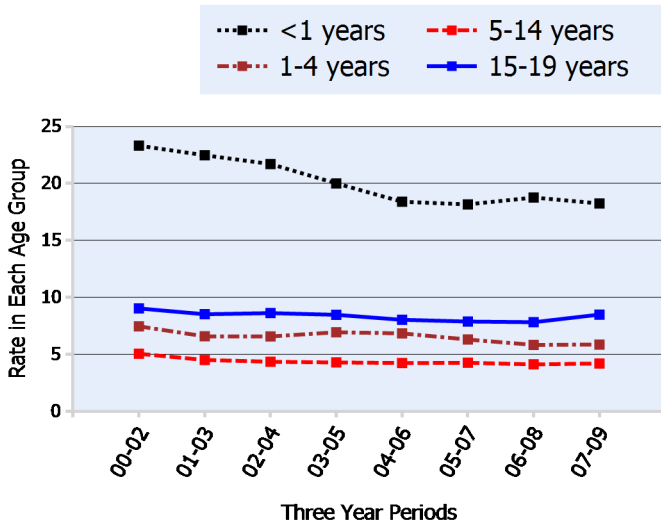
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	1,339
July 2010 - June 2011	1,454

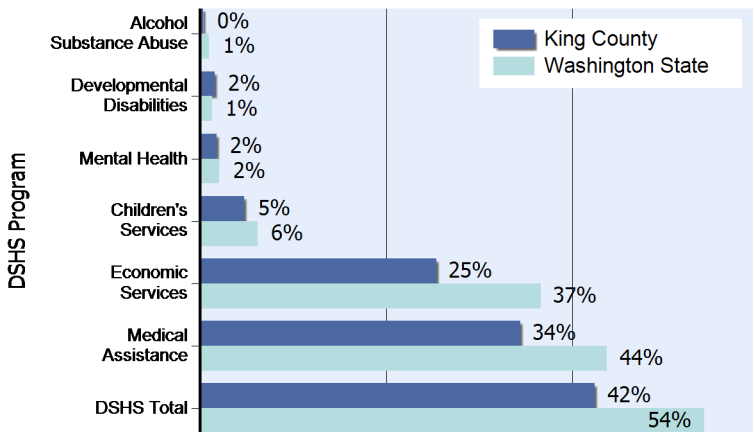
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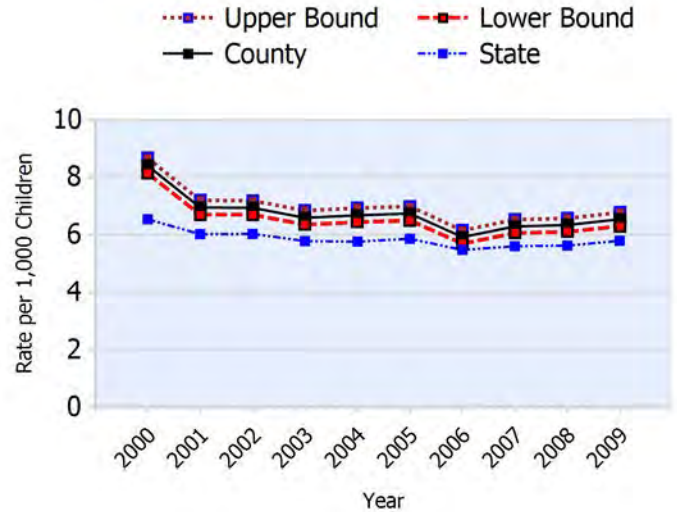
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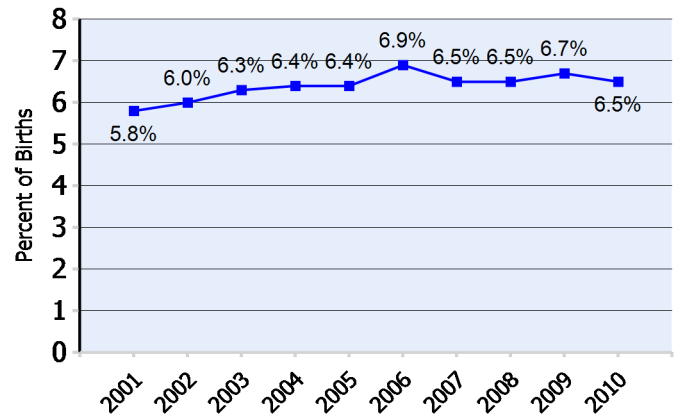
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	1,670	2001	1,255 21,627
Developmental Disabilities	6,318	2002	1,309 21,655
Mental Health	7,170	2003	1,396 22,268
Children's Services	18,790	2004	1,453 22,753
Economic Services	100,282	2005	1,453 22,585
Medical Assistance	135,729	2006	1,680 24,175
DSHS Total	167,485	2007	1,627 24,855
		2008	1,634 25,171
		2009	1,668 24,995
		2010	1,597 24,464

# Kitsap County

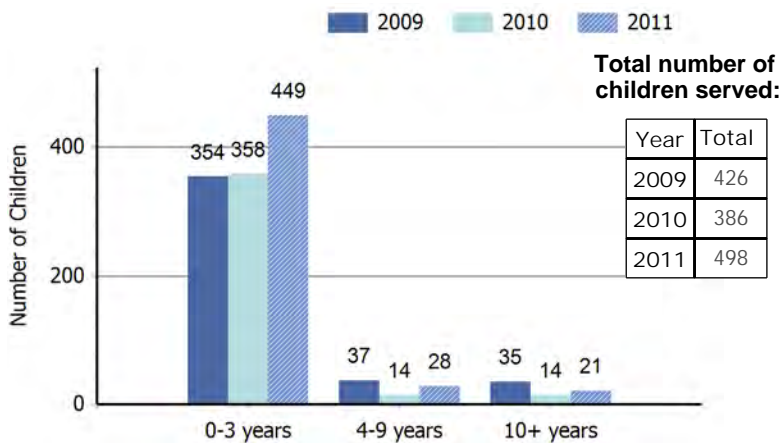
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	15,770	15,536	16,200	16,305
5-9 years	15,615	17,468	16,630	16,586
10-14 years	14,116	18,194	17,275	17,133
15-19 years	13,247	17,170	18,010	17,804
<b>Total</b>	<b>58,748</b>	<b>68,368</b>	<b>68,115</b>	<b>67,828</b>

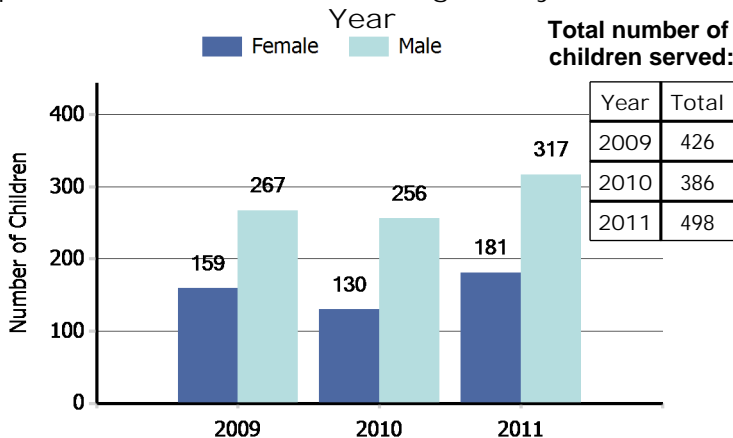
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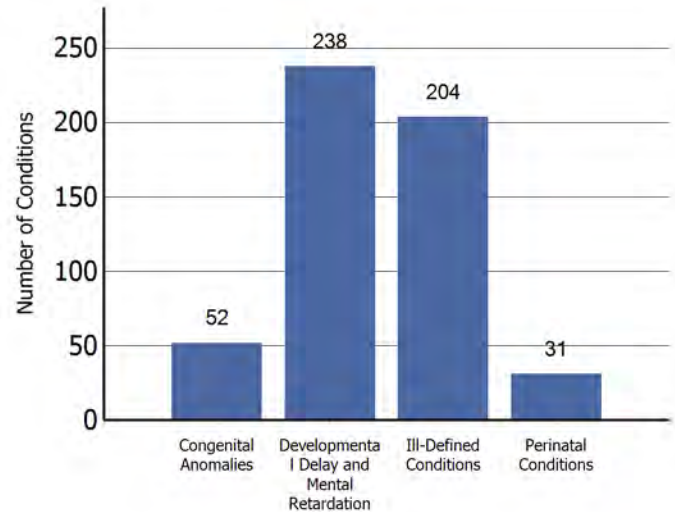


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	1,691
Communication Disorder	907
Health Impairment	881
Developmental Delay - Preschool	624
Autism	517
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	182
Intellectual Disabilities	167
Multiple Disabilities	133
Hearing Impairment	45
Orthopedic Impairment	34
Traumatic Brain Injury	11
Visual Impairments	10
Deafness	6
Deaf - Blindness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,208</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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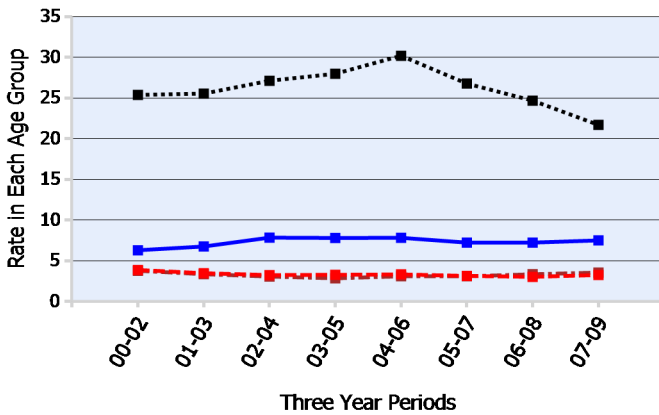
Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	223
July 2010 - June 2011	258

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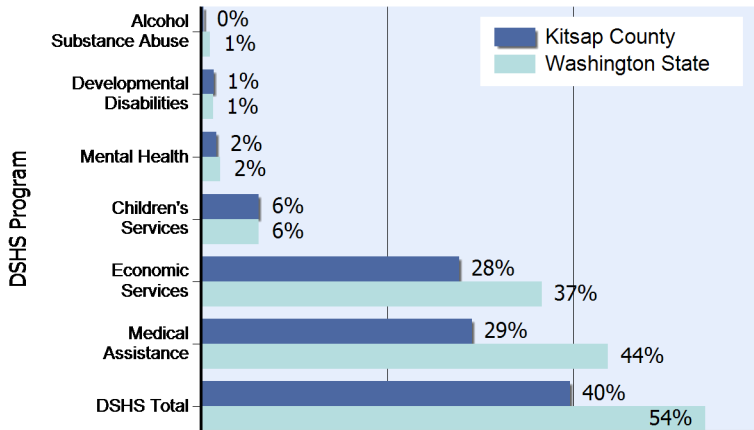
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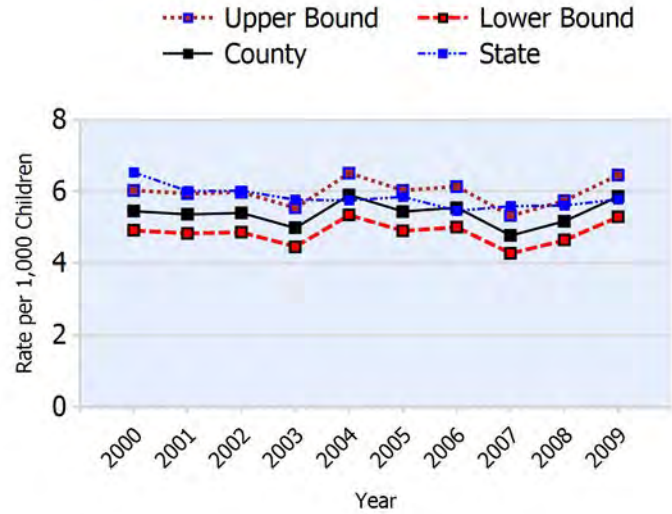
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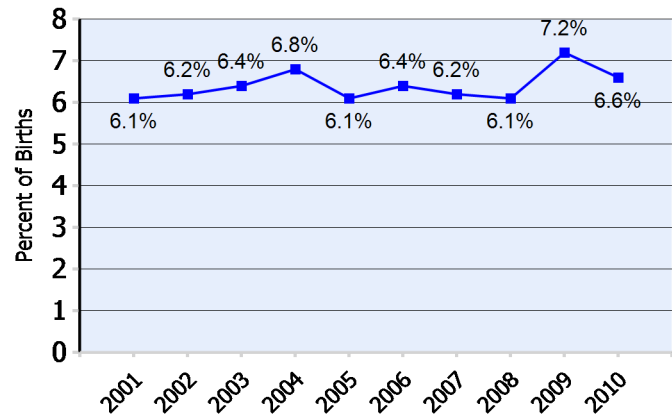
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<sup>5</sup> Percent of births for which the birthweight is known.  
Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	214	2001	178 2,941
Developmental Disabilities	876	2002	182 2,925
Mental Health	1,048	2003	193 3,010
Children's Services	3,800	2004	204 3,006
Economic Services	17,023	2005	177 2,900
Medical Assistance	17,883	2006	194 3,039
DSHS Total	24,322	2007	180 2,892
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		2010	192 2,922





# Kittitas County

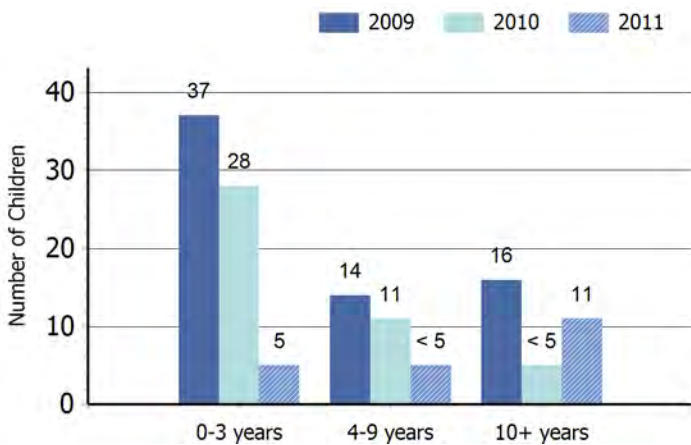
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	1,536	1,706	1,930	1,959
5-9 years	1,669	1,870	1,931	1,943
10-14 years	1,578	1,990	2,050	2,051
15-19 years	2,719	3,264	3,716	3,705
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,502</b>	<b>8,830</b>	<b>9,627</b>	<b>9,658</b>

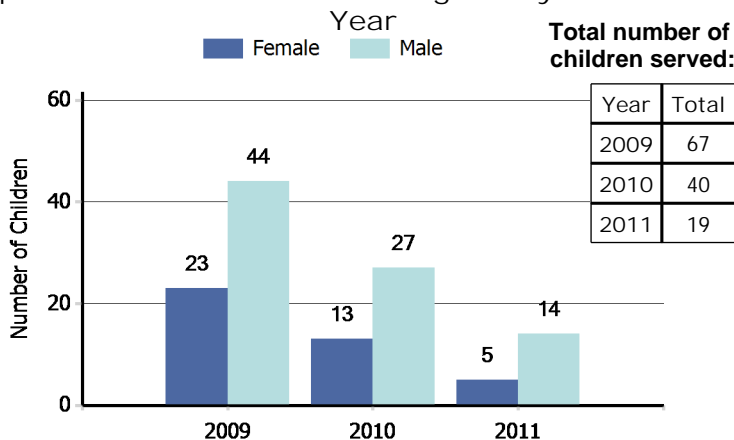
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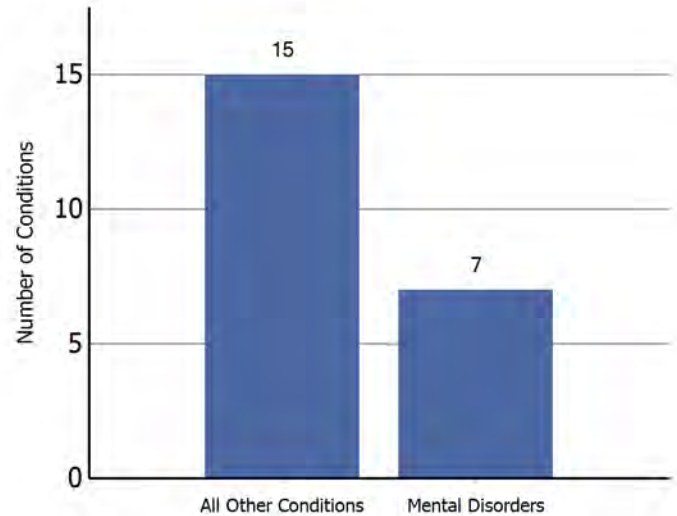


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Leading Four Diagnostic Categories<sup>3</sup> among Children Served by the Children with Special Health Care Needs Program: 2011



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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	213
Communication Disorder	121
Health Impairment	91
Developmental Delay - Preschool	79
Intellectual Disabilities	23
Autism	22
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	17
Multiple Disabilities	9
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>575</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

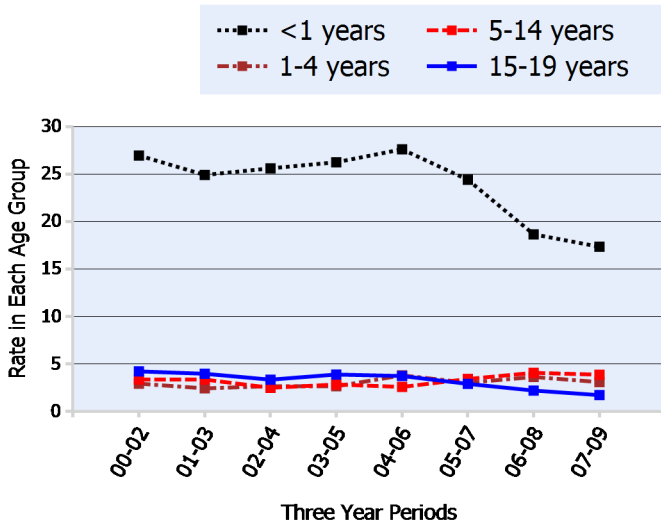
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	19
July 2010 - June 2011	27

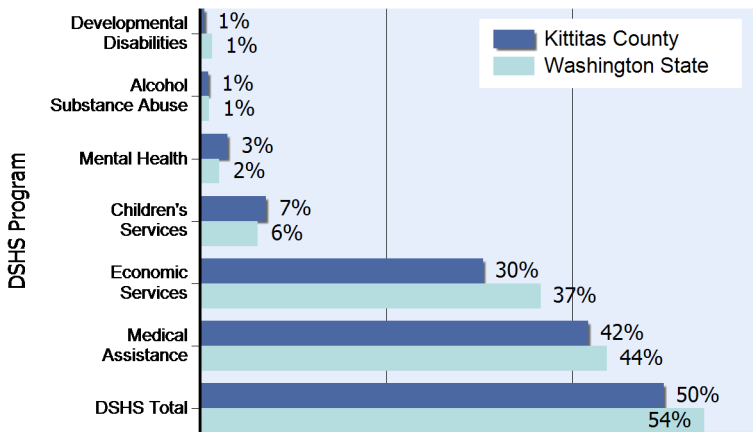
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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19



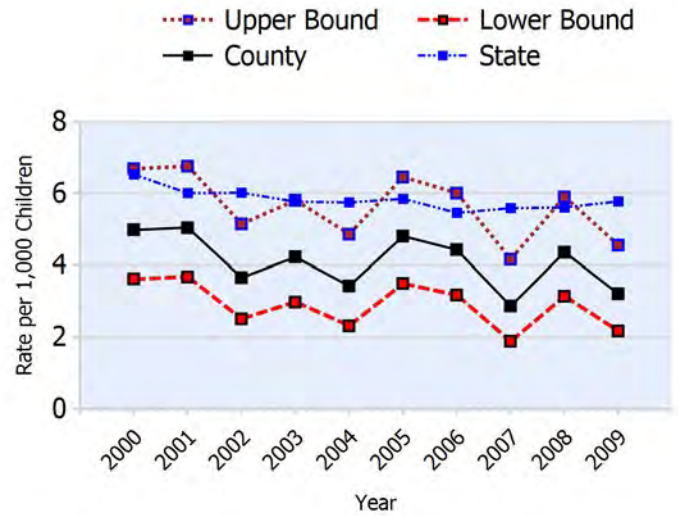
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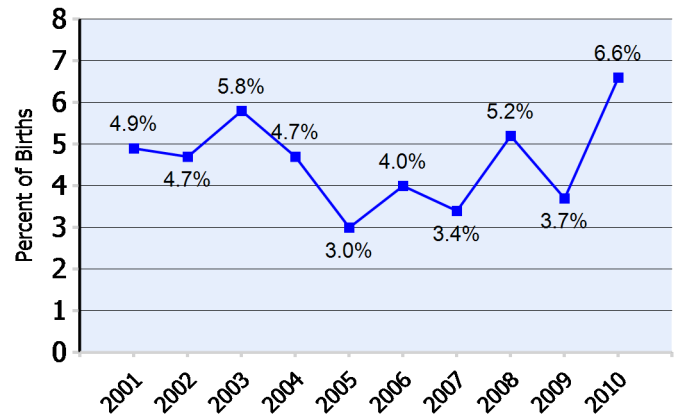
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Developmental Disabilities	39	2001	18 371
Alcohol Substance Abuse	69	2002	16 343
Mental Health	224	2003	22 380
Children's Services	524	2004	16 341
Economic Services	2,239	2005	10 333
Medical Assistance	3,068	2006	15 374
DSHS Total	3,668	2007	13 388
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		2009	16 431
		2010	28 424



# Klickitat County

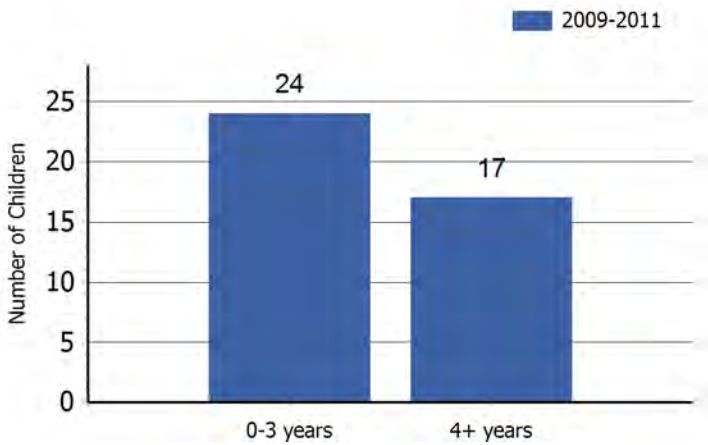
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	1,280	1,229	1,245	1,254
5-9 years	1,408	1,367	1,264	1,262
10-14 years	1,413	1,604	1,480	1,468
15-19 years	1,150	1,449	1,477	1,460
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,251</b>	<b>5,649</b>	<b>5,466</b>	<b>5,444</b>

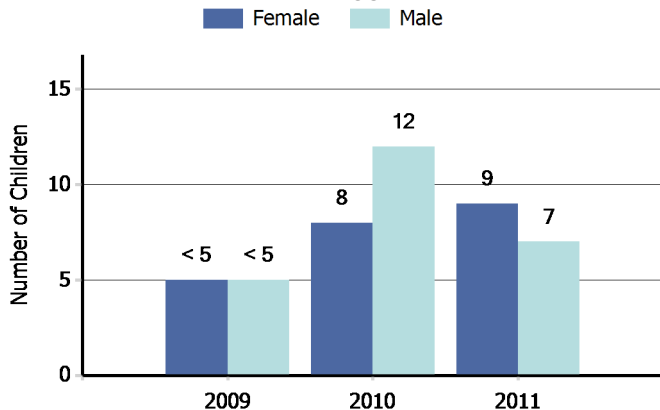
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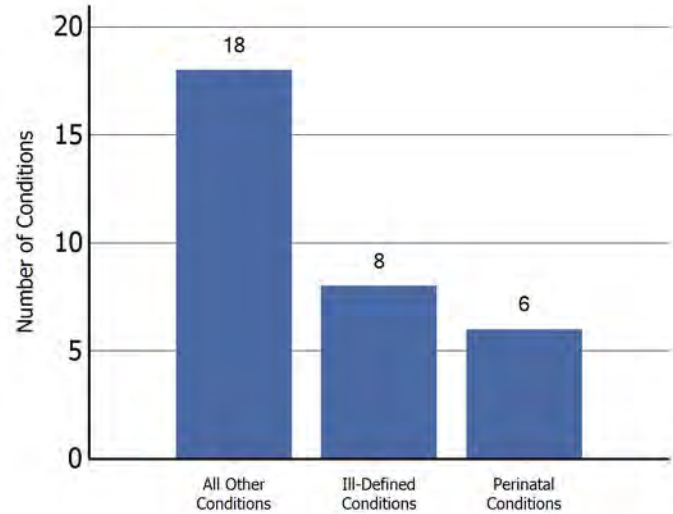


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	229
Communication Disorder	107
Developmental Delay - Preschool	54
Health Impairment	40
Autism	24
Intellectual Disabilities	17
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	14
Multiple Disabilities	6
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>491</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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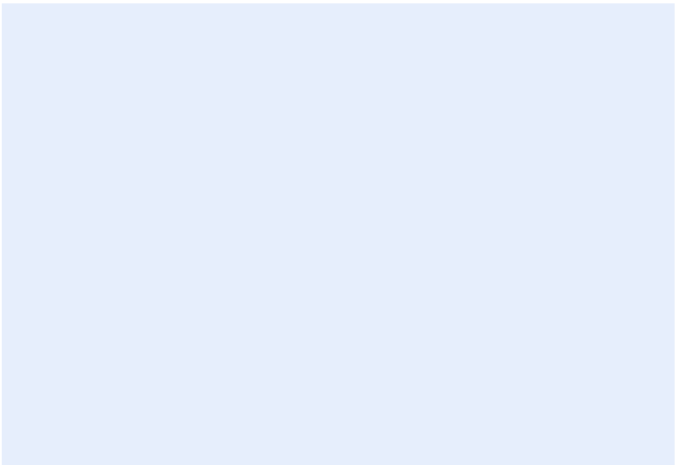
Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	12
July 2010 - June 2011	12

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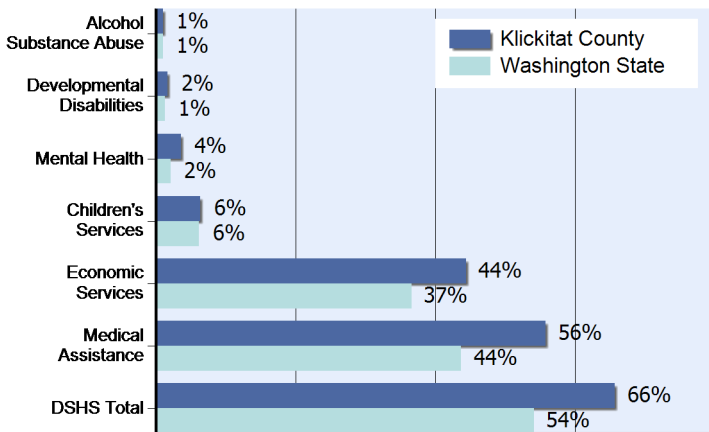
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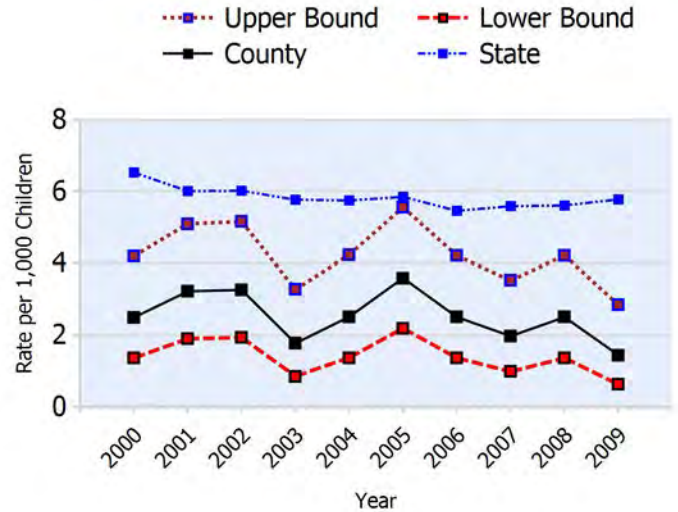
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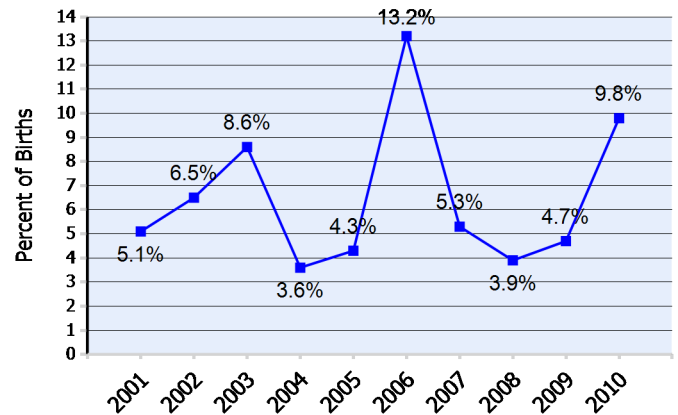
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 Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	48
Developmental Disabilities	83
Mental Health	180
Children's Services	317
Economic Services	2,212
Medical Assistance	2,784
DSHS Total	3,276

Year	LBW	All Births
2001	11	216
2002	13	201
2003	20	232
2004	8	223
2005	9	209
2006	28	212
2007	12	227
2008	8	204
2009	11	236
2010	22	225



# Lewis County

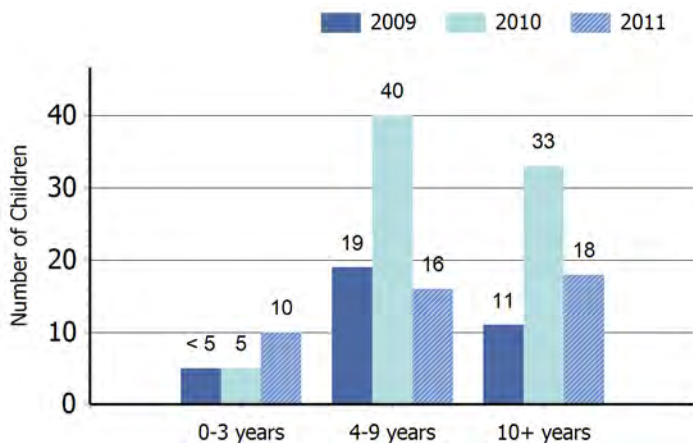
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	4,350	4,397	4,627	4,667
5-9 years	4,903	4,752	4,567	4,563
10-14 years	4,888	5,445	5,220	5,185
15-19 years	4,387	5,555	5,884	5,825
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,528</b>	<b>20,149</b>	<b>20,298</b>	<b>20,240</b>

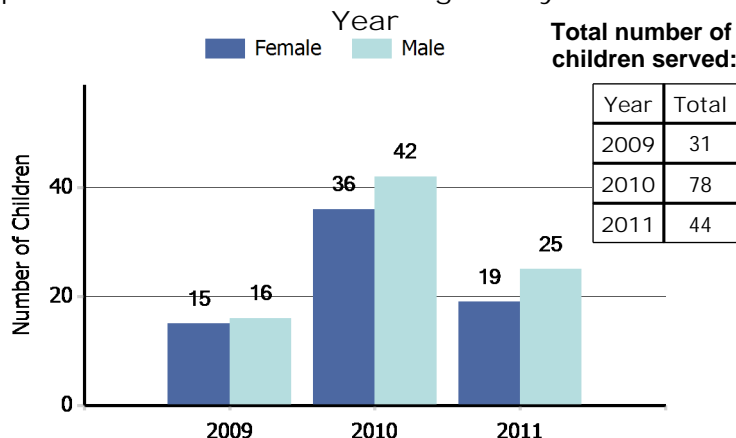
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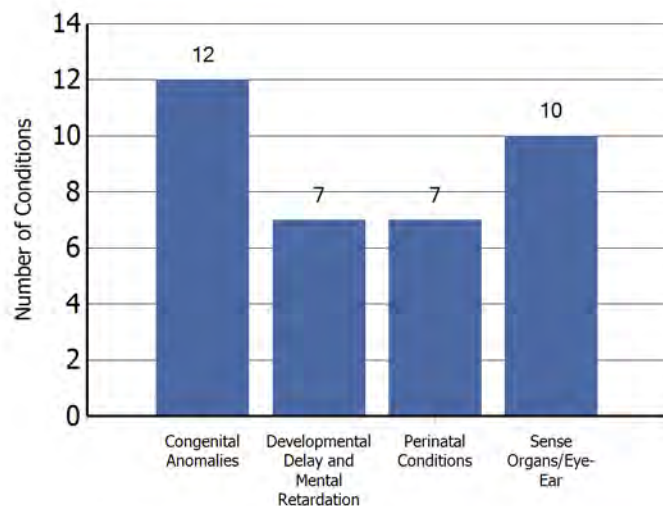


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	591
Health Impairment	310
Communication Disorder	240
Developmental Delay - Preschool	207
Intellectual Disabilities	110
Autism	86
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	43
Multiple Disabilities	26
Hearing Impairment	12
Orthopedic Impairment	10
Visual Impairments	9
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,644</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

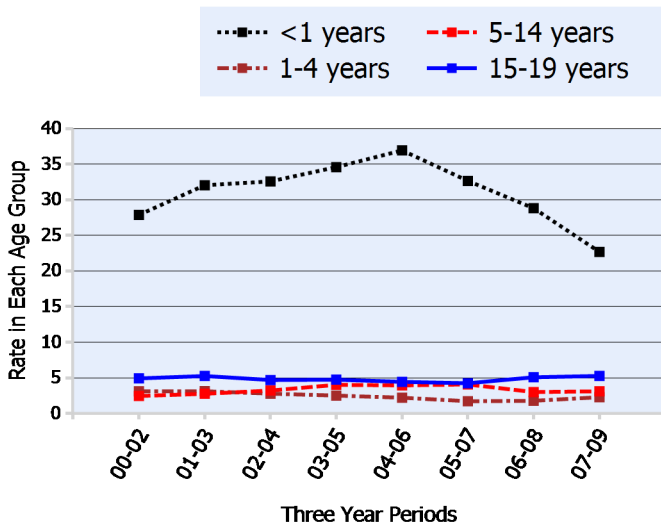
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	54
July 2010 - June 2011	62

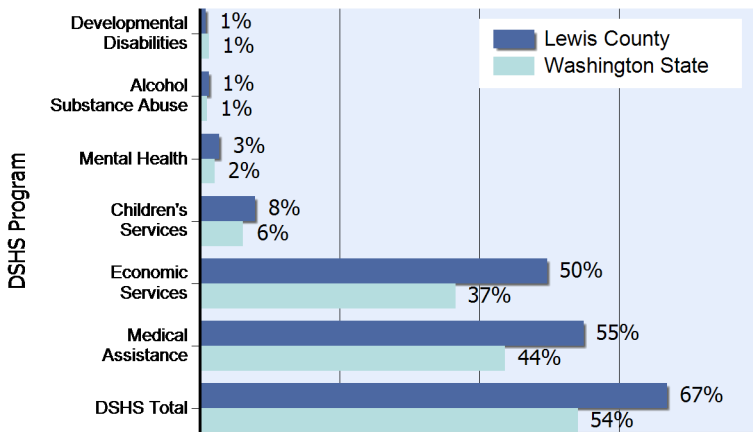
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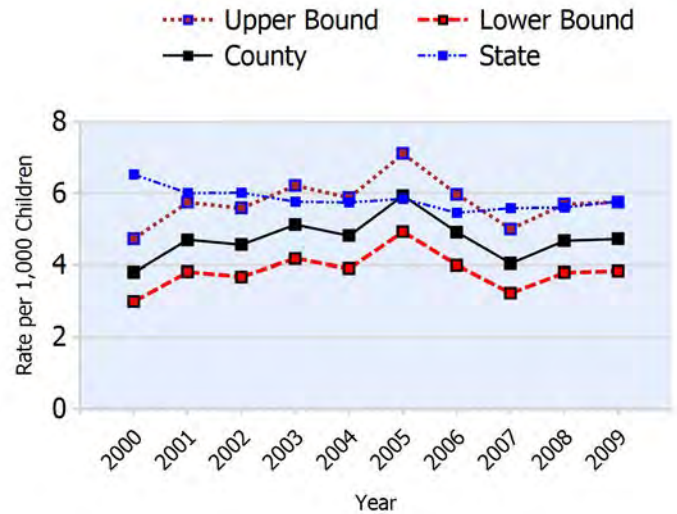
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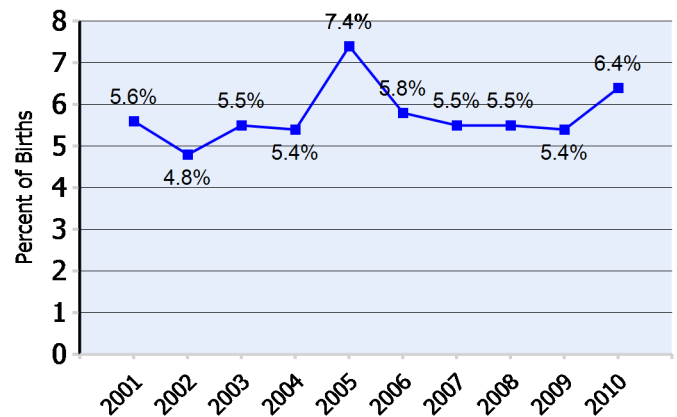
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Developmental Disabilities	161	2001	48 / 856
Alcohol Substance Abuse	229	2002	43 / 895
Mental Health	503	2003	46 / 839
Children's Services	1,441	2004	46 / 847
Economic Services	9,044	2005	65 / 874
Medical Assistance	9,994	2006	54 / 939
DSHS Total	12,181	2007	52 / 937
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# Lincoln County

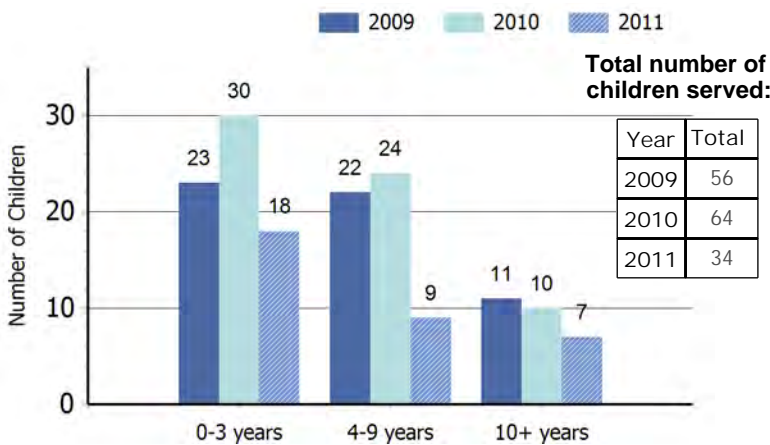
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	543	584	570	573
5-9 years	723	675	602	599
10-14 years	712	802	713	706
15-19 years	520	726	714	704
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,498</b>	<b>2,787</b>	<b>2,599</b>	<b>2,582</b>

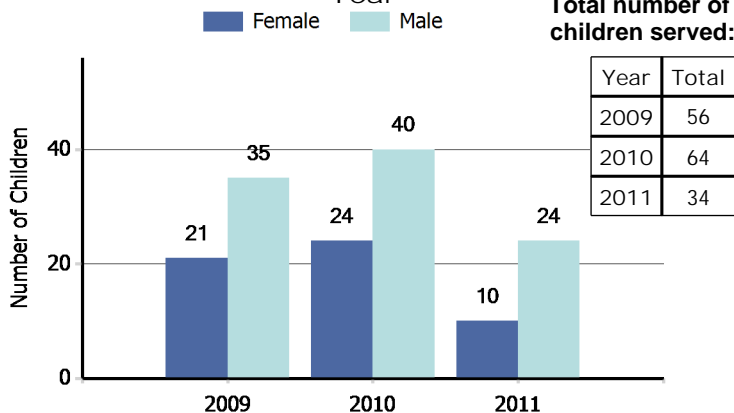
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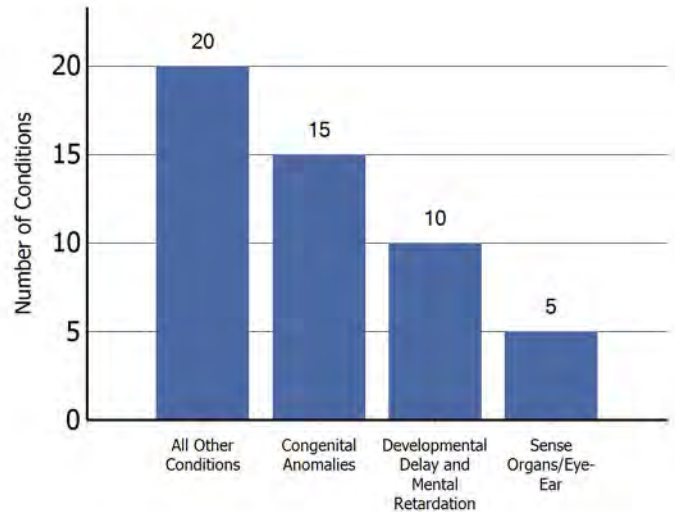


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Leading Four Diagnostic Categories<sup>3</sup> among Children Served by the Children with Special Health Care Needs Program: 2011



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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	81
Health Impairment	53
Developmental Delay - Preschool	32
Communication Disorder	27
Autism	14
Intellectual Disabilities	11
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Multiple Disabilities	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>218</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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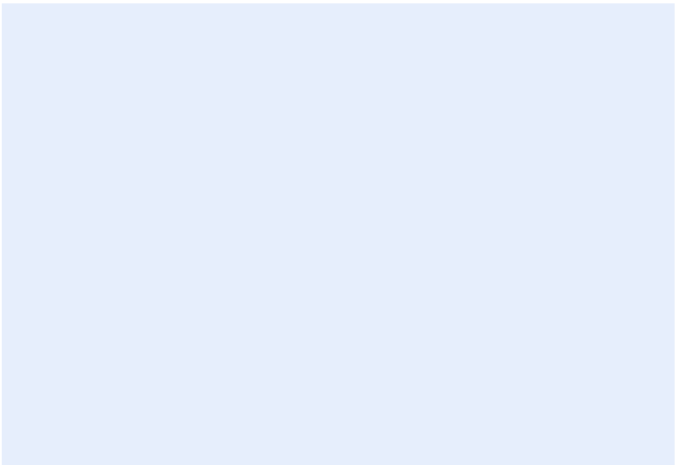
Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	<5
July 2010 - June 2011	7

<sup>4</sup>Unduplicated count from Lincoln County.  
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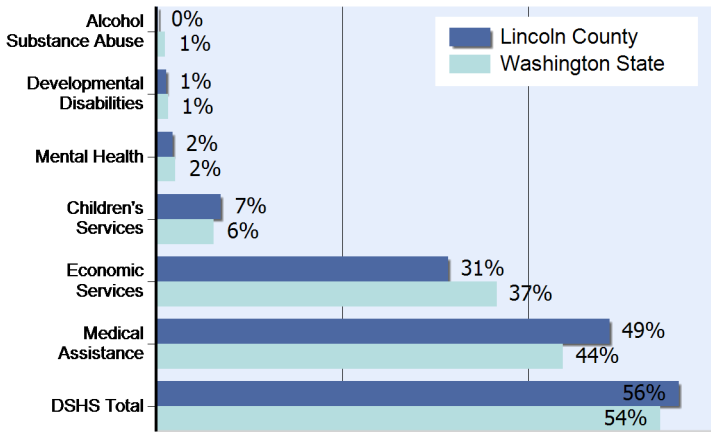
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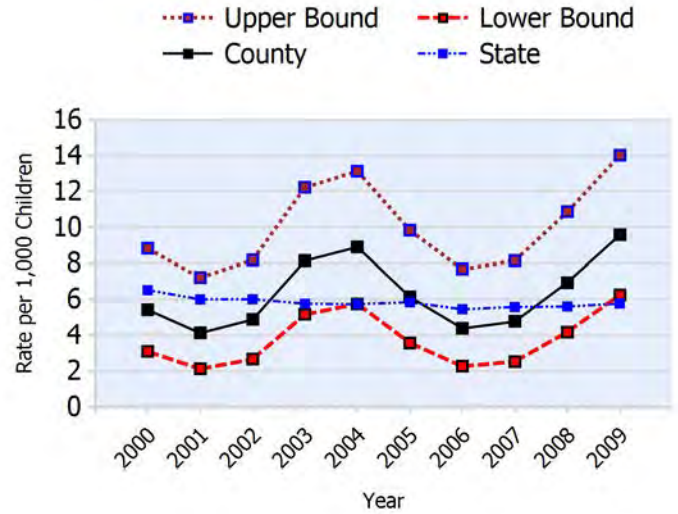
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Percent of Children Age 0-17 in Programs of the Department of Social and Health Services:<sup>7</sup> June 2007 - July 2008



<sup>7</sup>Based upon unduplicated count of children within each service category.  
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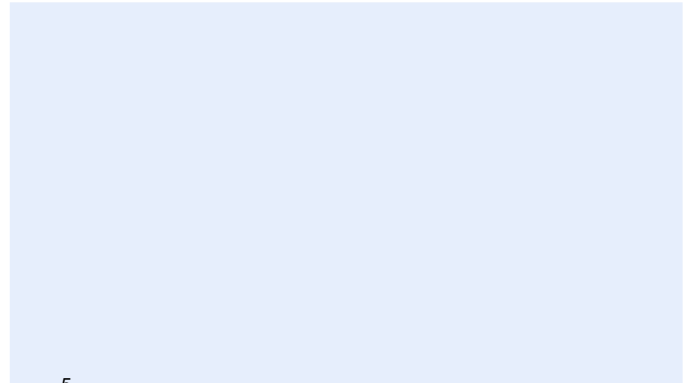
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<sup>5</sup> Percent of births for which the birthweight is known.  
Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	< 5
Developmental Disabilities	27
Mental Health	42
Children's Services	166
Economic Services	748
Medical Assistance	1,161
DSHS Total	1,338





# Mason County

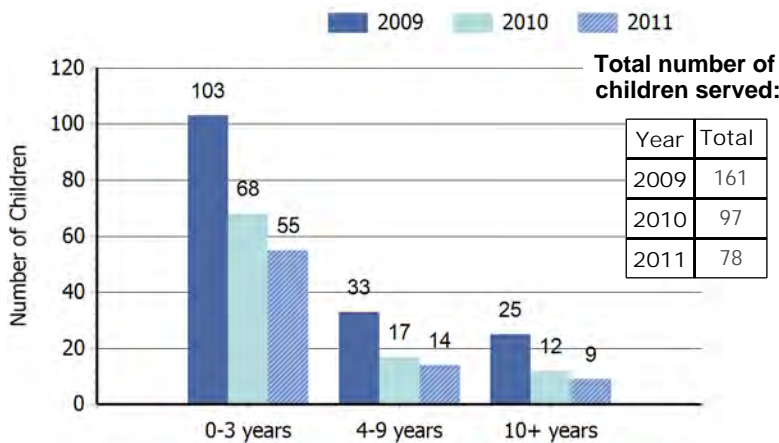
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	2,494	2,663	2,921	2,948
5-9 years	2,893	3,181	3,186	3,186
10-14 years	2,769	3,540	3,537	3,517
15-19 years	2,370	3,524	3,890	3,855
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,526</b>	<b>12,908</b>	<b>13,534</b>	<b>13,506</b>

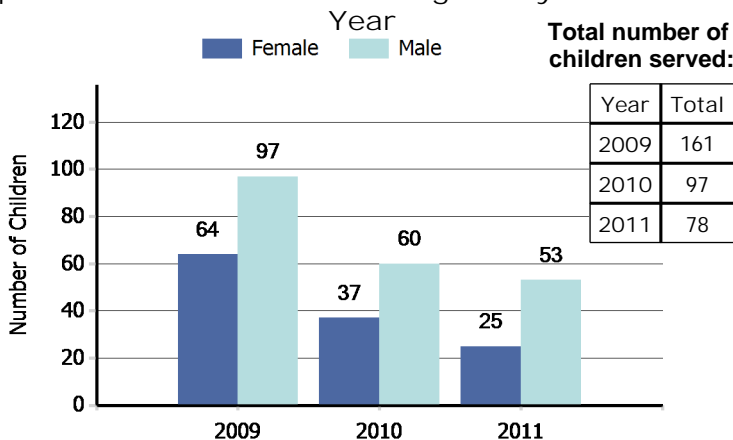
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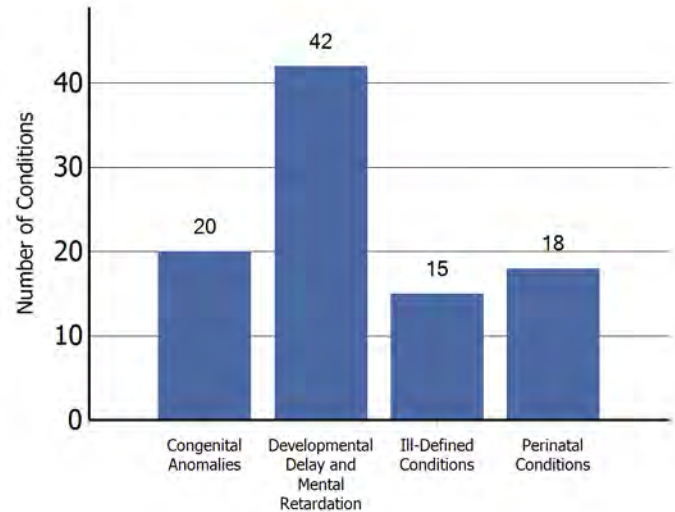


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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	473
Developmental Delay - Preschool	268
Health Impairment	234
Communication Disorder	197
Autism	60
Intellectual Disabilities	30
Multiple Disabilities	27
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	25
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,314</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

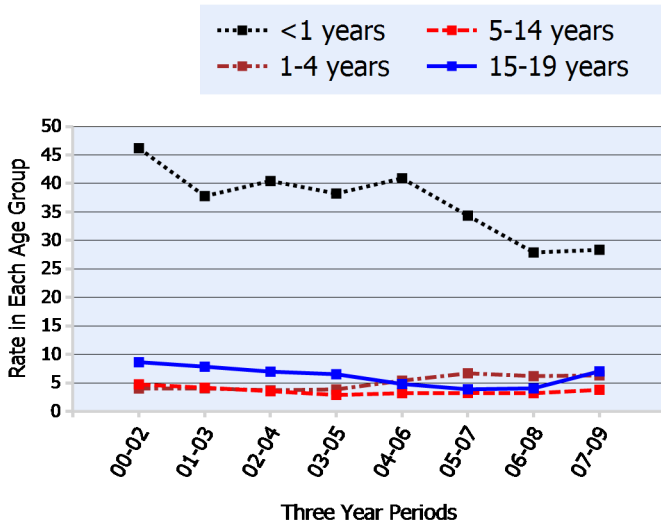
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	40
July 2010 - June 2011	47

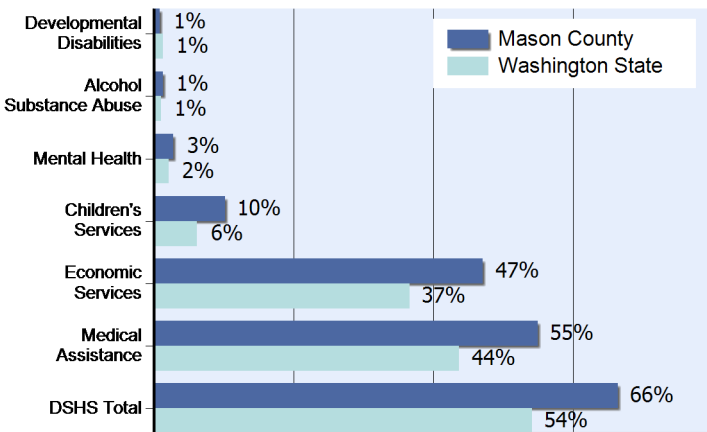
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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19



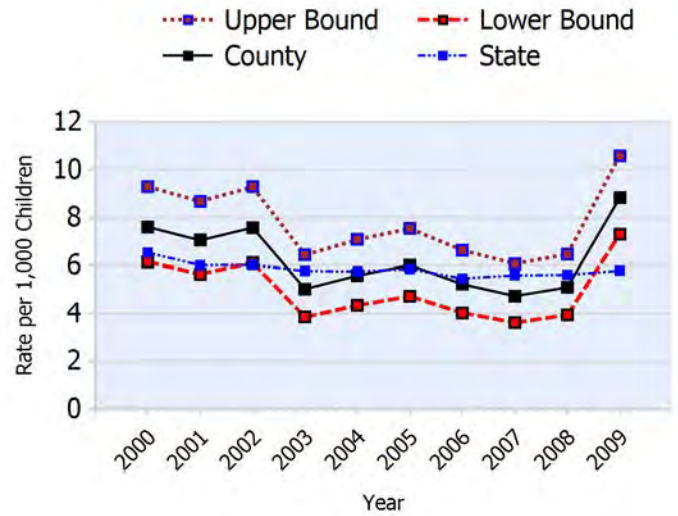
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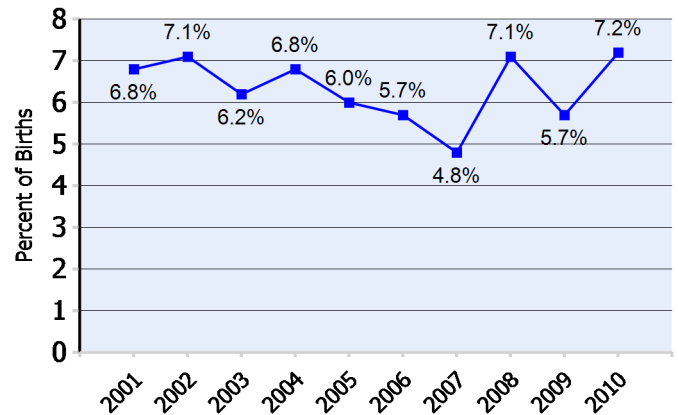
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<sup>5</sup> Percent of births for which the birthweight is known.  
Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Developmental Disabilities	109	2001	37 543
Alcohol Substance Abuse	152	2002	38 539
Mental Health	344	2003	35 569
Children's Services	1,231	2004	38 557
Economic Services	5,690	2005	37 619
Medical Assistance	6,631	2006	36 631
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		2009	40 702
		2010	45 621

# Okanogon County

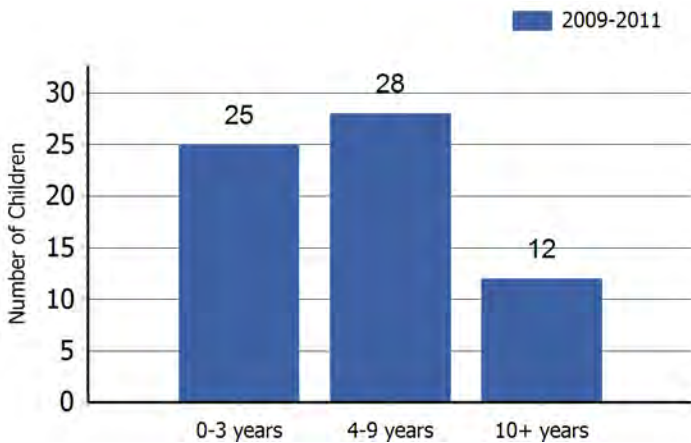
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	2,632	2,493	2,442	2,472
5-9 years	2,865	3,008	2,690	2,699
10-14 years	2,669	3,374	3,011	3,002
15-19 years	2,225	3,137	3,094	3,074
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,391</b>	<b>12,012</b>	<b>11,237</b>	<b>11,247</b>

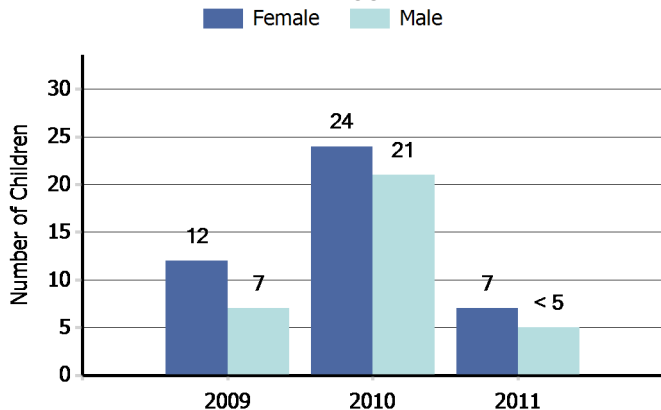
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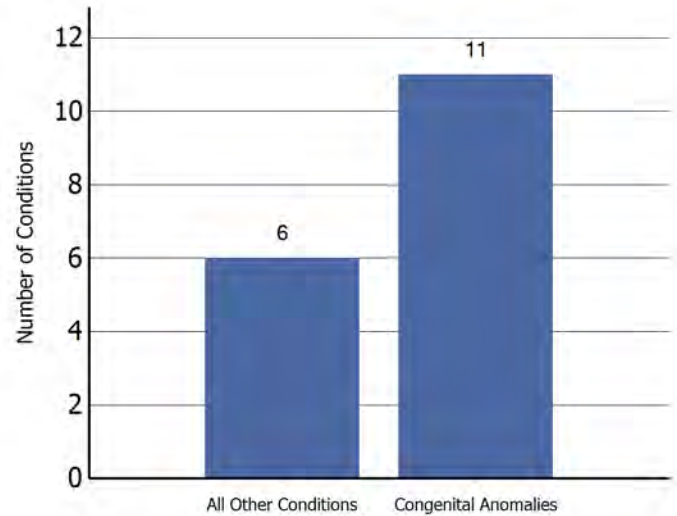


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	388
Communication Disorder	216
Developmental Delay - Preschool	103
Health Impairment	96
Intellectual Disabilities	32
Autism	28
Multiple Disabilities	17
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	11
Hearing Impairment	7
Orthopedic Impairment	7
Visual Impairments	5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>910</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

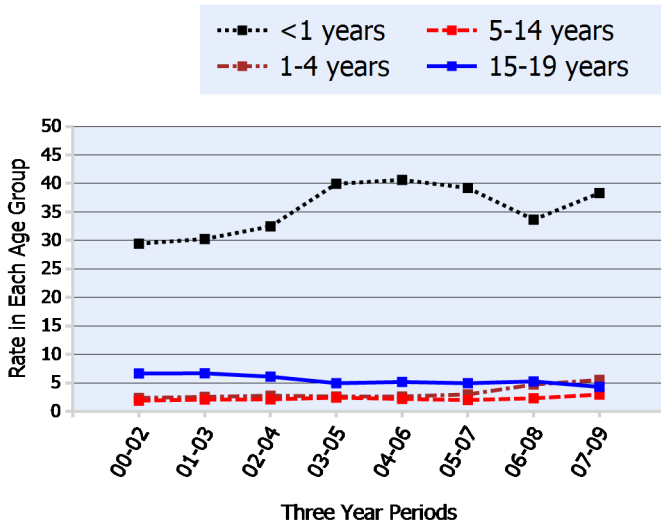
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	67
July 2010 - June 2011	77

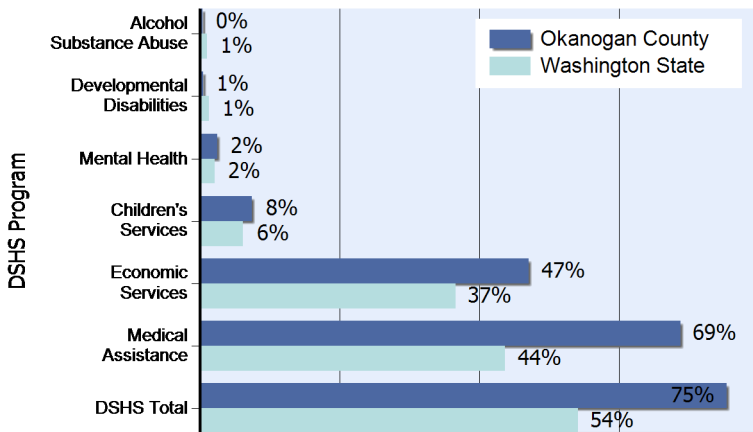
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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19



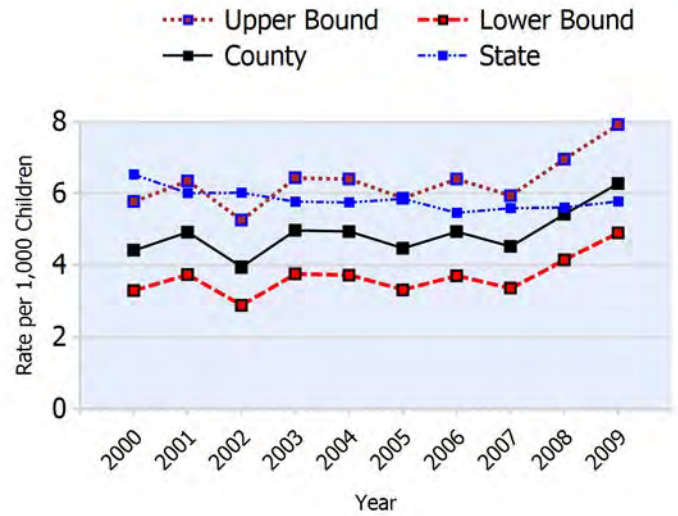
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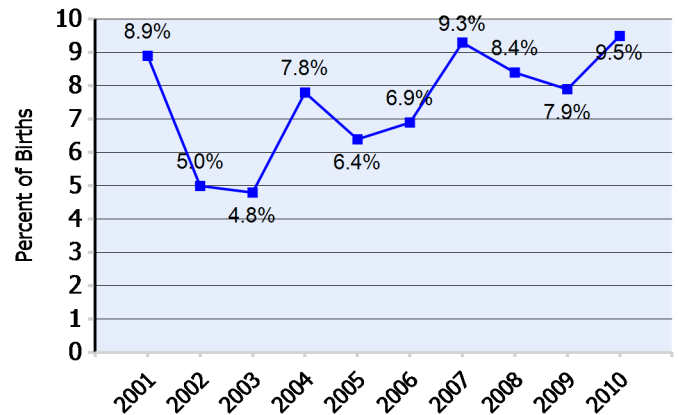
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	36	2001	46 518
Developmental Disabilities	55	2002	24 479
Mental Health	253	2003	23 484
Children's Services	763	2004	39 499
Economic Services	4,790	2005	34 529
Medical Assistance	6,994	2006	41 593
DSHS Total	7,659	2007	51 546
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		2009	47 592
		2010	54 570



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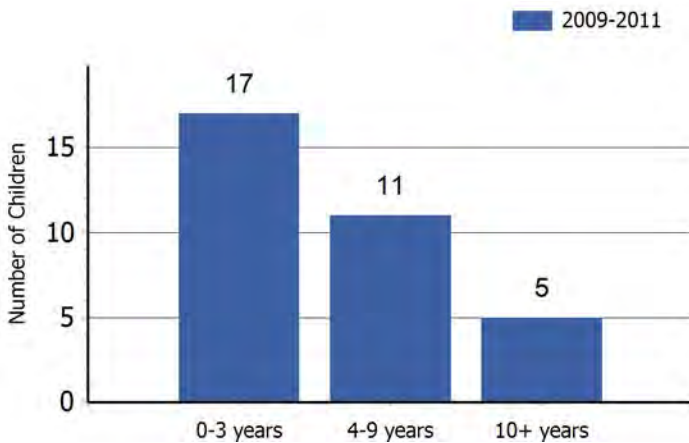
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	1,243	963	946	944
5-9 years	1,262	1,139	1,022	1,010
10-14 years	1,237	1,457	1,304	1,282
15-19 years	1,193	1,424	1,407	1,379
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,935</b>	<b>4,983</b>	<b>4,679</b>	<b>4,615</b>

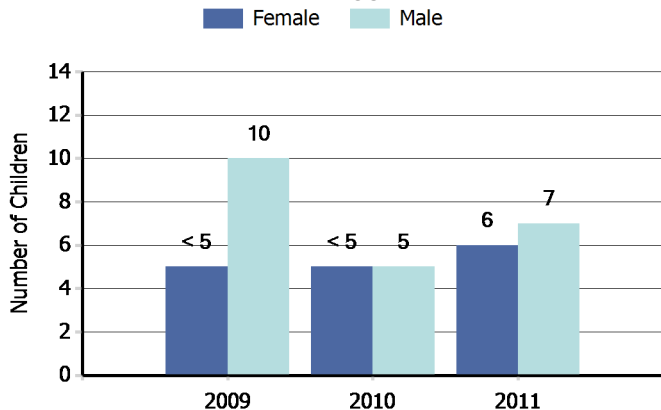
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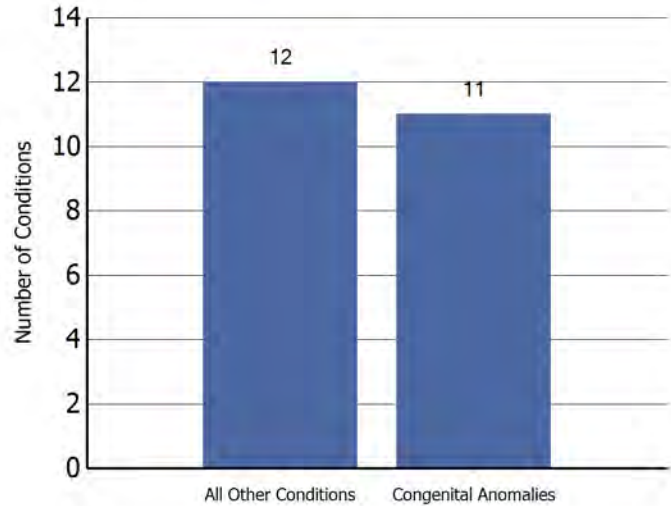


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	166
Communication Disorder	119
Developmental Delay - Preschool	59
Health Impairment	48
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	26
Intellectual Disabilities	17
Autism	16
Multiple Disabilities	5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>456</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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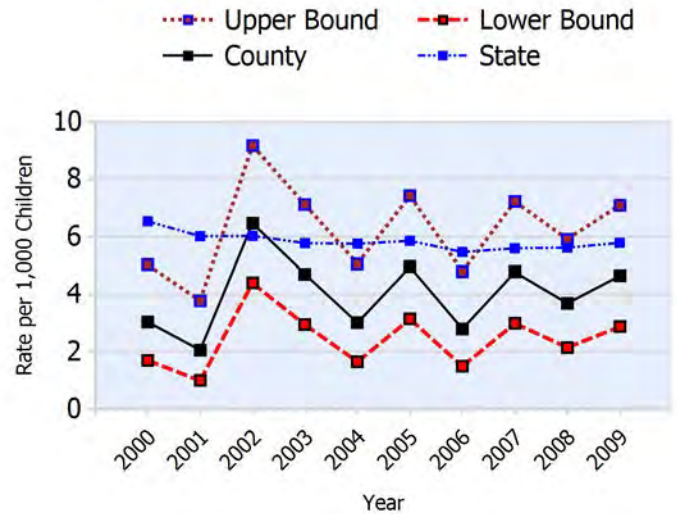
July 2009 - June 2010	18
July 2010 - June 2011	27

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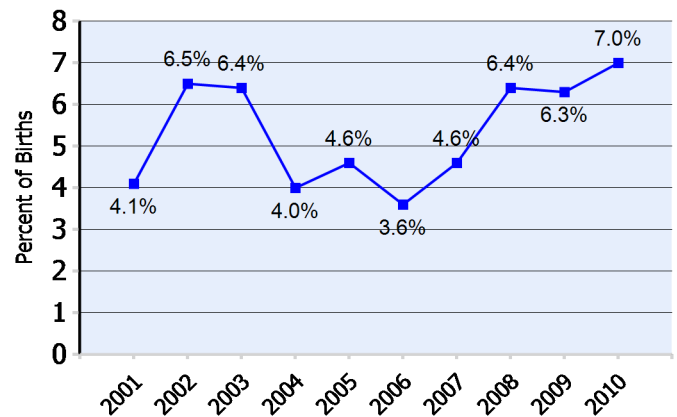
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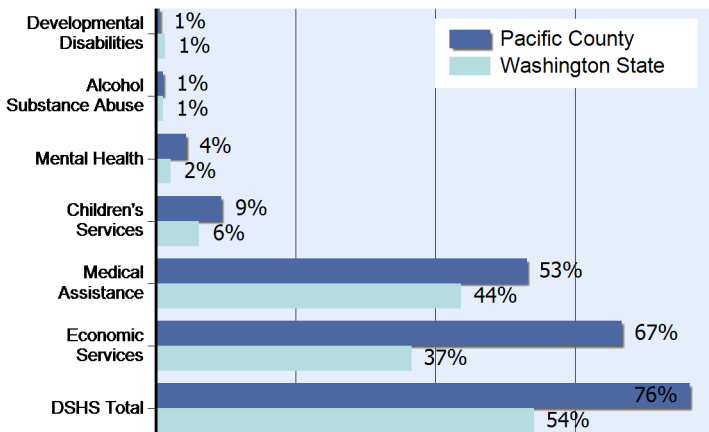
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Developmental Disabilities	27	2001	8 193
Alcohol Substance Abuse	41	2002	8 123
Mental Health	182	2003	12 188
Children's Services	396	2004	8 200
Medical Assistance	2,224	2005	10 219
Economic Services	2,795	2006	7 196
DSHS Total	3,200	2007	10 216
		2008	14 220
		2009	11 176
		2010	14 201

# Pend Oreille County

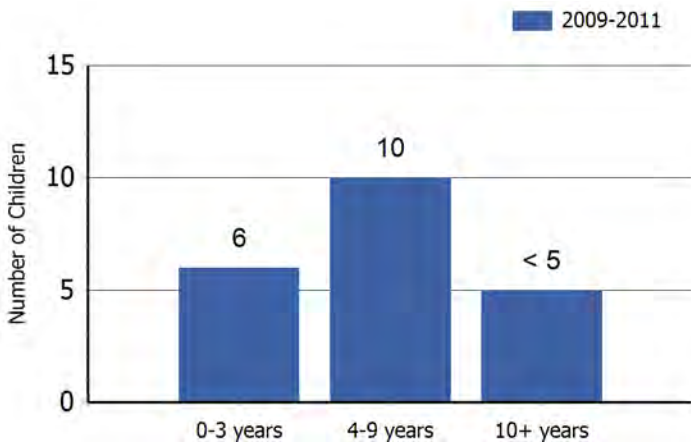
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	675	637	668	674
5-9 years	739	813	778	778
10-14 years	790	1,022	976	970
15-19 years	627	879	928	919
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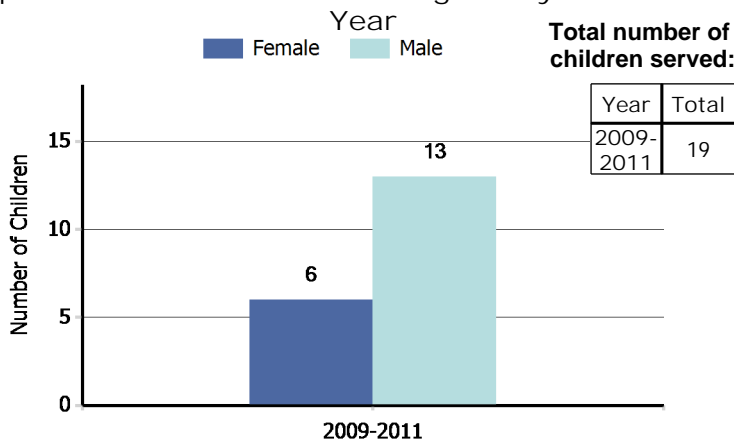
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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	63
Health Impairment	45
Developmental Delay - Preschool	38
Communication Disorder	37
Intellectual Disabilities	14
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	11
Autism	9
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Multiple Disabilities	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>217</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

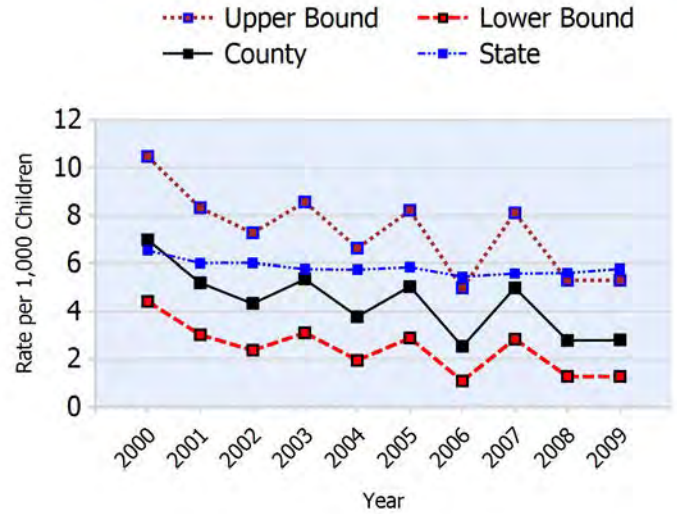
July 2009 - June 2010	29
July 2010 - June 2011	32

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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19

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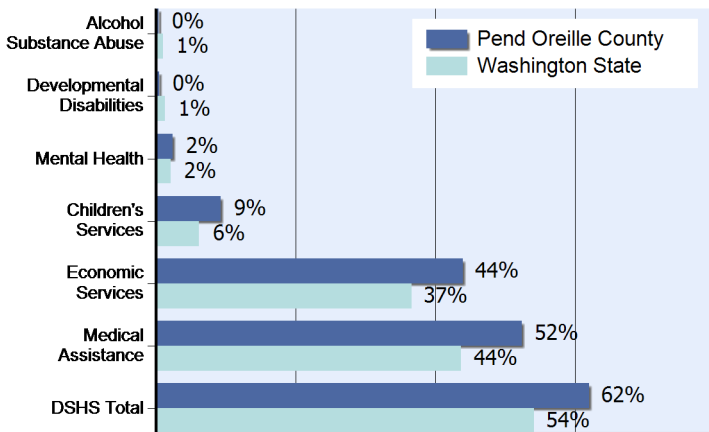
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	13
Developmental Disabilities	14
Mental Health	75
Children's Services	285
Economic Services	1,344
Medical Assistance	1,605
DSHS Total	1,899





# Pierce County

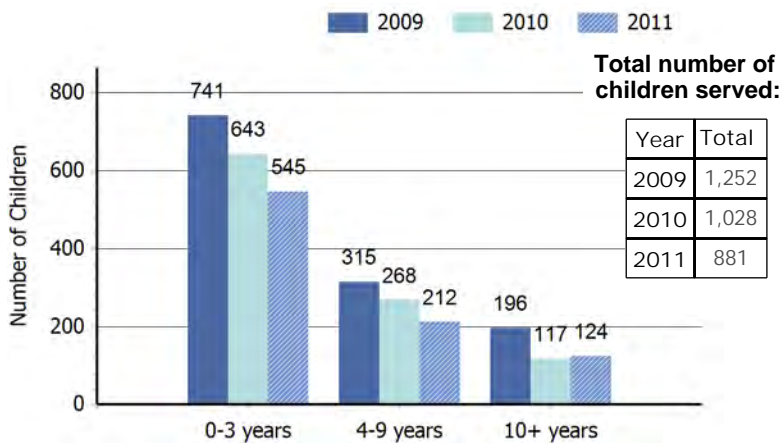
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	49,337	49,861	56,403	57,151
5-9 years	47,354	53,862	55,628	55,857
10-14 years	41,416	55,016	56,672	56,583
15-19 years	40,609	52,775	60,058	59,777
<b>Total</b>	<b>178,716</b>	<b>211,514</b>	<b>228,761</b>	<b>229,368</b>

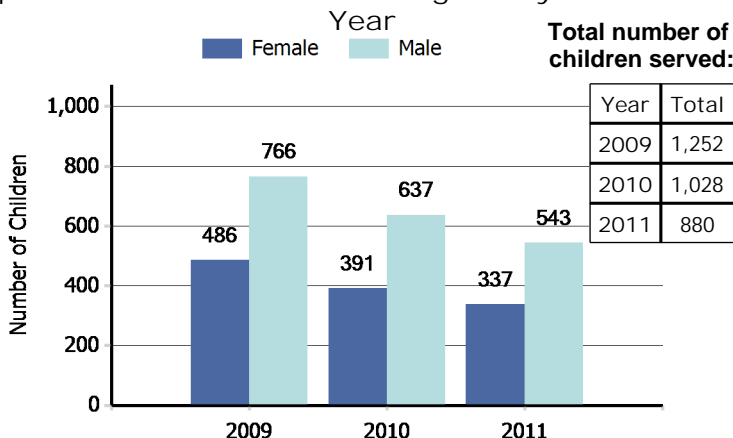
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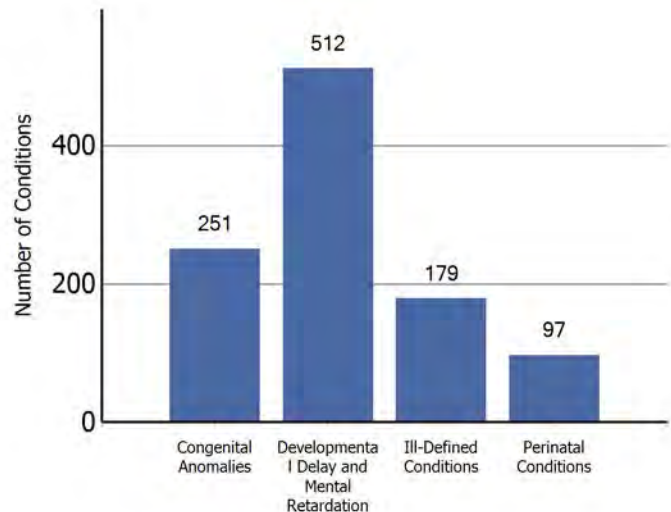


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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	5,078
Health Impairment	3,174
Communication Disorder	2,664
Developmental Delay - Preschool	2,044
Autism	1,096
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	652
Intellectual Disabilities	506
Multiple Disabilities	506
Hearing Impairment	117
Orthopedic Impairment	80
Deafness	64
Visual Impairments	57
Traumatic Brain Injury	48
Deaf - Blindness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,086</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

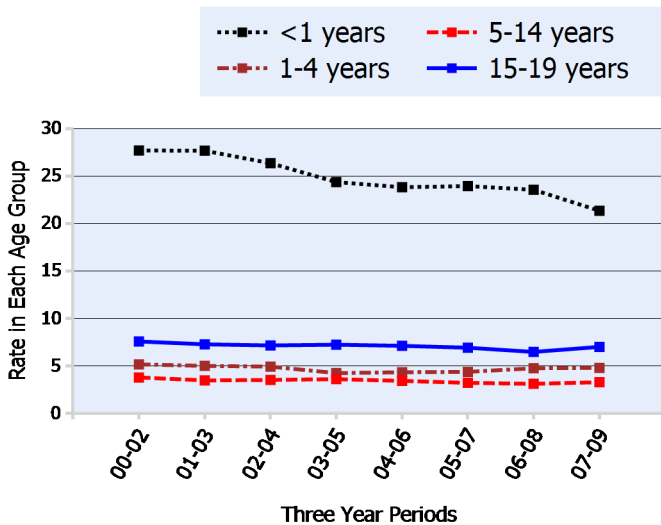
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	544
July 2010 - June 2011	615

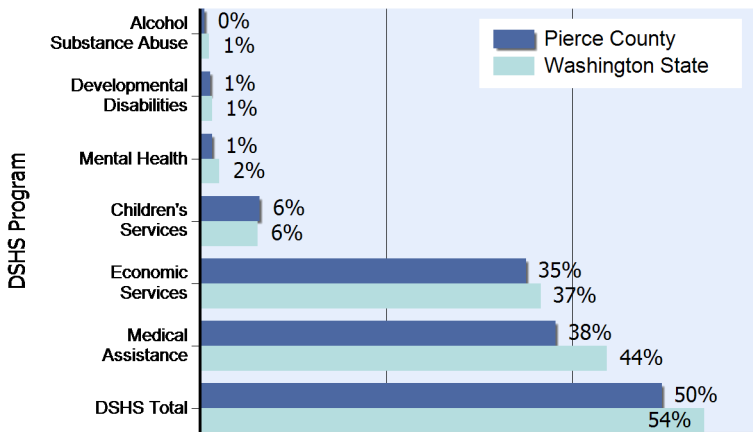
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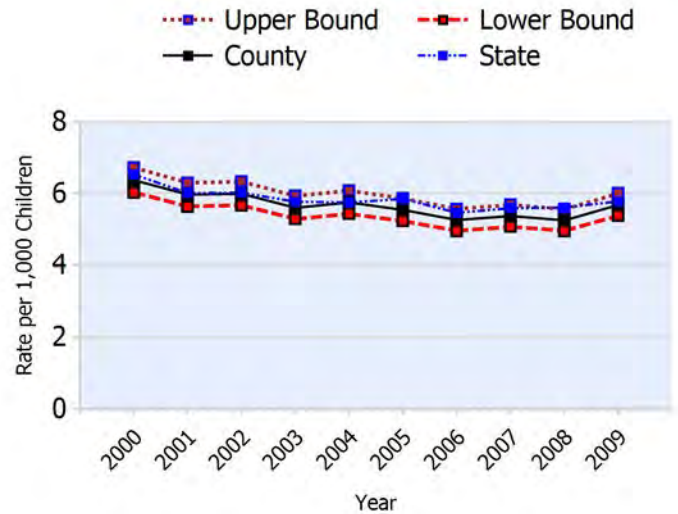
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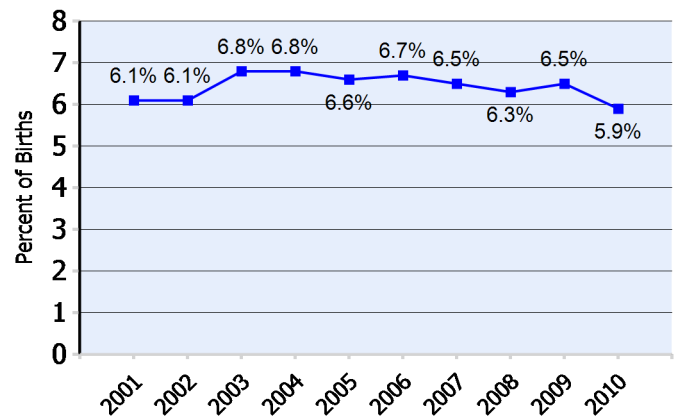
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	950
Developmental Disabilities	2,226
Mental Health	2,619
Children's Services	13,084
Economic Services	71,660
Medical Assistance	78,129
DSHS Total	101,426

Year	LBW	All Births
2001	615	10,034
2002	608	9,999
2003	681	10,077
2004	696	10,259
2005	685	10,458
2006	749	11,131
2007	735	11,384
2008	730	11,503
2009	753	11,622
2010	630	10,680



# San Juan County

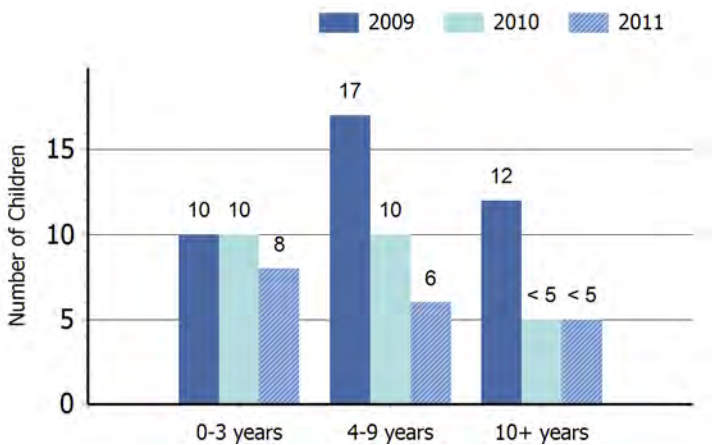
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	593	525	565	571
5-9 years	633	729	717	718
10-14 years	567	942	923	920
15-19 years	397	726	786	781
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,190</b>	<b>2,922</b>	<b>2,991</b>	<b>2,990</b>

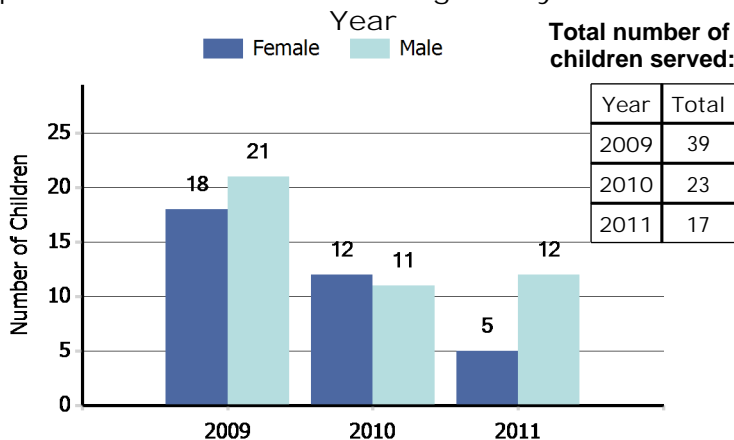
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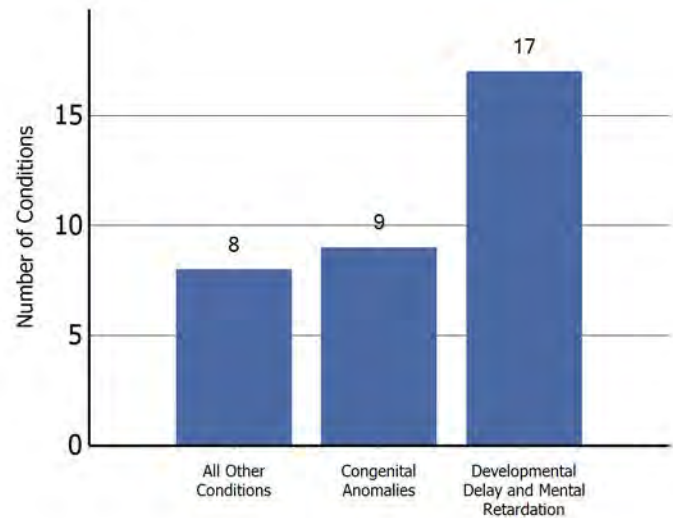


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	97
Communication Disorder	58
Health Impairment	29
Developmental Delay - Preschool	22
Intellectual Disabilities	8
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	7
Autism	<5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Multiple Disabilities	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>221</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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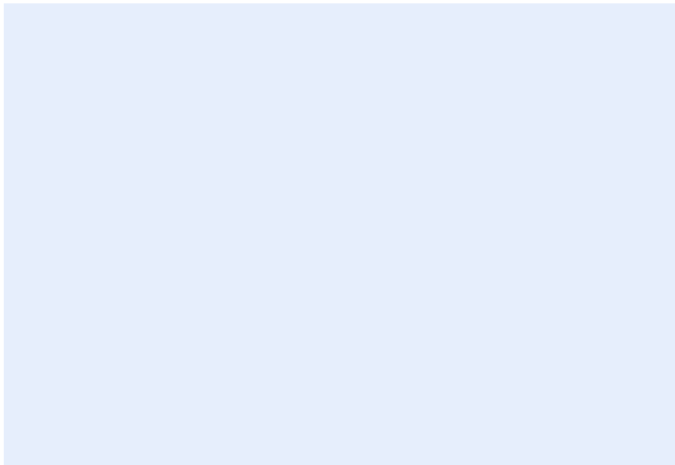
Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	<5
July 2010 - June 2011	6

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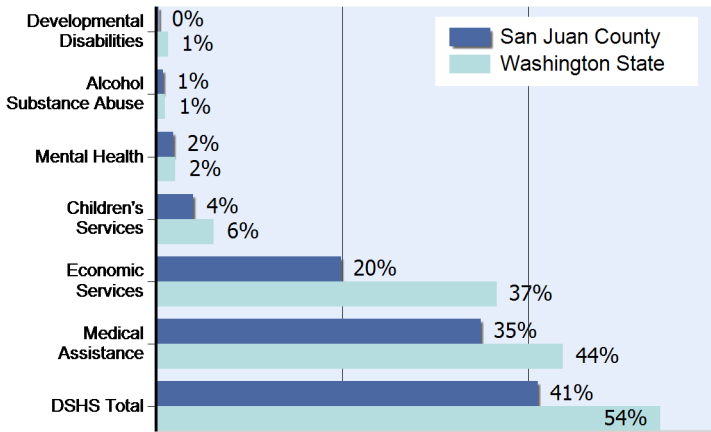
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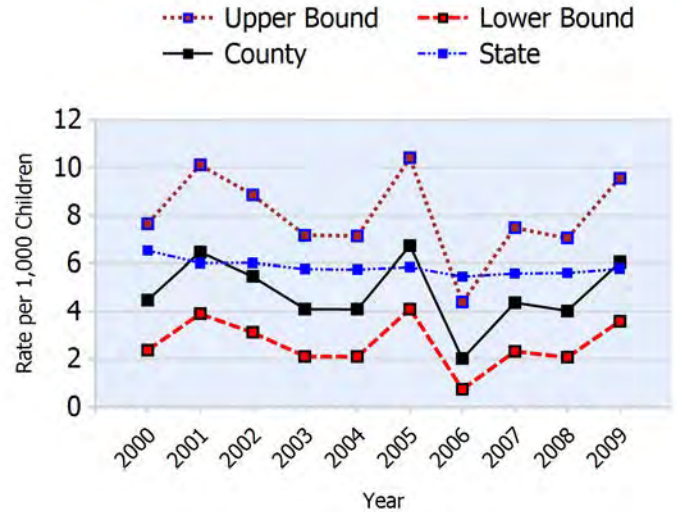
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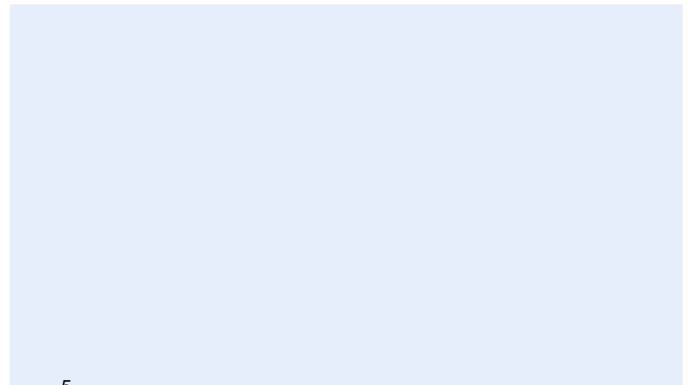
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Developmental Disabilities	8
Alcohol Substance Abuse	21
Mental Health	51
Children's Services	109
Economic Services	544
Medical Assistance	955
DSHS Total	1,124



# Skagit County

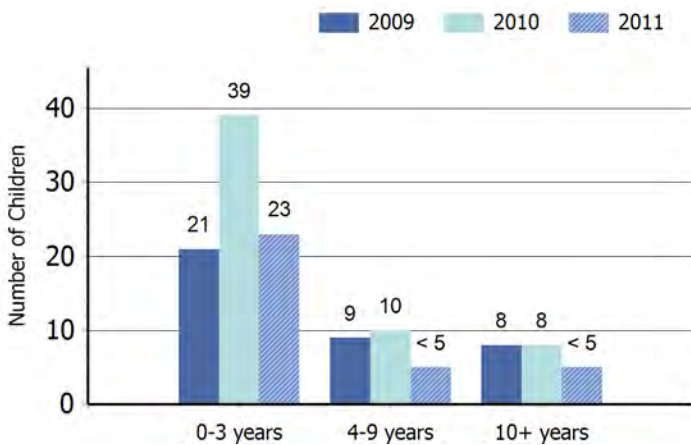
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Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	5,786	6,718	7,452	7,564
5-9 years	6,287	7,560	7,659	7,701
10-14 years	5,698	7,894	7,979	7,975
15-19 years	5,260	7,927	8,853	8,819
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,031</b>	<b>30,099</b>	<b>31,943</b>	<b>32,059</b>

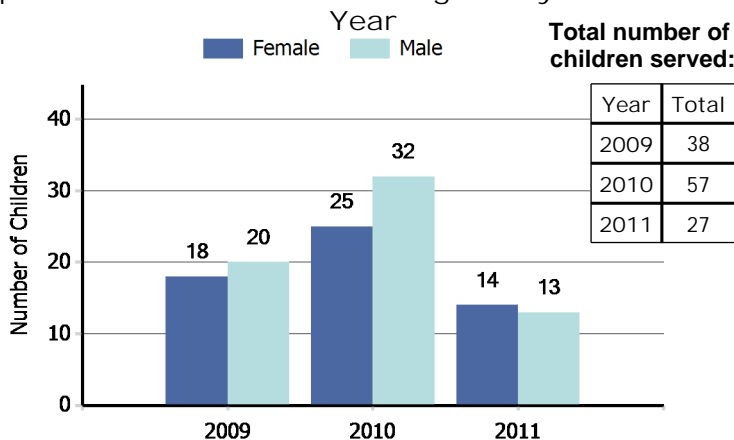
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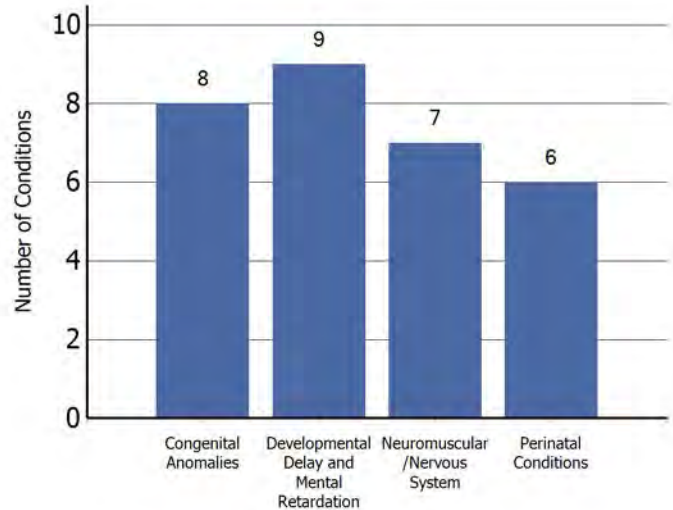


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	922
Communication Disorder	446
Developmental Delay - Preschool	357
Health Impairment	329
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	104
Autism	96
Intellectual Disabilities	86
Multiple Disabilities	61
Deafness	14
Orthopedic Impairment	12
Hearing Impairment	10
Visual Impairments	9
Traumatic Brain Injury	7
Deaf - Blindness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,453</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

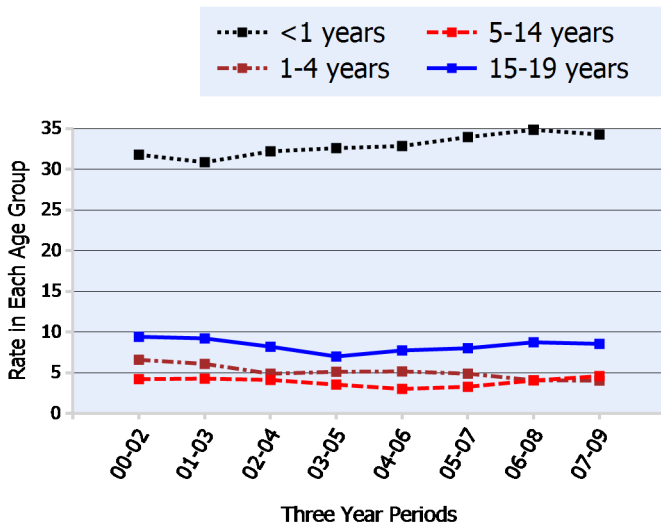
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July 2009 - June 2010	82
July 2010 - June 2011	86

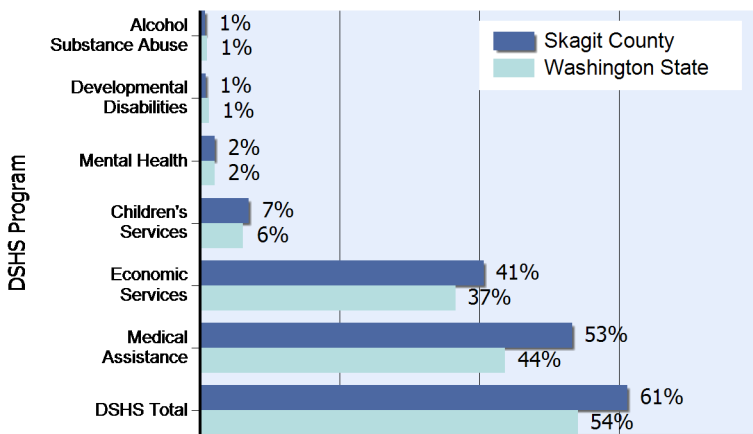
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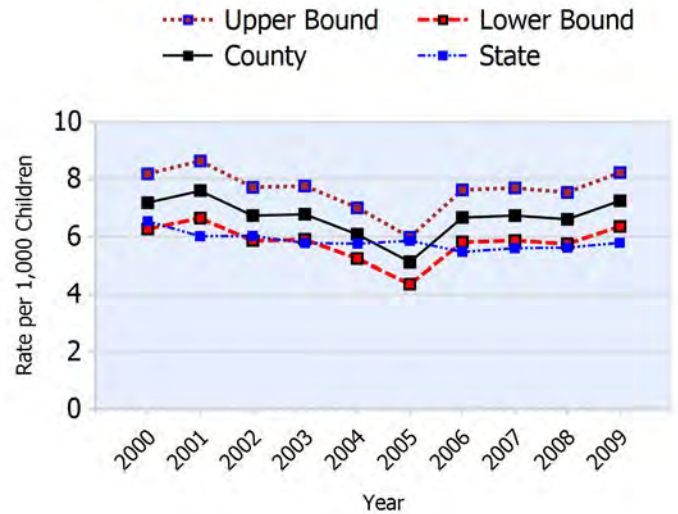
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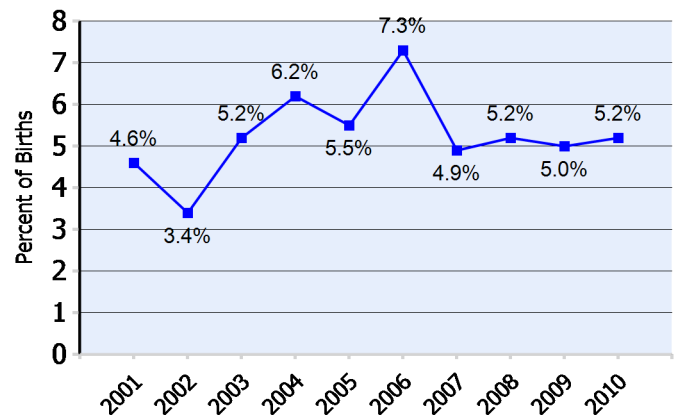
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year	LBW	All Births
Alcohol Substance Abuse	239	2001	63	1,378
Developmental Disabilities	258	2002	47	1,367
Mental Health	603	2003	70	1,351
Children's Services	1,995	2004	88	1,414
Economic Services	11,583	2005	79	1,448
Medical Assistance	15,190	2006	110	1,499
DSHS Total	17,443	2007	76	1,557
		2008	84	1,623
		2009	76	1,527
		2010	77	1,470

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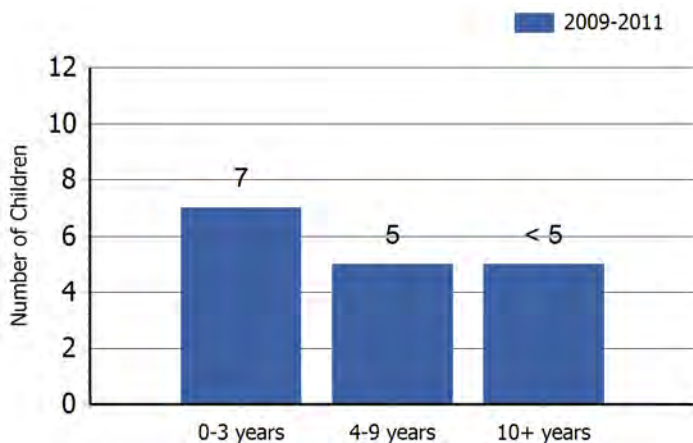
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10-14 years	716	817	786	784
15-19 years	581	761	809	804
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,676</b>	<b>2,883</b>	<b>2,911</b>	<b>2,915</b>

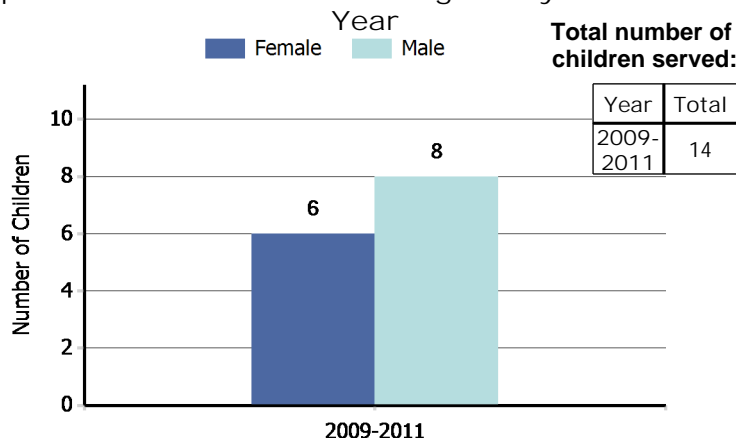
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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Communication Disorder	42
Specific Learning Disability	42
Developmental Delay - Preschool	30
Health Impairment	26
Autism	11
Intellectual Disabilities	7
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Multiple Disabilities	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>158</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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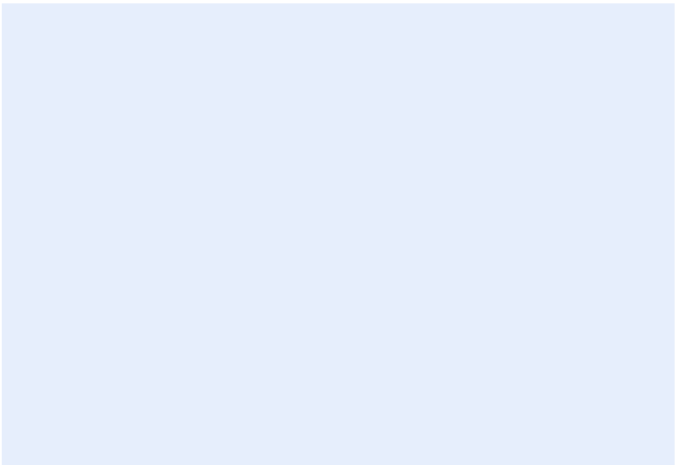
Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	10
July 2010 - June 2011	12

<sup>4</sup>Unduplicated count from Skamania County.  
Source: Early Support for Infants and Toddlers (ESIT), Washington State Department of Early Learning, Accessed 11/15/11. Program information and data are available at: <http://www.del.wa.gov/publications/esit/Default.aspx>.

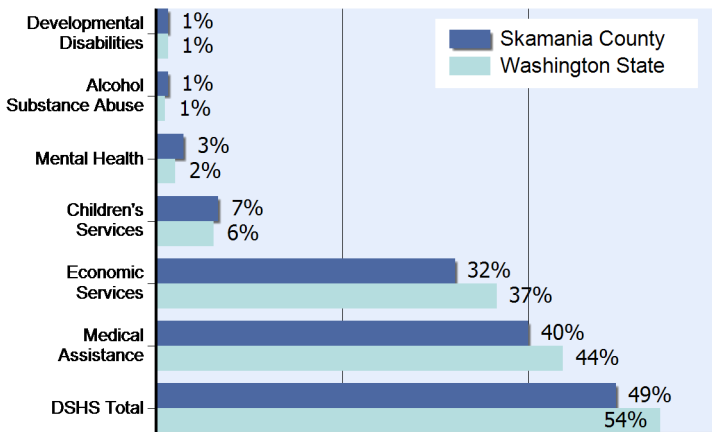
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Percent of Children Age 0-17 in Programs of the Department of Social and Health Services:<sup>7</sup> June 2007 - July 2008



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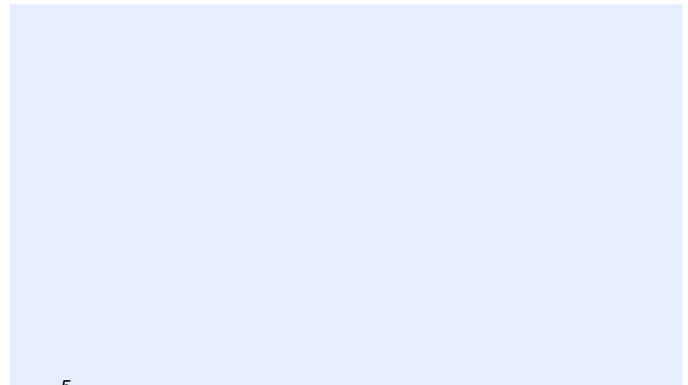


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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Alcohol Substance Abuse	35
Developmental Disabilities	35
Mental Health	79
Children's Services	175
Economic Services	845
Medical Assistance	1,053
DSHS Total	1,300



# Snohomish County

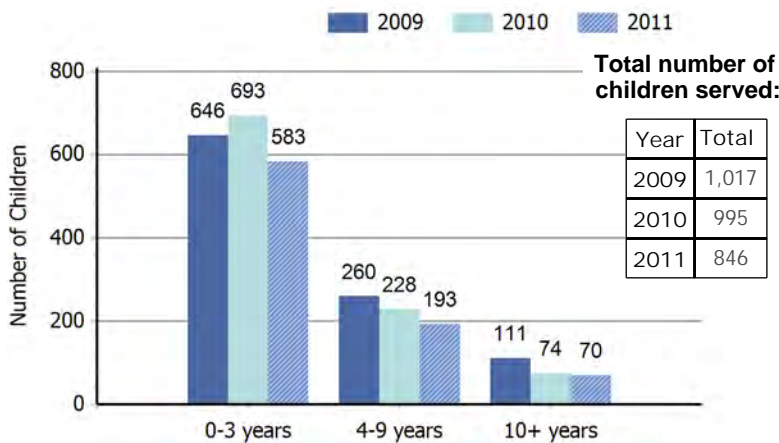
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	40,208	43,461	49,415	50,164
5-9 years	39,122	47,564	49,376	49,670
10-14 years	32,856	47,768	49,458	49,472
15-19 years	29,030	43,194	49,416	49,267
<b>Total</b>	<b>141,216</b>	<b>181,987</b>	<b>197,665</b>	<b>198,573</b>

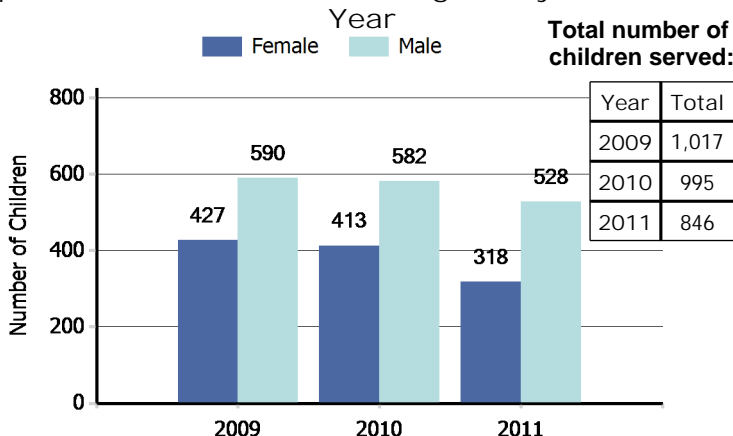
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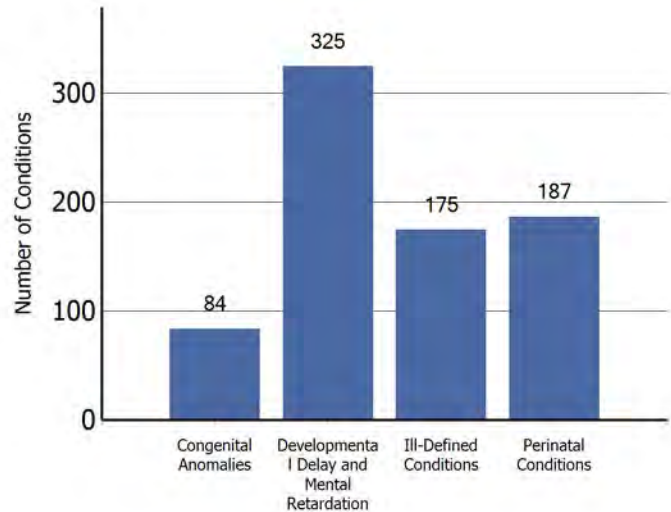


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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	4,556
Communication Disorder	2,402
Health Impairment	2,297
Developmental Delay - Preschool	1,723
Autism	942
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	504
Intellectual Disabilities	451
Multiple Disabilities	218
Hearing Impairment	100
Orthopedic Impairment	64
Deafness	57
Visual Impairments	38
Traumatic Brain Injury	34
Deaf - Blindness	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>13,392</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

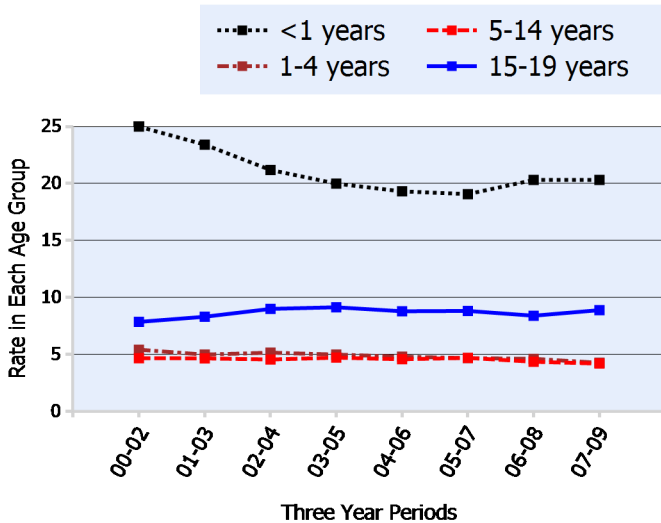
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	557
July 2010 - June 2011	622

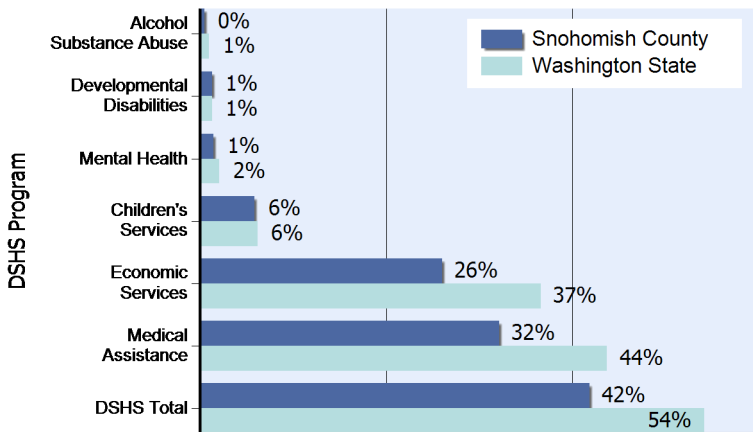
<sup>4</sup>Unduplicated count from Snohomish County.  
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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19



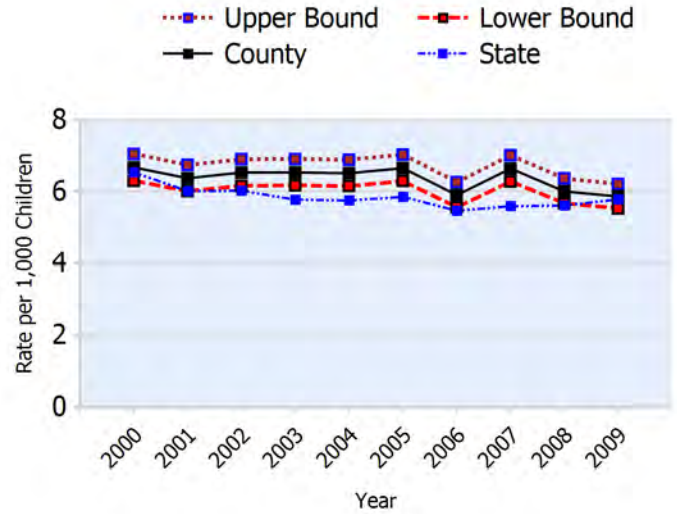
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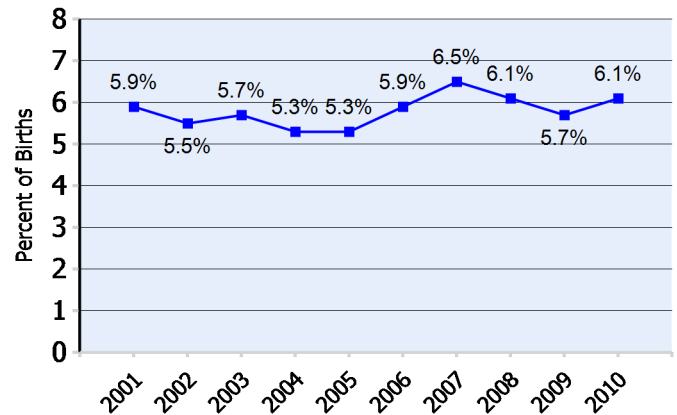
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	829	2001	509 8,676
Developmental Disabilities	2,322	2002	459 8,307
Mental Health	2,600	2003	481 8,498
Children's Services	10,484	2004	450 8,498
Economic Services	46,636	2005	466 8,760
Medical Assistance	57,556	2006	530 8,927
DSHS Total	74,856	2007	620 9,520
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		2009	525 9,160
		2010	543 8,934

# Spokane County

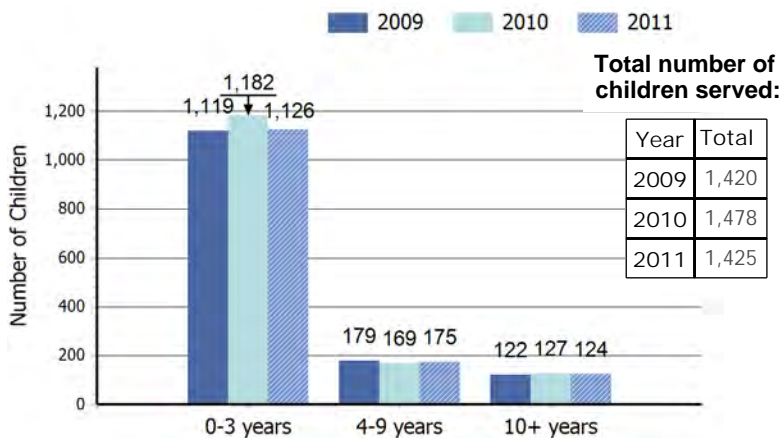
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	27,113	27,478	29,502	29,972
5-9 years	27,865	29,734	29,146	29,345
10-14 years	25,882	31,176	30,479	30,514
15-19 years	26,191	32,890	35,529	35,454
<b>Total</b>	<b>107,051</b>	<b>121,278</b>	<b>124,656</b>	<b>125,285</b>

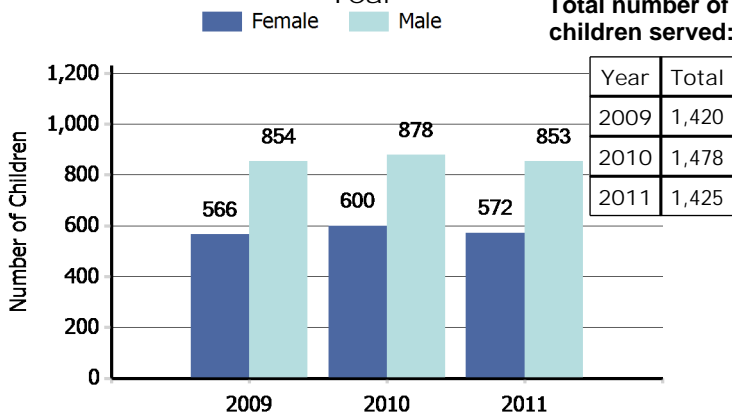
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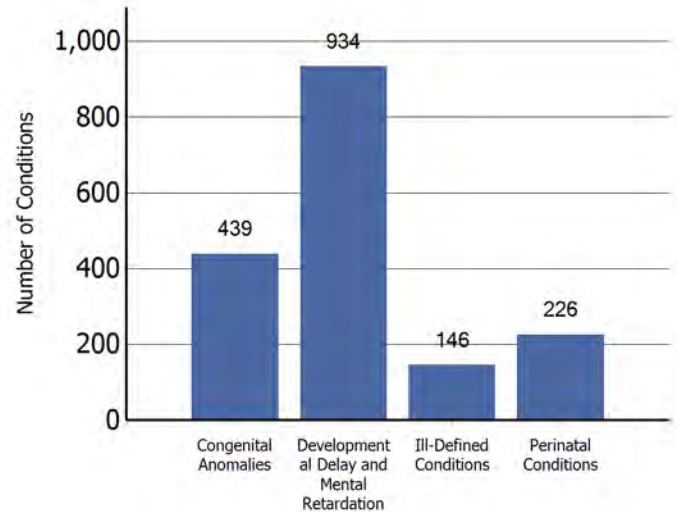


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	3,290
Health Impairment	1,912
Communication Disorder	1,886
Developmental Delay - Preschool	1,106
Autism	597
Intellectual Disabilities	402
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	249
Multiple Disabilities	215
Hearing Impairment	94
Orthopedic Impairment	64
Traumatic Brain Injury	26
Visual Impairments	19
Deafness	12
Deaf - Blindness	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9,877</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

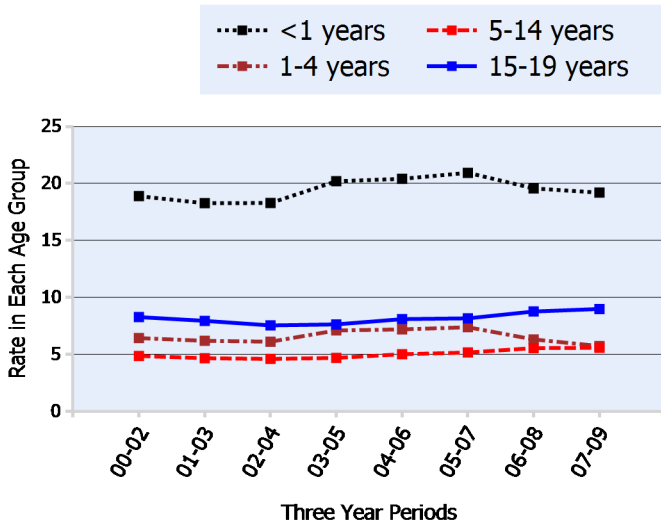
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	351
July 2010 - June 2011	364

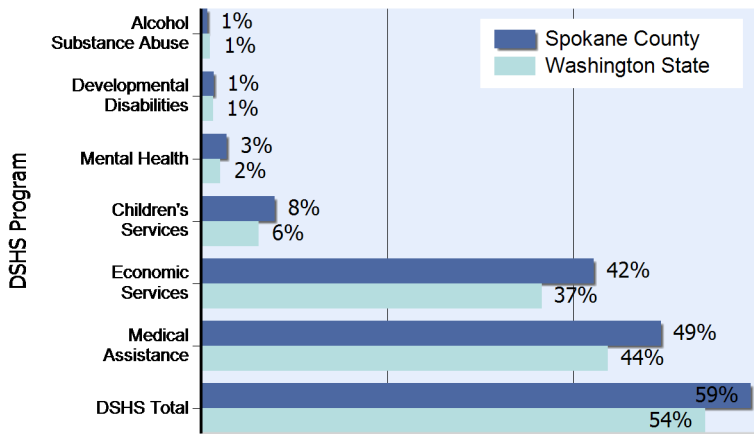
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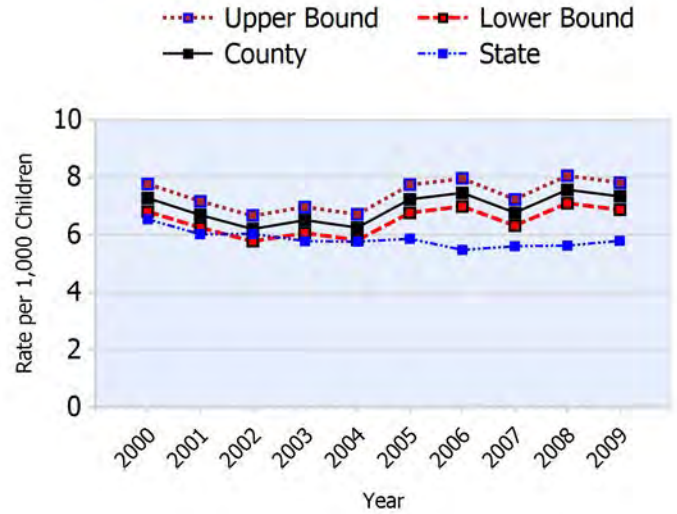
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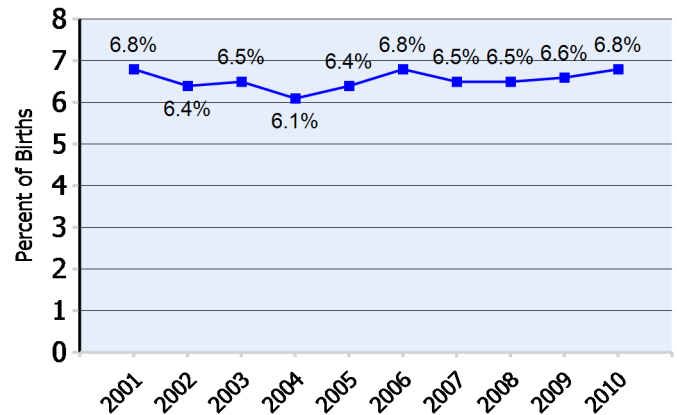
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Number and Percent<sup>5</sup> of Babies Born with Low Birth Weight (less than 2,500 grams)



<sup>5</sup> Percent of births for which the birthweight is known.  
Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year	LBW	All Births
Alcohol Substance Abuse	814	2001	369	5,408
Developmental Disabilities	1,517	2002	354	5,533
Mental Health	3,061	2003	353	5,451
Children's Services	8,679	2004	332	5,477
Economic Services	46,168	2005	360	5,593
Medical Assistance	54,145	2006	409	5,984
DSHS Total	64,639	2007	390	5,981
		2008	401	6,154
		2009	402	6,104
		2010	391	5,788





# Stevens County

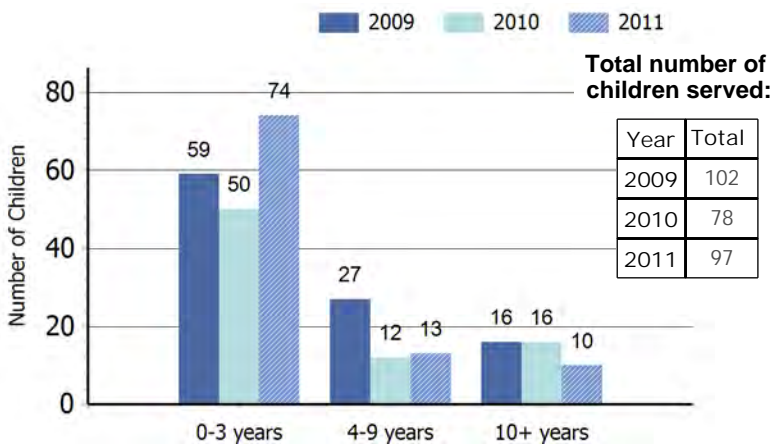
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	2,300	2,425	2,561	2,584
5-9 years	2,881	3,113	3,002	3,001
10-14 years	3,003	3,612	3,474	3,453
15-19 years	2,278	3,368	3,579	3,546
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,462</b>	<b>12,518</b>	<b>12,616</b>	<b>12,584</b>

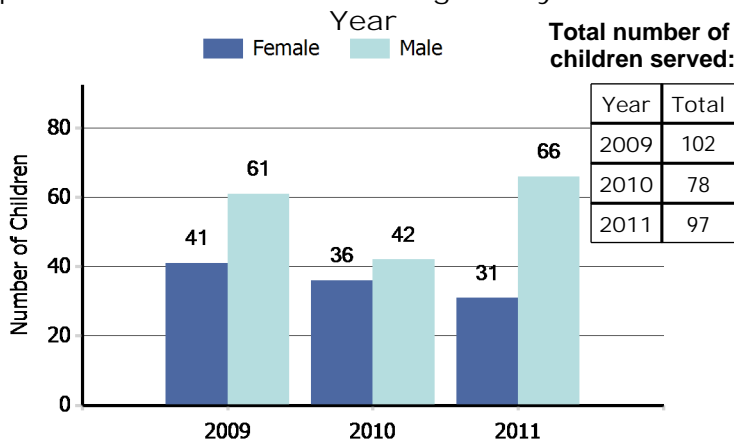
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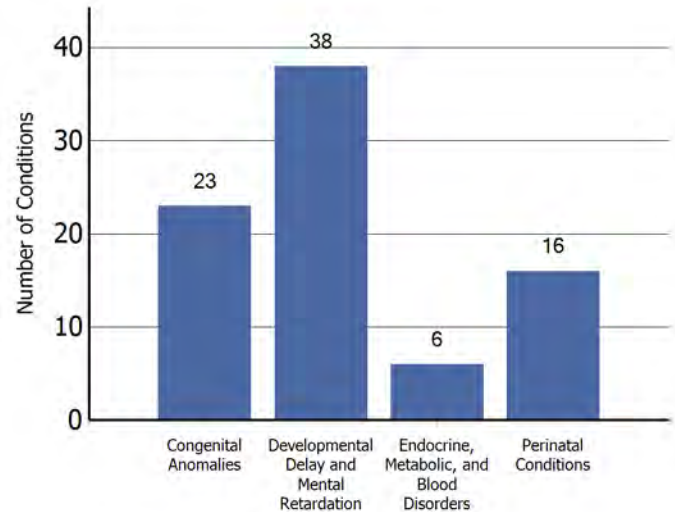


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	309
Communication Disorder	145
Developmental Delay - Preschool	96
Health Impairment	79
Intellectual Disabilities	42
Autism	23
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	18
Multiple Disabilities	16
Hearing Impairment	5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>733</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

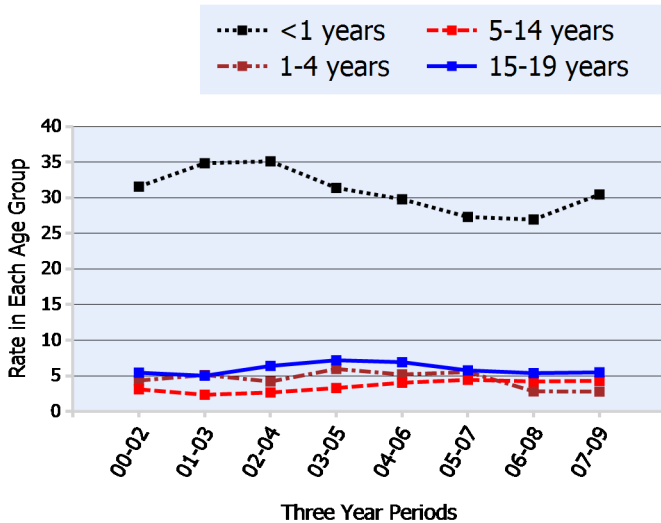
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	29
July 2010 - June 2011	32

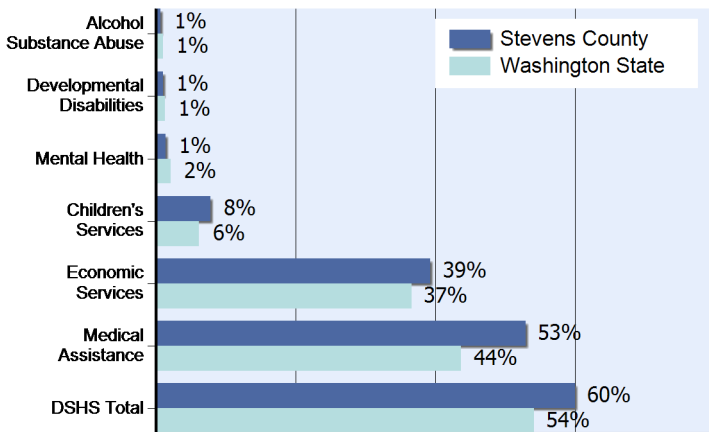
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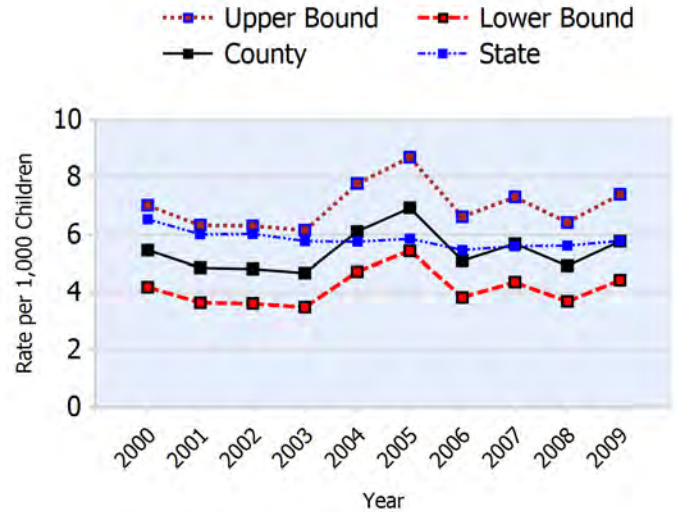
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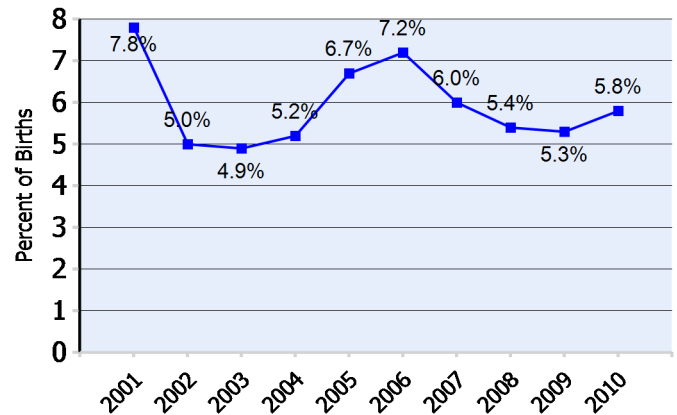
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year	LBW	All Births
Alcohol Substance Abuse	84	2001	35	449
Developmental Disabilities	117	2002	23	460
Mental Health	166	2003	23	467
Children's Services	900	2004	25	483
Economic Services	4,518	2005	30	450
Medical Assistance	6,082	2006	35	485
DSHS Total	6,903	2007	29	486
		2008	23	423
		2009	23	430
		2010	25	431



# Thurston County

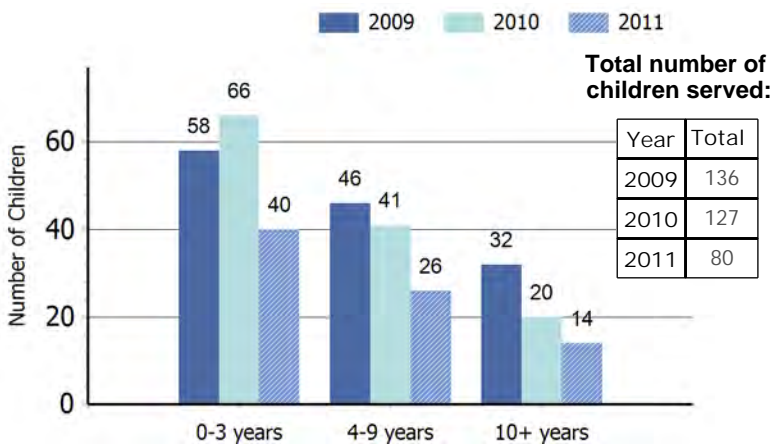
## Profile of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	11,707	12,827	14,816	15,132
5-9 years	12,815	14,431	15,219	15,403
10-14 years	12,198	15,324	16,119	16,221
15-19 years	11,510	15,904	18,483	18,540
<b>Total</b>	<b>48,230</b>	<b>58,486</b>	<b>64,637</b>	<b>65,296</b>

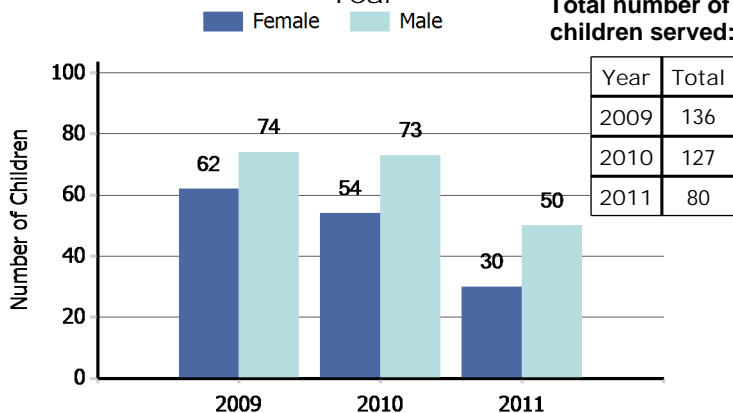
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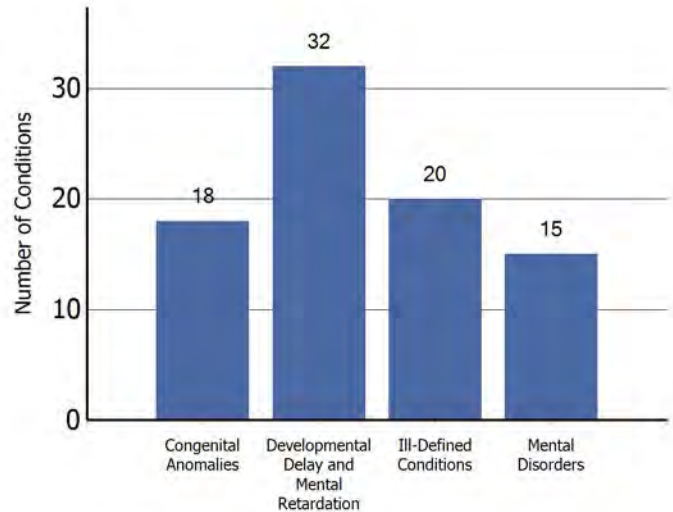


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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	1,538
Health Impairment	985
Developmental Delay - Preschool	826
Communication Disorder	659
Autism	309
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	214
Multiple Disabilities	178
Intellectual Disabilities	169
Deafness	79
Hearing Impairment	51
Visual Impairments	50
Orthopedic Impairment	20
Traumatic Brain Injury	9
Deaf - Blindness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,087</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

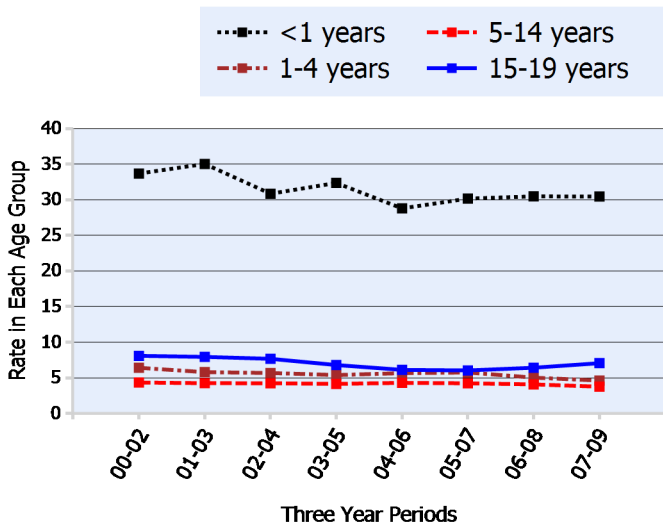
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	158
July 2010 - June 2011	174

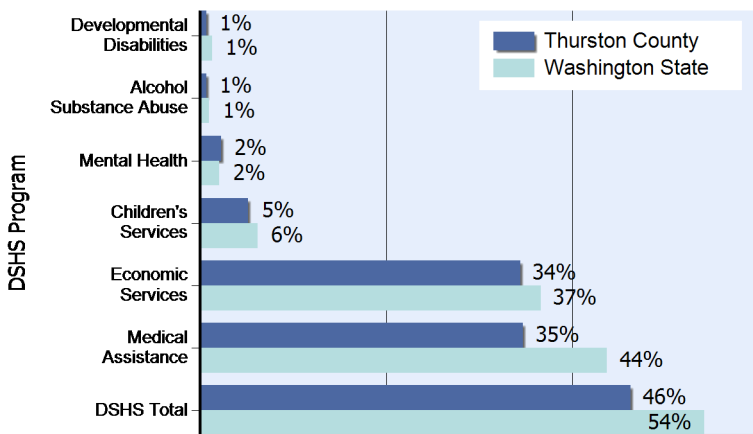
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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19



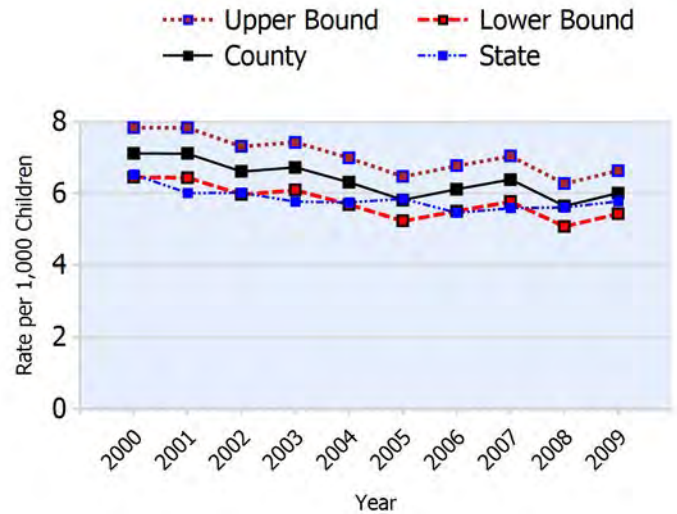
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Percent of Children Age 0-17 in Programs of the Department of Social and Health Services:<sup>7</sup> June 2007 - July 2008



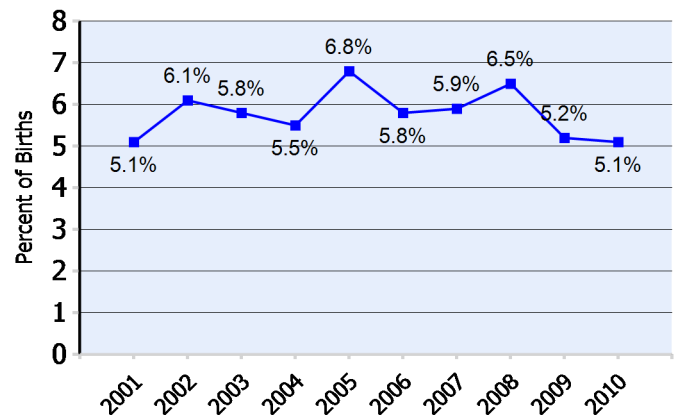
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Developmental Disabilities	379	2001	132 2,605
Alcohol Substance Abuse	430	2002	149 2,443
Mental Health	1,327	2003	153 2,617
Children's Services	2,994	2004	144 2,601
Economic Services	19,780	2005	179 2,614
Medical Assistance	19,957	2006	161 2,771
DSHS Total	26,600	2007	173 2,939
		2008	201 3,072
		2009	165 3,159
		2010	149 2,950



# Wahkiakum County

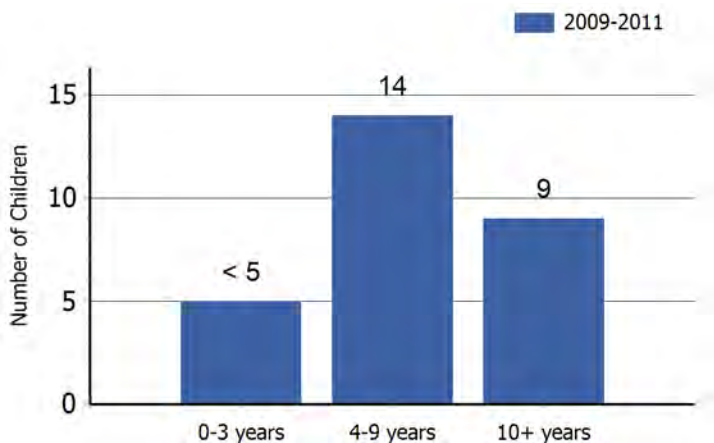
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	207	202	205	205
5-9 years	235	224	208	206
10-14 years	250	274	253	249
15-19 years	206	265	271	265
<b>Total</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>925</b>

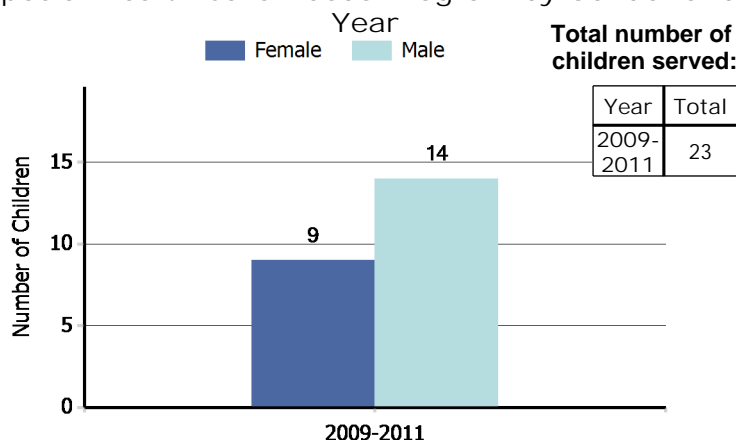
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Leading Four Diagnostic Categories<sup>3</sup> among Children Served by the Children with Special Health Care Needs Program: 2011

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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	33
Health Impairment	24
Communication Disorder	15
Developmental Delay - Preschool	8
Autism	<5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Intellectual Disabilities	<5
Multiple Disabilities	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>80</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

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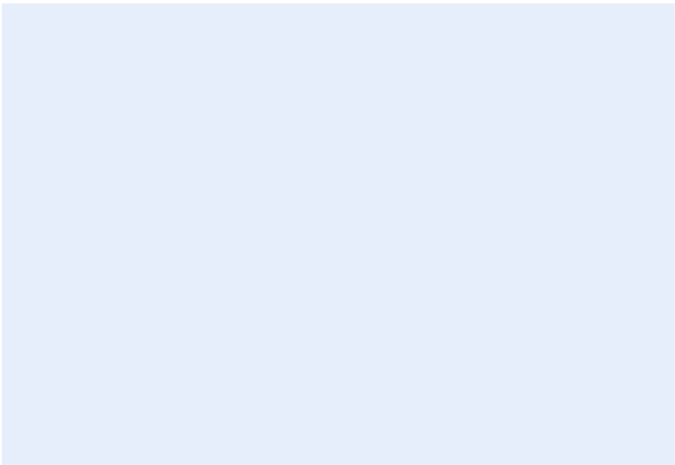
Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	88
July 2010 - June 2011	110

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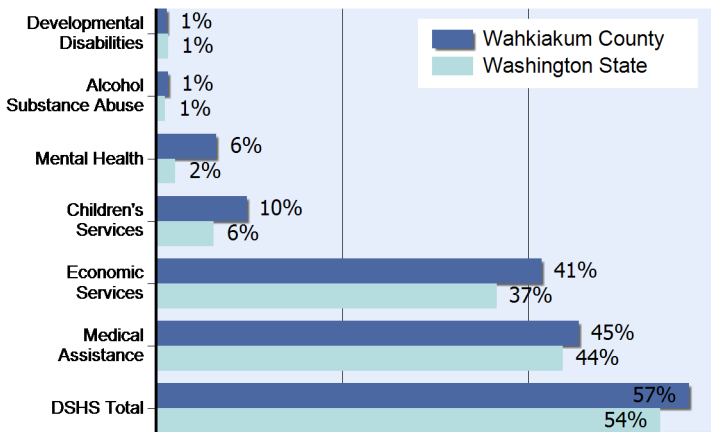
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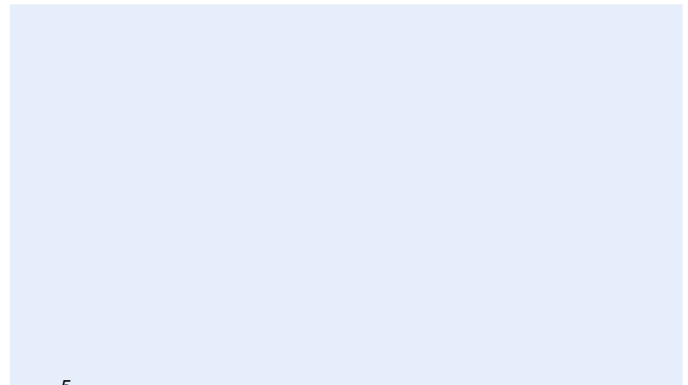


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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:

Developmental Disabilities	10
Alcohol Substance Abuse	11
Mental Health	56
Children's Services	85
Economic Services	358
Medical Assistance	392
DSHS Total	494

# Walla Walla County

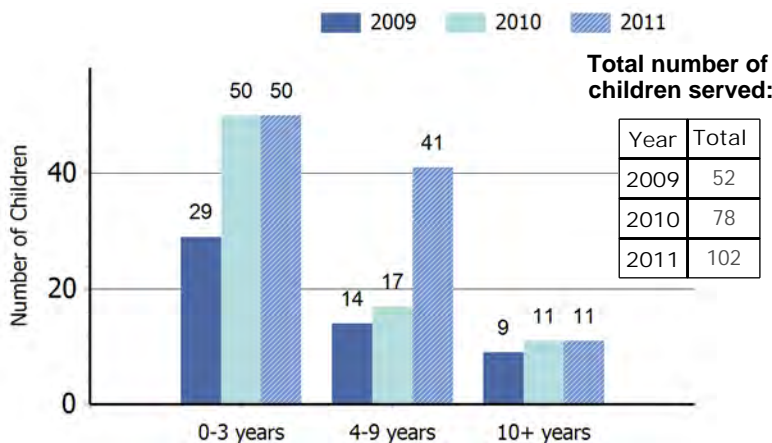
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	3,355	3,469	3,579	3,631
5-9 years	3,490	3,691	3,479	3,496
10-14 years	3,403	3,974	3,737	3,732
15-19 years	3,863	4,879	5,072	5,047
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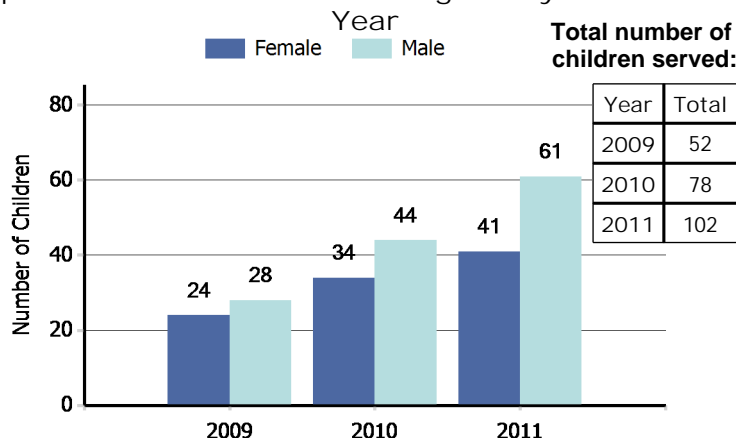
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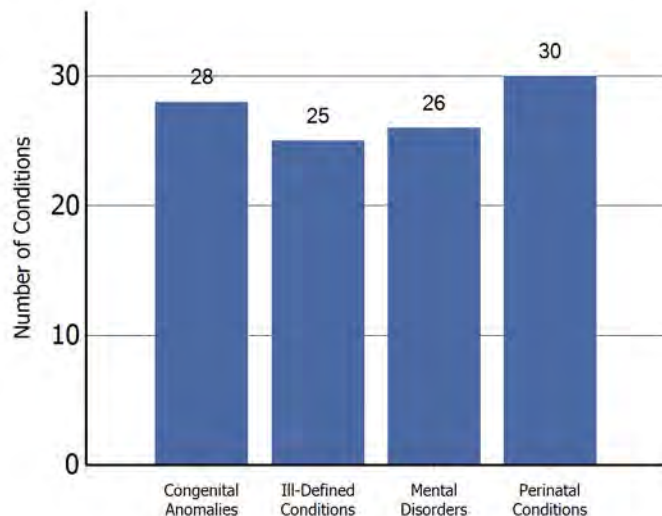


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	385
Health Impairment	161
Communication Disorder	153
Developmental Delay - Preschool	126
Autism	63
Intellectual Disabilities	42
Multiple Disabilities	36
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	29
Hearing Impairment	10
Visual Impairments	5
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,010</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

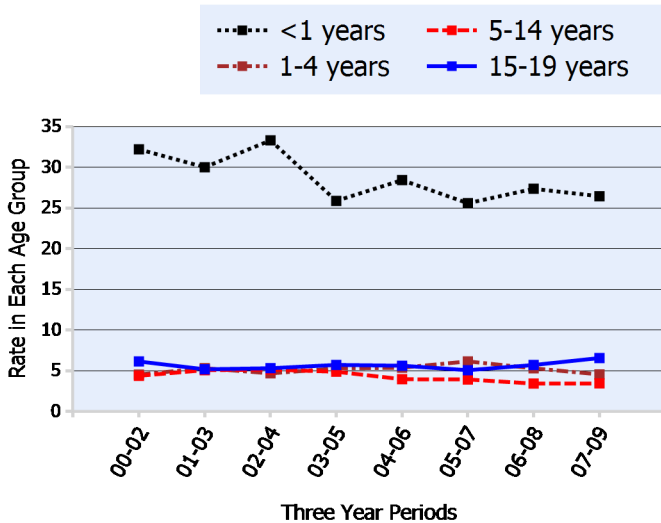
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	40
July 2010 - June 2011	49

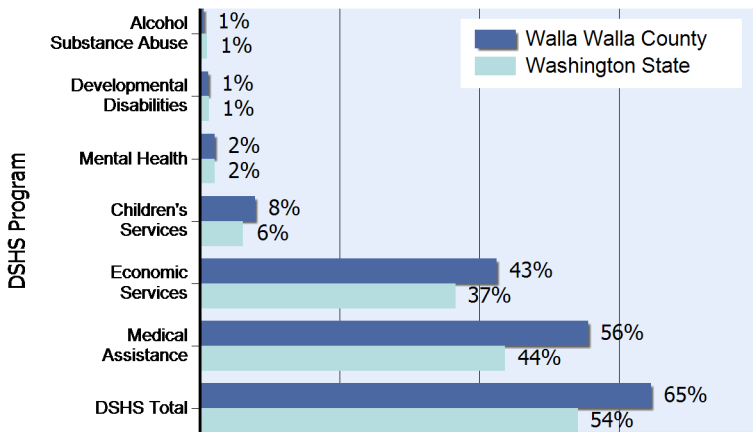
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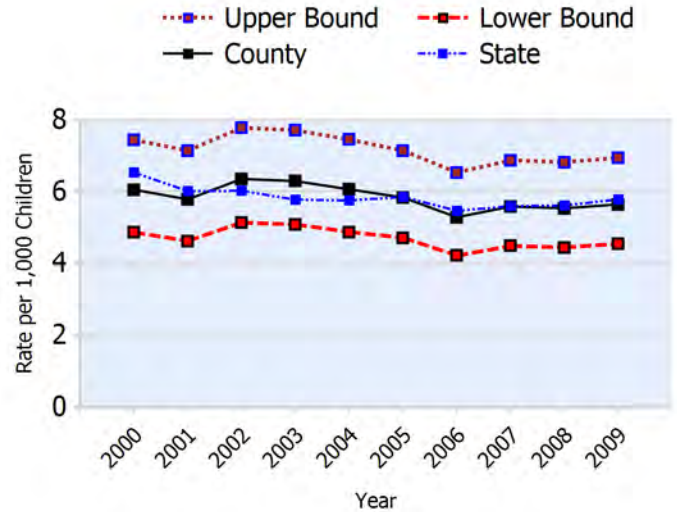
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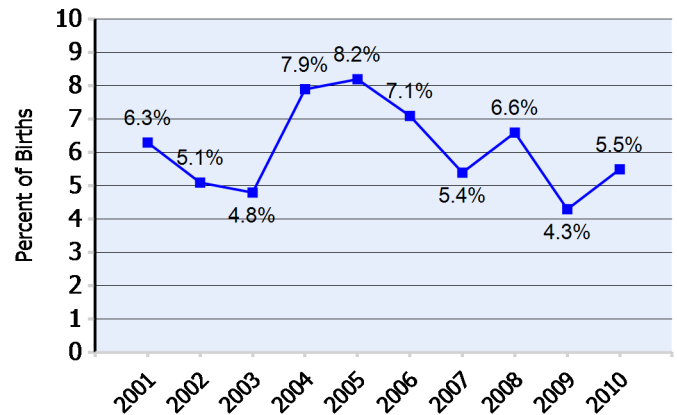
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Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year	LBW	All Births
Alcohol Substance Abuse	81	2001	45	714
Developmental Disabilities	156	2002	35	689
Mental Health	275	2003	33	686
Children's Services	1,051	2004	56	713
Economic Services	5,651	2005	59	719
Medical Assistance	7,390	2006	50	704
DSHS Total	8,577	2007	36	664
		2008	49	737
		2009	29	669
		2010	36	660



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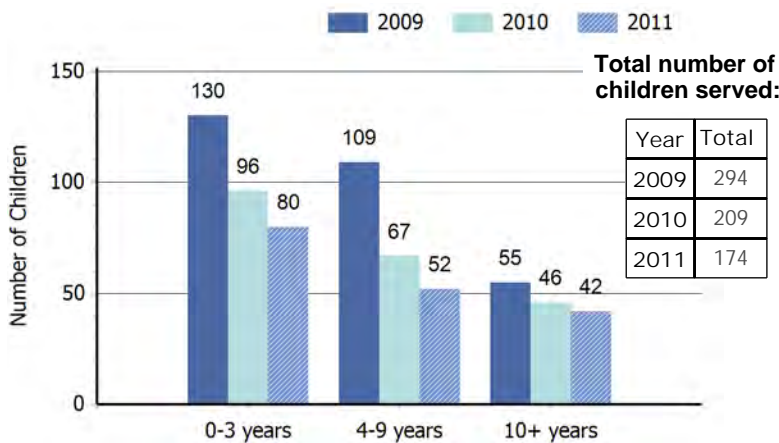
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Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	8,952	10,211	11,368	11,532
5-9 years	9,386	11,313	11,501	11,560
10-14 years	8,957	11,708	11,872	11,864
15-19 years	9,611	13,947	15,631	15,569
<b>Total</b>	<b>36,906</b>	<b>47,179</b>	<b>50,372</b>	<b>50,525</b>

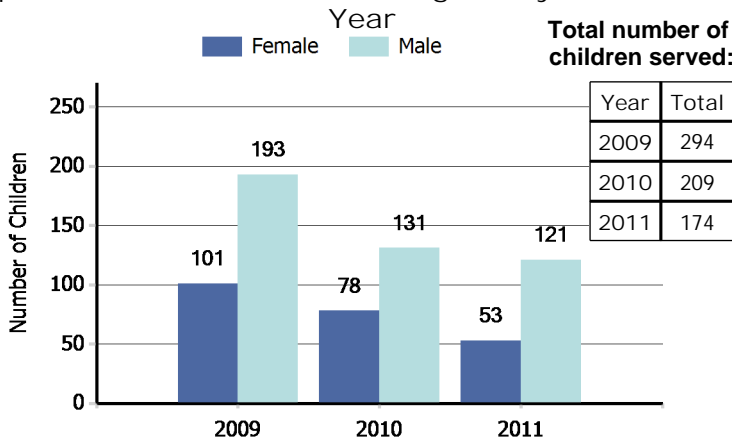
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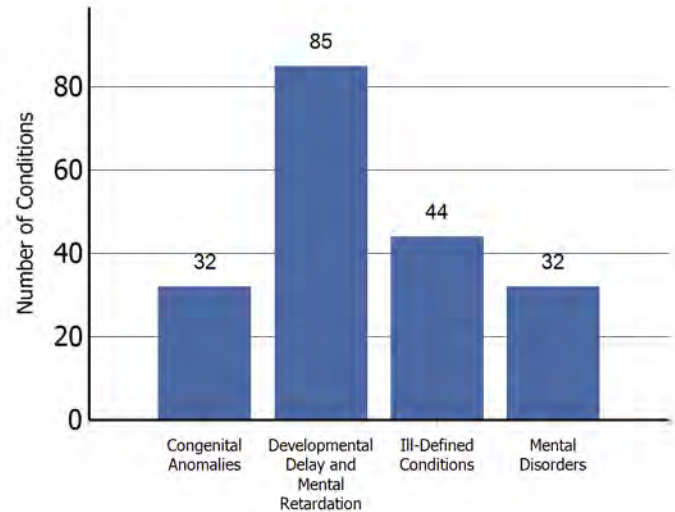


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	1,321
Health Impairment	618
Communication Disorder	554
Developmental Delay - Preschool	496
Autism	152
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	150
Intellectual Disabilities	115
Multiple Disabilities	54
Hearing Impairment	21
Traumatic Brain Injury	15
Visual Impairments	10
Orthopedic Impairment	8
Deafness	6
Deaf - Blindness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,520</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

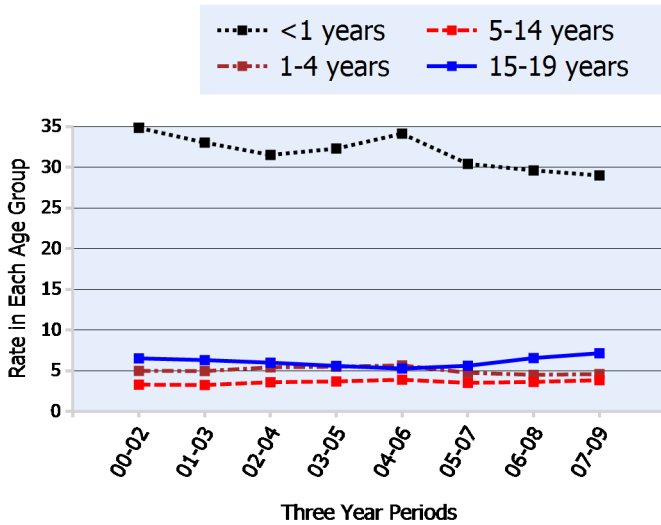
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July 2009 - June 2010	128
July 2010 - June 2011	149

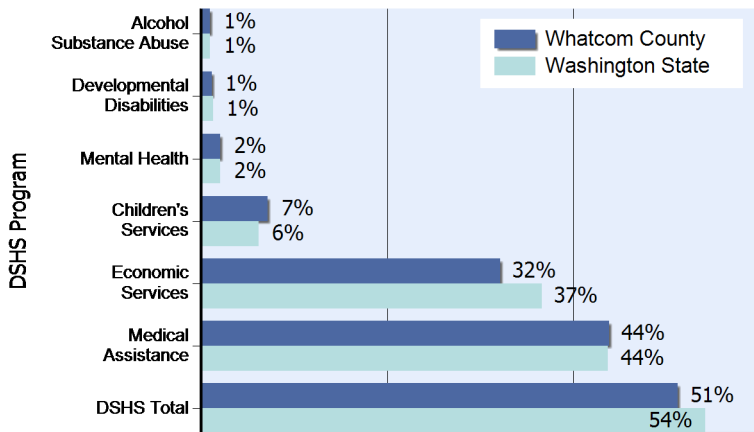
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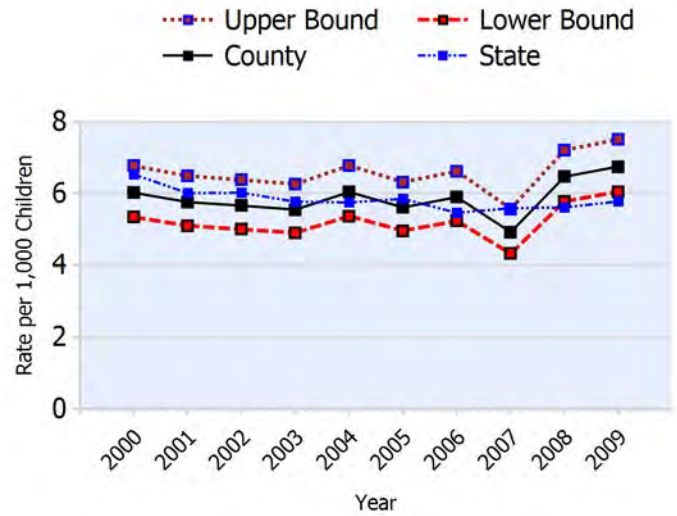
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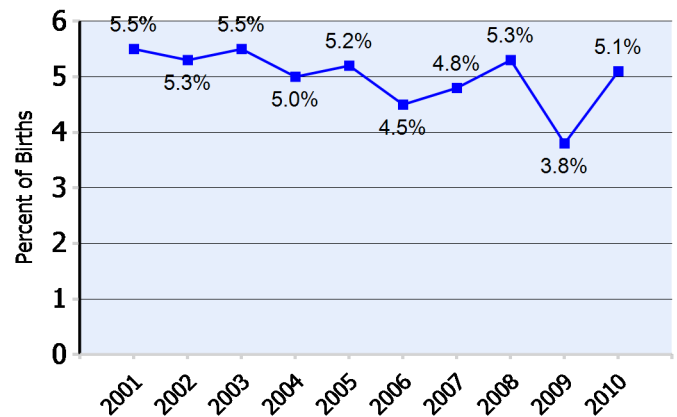
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	422	2001	107 1,962
Developmental Disabilities	513	2002	104 1,967
Mental Health	913	2003	112 2,034
Children's Services	3,059	2004	103 2,059
Economic Services	13,632	2005	110 2,119
Medical Assistance	18,628	2006	99 2,205
DSHS Total	21,773	2007	106 2,203
		2008	116 2,180
		2009	87 2,267
		2010	118 2,321



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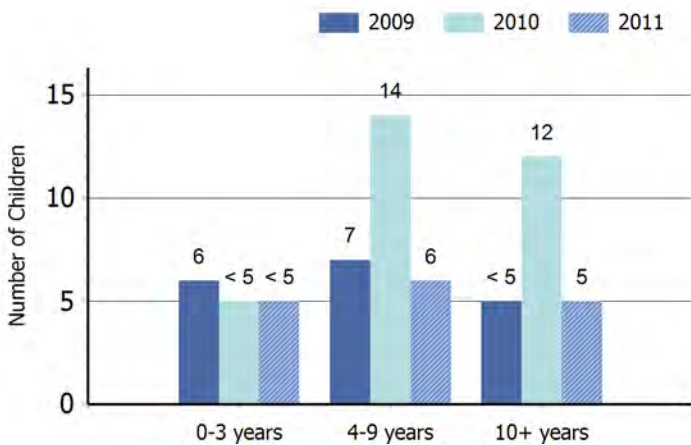
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	1,979	1,973	2,000	2,023
5-9 years	2,079	2,021	1,871	1,875
10-14 years	1,814	2,051	1,894	1,887
15-19 years	4,995	5,048	5,152	5,117
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,867</b>	<b>11,093</b>	<b>10,917</b>	<b>10,902</b>

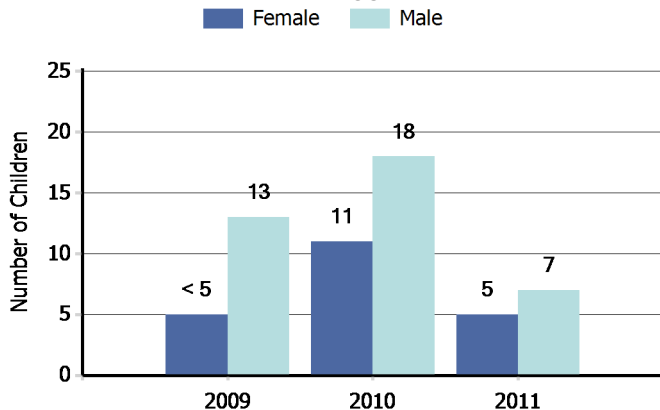
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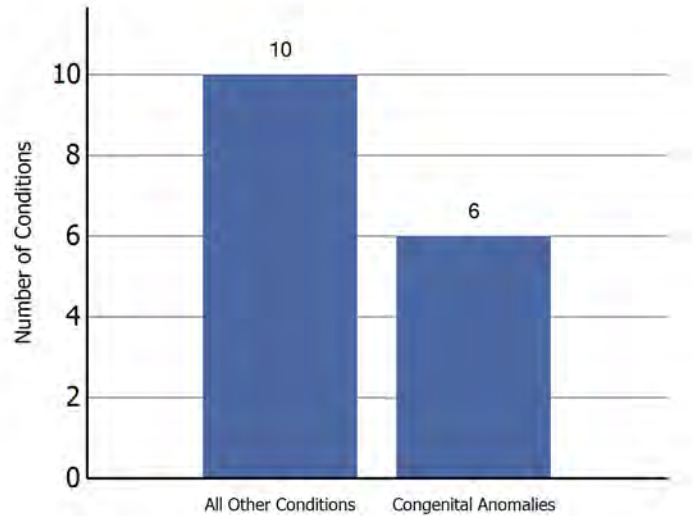


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(Maternal and Child Health Bureau)

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Source: Child Health Intake Forms, Children with Special Health Care Needs Program, Washington State Department of Health, 5/15/12.

Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	217
Communication Disorder	89
Health Impairment	56
Developmental Delay - Preschool	43
Autism	29
Intellectual Disabilities	15
Multiple Disabilities	10
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	8
Deaf - Blindness	<5
Deafness	<5
Hearing Impairment	<5
Orthopedic Impairment	<5
Traumatic Brain Injury	<5
Visual Impairments	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>467</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

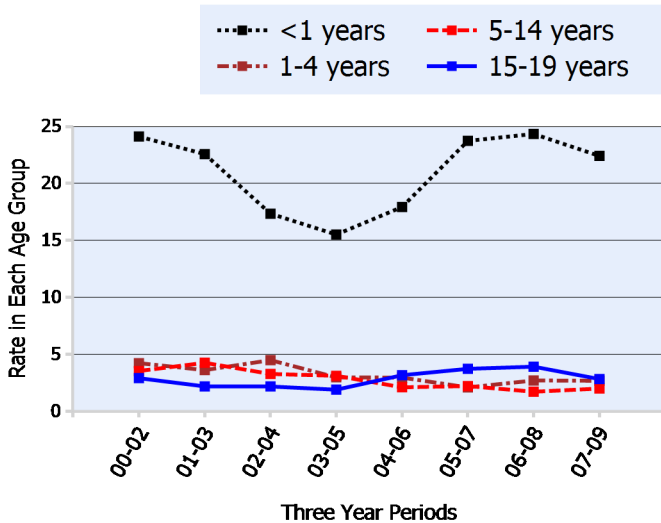
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Number<sup>4</sup> of Children Age 0-35 Months with an Individualized Family Service Plan Who Received Early Intervention Services

July 2009 - June 2010	25
July 2010 - June 2011	28

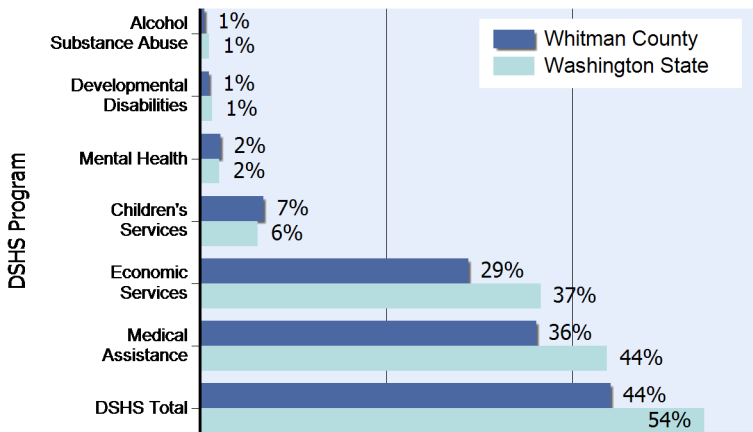
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Age-Specific Hospitalization Rate<sup>6</sup> for Chronic Conditions per 1,000 Children Ages 0-19



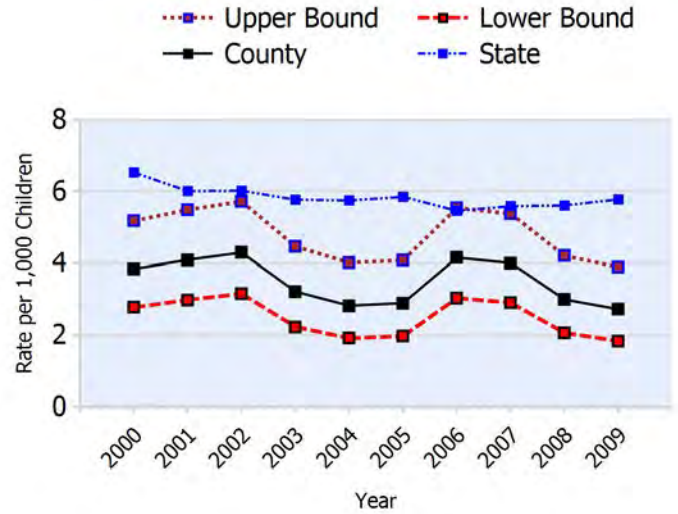
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Percent of Children Age 0-17 in Programs of the Department of Social and Health Services:<sup>7</sup> June 2007 - July 2008



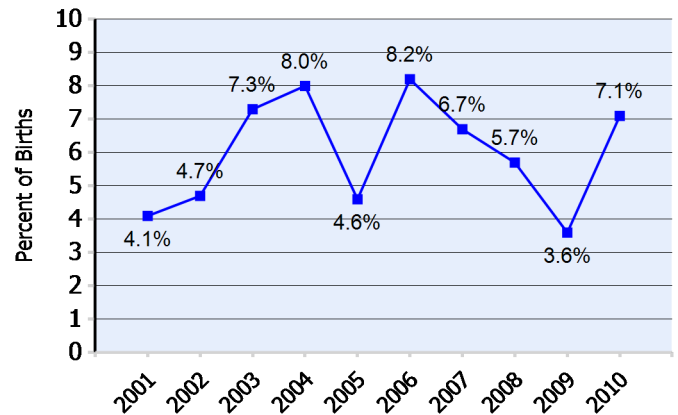
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Note: In 2010, the Medical Assistance program moved from the Washington State Department of Social and Health Services to the Health Care Authority. Client data and program descriptions are available at <http://clientdata.rda.dshs.wa.gov/>.

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<sup>5</sup> Percent of births for which the birthweight is known.  
Source: Washington State Birth Files, Washington State Department of Health, 11/15/11.

Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year	LBW	All Births
Alcohol Substance Abuse	36	2001	15	370
Developmental Disabilities	72	2002	19	401
Mental Health	157	2003	30	410
Children's Services	484	2004	30	376
Economic Services	2,044	2005	20	432
Medical Assistance	2,555	2006	34	413
DSHS Total	3,127	2007	29	431
		2008	25	442
		2009	16	445
		2010	30	422



# Yakima County

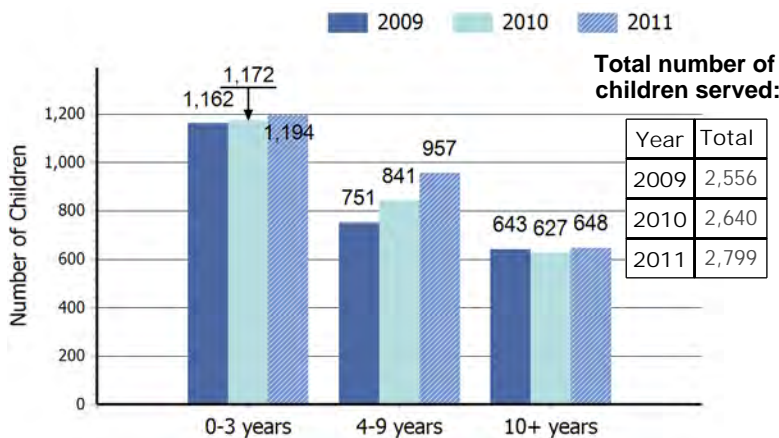
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Population of Children 0-19 Years by Age Group and Year

Age Group	1990	2000	2008	2009
0-4 years	16,936	19,440	20,188	20,515
5-9 years	16,288	20,263	19,221	19,346
10-14 years	15,588	19,457	18,416	18,423
15-19 years	14,574	18,598	19,455	19,393
<b>Total</b>	<b>63,386</b>	<b>77,758</b>	<b>77,280</b>	<b>77,677</b>

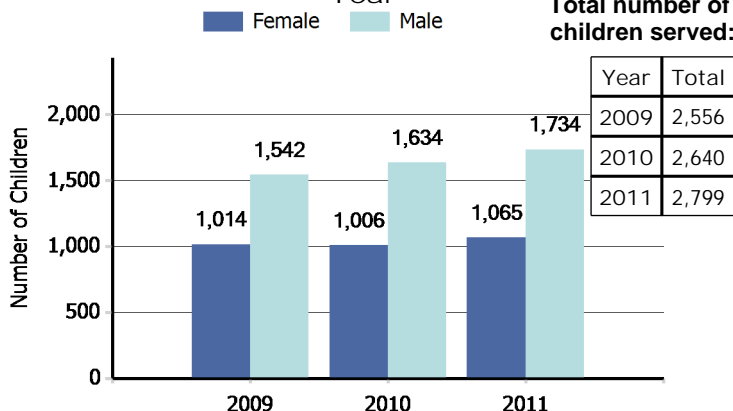
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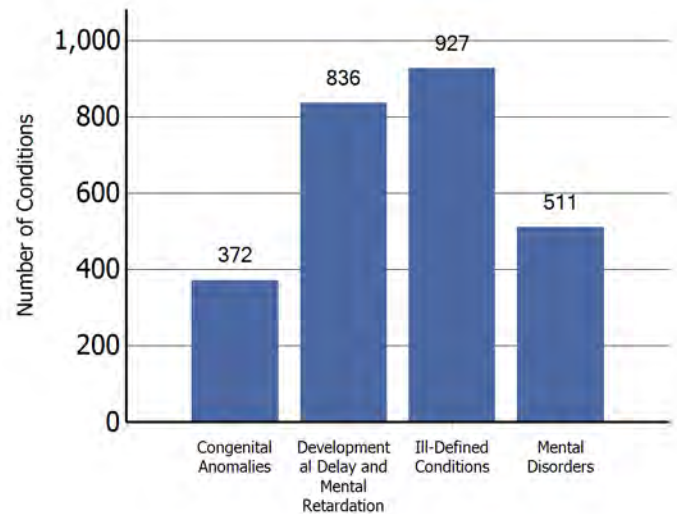


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Number of Children in Special Education Services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B, as of December 1, 2010

Diagnostic Category	Number
Specific Learning Disability	2,253
Communication Disorder	1,176
Developmental Delay - Preschool	1,000
Health Impairment	682
Intellectual Disabilities	356
Autism	198
Multiple Disabilities	122
Emotional/Behavioral Disability	113
Hearing Impairment	48
Orthopedic Impairment	37
Visual Impairments	29
Deafness	26
Traumatic Brain Injury	21
Deaf - Blindness	<5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6,061</b>

Source: Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Special Education Child County and Placement Data, 1/3/12.

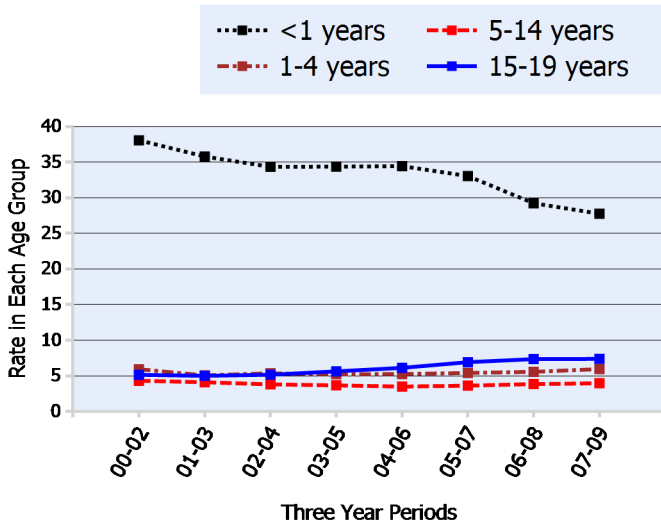
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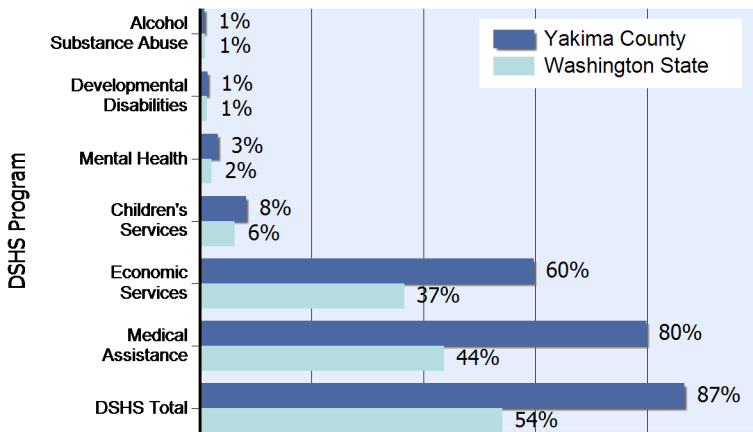
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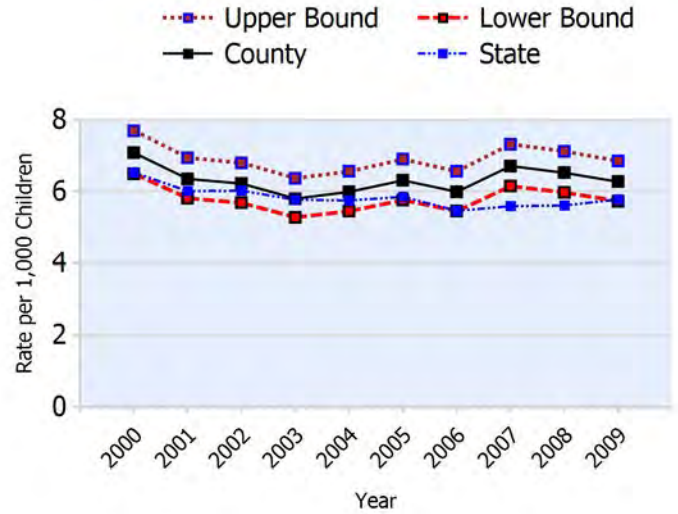
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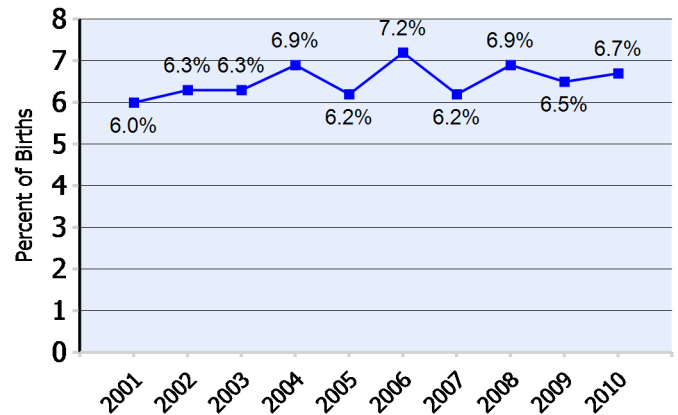
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Number of Children 0-17 in DSHS Programs:		Year LBW All Births	
Alcohol Substance Abuse	631	2001	252 4,184
Developmental Disabilities	958	2002	255 4,033
Mental Health	2,259	2003	262 4,132
Children's Services	5,806	2004	290 4,199
Economic Services	41,654	2005	260 4,170
Medical Assistance	55,748	2006	313 4,354
DSHS Total	60,532	2007	279 4,514
		2008	308 4,435
		2009	294 4,523
		2010	295 4,373

