

# Bluegrass District Determination

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Counties Served: Anderson, Bourbon, Boyle, Clark, Estill, Fayette, Franklin, Garrard, Harrison, Jessamine, Lincoln, Madison, Mercer, Nicholas, Powell, Scott, Woodford

**Additional Indicator Information For Indicator 3:**  
The Early Childhood Outcomes are not included in the overall score for the district. Instead, a comparison of the scores from the current and prior year is presented to visually show if the district is making improvement.

**For Indicators 4, 5, and 6:** The COVID-19 pandemic impacted performance for FFY 2021. For much of the year, services were only offered by tele-intervention. Referrals were down due to fear of the virus and closure of referral sources. These factors were out of the district's control. The results for these indicators are not comparable to prior years and were not included in the overall score for the district for FFY 2021.



The Bluegrass District has scored in the **Meets Requirements** category for the 9th year.

A determination of **Meets Requirements** means that the district is in compliance in meeting the state targets. This may include correcting any identified non-compliance within one year of notification to the district. The district is not subject to any enforcement action by the state.

Indicators 1, 7 and 8 are compliance indicators. The target is set by the Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP).

Indicators 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 are performance indicators. These are a measure of the districts overall performance in several key areas. These targets were set during the development of the State Performance Plan (SPP).

### Indicator 1: Timely Services

Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who receive the early intervention services on their IFSPs in a timely manner.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
100%	100%	Met

### Indicator 2: Services in Natural Environments

Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who primarily receive early intervention services in the home or community-based settings.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
99.83%	100%	Exceeds

### Indicator 3: Early Childhood Outcomes

Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who demonstrate improved:

A. Positive social-emotional skills (including social relationships)

	FFY20 Indicator target	FFY20 District Performance	FFY21 Indicator Target	FFY21 District Performance	Target Status
3A1	64.05%	66.96%	64.10%	69.23%	Exceeds
3A2	44.05%	49.22%	44.10%	46.29%	Exceeds

### Indicator 3: Early Childhood Outcomes

Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who demonstrate improved:

B. Acquisition and use of knowledge and skills (including early language/ communication)

	FFY20 Indicator target	FFY20 District Performance	FFY21 Indicator Target	FFY21 District Performance	Target Status
3B1	63.05%	61.46%	63.10%	59.29%	Slippage
3B2	42.05%	51.17%	42.10%	49.14%	Exceeds

### Indicator 3: Early Childhood Outcomes

Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who demonstrate improved:

C. Use of appropriate behaviors to meet their needs.

	FFY20 Indicator target	FFY20 District Performance	FFY21 Indicator Target	FFY21 District Performance	Target Status
3C1	62.05%	62.05%	62.10%	53.93%	Slippage
3C2	48.05%	55.47%	48.10%	50.29%	Exceeds

**Indicator 4: Family Involvement**

Percent of families participating in Part C who report that early intervention services have helped the family:

A. Know their rights.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
99.52%	99.19%	Met

**Indicator 4: Family Involvement**

Percent of families participating in Part C who report that early intervention services have helped the family:

B. Effectively communicate their children's needs.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
99.43%	98.76%	Not Met

**Indicator 4: Family Involvement**

Percent of families participating in Part C who report that early intervention services have helped the family:

C. Help their children develop and learn.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
98.80%	98.39%	Met

**Indicator 5: Child Find (Birth to One)**

Percent of infants and toddlers birth to 1 with IFSPs compared to national data.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
0.64%	0.37%	Not Met

**Indicator 6: Child Find (Birth to Three)**

Percent of infants and toddlers birth to 3 with IFSPs compared to national data.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
3.36%	2.29%	Not Met

**Indicator 7: 45-day timeline**

Percent of eligible infants and toddlers with IFSPs for whom an initial evaluation and initial assessment and an initial IFSP meeting were conducted within Part C's 45-day timeline.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
100%	100%	Met

**Indicator 8: Early Childhood Transition**

The percentage of toddlers with disabilities exiting Part C with timely transition planning for whom the Lead Agency has:

A. Developed an IFSP with transition steps and services at least 90 days, and at the discretion of all parties, not more than nine months, prior to the toddler's third birthday.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
100%	100%	Met

B. Notified (consistent with any opt-out policy adopted by the State) the State educational agency (SEA) and the local educational agency (LEA) where the toddler resides at least 90 days prior to the toddler's third birthday for toddlers potentially eligible for Part B preschool services.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
100%	100%	Met

C. Conducted the transition conference held with the approval of the family at least 90 days, and at the discretion of all parties, not more than nine months, prior to the toddler's third birthday for toddlers potentially eligible for Part B preschool services.

Indicator Target	District Performance	Target Status
100%	100%	Met

**December 1, 2021 Snapshot**

	District	State
<b>Total Caseload</b>	636	4,228
<b>Gender</b>		
Male	411	2,712
Female	225	1,516
<b>Age</b>		
Birth to 1	34	260
1-2	165	1,139
2-3	437	2,829
<b>Race</b>		
Hispanic/Latino	9.91%	7.78%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.16%	0.31%
White	70.28%	73.72%
Asian	2.99%	2.01%
Black or African American	9.43%	9.86%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.16%	0.14%
Two or more races	7.08%	6.17%
<b>Service Setting</b>		
Home	623	4,194
Community	13	31
Other	0	3

**Exit Reasons**

July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

	District	State
<b>Total</b>	622	4,104
Age Appropriate	92	530
Part B Eligible	322	2,020
Not Eligible for Part B, referral to other programs	59	338
Not Eligible for Part B, no referrals	37	242
Part B Eligibility Not Determined	17	261
Deceased	1	7
Moved Out of State	26	187
Withdrawn	34	177
Attempts to Contact Unsuccessful	34	342