

2006-2007 STATE SUMMARY

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AGE	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	12	1.8	183	2.0	718	1.9
Total known information	673	100.0	8999	100.0	36634	100.0
Under 3 years	11	1.6	437	4.9	1330	3.6
From 3 to 5 years	49	7.3	827	9.2	3448	9.4
From 6 to 9 years	140	20.8	1920	21.3	7825	21.4
From 10 to 13 years	172	25.6	2503	27.8	10198	27.8
From 14 to 17 years	227	33.7	2494	27.7	10121	27.6
18 years and older	74	11.0	818	9.1	3712	10.1
SEX	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	1	0.1	50	0.5	192	0.5
Total known information	684	100.0	9132	100.0	37160	100.0
Male	385	56.3	4938	54.1	20107	54.1
Female	299	43.7	4194	45.9	17053	45.9
RACE/ETHNIC BACKGROUND	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	6	0.9	215	2.3	571	1.5
Total known information	679	100.0	8967	100.0	36781	100.0
White	384	56.6	3113	34.7	17430	47.4
Black/African-American	34	5.0	548	6.1	5566	15.1
Hispanic/Latino	211	31.1	3972	44.3	10397	28.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	7	1.0	184	2.1	272	0.7
Asian or Pacific Islander	23	3.4	679	7.6	1542	4.2
Other	3	0.4	154	1.7	695	1.9
Multi-ethnic background indicated	17	2.5	317	3.5	879	2.4

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NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER (ELL)?	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	140	20.4	3441	37.5	12710	34.0
Total known information	545	100.0	5741	100.0	24642	100.0
Yes	54	9.9	2058	35.8	5986	24.3
No	491	90.1	3683	64.2	18656	75.7
NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED?	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	149	21.8	4561	49.7	14481	38.8
Total known information	536	100.0	4621	100.0	22871	100.0
Yes	104	19.4	1693	36.6	8516	37.2
No	432	80.6	2928	63.4	14355	62.8
AGE AT ONSET OF HEARING LOSS	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	32	4.7	399	4.3	1264	3.4
Total known information	653	100.0	8783	100.0	36088	100.0
At birth	266	40.7	3723	42.4	14745	40.9
+Under two years of age	72	11.0	1095	12.5	5589	15.5
+Two years of age or over	91	13.9	544	6.2	2688	7.4
Unknown	224	34.3	3421	39.0	13066	36.2
ETIOLOGY **	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	44	6.4	596	6.5	2028	5.4
Total Known Information	641	100.0	8586	100.0	35324	100.0
Genetic/Hereditary/Familial	179	27.9	1999	23.3	8233	23.3
+Pregnancy Related	58	9.0	740	8.6	3424	9.7
+Post-Birth Disease or Injury	71	11.1	870	10.1	4116	11.7
Cause cannot be determined/DNA***	339	52.9	5117	59.6	20147	57.0

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*** DNA - Data not available

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PARENT HEARING STATUS	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	96	14.0	927	10.1	3201	8.6
Total known info., Either Parent	589	100.0	8255	100.0	34151	100.0
Mother's status: Hearing	546	92.7	7692	93.2	31574	92.5
Hard of hearing	23	3.9	195	2.4	960	2.8
Deaf	19	3.2	334	4.0	1463	4.3
Data Not Available	1	0.2	34	0.4	154	0.5
Father's status: Hearing	518	87.9	7260	87.9	29460	86.3
Hard of hearing	19	3.2	131	1.6	699	2.0
Deaf	27	4.6	323	3.9	1276	3.7
Data Not Available	25	4.2	541	6.6	2716	8.0
Both parents hearing	504	85.6	7057	85.5	28498	83.4
Both parents deaf or hard of hearing	24	4.1	299	3.6	1284	3.8
One parent deaf/hh; other hearing	35	5.9	324	3.9	1499	4.4
One parent deaf/hh; other unknown	5	0.8	61	0.7	331	1.0
One parent hearing; other unknown	21	3.6	514	6.2	2539	7.4
HAS DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING SIBLINGS						
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	7	1.0	352	3.8	1197	3.2
Total known information	678	100.0	8830	100.0	36155	100.0
Has deaf or hard of hearing siblings	96	14.2	1247	14.1	4819	13.3
Has no deaf or hard of hearing siblings	491	72.4	6733	76.3	27999	77.4
Data not available	91	13.4	850	9.6	3337	9.2

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UNAIDED AUDIOMETRIC THRESHOLD	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	129	18.8	2132	23.2	8113	21.7
Total known information	556	100.0	7050	100.0	29239	100.0
Earphone (preferred measurement)	496	89.2	5850	83.0	24343	83.3
Sound field	56	10.1	999	14.2	4272	14.6
DEGREE OF HEARING LOSS	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	84	12.3	1429	15.6	5753	15.4
Total known information	601	100.0	7753	100.0	31599	100.0
Normal (< 27 dB, ANSI)	154	25.6	1666	21.5	5972	18.9
Mild (27-40 dB, ANSI)	78	13.0	1042	13.4	4186	13.2
Moderate (41-55 dB, ANSI)	88	14.6	1049	13.5	4364	13.8
Mod-severe (56-70 dB, ANSI)	50	8.3	870	11.2	3830	12.1
Severe (71-90 dB, ANSI)	82	13.6	1018	13.1	4411	14.0
Profound (91 dB and above, ANSI)	149	24.8	2108	27.2	8836	28.0

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COCHLEAR IMPLANT	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	11	1.6	207	2.3	730	2.0
Total known information	674	100.0	8975	100.0	36622	100.0
Have not had a cochlear implant	601	89.2	8142	90.7	31895	87.1
Have had a cochlear implant	67	9.9	816	9.1	4609	12.6
Implant Use						
Total students	67	100.0	816	100.0	4609	100.0
Information NOT reported	2	3.0	27	3.3	184	4.0
Total known information	65	100.0	789	100.0	4425	100.0
Implant still used	62	95.4	735	93.2	4092	92.5
Implant no longer used	3	4.6	54	6.8	333	7.5
COCHLEAR IMPLANT USE IN THE CLASSROOM						
Total students	67	100.0	816	100.0	4609	100.0
Information NOT reported	4	6.0	42	5.1	304	6.6
Total known information	63	100.0	774	100.0	4305	100.0
Implant used in the classroom	61	96.8	718	92.8	3971	92.2
Implant not used in the classroom	2	3.2	56	7.2	334	7.8

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HEARING AID USED FOR INSTRUCTION?	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	11	1.6	669	7.3	1870	5.0
Total known information	674	100.0	8513	100.0	35482	100.0
Hearing aid used for instruction	351	52.1	4928	57.9	20824	58.7
Hearing aid not used for instruction	323	47.9	3585	42.1	14658	41.3
GROUP ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE (ALD) USED FOR INSTRUCTION?	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	12	1.8	744	8.1	2278	6.1
Total known information	673	100.0	8438	100.0	35074	100.0
Group ALD used for instruction	254	37.7	2961	35.1	15378	43.8
Group ALD not used for instruction	419	62.3	5477	64.9	19696	56.2

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INSTRUCTIONAL SETTINGS **	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	2	0.3	163	1.8	354	0.9
Total known information	683	100.0	9019	100.0	36998	100.0
Special or center school	324	47.4	2557	28.4	9632	26.0
Reg. school setting w/hearing students	371	54.3	4113	45.6	15692	42.4
Self-contained clrm in reg. ed. setting	105	15.4	2498	27.7	7537	20.4
Resource room	150	22.0	1056	11.7	4477	12.1
Home	5	0.7	417	4.6	895	2.4
Other	16	2.3	318	3.5	1100	3.0
SERVICES RECEIVED **						
IN SUPPORT OF INSTRUCTION						
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	24	3.5	154	1.7	625	1.7
Total known information	661	100.0	9028	100.0	36727	100.0
No support services	86	13.0	847	9.4	2989	8.1
Sign interpreting	171	25.9	1932	21.4	8640	23.5
Oral interpreting	2	0.3	92	1.0	311	0.8
Cued speech transliteration	0	0.0	2	0.0	110	0.3
Itinerant teacher services	208	31.5	3842	42.6	14235	38.8
Tutoring	175	26.5	846	9.4	3520	9.6
Classroom inst. ass't/aide services	82	12.4	2073	23.0	7436	20.2
Adaptive PE	19	2.9	571	6.3	1707	4.6
#Vision services/Orientation & Mobility	12	1.8	93	1.0	477	1.3
Speech training/therapy	277	41.9	4215	46.7	21102	57.5
Auditory training	104	15.7	1962	21.7	8484	23.1
Counseling	122	18.5	790	8.8	3690	10.0
Occupational/Physical Therapy (OT/PT)	96	14.5	659	7.3	3577	9.7
Notetaking	42	6.4	327	3.6	1644	4.5
Real-time captioning/C-Print	18	2.7	60	0.7	314	0.9
Other	78	11.8	1113	12.3	4690	12.8

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HRS/WK INTEGRATED WITH NON-DISABLED HEARING STUDENTS	Colorado		West		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	4	0.6	263	2.9	952	2.5
Total known information	681	100.0	8919	100.0	36400	100.0
None	224	32.9	3318	37.2	12799	35.2
1 to 5 hours/week	24	3.5	987	11.1	3573	9.8
6 to 15 hours/week	90	13.2	1002	11.2	4043	11.1
16 to 25 hours/week	78	11.5	897	10.1	3849	10.6
26 or more hours/week	265	38.9	2715	30.4	12136	33.3
GRADE IN WHICH STUDENT IS ENROLLED						
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	97	14.2	2424	26.4	9606	25.7
Total Known Information	588	100.0	6758	100.0	27746	100.0
Early Childhood Intervention	11	1.9	529	7.8	1709	6.2
Pre-kindergarten	38	6.5	430	6.4	1830	6.6
Kindergarten	29	4.9	371	5.5	1577	5.7
1st Grade	28	4.8	377	5.6	1691	6.1
2nd Grade	37	6.3	358	5.3	1658	6.0
3rd Grade	24	4.1	413	6.1	1748	6.3
4th Grade	28	4.8	445	6.6	1790	6.5
5th Grade	38	6.5	465	6.9	1963	7.1
6th Grade	42	7.1	539	8.0	2119	7.6
7th Grade	37	6.3	502	7.4	1970	7.1
8th Grade	43	7.3	493	7.3	1960	7.1
9th Grade	55	9.4	511	7.6	2008	7.2
10th Grade	56	9.5	484	7.2	1937	7.0
11th Grade	50	8.5	378	5.6	1827	6.6
12th Grade	72	12.2	459	6.8	1812	6.5

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COMMUNICATION MODE PRIMARILY USED TO TEACH	Colorado		West		Nation	
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Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	1	0.1	232	2.5	411	1.1
Total known information	684	100.0	8950	100.0	36941	100.0
Speech only	292	42.7	4576	51.1	19061	51.6
Sign with speech	205	30.0	2603	29.1	13120	35.5
Sign only	181	26.5	1641	18.3	4136	11.2
Cued Speech	0	0.0	2	0.0	92	0.2
Other	6	0.9	128	1.4	532	1.4
SIGN USE IN THE HOME						
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	10	1.5	514	5.6	1435	3.8
Total known information	675	100.0	8668	100.0	35917	100.0
Family members regularly sign	174	25.8	2151	24.8	8733	24.3
Family members do not regularly sign	426	63.1	6045	69.7	25494	71.0
Data not available	75	11.1	472	5.4	1690	4.7
LANGUAGE(S)USED IN THE HOME **						
Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	9	1.3	310	3.4	754	2.0
Total known information	676	100.0	8872	100.0	36598	100.0
English	582	86.1	6480	73.0	30453	83.2
Spanish	122	18.0	3095	34.9	7819	21.4
#Chinese	0	0.0	35	0.4	83	0.2
#Vietnamese	2	0.3	48	0.5	105	0.3
#Korean	1	0.1	19	0.2	53	0.1
#Filipino/Tagalog	0	0.0	87	1.0	120	0.3
#Arabic	0	0.0	17	0.2	151	0.4
#Russian	1	0.1	20	0.2	62	0.2
#Hmong/Miao	2	0.3	21	0.2	144	0.4
#ASL	2	0.3	150	1.7	658	1.8
Other	6	0.9	389	4.4	1182	3.2
Data not available	3	0.4	47	0.5	211	0.6

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ADDIT. EDUC. RELEVANT CONDITIONS **	Colorado		West		Nation	
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Total students	685	100.0	9182	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	24	3.5	564	6.1	1646	4.4
Total known information	661	100.0	8618	100.0	35706	100.0
No condition in addition to deafness	387	58.5	4913	57.0	17340	48.6
Visual impairment	27	4.1	341	4.0	1281	3.6
Deaf-blindness	15	2.3	109	1.3	513	1.4
Developmental delay	51	7.7	416	4.8	1368	3.8
Specific learning disability	42	6.4	802	9.3	2868	8.0
Orthopedic impairment (includes CP)	31	4.7	367	4.3	1439	4.0
Attention Deficit Disorder (ADD/ADHD)	25	3.8	287	3.3	1836	5.1
Speech or language impairment	94	14.2	1264	14.7	8893	24.9
Traumatic brain injury	9	1.4	25	0.3	107	0.3
Mental retardation	43	6.5	678	7.9	2849	8.0
Emotional disturbance	20	3.0	106	1.2	638	1.8
Autism	3	0.5	120	1.4	469	1.3
Other health impairments	27	4.1	253	2.9	1277	3.6

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