

IDEA Preschool Special Education Indicators: Description of Compliance Calculation

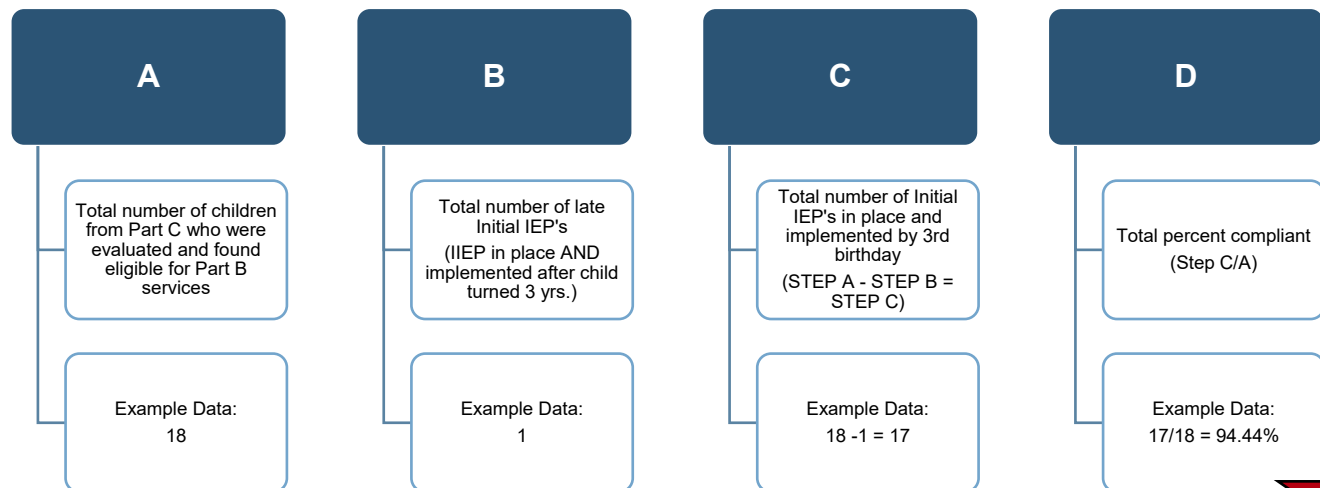
Indicator 12: Transition from Part C (Early Intervention) to Part B (Preschool Special Education)

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Indicator 12, one of the compliance indicators, measures the percentage of children referred by IDEA Part C (Early Intervention) who are found eligible for Part B (Preschool Special Education Services) and who have IEPs developed and implemented by their third birthdays. IDEA requires that 100 % of the children enrolled in Part C (Early Intervention) and found eligible for Part B (Preschool Special Education), have Part B services in place and implemented by each child's third birthday.

Below is a graphic of the calculation used by EMIS to determine a district's compliance with Indicator 12 timelines.



Step A- The sum of three components:

- ✓ PSTC events reported to EMIS in the Special Ed Event Record; ***This now includes PSTC events from two years of data. For example, 7/1/2020-6/30/2022. Previously, only PSTCs occurring in the current fiscal year were included.**
- ✓ The count of students reported on the DN record, Organization General Information; And # of children determined to be eligible for early intervention services under Part C less than 90 days before their third birthday (This comes from DODD and is used only for state calculation, not district)

* The reason for this change is so the Department can capture a child's PSTC event and the IIEP event in the Special Education Event Record in EMIS. This data represents all Indicator 12 compliance results for children that transition in the state of Ohio who receive Part C services and are referred and found eligible for preschool special education and have an IEP in place and implemented on or before the child's 3rd birthday even when the events occur over two different data collections.

Students who will not be included in this calculation and **subtracted from Step B** include:

- ✓ Children who are referred from EI to Part B who are determined not eligible, and that eligibility is determined prior to that child's third birthday;
- ✓ Children reported with IIEP noncompliance codes of 5 (parental choice), 6 (parent refused consent), 7 (Child's Health), 8 (Student Incarceration) or 9 (District in compliance with due process timelines, but incorrect /missing data reported in EMIS in prior collection).
- ✓ This will leave in **Step B** only those students with IIEP's implemented after their third birthdays with no acceptable noncompliance code associated with.

Step C will include:

- ✓ Children in Step A who had an IIEP reported by the same LEA who reported the PSTC conference date and;
- ✓ If multiple IIEP dates reported, the first event date reported is utilized.
- ✓ Those children reported in the final special education event record and;
- ✓ The IIEP's Effective Date (Implementation Date) is on or before the child's third birthday.

Students who will not be included and **subtracted from the calculation** will include:

- ✓ Children whose IIEP outcome is reported as a parent refusal, parent refusal to provide consent caused delays in evaluation or initial services or to whom exceptions under 34CFR 300.301 d applied.
- ✓ Children who have 45 days or less between the PSTC date and the child's third birthdate (for those children already enrolled in EI and may have had a parent change their mind regarding the PSTC). The district is not required to implement the IIEP by the third birthdate.