

**Table 2C**  
**2008 Pediatric Nutrition Surveillance** (1)  
**New York**  
**Summary of Health Indicators**  
**Children Aged < 5 Years** (2)

<b>Summary of Health Indicators</b> (3)						
			New York Prevalence		National Prevalence (Prior Year)	
			Number	%	Number	%
<b>Birthweight (4)</b>						
Low	< 2500 g		130,568	8.9	1,953,242	9.1
High	> 4000 g		130,568	6.7	1,953,242	6.4
<b>Height and Weight</b>						
<b>Short Stature (5)</b>						
	< 5th		481,925	4.2	7,526,585	6.2
	< 10th		481,925	8.0	7,526,585	11.2
<b>Underweight (6)</b>						
	< 5th		481,925	4.4	7,526,585	4.5
	< 10th		481,925	7.9	7,526,585	7.8
<b>Obese (6)</b>						
	≥ 95th		481,925	13.8	7,526,585	13.9
<b>≥ 2 Yrs Overweight (6)</b>						
	85th - < 95th		209,713	17.4	3,058,130	16.4
	≥ 95th		209,713	14.6	3,058,130	14.9
<b>Anemia (7)</b>						
	Low Hb		340,729	12.1	4,357,486	15.3
	Low Hct		14,590	12.8	627,528	11.0
	Low Hb/Hct		355,319	12.2	4,759,588	15.0
<b>Breastfeeding (8)</b>						
	Ever Breastfed		131,145	73.8	1,747,004	59.8
	Breastfed At Least 6 Months		47,556	41.2	874,434	25.4
	Breastfed At Least 12 Months		91,416	26.1	979,105	17.5
<b>Smoking in Household</b>						
	≤ 2 Hours TV Viewing/ Day (9)		488,866	3.2	3,047,308	11.3
			231,228	78.1	687,613	75.0

(1) Reporting period is January 1 through December 31.

(2) Analyses based on one record per child.

(3) Excludes records with unknown data or errors.

(4) Infants born during the reporting period included in the analysis.

(5) Based on 2000 CDC growth chart percentiles for length-for-age for children under 2 years of age and height-for-age for children 2 years of age and older.

(6) Based on 2000 CDC growth chart percentiles for weight-for-length for children under 2 years of age and BMI-for-age for children 2 years of age and older. 85th - < 95th percentile category identifies overweight children and ≥ 95th percentile category identifies obese children.

(7) Based on 1998 CDC MMWR, "Recommendations to Prevent and Control Iron Deficiency in the United States", altitude adjusted, children 6 months of age and older included in the analysis.

(8) Infants born during the reporting period included in the Ever Breastfed analysis. Infants who turned 6 months of age during the reporting period by/on their date of visit included in the Breastfed At Least 6 Months analysis. Children who turned 12 months of age during the reporting period by/on their date of visit included in the Breastfed At Least 12 Months analysis.

(9) Children aged 2 years and older included in the analysis.

\* Percentages are not calculated if < 100 records are available for analysis after exclusions.