

Table 8C
2008 Pediatric Nutrition Surveillance ⁽¹⁾
New York
Growth and Anemia Indicators by Race/Ethnicity or Age
Children Aged < 5 Years ⁽²⁾

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Growth and Anemia Indicators by Race/Ethnicity or Age ⁽³⁾												
	Birthweight (4)			Height and Weight							Anemia Low Hb/Hct (7)	
	Number	Low %	High %	Number	Short Stature (5)	Under- weight (6)	Obese (6)	≥ 2 Yrs Overweight (6)				
		<2500 g	>4000 g		%	<5th	%	<5th	%	85th-<95th		
Race/Ethnicity	Number	<2500 g	>4000 g	Number	% <5th	% <5th	% ≥95th	Number	% 85th-<95th	% ≥95th	Number	%
White, Not Hispanic	34,578	7.4	8.9	136,271	5.5	3.8	12.4	61,449	17.1	12.3	102,804	10.6
Black, Not Hispanic	33,033	12.3	5.2	113,090	4.2	5.9	12.8	47,300	15.8	12.9	80,653	17.3
Hispanic	47,729	7.9	6.5	182,216	3.6	3.4	16.6	80,365	19.3	18.1	135,997	11.1
American Indian/Alaskan Native	1,341	10.0	6.1	4,190	4.6	7.3	13.0	1,467	14.5	14.8	2,807	12.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	11,558	7.2	4.4	37,845	3.2	7.2	8.8	15,838	14.1	10.8	26,755	7.9
Multiple Races	2,311	10.0	8.2	8,273	4.8	4.3	13.6	3,287	16.1	12.7	6,288	13.7
All Other	18	*	*	40	*	*	*	7	*	*	15	*
Total	130,568	8.9	6.7	481,925	4.2	4.4	13.8	209,713	17.4	14.6	355,319	12.2
Age												
0 - 11 Months	-	-	-	150,618	4.9	6.4	11.6	-	*	*	38,464	15.4
12 - 23 Months	-	-	-	121,594	5.1	3.8	15.3	-	*	*	137,741	13.3
24 - 35 Months	-	-	-	79,005	3.4	3.7	12.0	79,005	16.4	12.0	77,712	12.2
36 - 47 Months	-	-	-	68,104	3.3	3.2	15.2	68,104	17.9	15.2	61,490	9.7
48 - 59 Months	-	-	-	62,604	3.1	3.0	17.1	62,604	18.0	17.1	39,912	8.7
Total	-	-	-	481,925	4.2	4.4	13.8	209,713	17.4	14.6	355,319	12.2

(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.

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