MAINE Head Start & Early Head Start 2014-2015 Overview

FEDERALLY FUNDED ENROLLMENT

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<td>1,427</td>
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ENROLLMENT

PERCENT OF LOW-INCOME CHILDREN SERVED BY HEAD START

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TEACHER DEGREE

PERCENT OF TEACHERS WITH BA OR HIGHER

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<td>45%</td>
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<td>76%</td>
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PROGRAM DURATION

PERCENT OF CHILDREN IN SCHOOL-DAY, 5-DAY/WEEK PROGRAMS

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<td>3.2</td>
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TEACHER SALARY

AVERAGE SALARY OF TEACHERS WITH A BA DEGREE

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<th>Public elementary school</th>
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<td>Maine</td>
<td>$30,707</td>
<td>$33,387</td>
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<td>$29,769</td>
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<td>3,303</td>
<td>825</td>
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<td>3,214</td>
<td>796</td>
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<td>American Indian/Alaska Native</td>
<td>60</td>
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<td>Cumulative Enrollment</td>
<td>4,154</td>
<td>1,251</td>
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<td>In Center-Based Child Care Partner</td>
<td>8</td>
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### PERCENT OF CHILDREN IN THE STATE SERVED

![Graph showing percent of children served by age over time.]

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<td>$2,512,730</td>
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### FEDERAL FUNDING PER CHILD (2015 DOLLARS)

![Graph showing federal funding per child combined, Early Head Start, Head Start, and National average over time.]

### NUMBER OF CHILDREN ENROLLED OVER TIME, BY AGE

![Graph showing number of children enrolled by age and year.]

### PERCENT OF LOW-INCOME CHILDREN IN THE STATE SERVED

![Graph showing percent of low-income children served by age over time.]

### MAINE Head Start & Early Head Start

- Total Funded Enrollment: 3,303
- Federally Funded: 3,214
- State Supplemental: 29
- MIECHV Funded: 0
- American Indian/Alaska Native: 60
- Cumulative Enrollment: 4,154

- In Center-Based Child Care Partner: 8

- Total Funding: $37,120,119
- Total Federal Funding: $34,607,389
- Head Start Federal Funding: $33,851,382
- American Indian/Alaska Native Head Start Funding: $756,007
- Head Start State Supplemental Funding: $2,512,730

- Number of children enrolled by age and year:

- Percent of low-income children served by age and year:

- Federal funding per child combined, Early Head Start, Head Start, National average by year:
**CHILD AND FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS**

**ETHNICITY**
- Hispanic/Latino: 3%
- Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino: 97%
- American Indian/Alaska Native: 2%
- Asian: 1%
- Black or African American: 7%
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: 0%
- Biracial/Multi-racial: 8%
- Other/Unspecified: 0%

**RACE**
- English: 92%
- Spanish: 0%
- Middle Eastern: 2%
- African: 4%
- Other/Unspecified: 2%

**FAMILY USE OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE**
- Meets income requirement: 83%
- Child has an IEP/IFSP: 3%
- Child was referred to Head Start by child welfare: 12%
- Single parent family: 48%
- Parental unemployment: 45%
- Child experienced homelessness: 7%

**SUPPORT SERVICES**

**CHILDREN RECEIVING HEALTH SERVICES**
- Up-to-date immunizations: 85% (At enrollment) 96% (At end of enrollment)
- Health insurance: 93% (At enrollment) 97% (At end of enrollment)
- Medical home: 93% (At enrollment) 98% (At end of enrollment)
- Up-to-date on age-appropriate preventive and primary health: 42% (At enrollment) 74% (At end of enrollment)
- Dental home: 59% (At enrollment) 76% (At end of enrollment)

**FAMILIES’ USE OF SUPPORT SERVICES**
- Parenting education: 81%
- Health education: 86%
- Emergency/Crisis intervention: 25%
- Adult education: 14%
- Mental health services: 21%

**CHILDREN RECEIVING TRANSPORTATION**
- 11%

**FAMILIES RECEIVING AT LEAST ONE SUPPORT SERVICE**
- 93%
### Staff Characteristics

#### Assistants Teacher Degree Qualifications
- **English**: 56%
- **Spanish**: 19%
- **East Asian**: 9%
- **European & Slavic**: 5%
- **Other/Unspecified**: 12%

#### Home Visitor Degree Qualifications
- **Advanced**: 1%
- **BA**: 22%
- **AA**: 14%
- **CDA**: 50%
- **No ECE-related credentials**: 9%

#### ECD Management Degree Qualifications
- **Advanced**: 2%
- **BA**: 14%
- **AA**: 19%
- **CDA**: 50%
- **No ECE-related credentials**: 9%

#### Home Visitor Vacancies
- Filled: 75%
- Over 3 months: 22%
- Left for better compensation: 22%

#### Teacher Vacancies
- Filled: 75%
- Over 3 months: 22%
- Left for better compensation: 22%

### Average Teacher Salary

#### All assistant teachers
- $20,875

#### All teachers
- $29,724

#### Teachers with a CDA or no ECE credentials
- $26,890

#### Teachers with an AA
- $28,899

#### Teachers with a BA or higher
- $30,707

#### Public elementary school teacher
- $50,017

### Additional Staff Qualifications

#### STAFF DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS

#### Staff Language Proficiency
- **English**: 56%
- **Spanish**: 19%
- **East Asian**: 9%
- **European & Slavic**: 5%
- **Other/Unspecified**: 12%

#### Staff Race
- **American Indian/Alaska Native**: 2%
- **Asian**: 14%
- **Black or African American**: 19%
- **Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander**: 50%
- **White**: 9%
- **Bi-racial/Multi-racial**: 2%
- **Other/Unspecified**: 9%
**Program Type and Duration**

- **Enrollment by program type**
  - Center-based
  - Home-based
  - Combination
  - Family care
  - Locally-designed
  - Pregnant women

- **Enrollment in center-based programs by operating schedule**
  - School-day, 5 days/week
  - School-day, 4 days/week
  - Part-day, 5 days/week
  - Part-day, 4 days/week

- **Number of years enrolled in Early Head Start**
  - 1 year
  - 2 years
  - 3+ years

**Percent of Children in School-Day, 5-Day Per Week Programs**

- 2007: 34%
- 2008: 31%
- 2009: 34%
- 2010: 29%
- 2011: 27%
- 2012: 30%
- 2013: 24%
- 2014: 20%
- 2015: 29%

**Percent of Children in Child Care Partnerships**

- 2007: 6%
- 2008: 7%
- 2009: 12%
- 2010: 4%
- 2011: 6%
- 2012: 4%
- 2013: 1%
- 2014: 1%
- 2015: 1%

**Additional Type and Duration Information**

- **Child turnover rate**
  - Maine: 51%
  - National average: 38%

- **Percent of children receiving a child care subsidy**
  - Maine: 20%
  - National average: 8%

- **Percent of pregnant women who left program before giving birth**
  - Maine: 6%
  - National average: 10%
### MAINE Head Start

#### HEAD START STAFF

#### PERCENT OF TEACHERS BY HIGHEST DEGREE IN ECE OR RELATED FIELD

![Bar chart showing the percentage of teachers by highest degree in ECE or related field for each year from 2007 to 2015.]

#### AVERAGE TEACHER SALARY

- **All assistant teachers**: $17,912
- **All teachers**: $25,378
- **Teachers with a CDA or no ECE credentials**: $25,331
- **Teachers with an AA**: $25,300
- **Teachers with a BA or higher**: $26,455
- **Difference**: $23,562
- **Public elementary school teacher**: $50,017

#### STAFF CHARACTERISTICS

- **Hispanic or Latino**: 1%
- **Speaks a language other than English**: 2%
- **Current/Former Head Start parent**: 26%

#### STAFF TURNOVER

- **Teacher left**: 15%
- **Teacher left for better compensation**: 5%
- **Teacher vacancies filled**: 5%
- **Teacher vacancies over 3 months**: 13%
- **Home visitor left**: 7%
- **Home visitor left for better compensation**: 0%
- **Home visitor vacancies over 3 months**: 0%
- **Home visitor vacancies filled**: 100%

#### ADDITIONAL STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

- **Assistant teacher degree qualifications**:
  - Advanced
  - BA
  - AA
  - CDA
  - No ECE-related credentials
  - Not reported

- **Home visitor degree qualifications**:
  - Advanced
  - BA
  - AA
  - CDA
  - No ECE-related credentials

- **ECD management degree qualifications**:
  - Advanced
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#### STAFF DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS

- **Staff language proficiency**:
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BASED

PERCENT OF CHILDREN IN SCHOOL-DAY, 5-DAY PER WEEK PROGRAMS

ADDITIONAL TYPE AND DURATION INFORMATION

Child turnover rate

Percent of children receiving a child care subsidy

Percent of children in double sessions