

SOUTH CAROLINA at a Glance

Demographics		STATE	US	SOURCE CODE	
Child Population	Number of children	1,089,380	77,796,940	A	
	Children as a percentage of the total population	27%	27%		
Race/Ethnicity	Percentage of children, by race/ethnicity				
	White alone	58.0%	60.9%	B	
	Black/African American alone	36.4%	14.7%		
	Hispanic/Latino alone	2.8%	17.1%		
	American Indian/Alaska Native alone	0.3%	0.9%		
	Asian alone	0.8%	3.3%		
	Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.2%		
	Another race/ethnicity alone	0.2%	0.3%		
2 or more races/ethnicities	1.5%	2.6%			
Household	Among households with children, percentage of households with one, two, or three or more adults				
	1 adult	16.3%	13.9%	C	
	2 adults	66.8%	65.2%		
	3 or more adults	16.9%	20.9%		
Urban/Rural	Percentage of population living in urban areas	60.5%	72.7%	D	
Special Health Care Needs	Percentage of children who have special health care needs	13.2%	12.8%	C	
	Percentage of children with reported special health care needs, by age group				
	0-5	8.4%	7.8%		
	6-11	15.6%	14.6%		
	12-17	15.1%	15.8%		
	Percentage of households with one or more children with special health care needs	21.0%	20.0%		
Low Birth Weight	Percentage of live births that are low birth weight	10.0%	7.8%	E	
Special Education	Percentage of public school students enrolled in Special Education	15.9%	13.4%	F	
Economics		STATE	US	SOURCE CODE	
Income	Per capita income	\$18,795	\$21,587	G	
	Percentage of children in families with income below 200% of the federal poverty level	39.5%	36.2%	C	
Unemployment	Unemployment rate	6.5%	4.7%	H	
Financial Impact of Caregiving	Percentage of families who report they have reduced work hours to care for their CYSHCN	31.5%	27.7%	C	
Employer Size	Distribution of employers, by number of employees				
	< 20	85.8%	89.3%	I	
	20-99	9.2%	8.9%		
100+	5.0%	1.8%			
Employer-Sponsored Health Insurance	Percentage of employers offering private sector health insurance	54.6%	56.2%	J	
	Percentage of employers offering private sector health insurance, by number of employees				
	<50	39.9%	43.2%		
	50+	95.2%	95.4%		
Medicaid Eligibility	Maximum allowed income for Medicaid enrollment, as a percentage of the federal poverty level, compared to the federal minimum requirement				
	Pregnant women	185%	133%	K	
	Children, by age				
	0-1	185%	133%		
	1-5	150%	133%		
6-19	150%	100%			
Federal Match for Medicaid	Federal Medical Assistance Percentage (FMAP)	69.32%	Range = 50 - 76%	L	
Education Expenditures	Per pupil education expenditures	\$6,631	\$7,263	M	
	Per pupil IDEA expenditures for children aged 3-21 in Special Education	\$1,115	\$1,195		
Child Health Services		STATE	US	SOURCE CODE	
Health Care	Number of children's hospitals	3	206	N	
	Number of pediatricians per 1,000 children	0.54	0.71	O	
	Percentage of pediatricians participating in Medicaid	93.3%	89.2%		
Early Intervention Eligibility	Eligibility for Early Intervention services includes infants and toddlers "at risk" of developmental delay	No	Yes = 8	P	
Mental Health Services	Number of children served by state mental health authority, rate per 1,000 population				
	0-3	2.4	2.7	Q	
	4-12	33.9	21.0		
	13-17	57.0	32.6		
	18-20	18.6	19.0		



Child Health Services Continued

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Oral Health	Percentage of children receiving preventive dental care in the past year	72.1%	72.0%	R
	Percentage of children with teeth in excellent or very good condition	68.7%	68.5%	
Foster Care	Number of children in foster care	4,894	523,085	S
	Percentage of children in foster care	0.4%	0.7%	

Factors Influencing Health Insurance Coverage

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Uninsured	Percentage of children without health insurance at some point in the past year	9.8%	12.8%	C
	Percentage of CYSHCN without health insurance at some point in the past year	7.6%	11.2%	
Private Insurance Coverage	Percentage of children with private health insurance coverage	70.4%	72.9%	
	Percentage of CYSHCN with private health insurance coverage	62.5%	69.2%	
Public Coverage: Medicaid, SCHIP and SSI	Number of children enrolled in Medicaid	495,400	27,263,000	T
	Percentage of children enrolled in Medicaid	30.0%	18.5%	C
	Percentage of CYSHCN enrolled in Medicaid	44.7%	27.4%	
	Number of children enrolled in SCHIP	51,469	3,949,578	U
	Percentage of children enrolled in SCHIP	4.7%	5.1%	
	Percentage of Medicaid and SCHIP enrollees in capitated health plans			
	Medicaid	7.5%	32.4%	V
	SCHIP	N/A	31.6%	
	Number of children enrolled in Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	17,721	959,212	W
	Percentage of children enrolled in Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	1.6%	1.2%	
TEFRA Medicaid Option/Katie Beckett Waiver for children	Yes	Yes = 26	X	
Dual Public and Private Coverage	Percentage of children with a combination of public and private health insurance	7.1%	3.8%	Y
	Percentage of CYSHCN with a combination of public and private health insurance	11.7%	7.3%	
Underinsured	Percentage of CYSHCN with inadequate health care coverage	35.4%	33.8%	Y
State Mandated Benefits	PKU/Formula	No	Yes = 33	
	Cleft Palate	Yes	Yes = 14	
	Mental Health	Yes	Yes = 40	Z
	Early Intervention	No	Yes = 7	AA
Catastrophic Coverage	Catastrophic Coverage or High-Risk Pools	Yes	Yes = 33	BB

Title V Program

		STATE	US	SOURCE CODE
Financing	Percentage of Title V Block Grant Partnership Budget from State Funds	21.0%	47.9%	CC
Family Involvement	Family Participation in Title V CYSHCN Program Score (Maximum Possible = 18)	12	12.9	DD

What You Can Learn From This State

CATEGORY	FOCUS	DESCRIPTION	SOURCE CODE
Close Benefit Gaps	Integrated Delivery Models	South Carolina uses Medicaid waiver authority to provide Applied Behavioral Analysis (targeting children, including school-aged children, with autism) which allows 50 school districts to bill for care coordination, therapy and counseling.	EE
Pay for Added Services	Integrated Delivery Models	The Medically Fragile Children's Program is an all-inclusive healthcare program for medically complex children (both foster care and non-foster care) birth to age 21. Services are provided through an interdisciplinary team.	