

North Dakota's Performance Indicators for Early Childhood Comprehensive Systems (ECCS)

Indicator / Performance Measures <i>March 2009</i>					
Goal 1. Expand Early Child Care and Education Measures					
Indicator / Performance Measure					
Children attending early care and education centers with high quality ratings (slots).					
Children ages 3 and 4 years enrolled in a center-based early childhood care and education program (including child care centers, nursery schools, preschool programs, Head start programs, and pre-kindergarten programs).					
Children under age 6 receiving child care subsidies.					
Early child care teachers with a bachelor's degree and specialized training in early childhood.					
Licensed family and group child care facilities accredited by the National Association for Family and Child Care (NAFCC).					
Family child care homes accredited by the National Association for Family and child Care (NAFCC).					
Goal 2. Advance Children's Mental Health and Social-Emotional Development					
Indicator / Performance Measure					
Children under 6 receiving developmental and behavioral screenings.					
Children referred for services based on screening outcomes					
Children receiving recommended services based on screening					
Children under age 6 who are expelled from child care or preschools due to behavioral problems.					
Goal 3. Increase Children's Insurance and Access to Medical Home					
Indicator / Performance Measure					
Children under age 6 without health insurance.					
Children under age 6 with medical homes.					
Percent of toddlers (ages 13 to 36 months) who receive at least one EPSDT periodic screen in a year.					
Young children (ages 19-36 months) who complete the basic series of age appropriate immunizations against Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Polio, Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis, Haemophilus Influenza, and Hepatitis B. (series 4-3-1-3-3.)					
Children ages 2-6 years receiving dental care in the last 12 months.					
Goal 4. Increase Parent Education and Family Support					
Indicator / Performance Measure					
Parenting education programs					
Parents serving on children's policy boards, commission, and task forces.					
Parents serving as legislative advocates.					
Parents leading local parent education efforts.					
Positive media messages about parent education					