

**School Readiness Estimating Conference**  
**January 28, 2004**

Data for time period December  
2002- February 2003

<b>I. Total children served</b> (unduplicated within source, duplicated across sources)		<b>Pre- natal</b>	<b>Birth to Age 1</b>	<b>Age 1</b>	<b>Age 2</b>	<b>Age 3</b>	<b>Age 4</b>	<b>Birth to Age 5</b>	<b>Age 5</b>	<b>Age Unknown</b>	<b>Total PreK</b>
A.	FPSR		9,108	16,242	22,749	23,644	28,254	99,997	10,936		110,933
B.	Head Start	108	648	864	1,016	10,775	19,300	32,603	2,295		35,006
C.	FLDOE		1,933	1,603	1,674	9,205	27,256	41,671	16,451	204	58,326
D.	Total	108	11,689	18,709	25,439	43,624	74,810	174,271	29,682	204	204,265
<b>II. Children receiving services from two or more sources</b>			<b>Birth to Age 1</b>	<b>Age 1</b>	<b>Age 2</b>	<b>Age 3</b>	<b>Age 4</b>	<b>Birth to Age 5</b>	<b>Age 5</b>		<b>Total PreK</b>
A.	FPSR & FLDOE*		127	131	167	1,423	6,058	7,906	3,687	25	11,618
B.	Head Start and FLDOE*		33	50	70	786	4,009	4,948	2,508	17	7,473
C.	Total*	-	160	181	237	2,209	10,067	12,854	6,195		19,049
<b>III. Estimated total children receiving services</b> (I.D. minus II.C.)*			<b>Birth to Age 1</b>	<b>Age 1</b>	<b>Age 2</b>	<b>Age 3</b>	<b>Age 4</b>	<b>Birth to Age 5</b>	<b>Age 5</b>		<b>Total PreK</b>
			11,529	18,528	25,202	41,415	64,743	161,417	23,487		185,216
<b>IV. Population as of Jan 1, 2003*</b>			<b>Birth to Age 1</b>	<b>Age 1</b>	<b>Age 2</b>	<b>Age 3</b>	<b>Age 4</b>	<b>Birth to Age 5</b>	<b>Age 5</b>		<b>Total Age 5 and Under</b>
A.	All children		192,000	192,781	191,983	195,058	198,918	970,739	195,936		1,166,675
B.	Living below poverty level		36,295	36,411	36,239	36,769	37,434	183,147	35,709		218,856
C.	Living below 200% of poverty level		83,525	83,833	83,451	84,677	86,256	421,742	83,742		505,484
<b>V, Percentage Estimates*</b>			<b>Birth to Age 1</b>	<b>Age 1</b>	<b>Age 2</b>	<b>Age 3</b>	<b>Age 4</b>	<b>Birth to Age 5</b>	<b>Age 5</b>		<b>Total Age 5 and Under</b>
	% served of all children (III as % of IV.A.		6.0%	9.6%	13.1%	21.2%	32.5%	16.6%	12.0%		15.9%

\*estimated data

**Sources and Notes**

- I. A. Florida Partnership for School Readiness, Payment File, February 2003  
B. Florida Head Start State Collaboration Office, Attendance for First Week of December 2002  
C. Florida Department of Education, PK Students in Survey 3 of 2002-03 School Year (February 2003)
- II. A. FLDOE Feb 2003 Survey, Children with PK Program Participation Code=L.  
B. FLDOE Feb 2003 Survey, Children with PK Program Participation Code=H for selected counties.  
Counties: Alachua, Broward, Charlotte, Collier, Gadsden, Hillsborough, Jackson, Lee, Martin, Monroe, Pasco, St. Johns, Santa Rosa, Taylor
- IV. Population Estimates--See population methodology report attached.

# **Estimates of Children Ages 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 Living below 100% and 200% of the Poverty Level by County for 1/1/2000-1/1/2005**

## **Methodology and Assumptions**

### **1) Disaggregate official population projections of 0-4 year and 5-9 year olds into single years of age (0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)**

Beginning with the Demographic Estimating Conference official projection of the 0-4 population for 1/1/2000 - 1/1/2005 by county, updated 9/2003, the age group was disaggregated based on the percentage distribution of county population enumerated in the 2000 Census. Data for 4/1/2000 were obtained from U.S Bureau of the Census, SF1, Table QT-P2, Single Years of Age Under 30 Years.

*Using 2000 Census single year age distributions to disaggregate assumes that the distributions observed in 2000 are applicable to current data.*

### **2) Obtain the poverty rate for the 0-4 and 5 year old population by county**

The poverty rates for the 0-4 population and the aged 5 population used in the analysis were obtained from the U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Decennial Census website. Even though these data were obtained for only a sample of households, it was a very large sample (1 in 6 households). *Using these data assumes that the sample households were representative of all households. Using these data also assumes that children at each individual age experience the same incidence of poverty as the 0-4 group as a whole.*

### **3) Estimate the number of persons 5 and under living under 100% of poverty by county, 1/1/2000-1/1/2005**

The estimates of single year population (0, 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5) for each of the years of interest (2000-2005) were multiplied by the poverty rates obtained from the 2000 Census to obtain estimated numbers of persons living under 100% of poverty.

### **4) Estimate the percentage of the 0-4 population under 200% of poverty by county and produce estimates of children 0-4 who are living below 200% of the poverty line for 1/1/2000-1/1/2005.**

One of the tables available from the U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Decennial Census (based on sample data) is PCT 50, "Age by Ratio of Income in 1999 to the Poverty Level." It is available at the county level and shows the number of persons in households in which the household income is, for example, less than .5 of the poverty level, 1.5 times the poverty level etc. The data are available for persons under 5 and age 5. Persons with ratios below 1.0 were living in poverty and those with ratios of 1.0 or higher were not living in poverty. To derive estimates of the number of children ages 0-4 living below 200% (ratio=1.99 or less) of the poverty line, the percentage of children 0-4 in a given county living at 1.99 of the poverty level was multiplied by the estimated number of children 0-4 for 1/1/2000-1/1/2005.

*This methodology assumes that the ratio of income to poverty data are still applicable and that the ratios for 0-4 by county are the same for all single age cohorts.*

### **5) Estimate the number of children age 5 living below 200% of the poverty level by county for 1/1/2000-1/1/2005.**

The methodology used for 5-year olds was the same as the one used for children 0-4.

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Data for time period December 2002 through February 2003

I.Total Children Served Feb 2003 (with dups)					II. Children Receiving Services From Two or More Sources			III. Estimated Unduplicated Children Served		Population as of Jan 1, 2003		V. Percentage Estimate	
County	FPSR	Headstart	FLDOE	Total	A. FPSR &FL DOE	B. Head Start & FLDOE	Total	All Children	Below Poverty Level	Below 200% of Poverty Level	% Served of All Children		
	Total	28,254	19,300	27,256	74,810	6,058	4,009	10,067	64,743	198,918	37,434	86,256	32.5%
1	Alachua	422	428	538	1,388	85	361	446	942	2333	529	1082	40.4%
2	Baker	69	22	29	120	5		5	115	301	48	121	38.2%
3	Bay	329	222	388	939	126		126	813	1902	429	929	42.7%
4	Bradford	58	39	57	154	25		25	129	284	42	132	45.4%
5	Brevard	468	298	693	1,459	16		16	1,443	5105	801	2024	28.3%
6	Broward	2,401	1839	3255	7,495	591	988	1,579	5,916	21071	3329	7734	28.1%
7	Calhoun	19	12	23	54			-	54	136	41	91	39.6%
8	Charlotte	88	218	218	524	1	170	171	353	1019	178	487	34.7%
9	Citrus	125	50	146	321	81		81	240	954	188	468	25.2%
10	Clay	202	77	259	538	97		97	441	1918	202	619	23.0%
11	Collier	220	343	554	1,117	28	255	283	834	3127	576	1391	26.7%
12	Columbia	177	21	109	307	48		48	259	725	140	407	35.7%
13	Miami-Dade	6,412	3074	3967	13,453	79		79	13,374	30800	7151	15128	43.4%
14	DeSoto	74	57	51	182	25		25	157	402	147	295	39.1%
15	Dixie	31	14	63	108	27		27	81	155	29	113	52.2%
16	Duval	1,340	1275	1257	3,872	607		607	3,265	11955	2168	4992	27.3%
17	Escambia	600	375	580	1,555	178		178	1,377	3729	1010	1960	36.9%
18	Flagler	75	36	49	160			-	160	506	99	200	31.6%
19	Franklin	44	12	27	83	10		10	73	98	29	72	74.6%
20	Gadsden	145	126	311	582	50	125	175	407	613	204	391	66.4%
21	Gilchrist	52	31	64	147	26		26	121	193	28	115	62.7%
22	Glades	23	30	8	61			-	61	93	18	57	65.6%
23	Gulf	27	20	30	77	20		20	57	127	27	62	45.0%
24	Hamilton	48	6	56	110	36		36	74	163	64	108	45.5%
25	Hardee	113	70	94	277	31		31	246	396	138	267	62.1%
26	Hendry	83	110	47	240			-	240	562	197	364	42.7%
27	Hernando	117	176	277	570	2		2	568	1159	218	571	49.0%
28	Highlands	155	100	83	338	1		1	337	853	249	475	39.5%
29	Hillsborough	2,168	1958	2321	6,447	417	904	1,321	5,126	14370	2761	6084	35.7%
30	Holmes	47	37	10	94			-	94	199	52	111	47.2%
31	Indian River	211	164	183	558	107		107	451	1089	188	491	41.4%
32	Jackson	97	154	195	446	29	112	141	305	490	143	291	62.3%
33	Jefferson	42	13	62	117	33		33	84	143	36	73	58.9%
34	Lafayette	14	3	3	20			-	20	81	25	52	24.6%
35	Lake	418	167	330	915	148		148	767	2406	405	1082	31.9%
36	Lee	520	550	727	1,797		308	308	1,489	5017	882	2129	29.7%
37	Leon	416	102	455	973			-	973	2927	566	1149	33.2%
38	Levy	85	93	68	246	56		56	190	436	122	258	43.6%
39	Liberty	33	12	47	92	28		28	64	71	15	48	90.4%
40	Madison	74	32	60	166	19		19	147	211	72	133	69.8%
41	Manatee	395	269	394	1,058	135		135	923	3058	546	1298	30.2%
42	Marion	354	264	397	1,015			-	1,015	2909	644	1485	34.9%
43	Martin	222	179	239	640	34	123	157	483	1223	208	466	39.5%
44	Monroe	118	159	138	415	12	80	92	323	716	91	261	45.1%
45	Nassau	87	43	113	243	71		71	172	781	85	277	22.0%
46	Okaloosa	294	142	296	732	106		106	626	2236	338	1036	28.0%
47	Okeechobee	111	57	179	347	41		41	306	473	113	269	64.7%
48	Orange	1,547	1060	886	3,493			-	3,493	13604	2431	5812	25.7%
49	Osceola	222	105	342	669	5		5	664	2844	471	1298	23.3%
50	Palm Beach	1,035	1224	1618	3,877	571		571	3,306	13422	2124	4971	24.6%
51	Pasco	508	496	745	1,749	151	322	473	1,276	3768	624	1603	33.9%
52	Pinellas	1,444	835	1100	3,379	438		438	2,941	9011	1417	3448	32.6%
53	Polk	1,154	298	718	2,170	435		435	1,735	6440	1373	3157	26.9%
54	Putnam	284	107	203	594	164		164	430	887	306	533	48.5%
55	St. Johns	106	79	156	341		79	79	262	1459	155	371	18.0%
56	St. Lucie	425	417	268	1,110	152		152	958	2278	480	1102	42.0%
57	Santa Rosa	169	167	253	589	45	106	151	438	1558	211	655	28.1%
58	Sarasota	229	169	139	537			-	537	2640	417	1046	20.3%
59	Seminole	412	141	362	915	139		139	776	4762	475	1327	16.3%
60	Sumter	92	47	103	242	73		73	169	511	141	304	33.1%
61	Suwannee	100	13	102	215	80		80	135	382	90	234	35.3%
62	Taylor	49	73	126	248	34	76	110	138	212	51	122	65.0%
63	Union	37	11	33	81	27		27	54	128	21	69	42.2%
64	Volusia	641	482	420	1,543	211		211	1,332	4511	800	1992	29.5%
65	Wakulla	44	27	102	173	25		25	148	287	63	144	51.6%
66	Walton	91	33	88	212	54		54	158	448	129	265	35.3%
67	Washington	42	37	37	116	23		23	93	250	82	154	37.2%
68	Washington Special			5	5								

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