

Guam Part C FFY 2008 SPP/APR Response Table

Guam was identified as being in need of assistance for three consecutive years based on Guam’s FFYs 2005, 2006, and 2007 APRs, and was required to access technical assistance related to Guam’s Department-wide special conditions and status as a high-risk grantee through the Department’s Risk Management Service (RMS). Specifically, GDOE was required to report on: (1) the technical assistance it has received from RMS; and (2) the actions that Guam took as a result of that technical assistance. In its FFY 2008 APR submission, GDOE indicated that it continues to work with RMS on required activities, and provided a link to letters from RMS as well as updated Comprehensive Corrective Action Plan (CCAP) reports.

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<p>1. Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who receive the early intervention services on their IFSPs in a timely manner.</p> <p>[Compliance Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam’s FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 98.49%. Guam’s FFY 2007 data were 98.64%. Guam did not meet its FFY 2008 target of 100%.</p> <p>Guam reported that the one finding of noncompliance identified in FFY 2007 for this indicator was corrected in a timely manner.</p>	<p>OSEP appreciates Guam’s efforts and looks forward to reviewing in the FFY 2009 APR, Guam’s data demonstrating that it is in compliance with the timely service provision requirements in 34 CFR §§303.340(c), 303.342(e), and 303.344(f)(1). Because Guam reported less than 100% compliance for FFY 2008, Guam must report on the status of correction of noncompliance reflected in the data Guam reported for this indicator.</p> <p>When reporting the correction of noncompliance, Guam must report, in its FFY 2009 APR, that it has verified that for noncompliance reflected in the data Guam reported for this indicator , it: (1) is correctly implementing 34 CFR §§303.340(c), 303.342(e), and 303.344(f)(1) (i.e., achieved 100% compliance) based on a review of updated data such as data subsequently collected through on-site monitoring or a State data system; and (2) has initiated services, although late, for any child whose services were not initiated in a timely manner, unless the child is no longer within the jurisdiction of Guam, consistent with OSEP Memorandum 09-02, dated October 17, 2008 (OSEP Memo 09-02). In the FFY 2009 APR, Guam must describe the specific actions that were taken to verify</p>

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		<p>the correction.</p> <p>If Guam does not report 100% compliance in the FFY 2009 APR, Guam must review its improvement activities and revise them, if necessary.</p>						
<p>2. Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who primarily receive early intervention services in the home or community-based settings. [Results Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam revised the indicator and measurement language (consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions.</p> <p>Guam's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 100%. Guam's data reflect a high level of performance for this indicator. Guam met its FFY 2008 target of 100%.</p>	<p>OSEP appreciates Guam's efforts to improve performance.</p> <p>Guam's actual target data for provision of services to infants and toddlers in natural environments are at or greater than 95% and its target of 100% is subject to the Part C requirement that service setting decisions are individualized for each child. OSEP assumes that Guam is monitoring to ensure that IFSP teams are making service setting decisions on an individualized basis and in compliance with 34 CFR §§303.12, 303.18, and 303.344(d)(1)(ii).</p>						
<p>3. Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who demonstrate improved:</p> <p>A. Positive social-emotional skills (including social relationship); B. Acquisition and use of knowledge and skills (including early language/communication); and C. Use of appropriate behaviors to meet their needs.</p>	<p>Guam revised the measurement language for this indicator (consistent with the Indicator Measurement Table) and OSEP accepts those revisions.</p> <p>Guam provided FFY 2008 baseline data, targets, and improvement activities for this indicator and OSEP accepts Guam's submission for this indicator.</p> <p>Guam's FFY 2008 reported baseline data for this indicator are:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="548 1143 1444 1325"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="548 1143 919 1243">08-09 Infant and Toddler Outcome Baseline Data</th> <th data-bbox="919 1143 1192 1243"><u>Summary Statement 1</u>¹</th> <th data-bbox="1192 1143 1444 1243"><u>Summary Statement 2</u>²</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="548 1243 919 1325">Outcome A: Positive social-emotional</td> <td data-bbox="919 1243 1192 1325">91.3</td> <td data-bbox="1192 1243 1444 1325">82.4</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	08-09 Infant and Toddler Outcome Baseline Data	<u>Summary Statement 1</u> ¹	<u>Summary Statement 2</u> ²	Outcome A: Positive social-emotional	91.3	82.4	<p>Guam must report progress data and actual target data for FFY 2009 with the FFY 2009 APR due February 1, 2011.</p>
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¹ Summary Statement 1: Of those infants and toddlers who entered or exited early intervention below age expectations in each Outcome, the percent who substantially increased their rate of growth by the time they turned three years of age or exited the program.

² Summary Statement 2: The percentage of infants and toddlers who were functioning within age expectations in each Outcome by the time they turned three years of age or exited the program.

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<p>[Results Indicator]</p>	skills (including social relationships) (%)																								
	Outcome B: Acquisition and use of knowledge and skills (including early language/communication) (%)	80.6	60.8																						
	Outcome C: Use of appropriate behaviors to meet their needs (%)	76.9	74.5																						
	Guam serves infants and toddlers infants and toddlers at risk of having substantial developmental delays. Guam reported separately in its FFY 2008 APR on the progress data for its at-risk infants and toddlers.																								
<p>4. Percent of families participating in Part C who report that early intervention services have helped the family:</p> <p>A. Know their rights; B. Effectively communicate their children’s needs; and C. Help their children develop and learn.</p> <p>[Results Indicator]</p>	Guam reported in its FFY 2008 APR that it revised its improvement activities for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions. Guam’s reported data for this indicator are:				OSEP appreciates Guam’s efforts to improve performance.																				
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	These data represent progress for 4B and slippage for 4C, and remain unchanged for 4A from the FFY 2007 data. Guam met all of its FFY 2008																								

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	targets for this indicator.	
<p>5. Percent of infants and toddlers birth to 1 with IFSPs compared to national data.</p> <p>[Results Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam revised the indicator language and measurement language (consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions.</p> <p>Guam's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 1.50%. These data represent progress from the FFY 2007 data of 1.22%. Guam met its FFY 2008 target of 1.50%.</p>	<p>OSEP appreciates Guam's efforts to improve performance.</p>
<p>6. Percent of infants and toddlers birth to 3 with IFSPs compared to national data.</p> <p>[Results Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam revised the indicator and measurement language (consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions.</p> <p>Guam's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 1.63%. These data represent progress from the FFY 2007 data of 1.46%. Guam did not meet its FFY 2008 target of 2.20%.</p>	<p>OSEP looks forward to Guam's data demonstrating improvement in performance in the FFY 2009 APR.</p>
<p>7. Percent of eligible infants and toddlers with IFSPs for whom an evaluation and assessment and an initial IFSP meeting were conducted within Part C's 45-day timeline.</p> <p>[Compliance Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam revised the measurement language (consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions.</p> <p>Guam's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 98%. These data represent progress from the FFY 2007 data of 96.33%. Guam did not meet its FFY 2008 target of 100%.</p> <p>Guam reported that the one finding of noncompliance identified in FFY 2007 for this indicator was corrected in a timely manner.</p>	<p>OSEP appreciates Guam's efforts and looks forward to reviewing in the FFY 2009 APR, Guam's data demonstrating that it is in compliance with the 45-day timeline requirements in 34 CFR §§303.321(e)(2), 303.322(e)(1), and 303.342(a). Because Guam reported less than 100% compliance for FFY 2008, Guam must report on the status of correction of noncompliance reflected in the data Guam reported for this indicator.</p> <p>When reporting the correction of noncompliance, Guam must report, in its FFY 2009 APR, that it has verified for noncompliance reflected in the data Guam reported for this indicator, it: (1) is correctly implementing 34 CFR §§303.321(e)(2), 303.322(e)(1), and 303.342(a) (i.e., achieved 100% compliance) based on a review of updated</p>

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		<p>data such as data subsequently collected through on-site monitoring or a State data system; and (2) has conducted the initial evaluation, assessment, and IFSP meeting, although late, for any child for whom the 45-day timeline was not met, unless the child is no longer within the jurisdiction of Guam, consistent with OSEP Memo 09-02. In the FFY 2009 APR, Guam must describe the specific actions that were taken to verify the correction.</p> <p>If Guam does not report 100% compliance in the FFY 2009 APR, Guam must review its improvement activities and revise them, if necessary.</p>
<p>8. Percent of all children exiting Part C who received timely transition planning to support the child’s transition to preschool and other appropriate community services by their third birthday including:</p> <p>A. IFSPs with transition steps and services;</p> <p>[Compliance Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam’s FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 100%. These data remain unchanged from the FFY 2007 data of 100%. Guam met its FFY 2008 target of 100%.</p>	<p>OSEP appreciates Guam’s efforts in achieving compliance with the IFSP transition content requirements in 34 CFR §§303.148(b)(4) and 303.344(h).</p>
<p>8. Percent of all children exiting Part C who received timely transition planning to support the child’s transition to preschool and other appropriate community services by their third birthday including:</p> <p>B. Notification to LEA, if child</p>	<p>Guam’s FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 100%. These data remain unchanged from the FFY 2007 data of 100%. Guam met its FFY 2008 target of 100%.</p>	<p>OSEP appreciates Guam’s efforts in achieving compliance with the LEA notification requirements in 34 CFR §303.148(b)(1).</p>

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<p>potentially eligible for Part B; and [Compliance Indicator]</p>		
<p>8. Percent of all children exiting Part C who received timely transition planning to support the child's transition to preschool and other appropriate community services by their third birthday including: C. Transition conference, if child potentially eligible for Part B. [Compliance Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 100%. These data represent progress from the FFY 2007 data of 94%. Guam met its FFY 2008 target of 100%.</p> <p>Guam reported that the one finding of noncompliance identified in FFY 2007 for this indicator was corrected in a timely manner.</p>	<p>OSEP appreciates Guam's efforts in achieving compliance with the timely transition conference requirements in 34 CFR §303.148(b)(2)(i) (as modified by IDEA section 637(a)(9)(A)(ii)(II)).</p>
<p>9. General Supervision system (including monitoring complaints, hearings, etc.) identifies and corrects noncompliance as soon as possible but in no case later than one year from identification. [Compliance Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 100%. These data remain unchanged from the FFY 2007 data of 100%. Guam met its FFY 2008 target of 100%.</p> <p>Guam reported that all three of its findings of noncompliance identified in FFY 2007 were corrected in a timely manner.</p>	<p>OSEP appreciates Guam's efforts in timely correcting noncompliance identified in FFY 2007.</p> <p>In reporting on correction of noncompliance in the FFY 2009 APR, Guam must report that it verified that for noncompliance identified in FFY 2008 , it: (1) is correctly implementing the specific regulatory requirements (i.e., achieved 100% compliance) based on a review of updated data such as data subsequently collected through on-site monitoring or a State data system; and (2) has corrected each individual case of noncompliance, unless the child is no longer within the jurisdiction of Guam, consistent with OSEP Memo 09-02. In the FFY 2009 APR, Guam must describe the specific actions that were taken to verify the correction.</p> <p>In addition, in reporting on Indicator 9 in</p>

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		<p>the FFY 2009 APR, Guam must use the Indicator 9 Worksheet.</p> <p>Further, in responding to Indicators 1 and 7 in the FFY 2009 APR, Guam must report on correction of the noncompliance described in this table under those indicators.</p>
<p>10. Percent of signed written complaints with reports issued that were resolved within 60-day timeline or a timeline extended for exceptional circumstances with respect to a particular complaint.</p> <p>[Compliance Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam reported that it did not receive any signed written complaints during the reporting period.</p>	<p>OSEP looks forward to reviewing Guam's data in the FFY 2009 APR.</p>
<p>11. Percent of fully adjudicated due process hearing requests that were fully adjudicated within the applicable timeline.</p> <p>[Compliance Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam reported that it did not receive any requests for due process hearings during the reporting period.</p>	<p>OSEP looks forward to reviewing Guam's data in the FFY 2009 APR.</p>
<p>12. Percent of hearing requests that went to resolution sessions that were resolved through resolution session settlement agreements (applicable if Part B due process procedures are adopted).</p> <p>[Results Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam reported that no resolution sessions were held during the reporting period.</p> <p>Guam reported fewer than ten resolution sessions held in FFY 2008. Guam is not required to provide targets or improvement activities until any fiscal year in which ten or more resolution sessions were held.</p>	<p>OSEP looks forward to reviewing Guam's data in the FFY 2009 APR.</p>
<p>13. Percent of mediations held that resulted in mediation agreements.</p> <p>[Results Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam reported that no mediations were held during the reporting period.</p> <p>Guam reported fewer than ten mediations held in FFY 2008. Guam is not required to provide targets or improvement activities except in any fiscal year in which ten or more mediations were held.</p>	<p>OSEP looks forward to reviewing Guam's data in the FFY 2009 APR.</p>

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<p>14. State reported data (618 and State Performance Plan and Annual Performance Report) are timely and accurate.</p> <p>[Compliance Indicator]</p>	<p>Guam's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 100%. These data remain unchanged from the FFY 2007 data of 100%. Guam met its FFY 2008 target of 100%.</p>	<p>OSEP appreciates Guam's efforts in achieving compliance with the timely and accurate data reporting requirements in IDEA sections 616, 618, and 642 and 34 CFR §§76.720 and 303.540. In reporting on Indicator 14 in the FFY 2009 APR, Guam must use the Indicator 14 Data Rubric.</p>