

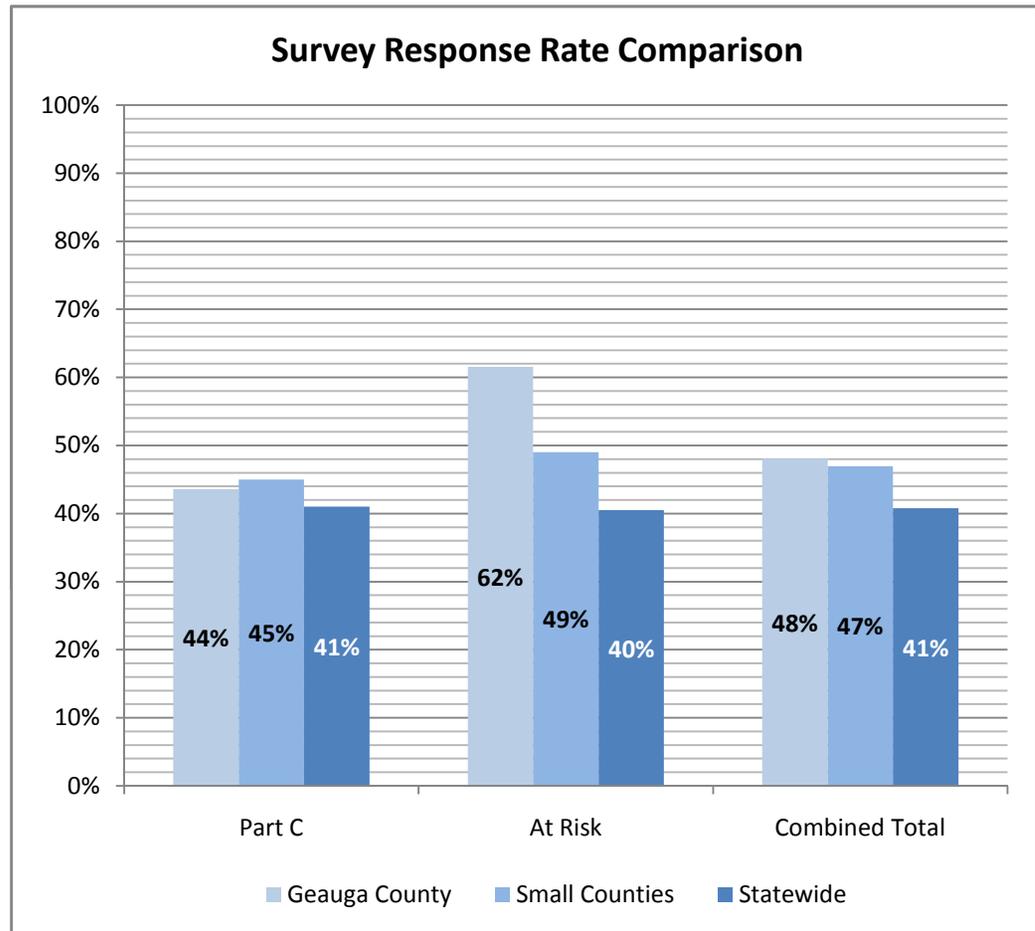
Ohio Help Me Grow
2008 Family Questionnaire
County Data Report



Geauga County

Survey Response Rate

| Comparison Area | Response Rates | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|---------|----------------|
| | Part C | At Risk | Combined Total |
| Geauga County | 44% | 62% | 48% |
| Medium Counties (50,000-100,000) | 45% | 49% | 47% |
| Statewide | 41% | 40% | 41% |



Response Rate Calculation Method

In calculating response rates for counties, ODH took a number of steps to achieve the most efficient measure possible, taking into account lags in data entry for exited children and family circumstances. The initial data pull for all Part C families receiving services on December 1, 2006 included those who were exited in Early Track (hereafter, called **Part C Extract**). In order to achieve an appropriate pool of survey recipients, ODH staff removed the following groups from the potential pool:

- families whose exit from the program was reflected in the Early Track system (hereafter, **Early Track Exits**).
- families judged inappropriate to include because:
 - they were duplicated on the list because two or more siblings were in the program, or
 - the family was in crisis at the time of survey distribution (hereafter, **Crisis/Duplicates**). These families were eliminated from the distribution pool altogether.
- families noted by counties who should have been exited in Early Track but, for whatever reason, were not (hereafter, **County Reported Exits**).

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Comparison of Positive Response Rates for Part C Families

| Question Number | Abbreviated Text of Question | Positive Response Goal | Geauga County | | Percent Positive Responses | | |
|-----------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| | | | Positive Responses | All Responses | Geauga County | Medium Counties | Statewide |
| 1 | Know and understand rights | | 18 | 18 | 100% | 96% | 96% |
| 2 | Effectively communicate needs | | 17 | 18 | 94% | 97% | 96% |
| 3 | Help child develop and learn | | 18 | 18 | 100% | 96% | 95% |
| 4 | Environment for learning | 5 or higher | 15 | 17 | 88% | 94% | 93% |
| 5 | Knowledge of special needs | | 17 | 17 | 100% | 98% | 97% |
| 6 | Child making progress | | 17 | 18 | 94% | 98% | 96% |
| 7 | Familiar with rights | | 15 | 16 | 94% | 96% | 94% |
| 8 | Aware of complaint procedures | Yes | 16 | 17 | 94% | 80% | 74% |
| 9 | Comfort participating in meetings | 5 or higher | 15 | 17 | 88% | 90% | 92% |
| 10 | Participated in IFSP development | Yes | 15 | 17 | 88% | 88% | 88% |
| 11 | Aware of programs and services | | 16 | 18 | 89% | 92% | 90% |
| 12 | Meet and interact with families | | 11 | 15 | 73% | 76% | 69% |
| 13 | Quality of medical care for child | | 18 | 18 | 100% | 95% | 95% |
| 14 | Quality of child care currently | 5 or higher | 3 | 6 | 50% | 80% | 80% |
| 15 | Someone to help when needed | | 14 | 18 | 78% | 79% | 73% |
| 16 | Someone trusted to talk and listen | | 17 | 18 | 94% | 90% | 86% |
| 17 | Treated with respect by HMG staff | | 18 | 18 | 100% | 98% | 99% |
| 18 | How often visited by HMG staff | 5, 6 or 7 | 6 | 17 | 35% | 69% | 65% |
| 19 | Overall satisfaction with HMG | 4 or higher | 17 | 18 | 94% | 97% | 95% |

Footnotes

Response scales to the survey questions varied by question, as follows:

- For questions 1 through 7, 9 and 11 through 17 responses were collected as a standard, one through seven Likert scale, where one indicates the least positive outcome and seven indicates the most positive outcome.
- For questions 8 and 10, responses were collected as a yes/no, don't know or don't remember choice
- For question 18, responses also were collected on a one through seven Likert scale, where responses of 5, 6 or 7 indicates visits at a frequency of two or three times a week or more.
- For question 19, responses were collected on a one through five Likert scale, where a response of 4 or higher indicates being satisfied or very satisfied with the HMG program.

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Comparison of Positive Response Rates for At Risk Families

| Question Number | Abbreviated Text of Question | Positive Response Goal | Geauga County | | Percent Positive Responses | | |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| | | | Positive Responses | All Responses | Geauga County | Medium Counties | Statewide |
| 1 | Familiar with rights | | 8 | 8 | 100% | 96% | 93% |
| 2 | Effectively communicate needs | | 8 | 8 | 100% | 98% | 97% |
| 3 | Environment for learning | 5 or higher | 8 | 8 | 100% | 97% | 96% |
| 4 | Child making progress | | 8 | 8 | 100% | 98% | 97% |
| 5 | Comfort participating in meetings | | 8 | 8 | 100% | 90% | 91% |
| 6 | Participated in IFSP development | Yes | 8 | 7 | 114% | 77% | 73% |
| 7 | Treated with respect by HMG staff | | 8 | 8 | 100% | 100% | 99% |
| 8 | Aware of programs and services | | 8 | 8 | 100% | 96% | 94% |
| 9 | Quality of medical care for child | 5 or higher | 6 | 8 | 75% | 94% | 94% |
| 10 | Quality of child care currently | | 4 | 5 | 80% | 76% | 76% |
| 11 | Someone to help when needed | | 7 | 8 | 88% | 77% | 73% |
| 12 | How often visited by HMG staff | 5, 6 or 7 | 8 | 8 | 100% | 83% | 85% |
| 13 | Overall satisfaction with HMG | 4 or higher | 8 | 8 | 100% | 98% | 98% |

Footnotes

Response scales to the survey questions varied by question, as follows:

- For questions 1 through 5 and 7 through 11 responses were collected as a standard, one through seven Likert scale, where one indicates the least positive outcome and seven indicates the most positive outcome.
- For question 6, responses were collected as a yes/no, don't know or don't remember choice
- For question 12, responses also were collected on a one through seven Likert scale, where responses of 5, 6 or 7 indicates visits at a frequency of two or three times a week or more.
- For question 13, responses were collected on a one through five Likert scale, where a response of 4 or higher indicates being satisfied or very satisfied with the HMG program.