

Healthy People 2010 Operational Definition

14-26. Increase the proportion of children who participate in fully operational population-based immunization registries.

National Data Source	Annual Immunization Assessment Reports, CDC, NCIRD.
State Data Source	State Immunization Program Survey, CDC, NCIRD; Community Population-Based Registry Reports.
Healthy People 2000 Objective	Not applicable.
Changes since the 2000 Publication	Revised baseline (see Comments). Revised target (see Comments).
Measure	Percent.
Baseline (Year)	21 (1999)
Target	62
Target-Setting Method	197 percent improvement. For a discussion of target-setting methods, see Part A, section 4.
Numerator	Number of children under age 6 years who have at least one immunization record in the registry.
Denominator	Number of children under age 6 years.
Population Targeted	U.S. resident population.
Questions Used To Obtain the National Baseline Data	From the 1999 State Immunization Program Survey: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ <i>How many children less than 6 years old (0-5 year olds) are in your catchment area?</i>➤ <i>How many children less than 6 years old (0-5 year olds) are in your registry and have at least one vaccination recorded (excluding the first hepatitis B dose at birth)?</i>
Expected Periodicity	Annual.
Comments	The original baseline of 32 percent was revised to 21 percent as the result of changes in survey methodology. The target was proportionally

adjusted from 95 percent to 62 percent to reflect the revised baseline using the original target-setting method.

Starting in 2000, the survey questions were modified to obtain information about children under age 6 years who are in the registry and have two vaccinations recorded.

By 2005, data from the registry systems will be used to track this objective, instead of the current survey data from immunization program grantees.

See Appendix A for focus area contact information.