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Database as of 8/20/2008

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## Active authorizations and children as of 8/1/2008

### Active NPA Authorizations as a percentage of Overall Active Service Authorizations

SPOE	Active NPA Auths	All Active Service Auths	%
Greater St. Louis (Region 1)	1	2,174	0.05%
St. Louis County (Region 2)	2	2,655	0.08%
Northeast (Region 3)	5	817	0.61%
Northwest (Region 4)	7	1,330	0.53%
Greater Kansas City (Region 5)	13	1,640	0.79%
Central (Region 6)	5	868	0.58%
Southwest (Region 7)	5	544	0.92%
South Central (Region 8)	0	1,989	0.00%
East Central (Region 9)	34	1,413	2.41%
Southeast (Region 10)	30	852	3.52%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>14,282</b>	<b>0.71%</b>

### Children with Active NPA Authorizations as a percentage of Children with Active IFSPs

SPOE	Children with Active NPA Auths	Children with Active IFSPs	%
Greater St. Louis (Region 1)	1	526	0.19%
St. Louis County (Region 2)	2	713	0.28%
Northeast (Region 3)	4	204	1.96%
Northwest (Region 4)	6	425	1.41%
Greater Kansas City (Region 5)	12	713	1.68%
Central (Region 6)	5	296	1.69%
Southwest (Region 7)	5	210	2.38%
South Central (Region 8)	0	427	0.00%
East Central (Region 9)	28	441	6.35%
Southeast (Region 10)	26	331	7.85%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>4,286</b>	<b>2.08%</b>

NPA Authorizations that were active as of the first of the month

Region	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07	Jan-08	Feb-08	Mar-08	Apr-08	May-08	Jun-08	Jul-08	Aug-08
<b>Greater St. Louis (Region 1)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
Speech and Language Pathology	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Physical Therapy	0	1	4	4	3	1	2	1	0	1	1	1
Special Instruction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total NPA Authorizations	1	2	5	5	4	2	3	2	1	2	1	1
<b>St. Louis County (Region 2)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	1	0	0	0	0
Speech and Language Pathology	2	4	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Physical Therapy	2	2	2	2	2	3	4	3	2	1	1	1
Special Instruction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total NPA Authorizations	6	8	6	6	5	7	8	5	3	2	2	2
<b>Northeast (Region 3)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	4	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Speech and Language Pathology	7	3	3	3	3	0	0	1	2	1	1	1
Physical Therapy	6	2	2	1	2	3	3	4	3	2	1	1
Special Instruction	2	2	3	5	5	3	3	3	3	4	2	3
Total NPA Authorizations	23	13	13	12	12	7	7	9	9	7	4	5
<b>Northwest (Region 4)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
Speech and Language Pathology	6	5	5	6	6	2	3	6	8	4	6	5
Physical Therapy	10	8	3	2	2	2	2	4	1	0	1	1
Special Instruction	8	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total NPA Authorizations	25	17	12	12	6	4	5	11	12	6	9	7
<b>Greater Kansas City (Region 5)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	2
Speech and Language Pathology	7	5	3	3	3	9	14	13	9	6	6	3
Physical Therapy	6	6	5	5	5	2	1	4	4	5	5	4
Special Instruction	5	4	5	4	2	3	4	4	3	5	2	3
Total NPA Authorizations	22	18	16	15	18	16	21	24	19	18	15	12
<b>Central (Region 6)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	6	3	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1
Speech and Language Pathology	2	4	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	2	2
Physical Therapy	2	1	0	0	0	1	3	4	5	2	0	0
Special Instruction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2
Total NPA Authorizations	10	8	6	4	3	4	6	6	7	6	5	5

The Special Instruction category includes authorization for both Special Instruction and Special Instruction-ABA services.

Total NPA Authorizations include all service types

NPA Authorizations that were active as of the first of the month - continued

Region	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07	Jan-08	Feb-08	Mar-08	Apr-08	May-08	Jun-08	Aug-08
<b>Southwest (Region 7)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	5	8	10	9	8	7	7	7	5	6	2	1
Speech and Language Pathology	7	5	3	2	3	3	4	4	3	4	2	0
Physical Therapy	6	5	4	4	3	2	2	2	3	3	2	2
Special Instruction	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total NPA Authorizations	19	19	19	17	16	14	15	15	13	15	7	4
<b>South Central (Region 8)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	1	1	2	3	3	3	3	1	1	0	0	0
Speech and Language Pathology	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Physical Therapy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Instruction	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Total NPA Authorizations	4	4	2	3	3	3	4	2	2	0	0	0
<b>East Central (Region 9)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	8	4	4	5	6	7	8	7	6	4	5	5
Speech and Language Pathology	19	19	18	22	20	20	16	9	13	11	10	11
Physical Therapy	17	14	17	15	15	13	13	14	13	11	13	14
Special Instruction	3	3	3	3	2	5	5	5	1	1	2	3
Total NPA Authorizations	45	42	44	46	44	46	43	36	34	28	32	35
<b>Southeast (Region 10)</b>												
Occupational Therapy	18	14	9	11	12	11	9	10	8	7	9	7
Speech and Language Pathology	12	9	4	3	3	3	1	2	2	2	1	1
Physical Therapy	14	12	12	14	12	12	6	9	11	12	19	9
Special Instruction	5	3	3	3	2	1	0	0	2	2	0	0
Total NPA Authorizations	47	38	28	31	31	27	18	24	26	25	30	17
<b>Statewide Totals</b>												
Occupational Therapy	49	39	37	37	37	35	34	30	25	21	20	17
Speech and Language Pathology	65	57	41	44	43	40	41	38	40	32	29	24
Physical Therapy	63	51	49	47	44	39	36	45	42	37	43	33
Special Instruction	23	15	18	19	12	13	14	14	11	14	9	12
Total NPA Authorizations	202	169	151	151	142	130	130	134	126	109	105	88

The Special Instruction category includes authorization for both Special Instruction and Special Instruction-ABA services.

Total NPA Authorizations include all service types

### Children with NPA, Special Purpose Center and Travel Authorizations by County

County	SLP	OT	PT	SI	Total*	Special Purpose Center	Travel
<b>Greater St. Louis (Region 1)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>1</b>
St. Charles	0	0	0	0	0	22	1
St. Louis City	0	0	1	0	1	11	0
<b>St. Louis County (Region 2)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>3</b>
St. Louis	1	0	1	0	2	37	3
<b>Northeast (Region 3)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>13</b>
Adair	0	0	0	0	0	6	0
Audrain	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
Clark	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Grundy	0	0	0	0	0	6	1
Knox	0	0	0	0	0	5	0
Lewis	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Lincoln	0	0	0	1	2	6	2
Linn	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
Livingston	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Macon	0	0	0	0	0	3	2
Marion	0	0	0	1	1	13	1
Mercer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Monroe	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Pike	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Putnam	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Ralls	1	0	0	0	1	4	1
Schuyler	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scotland	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Shelby	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warren	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
<b>Northwest (Region 4)</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>15</b>
Andrew	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Atchison	0	0	0	0	0	4	1
Buchanan	3	0	0	0	3	6	0
Caldwell	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Clay	0	0	0	0	0	16	6
Clinton	0	0	0	0	0	4	3
Daviess	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
DeKalb	0	0	0	0	0	4	2
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Harrison	2	0	1	0	3	0	0
Holt	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Nodaway	0	0	0	0	0	3	2
Platte	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ray	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Worth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Greater Kansas City (Region 5)</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>
Bates	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cass	3	1	0	1	5	0	0
Jackson	1	1	3	3	8	13	0
Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Lafayette	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
<b>Central (Region 6)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>8</b>
Benton	0	1	0	1	2	0	0
Boone	0	0	0	0	0	9	1
Callaway	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Carroll	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chariton	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Cole	0	0	0	0	0	14	3
Cooper	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Howard	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Moniteau	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Morgan	0	0	0	0	0	5	2
Pettis	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Randolph	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Saline	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Southwest (Region 7)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>
Barry	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Barton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Dade	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Henry	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Jasper	0	1	0	0	1	2	0
Lawrence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McDonald	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Newton	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
St. Clair	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vernon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>South Central (Region 8)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>
Christian	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dallas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Douglas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greene	0	0	0	0	0	4	1
Hickory	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Laclede	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ozark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Polk	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Taney	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Webster	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wright	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>East Central (Region 9)</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>19</b>
Camden	0	2	1	0	3	19	4
Crawford	0	0	1	0	1	1	2
Dent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin	2	0	4	0	6	2	3
Gasconade	0	1	1	0	2	0	0
Iron	0	0	2	0	2	1	0
Jefferson	0	0	0	1	1	4	0
Maries	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Miller	3	0	2	0	7	4	4
Osage	0	0	0	0	0	6	3
Phelps	2	0	0	1	3	1	0
Pulaski	3	1	2	0	6	3	1
St. Francois	0	1	0	0	1	3	1
Texas	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Washington	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Southeast (Region 10)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>
Bollinger	0	1	1	0	2	1	0
Butler	0	3	2	0	5	4	1
Cape Girardeau	0	0	1	0	1	5	3
Carter	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Dunklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howell	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
Madison	1	1	1	0	3	0	0
Mississippi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Madrid	0	0	5	0	5	1	1
Oregon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pemiscot	0	1	1	0	2	0	0
Perry	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Reynolds	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ripley	0	2	0	0	2	0	0
Scott	0	1	2	0	3	1	1
Shannon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ste. Genevieve	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stoddard	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
Wayne	0	1	2	0	3	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>71</b>

This table includes the number of unduplicated children with active "NPA" authorizations (in OT, PT, Speech or Special Instruction (including Special Instruction-ABA)).

\*Total = total unduplicated count of children with NPA auths.

County totals may not equal total by SPOE due to the child's county of residence not being in SPOE boundaries or the record not being updated yet.

Special Purpose Center and Travel auths = the unduplicated count of children with an active auth with these settings.

Active authorizations as of 8/1/2008