State Performance Plan/Annual Performance Report (SPP/APR) Indicator Preschool Outcomes

What it measures:

The percent of preschool children aged 3 through 5 with IEPs who demonstrate improved:

A. Positive social-emotional skills (including social relationships);

B. Acquisition and use of knowledge and skills (including early language/

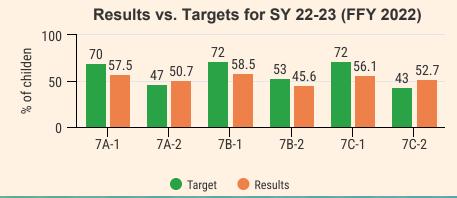
communication and early literacy); and C. Use of appropriate behaviors to meet their needs.

For each outcome, states are asked to report two measures:



- The % of children who were behind their peers that substantially increase their rate of growth by the time they exit, and
- The % of children who are functioning within age expectations by the time they exit the program.

What the most current data reveals:



Since the start of the pandemic, Hawaii has made steady progress in both social-emotional skills as well as use of appropriate behaviors, so that in SY 22-23 over half of the preschoolers exiting the program were functioning within age expectations for these two important measures.



of special education preschoolers have oral language difficulties.

Some Current Improvement Activities*:





Professional Learning Communities

Inclusive

Preschools



Oral language initiatives

<u>Family</u> <u>Engagement</u>

*Click on the link to learn more about each improvement activity.



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