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	State/County/Facility Name	Infant Race/Ethnicity	Total Known Feeding	Any Breastfeeding	Exclusive Breastfeeding	% Any Breastfeeding	% Exclusive Breastfeeding
State	CALIFORNIA	African-American	26,141	18,314	7,981	70.1	30.5
State	CALIFORNIA	American Indian	542	415	249	76.6	45.9
State	CALIFORNIA	Asian	43,553	36,557	17,422	83.9	40.0
State	CALIFORNIA	Hispanic	270,248	225,842	78,303	83.6	29.0
State	CALIFORNIA	Multi-Race/Other	31,438	26,345	16,127	83.8	51.3
State	CALIFORNIA	Pacific Islander	788	538	216	68.3	27.4
State	CALIFORNIA	White	144,335	125,905	89,126	87.2	61.8
State	CALIFORNIA	Missing	4,514	3,537	2,014	78.4	44.6
State	CALIFORNIA	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>521,559</b>	<b>437,453</b>	<b>211,438</b>	<b>83.9</b>	<b>40.5</b>
County	SAN DIEGO	African-American	1,434	1,065	582	74.3	40.6
County	SAN DIEGO	American Indian	39	33	22	84.6	56.4
County	SAN DIEGO	Asian	2,727	2,340	1,418	85.8	52.0
County	SAN DIEGO	Hispanic	20,777	18,539	10,615	89.2	51.1
County	SAN DIEGO	Multi-Race/Other	2,672	2,345	1,598	87.8	59.8
County	SAN DIEGO	Pacific Islander	86	66	38	76.7	44.2
County	SAN DIEGO	White	13,499	12,221	9,397	90.5	69.6
County	SAN DIEGO	Missing	289	264	189	91.4	65.4
County	SAN DIEGO	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>41,523</b>	<b>36,873</b>	<b>23,859</b>	<b>88.8</b>	<b>57.5</b>
Facility	CHILDRENS HOSPITAL AND HEALTH CENTER	Hispanic	238	82	16	34.5	*
Facility	CHILDRENS HOSPITAL AND HEALTH CENTER	Multi-Race/Other	36	21	5	58.3	*
Facility	CHILDRENS HOSPITAL AND HEALTH CENTER	White	222	124	19	55.9	*
Facility	CHILDRENS HOSPITAL AND HEALTH CENTER	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>44.9</b>	<b>7.5</b>
Facility	FALLBROOK HOSPITAL	Hispanic	263	237	78	90.1	29.7
Facility	FALLBROOK HOSPITAL	White	208	196	125	94.2	60.1
Facility	FALLBROOK HOSPITAL	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>466</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>91.9</b>	<b>43.0</b>
Facility	GROSSMONT HOSPITAL	African-American	155	114	65	73.6	41.9
Facility	GROSSMONT HOSPITAL	Asian	116	87	38	75.0	32.8
Facility	GROSSMONT HOSPITAL	Hispanic	1,334	1,196	744	89.7	55.8
Facility	GROSSMONT HOSPITAL	Multi-Race/Other	294	244	156	83.0	53.1
Facility	GROSSMONT HOSPITAL	White	1,437	1,274	928	88.7	64.6
Facility	GROSSMONT HOSPITAL	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,357</b>	<b>2,930</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>87.3</b>	<b>57.9</b>
Facility	KAISER PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	Asian	28	27	18	96.4	*
Facility	KAISER PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	Hispanic	236	218	161	92.4	68.2

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Facility	KAISER PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	Multi-Race/Other	61	58	49	95.1	80.3
Facility	KAISER PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	White	360	341	305	94.7	84.7
Facility	KAISER PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	<b>TOTAL</b>	707	665	548	94.1	77.5
Facility	KAISER-SAN DIEGO	African-American	185	138	82	74.6	44.3
Facility	KAISER-SAN DIEGO	Asian	282	242	133	85.8	47.2
Facility	KAISER-SAN DIEGO	Hispanic	1,774	1,594	1,058	89.9	59.6
Facility	KAISER-SAN DIEGO	Multi-Race/Other	410	371	259	90.5	63.2
Facility	KAISER-SAN DIEGO	White	1,199	1,063	759	88.7	63.3
Facility	KAISER-SAN DIEGO	Missing	25	24	18	96.0	*
Facility	KAISER-SAN DIEGO	<b>TOTAL</b>	3,882	3,437	2,311	88.5	59.5
Facility	PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	African-American	35	26	16	74.3	*
Facility	PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	Asian	57	51	37	89.5	64.9
Facility	PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	Hispanic	2,550	2,347	1,598	92.0	62.7
Facility	PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	Multi-Race/Other	122	107	82	87.7	67.2
Facility	PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	White	695	610	499	87.8	71.8
Facility	PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER	<b>TOTAL</b>	3,485	3,164	2,247	90.8	64.5
Facility	PARADISE VALLEY HOSPITAL	African-American	80	51	25	63.8	31.3
Facility	PARADISE VALLEY HOSPITAL	Asian	127	116	56	91.3	44.1
Facility	PARADISE VALLEY HOSPITAL	Hispanic	1,548	1,468	887	94.8	57.3
Facility	PARADISE VALLEY HOSPITAL	Multi-Race/Other	50	44	23	88.0	46.0
Facility	PARADISE VALLEY HOSPITAL	White	43	36	21	83.7	48.8
Facility	PARADISE VALLEY HOSPITAL	<b>TOTAL</b>	1,875	1,738	1,025	92.7	54.7
Facility	POMERADO HOSPITAL	Asian	152	147	123	96.7	80.9
Facility	POMERADO HOSPITAL	Hispanic	234	218	181	93.2	77.4
Facility	POMERADO HOSPITAL	Multi-Race/Other	79	74	65	93.7	82.3
Facility	POMERADO HOSPITAL	White	666	635	580	95.4	87.1
Facility	POMERADO HOSPITAL	<b>TOTAL</b>	1,154	1,097	971	95.1	84.1
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL CHULA VISTA	African-American	53	32	13	60.4	*
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL CHULA VISTA	Asian	45	35	13	77.8	*
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL CHULA VISTA	Hispanic	1,843	1,650	668	89.5	36.3
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL CHULA VISTA	Multi-Race/Other	29	25	14	86.2	*
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL CHULA VISTA	White	112	87	48	77.7	42.9
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL CHULA VISTA	<b>TOTAL</b>	2,100	1,841	763	87.7	36.3

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Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ENCINITAS	Asian	29	27	24	93.1	82.8
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ENCINITAS	Hispanic	737	704	572	95.5	77.6
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ENCINITAS	Multi-Race/Other	85	80	70	94.1	82.4
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ENCINITAS	White	607	585	500	96.4	82.4
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ENCINITAS	<b>TOTAL</b>	1,481	1,419	1,185	95.8	80.0
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL LA JOLLA	African-American	28	24	16	85.7	*
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL LA JOLLA	Asian	420	408	358	97.1	85.2
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL LA JOLLA	Hispanic	455	430	373	94.5	82.0
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL LA JOLLA	Multi-Race/Other	296	284	261	96.0	88.2
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL LA JOLLA	White	2,471	2,368	2,146	95.8	86.9
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL LA JOLLA	Missing	46	46	40	100.0	87.0
Facility	SCRIPPS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL LA JOLLA	<b>TOTAL</b>	3,721	3,564	3,198	95.8	85.9
Facility	SCRIPPS MERCY HOSPITAL	African-American	112	84	36	75.0	32.1
Facility	SCRIPPS MERCY HOSPITAL	Asian	66	61	17	92.4	*
Facility	SCRIPPS MERCY HOSPITAL	Hispanic	1,268	1,159	370	91.4	29.2
Facility	SCRIPPS MERCY HOSPITAL	Multi-Race/Other	128	110	39	85.9	30.5
Facility	SCRIPPS MERCY HOSPITAL	White	629	587	359	93.3	57.1
Facility	SCRIPPS MERCY HOSPITAL	<b>TOTAL</b>	2,220	2,014	827	90.7	37.3
Facility	SHARP CHULA VISTA MEDICAL CENTER	African-American	90	64	32	71.1	35.6
Facility	SHARP CHULA VISTA MEDICAL CENTER	Asian	167	139	65	83.2	38.9
Facility	SHARP CHULA VISTA MEDICAL CENTER	Hispanic	2,176	1,854	1,004	85.2	46.1
Facility	SHARP CHULA VISTA MEDICAL CENTER	Multi-Race/Other	112	102	55	91.1	49.1
Facility	SHARP CHULA VISTA MEDICAL CENTER	White	137	120	83	87.6	60.6
Facility	SHARP CHULA VISTA MEDICAL CENTER	<b>TOTAL</b>	2,706	2,302	1,252	85.1	46.3
Facility	SHARP MARY BIRCH HOSPITAL	African-American	384	291	155	75.8	40.4
Facility	SHARP MARY BIRCH HOSPITAL	Asian	997	793	408	79.5	40.9
Facility	SHARP MARY BIRCH HOSPITAL	Hispanic	2,717	2,330	1,250	85.8	46.0
Facility	SHARP MARY BIRCH HOSPITAL	Multi-Race/Other	554	468	296	84.5	53.4
Facility	SHARP MARY BIRCH HOSPITAL	White	2,873	2,558	1,843	89.0	64.2
Facility	SHARP MARY BIRCH HOSPITAL	Missing	49	43	29	87.8	59.2
Facility	SHARP MARY BIRCH HOSPITAL	<b>TOTAL</b>	7,604	6,507	3,997	85.6	52.6
Facility	TRI-CITY MEDICAL CENTER	African-American	95	76	35	80.0	36.8

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Facility	TRI-CITY MEDICAL CENTER	Asian	91	78	49	85.7	53.9
Facility	TRI-CITY MEDICAL CENTER	Hispanic	1,870	1,670	713	89.3	38.1
Facility	TRI-CITY MEDICAL CENTER	Multi-Race/Other	166	137	85	82.5	51.2
Facility	TRI-CITY MEDICAL CENTER	Pacific Islander	28	23	11	82.1	*
Facility	TRI-CITY MEDICAL CENTER	White	1,021	904	622	88.5	60.9
Facility	TRI-CITY MEDICAL CENTER	<b>TOTAL</b>	3,286	2,902	1,521	88.3	46.3
Facility	UCSD MEDICAL CENTER	African-American	158	117	73	74.1	46.2
Facility	UCSD MEDICAL CENTER	Asian	122	114	74	93.4	60.7
Facility	UCSD MEDICAL CENTER	Hispanic	1,512	1,362	924	90.1	61.1
Facility	UCSD MEDICAL CENTER	Multi-Race/Other	210	183	114	87.1	54.3
Facility	UCSD MEDICAL CENTER	White	730	646	478	88.5	65.5
Facility	UCSD MEDICAL CENTER	Missing	30	28	23	93.3	76.7
Facility	UCSD MEDICAL CENTER	<b>TOTAL</b>	2,766	2,454	1,690	88.7	61.1

Data Source: Genetic Disease Branch, Newborn Screening Data, 2004

- Note 1: Data shown only for facilities listed as 'Regular Maternity', 'Kaiser', 'Alternative Birth Center', 'Pediatric', and 'Military' in the newborn screening database.
- Note 2: Infant race/ethnicity is based upon mother and father race/ethnicity as recorded on the birth certificate.
- Note 3: Data for facilities and counties with fewer than 25 total births with known type of feeding are not shown.
- Note 4: Percents of any and exclusive breastfeeding are not shown for fewer than 20 events.
- Note 5: Numbers of any and exclusive breastfeeding are not shown for fewer than 5 events.
- Note 6: "Any Breastfeeding" includes those exclusively breastfeeding and those supplementing breastfeeding with formula. "Exclusive Breastfeeding" includes those who breastfeed only.
- Note 7: Breastfeeding initiation rates vary widely by maternal characteristics. Data presented in these tables are not risk adjusted. Comparisons between facilities or among geographic locations should be made cautiously.
- Note 8: The data used to develop these tables are from the California Newborn Screening Program database of the Genetic Disease Branch. All nonmilitary hospitals are required to complete the Newborn Screening Test Form (DHS 4409) prior to an infant's discharge. Upon completing the form, staff must select one of the following five categories describing 'all feedings since birth' (not including water feedings): (1) Breast only; (2) Formula only; (3) Breast and Formula; (4) TPN/Hyperal and (5) Other.
- Note 9: The denominator used to compute the percent any and percent exclusive breastfeeding data is "Total Known Feeding". Births with missing or unknown method of feeding are excluded. In 2004, 2.78% of all births in California had missing or unknown feeding data.