

The Challenge of Timely Data Entry

The date of initial entry into the program is considered, for the purposes of this timeline, the first date of actual Early Intervention or special education service provided to the child. The date of permanent exit from the program is considered the last date of actual services provided to the child.

In subsequent years, July 30 will be the last date for submitting child outcome summary rating data for all newly identified children entering a Part C or Part B program and for all children permanently exiting a Part C or Part B program from the previous time period of July 1 through June 30.

Part C has one exception to this July 30 data entry requirement:

When a child exits a Part C program at age 3, the exiting organization has up to 90 days past the child's 3rd birthday or by July 30 (whichever occurs first) to enter the exit data into the Outcomes Web System.

Initial Program entry is considered:

- Child newly identified as eligible for Part C or Part B services
- Child transitions from Part C to Part B and is determined eligible for Part B services by the Part B organization
- Child re-enters a program after a permanent exit
- Child enters a Kansas program from another state even if the child has received Part C or Part B services in the other state

Permanent exit is considered:

- Leaving Part C and transitioning to Part B
- Leaving Part C at age 3 and not transitioning to Part B
- Transitioning from preschool services to kindergarten
- child remains in a Part B preschool program and turns age 6 (the child is not in kindergarten)
- Child has completed the IFSP/IEP and no longer requires services under IDEA
- Child moves out of state
- Child is withdrawn from services by parent or guardian
- Child is deceased