State Approaches to Child Outcomes Measurement: Part C APR Indicator 3 FFY 2021 (2021–2022)

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Out of 56 states and jurisdictions:

■ COS Process (N=40)

Most states use the Child Outcomes Summary (COS) Process: a team-based consensus process that rates a child's functioning at entry and at exit on a 7-point scale, using multiple sources of information about a child's functional performance:

Alabama, Alaska, American Samoa, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Guam, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Northern Mariana Islands, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Texas, Vermont, Virgin Islands, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin

■ One Tool Statewide/Publisher System (N=12)

States entering item-level data into a state- or commerciallydeveloped platform to compute entry and exit ratings or progress categories:

District of Columbia, Indiana, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Nebraska, New Jersey, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Wyoming

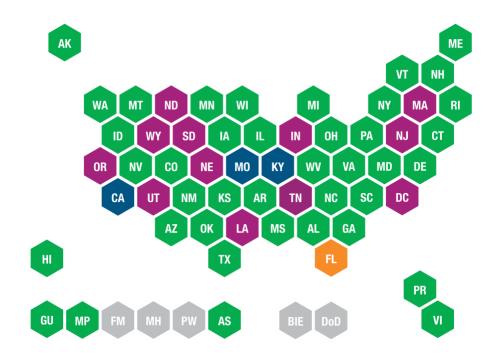
■ State-Specific Approach (N=3)

States using multiple assessment approaches, or a scale other than the COS 7-point scale:

California, Kentucky, Missouri

■ Transitioning Approach (N=1)

States transitioning from one measurement approach to another: *Florida*







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