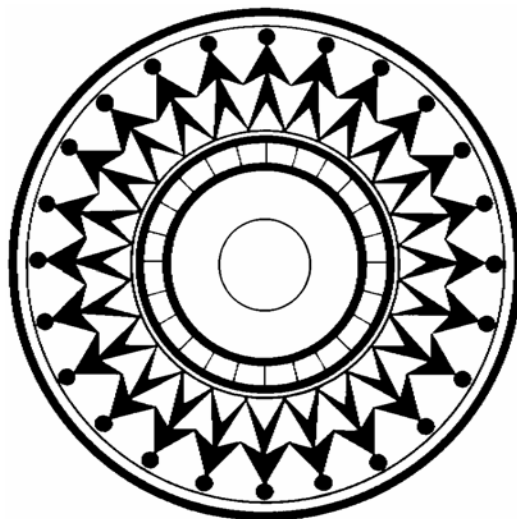


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## PURPOSE OF THE 2003 USER'S GUIDE SUPPLEMENT

The *AFCARS User's Guide Annual Supplement, 2003* is intended for use with the *Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System (AFCARS) User's Guide and Codebook*. The *User's Guide* contains a general overview of the AFCARS project and detailed descriptions of the variables contained in the adoption and foster care files. This *Supplement* contains information specific to the 2003 AFCARS **Adoption** dataset, *Ad2003v3*. This document contains

- a table specifying which states submitted data in the years 1995 through 2003
- a count of the number of records submitted by each state for the 2003 files
- counts of the number of non-missing values for each variable in the 2003 files
- explanatory footnotes provided by the states

**PART 2**

**AFCARS**

**ADOPTION DATABASE**



## HISTORY OF STATE ADOPTION SUBMISSIONS TO AFCARS

By AFCARS regulation, states were required to submit AFCARS data beginning in 1995; it was not until 1998, however, that penalties established by the same regulation became applicable. Data submitted prior to 1998 were often incomplete. The table below indicates the years in which individual states submitted adoption data. Please note that a black dot in a cell does not imply that a state's data file was complete; some state files contained very few records. The number of records in each state's files is contained in the *State Records Counts Table* for the year. 1999 was the first year that all states (including Puerto Rico and the District of Columbia) submitted data. Since then, all states have submitted data each year.

### STATES THAT SUBMITTED ADOPTION DATA

STATE	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999+
Alabama				•	•
Alaska				•	•
Arizona	•	•	•		•
Arkansas	•	•	•	•	•
California	•	•	•	•	•
Colorado	•	•	•	•	•
Connecticut			•	•	•
Delaware	•	•	•	•	•
District of Columbia	•	•	•	•	•
Florida	•	•	•	•	•
Georgia	•	•	•	•	•
Hawaii		•	•	•	•
Idaho	•	•	•	•	•
Illinois	•	•	•	•	•
Indiana	•	•	•	•	•
Iowa	•	•	•	•	•
Kansas			•	•	•
Kentucky	•	•	•	•	•
Louisiana		•	•	•	•
Maine	•	•	•	•	•
Maryland	•	•	•	•	•
Massachusetts	•	•	•	•	•
Michigan				•	•
Minnesota	•	•	•	•	•
Mississippi	•	•	•	•	•
Missouri				•	•
Montana		•	•	•	•
Nebraska		•	•		•
Nevada			•		•
New Hampshire				•	•

STATE	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999+
New Jersey	●	●	●	●	●
New Mexico	●	●	●	●	●
New York			●	●	●
North Carolina	●	●	●	●	●
North Dakota			●	●	●
Ohio	●	●	●	●	●
Oklahoma	●	●	●	●	●
Oregon	●	●	●	●	●
Pennsylvania		●	●	●	●
Rhode Island	●	●	●	●	●
South Carolina				●	●
South Dakota	●	●	●	●	●
Tennessee	●	●	●	●	●
Texas	●	●	●	●	●
Utah	●	●	●	●	●
Vermont	●	●	●	●	●
Virginia				●	●
Washington		●	●	●	●
West Virginia				●	●
Wisconsin	●	●	●	●	●
Wyoming				●	●
Puerto Rico		●	●	●	●

## 2003 ADOPTION UNDUPLICATED RECORD COUNTS

States submit data to AFCARS twice a year; the first reporting period ends April 30 and the second September 30. Prior to each annual release, the Children's Bureau combines submissions for the two reporting periods and removes duplicate records. The table that follows lists the number of records contained in the unduplicated annual 2003 files by state.

### 2003 V3 STATE ADOPTION RECORD COUNTS

<b>Code</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Records</b>
AL	Alabama	329
AK	Alaska	208
AZ	Arizona	839
AR	Arkansas	385
CA	California	7,468
CO	Colorado	1,033
CT	Connecticut	342
DE	Delaware	101
DC	District of Columbia	241
FL	Florida	2,786
GA	Georgia	1,092
HI	Hawaii	318
ID	Idaho	138
IL	Illinois	2,701
IN	Indiana	777
IA	Iowa	1,130
KS	Kansas	546
KY	Kentucky	612
LA	Louisiana	497
ME	Maine	287
MD	Maryland	742
MA	Massachusetts	733
MI	Michigan	2,622
MN	Minnesota	644
MS	Mississippi	183
MO	Missouri	1,405
MT	Montana	224

<b>Code</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Records</b>
NE	Nebraska	281
NV	Nevada	287
NH	New Hampshire	131
NJ	New Jersey	953
NM	New Mexico	220
NY	New York	3,870
NC	North Carolina	1,296
ND	North Dakota	120
OH	Ohio	2,420
OK	Oklahoma	1,152
OR	Oregon	849
PA	Pennsylvania	1,946
PR	Puerto Rico	443
RI	Rhode Island	264
SC	South Carolina	280
SD	South Dakota	144
TN	Tennessee	954
TX	Texas	2,504
UT	Utah	311
VT	Vermont	167
VA	Virginia	487
WA	Washington	1,315
WV	West Virginia	322
WI	Wisconsin	1,187
WY	Wyoming	56
<b>Total Records</b>		<b>50,342</b>

## 2003 v3 ADOPTION VARIABLE COUNTS BY STATE

The first column in the following table contains the names of the variables in the Adoption file. Please refer to the *AFCARS User's Guide and Codebook* for more information about specific variables. Subsequent columns contain the number of records with non-missing values for the variable in the state identified in the column heading. A complete set of a state's variables spans three pages. The first row in the set indicates the total number of records for the state. Reviewing the table before attempting an AFCARS analysis can be useful for identifying which states cannot provide data for a particular variable.

### 2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State Alaska through Florida

	AK	AL	AR	AZ	CA	CO	CT	DC	DE	FL
<b>Records</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>7,468</b>	<b>1,033</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>2,786</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>REPDATMO</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>RECNUM</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>DOBYR</b>	208	329	385	839	7,457	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>DOBMO</b>	208	329	385	839	7,457	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>SEX</b>	206	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	341	241	101	2,786
<b>AMIAKN</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>ASIAN</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>HAWAIPI</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>WHITE</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>UNTODETM</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>HISORGIN</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	642	342	240	101	2,744
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	744	342	236	99	2,744
<b>MR</b>	208	329	43	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,751
<b>VISHEAR</b>	208	329	43	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,751
<b>PHYDIS</b>	208	329	43	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,751
<b>DSMIII</b>	208	329	43	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,751
<b>OTHRMED</b>	208	329	43	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,751
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	205	329	351	827	7,293	1,008	326	230	101	1,935
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	177	263	203	826	6,265	684	191	84	96	1,031
<b>MOMARRD</b>	208	329	383	807	7,377	1,033	311	241	101	2,744
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	207	329	383	794	7,245	1,029	328	239	101	2,757
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	207	329	383	794	7,245	1,029	328	239	101	2,757
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	207	329	383	794	7,245	1,029	328	239	101	2,757
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	198	329	383	792	6,893	1,030	324	241	101	2,756
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	198	329	383	792	6,893	1,030	324	241	101	2,756
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	198	329	383	792	6,893	1,030	324	241	101	2,756
<b>FINADPYR</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786

**2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State**  
**Alaska through Florida**

	AK	AL	AR	AZ	CA	CO	CT	DC	DE	FL
<b>FINADPMO</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>FINADPDA</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	208	329	385	836	7,110	1,033	342	227	101	2,770
<b>ADMOMYR</b>	194	324	370	822	7,075	923	337	210	96	2,671
<b>ADDADYR</b>	150	245	301	667	5,138	764	233	96	81	1,830
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	208	324	370	822	7,468	924	314	215	96	2,706
<b>ASIANM</b>	208	324	370	822	7,468	924	314	215	96	2,706
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	208	324	370	822	7,468	924	314	215	96	2,706
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	208	324	370	822	7,468	924	314	215	96	2,706
<b>WHITEM</b>	208	324	370	822	7,468	924	314	215	96	2,706
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	208	324	370	822	7,468	924	314	215	96	2,671
<b>HOMOM</b>	208	324	370	822	7,468	933	342	215	95	2,744
<b>AMIAKND</b>	208	247	301	667	7,468	766	211	96	81	1,861
<b>ASIAND</b>	208	247	301	667	7,468	766	211	96	81	1,861
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	208	247	301	667	7,468	766	211	96	81	1,861
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	208	247	301	667	7,468	766	211	96	81	1,861
<b>WHITED</b>	208	247	301	667	7,468	766	211	96	81	1,861
<b>UNTODEMD</b>	208	247	301	667	7,468	766	211	96	81	1,830
<b>HODAD</b>	208	247	301	667	7,468	773	236	93	81	2,750
<b>STPARENT</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	229	101	2,744
<b>OTHEREL</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	229	101	2,744
<b>FOSPARCH</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	229	101	2,744
<b>NONREL</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	229	101	2,744
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	229	101	2,744
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	229	101	2,744
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	206	329	385	839	7,468	999	342	240	101	2,786
<b>MONAMNT</b>	206	329	385	607	7,468	1,001	342	241	101	2,786
<b>IVEAA</b>	208	329	385	839	7,468	1,033	342	241	101	2,786

**2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State  
Georgia through Massachusetts**

	<b>GA</b>	<b>HI</b>	<b>IA</b>	<b>ID</b>	<b>IL</b>	<b>IN</b>	<b>KS</b>	<b>KY</b>	<b>LA</b>	<b>MA</b>
<b>Records</b>	<b>1,092</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>1,130</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>2,701</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>546</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>733</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>REPDATMO</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>RECNUM</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>DOBYR</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>DOBMO</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>SEX</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	606	497	733
<b>AMIAKN</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>ASIAN</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>HAWAIPI</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>WHITE</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>UNTODETM</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>HISORGIN</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	1,090	318	1,107	138	2,701	126	546	598	497	733
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	1,091	300	1,130	138	2,701	749	546	598	497	733
<b>MR</b>	415	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	232	612	497	733
<b>VISHEAR</b>	416	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	232	612	497	733
<b>PHYDIS</b>	415	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	232	612	497	733
<b>DSMIII</b>	416	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	232	612	497	733
<b>OTHRMED</b>	415	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	232	612	497	733
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	993	303	1,089	130	2,017	703	546	548	497	731
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	510	265	777	124	594	511	546	370	471	623
<b>MOMARRD</b>	1,092	302	1,112	138	2,701	756	546	582	497	724
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	1,023	312	1,128	138	2,654	750	542	612	497	713
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	1,023	312	1,128	138	2,654	750	542	612	497	713
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	1,023	312	1,128	138	2,654	750	542	612	497	713
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	1,001	311	1,097	138	2,652	749	542	603	497	701
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	1,001	311	1,097	138	2,652	749	542	603	497	701
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	1,001	311	1,097	138	2,652	749	542	603	497	701
<b>FINADPYR</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>FINADPMO</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>FINADPDA</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	1,075	318	1,091	138	2,701	737	511	610	493	726
<b>ADMOMYR</b>	1,001	310	986	135	2,621	702	506	592	493	714
<b>ADDADYR</b>	743	229	921	132	1,347	478	408	493	343	551
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	973	307	1,114	138	2,701	777	506	612	496	714
<b>ASIANM</b>	973	307	1,114	138	2,701	777	506	612	496	714
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	973	307	1,114	138	2,701	777	506	612	496	714
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	973	307	1,114	138	2,701	777	506	612	496	714
<b>WHITEM</b>	973	307	1,114	138	2,701	777	506	612	496	714
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	971	307	1,114	138	2,701	777	506	612	497	714
<b>HOMOM</b>	1,092	305	1,114	135	2,701	714	506	610	497	730

**2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State  
Georgia through Massachusetts**

	GA	HI	IA	ID	IL	IN	KS	KY	LA	MA
<b>AMIAKND</b>	734	225	1,109	138	2,701	777	410	611	347	549
<b>ASIAND</b>	734	225	1,109	138	2,701	777	410	611	347	549
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	734	225	1,109	138	2,701	777	410	611	347	549
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	734	225	1,109	138	2,701	777	410	611	347	549
<b>WHITED</b>	734	225	1,109	138	2,701	777	410	611	349	549
<b>UNTODEMD</b>	730	225	1,109	138	2,701	777	410	611	495	549
<b>HODAD</b>	1,092	223	1,109	132	2,701	488	410	603	497	731
<b>STPARENT</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>OTHEREL</b>	1,047	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>FOSPARCH</b>	1,046	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>NONREL</b>	1,046	318	1,130	138	2,701	777	546	612	497	733
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	1,092	315	1,130	138	2,701	755	546	609	497	733
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,701	754	546	609	497	733
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	1,050	318	1,130	138	2,697	777	546	593	497	690
<b>MONAMNT</b>	1,083	318	1,130	138	2,691	598	490	598	497	690
<b>IVEAA</b>	1,092	318	1,130	138	2,697	777	546	598	497	690

**2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State**  
**Maryland through Nebraska**

	MD	ME	MI	MN	MO	MS	MT	NC	ND	NE
<b>Records</b>	<b>742</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>2,622</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>1,405</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>1,296</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>281</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>REPDATMO</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>RECNUM</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>DOBYR</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,295	120	281
<b>DOBMO</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,295	120	281
<b>SEX</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>AMIAKN</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>ASIAN</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>HAWAIPI</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>WHITE</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>UNTODETM</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>HISORGIN</b>	742	285	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	741	287	2,622	397	1,350	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	742	287	2,622	628	1,350	183	224	1,217	120	281
<b>MR</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	90
<b>VISHEAR</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	90
<b>PHYDIS</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	90
<b>DSMIII</b>	741	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	90
<b>OTHRMED</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	90
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	739	279	2,622	636	1,334	25	212	1,249	117	268
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	574	258	2,621	639	1,179	18	166	859	88	192
<b>MOMARRD</b>	742	284	2,622	644	1,351	181	224	1,296	120	281
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	742	280	2,622	626	1,397	176	224	1,295	119	259
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	742	280	2,622	626	1,397	176	224	1,295	119	259
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	742	280	2,622	626	1,397	176	224	1,295	119	259
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	742	274	2,622	633	1,398	170	224	1,296	116	258
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	742	274	2,622	633	1,398	170	224	1,296	116	258
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	742	274	2,622	633	1,398	170	224	1,296	116	258
<b>FINADPYR</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>FINADPMO</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>FINADPDA</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	742	285	2,622	637	1,402	112	224	1,296	120	275
<b>ADMOMYR</b>	726	265	2,541	634	1,366	109	221	1,259	116	271
<b>ADDADYR</b>	408	244	1,645	542	1,071	81	201	971	104	228
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	742	183	2,622	644	1,369	101	221	1,260	120	273
<b>ASIANM</b>	742	181	2,622	644	1,369	101	221	1,260	120	273
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	742	181	2,622	644	1,369	101	221	1,260	120	273
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	742	181	2,622	644	1,369	101	221	1,260	120	273
<b>WHITEM</b>	742	257	2,622	644	1,369	101	221	1,260	120	273
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	742	267	2,622	644	1,369	101	221	1,260	120	273
<b>HOMOM</b>	742	281	2,622	644	1,369	60	221	1,296	117	273



**2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State**  
***Maryland through Nebraska***

	<b>MD</b>	<b>ME</b>	<b>MI</b>	<b>MN</b>	<b>MO</b>	<b>MS</b>	<b>MT</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>NE</b>
<b>AMIAKND</b>	742	150	2,622	644	1,074	81	201	971	120	228
<b>ASIAND</b>	742	150	2,622	644	1,074	81	201	971	120	228
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	742	150	2,622	644	1,074	81	201	971	120	228
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	742	150	2,622	644	1,074	81	201	971	120	228
<b>WHITED</b>	742	236	2,622	644	1,074	81	201	971	120	228
<b>UNTODEMD</b>	742	244	2,622	644	1,074	81	201	971	120	228
<b>HODAD</b>	742	275	2,622	644	1,074	51	201	1,296	104	228
<b>STPARENT</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	933	120	281
<b>OTHEREL</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>FOSPARCH</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>NONREL</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	183	224	1,296	120	281
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	742	287	2,622	641	1,350	183	224	1,296	120	280
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,352	182	224	1,296	120	280
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	169	224	1,296	120	281
<b>MONAMNT</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	169	224	1,293	120	281
<b>IVEAA</b>	742	287	2,622	644	1,405	169	224	1,296	120	281

**2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State  
New Hampshire through Rhode Island**

	NH	NJ	NM	NV	NY	OH	OK	OR	PA	PR	RI
<b>Records</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>3,870</b>	<b>2,420</b>	<b>1,152</b>	<b>849</b>	<b>1,946</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>264</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>REPDATMO</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>RECNUM</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>DOBYR</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>DOBMO</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>SEX</b>	131	953	219	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>AMIAKN</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>ASIAN</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>HAWAIPI</b>	131	953	220	286	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>WHITE</b>	131	953	220	286	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>UNTODETM</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>HISORGIN</b>	131	953	220	286	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	131	953	220	280	3,870	2,327	1,152	849	1,946	435	264
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	131	953	218	287	3,870	2,327	1,152	849	1,946	441	264
<b>MR</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,327	1,152	849	1,946	443	251
<b>VISHEAR</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,327	1,152	849	1,945	443	251
<b>PHYDIS</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,327	1,152	849	1,946	443	251
<b>DSMIII</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,327	1,152	849	1,946	443	251
<b>OTHRMED</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,327	1,152	849	1,946	443	251
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	129	949	1	285	0	2,281	992	849	1,896	438	247
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	123	893	1	187	0	2,161	823	787	1,100	269	185
<b>MOMARRD</b>	131	953	220	287	0	2,227	1,152	849	1,944	441	255
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	131	953	220	287	3,713	2,310	1,147	849	1,945	410	255
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	131	953	220	287	3,713	2,310	1,147	849	1,945	410	255
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	131	953	220	287	3,713	2,310	1,147	849	1,945	410	255
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	130	953	219	286	3,714	2,304	1,149	844	1,935	437	254
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	130	953	219	286	3,714	2,304	1,149	844	1,935	437	254
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	130	953	219	286	3,714	2,304	1,149	844	1,935	437	254
<b>FINADPYR</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>FINADPMO</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>FINADPDA</b>	131	953	220	287	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	131	953	220	286	0	2,284	1,152	849	1,938	436	260
<b>ADMOMYR</b>	124	925	212	270	0	2,194	1,141	844	1,891	420	244
<b>ADDADYR</b>	104	592	185	215	0	1,544	922	718	1,248	405	162
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	126	953	212	284	3,870	2,236	1,141	844	1,943	443	252
<b>ASIANM</b>	126	953	212	284	3,870	2,236	1,141	844	1,943	443	252
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	126	953	212	283	3,870	2,236	1,141	844	1,943	443	252
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	126	953	212	284	3,870	2,236	1,141	844	1,943	443	252
<b>WHITEM</b>	127	953	212	284	3,870	2,236	1,141	844	1,943	443	252
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	126	953	212	284	3,870	2,236	1,141	844	1,943	443	252
<b>HOMOM</b>	130	953	212	286	3,870	2,204	1,141	844	1,938	443	251

**2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State**  
***New Hampshire through Rhode Island***

	NH	NJ	NM	NV	NY	OH	OK	OR	PA	PR	RI
<b>AMIAKND</b>	125	953	185	284	3,870	1,553	922	718	1,941	443	250
<b>ASIAND</b>	125	953	185	284	3,870	1,553	922	718	1,941	443	250
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	125	953	185	284	3,870	1,553	922	718	1,941	443	250
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	125	953	185	284	3,870	1,553	922	718	1,941	443	250
<b>WHITED</b>	126	953	185	283	3,870	1,553	922	718	1,941	443	250
<b>UNTODEMD</b>	125	953	185	283	3,870	1,553	922	718	1,941	443	250
<b>HODAD</b>	130	953	184	286	3,870	1,550	922	718	1,938	443	246
<b>STPARENT</b>	131	953	220	284	3,870	1,492	1,152	849	1,946	443	262
<b>OTHEREL</b>	131	953	220	284	3,870	1,492	1,152	849	1,946	443	262
<b>FOSPARCH</b>	131	953	220	284	3,870	1,492	1,152	849	1,946	443	262
<b>NONREL</b>	131	953	220	284	3,870	1,492	1,152	849	1,946	443	262
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	131	953	220	286	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	131	953	220	286	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	443	264
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	131	953	220	284	3,870	2,294	1,152	849	1,945	426	264
<b>MONAMNT</b>	128	949	164	275	168	2,409	1,152	846	1,946	443	264
<b>IVEAA</b>	131	953	220	282	3,870	2,420	1,152	849	1,946	384	264

**2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State  
South Carolina through Wyoming**

	SC	SD	TN	TX	UT	VA	VT	WA	WI	WV	WY
<b>Records</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>2,504</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>487</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>1,315</b>	<b>1,187</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>56</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>REPDATMO</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>RECNUM</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>DOBYR</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>DOBMO</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>SEX</b>	280	144	954	2,503	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>AMIAKN</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>ASIAN</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>HAWAIIPI</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>WHITE</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>UNTODETM</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>HISORGIN</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	279	144	950	2,504	311	487	167	532	1,187	312	56
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	267	144	953	2,504	311	487	167	903	1,187	322	56
<b>MR</b>	279	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	17	1,187	322	56
<b>VISHEAR</b>	279	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	0	1,187	322	56
<b>PHYDIS</b>	279	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	88	1,187	322	56
<b>DSMIII</b>	279	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	427	1,187	322	56
<b>OTHRMED</b>	279	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	0	1,187	322	56
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	267	144	936	2,446	310	375	167	1,182	1,174	320	11
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	200	101	596	1,877	298	339	165	790	688	256	7
<b>MOMARRD</b>	234	144	954	2,465	311	461	165	1,315	1,187	301	56
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	277	144	954	2,468	308	466	166	1,314	1,174	319	55
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	277	144	954	2,468	308	466	166	1,314	1,174	319	55
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	277	144	954	2,468	308	466	166	1,314	1,174	319	55
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	270	144	951	2,460	310	438	165	1,313	1,165	309	53
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	270	144	951	2,460	310	438	165	1,313	1,165	309	53
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	270	144	951	2,460	310	438	165	1,313	1,165	309	53
<b>FINADPYR</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>FINADPMO</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>FINADPDA</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	280	144	954	2,433	311	485	167	1,305	1,187	320	56
<b>ADMOMYR</b>	269	143	936	2,346	305	477	164	1,112	1,165	307	56
<b>ADDADYR</b>	186	128	742	1,850	290	400	135	1,008	833	280	47
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	269	144	954	2,361	311	487	164	642	1,187	0	56
<b>ASIANM</b>	269	144	954	2,361	311	487	164	634	1,187	0	56
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	269	144	954	2,361	309	487	164	660	1,187	23	56
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	269	144	954	2,361	311	487	164	634	1,187	4	56
<b>WHITEM</b>	269	144	954	2,361	311	487	164	1,074	1,187	280	56
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	269	144	954	2,361	311	487	164	658	1,187	0	56
<b>HOMOM</b>	269	144	954	2,361	309	479	166	1,068	1,187	307	56

**2003 v3 Adoption Variable Counts by State  
South Carolina through Wyoming**

	SC	SD	TN	TX	UT	VA	VT	WA	WI	WV	WY
<b>AMIAKND</b>	186	144	954	1,863	311	487	135	580	1,187	0	47
<b>ASIAND</b>	186	144	954	1,863	311	487	135	571	1,187	0	47
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	186	144	954	1,863	309	487	135	606	1,187	12	47
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	186	144	954	1,863	311	487	135	567	1,187	2	47
<b>WHITED</b>	186	144	954	1,863	311	487	135	950	1,187	264	47
<b>UNTODEMD</b>	186	144	954	1,863	311	487	135	602	1,187	2	47
<b>HODAD</b>	186	144	954	1,863	299	402	166	969	1,187	280	47
<b>STPARENT</b>	280	144	954	2,504	311	487	167	0	1,187	322	56
<b>OTHEREL</b>	280	144	954	2,503	311	487	167	10	1,187	322	56
<b>FOSPARCH</b>	280	144	954	2,503	311	487	167	771	1,187	322	56
<b>NONREL</b>	280	144	954	2,503	311	487	167	7	1,187	322	56
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	280	144	954	2,503	309	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	55
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	280	144	954	2,503	311	485	167	1,315	1,187	322	56
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	280	144	954	2,503	309	487	167	1,313	1,187	322	56
<b>MONAMNT</b>	280	144	950	2,503	311	482	167	1,314	1,172	280	47
<b>IVEAA</b>	280	144	954	2,503	309	487	167	1,315	1,187	322	56

## 2003 ADOPTION STATE FOOTNOTES

States are encouraged, but not required, to provide explanatory footnotes along with their data submissions. The footnotes allow states to provide additional information they consider necessary for proper interpretation of their data. The footnotes may include such information as:

- general characteristics of the state's Adoption system
- characteristics of the population, including whether certain types of placements are included
- state definitions that differ from federal AFCARS definitions.

Footnotes for the 2003 versions of the Adoption data follow, sorted by element number and state. General state footnotes that are not specific to an element or period are given an element number of 00.

**NDACAN strongly recommends that users review the 2003 footnotes that follow before attempting to analyze the AFCARS Adoption data.**

<b>Adoption Footnotes -- 2003</b>		
<i>Element</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Note</i>
A00	Florida	RECORDS ARE SELECTED BASED ON DISCHARGE TRANSACTION DATE DURING THE PERIOD.
A00	Florida	FLORIDA'S SACWIS REQUIRES DISCHARGE DATE BE REMOVED IN ORDER TO CORRECT REMOVAL HOME CAREGIVER DATA RELATED TO AN EPISODE.
A00	Florida	WHEN DISCHARGE DATE IS REPLACED, DISCHARGE TRANSACTION DATE IS REGENERATED WHICH MAY RESULT IN SUBSEQUENT REPORTING OF A DISCHARGE ALREADY REPORTED AND/OR AN ERROR FOR TIMELINESS.
A00	Indiana	Difference of 11 cases in subject records are due to lack of data entry - no placement information was entered.
A03	Florida	SYSTEM GENERATED PERSON ID NUMBER IS ENCRYPTED.
A03	Florida	THERE IS A RECOGNIZED ISSUE WITH DUPLICATE PERSON RECORDS IN FLORIDA'S SACWIS. EFFORTS TO RESOLVE THIS ISSUE ARE UNDERWAY. THIS WILL AFFECT THE ABILITY TO USE THIS ELEMENT TO MATCH TO DATA FOR FUTURE REPORT PERIODS.
A03	Iowa	Record numbers are encrypted in data submission.
A03	Nebraska	THE ADOPTION RECORD NUMBER IS A UNIQUE NUMBER FOR CHILD WHICH HAS BEEN ENCRYPTED.
A04	Iowa	The extract does not reflect private adoptions.
A05	Iowa	A date of birth is required. We do not estimate date of birth
A05	Michigan	ALL CHILDREN IDENTIFIED AS 18 YEARS OR OLDER ARE STILL WARDS OF THE STATE AND ARE CONSIDERED DEPENDENT CHILDREN
A06	Nebraska	CHILD WITH UNKNOWN SEX IS INCLUDED IN THE MALE CATEGORY.

<b>Adoption Footnotes -- 2003</b>		
<i>Element</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Note</i>
A07	California	'USED UNABLE TO DETERMINE' FOR RACE OF HISPANIC OR MEXICAN OR CENTRAL AMERICAN OR SOUTH AMERICAN AND 'YES' FOR HISPANIC ORIGIN CODE
A07	Nebraska	UNABLE TO DETERMINE INCLUDES PERSONS WITH RACE INDICATED AS OTHER.
A07	Washington	'Not reported' and 'does not apply' are both coded as 'Not reported'. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A09	Iowa	Special needs includes: retardation; blind; deaf; physical; medical, emotional, or learning disability; substance abuse; racial background; age; sibling group; and delinquency.
A09	Nebraska	DETERMINATION OF SPECIAL NEEDS IS BASED ON WHETHER THE CHILD MEETS THE CRITERIA FOR SUBSIDY AS DEFINED BY THE STATE.
A09	Washington	Current information system does not include this question. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A10	Idaho	Resubmitting Adoption records for March 2003 as previous
A10	Idaho	submission exceeded standard.
A10	Iowa	Special needs includes: retardation; blind; deaf; physical; medical, emotional, or learning disability; substance abuse; racial background; age; sibling group; and delinquency.
A10	Nebraska	STATE POLICY STATES THAT SPECIAL NEEDS ARE AGE, GENERALLY AGE 8 AND OLDER, SIBLING GROUPS OF 3 OR MORE TO BE PLACED TOGETHER, BEHAVIORAL, EMOTIONAL, PHYSICAL, OR MENTAL DISABILITY, AND RACE, BUT RACE INSUFFICIENT BY ITSELF.
A10	Washington	Current information system does not include this question. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A11	Washington	Disabilities are reported only for children with an identified disability. Children with no disability and those not reported are both mapped as 'not reported'. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A12	Washington	Disabilities are reported only for children with an identified disability. Children with no disability and those not reported are both mapped as 'not reported'. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A13	Washington	Disabilities are reported only for children with an identified disability. Children with no disability and those not reported are both mapped as 'not reported'. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A14	Washington	Disabilities are reported only for children with an identified disability. Children with no disability and those not reported are both mapped as 'not reported'. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A15	Iowa	Other conditions include a medical learning disability, medical condition, medical alcohol abuse and drug abuse.

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A15	Nebraska	INCLUDES CHILDREN WITH ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER AND/OR INFECTIOUS DISEASES.
A15	Washington	Disabilities are reported only for children with an identified disability. Children with no disability and those not reported are both mapped as 'not reported'. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A16	Washington	Data for this element cannot be accurately obtained from the current information system's technical environment. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A17	Hawaii	THIS DATA IS NOT ALWAYS AVAILABLE WHEN THE CHILD IS ADOPTED AS IT IS NOT ON THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE, FATHER IS UNKNOWN OR HAS MOVED AWAY AND CANNOT BE LOCATED.
A17	Michigan	AGENCY REPORTED BIRTH YEAR OF BIRTH FATHER AS UNKNOWN. IN SOME CASES WHEN THE EXACT YEAR OF BIRTH WAS UNKNOWN, AN ESTIMATED YEAR WAS ENTERED.
A17	Washington	Data for this element cannot be accurately obtained from the current information system's technical environment. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A21	Hawaii	CHILD WAS ADOPTED TWICE DUE TO DEATH OF FIRST ADOPTIVE PARENT (CHILD'S GRANDMOTHER). CHILD SUBSEQUENTLY ADOPTED BY ANOTRELATIVE. CLIENT #18662. CASE 48655 ADOPTION DATE 11/6/02. CASE 59464 ADOPTION DATE 12/12/00
A21	Hawaii	CHILDREN WERE ADOPTED TWICE DUE TO DEATH OF ADOPTIVE PARENT (CHILDREN'S GRANDMOTHER). CLIENT #'S134322,134323,169933. CASE # 59090. ADOPTION DATE 11/21/00. CASE # 54780. ADOPTION DATE 8/9/99.
A22	Florida	IN CASES THAT ARE CODED AS UNMARRIED COUPLE, FLORIDA LAW PERMITS LEGAL ADOPTION BY ONLY ONE OF THE TWO INDIVIDUALS.
A22	Washington	Data for this element cannot be accurately obtained from the current information system's technical environment. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A23	Washington	Data for this element cannot be accurately obtained from the current information system's technical environment. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A24	Washington	Data for this element cannot be accurately obtained from the current information system's technical environment. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A25	California	'USED UNABLE TO DETERMINE' FOR RACE OF HISPANIC OR MEXICAN OR CENTRAL AMERICAN OR SOUTH AMERICAN AND 'YES' FOR HISPANIC ORGIN CODE
A25	Washington	'Not reported' and 'does not apply' are both coded as 'Not reported'. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A26	Washington	'Not reported' and 'does not apply' are both coded as 'Not reported'. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A27	California	'USED UNABLE TO DETERMINE' FOR RACE OF HISPANIC OR MEXICAN OR CENTRAL AMERICAN OR SOUTH AMERICAN AND 'YES' FOR



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A27	Washington	'Not reported' and 'does not apply' are both coded as 'Not reported'. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A28	Washington	'Not reported' and 'does not apply' are both coded as 'Not reported'. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A29	Iowa	Iowa does not track non-welfare stepparent adoptions.
A29	Washington	Washington as a rule does not do Stepparent adoptions. This should default to 'does not apply' rather than 'not reported', if stepparent is not selected. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A30	Iowa	Iowa law defines relative as the fourth degree of consanguinity.
A30	Nebraska	INCLUDES GREAT AUNT/UNCLE, GRT GRANDPARENT, GRT GRT GRT GRANDPARENT, GRT GRT AUNT/UNCLE, GRT GRT GRT GRANDPARENT, GRT GRT GRT AUNT/UNCLE, ADOPTIVE SIBLING, BIOLOGICAL SIBLING, FIRST & SECOND COUSINS, GRANDPARENT, PARENT-IN-LAW, AUNT/UNCLE.
A30	Nebraska	FICTIVE KIN (IE. GODPARENTS) ARE NOT INCLUDED.
A30	Washington	'Not reported' and 'does not apply' are both coded as 'Not reported'. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A31	Washington	'Not reported' and 'does not apply' are both coded as 'Not reported'. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A32	Washington	'Not reported' and 'does not apply' are both coded as 'Not reported'. This cannot be corrected in the current technical environment, but will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A33	Iowa	Due to Iowa law, we do not perform adoptions that would be considered as 'another country' -- AFCARS value 3.
A34	Iowa	The extract does not reflect private, independent, tribal adoptions, birth parent adoptions.
A35	Florida	INCLUDES ONLY CHILDREN ENTERED IN THE CHILD WELFARE VOUCHERING SYSTEM (CWVS) AND FLORIDA'S SACWIS WITH THE SAME CLIENT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.
A35	Florida	CODED YES IF PAYMENT WAS MADE FOR MAINTENANCE SUBSIDY, WHETHER OR NOT TITLE IV-E.
A35	Washington	Inconsistencies between the total children receiving/not receiving subsidy in AD35 and dollars/count in AD36-37 cannot be corrected in the current technical environment. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A36	Florida	INCLUDES ONLY CHILDREN ENTERED IN THE CHILD WELFARE VOUCHERING SYSTEM (CWVS) AND FLORIDA'S SACWIS WITH THE SAME CLIENT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.
A36	Florida	MOST RECENT MONTHLY AMOUNT PAID FOR MAINTENANCE SUBSIDY ONLY.

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A36	Washington	Inconsistencies between the total children receiving/not receiving subsidy in AD35 and dollars/count in AD36-37 cannot be corrected in the current technical environment. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.
A37	Florida	INCLUDES ONLY CHILDREN ENTERED IN THE CHILD WELFARE VOUCHERING SYSTEM (CWVS) AND FLORIDA'S SACWIS WITH THE SAME CLIENT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.
A37	Florida	CODED YES IF PAYMENT WAS MADE FOR MAINTENANCE SUBSIDY, TITLE IV-E.
A37	Washington	Inconsistencies between the total children receiving/not receiving subsidy in AD35 and dollars/count in AD36-37 cannot be corrected in the current technical environment. This will be corrected in Washington's new SACWIS system.