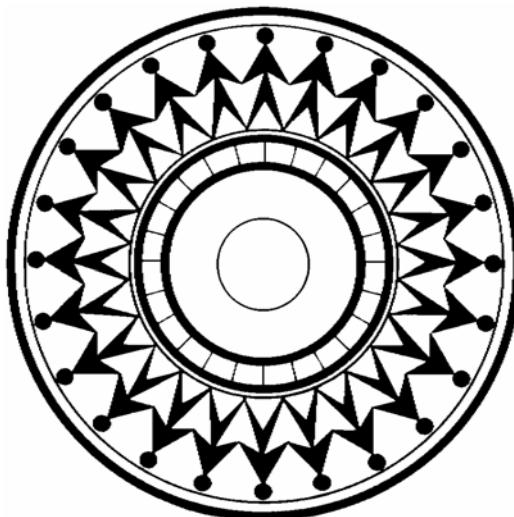


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## PURPOSE OF THE 2004 USER'S GUIDE SUPPLEMENT

The *AFCARS User's Guide Annual Supplement, 2004* 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 2004 AFCARS *Adoption* dataset, *Ad2004v2*. This document contains

- a table specifying which states submitted data in the years 1995 through 2004
- a count of the number of records submitted by each state for the 2004 files
- counts of the number of non-missing values for each variable in the 2004 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		●	●	●	●

## 2004 ADOPTION UNDUPPLICATED 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 2004 files by state.

### 2004 v2 STATE ADOPTION RECORD COUNTS

<b>Code</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Records</b>	
		<b>v1</b>	<b>v2</b>
AL	Alabama	398	398
AK	Alaska	182	182
AZ	Arizona	729	729
AR	Arkansas	331	331
CA	California	7,754	7,754
CO	Colorado	958	958
CT	Connecticut	349	349
DE	Delaware	73	73
DC	District of Columbia	436	436
FL	Florida	3,264	3,264
GA	Georgia	1,269	1,269
HI	Hawaii	375	375
ID	Idaho	176	176
IL	Illinois	2,227	2,227
IN	Indiana	1,057	1,057
IA	Iowa	1,061	1,061
KS	Kansas	653	653
KY	Kentucky	805	805
LA	Louisiana	455	455
ME	Maine	307	307
MD	Maryland	914	914
MA	Massachusetts	812	812
MI	Michigan	2,801	2,801
MN	Minnesota	603	603
MS	Mississippi	270	270
MO	Missouri	1,391	1,391
MT	Montana	192	192

<b>Code</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Records</b>	
		<b>v1</b>	<b>v2</b>
NE	Nebraska	367	367
NV	Nevada	278	278
NH	New Hampshire	102	102
NJ	New Jersey	1,328	1,328
NM	New Mexico	265	265
NY	New York	4,258	4,258
NC	North Carolina	1,198	1,198
ND	North Dakota	128	128
OH	Ohio	2,201	2,201
OK	Oklahoma	1,141	1,141
OR	Oregon	943	943
PA	Pennsylvania	1,898	1,898
PR	Puerto Rico	475	475
RI	Rhode Island	235	235
SC	South Carolina	359	359
SD	South Dakota	123	123
TN	Tennessee	891	891
TX	Texas	2,556	2,556
UT	Utah	298	298
VT	Vermont	220	220
VA	Virginia	525	525
WA	Washington	1,245	1,245
WV	West Virginia	384	384
WI	Wisconsin	1,152	1,152
WY	Wyoming	56	56
<b>Total Records</b>		<b>52,468</b>	<b>52,468</b>

## 2004 v2 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.

**2004 v2 Adoption Variable Counts by State**  
**Alaska through Florida**

	AK	AL	AR	AZ	CA	CO	CT	DC	DE	FL
<b>Records</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>729</b>	<b>7,754</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>3,264</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>REPDATMO</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>RECNUM</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>DOBYR</b>	182	398	331	729	7,750	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>DOBMO</b>	182	398	331	729	7,750	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>SEX</b>	181	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>AMIAKN</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	348	436	73	3,264
<b>ASIAN</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	348	436	73	3,264
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	348	436	73	3,264
<b>HAWAIPI</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	348	436	73	3,264
<b>WHITE</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	348	436	73	3,264
<b>UNTODETM</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	348	436	73	3,264
<b>HISORGIN</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	181	398	331	729	7,754	565	349	430	73	3,230
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	181	398	284	625	7,686	756	270	352	59	2,636
<b>MR</b>	182	398	56	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,218
<b>VISHEAR</b>	182	398	56	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,218
<b>PHYDIS</b>	182	398	56	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,218
<b>DSMIII</b>	182	398	56	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,218
<b>OTHRMED</b>	182	398	56	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,218
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	181	398	308	727	7,608	934	336	412	72	2,265
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	153	360	182	714	6,643	657	217	198	68	1,142
<b>MOMARRD</b>	179	398	327	700	7,710	958	310	212	73	3,230
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	182	398	327	721	7,592	957	341	418	73	3,244
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	182	398	327	721	7,592	957	341	418	73	3,244
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	182	398	327	721	7,592	957	341	418	73	3,244
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	174	398	317	702	7,238	954	336	424	73	3,244
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	174	398	317	702	7,238	954	336	424	73	3,244
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	174	398	317	702	7,238	954	336	424	73	3,244
<b>FINADPYR</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,264

**2004 v2 Adoption Variable Counts by State**  
**Alaska through Florida**

	AK	AL	AR	AZ	CA	CO	CT	DC	DE	FL
<b>FINADPMO</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>FINADPDA</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,264
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	180	398	331	725	7,358	951	349	433	73	3,255
<b>ADMOMMYR</b>	173	394	322	703	7,427	866	346	397	71	3,152
<b>ADDADYR</b>	145	322	252	531	5,431	746	263	185	57	2,115
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	179	394	331	729	7,754	955	344	429	73	3,263
<b>ASIANM</b>	179	394	331	729	7,754	955	344	429	73	3,263
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	179	394	331	729	7,754	955	344	429	73	3,263
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	179	394	331	729	7,754	955	344	429	73	3,263
<b>WHITEM</b>	179	394	331	729	7,754	955	344	429	73	3,263
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	179	394	331	729	7,754	955	344	429	73	3,261
<b>HOMOM</b>	179	394	331	729	7,754	955	348	428	73	3,262
<b>AMIAKND</b>	179	336	331	729	7,754	951	339	406	73	3,243
<b>ASIAND</b>	179	336	331	729	7,754	951	339	406	73	3,243
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	179	336	331	729	7,754	951	339	406	73	3,243
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	179	336	331	729	7,754	951	339	406	73	3,243
<b>WHITED</b>	179	336	331	729	7,754	951	339	406	73	3,243
<b>UNTODEMD</b>	179	336	331	729	7,754	951	339	406	73	3,241
<b>HODAD</b>	179	336	331	729	7,754	951	342	405	73	3,262
<b>STPARENT</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,260
<b>OTHEREREL</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,260
<b>FOSPARC</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,260
<b>NONREL</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	436	73	3,260
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	181	398	331	729	7,754	958	349	434	73	3,230
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	181	398	331	727	7,754	958	349	434	73	3,230
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	181	398	331	729	7,754	928	349	436	73	3,264
<b>MONAMNT</b>	182	398	327	444	7,754	929	349	436	73	3,264
<b>IVEAA</b>	182	398	331	729	7,754	957	349	436	73	3,264

**2004 v2 Adoption Variable Counts by State**  
**Georgia through Massachusetts**

	GA	HI	IA	ID	IL	IN	KS	KY	LA	MA
<b>Records</b>	<b>1,269</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>1,061</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>2,227</b>	<b>1,057</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>812</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>REPDATMO</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>RECNUM</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>DOBYR</b>	1,268	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>DOBMO</b>	1,268	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>SEX</b>	1,269	374	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>AMIAKN</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>ASIAN</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>HAWAIIP</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>WHITE</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>UNTODETM</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>HISORGIN</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	1,269	375	1,034	176	2,227	191	653	801	455	812
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	888	331	481	170	2,150	1,028	515	709	314	808
<b>MR</b>	446	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	286	805	455	812
<b>VISHEAR</b>	446	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	286	805	455	812
<b>PHYDIS</b>	446	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	286	805	455	812
<b>DSMIII</b>	446	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	286	805	455	812
<b>OTHRMED</b>	446	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	286	805	455	812
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	1,172	355	1,035	174	1,719	1,000	653	788	455	810
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	601	339	779	165	501	755	653	768	438	671
<b>MOMARRD</b>	1,269	362	1,026	176	2,227	1,028	653	805	455	806
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	1,239	364	1,059	176	2,191	1,042	651	792	455	805
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	1,239	364	1,059	176	2,191	1,042	651	792	455	805
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	1,239	364	1,059	176	2,191	1,042	651	792	455	805
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	1,222	356	1,032	176	2,180	1,039	650	771	455	799
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	1,222	356	1,032	176	2,180	1,039	650	771	455	799
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	1,222	356	1,032	176	2,180	1,039	650	771	455	799
<b>FINADPYR</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>FINADPMO</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>FINADPDA</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	1,266	374	1,021	176	2,227	1,018	624	803	447	810
<b>ADMOMYR</b>	1,227	364	958	171	2,165	987	600	762	453	795
<b>ADDADYR</b>	905	284	832	159	1,125	737	508	676	324	606
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	1,265	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	795	455	812
<b>ASIANM</b>	1,265	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	795	455	812
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	1,265	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	795	455	812
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	1,265	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	795	455	812
<b>WHITEM</b>	1,265	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	795	455	812
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	1,265	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	795	455	812
<b>HOMOM</b>	1,269	374	1,060	176	2,227	1,052	650	795	455	812

**2004 v2 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>AMIAKND</b>	1,254	374	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	797	453	808
<b>ASIAND</b>	1,254	374	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	797	453	808
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	1,254	374	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	797	453	808
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	1,254	374	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	797	453	808
<b>WHITED</b>	1,254	374	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	797	453	808
<b>UNTODEMD</b>	1,254	374	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	650	797	455	808
<b>HODAD</b>	1,269	374	1,061	176	2,227	1,034	650	797	455	812
<b>STPARENT</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>OTHEREL</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>FOSPARCH</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>NONREL</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,057	653	805	455	812
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	1,268	372	1,054	176	2,227	1,049	653	803	455	812
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	1,269	375	1,061	176	2,227	1,048	653	805	455	812
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	1,228	375	1,061	176	2,220	1,057	653	790	455	784
<b>MONAMNT</b>	1,246	373	1,061	176	2,220	803	593	791	455	784
<b>IVEAA</b>	1,268	375	1,061	176	2,220	1,057	653	783	455	784

**2004 v2 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>Records</b>	<b>914</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>2,801</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>1,391</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>1,198</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>367</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>REPDATMO</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>RECNUM</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>DOBYR</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>DOBMO</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>SEX</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>AMIAKN</b>	914	304	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>ASIAN</b>	914	304	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	914	304	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>HAWAIIP</b>	914	304	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>WHITE</b>	914	304	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>UNTODETM</b>	914	304	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>HISORGIN</b>	914	306	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,332	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	899	292	2,039	550	1,017	270	150	1,126	96	119
<b>MR</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	29
<b>VISHEAR</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	29
<b>PHYDIS</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	29
<b>DSMIII</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	29
<b>OTHRMED</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	29
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	904	295	2,799	599	1,320	254	187	1,162	114	353
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	679	267	2,795	434	1,189	245	155	813	81	256
<b>MOMARRD</b>	914	306	2,801	583	1,333	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	910	300	2,801	592	1,385	270	192	1,197	126	351
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	910	300	2,801	592	1,385	270	192	1,197	126	351
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	910	300	2,801	592	1,385	270	192	1,197	126	351
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	910	295	2,801	598	1,384	270	192	1,197	127	339
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	910	295	2,801	598	1,384	270	192	1,197	127	339
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	910	295	2,801	598	1,384	270	192	1,197	127	339
<b>FINADPYR</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>FINADPMO</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>FINADPDA</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	914	305	2,801	595	1,390	270	192	1,198	128	366
<b>ADMOMYR</b>	891	294	2,729	586	1,359	265	186	1,174	124	345
<b>ADDADYR</b>	549	258	1,837	481	1,090	198	178	896	119	296
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	914	226	2,801	603	1,391	265	191	1,198	128	367
<b>ASIANM</b>	914	225	2,801	603	1,391	265	191	1,198	128	367
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	914	225	2,801	603	1,391	265	191	1,198	128	367
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	914	225	2,801	603	1,391	265	191	1,198	128	367
<b>WHITEM</b>	914	287	2,801	603	1,391	265	191	1,198	128	367
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	914	293	2,801	603	1,391	265	191	1,198	128	367
<b>HOMOM</b>	914	302	2,801	603	1,391	265	191	1,198	128	367

**2004 v2 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>	914	187	2,801	603	1,386	198	190	1,198	128	367
<b>ASIAND</b>	914	187	2,801	603	1,386	198	190	1,198	128	367
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	914	188	2,801	603	1,386	198	190	1,198	128	367
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	914	187	2,801	603	1,386	198	190	1,198	128	367
<b>WHITED</b>	914	252	2,801	603	1,386	198	190	1,198	128	367
<b>UNTODEM</b>	914	257	2,801	603	1,386	198	190	1,198	128	367
<b>HODAD</b>	914	286	2,801	603	1,386	198	190	1,198	128	367
<b>STPARENT</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>OTHEREL</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>FOSPARC</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>NONREL</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	910	307	2,801	603	1,331	270	192	1,198	128	363
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	910	307	2,801	603	1,337	270	192	1,198	128	363
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	914	307	2,801	602	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367
<b>MONAMNT</b>	914	306	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,186	128	367
<b>IVEAA</b>	914	307	2,801	603	1,391	270	192	1,198	128	367

**2004 v2 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>102</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>4,258</b>	<b>2,201</b>	<b>1,141</b>	<b>943</b>	<b>1,898</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>235</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>REPDATMO</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>RECNUM</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>DOBYR</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	474	235
<b>DOBMO</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	474	235
<b>SEX</b>	102	1,328	264	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>AMIAKN</b>	102	1,328	264	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>ASIAN</b>	102	1,328	264	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	102	1,328	264	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>HAWAIIPI</b>	102	1,328	264	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>WHITE</b>	102	1,328	264	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>UNTODETM</b>	102	1,328	264	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>HISORGIN</b>	102	1,328	264	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,107	1,141	943	1,898	472	235
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	102	1,328	259	278	4,108	2,106	1,026	641	1,672	110	115
<b>MR</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,107	1,141	943	1,898	475	230
<b>VISHEAR</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,107	1,141	943	1,898	475	230
<b>PHYDIS</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,107	1,141	943	1,898	475	230
<b>DSMIII</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,107	1,141	943	1,898	475	230
<b>OTHRMED</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,107	1,141	943	1,898	475	230
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	100	1,323	252	273	0	2,102	1,010	943	1,871	440	221
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	99	1,258	151	192	0	2,062	853	871	978	285	125
<b>MOMARRD</b>	101	1,328	265	275	0	2,045	1,141	943	1,896	461	212
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	101	1,328	265	278	4,087	2,043	1,136	943	1,896	450	226
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	101	1,328	265	278	4,087	2,043	1,136	943	1,896	450	226
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	101	1,328	265	278	4,087	2,043	1,136	943	1,896	450	226
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	99	1,328	265	276	4,087	2,030	1,138	939	1,893	464	219
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	99	1,328	265	276	4,087	2,030	1,138	939	1,893	464	219
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	99	1,328	265	276	4,087	2,030	1,138	939	1,893	464	219
<b>FINADPYR</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>FINADPMO</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>FINADPDA</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	102	1,328	265	278	0	2,059	1,141	943	1,890	469	234
<b>ADMOMYR</b>	98	1,269	251	275	1,419	2,007	1,120	927	1,851	467	218
<b>ADDADYR</b>	78	873	228	217	643	1,558	908	791	1,227	440	153
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	102	1,328	254	277	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>ASIANM</b>	102	1,328	254	277	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	102	1,328	254	277	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	102	1,328	254	277	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>WHITEM</b>	102	1,328	254	277	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	102	1,328	254	277	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>HOMOM</b>	102	1,328	254	277	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235

**2004 v2 Adoption Variable Counts by State**  
**New Hampshire through Rhode Island**

	NH	NJ	NM	NV	NY	OH	OK	OR	PA	PR	RI
<b>AMIAKND</b>	102	1,328	231	274	4,258	2,201	1,139	943	1,898	475	235
<b>ASIAND</b>	102	1,328	231	274	4,258	2,201	1,139	943	1,898	475	235
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	102	1,328	231	273	4,258	2,201	1,139	943	1,898	475	235
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	102	1,328	231	274	4,258	2,201	1,139	943	1,898	475	235
<b>WHITED</b>	102	1,328	231	274	4,258	2,201	1,139	943	1,898	475	235
<b>UNTODEMD</b>	102	1,328	231	274	4,258	2,201	1,139	943	1,898	475	235
<b>HODAD</b>	102	1,328	231	275	4,258	2,201	1,139	943	1,898	475	235
<b>STPARENT</b>	102	1,328	265	276	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	234
<b>OTHEREL</b>	102	1,328	265	276	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	234
<b>FOSPARC</b>	102	1,328	265	276	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	234
<b>NONREL</b>	102	1,328	265	276	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	234
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	475	235
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	102	1,328	250	278	4,258	2,157	1,141	943	1,897	467	234
<b>MONAMNT</b>	20	1,310	265	275	250	2,176	1,141	939	1,897	475	230
<b>IVEAA</b>	102	1,328	265	278	4,258	2,201	1,141	943	1,898	415	235

**2004 v2 Adoption Variable Counts by State**  
**South Carolina through Wyoming**

	<b>SC</b>	<b>SD</b>	<b>TN</b>	<b>TX</b>	<b>UT</b>	<b>VA</b>	<b>VT</b>	<b>WA</b>	<b>WI</b>	<b>WV</b>	<b>WY</b>
<b>Records</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>2,556</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1,245</b>	<b>1,152</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>56</b>
<b>REPDATYR</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>REPDATMO</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>RECNUM</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>AGNYINVL</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>DOBYR</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>DOBMO</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>SEX</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>AMIAKN</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>ASIAN</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>BLKAFRAM</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>HAWAIIP</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>WHITE</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>UNTODETM</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>HISORGIN</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>AGYSPNDS</b>	359	123	889	2,556	298	525	220	0	1,152	380	56
<b>BASSPNDS</b>	303	123	758	2,286	276	393	220	624	1,145	384	48
<b>MR</b>	269	121	891	2,556	298	525	220	16	1,152	384	56
<b>VISHEAR</b>	269	121	891	2,556	298	525	220	0	1,152	384	56
<b>PHYDIS</b>	269	121	891	2,556	298	525	220	75	1,152	384	56
<b>DSMIII</b>	269	121	891	2,556	298	525	220	307	1,152	384	56
<b>OTHRMED</b>	269	119	891	2,556	298	525	220	0	1,152	384	56
<b>DOBYRMOM</b>	353	123	867	2,517	291	481	220	1,137	1,140	382	19
<b>DOBYRDAD</b>	278	94	597	1,954	226	385	219	751	695	304	5
<b>MOMARRD</b>	344	123	891	2,531	298	509	220	1,245	1,152	376	56
<b>TPRMOMYR</b>	358	123	885	2,522	297	499	220	1,243	1,138	383	56
<b>TPRMOMO</b>	358	123	885	2,522	297	499	220	1,243	1,138	383	56
<b>TPRMOMDA</b>	358	123	885	2,522	297	499	220	1,243	1,138	383	56
<b>TPRDADYR</b>	354	123	873	2,498	297	495	220	1,243	1,124	380	56
<b>TPRDADMO</b>	354	123	873	2,498	297	495	220	1,243	1,124	380	56
<b>TPRDADDA</b>	354	123	873	2,498	297	495	220	1,243	1,124	380	56
<b>FINADPYR</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>FINADPMO</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>FINADPDA</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>ADPFAMST</b>	358	123	891	2,472	298	525	220	1,243	1,152	384	56
<b>ADMOMYR</b>	341	120	880	2,405	292	510	214	1,198	1,117	371	56
<b>ADDADYR</b>	277	102	693	1,965	286	430	180	1,085	729	351	50
<b>AMIAKNM</b>	359	123	891	2,553	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>ASIANM</b>	359	123	891	2,553	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>BLAFRAMM</b>	359	123	891	2,553	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>HAWIIPIM</b>	359	123	891	2,553	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>WHITEM</b>	359	123	891	2,553	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>UNTODEMM</b>	359	123	891	2,553	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>HOMOM</b>	359	123	891	2,553	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56

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	<b>SC</b>	<b>SD</b>	<b>TN</b>	<b>TX</b>	<b>UT</b>	<b>VA</b>	<b>VT</b>	<b>WA</b>	<b>WI</b>	<b>WV</b>	<b>WY</b>
<b>AMIAKND</b>	358	123	891	2,544	297	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>ASIAND</b>	358	123	891	2,544	297	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>BLAFRAMD</b>	358	123	891	2,544	297	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>HAWIIPID</b>	358	123	891	2,544	297	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>WHITED</b>	358	123	891	2,544	297	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>UNTODEMD</b>	358	123	891	2,544	297	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>HODAD</b>	358	123	891	2,544	297	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>STPARENT</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>OTHEREL</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>FOSPARC</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>NONREL</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,244	1,152	384	56
<b>CHPLDFRM</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,241	1,152	384	56
<b>CHPLDBY</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	523	220	1,241	1,152	384	56
<b>MONSUBSY</b>	359	123	889	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56
<b>MONAMNT</b>	359	121	891	2,525	285	521	220	1,245	1,139	353	54
<b>IVEAA</b>	359	123	891	2,556	298	525	220	1,245	1,152	384	56

## 2004 ADOPTION STATE FOOTNOTES

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- 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.

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Adoption Footnotes -- 2004		
<b>Element</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Note</b>
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	Florida	THIS FILE REPRESENTS A COMPLETE RESUBMISSION OF ADOPTION DATA FOR THIS PERIOD.
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

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A06	Nebraska	CHILD WITH UNKNOWN SEX IS INCLUDED IN THE MALE CATEGORY.
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.
A08	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA .
A09	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA .
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	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA .
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	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA .
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	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA .
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.

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A13	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA .
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	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA .
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	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA .
A15	Iowa	Other conditions include a medical learning disability, medical condition, medical alcohol abuse and drug abuse.
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.
A18	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA .
A18	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA.
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	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA.

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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 ORIGIN CODE
A25	District of Columbia	PROGRAM LOGIC CHANGED AFTER AFCARS REVIEW THEREFORE AIP WORKING TO ADDRESS 2004A AND 2004B DATA.
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 HISPANIC ORIGIN CODE
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.

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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	Florida	INCLUDES ONLY CHILDREN ENTERED IN THE INTERIM CHILD WELFARE SERVICES INFORMATION SYSTEM (ICWSIS) AND FLORIDA'S SACWIS WITH THE SAME CLIENT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.
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.
A36	Florida	INCLUDES ONLY CHILDREN ENTERED IN THE INTERIM CHILD WELFARE SERVICES INFORMATION SYSTEM (ICWSIS) AND FLORIDA'S SACWIS WITH THE SAME CLIENT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.
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	Florida	INCLUDES ONLY CHILDREN ENTERED IN THE INTERIM CHILD WELFARE SERVICES INFORMATION SYSTEM (ICWSIS) AND FLORIDA'S SACWIS WITH THE SAME CLIENT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.

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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.