

Indicator Category: Adult Learners

Participation in ESL Programs per 1,000 Adults Age 18 to 64 Who Speak English Poorly or Not at All - 2005

	<u>Participation in ESL Programs per 1,000</u>		<u>18 to 64 Year Olds Who</u>
	<u>Adults Age 18 to 64 Who Speak English</u>	<u>ESL Enrollment</u>	<u>Speak English Poorly or Not</u>
	<u>Poorly or Not at All 2005</u>	<u>2004-05</u>	<u>at All 2005</u>
Minnesota	411.3	27,507	66,873
Maine	305.8	1,765	5,772
Vermont	241.0	273	1,133
North Dakota	196.1	273	1,392
New Hampshire	190.3	1,925	10,118
Utah	176.3	10,218	57,973
Missouri	174.0	7,955	45,708
Washington	163.0	28,296	173,601
Connecticut	159.5	13,891	87,106
North Carolina	156.1	29,711	190,333
Arkansas	153.6	5,868	38,211
Florida	149.8	114,310	763,139
Illinois	145.8	72,311	495,986
California	143.3	429,024	2,994,444
Iowa	138.0	3,915	28,360
South Carolina	131.0	7,534	57,527
Georgia	130.4	31,659	242,852
Wyoming	127.5	404	3,169
Nebraska	123.4	4,217	34,175
South Dakota	119.8	545	4,550
Ohio	118.8	8,031	67,615
Kentucky	117.5	2,768	23,567
New Mexico	116.0	8,299	71,549
Tennessee	114.9	6,738	58,658
Nation	113.8	1,142,749	10,041,631
Indiana	113.4	8,197	72,279
Delaware	109.5	1,968	17,972
Pennsylvania	108.7	16,195	148,944
Montana	108.3	199	1,837
Michigan	107.5	10,843	100,912
West Virginia	105.4	287	2,723
Wisconsin	104.8	7,034	67,108
New York	102.4	86,111	840,639
Alaska	100.5	600	5,968
Oregon	99.1	10,436	105,349
Maryland	89.5	10,347	115,577
Virginia	89.0	13,020	146,360
Hawaii	88.6	3,061	34,548
Oklahoma	87.9	4,480	50,968
Idaho	84.2	2,475	29,409
Kansas	83.3	3,830	45,957
Rhode Island	82.8	3,138	37,894
New Jersey	73.0	25,265	346,224
Louisiana	63.3	1,917	30,267
Colorado	63.2	9,427	149,216
Nevada	61.8	8,163	131,985
Massachusetts	59.3	12,013	202,693
Mississippi	46.2	781	16,911
Alabama	45.7	1,626	35,591
Texas	45.0	64,726	1,438,197
Arizona	44.2	14,544	328,954

Source: U.S. Department of Education; U.S. Census Bureau, 2005 American Community Survey, Compiled by NCHEMS -- <http://higheredinfo.org/>