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Oglala Lakota College Head Start Community Assessment Annual Update 2017



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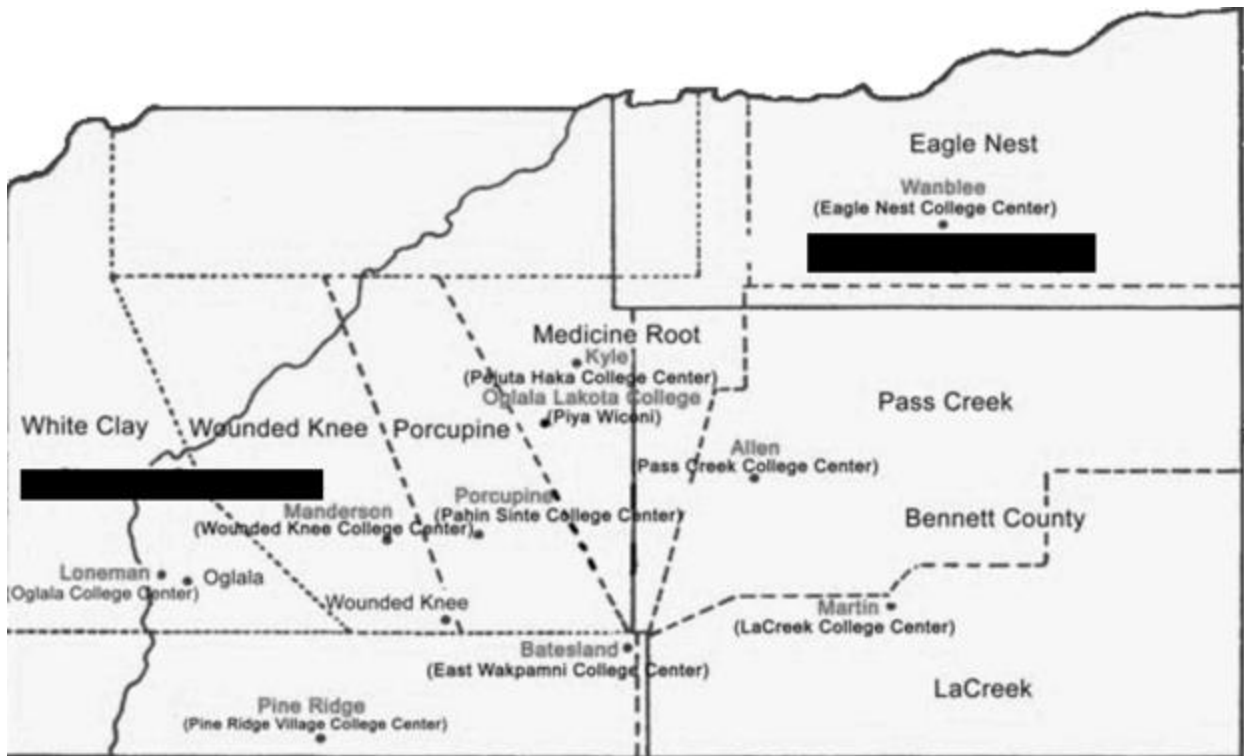
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Pine Ridge Indian Reservation (Oglala Lakota, Bennett and part of Jackson Counties, SD)



Executive Summary

The Head Start Community Assessment was done in 2013. It is updated annually for changes including homelessness, increased availability of public funded pre-K (assessment of how it meets needs of parents and children and whether it is full day), shifts in community demographics and resources.

The numbers of eligible children 0-5 is in debate as is the population of the Reservation. The numbers range from 3618 (HUD Estimates) to about 2850 adding the 2016 Child Find stats. Whatever the number when we looked at all the Child Care programs on the Reservation there are only about 963 children 0-5 receiving some form of preschool.

In terms of homeless there are few children termed homeless according to McKinney-Vento but many according to the Oglala Sioux Tribe definition. There are many children living in overcrowded or unhealthy conditions.

The Oglala Sioux Tribe Child Protection Program is getting reorganized. There is a shortage of foster homes both on and off the Reservation. Many parents from the Pine Ridge Reservation are moving to Rapid City and getting in trouble with the child welfare system. On and off the Reservation meth and vodka are both epidemic.

OLC Head Start is part of a collaborative group of early childhood service providers and we are hoping to get more accurate figures for our 5 Year Community Assessment we have scheduled to be finished in December 2017. The group is also discussing why we cannot fill all the slots available in Head Start/Early Head Start as well as other preschool programs.

**i. Numbers of Eligible Infants, Toddlers, Preschoolers and Expectant Mothers
by geographic location, race, ethnicity, and languages**

	0-5	6-18	Over 18	Total
	11%	34%	55%	100%
Eagle Nest (Wamblee)	433	1338	2168	3939
Lacreek (Martin)	113	348	568	1029
Medicine Root (Kyle)	577	1780	2884	5241
Pass Creek (Allen)	134	411	670	1215
Porcupine (Porcupine)	410	1265	2052	3727
Wakpamni (Batesland)	483	1491	2417	4391
Pine Ridge (PR Village)	697	2170	3468	6335
White Clay (Oglala)	461	1423	2309	4193
Wounded Knee (Manderson, Wounded Knee)	310	957	1555	2822
Total	3618	11,183	18,091	32,892

HUD Formula 2013 Figures based on Pickering 2005 with % increase each year.
We estimate at least 500 pregnant women spread through the 9 Districts.

OLC HS/EHS (Child Find) 04-15-2016

	children in house hold	0-3 year olds	4-5 year olds	Pregnant women	Homes visited
Wamblee	179	59	53	10	40
Allen	101	38	40	7	16
Kyle	238	90	71	15	36
Wakpamni	29	14	4	0	9
Porcupine	142	27	17	2	29
Wounded Knee	52	15	13	3	21
Manderson	97	42	30	8	31
Martin	112	44	37	8	18
Pine Ridge	137	65	41	19	149
Oglala	63	21	15	2	17

April of 2016 we did a Reservation wide child find throughout our communities. Some of the families were home and it was raining so we could not get out to some of the families due to roads. However, we visited 349 homes on that day April 15, 2016 to try to gauge how many children we had in our communities who were HS/EHS age and prenatal. Our goal is to do this once a year. I also got statistics from I.H.S with child files they have in medical records of children 0-5.

Two interesting factors we realized from the child find event was

1. Many of the homes the parent(s) were still asleep at 10-11 am. The children answered the door
2. We have about 80 children who live in very rural country areas that we cannot get too. Due to the one hour time frame for buses and un maintained roads to these home.

A. Homeless Children

There is a homeless count done each year in January by Housing but due to the culture there are few people counted as homeless using the regular government definition. Relatives or friends take people in. There is a great deal of overcrowding in houses and a great housing shortage. The Oglala Sioux Tribe has passed a definition of homeless (OSTXB 12-11) that includes other government regulations and also that anyone is considered homeless if the head of household of a family is not on the lease or title.

We will work on getting an accurate count for the 5 year Community Assessment in December 2017.

AIAN persons :	35,764
AIAN households with annual income less than 30% of median income:	1,967
AIAN households with annual income between 30% and 50% of median income:	1,293
AIAN households with annual income between 50% and 80% of median income:	832
AIAN households which are overcrowded or without kitchen or plumbing:	2,887
AIAN households with housing cost burden greater than 50% of annual income:	656
Housing Shortage (number of low-income AIAN households less total number of NAHASDA and Current Assisted Stock):	2,811

B. Children in foster care OST Child Protection 867-5752 Lisa/Jennifer

We attempted to get numbers and were given the number 241 (3/29/17) in the system. The Tribe also deals with many Indian Child Welfare Act cases of member living off the Reservation whose children are taken away and put in foster care.

We have 46 kids in foster care and 26 are under the age of five. We had 358 investigations last year and we have 231 families in case management

C . Children with Disabilities

The OST Early Intervention Program (Stephanie Loudon 867-5712) provides full-screening IEPs, and referrals for services for children 0-5 on the Reservation. The two public school systems (Bennett County and Oglala Lakota County) also provide Special Ed Services in their areas. We will get more accurate information for the full Community Assessment in December 2017.

ii. Education, health, nutrition and social service needs including prevalent social and economic factors that impact their well-being.

Here is updated Health Data from the Indian Health Service (1/17)

	5/15 – 12/15	1/16 12/16
Births	82	259
Prenatal	454	624

# of child files 0-5 On Reservation	1871	1447
# of child files 0-5 Off Reservation	1022	1836
Suicide and Attempts	343	235
Children with diabetes Under 5	82	82
Children with obesity under 5	16	19
Adult diabetes		
Males	920	995
Females	1285	1338
Heart disease		
Male	253	496
Female	248	482
Mental Health		
Male	1419	1576
Female	1854	2142
Alcohol Incidents	894	978
Drug Incidents	677	1006
Domestic Violence	21	32
Child Abuse	15	5

Here are statistics showing the latest Health conditions of Native Americans nationwide from the IHS Trends 2014 which covers 2007 to 2009. The # 1 and 2 causes of death were heart disease and cancer. The % of deaths by cause for AI/AN vs all races US:

Alcohol related 520% , TB 450%, Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis 368%, Motor Vehicle crashes 207%, Diabetes 177%, Unintentional injuries 141%, Poisoning 118%, Homicide 86%, Suicide 60%,

Free and Reduced Price Lunches 2016

Oglala Lakota 90% + Bennett 84% Jackson 75%

iii. Typical work, school and training schedules of parents with eligible children

Survey Results 6/22/16

Parents	8:30-2:30	8:30-3:00	8:30-3:30
6/20/16	29	28	40
6/21/16	21	15	22
	50	43	62
Staff	8:30-2:30	8:30-3:00	8:30-3:30
6/20/16	24	9	18
6/21/16	9	2	2
6/21/16	6	5	14
	39	16	34

Total	89	59	96
	8:30-2:30	8:30-3:00	8:30-3:30
Percentage	36.48	24.18	39.34

**iv. Other Child Care Centers and Family Care Centers and # served
Oglala Lakaota College Head Start /Early Head Start Program**

Wounspe Oaye Tokahe EHS/HS Program

Location:	Max Enrollment:	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Allen HS	17	10.10	10.50	13.86
Kyle HS I	20	16.10	18.60	18.43
Kyle HS II	20	17.90	17.00	19.00
Manderson HS I	20	11.80	17.10	12.14
Manderson HS II	20	14.50	12.20	13.29
Martin HS I	20	16.30	18.40	13.71
Martin HS II	20	19.60	9.10	17.14
Oglala HS I	20	16.50	16.60	13.29
Oglala HS II	20	15.30	16.00	18.14
Pine Ridge HS I	20	13.90	10.60	8.86
Pine Ridge HS II	20	18.60	15.60	15.14
Pine Ridge HS III	20	16.70	12.20	10.29
Pine Ridge HS IV	20	16.50	14.10	15.71
Pine Ridge HS V	20	20.10	16.50	12.43
Pine Ridge HS VI	20	2.20	15.50	13.71
Pine Ridge HS VII	20	12.90	15.00	18.43
Pine Ridge HS VIII	20	14.60	17.30	18.71
Pine Ridge HS IX	20	19.00	15.90	17.43
Porcupine HS I	20	17.80	14.10	17.00
Porcupine HS II	20	17.90	15.20	15.86
Wakpamni HS	17	9.80	7.60	4.71
Wanblee HS I	20	14.50	18.50	17.14
Wanblee HS II	20	18.30	15.10	17.14
Wounded Knee HS I	17	9.00	7.00	9.57
Wounded Knee HS II	20	11.50	9.80	13.14
HS Total	491	371.40	355.50	364.29

Location:	Max Enrollment:	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Kyle EHS	16	10.40	15.27	14.29
Manderson EHS	16	9.30	10.82	14.00
Oglala EHS	16	11.80	14.00	12.00
Pine Ridge EHS	16	18.10	16.45	16.00
Porcupine EHS	16	16.60	15.45	16.00
EHS Classroom Total	80	66.20	72.00	72.29

	Max Enrollment:	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Kyle EHS	4	4.60	2.36	4.43
Manderson EHS	4	2.50	1.18	0.00
Oglala EHS	4	0.40	0.36	0.86
Pine Ridge EHS	4	1.90	4.73	5.29
Porcupine EHS	4	1.80	0.45	0.57
EHS Prenatal Total	20	12.80	9.09	11.14
		0.00		0.00
EHS Total	100	79.00	81.09	83.43

13-14 Waiting lists HS 45, EHS 79, Prenatal 8. The children on the waiting lists were primarily from Kyle and Pine Ridge.

		Maximum	14-15	15-16	16-17
Enrollment	Classrooms				
HS	25	491	371	356	364
EHS	5 Classrooms	80	66	72	72
EHS Prenatal	5 sites	20	13	9	11
		100	79	81	83

Underenrollment		Max	AVG	
	Manderson HS	40	27	-13
	Allen HS	17	11	-6
	WK HS	37	18	-19
	Wakpamni HS	17	8	-9

Average ADA	16-17	August 16	- February 17		
HS	70%	Hi	Aug 78%	Low	Dec 53%
EHS	75.5%	Hi	Aug 83%	Low	Dec 65%

Oglala Sioux Tribe Child Care 867-5172

Ages 0-12
 Hours Summer 8-430 730AM-8PM to accommodate college classes
 Enrollment 198 children 159 subsidized 39 self-pay HHS Child Care
 Services learning centers curriculum
 Allen Learning Center, Kyle Learning Center, Manderson Learning Center,
 Pine Ridge Learning Center, Porcupine Learning Center, Wanblee Learning Center

Oglala Lakota County Pre-K

Batesland	7	3-4 year old, 8-330, ed, food, screening	no preschool next year
Rockyford	44	3-4 8AM-330PM	education, food, screening, sped
Wolf Creek	50	3-4 8AM-330PM	education, food, screening, sped
Red Shirt	4	3-4 8AM- 330PM	education, food, screening, sped

Badlands Head Start 455-2799

Oglala Lakota and Bennett Counties HS only serves 32 on reservation from 3-5.

Little Wound FACE Faye Hernandez 70 families /21 daily preschool 3-4/12 adult ed
 42 preschool home based biweekly

Pine Ridge FACE Carol Whalen 867-5433 12 home based with 14 children and 19 parents. Have a waiting list and are short Parent Educators. They serve 12 center-based 3-5 year olds. They serve 19 center- based parent in Adult Ed. With a full staff next year they anticipate serving 36 center-based children.

American Horse FACE Jodi Richards 455-1209

Their program serves 22 Center-based children 3-5 and 58 Home based children 0-3.

They also provide adult ed services.

Oglala Language Pre-School, Oglala SD Serve 15 students 6 mos to 5 years.

v. Resources in the community to address needs of eligible children

We have worked over the past two years with a collaboration group and have a draft Resource Directory developed. We are working on reformatting it to be more useful.

vi. Strengths of the community

Pine Reservation is a Promise Zone.

Culture is still alive and language resources are available.

Tiwahe Gluonihanpi group is bringing collaboration for early childhood.

Oglala Lakota College provides a stable and well managed grantee.

We contacted the Oglala Sioux Tribe Research Board and obtained copies of over 100 studies done on Pine Ridge (Attached RRB). We will be able to contact the authors for research that is relevant to the Head Start program (RRB Katie Blindman 867-1705 ext 211 ost.rrb16@gmail.com).

We also sent information needed for Head Start to the One Nation One Number reservation-wide survey being done by the Oglala Sioux Tribe to get accurate population numbers and other relevant information. Hopefully this info will be available for the December 2017 5Year Community Assessment. ((206) 502-0007 (d), (303) 862-0752 (c), (206) 466-2065 (o) kevin@bigwaterconsulting.net Web: <http://bigwaterconsulting.net>.

Appendices

Kids Count 2016 for Oglala Lakota County

Kids Count 2016 for Bennett County

Kids Count 2016 for Jackson County

Attachments

List of Studies from the Oglala Sioux Tribe Reservation Research Board

OGLALA LAKOTA COUNTY



Safety Indicators	FY 14	FY 15	FY 16
Adjudicatory actions	0	0	0
Non-adjudicatory actions	0	0	0
Commitments to Dept. of Corrections	0	0	0
Juvenile Admissions to Drug or Alcohol Treatment Programs	21	17	18

Economic Indicators	2014	2015	2016
TANF Basic Participation (FY avg.)			
Families	579	547	552
Recipients	1,246	1,174	1,190
Children	1,048	1,001	1,032
Average \$ per month per family	\$426	\$444	\$444
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) (FY avg.)			
Households	3,576	3,473	3,420
Recipients	8,579	8,372	8,188
Average \$ per month per recipient	\$140	\$139	\$141
Age distribution (FY 2016)	SNAP	Medicaid	
0-4 (SNAP) 0-5 (Medicaid)	1,172	1,669	
5-13 (SNAP) 6-13 (Medicaid)	2,011	2,299	
14-17 (SNAP) 14-18 (Medicaid)	659	1,094	

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Health Indicators	2015		2011-15 (combined)		2011-15	
	Number	% or Rate	Number	% or Rate	Number	Confidence Interval
Low birth weight babies (less than 5.5 lbs.)	29	8.6%	130	7.7%		±1.32%
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	5	15.2	29	17.1		±6.23
Child death rate (per 100,000-ages 1-14)	8	185.1	17	79.4		±37.75
Teen violent death rate (per 100,000-ages 15-19)	5	377.6	15	223.8		±113.25
Births to single teens (single females under age 20)	53	15.7%	331	19.5%		±2.10%
Women receiving prenatal care (1 st trimester)	196	59.4%	939	56.2%		±3.59%

2015 Population Estimate	
County Total	14,373
Under 5 years	1,644
5 to 9 years	1,569
10 to 14 years	1,430
15 to 19 years	1,324
Under age 20	5,967

Education Indicators	Drop-out Rate		Enrollment		Children with a disability		Free & Reduced Price School Lunches	
	14/15	15/16	Fall 15	Fall 16	Dec. 14	Dec. 15	15/16 School Year	15/16 School Year
School District:	14/15	15/16	Fall 15	Fall 16	Dec. 14	Dec. 15	Eligible Free & Reduced-Price	Eligible Free & Reduced-Price
Oglala Lakota	8.4%	4.1%	1,532	1,498	318	336	**	**

See page 22 for non-public school data

BENNETT COUNTY



Safety Indicators	FY 14	FY 15	FY 16
Adjudicatory actions	56	32	15
Non-adjudicatory actions	13	<4	11
Commitments to Dept. of Corrections	4	<4	<4
Juvenile Admissions to Drug or Alcohol Treatment Programs	8	4	5

Economic Indicators			
TANF Basic Participation (FY avg.)	2014	2015	2016
Families	110	105	103
Recipients	235	205	203
Children	212	186	184
Average \$ per month per family	\$417	\$415	\$417
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) (FY avg.)			
Households	513	497	488
Recipients	1,405	1,389	1,372
Average \$ per month per recipient	\$130	\$131	\$132
Age distribution (FY 2016)			
0-4 (SNAP) 0-5 (Medicaid)	262	354	
5-13 (SNAP) 6-13 (Medicaid)	383	434	
14-17 (SNAP) 14-18 (Medicaid)	109	189	

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Health Indicators	2015		2011-15 (combined)		2011-15	
	Number	% or Rate	Number	% or Rate	Confidence Interval	Confidence Interval
Low birth weight babies (less than 5.5 lbs.)	7	9.9%	19	5.3%		+2.40%
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	*	*	8	22.4		+15.53
Child death rate (per 100,000-ages 1-14)	*	*	*	*		*
Teen violent death rate (per 100,000-ages 15-19)	-	-	*	*		*
Births to single teens (single females under age 20)	13	18.3%	65	18.2%		+4.43%
Women receiving prenatal care (1 st trimester)	39	54.9%	157	44.7%		+7.00%

2015 Population Estimate	
County Total	3,432
Under 5 years	330
5 to 9 years	342
10 to 14 years	323
15 to 19 years	263
Under age 20	1,258

Education Indicators	Drop-out Rate		Enrollment		Children with a disability	
	14/15	15/16	Fall 15	Fall 16	Dec. 14	Dec. 15
School District:	3.4%	3.3%	489	497	66	59
Bennett County	0.0%	2.1%	286	298	NA	NA
Non-Public Schools: American Horse					78%	**

Free & Reduced Price School Lunches 15/16 School Year

JACKSON COUNTY



Safety Indicators	FY 14	FY 15	FY 16
Adjudicatory actions	8	6	<4
Non-adjudicatory actions	5	<4	5
Commitments to Dept. of Corrections	0	0	0
Juvenile Admissions to Drug or Alcohol Treatment Programs	<4	5	5

Economic Indicators	2014	2015	2016
TANF Basic Participation (FY avg.)			
Families	76	81	77
Recipients	168	163	149
Children	147	141	137
Average \$ per month per family	\$422	\$424	\$414
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) (FY avg.)	2014	2015	2016
Households	413	408	408
Recipients	1,055	1,045	1,028
Average \$ per month per recipient	\$138	\$135	\$136
Age distribution (FY 2016)	SNAP	Medicaid	
0-4 (SNAP) 0-5 (Medicaid)	175	247	
5-13 (SNAP) 6-13 (Medicaid)	244	286	
14-17 (SNAP) 14-18 (Medicaid)	77	149	

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Health Indicators	2015		2011-15 (combined)		2011-15	
	Number	% or Rate	Number	% or Rate	Number	Confidence Interval
Low birth weight babies (less than 5.5 lbs.)	6	9.0%	26	7.4%		±2.83%
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	*	*	6	17.0		±13.60
Child death rate (per 100,000-ages 1-14)	*	*	4	96.0		±94.12
Teen violent death rate (per 100,000-ages 15-19)	*	*	6	432.3		±345.89
Births to single teens (single females under age 20)	8	11.9%	58	16.4%		±4.23%
Women receiving prenatal care (1 st trimester)	32	48.5%	172	49.9%		±7.45%

2015 Population Estimate	
County Total	3,321
Under 5 years	371
5 to 9 years	278
10 to 14 years	280
15 to 19 years	292
Under age 20	1,221

Education Indicators	Drop-out Rate		Enrollment		Children with a disability	
	14/15	15/16	Fall 15	Fall 16	Dec. 14	Dec. 15
School District:						
Kadoka Area	0.0%	0.8%	372	365	51	50
Non-Public Schools: Crazy Horse Day School	5.3%	10.0%	283	279	NA	NA
Free & Reduced Price School Lunches 15/16					Eligible Free & Reduced-Price	
School Year					53%	
					**	