

Appendix A - Participant Characteristics

| | New Families | | Continuing Families | | All Families | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------|-----|
| | Frequency | % | Frequency | % | Frequency | % |
| Sex of participant | (n=689) | | (n=949) | | (n=1638) | |
| Male | 62 | 9% ^a | 43 | 5% ^a | 105 | 6% |
| Female | 613 | 89% ^a | 900 | 95% ^a | 1513 | 92% |
| Missing | 14 | 2% | 6 | 1% | 20 | 1% |
| Race | | | | | | |
| African-American | 226 | 33% ^a | 257 | 27% ^a | 483 | 30% |
| American Indian or Native Alaskan | 4 | 1% ^a | 0 | 0% ^a | 4 | 0% |
| Asian or Pacific Islander | 2 | 0% | 2 | 0% | 4 | 0% |
| Hispanic | 95 | 14% ^a | 95 | 10% ^a | 190 | 12% |
| White | 344 | 50% ^a | 574 | 61% ^a | 918 | 56% |
| Other | 4 | 1% | 5 | 1% | 9 | 1% |
| Biracial | 7 | 1% | 9 | 1% | 16 | 1% |
| Missing | 7 | 1% | 7 | 1% | 14 | 1% |
| Language spoken in home | | | | | | |
| English | 607 | 88% ^a | 882 | 93% ^a | 1489 | 91% |
| Spanish | 62 | 9% ^a | 52 | 6% ^a | 114 | 7% |
| Other | 10 | 2% | 8 | 1% | 18 | 1% |
| Missing | 10 | 2% | 7 | 1% | 17 | 1% |
| Age at intake | | | | | | |
| Less than 20 years old | 85 | 12% | 101 | 11% | 186 | 11% |
| 20-25 years old | 173 | 25% | 207 | 22% | 380 | 23% |
| 26-30 years old | 128 | 19% | 242 | 26% | 370 | 23% |
| 31-40 years old | 182 | 26% | 258 | 27% | 440 | 27% |
| Greater than 40 years old | 73 | 11% | 71 | 8% | 144 | 9% |
| Missing | 48 | 7% | 70 | 7% | 118 | 7% |
| Average age | 30 years old | | 29 years old | | 30 years old | |
| Marital status at intake | | | | | | |
| Married | 208 | 30% ^a | 403 | 43% ^a | 611 | 37% |
| Single, never married | 298 | 43% ^a | 338 | 36% ^a | 636 | 39% |
| Separated, divorced, or widowed | 107 | 16% ^a | 104 | 11% ^a | 211 | 13% |
| Living with unmarried partner | 62 | 9% | 83 | 9% | 145 | 9% |

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|---|-----|------------------|-----|------------------|------|-----|
| Remarried and blended family | 2 | 0% | 8 | 1% | 10 | 1% |
| Other | 3 | 0% | 3 | 0% | 6 | 0% |
| Missing | 9 | 1% | 10 | 1% | 19 | 1% |
| Marital status at outcome | | | | | | |
| Married | 211 | 31% ^a | 428 | 45% ^a | 639 | 39% |
| Single, never married | 279 | 41% ^a | 275 | 29% ^a | 554 | 34% |
| Separated, divorced, or widowed | 113 | 16% ^a | 106 | 11% ^a | 219 | 13% |
| Living with unmarried partner | 68 | 10% | 66 | 7% | 134 | 8% |
| Remarried and blended family | 1 | 0% | 5 | 1% | 6 | 0% |
| Other | 4 | 1% | 5 | 1% | 9 | 1% |
| Missing | 13 | 2% | 64 | 7% | 77 | 5% |
| Other adults in household at intake | | | | | | |
| Yes | 364 | 53% ^a | 637 | 67% ^a | 1001 | 61% |
| No | 306 | 44% | 292 | 31% | 598 | 37% |
| Missing | 19 | 3% | 20 | 2% | 39 | 2% |
| Other adults in household at outcome | | | | | | |
| Yes | 360 | 52% ^a | 563 | 59% ^a | 923 | 56% |
| No | 313 | 45% | 369 | 39% | 682 | 42% |
| Missing | 16 | 2% | 17 | 2% | 33 | 2% |
| Other families in household at intake | | | | | | |
| Yes | 88 | 13% | 141 | 15% | 229 | 14% |
| No | 594 | 86% | 795 | 84% | 1389 | 85% |
| Missing | 7 | 1% | 13 | 1% | 20 | 1% |
| Other families in household at outcome | | | | | | |
| Yes | 84 | 12% | 111 | 12% | 195 | 12% |
| No | 593 | 86% | 824 | 87% | 1417 | 87% |
| Missing | 12 | 2% | 14 | 2% | 26 | 2% |

^a Continuing families' values are significantly different (p<.05) than new families' values (based on Pearson chi-square statistic).