



*U.S. Department of Health and Human Services'
Child and Family Services Review
State-by-state comparison of substantial
conformity ratings FY 2000-2001*

	NM	NY	GA	NC	DE	KS	MN	OR	VT
SYSTEMIC FACTORS									
Statewide information system	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Case review system	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
Quality assurance system	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Training	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Service array	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Agency responsiveness to community	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Foster & adoptive parent training, licensing and recruitment	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
SAFETY, PERMANENCY AND WELL-BEING OUTCOMES									
Children are first and foremost protected from abuse and neglect	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Children are safely maintained in their homes whenever possible and appropriate	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Children have permanency and stability in their living situation	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Continuity of family relationships and connections is preserved for children	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Families have enhanced capacity to provide for their children's needs	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Children receive appropriate services to meet their educational needs	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y
Children receive adequate services to meet their physical and mental health needs	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N

Y = in substantial conformity

N = not in substantial conformity