

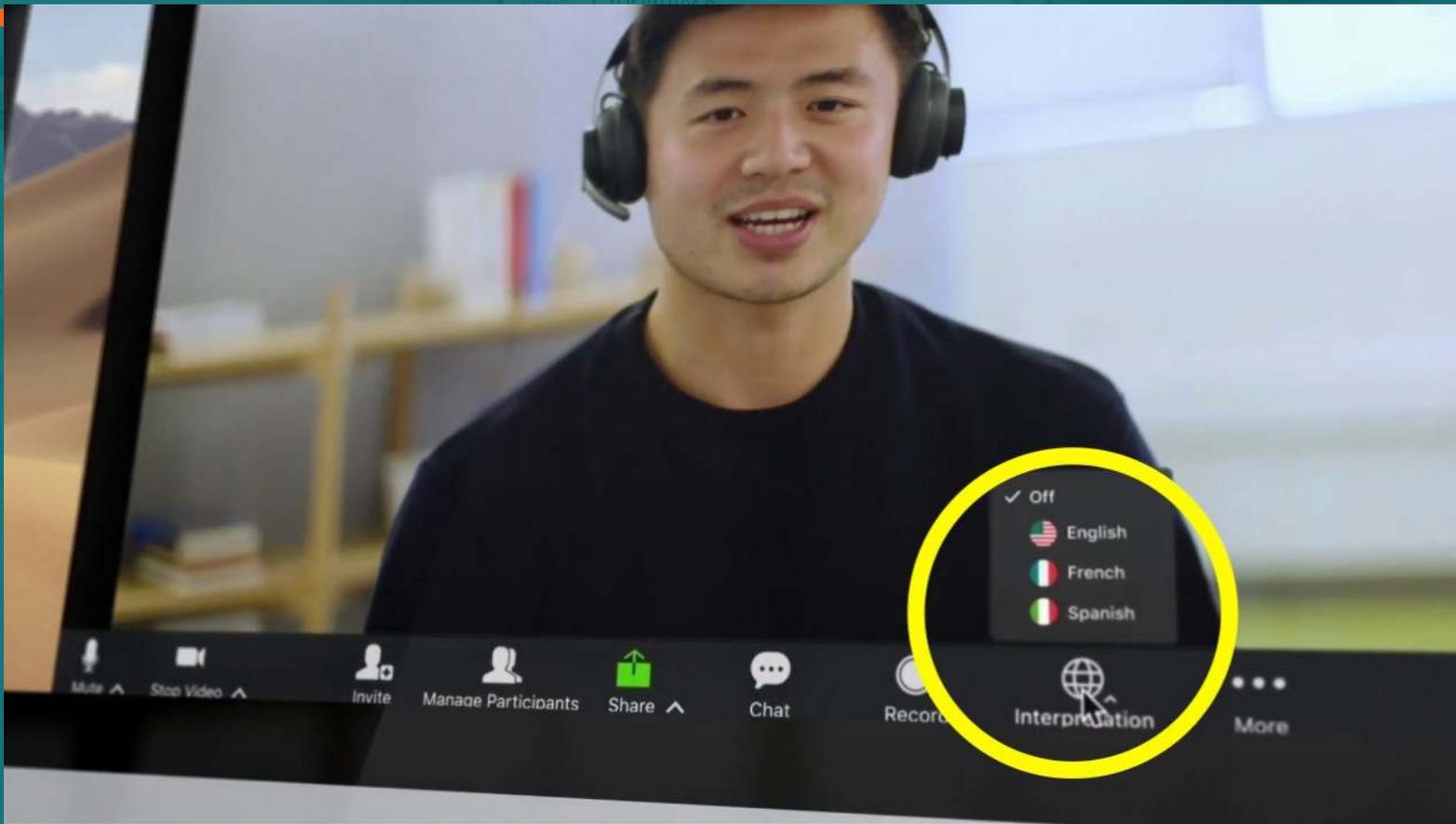


NC
Child
The Voice for North Carolina's Children

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Analyzing & Displaying Data

Select Your Language



About NC Child

NC Child builds a strong North Carolina by advancing public policies to ensure all children – **regardless of race, ethnicity, or place of birth** – have the opportunity to achieve their full potential.

Our Focus Areas:



High Quality Early
Childhood Education



Healthy Children



Nurturing Homes
and Communities



Family Economic
Security

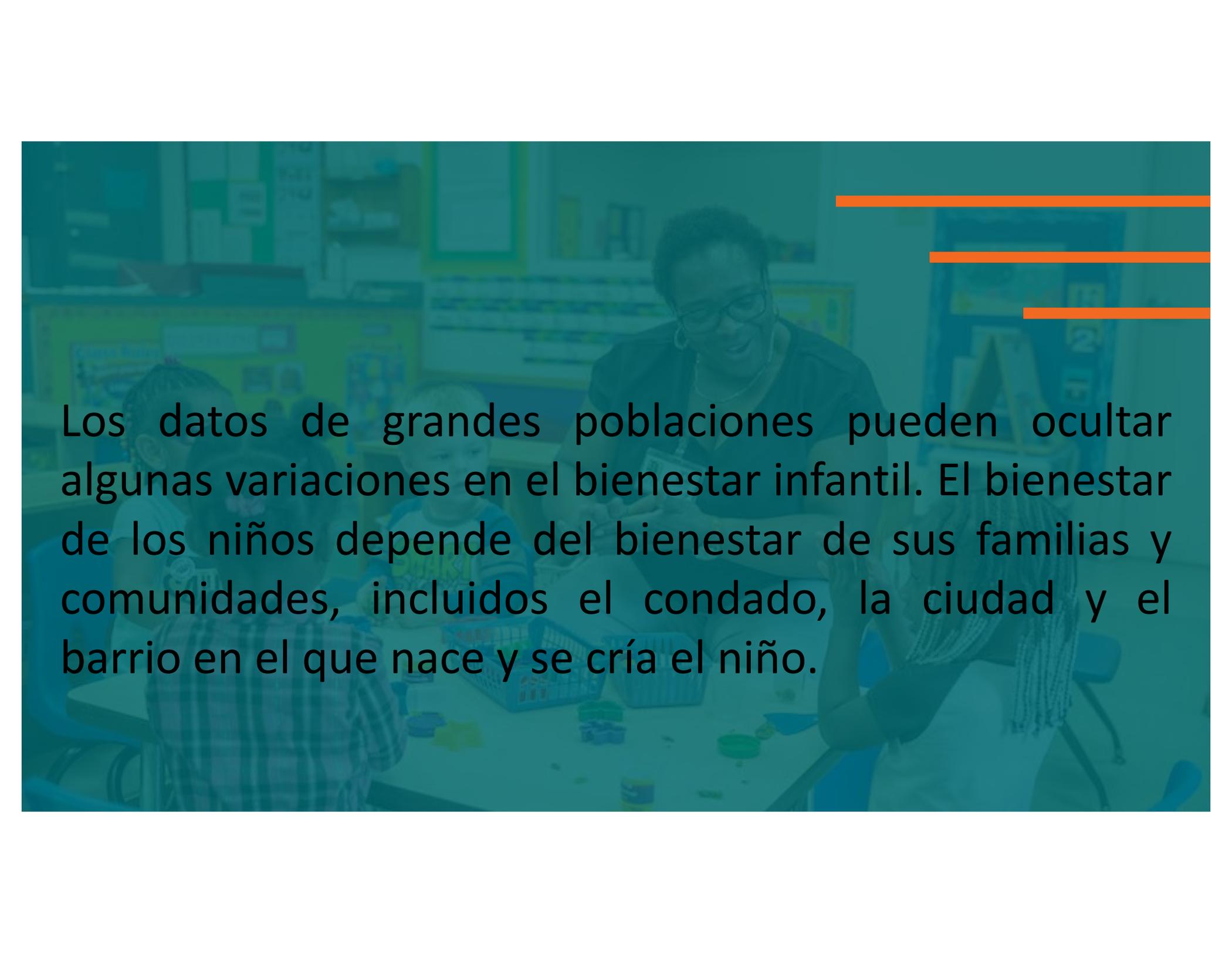


In the Chat

- How does your agency use data?

A photograph of a teacher sitting on the floor in a classroom, interacting with four young children. The teacher is wearing glasses and a dark top, and is smiling while looking at something in her hands. The children are also smiling and looking at the teacher. There are blue baskets and colorful objects on the table in front of them. The background shows classroom shelves and posters. The image has a teal overlay. In the top right corner, there are three horizontal orange lines of varying lengths.

Where to Find Data

A photograph of a teacher with glasses and a dark top, smiling and leaning over a table. Three young children are seated around the table, engaged in an activity. The table is covered with various colorful objects, including a blue basket and some small toys. The background shows a classroom setting with educational posters and a bulletin board. The entire image is overlaid with a semi-transparent teal filter. In the top right corner, there are three horizontal orange lines of varying lengths, stacked vertically.

Los datos de grandes poblaciones pueden ocultar algunas variaciones en el bienestar infantil. El bienestar de los niños depende del bienestar de sus familias y comunidades, incluidos el condado, la ciudad y el barrio en el que nace y se cría el niño.

NC Child's County Data Cards

2021 NC DATA CARD

DURHAM COUNTY

NORTH CAROLINA		DURHAM	
Child population:	2,311,620	Child population:	74,042
Percent under age six:	31.5%	Percent under age six:	34.9%
Number of live births:	118,725	Number of live births:	4,158

 <p>A STRONG START</p>	<p>Women who receive early prenatal care:</p> <p>70.1% 2019</p> <p>71.3% 2018</p>	<p>Babies born at a low birthweight:</p> <p>8.8% 2019</p> <p>8.7% 2018</p>	<p>Babies born pre-term:</p> <p>9.4% 2019</p> <p>8.7% 2018</p>
	 <p>FAMILY ECONOMIC SECURITY</p>	<p>Children living in poor or low-income homes:</p> <p>45.9% 2019</p> <p>46.1% 2018</p>	<p>Children in households that are food insecure:</p> <p>17.3% 2018</p> <p>19.1% 2017</p>
 <p>NURTURING HOMES & COMMUNITIES</p>	<p>Delinquency rate per 1,000 youth ages 6-15:</p> <p>11.6 2019</p> <p>9.9 2018</p>	<p>Children assessed for abuse or neglect per 1,000:</p> <p>42.8 2019</p> <p>38.7 2018</p>	<p>Teen births per 1,000 girls ages 15-17:</p> <p>12.7 2019</p> <p>10.3 2018</p>

A photograph of a teacher sitting at a table with several young children in a classroom. The teacher is smiling and looking at something in her hands. The children are also looking at the teacher. There are some toys and materials on the table. The image has a teal overlay and three orange horizontal lines in the top right corner.

TIP 1:
Disaggregated data is the foundation for equity.

Child Poverty

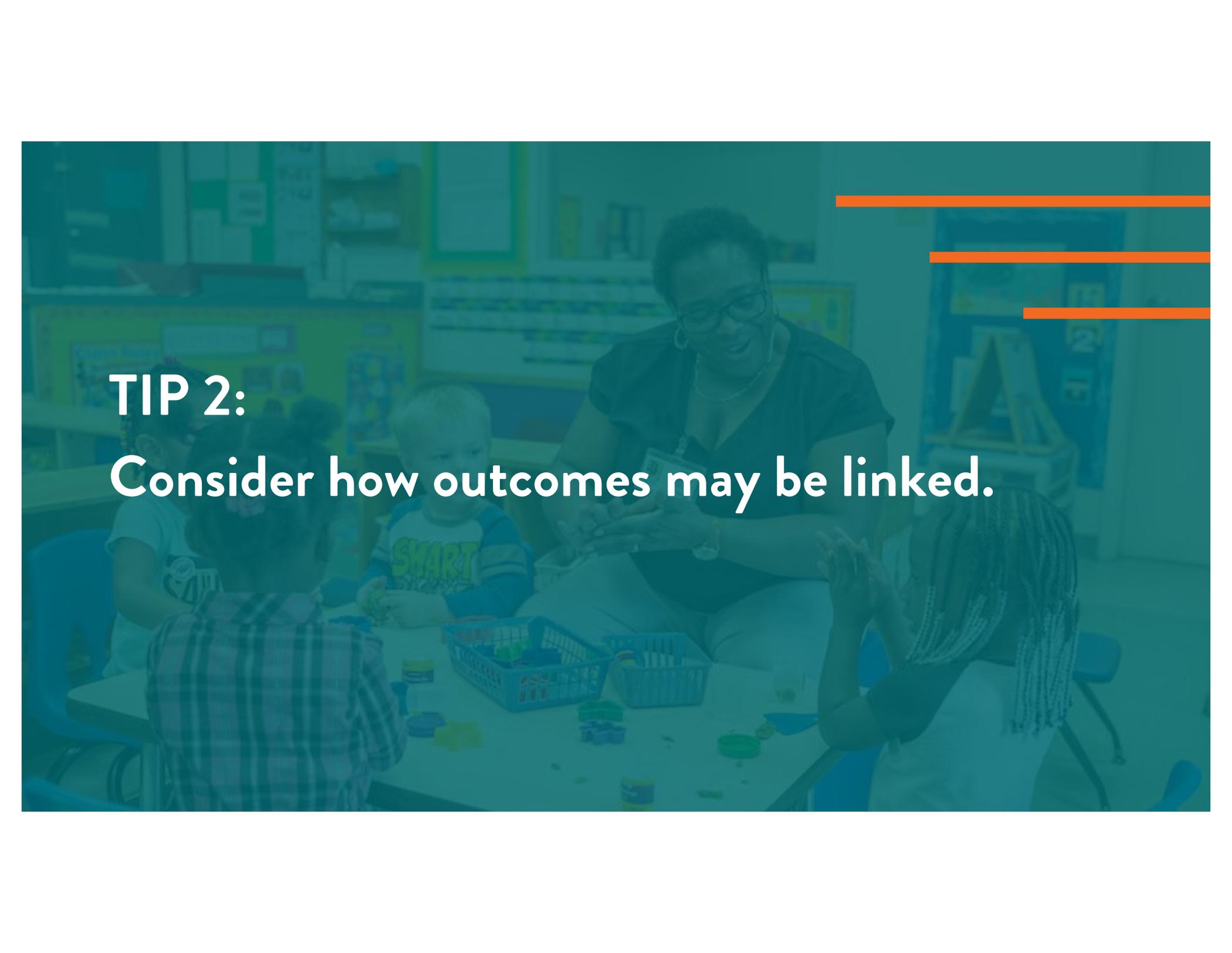


29% of White children

34% of Asian & Pacific
Islander children

60% of Black children

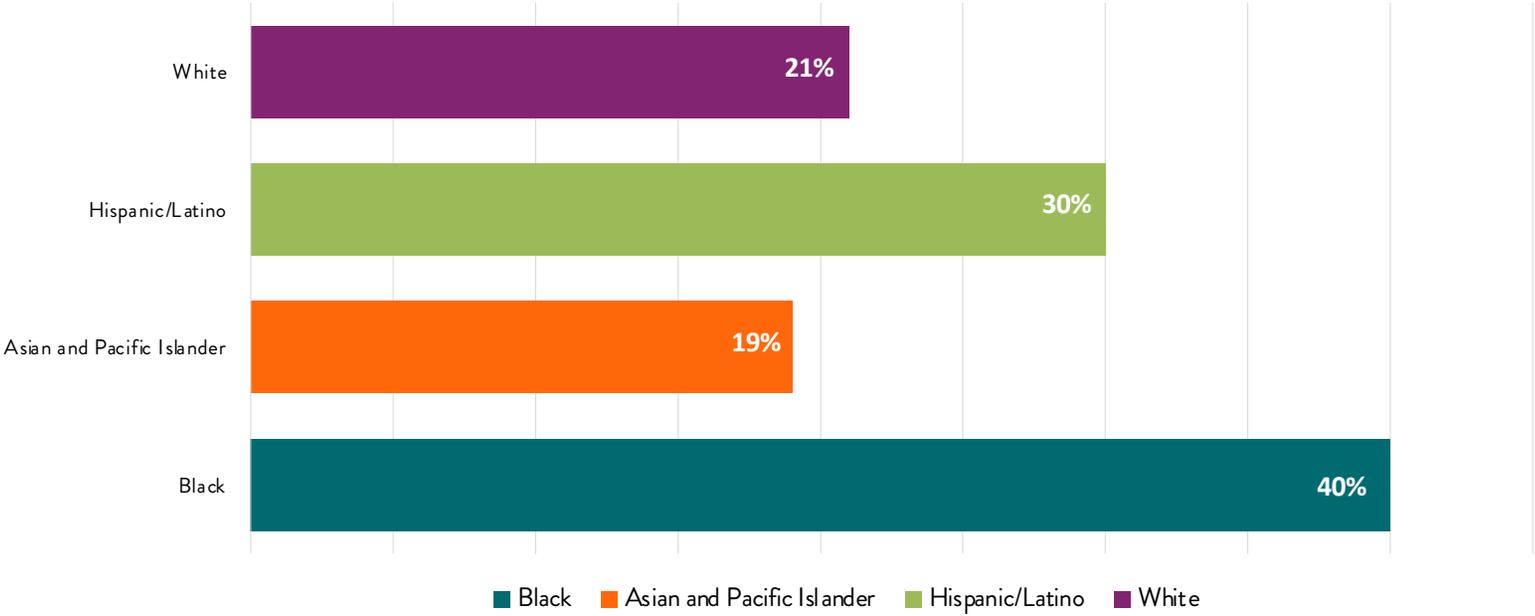
69% of Hispanic or Latino
children



TIP 2:

Consider how outcomes may be linked.

Black and Hispanic parents are more likely than API and White parents to lack full-time, year-round employment.



Population Reference Bureau, analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 - 2017 American Community Survey.

API and White households have more than twice the income of Black and Hispanic/Latino households.

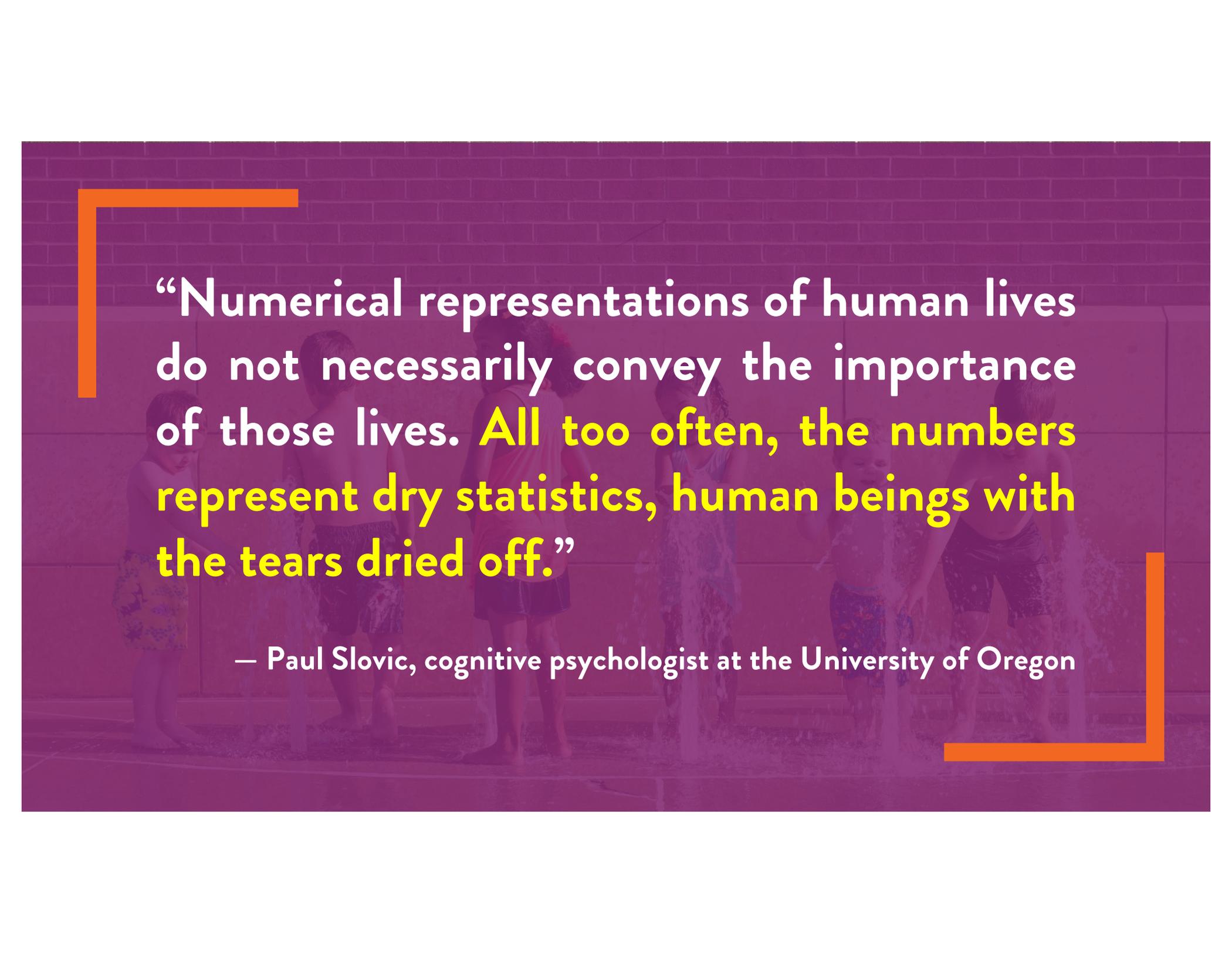


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TIP 3:
Don't let data stand alone.



A group of children are playing in a water fountain. The scene is captured in a purple-tinted, semi-transparent style. The children are of various ages, some splashing water. The background is a brick wall. The text is overlaid on this image.

“Numerical representations of human lives do not necessarily convey the importance of those lives. **All too often, the numbers represent dry statistics, human beings with the tears dried off.**”

— Paul Slovic, cognitive psychologist at the University of Oregon

The Statewide Implications of Undercounting Latino Children

Promoting a Full and Accurate Census to Safeguard North Carolina's Future



FACT SHEET

Health Care Can't Wait: Early Childhood Educators

Coverage Gap Stories: Annie

Name: Annie
Location: Wilmington, NC
Career in early childhood: 20+ years

"Many of my friends in New Hanover county are hard workers but can't afford health insurance, so they go without it." Annie has not had health insurance since 2011 when she graduated college. She works full-time in early education, and is also enrolled at UNC-W to obtain her teacher's license and become a public school teacher. She's able to get family planning at a local non-profit, and dental care thanks to a new plan with her employer. Recently Annie developed impetigo, a staph infection, and was very concerned about passing it on to the children. She babysits and pet-sits for a doctor, who generously wrote her a



NORTH CAROLINA

Uninsured rates are high among those working in construction, retail, and food service. These fields rarely offer health insurance to employees. In North Carolina, for instance, **26.4%** of residents work in these industries. Without employer-provided health insurance, it can be nearly impossible for people to get health care when they need it.







GBPI
@GaBudget

Medicaid expansion is a key step to making sure that Southerners—and especially people of color—can access lifesaving health care during this pandemic.
[#South4MedEx](#) [#gapol](#)

1,143,000

uninsured Georgians
would access healthcare
from Medicaid Expansion

57%

of them are people of color



HEALTH JUSTICE = RACIAL JUSTICE



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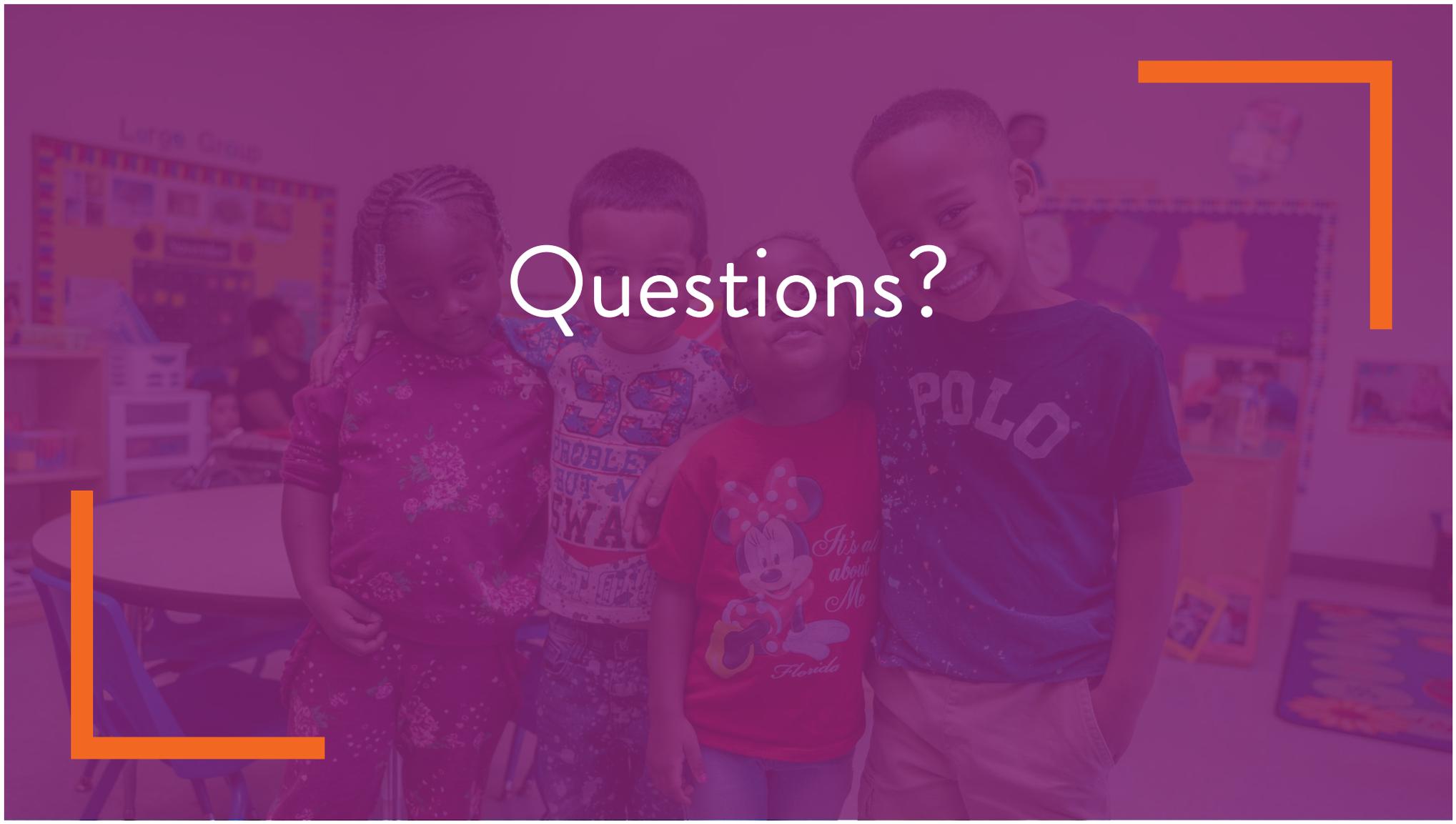
Distance learning is a critical tool to help prevent the spread of [#COVID19](#). But [#broadband](#) internet isn't available to every family. Find out more about how this impacts [#KidsHealth](#) in the 2021 Child Health Report Card from [@ncchild](#) and [@nciom](#): ncchild.org/2021-report-ca...



Recommendations Recap

- Disaggregated data is the foundation for equity.
- Consider how outcomes may be linked.
- Don't let data stand alone.

Questions?





In the Chat

- A takeaway from today's conversation?

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DISMANTLING RACISM WITH DATA

Best Practices for Communicating About Data

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