

REPORTING RACE/ETHNICITY DATA FOR ACTIVITIES PROVIDING ACCESS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

If you are assisting an eligible activity under the LMC national objective at 570.208(a)(2)(ii) and cannot obtain information on the beneficiaries with disabilities, follow these guidelines for reporting race and ethnicity data on the LMA accomplishment screen.

HUD has a website with Census data on the number of persons with disabilities, by race and ethnicity, at the Census tract level. The web address is:

<http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/systems/census/statemap.cfm>

On this website, select a state. On the next page, scroll down to “Disability by Race & Ethnicity” and click on “Download Excel Spreadsheet.”

Select the data you want by using the Place Name filter arrow in Column K. Once you have selected a place, use data from the following columns:

Column L:	Census tract
Column O:	Number of persons with disabilities in the Census tract
Columns P–U:	Number of persons with disabilities by race
Column V:	Number of persons with disabilities of Hispanic ethnicity

If more than one Census tract is served by the activity, total the columns for the appropriate Census tracts and use those totals to complete the accomplishment screen.

Note that the data in Column V on persons of Hispanic ethnicity is not broken down by race, which is how the information must be reported on the accomplishment screen. Grantees may use their own judgment in determining how to break down ethnicity by race.