

## Jurisdictions and Languages that Just Missed Coverage in 2021 Section 203 Determinations (i.e., 7,500-9,999 LEP or 3.9-4.99 percent LEP)

Analysis of U.S. Census Bureau's December 8th 2021 Section 203 Determinations Public Use Data shows that:



- 105 language groups across 30 states just missed coverage (i.e., jurisdictions that had populations of 7,500-9,999 or 3.9-4.99 percent LEP of a single language group), including four states (lowa, Maine, Montana, and North Carolina) that do not currently have any Section 203 coverage.<sup>1</sup>
- Three states just missed statewide coverage for Spanish language assistance:
  - New Jersey
  - New Mexico
  - New York
- Further breakdown of this analysis shows that **11** Alaska Native American Indian-, **14** Asian-, and **80** Spanishlanguage jurisdictions just missed coverage.

These jurisdictions and languages are close to meeting the Section 203 threshold and may very well meet the threshold during the next determinations scheduled for 2026. These jurisdictions can, and should, proactively begin to provide some level of language assistance to these language groups before the next determinations. See the language access guides published by Asian Americans Advancing Justice – AAJC, National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials, and The Fair Election Center available at http://www.naleo.org/languageaccess for more information about what proactive, voluntary assistance can be provided.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Analysis of the Census Bureau's 2021 Section 203 Public Use Dataset (*available at <u>https://www.census.gov/data/datasets/2021/dec/rdo/section-203-</u> <u>determinations.html</u>). Note, the language groups represented by racial groups in the data file are noted as "alone or in combination."* 

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		No. of LEP	Percent of
Jurisdiction	Language Group	CVAP	LEP CVAP
Alaska			
Aleutians East Borough	Filipino		4.1%
Bethel ANVSA <sup>2</sup>	Yup'ik		4.5%
Chevak ANVSA	Inupiat		4.8%
Dillingham ANVSA <sup>3</sup>	Yup'ik		4.5%
Kivalina ANVSA	Inupiat		3.9%
NANA Alaska Native Regional Corporation	Inupiat		4.8%
Tununak ANVSA	American Indian tribes, not specified		4.6%
Arizona			
Cochise County	Hispanic		4.1%
Greenlee County	Hispanic		3.9%
Pascua Pueblo Yaqui Reservation and Off-Reservation Trust Land	Yaqui		4.2%
Pinal County	Hispanic	9,865	
California			
Los Angeles County	Japanese	9,667	
Los Angeles County	Asian Indian	9,357	
Los Angeles County	Thai	8,434	
Orange County	Filipino	9,228	
Riverside County	Filipino	7,916	
San Bernardino County	Chinese	9,103	
Santa Cruz County	Hispanic	7,947	4.1%
Solano County	Hispanic	9,943	
Sutter County	Hispanic	-	4.2%
, Tule River Reservation and Off-Reservation Trust Land	All other American Indian tribes		4.3%
Colorado			
Morgan County	Hispanic		4.6%
Connecticut	·		
Danbury town	Hispanic		4.5%
Stamford town	Hispanic		4.9%

<sup>2</sup> Please note Bethel Census Area is covered under the 2021 Section 203 determinations for Yu'pik.
<sup>3</sup> Please note Dillingham Census Area was covered under the 2021 Section 203 determinations for Yu'pik.

Jurisdiction	Language Group	No. of LEP CVAP	Percent of LEP CVAP
Florida			
Duval County	Hispanic	9,495	
Glades County	Hispanic		4.9%
Monroe County	Hispanic		4.3%
Okeechobee County	Hispanic		4.4%
Pasco County	Hispanic	7,791	
St. Lucie County	Hispanic	7,592	
Volusia County	Hispanic	7,874	
Georgia			
Whitfield County	Hispanic		4.0%
Iowa			
Buena Vista County	Hispanic		3.9%
Crawford County	Hispanic		4.2%
Marshall County	Hispanic		3.9%
Idaho			
Minidoka County	Hispanic		4.9%
Illinois			
Cook County	Korean	9,133	
Cook County	Filipino	8,534	
Kansas			
Hamilton County	Hispanic		4.6%
Kearny County	Hispanic		4.4%
Stanton County	Hispanic		4.3%
Maine			
Pleasant Point Reservation	All other American Indian tribes		4.7%
Maryland			
Montgomery County	Chinese	9,057	
Massachusetts			
Boston city	Chinese	7,574	
New Bedford city	Hispanic		4.5%

Jurisdiction	Language Group	No. of LEP CVAP	Percent of LEP CVAP
Michigan			
Hamtramck city	Asian Indian		4.8%
Hartford city	Hispanic		3.9%
Melvindale city	Hispanic		4.6%
Olive township	Hispanic		3.9%
Montana			
Crow Reservation and Off-Reservation Trust Land	Crow		4.4%
Nebraska			
Hall County	Hispanic		4.3%
Saline County	Hispanic		4.9%
Nevada			
Clark County	Chinese	9,566	
Ely Reservation	Shoshone		4.2%
Washoe County	Hispanic	8,764	
New Jersey			
Mercer County	Hispanic	8,412	
Morris County	Hispanic	8,561	
New Jersey (statewide)	Hispanic		4.1%
New Mexico			
Lincoln County	Hispanic		3.9%
New Mexico (statewide)	Hispanic		4.2%
Otero County	Hispanic		4.6%
Quay County	Hispanic		4.6%
Santa Fe County	Hispanic		3.9%
Union County	Hispanic		4.9%
Valencia County	Hispanic		4.1%
New York			
New York (statewide)	Hispanic		3.9%
North Carolina			
Mecklenburg County	Hispanic	9,248	

Jurisdiction	Language Group	No. of LEP CVAP	Percent of LEP CVAP
Oklahoma			
Oklahoma County	Hispanic	7,556	
Oregon			
Hood River County	Hispanic		4.0%
Morrow County	Hispanic		4.6%
Pennsylvania			
Lancaster County	Hispanic	8,393	
Rhode Island			
Woonsocket city	Hispanic		4.8%
Texas			
Aransas County	Hispanic		4.0%
Austin County	Hispanic		4.0%
Calhoun County	Hispanic		4.5%
Collin County	Hispanic	8,325	
Comanche County	Hispanic		4.4%
DeWitt County	Hispanic		4.0%
Fisher County	Hispanic		4.3%
Glasscock County	Hispanic		4.2%
Haskell County	Hispanic		4.6%
Hemphill County	Hispanic		4.0%
Howard County	Hispanic		4.3%
Jack County	Hispanic		4.0%
Johnson County	Hispanic		4.6%
Matagorda County	Hispanic		4.6%
McLennan County	Hispanic	7,745	4.4%
Midland County	Hispanic		4.7%
Mitchell County	Hispanic		4.3%
Montgomery County	Hispanic	8,569	
Potter County	Hispanic		3.9%
Refugio County	Hispanic		4.0%
Swisher County	Hispanic		4.9%

Jurisdiction	Language Group	No. of LEP Percent CVAP LEP CVA	
Tom Green County	Hispanic	4.1%	
Upton County	Hispanic	4.4%	
Wharton County	Hispanic	4.5%	
Williamson County	Hispanic	8,240	
Wilson County	Hispanic	4.5%	
Young County	Hispanic	4.4%	
Virginia			
Fairfax County	Korean	9,934	
Washington			
Chelan County	Hispanic	4.9%	
Douglas County	Hispanic	4.1%	
Wisconsin			
Cambria village	Hispanic	4.3%	
Delavan city	Hispanic	4.2%	
Norwalk village	Hispanic	4.2%	