

Colorado's definition of significant disproportionality SY2018-19 & SY2019-20

	SY2018-19 Risk Ratio Threshold	SY2019-20 Risk Ratio Threshold		Category		Reasonable Progress	
In an AU, when children of a particular race are	4.65	2.25	times as likely to be identified as students with	disabilities	compared to their other-race peers for <u>3 consecutive years</u> while meeting the <u>minimum cell size and n-size of 10</u> , that AU will be identified as having a significant disproportionality <u>UNLESS</u> the AU reduces its risk ratio for 2 consecutive years by	0.17	over a 2-year period.
	2.45	2.45		speech language impairment		0.20	
	2.92	2.92		intellectual disability		0.26	
	3.4	2.95		specific learning disability		0.26	
	3.04	3.04		other health impairment		0.28	
	3.29	3.29		autism		0.31	
	4.85	3.71		serious emotional disability		0.37	
	2.12	2.12	times as likely to be placed in	Gen Ed classroom <40%		0.16	
	3.35	3.35		Separate Setting		0.32	
	2.31	2.31	times as likely to receive	Out-of-school suspension/expulsion for ≤ 10 days		0.18	
	3.86	3.86		Out-of-school suspension/expulsion for >10 days		0.38	
	2.58	2.58		In-School Suspension ≤ 10 days		0.22	
	3	3		In-School Suspension > 10 days		0.26	
	4.05	2.99		Removed in any way		0.27	

Example: In SY2018-19, when children of a particular race in an AU are 3.4 times as likely to be identified as students with specific learning disability compared to their other-race peers for 3 previous consecutive years (SY2015-16, SY2016-17, & SY2017-18) while meeting the minimum cell-size and n-size of 10, that AU will be identified as having a significant disproportionality unless the AU reduces its risk ratio for 2 consecutive years (SY2015-16 to SY2016-17 & SY2016-17 to SY2017-18) by 0.26 over a 2-year period.



Colorado's definition of significant disproportionality SY2020-21 and on

	Risk Ratio Threshold		Category		Reasonable Progress	
In an AU, when children of a particular race are	2.08	times as likely to be identified as students with	disabilities	compared to their other-race peers for <u>3 consecutive years</u> while meeting the <u>minimum cell size and n-size of 10</u> , that AU will be identified as having a significant disproportionality <u>UNLESS</u> the AU reduces its risk ratio for 2 consecutive years by	0.35	over a 2-year period.
	2.25		speech language impairment		0.41	
	2.66		intellectual disability		0.53	
	2.68		specific learning disability		0.55	
	2.77		other health impairment		0.56	
	2.98		autism spectrum disorder		0.63	
	3	serious emotional disability	0.74			
	1.97	times as likely to be placed in	GenEd <40%		0.32	
	3		Separate Setting		0.64	
	2.12	times as likely to receive	Out-of-school suspension/expulsion for ≤ 10 days		0.36	
	3		Out-of-school suspension/expulsion for >10 days		0.76	
	2.36		In-School Suspension ≤ 10 days		0.44	
	3		In-School Suspension > 10 days		0.52	
	2.71		Removed in any way		0.54	