



Department of Children and Youth Affairs

Inventory of Data Sources on Children's Lives

A15 Child Benefit: Report of events that may affect your claim (CB56)

Data owner	Department of Social Protection (www.welfare.ie)
Brief description	Data collected include changes of address, leaving the country, death of parent/child or other circumstances that affect Child Benefit payments.
Primary function of data	To report changes in circumstances affecting claims under the Child Benefit Scheme.
Key classificatory variables	ID Other; PPSN; DOB; County
Themes/domains	Financial/Economic
Unit of observation	Scheme recipient
Start date of data collection	2002 in its current format, but longer series available.
Frequency of data collection	As required
Data format	Held on the Service Delivery Modernisation (SDM) programme/ Business Objects Model (BOM) Scheme payment database of the Department of Social Protection.
Method of data collection	Administrative collection
Access/further information	Department of Social Protection: www.welfare.ie Publications available at: www.welfare.ie/en/Pages/publications_home.aspx