
Top 20 Ferritin Values for Children in NHANES 1999–2002

N = 647 ♦ Ages 12–33 months ♦ P97.5 = 70 ng/mL

Rank	Ferritin (ng/mL)	Age (months)	Race / Ethnicity
1	283	12	Non-Hispanic White
2	153	14	Mexican American
3	145	17	Non-Hispanic Black
4	141	18	Other Hispanic
5	133	25	Mexican American
6	125	27	Non-Hispanic Black
7	121	20	Non-Hispanic Black
8	110	25	Non-Hispanic Black
9	102	12	Mexican American
10	99	14	Mexican American
11	96	16	Non-Hispanic Black
12	84	28	Non-Hispanic Black
13	84	27	Non-Hispanic Black
14	82	16	Non-Hispanic White
15	80	24	Non-Hispanic White
16	79	13	Non-Hispanic Black
17	73	31	Non-Hispanic Black
18	70	19	Non-Hispanic White
19	69	31	Non-Hispanic Black
20	67	14	Mexican American

NH Black: 10/20 (50%) of top 20 vs 168/647 (26%) of full cohort

Survey weight: WTMEC4YR