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NEWS ADVISORY

**GOVERNOR RITTER TO ADDRESS STATEWIDE CHILD WELL-BEING TRENDS
AT NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY AT STATE CAPITOL**

Colorado Governor Bill Ritter, Jr., Lieutenant Governor Barbara O'Brien and President of the Colorado Children's Campaign Megan Ferland will address trends in Colorado's child well-being on Monday, May 14 at 11:00 a.m. at a news conference on the west steps of the state capitol.

The news conference will be held to announce the release of this year's *Kidscount in Colorado* report, an annual county-by-county, data-based report on a variety of factors impacting child well-being. The news conference will also feature the Children's Campaign's handmade dolls, created by children across the state to remind lawmakers to prioritize children's interests at the capitol.

**What: News conference with Governor Bill Ritter
featuring the release of data on
children's well-being in Colorado**

**Where: Colorado State Capitol
West steps**

**When: Monday, May 14, 2007
11:00 a.m.**

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The Colorado Children's Campaign works to create hope and opportunity in Colorado – one million children at a time. The Campaign is a nonpartisan, nonprofit organization focusing on expanding access to quality health care, P-16 education and early childhood experiences. For more information, please visit www.coloradokids.org.