

JMML accounts for ~ 2-3% of all childhood leukemias. The mean age at diagnosis is 2. Males are affected more often than females by a ratio of approximately 2:1. Studies conducted in Denmark and British Columbia placed the incidence at 1.2 cases per million in children each year. In the UK, a study found a lower incidence rate of 0.6 per million. Childhood leukemia as a whole is estimated to affect approximately 4,000 children each year in the United States.