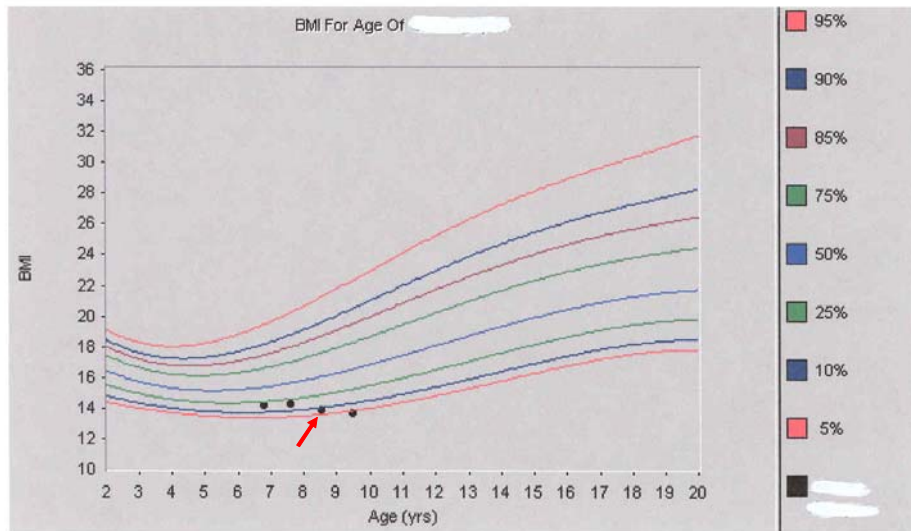


# Assessment



## Student Information

Date of Measurement	Age (mos)	Height (in)	Weight (lbs)	Weight (ozs)	BMI	BMI Percentile
01-15-2001	81.14	50	50.5		14.2	19.08
11-15-2001	91.13	52	55		14.3	18.15
10-22-2002	102.33	53.25	56		13.88	7.74
09-26-2003	113.47	55	59.25		13.77	4.34

## Decrease in BMI percentile

The graph depicts the BMI-for-age of a girl from 6 years 7 months old to 9 years 4 months old. Growth appeared normal until 2002 when the girl demonstrated a growth in height of 1.25 inches and a weight gain of only 1 pound. She dropped from the 18<sup>th</sup> percentile to the 8<sup>th</sup> percentile. The following year with a weight gain of 4.25 pounds and growth of 1.75 inches, she dropped to the 4<sup>th</sup> BMI percentile. *Nutritional counseling and an examination of lifestyle, family dynamics, or other factors at the initial drop in BMI percentile was warranted. This could have addressed factors contributing to a below-normal growth pattern, which signals possible malnutrition or disease.*