

	2000		2017	
Total County Population	164,875		207,811	
County Child Population	46,693	28.3%	54,284	26.1%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	10,592	22.7%	12,610	23.2%
Ages 5-9	10,853	23.2%	12,156	22.4%
Ages 10-14	10,690	22.9%	11,710	21.6%
Ages 15-19	14,558	31.2%	17,808	32.8%

	2000		2017	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	27,780	59.5%	29,527	54.4%
African-American	17,165	36.8%	19,364	35.7%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	81	0.2%	108	0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	344	0.7%	839	1.5%
More than One Race	508	1.1%	1,204	2.2%
Hispanic	743	1.6%	3,242	6.0%



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	2000	2017
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	2,131	2,545
Age 4	2,142	2,427

HEALTH

		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2006	24	10.2	7	5.4	16	18.2	0	0.0	1	7.6				
	Current	2016	33	12.7	11	8.3	21	21.1	0	0.0	1	4.7	2014-2016	48	2006-2016	-
Children without Health Insurance	Base															
	Current	2012-2016	990	2.3%												
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2006	1,678	72.6%	1,008	78.9%	577	67.0%	29	63.0%	64	50.8%				
	Current	2016	1,480	58.7%	848	64.9%	543	56.1%	34	63.0%	55	28.4%	2014-2016	63	2006-2016	W
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2006	368	15.7%	178	13.9%	171	19.5%	7	14.6%	12	9.0%				
	Current	2016	344	13.3%	141	10.6%	178	17.9%	3	5.5%	22	10.4%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2006	287	12.2%	111	8.6%	161	18.4%	3	6.1%	12	9.1%				
	Current	2016	305	11.8%	106	8.0%	177	17.8%	2	3.6%	20	9.4%	2014-2016	40	2006-2016	-
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2006	88	20.1												
	Current	2016	42	11.9	8	4.0	25	18.2	0	0.0	9	58.4	2014-2016	31	2006-2016	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2006	285	19.7	97	11.2	168	32.2	1	3.4	19	63.8				
	Current	2016	197	13.3	60	7.0	114	21.8	0	0.0	23	44.2	2014-2016	13	2006-2016	I
Births to Unmarried Teens	Base	2006	204	9.0%	65	5.0%	128	15.7%	0	0.0%	11	11.5%				
	Current	2016	184	7.1%	54	4.1%	113	11.4%	0	0.0%	17	8.0%	2014-2016	24	2006-2016	I
Mothers who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2016	1,676	64.9%	994	75.0%	521	52.6%	48	87.3%	113	53.6%				
Poor Mental Health Days	Base															
	Current	2016	4.7										2016	26		
Ratio of Mental Health Providers to Population	Base															
	Current	2017		859:1												
Adult Diabetes	Base															
	Current	2014		12.6%									2014	8		
Adult Obesity	Base															
	Current	2014		33.4%									2014	10		
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2006	535	295.0	382	318.5	149	279.8	2	50.7	2	47.3				
	Current	2016	520	252.3	361	282.2	156	240.0	3	50.7	0	0.0	2016	3		

NOTE: The colored cells for "TWO OR MORE RACES" represent the heading of "ALL OTHER" for this indicator.

	YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	POVERTY	ABOVE POVERTY	WHITE*	BLACK*	HISPANIC*	ASIAN*	AMERICAN INDIAN*	NATIVE HAWAIIAN*	TWO/MORE RACES*	RANKING YEAR	RANKING
Births to Females with Less Than 12 Years of Education	Base	2006	429	18.5%			12.4%	23.1%	57.5%			6.3%		
	Current	2016	387	15.1%			8.2%	15.5%	63.5%			5.5%	2016	24
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2007	262											
	Current	2017	355											
First Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		5.6%										
	Current	2016-2017		0.7%	0.9%	0.4%	0.4%	1.0%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	1.9%	2016-2017	27
English Language Learners	Base	2011-2012**		1.7%	2.4%	0.6%	0.2%	0.1%	42.3%	22.0%	0.0%	4.8%		
	Current	2016-2017***		3.4%	3.6%	3.2%	0.2%	0.1%	44.3%	28.9%	25.4%	35.0%	5.2%	
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		43.6%	30.1%	57.8%	58.6%	28.7%	27.1%	56.5%	66.7%	0.0%	47.2%	2016-2017
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		52.1%	40.6%	64.2%	68.4%	35.1%	39.7%	64.3%	50.0%	0.0%	61.1%	2016-2017
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		47.3%	32.3%	61.1%	61.6%	30.1%	43.6%	72.0%	50.0%	0.0%	38.1%	2016-2017
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		35.2%	18.8%	50.2%	52.1%	16.0%	23.0%	57.7%	0.0%	0.0%	23.8%	2016-2017
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		10.5%										
	Current	2016-2017		4.1%	6.4%	1.5%	3.1%	5.0%	5.4%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%	2016-2017	61
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2007-2008		2.6%										
	Current	2016-2017		7.4% ^B	11.2%	4.3%	7.8%	7.4%	1.4%	5.9%	20.0%	0.0%	9.1%	2016-2017
Graduation Rate	Base	2015-2016 ^A		87%	82%	91%	88%	86%	86%	78%	83%	100%	83%	
	Current	2016-2017 ^A		89%	83%	94%	90%	87%	96%	94%	80%	100%	91%	2016-2017
Homeless Students	Base	2015-2016		1.7%	3.5%	0.7%	0.9%	2.8%	1.3%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	
	Current	2016-2017		1.5%	2.7%	0.3%	0.7%	2.5%	1.7%	0.0%	1.7%	0.0%	0.6%	
Suspensions	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		10.3%			5.9%	16.3%	5.2%	3.3%	10.2%	0.0%	8.4%	

Child Care Facilities	June 2018			Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores				2016-2017		Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Classrooms		2018	
Total All Child Care Facilities	91			English				17		17		22	
Total All Licensed	64			Math				17		18		10-17 Days 18+ Days	
Center Based Licensed	36			Reading				18		18		20.9% 8.9%	
Center Based Exempt	27			Science				18		18			
				Composite				18		18			
Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2018-2019	Classrooms	Number	Percent	Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)				Base Year FY2012	Current Year FY2017	Career and College Ready Index			
	53	954	39.3%							Base Year 2016	Current Year 2017		
Direct Certification	2016-2017									60.7%	65.3%		
	37.0%			Dollars				\$9,506	\$9,149				

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***LEGEND - FULL ETHNIC BREAKDOWN**
 White | Black or African American | Hispanic/Latino | Asian | American Indian/Alaska Native | Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | Two or More Races

		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Child Death Rate	Base	2006	6	19.3	4	22.8	2	16.9	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2016	6	16.7	4	21.5	1	7.5	0	0.0	1	41.1	2014-2016	24	2006-2016	_
Children with Indication of Abuse or Neglect	Base	2006	420	10.4												
	Current	2017	273	6.2									2015-2017	10		
Preventable Teen Death Rate	Base	2006	6	35.3	2	18.8	3	54.0	0	0.0	1	238.1				
	Current	2016	9	50.8	7	64.6	2	34.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2014-2016	9	2006-2016	_
Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	Base	2004-2009	477													
	Current	2010-2017	250													
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	Base	2007	268	15.0												
	Current	2017	122	6.4									2014-2016	48	2007-2017	I
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	898	7.1%												
	Current	2012-2016	892	5.3%												
Children in Foster Care	Base	2010	203													
	Current	2018	139													
Children Adopted	Base	2010	20													
	Current	2018	7													
ILP Ages 14 and Older	Base															
	Current	March 2018	48													
Children in Protective Services	Base															
	Current	March 2018	171													

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Persons Living in Poverty	Base	2000	26,633	17.0%	12,563	11.7%	12,964	28.9%	1,106	24.5%	467	24.2%				
	Current	2012-2016	34,470	18.0%	16,065	12.9%	16,502	27.2%	1,903	27.3%	1,867	29.2%	2012-2016	19		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	7,539	19.7%	1,942	8.5%	5,326	37.7%	271	20.1%	219	29.7%				
	Current	2012-2016	9,424	22.5%	2,413	10.2%	6,444	40.4%	567	24.6%	753	33.4%	2012-2016	15		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		22.9%												
	Current	2012-2016		24.8%												
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		20.7%												
	Current	2012-2016		22.9%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		16.0%												
	Current	2012-2016		20.1%												

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	3,432	9.0%												
	Current	2012-2016	4,766	11.4%									2012-2016	21		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2006		10.9%												
	Current	2016		6.4%									2014-2016	11	2006-2016	I
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	10,948	32.1%												
	Current	2012-2016	16,581	39.3%									2016	39		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	5,272	59.9%												
	Current	2012-2016	6,168	64.7%									2012-2016	17		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2018	628	\$157,565												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2006	2,876	3.3%												
	Current	2017	4,110	4.1%									2017	16		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2006*	\$45,179													
	Current	2016	\$47,483													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2006	988	42.2%	337	26.2%	593	67.7%	14	29.2%	44	33.1%				
	Current	2016	1,244	48.1%	399	30.1%	671	67.4%	16	29.1%	158	74.5%	2016	16		
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	Base	2016	4,914													
	Current	2017	4,715													
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	Base	2013***	28,764													
	Current	2018***	24,287													
SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	Base	2013	14,998													
	Current	2018	13,392													
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	Base	2013**	28,532													
	Current	2018	25,743													
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	32,720	17.4%												
	Current	2016	35,400	17.5%									2016	39		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	8,280	20.7%												
	Current	2016	9,060	21.3%									2016	8		

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