

	2000		2018	
Total County Population	24,324		21,067	
County Child Population	7,595	31.2%	5,074	24.1%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,827	24.1%	1,105	21.8%
Ages 5-9	1,921	25.3%	1,193	23.5%
Ages 10-14	1,905	25.1%	1,390	27.4%
Ages 15-19	1,942	25.6%	1,386	27.3%

	2000		2018	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	3,770	49.6%	2,427	47.8%
African-American	3,566	47.0%	2,250	44.3%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	76	1.0%	47	0.9%
Asian/Pacific Islander	24	0.3%	27	0.5%
More than One Race	83	1.1%	177	3.5%
Hispanic	67	0.9%	146	2.9%



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	2000	2018
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	373	224
Age 4	346	224

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	2007	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	2	9.0	0	0.0	2	18.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2015-2017	63	2007-2017	-
Children without Health Insurance	Base															
	Current	2013-2017	206	3.8%												
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2007	252	79.5%	123	85.4%	128	74.9%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2017	171	77.7%	86	80.4%	83	76.1%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	2015-2017	20	2007-2017	-
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2007	60	18.9%	24	16.7%	36	20.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2017	26	11.8%	15	13.9%	11	10.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2007	36	11.3%	11	7.6%	25	14.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2017	16	7.2%	4	3.7%	12	11.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2015-2017	38	2007-2017	I
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2007	27	50.6												
	Current	2017	8	17.2	1	4.3	7	31.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2015-2017	63	2007-2017	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2007	67	38.6	23	26.7	44	54.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	23	16.8	7	10.2	15	25.9	1	15.4	0	0.0	2015-2017	55	2007-2017	-
Births to Unmarried Teens	Base	2007	59	18.6%	16	11.1%	43	25.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2017	21	9.5%	6	5.6%	14	12.8%	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	2015-2017	65	2007-2017	I
Mothers who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2017	126	57.3%	74	68.5%	50	46.3%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%				
Poor Mental Health Days	Base															
	Current	2016	4.8										2016	36		
Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers	Base															
	Current	2018		1422:1												
Adult Diabetes	Base															
	Current	2016		15.7%									2016	47		
Adult Obesity	Base															
	Current	2015		39.1%									2015	47		
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2007	92	399.8	62	477.7	30	321.4	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	100	468.9	57	492.6	42	480.7	1	140.8	0	0.0	2017	50		

**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	2007	57	17.9%		14.6%	20.3%	0.0%				50.0%		
	Current	2017	30	13.6%		9.3%	18.3%	0.0%				0.0%	2017	25
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2008	19											
	Current	2018	17											
First Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		1.3%										
	Current	2017-2018		3.6%	4.7%	2.0%	2.9%	4.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2017-2018	27
English Language Learners	Base	2014-2015**		0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	9.1%	0.0%		0.0%		
	Current	2017-2018***		0.2%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	3.7%	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%		
Scantron-Fourth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		36.7%	29.1%	61.5%	44.6%	29.6%	50.0%	50.0%	20.0%	0.0%	50.0%	2017-2018
Scantron-Fourth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		37.5%	33.5%	50.8%	36.7%	37.3%	50.0%	100.0%	40.0%	0.0%	33.3%	2017-2018
Scantron-Eighth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		23.9%	19.0%	41.8%	39.6%	12.8%	0.0%	50.0%	20.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2017-2018
Scantron-Eighth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		20.0%	14.5%	40.0%	36.5%	7.4%	100.0%	50.0%	20.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2017-2018
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		7.1%										
	Current	2017-2018		0.8%	2.0%	0.0%	0.8%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2017-2018	16
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2007-2008		1.5%										
	Current	2017-2018		9.7% <sup>B</sup>	10.1%	9.2%	10.1%	8.5%	100.0%	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2017-2018
Graduation Rate	Base	2016-2017 <sup>A</sup>		88%	83%	96%	90%	86%	0%	100%	100%	0%	100%	
	Current	2017-2018 <sup>A</sup>		86%	84%	89%	88%	85%	0%	100%	50%	0%	100%	2017-2018
Homeless Students	Base	2016-2017		0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2017-2018		0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Suspensions	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		7.4%			2.7%	11.2%	14.3%	6.7%	4.5%	0.0%	5.6%	

Child Care Facilities	April 2019			Average 11 <sup>th</sup> Grade: ACT Scores				2017-2018		Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Classrooms		2019	
Total All Child Care Facilities	12			English				16		16		No Data Available	
Total All Licensed	11			Math				16		17		10-17 Days 18+ Days	
Center Based Licensed	7			Reading				17		17		19.6% 11.3%	
Center Based Exempt	1			Science				17		17			
				Composite				16		16			
Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2019-2020	Classrooms	Number	Percent	Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)				Base Year FY2013	Current Year FY2018	Career and College Ready Index			
	7	126	57.5%							Base Year 2017		Current Year 2018	
Direct Certification	2017-2018			Dollars				\$9,387	\$9,372	68.3%		69.5%	

**\*LEGEND - FULL ETHNIC BREAKDOWN**  
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		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	2007	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	1	26.8	0	0.0	1	60.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2015-2017	18	2007-2017	-
Children with Indication of Abuse or Neglect	Base	2007	26	4.0												
	Current	2018	32	7.0									2016-2018	19		
Preventable Teen Death Rate	Base	2007	3	173.1	2	223.0	1	127.6	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	1	68.4	0	0.0	1	154.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2015-2017	57	2007-2017	-
Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	Base	2004-2009	6													
	Current	2010-2018	18													
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	Base	2008	9	3.3												
	Current	2018	13	5.8									2016-2018	10	2008-2018	-
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	201	13.4%												
	Current	2013-2017	265	24.4%												
Children in Foster Care	Base	2011	4													
	Current	2019	1													
Children Adopted	Base	2011	3													
	Current	2019	0													
ILP Ages 14 and Older	Base															
	Current	March 2019	0													
Children in Protective Services	Base															
	Current	March 2019	12													

## ECONOMIC SECURITY

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		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Persons Living in Poverty	Base	2000	5,131	21.3%	1,397	10.1%	3,633	37.5%	101	18.3%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2013-2017	7,249	33.7%	2,298	19.5%	4,747	53.0%	204	27.5%	238	83.2%	2013-2017	64		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	1,846	27.0%	282	8.4%	1,518	46.7%	46	20.2%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2013-2017	2,191	43.5%	629	25.3%	1,534	63.8%	28	18.4%	187	100.0%	2013-2017	60		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		28.9%												
	Current	2013-2017		54.3%												
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		24.9%												
	Current	2013-2017		41.2%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		27.8%												
	Current	2013-2017		38.4%												

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	YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
				Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	970	14.2%											
	Current	2013-2017	1,255	24.9%								2013-2017	60		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2007		21.5%											
	Current	2017		6.8%								2015-2017	64	2007-2017	I
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,905	31.7%											
	Current	2013-2017	2,723	53.7%								2017	57		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	818	57.1%											
	Current	2013-2017	513	55.9%								2013-2017	45		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base														
	Current	March 2018	229	\$56,471											
Unemployment Rate	Base	2007	576	6.4%											
	Current	2018	442	6.2%								2018	61		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2007*	\$38,264												
	Current	2017	\$36,432												
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2007	215	68.0%	67	46.9%	147	86.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%			
	Current	2017	152	68.8%	51	47.2%	98	89.9%	2	66.7%	1	100.0%	2017	59	
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	Base	2017	630												
	Current	2018	574												
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	Base	2014***	4,973												
	Current	2019***	3,484												
SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	Base	2014	2,540												
	Current	2019	1,818												
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	Base	2014**	4,987												
	Current	2019	3,460												
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	6,120	26.2%											
	Current	2017	5,240	24.1%								2017	59		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	1,950	32.2%											
	Current	2017	1,410	27.9%								2017	61		

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