

	2000		2021	
Total County Population	38,440		36,699	
County Child Population	10,416	27.10%	9,068	24.70%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	2,390	22.90%	2,176	24.00%
Ages 5-9	2,662	25.60%	2,258	24.90%
Ages 10-14	2,614	25.10%	2,448	27.00%
Ages 15-19	2,750	26.40%	2,186	24.10%

	2000		2021	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	6,019	57.80%	5,040	55.60%
African-American	3,649	35.00%	2,889	31.90%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	415	4.00%	292	3.20%
Asian/Pacific Islander	23	0.20%	24	0.30%
More than One Race	161	1.50%	437	4.80%
Hispanic	134	1.30%	386	4.30%



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	2000	2021
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	481	463
Age 4	499	461

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NOTE: The colored cells for "ALL OTHER" represent the heading of "BLACK AND ALL OTHER" for this indicator.

	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	2010	5	9.9	1	3.4	4	22.7	0	0	0	0				
	Current	2020	4	9.1	2	8	2	13.3	0	0	0	0	2018-2020	34	2010-2020	-
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2010	84	16.70%	39	13.20%	37	21.00%	6	27.30%	2	20.00%				
	Current	2020	57	13.00%	31	12.40%	17	11.30%	5	17.90%	4	36.40%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2010	57	11.30%	21	7.10%	32	18.20%	2	9.10%	2	20.00%				
	Current	2020	49	11.20%	24	9.60%	20	13.30%	4	14.30%	1	9.10%	2018-2020	29	2010-2020	-
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2010	32	38.4	17	35.8	14	41.9	1	15.6	0	0				
	Current	2020	11	14.7	4	9.7	6	23.7	1	12	0	0	2018-2020	55	2010-2020	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2010	97	40	48	37.2	39	42.6	6	36.4	4	76.9				
	Current	2020	45	20.5	25	20.5	15	20.5	4	23.3	1	13.9	2018-2020	63	2010-2020	I
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2010	88	17.50%	41	13.90%	39	22.20%	5	22.70%	3	30.00%				
	Current	2020	41	9.40%	22	8.80%	15	10.00%	3	10.70%	1	9.10%	2018-2020	65	2010-2020	I
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2010	349	69.70%	216	73.50%	112	64.00%	13	59.10%	8	80.00%				
	Current	2020	307	70.70%	178	72.40%	100	67.10%	23	82.10%	6	54.50%	2018-2020	22	2010-2020	-
Mothers who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2020	269	61.60%	169	68.10%	69	46.00%	20	71.40%	11	100.00%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2020	42	7.80%	33	10.50%			9	4.00%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2010	164	427.6	122	518.5	38	311.7	4	210.3	0	0				
	Current	2020	214	589.8	161	738.4	50	441.5	3	135.6	0	0	2020	62		

Children Without Health Insurance	2016-2020	Adult Diabetes: 2018	Adult Obesity: 2019	Poor Mental Health Days: 2019	Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2021	Rate			
Number	499	Rate	13.50%	Rate	38.70%	Number	6	1209:1	
Rate	5.60%	Trend	58	Trend	43	Trend	43	Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2021	
								Number	263

		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	2010	110	21.80%			22.30%	18.80%	60.00%				22.70%		
	Current	2020	68	15.50%			14.10%	15.30%	18.20%				28.60%	2020	43
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2011	34												
	Current	2021	17												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.80%											
	Current	2020-2021		1.30%	1.30%	1.30%	2.70%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	2020-2021	12
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		51.70%	43.50%	59.10%	65.80%	31.10%	45.50%	50.00%	43.80%	50.00%	0.00%	2021-2022	30
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		26.80%	19.00%	33.70%	36.70%	11.50%	25.00%	50.00%	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	2021-2022	37
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		50.60%	37.60%	63.00%	66.30%	35.40%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	66.70%	2021-2022	35
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		14.70%	5.10%	23.90%	25.50%	3.10%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.70%	2021-2022	28
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		1.40%											
	Current	2020-2021		9.30%	10.80%	7.80%	8.10%	10.30%	9.10%	0.00%	28.60%	0.00%	0.00%	2020-2021	44
Graduation Rate	Base	2019-2020		88%	82%	92%	90%	85%	100%	100%	83%	100%	100%		
	Current	2020-2021		89%	86%	92%	89%	88%	85%	67%	100%	0%	100%	2020-2021	48
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		7.00%											
	Current	2020-2021		7.20% ^B	9.20%	5.00%	7.30%	6.20%	15.40%	33.30%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	2020-2021	55
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2020-2021		1.70%			1.70%	1.90%	0.00%	0.00%	0.60%	0.00%	2.00%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2020-2021		29.40%	31.20%	27.60%									
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2020-2021		20.50%	23.90%	16.90%									
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		0.40%	0.10%	0.60%	0.00%	0.00%	12.00%	6.70%	0.50%	25.00%	0.00%		
	Current	2020-2021***		0.70%	0.20%	1.20%	0.20%	0.00%	15.20%	15.00%	0.00%	14.30%	0.00%		
Homeless Students	Base	2019-2020		0.50%	0.90%	0.00%	0.30%	0.70%	0.00%	0.00%	0.50%	0.00%	0.00%		
	Current	2020-2021		0.10%	0.90%	0.00%	0.00%	0.10%	0.70%	0.00%	0.60%	0.00%	0.00%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		16.50%											
	Current	2020-2021		13.80%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2020-2021		50.90%			35.30%	77.80%	25.40%						

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		23.60%												
	Current	2016-2020		33.20%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		23.20%												
	Current	2016-2020		34.70%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	970	10.70%												
	Current	2016-2020	1,669	20.40%								2016-2020	60			
Vulnerable Families	Base	2010		15.10%												
	Current	2020		8.10%								2018-2020	63	2010-2020	-	
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	2,538	31.80%												
	Current	2016-2020	3,476	42.20%								2020	50			
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	1,118	58.00%												
	Current	2016-2020	912	70.40%								2016-2020	13			
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	Jun-22	377	\$185,840												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2010	1,820	12.40%												
	Current	2021	575	4.10%								2021	47			
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2010*	\$37,227													
	Current	2020	\$41,212													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2010	344	68.30%	186	62.80%	135	76.70%	14	63.60%	9	90.00%				
	Current	2020	261	59.60%	129	51.80%	115	76.70%	9	32.10%	8	72.70%	2020	48		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	7,910	20.80%												
	Current	2020	6,680	18.20%									2020	55		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	2,570	29.20%												
	Current	2020	2,000	26.20%									2020	48		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2020	Current Year: 2021
1,261	1,186

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2017***	Current Year: 2022***
7,929	7,130





SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2017	Current Year: 2022
4,220	3,780

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2017**	Current Year: 2022
7,893	7,163

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