

	2000		2017	
Total County Population	64,452		71,617	
County Child Population	17,663	27.4%	19,213	26.8%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	4,379	24.8%	4,295	22.4%
Ages 5-9	4,588	26.0%	4,814	25.1%
Ages 10-14	4,269	24.2%	5,266	27.4%
Ages 15-19	4,427	25.1%	4,838	25.2%

	2000		2017	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	15,352	86.9%	12,983	67.6%
African-American	346	2.0%	272	1.4%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	160	0.9%	223	1.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	34	0.2%	62	0.3%
More than One Race	267	1.5%	497	2.6%
Hispanic	1,494	8.5%	5,176	26.9%



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	2000	2017
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	842	904
Age 4	896	848

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	7	7.0	5	7.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	6.3				
	Current	2016	7	8.1	4	6.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	12.3	2014-2016	25	2006-2016	-
Children without Health Insurance	Base															
	Current	2012-2016	731	4.2%												
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2006	551	55.9%	461	69.2%	4	50.0%	1	100.0%	85	27.3%				
	Current	2016	472	59.3%	373	64.0%	10	55.6%	10	83.3%	79	43.2%	2014-2016	64	2006-2016	-
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2006	120	12.1%	93	13.9%	1	12.5%	0	0.0%	26	8.4%				
	Current	2016	84	9.7%	58	9.8%	1	5.6%	2	16.7%	23	9.4%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2006	74	7.4%	49	7.3%	1	12.5%	0	0.0%	24	7.6%				
	Current	2016	77	8.9%	57	9.6%	1	5.6%	1	8.3%	18	7.4%	2014-2016	11	2006-2016	-
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2006	54	43.9												
	Current	2016	20	13.2	8	6.4	1	22.2	0	0.0	11	37.3	2014-2016	30	2006-2016	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2006	152	32.8	96	25.8	3	37.0	0	0.0	53	82.2				
	Current	2016	91	19.5	59	17.9	1	11.9	1	5.3	30	27.0	2014-2016	40	2006-2016	I
Births to Unmarried Teens	Base	2006	59	6.2%	34	5.2%	2	18.2%	0	0.0%	23	8.1%				
	Current	2016	61	7.0%	38	6.4%	1	5.6%	0	0.0%	22	9.0%	2014-2016	32	2006-2016	-
Mothers who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2016	577	66.5%	419	70.5%	12	66.7%	11	91.7%	135	55.3%				
Poor Mental Health Days	Base															
	Current	2016	4.7										2016	26		
Ratio of Mental Health Providers to Population	Base															
	Current	2017		5,908:1												
Adult Diabetes	Base															
	Current	2014		12.2%									2014	4		
Adult Obesity	Base															
	Current	2014		30.5%									2014	4		
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2006	266	388.3	265	456.3	1	94.9	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2016	215	303.2	210	366.9	4	382.4	0	0.0	1	9.9	2016	10		

**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	421	42.3%			23.5%	37.5%	82.5%			0.0%		
	Current	2016	251	28.9%			15.6%	16.7%	63.5%			0.0%	2016	64
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2007	86											
	Current	2017	50											
First Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		3.8%										
	Current	2016-2017		0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2016-2017	22
English Language Learners	Base	2011-2012**		15.2%	21.6%	0.8%	0.1%	0.0%	61.5%	13.6%	0.0%	2.0%		
	Current	2016-2017***		13.2%	16.2%	8.0%	0.3%	0.0%	39.5%	20.5%	0.6%	0.0%		
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		32.0%	25.3%	47.6%	43.2%	0.0%	14.5%	100.0%	47.6%	0.0%	40.0%	2016-2017
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		43.9%	38.7%	56.1%	53.9%	16.7%	30.8%	100.0%	47.6%	0.0%	70.0%	2016-2017
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		42.2%	34.6%	53.6%	45.4%	33.3%	28.9%	80.0%	60.4%	0.0%	33.3%	2016-2017
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		29.9%	21.3%	42.7%	32.1%	13.3%	17.8%	80.0%	50.5%	0.0%	25.0%	2016-2017
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		6.4%										
	Current	2016-2017		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2016-2017	1
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2007-2008		0.9%										
	Current	2016-2017		5.0% <sup>B</sup>	8.7%	1.7%	5.3%	5.6%	3.6%	0.0%	4.6%	100.0%	33.3%	2016-2017
Graduation Rate	Base	2015-2016 <sup>A</sup>		92%	89%	96%	92%	96%	92%	0%	95%	0%	80%	
	Current	2016-2017 <sup>A</sup>		93%	89%	96%	92%	94%	94%	100%	93%	0%	67%	2016-2017
Homeless Students	Base	2015-2016		4.9%	6.6%	3.4%	4.0%	2.5%	7.1%	0.0%	3.3%	0.0%	2.5%	
	Current	2016-2017		3.0%	3.5%	2.2%	2.1%	1.7%	5.2%	0.0%	1.2%	50.0%	1.8%	
Suspensions	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		8.5%			9.1%	17.0%	8.2%	0.0%	5.3%	0.0%	7.2%	

Child Care Facilities	June 2018			Average 11 <sup>th</sup> Grade: ACT Scores				2016-2017				Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Classrooms		2018	
Total All Child Care Facilities	20			English				17				12			
Total All Licensed	17			Math				18				Chronic Absenteeism 2016-2017		10-17 Days	18+ Days
Center Based Licensed	11			Reading				18				25.1%		13.5%	
Center Based Exempt	3			Science				18				Career and College Ready Index			
Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2018-2019	Classrooms	Number	Percent	Composite				18				Base Year 2016		Current Year 2017	
	19	342	40.3%	Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)				Base Year FY2012		Current Year FY2017		71.1%		72.7%	
Direct Certification	2016-2017			Dollars				\$10,356		\$9,322		*LEGEND - FULL ETHNIC BREAKDOWN			

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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	2	14.6	1	9.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	37.7				
	Current	2016	2	14.1	2	20.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2014-2016	20	2006-2016	_
Children with Indication of Abuse or Neglect	Base	2006	345	19.7												
	Current	2017	275	15.7									2015-2017	52		
Preventable Teen Death Rate	Base	2006	1	21.8	1	26.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2016	2	42.3	1	29.2	1	1,063.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	2014-2016	25	2006-2016	_
Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	Base	2004-2009	23													
	Current	2010-2017	11													
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	Base	2007	59	6.9												
	Current	2017	24	2.8									2014-2016	9	2007-2017	I
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	402	12.0%												
	Current	2012-2016	319	8.5%												
Children in Foster Care	Base	2010	100													
	Current	2018	103													
Children Adopted	Base	2010	12													
	Current	2018	7													
ILP Ages 14 and Older	Base															
	Current	March 2018	23													
Children in Protective Services	Base															
	Current	March 2018	123													

## 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	9,791	15.4%	8,730	14.8%	290	28.7%	771	21.6%	823	24.4%				
	Current	2012-2016	13,872	19.8%	10,333	16.9%	239	23.2%	3,300	41.3%	3,911	39.4%	2012-2016	32		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	2,948	18.8%	2,512	17.8%	127	41.2%	309	25.6%	355	29.2%				
	Current	2012-2016	4,888	28.0%	3,075	22.2%	32	12.6%	1,781	53.1%	2,164	48.5%	2012-2016	26		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		20.7%												
	Current	2012-2016		31.8%												
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		19.4%												
	Current	2012-2016		26.9%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		16.6%												
	Current	2012-2016		26.6%												

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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	992	6.3%											
	Current	2012-2016	2,222	12.7%								2012-2016	29		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2006		14.7%											
	Current	2016		7.2%								2014-2016	35	2006-2016	I
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	3,069	21.3%											
	Current	2012-2016	5,624	32.2%								2016	19		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	2,064	56.3%											
	Current	2012-2016	1,536	60.0%								2012-2016	30		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base														
	Current	May 2018	74	\$15,763											
Unemployment Rate	Base	2006	1,317	4.2%											
	Current	2017	1,304	4.5%								2017	32		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2006*	\$37,632												
	Current	2016	\$37,128												
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2006	565	59.1%	321	51.0%	7	87.5%	0	0.0%	237	74.5%			
	Current	2016	561	64.6%	329	55.4%	12	66.7%	5	41.7%	215	88.1%	2016	49	
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	Base	2016	2,533												
	Current	2017	2,390												
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	Base	2013***	16,180												
	Current	2018***	13,743												
SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	Base	2013	8,442												
	Current	2018	7,467												
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	Base	2013**	14,698												
	Current	2018	13,376												
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	11,210	16.0%											
	Current	2016	8,510	12.0%								2016	4		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	5,630	31.2%											
	Current	2016	4,130	23.5%								2016	21		

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