

	2000		2017	
Total County Population	20,949		20,176	
County Child Population	6,312	30.1%	4,504	22.3%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,421	22.5%	1,067	23.7%
Ages 5-9	1,563	24.8%	1,093	24.3%
Ages 10-14	1,660	26.3%	1,094	24.3%
Ages 15-19	1,668	26.4%	1,250	27.8%

	2000		2017	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	2,810	44.5%	2,162	48.0%
African-American	3,374	53.5%	2,079	46.2%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	4	0.1%	4	0.1%
Asian/Pacific Islander	5	0.1%	14	0.3%
More than One Race	53	0.8%	94	2.1%
Hispanic	54	0.9%	151	3.4%



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	2000	2017
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	288	204
Age 4	285	211

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	29.3	2	16.8	5	43.5	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2016	7	30.3	6	49.2	1	10.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2014-2016	67	2006-2016	-
Children without Health Insurance	Base															
	Current	2012-2016	132	3.1%												
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2006	178	74.8%	96	80.7%	82	71.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2016	139	60.4%	79	64.8%	53	54.1%	1	100.0%	6	66.7%	2014-2016	60	2006-2016	W
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2006	39	16.6%	14	12.1%	25	21.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2016	30	13.0%	16	13.1%	12	12.1%	0	0.0%	2	22.2%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2006	27	11.3%	8	6.7%	19	16.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2016	33	14.3%	17	13.9%	14	14.1%	0	0.0%	2	22.2%	2014-2016	63	2006-2016	-
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2006	11	24.8												
	Current	2016	9	23.9	6	33.7	3	16.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2014-2016	42	2006-2016	-
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2006	28	20.0	16	25.2	12	16.2	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2016	17	15.6	9	17.0	8	15.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2014-2016	23	2006-2016	-
Births to Unmarried Teens	Base	2006	25	11.7%	11	9.6%	14	15.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2016	17	7.4%	9	7.4%	8	8.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2014-2016	26	2006-2016	-
Mothers who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2016	140	60.9%	85	70.2%	47	47.5%	1	100.0%	7	77.8%				
Poor Mental Health Days	Base															
	Current	2016	4.8									2016	36			
Ratio of Mental Health Providers to Population	Base															
	Current	2017		6,775:1												
Adult Diabetes	Base															
	Current	2014		15.9%								2014	41			
Adult Obesity	Base															
	Current	2014		35.4%								2014	24			
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2006	113	561.4	67	589.2	46	552.7	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2016	69	339.5	36	325.7	31	383.1	1	332.2	1	113.8	2016	16		

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	44	18.5%		19.3%	14.9%	80.0%				0.0%		
	Current	2016	38	16.6%		12.3%	19.4%	50.0%				0.0%	2016	41
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2007	32											
	Current	2017	37											
First Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		5.9%										
	Current	2016-2017		1.0%	1.3%	0.0%	1.3%	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2016-2017	50
English Language Learners	Base	2011-2012**		0.4%	0.5%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	27.8%	7.1%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2016-2017***		1.2%	1.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	37.1%	31.3%	0.0%	0.0%		
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		31.2%	24.0%	55.8%	37.5%	23.8%	28.6%	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	2016-2017	48
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		25.3%	21.8%	37.2%	29.2%	21.8%	37.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2016-2017	60
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		35.4%	30.6%	45.0%	41.2%	32.4%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2016-2017	52
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		19.9%	19.8%	20.0%	23.5%	15.7%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2016-2017	50
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		5.7%										
	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		1.0%										
	Current	2016-2017		2.3% ^B	3.5%	0.0%	1.3%	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2016-2017	4
Graduation Rate	Base	2015-2016 ^A		91%	87%	98%	84%	95%	100%	100%	0%	0%		
	Current	2016-2017 ^A		97%	96%	99%	99%	96%	100%	100%	0%	0%	2016-2017	2
Homeless Students	Base	2015-2016		0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2016-2017		0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Suspensions	Base													
	Current	2016-2017		5.5%			2.6%	7.6%	1.5%	0.0%	22.2%	0.0%		

Child Care Facilities	June 2018			Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores				2016-2017		Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Classrooms		2018	
Total All Child Care Facilities	10			English				16		14			
Total All Licensed	5			Math				16		Chronic Absenteeism 2016-2017		10-17 Days	18+ Days
Center Based Licensed	1			Reading				17		22.5%		5.7%	
Center Based Exempt	5			Science				17		Career and College Ready Index			
Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2018-2019	Classrooms	Number	Percent	Composite				17		Base Year 2016		Current Year 2017	
	8	144	68.1%	Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)				Base Year FY2012	Current Year FY2017	63.9%		71.8%	
Direct Certification	2016-2017			Dollars				\$10,694	\$9,444	*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	2006	2	52.7	1	55.7	1	53.1	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2016	2	61.0	1	63.7	1	66.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2014-2016	28	2006-2016	_
Children with Indication of Abuse or Neglect	Base	2006	35	6.4												
	Current	2017	40	9.9									2015-2017	27		
Preventable Teen Death Rate	Base	2006	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2016	1	80.5	0	0.0	1	167.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	2014-2016	34	2006-2016	_
Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	Base	2004-2009	29													
	Current	2010-2017	32													
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	Base	2007	23	7.8												
	Current	2017	30	15.9									2014-2016	57	2007-2017	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	120	9.6%												
	Current	2012-2016	203	20.9%												
Children in Foster Care	Base	2010	8													
	Current	2018	11													
Children Adopted	Base	2010	0													
	Current	2018	1													
ILP Ages 14 and Older	Base															
	Current	March 2018	3													
Children in Protective Services	Base															
	Current	March 2018	14													

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Persons Living in Poverty	Base	2000	5,161	24.9%	1,414	12.1%	3,723	42.0%	24	13.6%	11	13.4%				
	Current	2012-2016	4,575	23.9%	1,382	12.8%	3,101	38.2%	92	42.8%	12	7.9%	2012-2016	50		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	1,962	34.5%	397	15.1%	1,560	51.7%	5	10.6%	7	31.8%				
	Current	2012-2016	1,593	38.1%	287	14.2%	1,244	60.5%	62	57.9%	0	0.0%	2012-2016	53		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		35.1%												
	Current	2012-2016		36.4%												
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		33.8%												
	Current	2012-2016		44.3%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		34.7%												
	Current	2012-2016		31.4%												

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				Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	992	17.4%											
	Current	2012-2016	792	18.9%								2012-2016	53		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2006		12.2%											
	Current	2016		11.2%								2014-2016	40	2006-2016	-
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,807	37.8%											
	Current	2012-2016	2,086	49.7%								2016	52		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	647	56.9%											
	Current	2012-2016	473	68.6%								2012-2016	6		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base														
	Current	May 2018	14	\$3,374											
Unemployment Rate	Base	2006	410	5.1%											
	Current	2017	412	5.3%								2017	51		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2006*	\$35,399												
	Current	2016	\$35,968												
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2006	138	60.3%	43	38.7%	94	83.2%	0	0.0%	1	20.0%			
	Current	2016	134	58.0%	47	38.5%	79	79.8%	1	100.0%	7	77.8%	2016	33	
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	Base	2016	653												
	Current	2017	621												
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	Base	2013***	4,241												
	Current	2018***	3,356												
SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	Base	2013	2,120												
	Current	2018	1,803												
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	Base	2013**	4,231												
	Current	2018	3,734												
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	4,560	22.9%											
	Current	2016	4,110	20.5%								2016	49		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	1,290	26.7%											
	Current	2016	1,110	26.4%								2016	49		

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