	2000		2019	
Total County Population		54,984		55,241
County Child Population	14,466	26.3%	12,686	23.0%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	3,358	23.2%	3,133	24.7%
Ages 5-9	3,728	25.8%	3,202	25.2%
Ages 10-14	3,735	25.8%	3,319	26.2%
Ages 15-19	3,645	25.2%	3,032	23.9%

	2000		2019	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	10,919	75.5%	9,200	72.5%
African-American	2,990	20.7%	2,100	16.6%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	69	0.5%	46	0.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	42	0.3%	89	0.7%
More than One Race	176	1.2%	490	3.9%
Hispanic	250	1.7%	761	6.0%

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	2000	2019
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	673	599
Age 4	659	665

HEALTH

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	2008	4	6.2	3	6.1	1	7.9	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2018	3	4.7	3	6.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2016-2018	29	2008-2018	_
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2008	92	14.2%	69	14.1%	21	16.7%	1	6.7%	1	6.3%				
	Current	2018	72	11.4%	57	11.4%	15	14.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2008	86	13.3%	64	13.1%	20	15.7%	1	6.3%	1	6.3%				
	Current	2018	64	10.1%	48	9.6%	15	14.9%	1	14.3%	0	0.0%	2016-2018	32	2008-2018	_
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2008	23	22.7												
	Current	2018	9	9.0	7	8.9	1	6.2	0	0.0	1	41.7	2016-2018	21	2008-2018	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2008	93	26.8	65	25.4	24	33.1	1	11.2	3	34.5				
	Current	2018	50	16.1	41	17.8	8	15.4	0	0.0	1	6.8	2016-2018	25	2008-2018	I
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2008	71	11.0%	46	9.4%	23	18.3%	1	6.3%	1	6.3%				
	Current	2018	39	6.2%	30	6.0%	8	7.9%	0	0.0%	1	4.2%	2016-2018	21	2008-2018	I
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2008	528	82.6%	407	84.1%	99	79.2%	12	80.0%	10	66.7%				
	Current	2018	504	80.8%	403	81.7%	81	81.0%	6	85.7%	14	58.3%	2016-2018	23	2008-2018	_
Mothers who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2018	416	65.9%	339	67.9%	53	52.5%	5	71.4%	19	79.2%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2018	81	9.9%	73	11.1%			8	5.0%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2008	215	393.6	178	406.3	37	412.4	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2018	195	356.1	164	382.0	30	342.4	0	0.0	1	68.3	2018	15		

Children Without Health Insurance	2014-2018
Number	392
Rate	3.2%

Adult Diabetes: 2016	
Rate	13.5%
Trend	29

Adult Obesity: 2016	
Rate	30.6%
Trend	3

Poor Mental Health Days: 2017	
Number	4.6
Trend	3

Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2019	Rate
	2882:1

Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2019	Number
	732

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	2008	139	21.5%			20.4%	22.2%	62.5%				6.7%		
	Current	2018	101	16.0%			13.6%	20.8%	45.8%				14.3%	2018	42
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2009	44												
	Current	2019	58												
First Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		4.2%											
	Current	2018-2019		7.6%	12.4%	4.5%	6.4%	11.9%	3.0%	12.5%	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%	2018-2019	45
Scantron-Fourth Grade Reading	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		47.0%	34.8%	64.1%	53.5%	24.8%	57.1%	75.0%	50.0%	0.0%	40.0%	2018-2019	27
Scantron-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		48.3%	37.2%	63.8%	53.9%	31.0%	34.8%	87.5%	37.5%	0.0%	48.6%	2018-2019	24
Scantron-Eighth Grade Reading	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		49.3%	35.6%	63.5%	58.2%	21.9%	24.0%	50.0%	66.7%	0.0%	47.4%	2018-2019	9
Scantron-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		52.7%	39.3%	66.7%	59.0%	28.9%	50.0%	75.0%	66.7%	0.0%	52.6%	2018-2019	10
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		7.0%											
	Current	2018-2019		2.3%	5.9%	0.7%	1.7%	5.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2018-2019	20
Graduation Rate	Base	2017-2018		94%	89%	98%	93%	97%	96%	100%	0%	0%	100%		
	Current	2018-2019		94%	89%	97%	94%	91%	100%	88%	100%	0%	93%	2018-2019	32
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2007-2008		2.6%											
	Current	2018-2019		4.3%[B]	6.9%	2.5%	4.6%	3.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.1%	2018-2019	43
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		7.9%			5.6%	16.8%	4.9%	3.3%	6.4%	0.0%	11.1%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		24.9%	30.4%	22.1%									
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		9.0%	14.2%	6.4%									
English Language Learners	Base	2014-2015***		0.6%	1.1%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%	19.5%	3.4%	5.7%	0.0%	0.6%		
	Current	2018-2019***		1.4%	1.9%	1.2%	0.1%	0.0%	25.5%	15.6%	6.5%	0.0%	0.4%		
Homeless Students	Base	2017-2018		4.1%	8.7%	1.8%	4.1%	4.0%	7.0%	2.3%	0.0%	0.0%	3.6%		
	Current	2018-2019		1.2%	2.8%	0.4%	1.1%	1.5%	0.3%	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%	1.8%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2014-2015		5.4%											
	Current	2018-2019		7.5%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		33.4%			25.8%	57.8%	44.1%						

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Child Care Center Capacity	2020
Day Care	1,362
Night Care	33
All Centers	1,395

Child Care Facilities	April 2020
Total All Licensed	19
Center Based Licensed	15
Center Based Exempt	5
Total All Child Care Facilities	24

Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Classrooms: 2020	EHS	HS	TOTAL
	1	8	9

Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2020-2021	Classrooms	Number	Percent
	19	342	51.4%

Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores	2018-2019
English	17
Math	17
Reading	18
Science	18
Composite	18

Career and College Ready Index	Base Year 2018	Current Year 2019
	82.0%	84.5%

Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)	Base Year FY2014	Current Year FY2019
Dollars	$11,206	$11,927

***LEGEND** - FULL ETHNIC BREAKDOWN

White | Black or African American | Hispanic/Latino | Asian | American Indian/Alaska Native | Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | Two or More Races

SAFETY

		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children with Indication of Abuse or Neglect (per 1,000)	Base	2008	38	3.2												
	Current	2019	150	13.0									2017-2019	30		
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2008	1	10.1	1	13.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2018	2	21.2	1	14.5	1	64.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	2016-2018	7	2008-2018	_
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2008	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2018	2	64.1	1	43.1	1	188.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2016-2018	41	2008-2018	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	271	9.4%												
	Current	2014-2018	193	7.6%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2009	51	8.9												
	Current	2019	24	4.6									2017-2019	47	2009-2019	_

Children in Foster Care		Children Adopted	
Base Year: 2012	Current Year: 2020	Base Year: 2012	Current Year: 2020
101	82	17	4

ILP Ages 14 and Older: March 2020	Children in Protective Services: March 2020	Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	
Total	Total	Base Year: 2004-2009	Current Year: 2010-2019
24	167	81	42

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	7,592	14.0%	4,967	11.2%	2,476	27.1%	149	17.9%	148	28.4%				
	Current	2014-2018	8,785	16.3%	5,751	13.4%	2,218	26.1%	816	31.8%	318	23.6%	2014-2018	19		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	2,414	18.6%	1,340	13.5%	1,040	37.2%	34	13.7%	54	34.6%				
	Current	2014-2018	2,720	23.6%	1,634	19.0%	638	36.7%	448	38.8%	97	17.5%	2014-2018	21		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		20.6%												
	Current	2014-2018		28.2%												

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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 Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		18.6%												
	Current	2014-2018		27.3%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		17.0%												
	Current	2014-2018		16.0%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	1,035	8.0%												
	Current	2014-2018	1,025	8.9%									2014-2018	15		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2008		14.3%												
	Current	2018		6.4%									2016-2018	29	2008-2018	I
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	2,883	24.8%												
	Current	2014-2018	4,160	36.1%									2018	29		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	1,545	52.9%												
	Current	2014-2018	1,225	56.4%									2014-2018	46		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	March 2020	542	$157,363												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2008	1,637	6.5%												
	Current	2019	885	3.7%									2019	52		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2008*	$46,590													
	Current	2018	$49,055													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2008	330	51.2%	223	45.8%	89	70.6%	6	37.5%	12	75.0%				
	Current	2018	339	53.7%	243	48.7%	78	77.2%	2	28.6%	16	66.7%	2018	24		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	8,620	15.8%												
	Current	2018	8,940	16.4%									2018	24		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	3,050	25.4%												
	Current	2018	2,680	23.1%									2018	27		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2018	Current Year: 2019
1,543	1,501

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2015***	Current Year: 2020***
8,665	6,566

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2015	Current Year: 2020
3,978	3,245

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2015**	Current Year: 2020
8,582	6,519

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