	2000		2019	
Total County Population		11,861		8,923
County Child Population	4,038	34.0%	2,371	26.6%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	903	22.4%	507	21.4%
Ages 5-9	982	24.3%	498	21.0%
Ages 10-14	988	24.5%	517	21.8%
Ages 15-19	1,165	28.9%	849	35.8%

	2000		2019	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	877	21.7%	584	24.6%
African-American	3,097	76.7%	1,663	70.1%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	1	0.0%	6	0.3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	4	0.1%	23	1.0%
More than One Race	20	0.5%	32	1.3%
Hispanic	39	1.0%	63	2.7%

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	2000	2019
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	173	91
Age 4	197	104

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	3	19.1	0	0.0	3	22.7	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2018	1	11.0	0	0.0	1	15.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2016-2018	63	2008-2018	_
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2008	18	11.5%	2	8.0%	16	12.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2018	11	12.1%	1	3.8%	10	15.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2008	17	10.8%	1	4.0%	16	12.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2018	13	14.3%	2	7.7%	11	17.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2016-2018	62	2008-2018	_
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2008	6	18.8												
	Current	2018	2	9.9	0	0.0	2	18.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	2016-2018	14	2008-2018	_
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2008	28	29.8	2	6.8	26	41.3	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2018	7	10.4	0	0.0	7	14.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	2016-2018	13	2008-2018	I
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2008	27	17.2%	1	4.0%	26	19.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2018	7	7.7%	0	0.0%	7	10.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2016-2018	47	2008-2018	I
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2008	92	59.4%	15	60.0%	77	59.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2018	58	64.4%	20	80.0%	37	57.8%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	2016-2018	61	2008-2018	_
Mothers who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2018	37	40.7%	17	65.4%	20	31.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2018	5	3.8%	4	11.4%			1	1.0%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2008	59	548.7	19	576.5	40	553.1	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2018	43	470.5	12	444.3	31	502.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2018	52		

Children Without Health Insurance	2014-2018
Number	122
Rate	5.1%

Adult Diabetes: 2016	
Rate	13.6%
Trend	31

Adult Obesity: 2016	
Rate	43.4%
Trend	63

Poor Mental Health Days: 2017	
Number	5.9
Trend	67

Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2019	Rate
	3047:1

Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2019	Number
	69

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	30	19.1%			16.0%	19.7%	0.0%				0.0%		
	Current	2018	15	16.5%			30.8%	9.4%	0.0%				100.0%	2018	46
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2009	23												
	Current	2019	8												
First Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		0.6%											
	Current	2018-2019		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2018-2019	1
Scantron-Fourth Grade Reading	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		28.8%	22.5%	50.0%	0.0%	29.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2018-2019	57
Scantron-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		33.3%	28.4%	50.0%	0.0%	32.7%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2018-2019	54
Scantron-Eighth Grade Reading	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		11.3%	9.4%	18.8%	100.0%	9.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2018-2019	65
Scantron-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		10.1%	11.1%	6.3%	50.0%	9.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2018-2019	67
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		7.1%											
	Current	2018-2019		5.7%	7.3%	0.0%	50.0%	4.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2018-2019	52
Graduation Rate	Base	2017-2018		94%	93%	98%	0%	96%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%		
	Current	2018-2019		99%	99%	100%	0%	99%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2018-2019	1
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2007-2008		0.5%											
	Current	2018-2019		0.0%[B]	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2018-2019	7
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		36.0%			20.0%	36.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		29.5%	30.8%	24.9%									
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		17.2%	19.2%	10.9%									
English Language Learners	Base	2014-2015***		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2018-2019***		0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2017-2018		10.6%	13.2%	0.0%	0.0%	10.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2018-2019		14.6%	16.1%	9.5%	20.0%	14.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2014-2015		19.7%											
	Current	2018-2019		26.2%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2018-2019		76.9%			60.0%	77.1%	66.7%						

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Child Care Center Capacity	2020
Day Care	164
Night Care	0
All Centers	164

Child Care Facilities	April 2020
Total All Licensed	3
Center Based Licensed	3
Center Based Exempt	1
Total All Child Care Facilities	4

Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Classrooms: 2020	EHS	HS	TOTAL
	0	7	7

Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2020-2021	Classrooms	Number	Percent
	2	36	34.7%

Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores	2018-2019
English	14
Math	15
Reading	14
Science	14
Composite	14

Career and College Ready Index	Base Year 2018	Current Year 2019
	59.6%	50.5%

Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)	Base Year FY2014	Current Year FY2019
Dollars	$10,599	$11,205

***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	10	3.5												
	Current	2019	24	12.9									2017-2019	29		
Child 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	126.3	0	0.0	2	160.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2016-2018	65	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	1	111.1	0	0.0	1	198.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	2016-2018	15	2008-2018	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	150	17.6%												
	Current	2014-2018	45	5.0%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2009	7	5.5												
	Current	2019	1	1.2									2017-2019	50	2009-2019	_

Children in Foster Care		Children Adopted	
Base Year: 2012	Current Year: 2020	Base Year: 2012	Current Year: 2020
2	7	2	1

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
0	25	10	23

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	4,026	35.4%	396	11.7%	3,571	45.5%	59	38.1%	61	40.9%				
	Current	2014-2018	3,616	41.8%	524	23.1%	3,092	48.5%	0	0.0%	19	40.4%	2014-2018	67		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	1,708	49.2%	102	16.2%	1,585	56.6%	21	51.2%	30	61.2%				
	Current	2014-2018	1,163	56.8%	131	36.7%	1,032	61.1%	0	0.0%	19	100.0%	2014-2018	66		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		47.6%												
	Current	2014-2018		64.4%												

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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 Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		47.6%												
	Current	2014-2018		55.3%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		52.4%												
	Current	2014-2018		53.7%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	992	28.6%												
	Current	2014-2018	309	15.1%									2014-2018	45		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2008		16.7%												
	Current	2018		9.7%									2016-2018	53	2008-2018	I
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,445	50.5%												
	Current	2014-2018	1,571	75.9%									2018	66		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	388	48.3%												
	Current	2014-2018	171	44.2%									2014-2018	65		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	March 2020	5	$752												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2008	406	11.3%												
	Current	2019	178	5.2%									2019	62		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2008*	$30,922													
	Current	2018	$26,814													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2008	115	73.2%	11	44.0%	104	78.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2018	63	69.2%	10	38.5%	53	82.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2018	60		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	3,190	29.9%												
	Current	2018	2,560	27.0%									2018	67		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	760	28.2%												
	Current	2018	780	37.7%									2018	66		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2018	Current Year: 2019
368	365

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2015***	Current Year: 2020***
4,042	2,678

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2015	Current Year: 2020
1,977	1,392

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2015**	Current Year: 2020
3,990	2,640

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