

	2000		2018	
Total County Population	23,988		26,032	
County Child Population	5,867	24.5%	5,535	21.3%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,433	24.4%	1,206	21.8%
Ages 5-9	1,516	25.8%	1,348	24.4%
Ages 10-14	1,502	25.6%	1,482	26.8%
Ages 15-19	1,416	24.1%	1,499	27.1%

	2000		2018	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	5,291	90.2%	4,877	88.1%
African-American	395	6.7%	248	4.5%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	21	0.4%	29	0.5%
Asian/Pacific Islander	7	0.1%	38	0.7%
More than One Race	59	1.0%	179	3.2%
Hispanic	92	1.6%	164	3.0%



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	2000	2018
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	268	249
Age 4	293	251

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	2007	3	12.9	3	14.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	2	9.3	1	4.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	333.3	2015-2017	14	2007-2017	-
Children without Health Insurance	Base															
	Current	2013-2017	187	3.4%												
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2007	143	61.6%	130	62.5%	11	73.3%	0	0.0%	2	25.0%				
	Current	2017	134	64.7%	129	65.8%	3	42.9%	1	100.0%	1	33.3%	2015-2017	54	2007-2017	-
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2007	33	14.2%	30	14.4%	3	20.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2017	22	10.3%	21	10.3%	1	14.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2007	27	11.6%	20	9.6%	6	40.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2017	15	7.0%	15	7.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2015-2017	20	2007-2017	-
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2007	12	32.6												
	Current	2017	3	5.6	3	6.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2015-2017	19	2007-2017	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2007	33	24.6	33	27.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	17	11.3	15	11.3	2	27.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2015-2017	35	2007-2017	I
Births to Unmarried Teens	Base	2007	23	9.9%	23	11.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2017	14	6.5%	12	5.9%	2	28.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2015-2017	27	2007-2017	I
Mothers who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2017	140	65.7%	133	65.8%	3	42.9%	1	100.0%	3	100.0%				
Poor Mental Health Days	Base															
	Current	2016	4.7									2016	26			
Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers	Base															
	Current	2018		5171:1												
Adult Diabetes	Base															
	Current	2016		12.2%								2016	17			
Adult Obesity	Base															
	Current	2015		36.3%								2015	28			
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2007	79	322.1	75	332.3	4	297.4	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	102	394.5	98	413.4	4	367.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2017	36		

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	2007	66	28.4%		27.9%	6.7%	87.5%				0.0%		
	Current	2017	34	15.9%		15.8%	14.3%	33.3%				0.0%	2017	37
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2008	11											
	Current	2018	21											
First Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		6.3%										
	Current	2017-2018		10.7%	11.3%	10.3%	10.7%	8.3%	16.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2017-2018	64
English Language Learners	Base	2014-2015**		0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	7.4%	0.0%	0.0%		0.0%		
	Current	2017-2018***		0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	9.7%	0.0%	0.0%	16.7%	0.0%	
Scantron-Fourth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		48.8%	42.8%	60.4%	50.6%	26.7%	66.7%	100.0%	66.7%	0.0%	16.7%	2017-2018
Scantron-Fourth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		45.1%	35.1%	64.4%	46.0%	26.7%	66.7%	0.0%	33.3%	0.0%	66.7%	2017-2018
Scantron-Eighth Grade Reading	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		44.5%	36.8%	57.3%	46.8%	18.2%	25.0%	100.0%	34.4%	0.0%	0.0%	2017-2018
Scantron-Eighth Grade Math	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		50.3%	39.7%	67.7%	51.4%	45.5%	50.0%	100.0%	40.6%	0.0%	0.0%	2017-2018
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		6.5%										
	Current	2017-2018		2.1%	3.8%	1.5%	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.4%	0.0%	0.0%	2017-2018
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2007-2008		1.9%										
	Current	2017-2018		3.1% ^B	4.9%	0.7%	3.3%	6.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2017-2018
Graduation Rate	Base	2016-2017 ^A		95%	91%	100%	96%	95%	100%	100%	88%	100%	100%	
	Current	2017-2018 ^A		94%	90%	98%	93%	94%	100%	100%	97%	0%	0%	2017-2018
Homeless Students	Base	2016-2017		11.2%	16.8%	0.4%	10.2%	21.2%	26.5%	15.4%	11.8%	0.0%	23.3%	
	Current	2017-2018		12.1%	29.8%	0.0%	11.1%	23.3%	22.6%	28.6%	14.2%	16.7%	6.9%	
Suspensions	Base													
	Current	2017-2018		13.7%			13.6%	15.9%	12.7%	0.0%	15.2%	16.7%	10.3%	

Child Care Facilities	April 2019			Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores				2017-2018		Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Classrooms		2019	
Total All Child Care Facilities	13			English				17		No Data Available		No Data Available	
Total All Licensed	12			Math				18		Chronic Absenteeism 2017-2018		10-17 Days 18+ Days	
Center Based Licensed	7			Reading				18		28.5%		21.9%	
Center Based Exempt	1			Science				17		Career and College Ready Index			
Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2019-2020	Classrooms	Number	Percent	Composite				18		Base Year 2017		Current Year 2018	
	7	126	49.8%	Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)				Base Year FY2013 Current Year FY2018		75.8%		75.1%	
Direct Certification	2017-2018			Dollars				\$9,327 \$10,391		*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	2007	1	22.8	1	25.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2015-2017	42	2007-2017	_
Children with Indication of Abuse or Neglect	Base	2007	131	22.6												
	Current	2018	96	19.2									2016-2018	56		
Preventable Teen Death Rate	Base	2007	1	73.2	1	82.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2017	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2015-2017	21	2007-2017	_
Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	Base	2004-2009	27													
	Current	2010-2018	31													
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	Base	2008	7	3.0												
	Current	2018	18	7.4									2016-2018	35	2008-2018	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	192	16.9%												
	Current	2013-2017	96	7.5%												
Children in Foster Care	Base	2011	31													
	Current	2019	44													
Children Adopted	Base	2011	5													
	Current	2019	4													
ILP Ages 14 and Older	Base															
	Current	March 2019	13													
Children in Protective Services	Base															
	Current	March 2019	38													

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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	3,672	15.6%	3,302	15.0%	243	19.5%	127	37.8%	74	33.3%				
	Current	2013-2017	4,104	16.1%	3,742	15.8%	134	11.1%	228	46.0%	179	43.8%	2013-2017	13		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	1,120	21.3%	988	20.4%	81	26.9%	51	41.1%	32	29.9%				
	Current	2013-2017	1,013	20.0%	902	19.6%	72	21.9%	39	30.7%	17	13.4%	2013-2017	10		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		20.0%												
	Current	2013-2017		12.8%												
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		24.8%												
	Current	2013-2017		23.3%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		18.3%												
	Current	2013-2017		20.8%												

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				Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate					
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	511	9.7%												
	Current	2013-2017	342	6.8%								2013-2017	4			
Vulnerable Families	Base	2007		11.7%												
	Current	2017		4.6%								2015-2017	37	2007-2017	I	
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	971	20.5%												
	Current	2013-2017	1,356	26.4%								2017	7			
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	786	64.2%												
	Current	2013-2017	704	74.4%								2013-2017	1			
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	March 2018	55	\$12,789												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2007	500	4.2%												
	Current	2018	415	3.6%								2018	12			
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2007*	\$44,186													
	Current	2017	\$44,842													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2007	126	59.7%	110	58.5%	11	78.6%	0	0.0%	5	62.5%				
	Current	2017	124	57.9%	119	58.6%	4	57.1%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	2017	38		
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	Base	2017	661													
	Current	2018	618													
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	Base	2014***	4,984													
	Current	2019***	3,071													
SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	Base	2014	2,216													
	Current	2019	1,403													
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	Base	2014**	4,939													
	Current	2019	3,080													
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	3,750	14.6%												
	Current	2017	3,230	12.5%								2017	9			
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	1,470	27.7%												
	Current	2017	1,070	20.6%								2017	12			

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