

	2000		2022	
Total County Population	17,185		14,595	
County Child Population	5,620	32.7%	3,772	25.8%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,408	25.1%	970	25.7%
Ages 5-9	1,376	24.5%	1003	26.6%
Ages 10-14	1,453	25.9%	939	24.9%
Ages 15-19	1,383	24.6%	860	22.8%

	2000		2022	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	1,726	30.7%	1,328	35.2%
African-American	3,775	67.2%	2,257	59.8%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	15	0.3%	8	0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	5	0.1%	18	0.5%
More than One Race	41	0.7%	62	1.6%
Hispanic	49	0.9%	99	2.6%



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	2000	2022
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	276	179
Age 4	283	197

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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	2011	1	5	1	13.5	0	0	0	0	0				
	Current	2021	2	9.7	1	11.4	1	8.8	0	0	0	2019-2021	56	2011-2021	-
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2011	30	14.9%	11	14.9%	19	15.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			
	Current	2021	28	13.6%	12	13.6%	16	14.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2011	37	18.3%	11	14.9%	26	20.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			
	Current	2021	24	11.7%	6	6.8%	18	15.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2019-2021	41	2011-2021
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2011	10	24.5	2	15.6	8	28.6	0	0	0	0			
	Current	2021	4	17.4	1	10.9	3	21.7	0	0	0	0	2019-2021	64	2011-2021
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2011	24	21.1	6	16.5	18	23.8	0	0	0	0			
	Current	2021	17	19.4	5	15.6	12	22.8	0	0	0	0	2019-2021	43	2011-2021
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2011	21	10.4%	3	4.1%	18	14.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			
	Current	2021	16	7.8%	5	5.7%	11	9.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2019-2021	37	2011-2021
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2011	142	71.0%	52	71.2%	88	71.0%	2	100.0%	0	0.0%			
	Current	2021	137	67.8%	61	70.1%	72	64.9%	3	100.0%	1	100.0%	2019-2021	66	2011-2021
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base														
	Current	2021	128	62.1%	69	78.4%	55	48.2%	3	100.0%	1	100.0%			
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base														
	Current	2021	9	3.1%	8	7.3%			1	0.5%					
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2011	66	429.7	33	542.7	32	356	0	0	1	645.2			
	Current	2021	70	475	29	494.6	41	484.9	0	0	0	0	2021	44	

Children Without Health Insurance	2017-2021	Adult Diabetes: 2019	Adult Obesity: 2020	Poor Mental Health Days: 2020	Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2022	Rate		
Number	73	Rate	11.0%	Rate	47.3%	Number	5.3	4918:1
Rate	1.9%	Trend	34	Trend	58	Trend	23	Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2022
						Number		94

		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	2011	30	14.9%			14.9%	15.2%	0.0%				0.0%		
	Current	2021	23	11.2%			8.0%	13.2%	0.0%				33.3%	2021	20
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2012	28												
	Current	2022	23												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		1.1%											
	Current	2021-2022		3.0%	4.2%	1.3%	1.4%	3.3%	20.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2021-2022	11
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		34.9%	30.1%	56.7%	39.7%	11.8%	75.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	57
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		10.2%	7.4%	23.3%	12.8%	1.7%	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	58
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		33.1%	30.1%	52.4%	24.3%	13.7%	20.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2022-2023	55
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		4.5%	5.1%	0.0%	4.1%	1.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	59
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.0%											
	Current	2021-2022		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2021-2022	1
Graduation Rate	Base	2020-2021		89.7%	87.2%	96.0%	93.2%	88.3%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2021-2022		90.6%	90.4%	90.9%	91.1%	90.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	2021-2022	26
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		4.1%											
	Current	2021-2022		2.5% ^B	2.9%	1.8%	4.4%	1.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2021-2022	9
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		3.0%			2.7%	3.1%	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	17.6%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		0.0%			0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		26.6%	29.2%	23.5%	26.9%	26.5%	26.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	35.7%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		18.1%	23.7%	11.5%	20.3%	17.1%	19.6%	19.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017 ^{***}		0.8%	0.2%	1.4%	0.7%	0.0%	36.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2021-2022 ^{***}		0.9%	0.2%	1.8%	1.3%	0.0%	21.7%	0.0%	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2020-2021		0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2021-2022		0.4%	0.5%	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		9.3%											
	Current	2021-2022		17.5%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		54.2%			26.9%	66.7%	30.4%						

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		33.2%												
	Current	2017-2021		39.7%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		28.6%												
	Current	2017-2021		21.7%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	782	15.7%												
	Current	2017-2021	483	14.2%								2017-2021	44			
Vulnerable Families	Base	2011		12.2%												
	Current	2021		9.7%								2019-2021	44	2011-2021		-
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,848	42.5%												
	Current	2017-2021	1,718	49.6%								2021	57			
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	493	50.1%												
	Current	2017-2021	248	45.8%								2017-2021	65			
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	August 2023	8	\$5,170												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2011	860	13.7%												
	Current	2022	232	3.9%								2022	59			
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2011*	\$37,397													
	Current	2021	\$41,995													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2011	130	64.4%	28	37.8%	102	81.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2021	106	51.5%	29	33.0%	75	65.8%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	2021	28		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	4,020	24.9%												
	Current	2021	2,440	16.4%								2021	53			
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	980	23.3%												
	Current	2021	1,010	29.1%								2021	58			

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2021	Current Year: 2022
599	612

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2018***	Current Year: 2023***
3,474	3,311

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2018	Current Year: 2023
1,817	1,691

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2018**	Current Year: 2023**
3,431	3,361

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