

	2000		2022	
Total County Population	115,092		180,773	
County Child Population	34,220	29.7%	45,285	25.1%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	7,195	21.0%	9,523	21.0%
Ages 5-9	7,655	22.4%	10,453	23.1%
Ages 10-14	7,603	22.2%	10,594	23.4%
Ages 15-19	11,767	34.4%	14,715	32.5%

	2000		2022	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	23,446	68.5%	28,033	61.9%
African-American	9,180	26.8%	11,039	24.4%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	53	0.2%	71	0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	491	1.4%	1,831	4.0%
More than One Race	405	1.2%	1,520	3.4%
Hispanic	583	1.7%	2,791	6.2%



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	2000	2022
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	1,432	1,942
Age 4	1,471	2,004

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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	9	5.7	5	5.2	4	8.9	0	0	0	0				
	Current	2021	14	7.4	5	4.3	8	17	0	0	1	5.2	2019-2021	18	2011-2021	-
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2011	125	8.0%	70	7.3%	46	10.2%	6	9.0%	3	3.4%				
	Current	2021	217	11.4%	118	10.1%	70	14.9%	6	9.2%	23	12.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2011	117	7.5%	60	6.2%	51	11.3%	5	7.5%	1	1.1%				
	Current	2021	189	9.9%	99	8.4%	70	14.9%	6	9.2%	14	7.3%	2019-2021	30	2011-2021	W
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2011	34	12.6	11	6.3	22	26.3	1	8.7	0	0				
	Current	2021	28	9.4	7	3.7	12	14.3	0	0	9	130.4	2019-2021	16	2011-2021	-
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2011	142	13	63	8.7	73	26	2	3.8	4	10.5				
	Current	2021	83	6.7	31	3.8	31	11.2	2	2.4	19	29	2019-2021	2	2011-2021	I
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2011	123	7.8%	47	4.9%	72	16.0%	2	3.0%	2	2.3%				
	Current	2021	70	3.7%	27	2.3%	31	6.6%	1	1.5%	11	5.7%	2019-2021	3	2011-2021	I
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2011	1,242	81.4%	793	85.1%	359	80.7%	54	81.8%	36	43.4%				
	Current	2021	1,494	79.8%	978	84.7%	364	78.3%	56	86.2%	96	50.8%	2019-2021	6	2011-2021	-
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2021	1,425	75.0%	981	83.8%	262	55.7%	60	92.3%	122	63.2%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2021	46	1.7%	37	2.1%			9	1.0%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2011	324	224.7	227	226.7	92	281.9	2	31.2	3	60				
	Current	2021	433	243.7	306	255.5	121	301.2	3	27.9	3	42.9	2021	2		

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	1115	Rate	10.6%	Rate	36.8%	Number	4.9	900:1		
Rate	2.7%	Trend	31	Trend	7	Trend	5	Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2022	Number	1,014

		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	212	13.5%			7.1%	20.4%	57.5%				1.5%		
	Current	2021	194	10.2%			3.5%	9.6%	56.0%				0.0%	2021	17
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2012	112												
	Current	2022	177												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.8%											
	Current	2021-2022		4.6%	6.9%	3.2%	3.1%	5.1%	11.6%	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%	4.9%	2021-2022	18
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		64.8%	51.0%	83.2%	56.7%	30.5%	37.5%	38.6%	0.0%	0.0%	52.4%	2022-2023	5
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		49.3%	32.4%	71.3%	47.6%	17.3%	17.0%	51.2%	0.0%	0.0%	33.1%	2022-2023	6
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		59.2%	44.2%	78.5%	46.7%	23.4%	32.2%	59.3%	50.0%	75.0%	32.5%	2022-2023	8
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		30.1%	15.3%	49.6%	23.3%	6.1%	10.9%	36.4%	0.0%	25.0%	16.7%	2022-2023	9
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		2.2%											
	Current	2021-2022		7.2%	13.2%	4.6%	5.6%	9.2%	12.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.3%	2021-2022	48
Graduation Rate	Base	2020-2021		90.8%	85.3%	94.2%	91.1%	92.1%	80.4%	97.5%	100.0%	100.0%	82.2%		
	Current	2021-2022		90.3%	83.2%	95.3%	91.1%	90.1%	83.5%	95.0%	100.0%	100.0%	84.1%	2021-2022	30
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		4.2%											
	Current	2021-2022		3.9% <sup>B</sup>	6.8%	1.9%	4.5%	1.9%	7.9%	1.3%	0.0%	0.0%	9.1%	2021-2022	20
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		10.9%			7.8%	18.7%	7.5%	1.2%	15.2%	10.3%	14.3%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		0.0%			0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		24.2%	27.5%	22.8%	25.3%	23.8%	25.7%	7.8%	21.4%	30.8%	28.1%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		16.1%	26.1%	11.7%	15.7%	17.8%	18.0%	18.0%	3.3%	32.1%	11.5%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017 <sup>***</sup>		2.7%	2.4%	2.9%	0.2%	0.1%	27.5%	19.5%	12.1%	0.0%	1.3%		
	Current	2021-2022 <sup>***</sup>		5.9%	5.5%	6.1%	0.3%	0.2%	43.8%	32.5%	35.7%	7.7%	1.1%		
Homeless Students	Base	2020-2021		0.3%	1.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.5%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%		
	Current	2021-2022		0.2%	0.7%	0.0%	0.2%	0.4%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		3.5%											
	Current	2021-2022		15.7%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		30.8%			16.9%	59.2%	33.5%						

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		17.3%												
	Current	2017-2021		16.1%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		14.4%												
	Current	2017-2021		22.2%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	2,161	8.1%												
	Current	2017-2021	3,727	10.3%								2017-2021	28			
Vulnerable Families	Base	2011		7.7%												
	Current	2021		7.4%								2019-2021	10	2011-2021	-	
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	6,863	28.6%												
	Current	2017-2021	10,152	27.8%								2021	25			
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	3,582	59.8%												
	Current	2017-2021	4,222	65.1%								2017-2021	30			
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	August 2023	1,563	\$848,756												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2011	5,489	8.0%												
	Current	2022	1,871	2.4%								2022	20			
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2011*	\$51,244													
	Current	2021	\$54,188													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2011	693	44.2%	293	30.4%	322	71.6%	13	19.4%	65	75.6%				
	Current	2021	693	36.5%	242	20.6%	283	60.2%	13	20.0%	155	80.3%	2021	5		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	22,130	16.4%												
	Current	2021	23,020	13.4%								2021	16			
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	6,320	20.9%												
	Current	2021	5,040	13.8%								2021	13			

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2021	Current Year: 2022
2,368	2,301

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2018***	Current Year: 2023***
15,836	17,614

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2018	Current Year: 2023
8,585	9,385

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2018**	Current Year: 2023**
15,376	17,134

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