

	2000		2023	
Total County Population	15,922		12,252	
County Child Population	4,541	28.5%	2,655	21.7%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,103	24.3%	644	24.3%
Ages 5-9	1,074	23.7%	676	25.5%
Ages 10-14	1,203	26.5%	654	24.6%
Ages 15-19	1,161	25.6%	681	25.6%

	2000		2023	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	2,127	46.8%	1,468	55.3%
African-American	2,351	51.8%	1,054	39.7%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	5	0.1%	3	0.1%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0%	7	0.3%
More than One Race	24	0.5%	63	2.4%
Hispanic	27	0.6%	60	2.3%



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	2000	2023
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	213	115
Age 4	271	127

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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	2012	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	1	7.6	0	0.0	1	20.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	17	2012-2022	-
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2012	18	14.4%	8	14.0%	10	14.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	24	18.2%	11	13.4%	13	27.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2012	16	12.8%	5	8.9%	11	16.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	16	12.1%	8	9.8%	8	16.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2020-2022	33	2012-2022	-
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	2	7.0	0	0.0	2	17.4	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	3	14.9	3	29.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	49	2012-2022	-
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	9	10.0	3	6.5	6	14.1	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	7	11.3	5	15.0	2	7.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	25	2012-2022	-
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2012	8	6.4%	3	5.4%	5	7.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	6	4.5%	4	4.9%	2	4.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2020-2022	22	2012-2022	-
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2012	94	75.2%	44	78.6%	50	73.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	118	91.5%	75	93.8%	41	87.2%	1	100.0%	1	100.0%	2020-2022	1	2012-2022	-
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2022	83	62.9%	63	76.8%	18	37.5%	1	100.0%	1	100.0%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2022	3	1.8%	2	2.0%			1	1.5%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2012	83	611.9	42	555.9	41	705.2	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	84	675.3	46	654.5	37	729.5	0	0.0	1	645.2	2022	66		

Children Without Health Insurance	2018-2022	Adult Diabetes: 2020	Adult Obesity: 2021	Poor Mental Health Days: 2021	Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2023	Rate		
Number	35	Rate	10.8%	Rate	44.7%	Number	6.3	12533:1
Rate	1.3%	Trend	44	Trend	55	Trend	62	Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2023
						Number		65

		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	2012	13	10.5%			10.5%	10.4%	0.0%				0.0%		
	Current	2022	11	8.3%			7.3%	10.4%	0.0%				0.0%	2022	9
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2013	8												
	Current	2023	14												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.0%											
	Current	2022-2023		1.1%	1.8%	0.0%	3.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	2
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		44.3%	40.0%	83.3%	20.0%	22.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2023-2024	56
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		16.4%	14.5%	33.3%	13.3%	6.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2023-2024	60
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		32.8%	29.1%	55.6%	15.4%	24.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2023-2024	59
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		6.3%	5.5%	11.1%	3.8%	3.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2023-2024	56
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		2.5%											
	Current	2022-2023		1.9%	2.9%	0.0%	3.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2022-2023	25
Graduation Rate	Base	2021-2022		84.1%	87.8%	80.5%	66.7%	90.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023		91.5%	89.0%	100.0%	89.3%	93.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	28
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		13.7%											
	Current	2022-2023		4.3% <sup>B</sup>	5.5%	0.0%	7.1%	3.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	31
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		2.4%			2.8%	2.1%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%	0.0%	7.1%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		0.0%			0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		23.0%	23.8%	18.2%	27.6%	21.3%	28.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	30.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		18.8%	20.9%	7.5%	33.8%	12.6%	57.1%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	20.0%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017 <sup>***</sup>		0.1%	0.0%	0.4%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023 <sup>***</sup>		0.2%	0.0%	1.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2021-2022		0.4%	0.6%	0.0%	1.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		3.7%											
	Current	2022-2023		15.4%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		84.4%			78.7%	86.5%	100.0%						

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		35.1%												
	Current	2018-2022		39.5%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		29.6%												
	Current	2018-2022		20.2%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	613	15.1%												
	Current	2018-2022	405	16.2%									2018-2022	54		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2012		4.0%												
	Current	2022		8.3%									2020-2022	38	2012-2022	-
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,168	32.9%												
	Current	2018-2022	975	38.6%									2022	46		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	442	50.9%												
	Current	2018-2022	268	47.6%									2018-2022	66		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2024	7	\$3,846												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2012	506	10.5%												
	Current	2023	169	4.0%									2023	59		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2012*	\$42,561													
	Current	2022	\$44,458													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2012	7	50.0%	1	20.0%	6	66.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	50	37.9%	23	28.0%	27	56.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2022	11		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	2,970	21.1%												
	Current	2022	2,280	18.0%									2022	37		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	750	22.9%												
	Current	2022	750	29.6%									2022	49		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2022	Current Year: 2023
341	331

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2019***	Current Year: 2024***
2,486	2,408

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024
1,232	1,169

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024**
2,849	2,410

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