	2000		2023	
Total County Population		43,671		60,342
County Child Population	13,641	31.2%	15,392	25.5%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	3,023	22.2%	3,617	23.5%
Ages 5-9	3,618	26.5%	3,850	25.0%
Ages 10-14	3,738	27.4%	3,990	25.9%
Ages 15-19	3,262	23.9%	3,935	25.6%

	2000		2023	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	10,460	76.7%	10,029	65.2%
African-American	2,673	19.6%	3,568	23.2%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	55	0.4%	44	0.3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	38	0.3%	217	1.4%
More than One Race	161	1.2%	682	4.4%
Hispanic	229	1.7%	852	5.5%

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	2000	2023
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	621	772
Age 4	609	820

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	2012	6	9.8	5	10.8	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	8	11.0	5	9.5	3	17.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	49	2012-2022	_
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2012	67	10.9%	45	9.7%	19	15.8%	3	27.3%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	76	10.4%	47	9.0%	24	14.0%	3	27.3%	2	9.5%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2012	48	7.8%	28	6.0%	18	15.0%	1	9.1%	1	5.9%				
	Current	2022	72	9.9%	39	7.4%	30	17.5%	2	18.2%	1	4.8%	2020-2022	37	2012-2022	W
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	12	8.7	7	6.7	4	14.4	0	0.0	1	20.8				
	Current	2022	2	1.4	2	2.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	4	2012-2022	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	55	13.4	37	12.2	16	19.5	0	0.0	2	19.6				
	Current	2022	26	6.7	22	8.5	4	4.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	14	2012-2022	I
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2012	46	7.5%	28	6.0%	16	13.3%	0	0.0%	2	11.8%				
	Current	2022	23	3.2%	19	3.6%	4	2.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2020-2022	10	2012-2022	I
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2012	466	76.0%	365	78.5%	80	66.7%	10	90.9%	11	64.7%				
	Current	2022	552	77.6%	407	78.9%	125	76.2%	7	63.6%	13	65.0%	2020-2022	12	2012-2022	_
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2022	591	81.4%	451	86.2%	115	67.3%	9	81.8%	16	76.2%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2022	25	2.6%	22	3.3%			3	1.1%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2012	148	269.2	116	274.9	31	313.5	0	0.0	1	76.5				
	Current	2022	218	364.8	168	390.2	46	366.4	2	94.1	2	99.0	2022	18		

Children Without Health Insurance	2018-2022
Number	275
Rate	1.9%

Adult Diabetes: 2020	
Rate	8.1%
Trend	5

Adult Obesity: 2021	
Rate	38.9%
Trend	18

Poor Mental Health Days: 2021	
Number	5.7
Trend	13

Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2023	Rate
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Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2023	Number
	161

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	2012	75	12.3%			10.8%	15.0%	41.2%				0.0%		
	Current	2022	58	8.0%			9.1%	1.8%	33.3%				0.0%	2022	5
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2013	47												
	Current	2023	83												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.8%											
	Current	2022-2023		5.4%	6.8%	4.7%	4.3%	7.3%	5.8%	5.0%	0.0%	0.0%	8.5%	2022-2023	32
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		67.7%	58.4%	79.8%	52.6%	31.2%	44.1%	26.9%	0.0%	0.0%	41.1%	2023-2024	7
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		49.6%	35.2%	68.3%	36.8%	15.9%	28.0%	31.6%	0.0%	0.0%	30.5%	2023-2024	9
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		58.5%	45.0%	76.4%	40.9%	27.0%	26.5%	92.9%	50.0%	0.0%	52.8%	2023-2024	11
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		33.0%	17.3%	53.7%	22.8%	8.3%	12.5%	82.4%	50.0%	100.0%	77.8%	2023-2024	8
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		2.6%											
	Current	2022-2023		6.1%	13.7%	2.5%	4.3%	9.5%	8.6%	4.5%	0.0%	0.0%	7.1%	2022-2023	54
Graduation Rate	Base	2021-2022		82.6%	69.5%	90.3%	84.9%	76.1%	86.7%	87.5%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%		
	Current	2022-2023		85.6%	78.1%	93.6%	86.3%	84.8%	82.8%	72.7%	100.0%	0.0%	90.9%	2022-2023	54
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		3.3%											
	Current	2022-2023		6.7%[B]	9.5%	3.7%	7.3%	6.1%	6.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	55
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		15.0%			11.9%	23.3%	11.9%	5.8%	3.8%	28.6%	11.9%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		0.2%			0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		31.5%	32.2%	30.8%	32.6%	30.4%	33.9%	16.9%	40.0%	0.0%	27.1%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		23.5%	31.0%	16.0%	25.1%	21.5%	22.4%	9.6%	20.0%	42.9%	22.7%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		1.2%	0.4%	1.5%	0.1%	0.1%	9.8%	30.2%	7.7%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023***		2.8%	2.5%	3.1%	0.8%	0.1%	25.5%	37.1%	20.0%	0.0%	0.3%		
Homeless Students	Base	2021-2022		0.4%	1.2%	0.0%	0.3%	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%	5.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023		1.2%	2.4%	0.0%	1.3%	0.8%	2.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.9%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		1.5%											
	Current	2022-2023		10.0%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		50.1%			39.4%	73.1%	58.6%						

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Child Care Center Capacity	2024
Day Care	1,135
Night Care	0
All Centers	1,135

Child Care Facilities	May 2024
Total All Licensed	20
Center Based Licensed	12
Center Based Exempt	8
Family Homes	7
Group Homes	1
Total All Child Care Facilities	28

Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Slots: 2024

EHS	HS	TOTAL
32	52	84

Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2023-2024

Classrooms	Number	Percent
16	246	34.4%

Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores

2022-2023	
English	17
Math	17
Reading	17
Science	18
Composite	17

First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery

2023-2024	
Head Start	1
Private School	0
Public School	10
Other	5
Total	16

Career and College Ready Index

Base Year 2022	Current Year 2023
76.0%	74.6%

Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)

	Base Year FY2018	Current Year FY2023
Dollars	$9,977	$11,400

***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	2012	76	5.3												
	Current	2023	106	7.5									2021-2023	14		
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	2	17.3	2	23.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	6	2012-2022	_
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	2	49.4	2	68.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	2	52.3	1	39.1	1	113.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	23	2012-2022	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	301	12.6%												
	Current	2018-2022	244	7.2%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2013	35	5.2												
	Current	2023	9	1.4									2021-2023	5	2013-2023	_

Children in Foster Care		Children Adopted		ILP Ages 14 and Older: March 2024	Children in Protective Services: March 2024	Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	
Base Year: 2016	Current Year: 2024	Base Year: 2016	Current Year: 2024	Total	Total	Base Year: 1999-2009	Current Year: 2013-2023
41	32	1	4	17	63	29	8

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	4,738	10.9%	2,428	7.0%	2,133	28.9%	177	14.4%	122	31.0%				
	Current	2018-2022	6,630	11.4%	4,089	9.4%	1,947	17.1%	594	17.0%	266	14.3%	2018-2022	8		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	1,696	13.7%	755	8.0%	863	35.7%	78	17.1%	22	16.8%				
	Current	2018-2022	1,851	13.5%	846	8.8%	745	26.1%	260	21.9%	103	16.7%	2018-2022	4		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		13.6%												
	Current	2018-2022		16.5%												

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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		12.2%												
	Current	2018-2022		12.4%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		15.7%												
	Current	2018-2022		12.8%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	811	6.6%												
	Current	2018-2022	945	6.9%									2018-2022	11		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2012		8.8%												
	Current	2022		3.4%									2020-2022	25	2012-2022	_
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	2,545	22.7%												
	Current	2018-2022	3,125	22.7%									2022	13		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	1,574	60.2%												
	Current	2018-2022	1,670	68.8%									2018-2022	16		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2024	312	$152,564												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2012	1,830	7.1%												
	Current	2023	591	2.2%									2023	10		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2012*	$65,570													
	Current	2022	$70,148													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2012	279	45.6%	180	38.8%	80	66.7%	4	36.4%	15	88.2%				
	Current	2022	253	34.8%	146	27.8%	92	53.8%	3	27.3%	12	57.1%	2022	6		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	7,140	13.4%												
	Current	2022	8,860	15.1%									2022	6		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	2,980	20.3%												
	Current	2022	2,410	17.5%									2022	8		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly		SNAP Eligible, All Ages		SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20		SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2022	Current Year: 2023	Base Year: 2019***	Current Year: 2024***	Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024	Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024**
918	1,036	6,811	6,967	3,603	3,813	7,374	6,888

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