

	2000		2023	
Total County Population	14,254		14,111	
County Child Population	3,754	26.3%	3,196	22.6%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	877	23.4%	780	24.4%
Ages 5-9	921	24.5%	795	24.9%
Ages 10-14	979	26.1%	829	25.9%
Ages 15-19	977	26.0%	792	24.8%

	2000		2023	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	2,872	76.5%	2,351	73.6%
African-American	760	20.2%	472	14.8%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	11	0.3%	11	0.3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	3	0.1%	9	0.3%
More than One Race	43	1.1%	177	5.5%
Hispanic	63	1.7%	176	5.5%



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	2000	2023
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	170	154
Age 4	169	175

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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	2	15.2	0	0.0	2	76.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	1	2012-2022	I
	Current	2022	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2012	20	15.2%	13	14.1%	7	26.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	15	8.9%	12	9.2%	3	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2012	14	10.6%	5	5.4%	8	30.8%	0	0.0%	1	9.1%	2020-2022	42	2012-2022	-
	Current	2022	16	9.5%	13	9.9%	3	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	10	40.2	9	39.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	71.4	2020-2022	37	2012-2022	-
	Current	2022	2	9.9	0	0.0	1	200.0	0	0.0	1	0.0				
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	24	28.6	19	29.1	2	15.4	0	0.0	3	107.1	2020-2022	40	2012-2022	I
	Current	2022	12	15.7	9	16.0	2	17.9	0	0.0	1	30.3				
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2012	15	11.4%	12	13.0%	2	7.7%	0	0.0%	1	9.1%	2020-2022	28	2012-2022	I
	Current	2022	10	6.0%	7	5.3%	2	6.7%	0	0.0%	1	14.3%				
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2012	109	82.6%	76	82.6%	21	80.8%	3	100.0%	9	81.8%	2020-2022	45	2012-2022	W
	Current	2022	121	75.6%	96	77.4%	20	69.0%	0	0.0%	5	71.4%				
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2022	92	54.8%	76	58.0%	11	36.7%	0	0.0%	5	71.4%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2022	18	8.5%	15	8.8%			3	7.2%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2012	71	528.5	66	610.8	5	261.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	2022	37		
	Current	2022	63	443.7	56	490.9	7	363.6	0	0.0	0	0.0				

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	24	Rate	7.5%	Rate	41.6%	Number	6.1	7095:1
Rate	0.7%	Trend	2	Trend	40	Trend	47	Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2023
						Number		136

		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	35	26.5%			23.9%	23.1%	54.5%				33.3%		
	Current	2022	22	13.1%			11.5%	13.3%	42.9%				0.0%	2022	40
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2013	15												
	Current	2023	14												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.0%											
	Current	2022-2023		9.9%	13.4%	7.1%	10.2%	15.0%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	62
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		64.8%	58.2%	86.7%	37.5%	37.5%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	92.9%	2023-2024	14
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		46.1%	36.7%	76.7%	30.6%	9.1%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	57.1%	2023-2024	12
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		40.2%	30.7%	59.1%	31.8%	23.2%	5.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	30.0%	2023-2024	51
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		7.5%	3.4%	15.6%	4.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	20.0%	2023-2024	54
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		5.8%											
	Current	2022-2023		1.2%	2.0%	0.9%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	14
Graduation Rate	Base	2021-2022		81.0%	67.7%	93.1%	81.8%	73.7%	90.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	75.0%		
	Current	2022-2023		88.7%	84.7%	95.3%	93.7%	82.6%	60.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2022-2023	47
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		4.5%											
	Current	2022-2023		6.1% ^B	8.3%	2.3%	3.8%	8.7%	20.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	49
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		7.9%			7.8%	10.3%	7.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	4.3%		
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		32.7%	34.4%	29.5%	33.6%	29.9%	31.3%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	31.7%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		19.7%	25.6%	8.1%	19.5%	16.5%	19.2%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	29.3%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017 ^{***}		0.6%	0.3%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	11.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023 ^{***}		1.9%	2.1%	1.6%	0.0%	0.0%	32.3%	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2021-2022		0.9%	2.7%	0.0%	0.3%	4.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023		1.2%	1.8%	0.0%	0.8%	3.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		8.3%											
	Current	2022-2023		12.8%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		66.3%			59.4%	84.5%	78.8%						

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		19.1%												
	Current	2018-2022		27.3%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		27.4%												
	Current	2018-2022		20.3%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	316	9.4%												
	Current	2018-2022	357	12.5%									2018-2022	38		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2012		15.3%												
	Current	2022		10.0%									2020-2022	15	2012-2022	-
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	737	24.2%												
	Current	2018-2022	591	20.3%									2022	10		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	496	64.8%												
	Current	2018-2022	320	57.0%									2018-2022	49		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2024	45	\$19,499												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2012	520	9.6%												
	Current	2023	140	2.4%									2023	18		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2012*	\$44,077													
	Current	2022	\$49,599													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2012	96	72.7%	60	65.2%	23	88.5%	3	100.0%	10	90.9%				
	Current	2022	90	53.6%	66	50.4%	20	66.7%	0	0.0%	4	57.1%	2022	38		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	2,720	19.4%												
	Current	2022	2,560	18.0%									2022	37		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	850	27.7%												
	Current	2022	620	21.2%									2022	22		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2022	Current Year: 2023
468	429

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2019***	Current Year: 2024***
1,369	1,664

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024
690	885

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024**
1,553	1,665

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