	2000		2023	
Total County Population		276,700		412,600
County Child Population	79,138	28.6%	100,615	24.4%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	18,800	23.8%	22,855	22.7%
Ages 5-9	20,194	25.5%	24,650	24.5%
Ages 10-14	20,298	25.6%	25,007	24.9%
Ages 15-19	19,846	25.1%	28,103	27.9%

	2000		2023	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	50,733	64.1%	53,918	53.6%
African-American	21,963	27.8%	27,830	27.7%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	697	0.9%	348	0.3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	1,378	1.7%	2,376	2.4%
More than One Race	2,183	2.8%	5,369	5.3%
Hispanic	2,006	2.5%	10,759	10.7%

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	2000	2023
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	3,793	4,812
Age 4	3,815	4,767

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	24	6.1	12	5.2	12	10.2	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	19	4.2	5	1.9	13	10.4	0	0.0	1	2.0	2020-2022	20	2012-2022	I
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2012	485	12.4%	258	11.1%	179	15.2%	23	16.0%	25	8.8%				
	Current	2022	580	12.9%	295	11.1%	201	16.1%	15	12.9%	69	13.9%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2012	391	10.0%	187	8.1%	164	13.9%	24	16.4%	16	5.6%				
	Current	2022	437	9.7%	208	7.9%	180	14.4%	12	10.3%	37	7.4%	2020-2022	34	2012-2022	_
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	69	10.0	27	5.9	34	18.1	1	2.4	7	23.0				
	Current	2022	54	7.5	21	4.8	21	11.7	0	0.0	12	20.7	2020-2022	12	2012-2022	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	282	12.4	119	8.8	136	20.8	5	3.1	22	19.7				
	Current	2022	174	6.8	72	5.4	63	8.4	0	0.0	39	14.5	2020-2022	4	2012-2022	I
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2012	238	6.1%	88	3.8%	131	11.1%	4	2.7%	15	5.3%				
	Current	2022	155	3.4%	62	2.3%	63	5.0%	0	0.0%	30	6.0%	2020-2022	3	2012-2022	I
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2012	2,695	68.8%	1,690	73.2%	779	66.0%	106	73.6%	120	42.4%				
	Current	2022	2,751	62.9%	1,749	67.1%	704	57.9%	75	67.0%	223	50.8%	2020-2022	61	2012-2022	W
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2022	3,894	86.4%	2,389	90.4%	986	78.8%	110	94.8%	409	82.1%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2022	91	1.5%	55	1.4%			34	1.6%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2012	793	231.3	596	263.5	180	219.0	8	42.7	9	57.3				
	Current	2022	1251	310.0	978	381.0	243	243.6	23	93.7	7	31.0	2022	5		

Children Without Health Insurance	2018-2022
Number	2,504
Rate	2.8%

Adult Diabetes: 2020	
Rate	11.0%
Trend	45

Adult Obesity: 2021	
Rate	41.9%
Trend	44

Poor Mental Health Days: 2021	
Number	5.1
Trend	2

Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2023	Rate
	585:1

Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2023	Number
	2,420

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	521	13.3%			8.0%	14.6%	53.5%				8.3%		
	Current	2022	376	8.3%			3.2%	7.0%	40.0%				2.6%	2022	10
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2013	434												
	Current	2023	784												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.5%											
	Current	2022-2023		2.1%	2.6%	1.9%	1.9%	2.6%	2.1%	1.4%	3.2%	0.0%	1.3%	2022-2023	7
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		64.5%	47.7%	80.4%	58.5%	28.3%	34.8%	68.3%	44.9%	54.5%	39.6%	2023-2024	15
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		43.2%	23.2%	62.1%	44.8%	11.0%	20.0%	65.7%	34.3%	18.2%	23.9%	2023-2024	20
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		60.9%	42.2%	77.2%	53.9%	23.2%	28.0%	81.9%	45.1%	63.6%	45.9%	2023-2024	7
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		26.3%	10.9%	39.6%	24.7%	4.8%	10.5%	34.2%	19.5%	0.0%	21.5%	2023-2024	18
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		1.8%											
	Current	2022-2023		2.7%	6.1%	1.7%	1.8%	3.2%	5.1%	0.0%	4.1%	7.1%	3.4%	2022-2023	30
Graduation Rate	Base	2021-2022		93.2%	87.2%	95.9%	93.7%	93.2%	87.3%	98.1%	94.3%	87.5%	93.7%		
	Current	2022-2023		94.0%	89.6%	96.5%	94.9%	93.0%	90.4%	95.1%	94.7%	72.7%	95.6%	2022-2023	13
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		3.0%											
	Current	2022-2023		2.7%[B]	4.8%	1.6%	2.4%	2.1%	6.8%	1.9%	4.4%	9.1%	1.1%	2022-2023	16
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		11.2%			7.4%	19.8%	8.9%	1.9%	9.5%	10.9%	9.6%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		0.0%			0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		26.5%	28.6%	24.9%	27.6%	25.5%	27.3%	17.5%	24.1%	27.0%	26.2%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		15.5%	23.3%	9.8%	13.8%	18.3%	18.1%	5.7%	14.3%	11.7%	16.5%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		3.0%	5.4%	2.1%	0.4%	0.2%	28.8%	11.7%	0.4%	21.2%	1.2%		
	Current	2022-2023***		5.8%	9.3%	3.3%	0.9%	0.3%	38.3%	23.0%	0.4%	20.7%	2.4%		
Homeless Students	Base	2021-2022		0.7%	2.7%	0.0%	0.4%	1.2%	0.7%	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	1.0%		
	Current	2022-2023		0.9%	2.2%	0.0%	0.6%	1.6%	0.9%	0.1%	0.4%	0.0%	1.3%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		5.9%											
	Current	2022-2023		12.1%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		42.1%			24.4%	66.6%	62.6%						

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Child Care Center Capacity	2024
Day Care	8,880
Night Care	784
All Centers	9,664

Child Care Facilities	May 2024
Total All Licensed	158
Center Based Licensed	109
Center Based Exempt	39
Family Homes	20
Group Homes	29
Total All Child Care Facilities	197

Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Slots: 2024

EHS	HS	TOTAL
80	125	205

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

Classrooms	Number	Percent
94	1,563	33.7%

Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores

2022-2023	
English	18
Math	18
Reading	20
Science	19
Composite	19

First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery

2023-2024	
Head Start	1
Private School	1
Public School	74
Other	18
Total	94

Career and College Ready Index

Base Year 2022	Current Year 2023
87.0%	90.4%

Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)	Base Year FY2018	Current Year FY2023
Dollars	$11,090	$11,167

***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	233	2.9												
	Current	2023	300	3.4									2021-2023	1		
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	7	10.8	4	10.5	2	11.9	0	0.0	1	20.9				
	Current	2022	17	23.7	5	12.6	11	59.6	0	0.0	1	12.9	2020-2022	25	2012-2022	_
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	10	41.5	5	35.7	5	67.7	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	12	44.4	4	28.8	8	93.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	30	2012-2022	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	1,286	8.2%												
	Current	2018-2022	1,117	5.2%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2013	211	5.8												
	Current	2023	112	2.7									2021-2023	14	2013-2023	I

Children in Foster Care		Children Adopted	
Base Year: 2016	Current Year: 2024	Base Year: 2016	Current Year: 2024
305	411	19	36

ILP Ages 14 and Older: March 2024	Children in Protective Services: March 2024	Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	
Total	Total	Base Year: 1999-2009	Current Year: 2013-2023
150	493	519	129

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	28,408	10.5%	13,973	7.1%	12,745	22.1%	1,690	11.4%	776	14.4%				
	Current	2018-2022	40,440	10.7%	18,482	7.4%	17,086	18.9%	4,872	12.6%	4,038	20.0%	2018-2022	4		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	10,011	14.3%	4,026	8.6%	5,340	29.8%	645	13.1%	394	20.0%				
	Current	2018-2022	11,538	13.9%	3,590	7.3%	5,916	27.3%	2,032	16.2%	1,793	24.5%	2018-2022	5		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		16.8%												
	Current	2018-2022		18.6%												

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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		14.5%												
	Current	2018-2022		13.9%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		12.2%												
	Current	2018-2022		10.4%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	4,036	5.8%												
	Current	2018-2022	4,633	5.6%									2018-2022	4		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2012		5.7%												
	Current	2022		3.0%									2020-2022	6	2012-2022	_
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	16,268	25.2%												
	Current	2018-2022	21,583	25.8%									2022	21		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	9,595	60.7%												
	Current	2018-2022	10,979	66.7%									2018-2022	21		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2024	2,124	$1,116,231												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2012	12,117	7.1%												
	Current	2023	4,218	2.0%									2023	4		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2012*	$72,748													
	Current	2022	$80,426													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2012	1,562	39.9%	588	25.5%	723	61.2%	41	28.5%	210	73.9%				
	Current	2022	1,422	31.5%	406	15.3%	651	52.0%	21	18.1%	344	69.1%	2022	2		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	44,670	13.8%												
	Current	2022	54,270	13.9%									2022	2		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	15,160	19.7%												
	Current	2022	14,420	17.2%									2022	7		

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**
4,999	5,127	34,379	32,066	18,074	16,864	36,105	30,623

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