

2000		2024	
Total County Population	140,415	261,608	
County Child Population	37,714	26.9%	59,480
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number
Under Age 5	8,621	22.9%	13,023
Ages 5-9	9,486	25.2%	14,687
Ages 10-14	10,144	26.9%	16,236
Ages 15-19	9,463	25.1%	15,534
	Percent		21.9%

2000		2024	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number
White	30,652	81.3%	43,849
African-American	5,299	14.1%	5,945
American Indian/Alaskan Native	204	0.5%	309
Asian/Pacific Islander	182	0.5%	697
More than One Race	470	1.2%	2,614
Hispanic	861	2.3%	6,036
			10.1%



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2000	2024
Pre-K Children	Number
Age 3	1,753
Age 4	2,656
	1,806
	2,757

## HEALTH

	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	2013	18	8.3	11	6.5	6	23.7	0	0.0	1	6.0	2021-2023	23	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023	14	5.6	0	0.0	10	39.4	3	57.7	1	3.1				
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2013	205	9.5%	161	9.5%	34	13.4%	3	6.1%	7	4.2%	2021-2023	23	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023	249	10.0%	184	9.9%	29	11.4%	7	13.5%	29	9.1%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2013	178	8.2%	128	7.6%	38	15.0%	2	4.0%	10	6.0%	2021-2023	7	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023	195	7.8%	122	6.6%	41	16.1%	6	11.5%	26	8.2%				
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	57	16.0	37	12.3	14	30.0	0	0.0	6	58.8	2021-2023	15	2013-2023	I
	Current	2023	36	8.2	13	3.8	5	10.9	0	0.0	18	111.1				
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	183	15.0	131	13.9	30	20.3	4	6.6	18	27.5	2021-2023	7	2013-2023	I
	Current	2023	127	8.3	66	5.8	20	13.1	0	0.0	41	30.4				
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2013	157	7.3%	110	6.5%	30	11.9%	3	6.0%	14	8.3%	2021-2023	8	2013-2023	I
	Current	2023	112	4.5%	61	3.3%	18	7.1%	0	0.0%	33	10.3%				
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2013	1,790	83.4%	1,466	87.3%	207	82.1%	40	81.6%	77	47.0%	2021-2023	26	2013-2023	W
	Current	2023	1,853	75.6%	1,480	80.2%	183	73.5%	37	71.2%	153	50.5%				
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2023	2,154	86.8%	1,633	87.9%	188	74.3%	46	88.5%	287	90.0%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2023	55	1.8%	49	2.0%			6	1.2%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2013	791	405.9	724	445.7	55	304.7	5	85.5	7	81.9	2023	18		
	Current	2023	960	378.7	876	420.0	69	331.1	7	74.1	8	54.6				

Children Without Health Insurance	2019-2023	Adult Diabetes: 2021	Adult Obesity: 2022	Poor Mental Health Days: 2022	Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2024	Rate
Number	2,617	9.9%	32	36.8%	6.0	828:1
Rate	4.9%	Trend	11	Trend	13	Number
					Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2024	1,829

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	2013	294	13.7%		9.7%	15.1%	52.4%				10.4%			
	Current	2023	309	12.4%		6.3%	9.8%	50.5%				11.5%	2023	28	
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2014	170												
	Current	2024	288												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.3%											
	Current	2024-2025		5.7%	9.1%	4.3%	5.2%	6.0%	7.6%	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%	6.8%	2024-2025	30
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		70.1%	55.9%	81.5%	57.5%	30.3%	28.7%	47.5%	41.7%	100.0%	42.1%	2024-2025	8
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		48.0%	30.7%	61.8%	38.1%	10.1%	19.0%	43.8%	36.7%	100.0%	27.4%	2024-2025	15
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		64.3%	48.5%	75.9%	49.8%	21.0%	28.8%	96.2%	70.6%	0.0%	37.0%	2024-2025	6
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		39.2%	22.4%	51.5%	27.8%	7.2%	13.0%	78.6%	41.2%	0.0%	14.6%	2024-2025	2
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.0%											
	Current	2024-2025		0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%	0.0%	2024-2025	8
Graduation Rate	Base	2025	* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.												
	Current	2025													
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2025	* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.												
	Current	2025													
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		14.3%			11.9%	25.1%	15.2%	4.6%	16.2%	3.8%	19.4%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		0.2%			0.2%	0.6%	0.2%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.3%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		26.0%	29.2%	23.7%	26.2%	25.6%	25.8%	13.4%	29.9%	47.4%	27.1%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		11.0%	16.4%	6.9%	10.3%	13.7%	10.6%	4.7%	16.6%	5.3%	14.3%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		3.1%	3.9%	2.7%	0.3%	0.0%	30.7%	22.4%	0.0%	6.3%	0.5%		
	Current	2024-2025***		7.7%	11.5%	4.8%	0.6%	0.2%	50.2%	25.4%	2.1%	10.5%	1.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2022-2023		0.4%	1.0%	0.0%	0.3%	1.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.8%	3.2%	1.1%		
	Current	2024-2025		0.6%	1.5%	0.0%	0.4%	1.9%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	5.3%	1.4%		
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		43.1%			32.5%	76.8%	62.7%						

Child Care Center Capacity		2025		Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Slots: 2025		EHS		HS		TOTAL		Career and College Ready Index: FY2025									
Day Care		4,051		* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.		Classrooms		Number		Percent		Base Year		Current Year							
Night Care		174		Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2024-2025		53		886		34.2%		* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.		Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)							
All Centers		4,225		May 2025				Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores				First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery									
Child Care Facilities		68		2024-2025				2024-2025				Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)									
Total All Licensed		48		English		19		Head Start		1		Base Year		Current Year							
Center Based Licensed		42		Math		19		Private School		0		Dollars		* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.							
Center Based Exempt		12		Reading		20		Public School		45		*LEGEND - FULL ETHNIC BREAKDOWN									
Family Homes		8		Science		20		Other		7		White   Black or African American   Hispanic/Latino   Asian   American Indian/Alaska Native   Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander   Two or More Races									
Group Homes		110		Composite		19		Total		53											

## 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	2014	332	7.5									2022-2024	6			
	Current	2024	325	6.0													
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2013	6	16.6	5	18.1	1	25.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	16	2013-2023	-	
	Current	2023	10	23.1	9	28.2	1	23.7	0	0.0	0	0.0					
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2013	4	33.7	4	43.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	11	2013-2023	-	
	Current	2023	6	39.6	4	35.1	2	125.9	0	0.0	0	0.0					
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	689	9.3%													
	Current	2019-2023	917	8.1%													
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2014	0	0.0									2022-2024	41	2014-2024	-	
	Current	2024	129	4.9													
Children in Foster Care		Children Adopted		ILP Ages 14 and Older: March 2025				Children in Protective Services: March 2025				Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act					
Base Year: 2014	Current Year: 2025	Base Year: 2014	Current Year: 2025	Total				Total				Base Year: 1999-2009		Current Year: 2014-2024			
119	191	15	19	64				212				268		400			

## ECONOMIC SECURITY

	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	14,018	10.1%	9,766	8.1%	3,616	26.8%	636	16.8%	501	21.5%	2019-2023	5		
	Current	2019-2023	24,819	10.5%	15,416	7.9%	5,872	32.2%	3,531	16.4%	2,742	21.4%				
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	4,546	13.4%	2,752	9.8%	1,545	33.9%	249	21.7%	158	23.9%	2019-2023	5		
	Current	2019-2023	7,248	14.4%	3,061	8.1%	2,322	53.7%	1,865	23.5%	1,437	33.6%				
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		16.1%												
	Current	2019-2023		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	12.5%													
	Current	2019-2023	14.9%													
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000	12.5%													
	Current	2019-2023	12.8%													
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	1,782	5.3%									2019-2023	6		
	Current	2019-2023	3,181	6.3%												
Vulnerable Families	Base	2013	7.3%										2021-2023	21	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023	4.8%													
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	6,944	22.3%									2023	5		
	Current	2019-2023	10,022	19.6%												
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	4,372	58.7%									2019-2023	27		
	Current	2019-2023	5,751	64.9%												
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2025	1,345	\$818,790												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2013	5,792	6.8%									2024	8		
	Current	2024	3,205	2.7%												
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2013*	\$62,180													
	Current	2023	\$74,248													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2013	1,046	48.5%	689	40.8%	202	79.8%	28	57.1%	127	75.6%				
	Current	2023	949	38.3%	516	27.8%	180	71.1%	15	28.8%	238	75.3%	2023	11		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	23,570	13.4%									2023	5		
	Current	2023	35,500	14.8%												
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	9,720	23.8%									2023	3		
	Current	2023	7,440	14.5%												
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly				SNAP Eligible, All Ages				SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20				SNAP Recipients, All Ages				
Base Year: 2023		Current Year: 2024		Base Year: 2020***		Current Year: 2025***		Base Year: 2020		Current Year: 2025		Base Year: 2020		Current Year: 2025**		
3,925		3,934		18,353		19,942		10,092		10,941		18,075		19,413		

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