

2000		2024		2000		2024		 RANK 30 2000 2024			
Total County Population		20,826		22,258		Diversity of Children		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
County Child Population	5,840	28.0%	4,854	21.8%	White	4,221	72.3%	3,419	70.4%		
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	African-American	1,496	25.6%	936	19.3%		
Under Age 5	1,449	24.8%	1,242	25.6%	American Indian/Alaskan Native	7	0.1%	16	0.3%		
Ages 5-9	1,530	26.2%	1,219	25.1%	Asian/Pacific Islander	6	0.1%	10	0.2%		
Ages 10-14	1,454	24.9%	1,193	24.6%	More than One Race	42	0.7%	202	4.2%		
Ages 15-19	1,407	24.1%	1,200	24.7%	Hispanic	68	1.2%	269	5.5%		

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	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	TRENDING		
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2013	5	19.7	3	15.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	500.0							
	Current	2023	4	16.7	2	12.1	2	41.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	55	2013-2023	-			
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2013	37	14.6%	24	12.7%	13	21.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%							
	Current	2023	34	14.3%	22	13.3%	9	19.1%	0	0.0%	3	12.0%							
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2013	28	11.0%	20	10.6%	8	13.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%							
	Current	2023	26	10.9%	16	9.7%	8	16.7%	0	0.0%	2	8.0%	2021-2023	34	2013-2023	-			
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	7	20.9	3	9.3	3	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0							
	Current	2023	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	17	2013-2023	I			
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	33	25.9	26	26.1	6	25.8	0	0.0	1	40.0							
	Current	2023	14	11.6	7	8.5	4	19.2	0	0.0	3	58.8	2021-2023	47	2013-2023	I			
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2013	25	9.8%	19	10.1%	6	9.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%							
	Current	2023	10	4.2%	4	2.4%	4	8.3%	0	0.0%	2	8.0%	2021-2023	24	2013-2023	I			
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2013	184	73.6%	139	74.7%	43	71.7%	0	0.0%	2	50.0%							
	Current	2023	168	71.8%	119	73.0%	29	64.4%	1	100.0%	19	76.0%	2021-2023	42	2013-2023	-			
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base																		
	Current	2023	179	74.9%	134	81.2%	23	47.9%	1	100.0%	21	84.0%							
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base																		
	Current	2023	7	2.4%	6	2.7%			1	1.4%									
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2013	90	399.6	72	427.0	18	370.4	0	0.0	0	0.0				2023	23		
	Current	2023	85	388.7	72	446.7	13	291.9	0	0.0	0	0.0							

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	68	Rate	9.1%	Rate	41.4%	Number
Rate	1.5%	Trend	18	Trend	37	Trend
					Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2024	52

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	
	Base	2013	41	16.3%		13.9%	20.0%	75.0%				0.0%			
Births to Females with Less Than 12 Years of Education	Current	2023	29	12.2%		7.9%	8.5%	50.0%				0.0%	2023	27	
	Base	2014	28												
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Current	2024	36												
	Base	2016-2017		0.8%											
First Grade Retention	Current	2024-2025		4.5%	6.3%	3.4%	4.6%	2.1%	4.3%	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%	2024-2025	18	
	Base														
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Current	2024-2025		56.9%	46.3%	74.4%	44.1%	19.2%	19.2%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	18.8%	2024-2025	44
	Base														
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Current	2024-2025		35.0%	25.9%	50.0%	32.3%	5.2%	16.7%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	6.3%	2024-2025	43
	Base														
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Current	2024-2025		37.9%	33.6%	44.4%	23.4%	25.9%	28.1%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	10.0%	2024-2025	56
	Base														
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Current	2024-2025		15.7%	12.3%	20.9%	8.1%	5.7%	11.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	10.0%	2024-2025	40
	Base														
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		2.7%											
	Current	2024-2025		2.9%	5.3%	1.6%	0.8%	6.0%	3.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	20.0%	2024-2025	46
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		12.1%		9.8%	21.1%	7.2%	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%	12.8%			
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		0.1%		0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%			
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		31.9%	32.7%	30.7%	34.9%	26.1%	21.6%	28.6%	33.3%	0.0%	32.7%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		20.2%	23.2%	15.6%	20.5%	23.6%	8.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	21.2%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		1.4%	0.5%	2.0%	0.0%	0.0%	42.3%	14.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2024-2025***		5.1%	5.6%	4.5%	0.0%	0.2%	63.5%	57.1%	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2022-2023		0.5%	0.7%	0.0%	0.1%	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	6.1%		
	Current	2024-2025		0.9%	1.6%	0.0%	0.8%	1.3%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.9%		
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		59.5%		49.0%	87.0%	67.1%							

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			66	* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.			Base Year			Current Year					
Night Care			0	Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2024-2025			Classrooms	Number	Percent	* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.					
All Centers			66				9	154	63.6%						
Child Care Facilities		May 2025		Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores		First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery					Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)		Base Year	Current Year FY2025	
Total All Licensed			5	2024-2025		2024-2025					Dollars	* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.			
Center Based Licensed			4	English	15	Head Start		1							
Center Based Exempt			4	Math	16	Private School		0							
Family Homes			1	Reading	16	Public School		7							
Group Homes			0	Science	16	Other		1							
Total All Child Care Facilities			9	Composite	16	Total		9							

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	47	9.9								2022-2024	67			
	Current	2024	172	38.8												
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2013	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	2021-2023	36	2013-2023	–	
	Current	2023	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0					
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2013	2	149.0	1	101.0	1	326.8	0	0.0	0	2021-2023	46	2013-2023	–	
	Current	2023	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0					
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	173	15.1%												
	Current	2019-2023	119	11.3%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2014	0	0.0								2022-2024	61	2014-2024	W	
	Current	2024	22	11.1												
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			
12	39	5	4	5			60			29			5			

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	4,091	20.6%	2,249	14.4%	1,803	45.4%	39	14.7%	30	16.6%	2019-2023	48		
	Current	2019-2023	4,258	20.5%	2,422	15.1%	1,608	41.7%	228	25.4%	332	45.5%				
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	1,476	28.1%	785	20.4%	681	51.2%	10	13.2%	20	23.0%	2019-2023	56		
	Current	2019-2023	1,492	33.8%	862	25.7%	586	69.4%	44	21.0%	93	39.9%				
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		29.8%												
	Current	2019-2023		24.7%												

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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	31.2%													
	Current	2019-2023	41.7%													
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000	23.2%													
	Current	2019-2023	30.3%													
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	694	13.2%									2019-2023	61		
	Current	2019-2023	967	21.9%												
Vulnerable Families	Base	2013		6.8%									2021-2023	41	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023		2.1%												
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,143	24.9%									2023	31		
	Current	2019-2023	1,383	31.2%												
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	627	54.4%									2019-2023	47		
	Current	2019-2023	581	58.7%												
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2025	30	\$16,453												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2013	705	8.1%									2024	20		
	Current	2024	264	3.0%												
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2013*	\$52,033													
	Current	2023	\$56,025													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2013	142	55.9%	89	47.1%	49	80.3%	0	0.0%	4	100.0%				
	Current	2023	119	49.8%	62	37.6%	38	79.2%	0	0.0%	19	76.0%	2023	30		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	3,550	15.7%									2023	46		
	Current	2023	4,270	19.3%												
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	1,300	24.9%									2023	41		
	Current	2023	1,100	24.7%												
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**		
457		517		2,714		2,666		1,376		1,292		2,710		2,660		

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