

2000		2024	
Total County Population	15,922	12,052	
County Child Population	4,541	28.5%	2,532
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number
Under Age 5	1,103	24.3%	599
Ages 5-9	1,074	23.7%	643
Ages 10-14	1,203	26.5%	639
Ages 15-19	1,161	25.6%	651

2000		2024		
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	2,127	46.8%	1,391	54.9%
African-American	2,351	51.8%	994	39.3%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	5	0.1%	4	0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0%	7	0.3%
More than One Race	24	0.5%	74	2.9%
Hispanic	27	0.6%	62	2.4%



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Pre-K Children	2000	2024
Age 3	Number	Number
Age 4		

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	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	41	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023	1	7.7	0	0.0	1	23.3	0	0.0	0	0.0				
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2013	12	9.7%	6	8.6%	6	11.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2021-2023	41	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023	13	10.0%	6	7.1%	6	14.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2013	10	8.0%	5	7.0%	5	9.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2021-2023	30	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023	11	8.5%	4	4.8%	7	16.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	4	14.0	1	7.0	3	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	51	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023	2	9.3	1	8.3	1	10.9	0	0.0	0	0.0				
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	14	16.2	9	20.4	5	12.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	26	2013-2023	I
	Current	2023	6	8.4	4	12.0	2	7.6	0	0.0	0	0.0				
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2013	11	8.8%	7	9.9%	4	7.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2021-2023	26	2013-2023	I
	Current	2023	6	4.6%	4	4.8%	2	4.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2013	94	90.4%	56	91.8%	38	88.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2021-2023	2	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023	102	79.1%	67	80.7%	32	74.4%	2	100.0%	1	100.0%				
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2023	79	60.8%	56	66.7%	21	48.8%	1	50.0%	1	100.0%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2023	3	1.8%	3	2.9%			0	0.0%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2013	77	574.8	40	535.1	36	631.5	0	0.0	1	1030.9	2023	65		
	Current	2023	81	661.1	38	545.5	43	867.3	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	94	11.2%	45.8%	6.4	6126:1	
Rate	3.5%	Trend	56	Trend	58	55

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	22	17.6%		19.7%	14.8%	0.0%				0.0%		
Births to Females with Less Than 12 Years of Education	Current	2023	15	11.5%		11.9%	9.3%	100.0%				0.0%	2023	23
	Base	2014	9											
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Current	2024	13											
	Base	2016-2017		0.0%										
First Grade Retention	Current	2024-2025		8.9%	14.5%	0.0%	8.0%	9.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	55
	Base													
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Current	2024-2025		42.1%	39.1%	71.4%	30.0%	23.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2024-2025	59
	Base													
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Current	2024-2025		15.8%	15.9%	14.3%	15.0%	5.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	61
	Base													
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Current	2024-2025		31.9%	26.4%	50.0%	29.8%	17.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	60
	Base													
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Current	2024-2025		5.8%	1.9%	18.8%	2.6%	3.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	62
	Base													
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		2.5%										
	Current	2024-2025		5.5%	8.3%	0.0%	15.8%	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	56
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		6.5%			5.5%	6.8%	0.0%	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%	9.1%	
Expulsions	Base													
	Current	2024-2025		0.0%			0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base													
	Current	2024-2025		27.4%	29.1%	20.7%	27.3%	27.2%	0.0%	33.3%	100.0%	0.0%	36.4%	
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base													
	Current	2024-2025		15.9%	17.8%	8.3%	20.8%	14.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	18.2%	
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		0.1%	0.0%	0.4%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
	Current	2024-2025***		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Homeless Students	Base	2022-2023		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
	Current	2024-2025		0.8%	1.0%	0.0%	1.6%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Direct Certification	Base													
	Current	2024-2025		79.8%			69.8%	83.5%	50.0%					

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		175		* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.		Base Year		Current Year							
Night Care		0		* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.		Base Year		Current Year							
All Centers		175		* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.		Base Year		Current Year							
Child Care Facilities		May 2025		Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores		First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery		Base Year		Current Year					
Total All Licensed		7		2024-2025		2024-2025		Base Year		Current Year					
Center Based Licensed		4		English		14		Head Start		0					
Center Based Exempt		0		Math		15		Private School		0					
Family Homes		1		Reading		15		Public School		3					
Group Homes		2		Science		16		Other		0					
Total All Child Care Facilities		7		Composite		15		Total		3					

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	11	4.0									2022-2024	15						
	Current	2024	20	8.7																
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2013	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	46	2013-2023	-				
	Current	2023	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0								
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2013	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	21	2013-2023	-				
	Current	2023	1	146.2	1	267.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0								
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	93	9.8%																
	Current	2019-2023	46	6.6%																
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2014	4	2.9									2022-2024	24	2014-2024	-				
	Current	2024	0	0.0																
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												
0	11	0	2	5		10		11		4										

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	3,858	24.5%	1,192	13.6%	2,584	37.9%	82	44.6%	7	4.9%	2019-2023	46		
	Current	2019-2023	2,413	19.5%	805	11.5%	1,352	28.7%	256	40.4%	25	18.4%				
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	1,412	34.8%	381	20.0%	980	46.9%	51	75.0%	0	0.0%	2019-2023	46		
	Current	2019-2023	695	28.2%	197	14.7%	453	46.5%	45	29.6%	0	0.0%				
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		41.8%												
	Current	2019-2023		32.5%												

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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	35.1%													
	Current	2019-2023	35.3%													
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000	29.6%													
	Current	2019-2023	15.8%													
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	613	15.1%									2019-2023	38		
	Current	2019-2023	292	11.8%												
Vulnerable Families	Base	2013		7.7%									2021-2023	49	2013-2023	-
	Current	2023		8.3%												
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,168	32.9%									2023	42		
	Current	2019-2023	845	33.9%												
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	442	50.9%									2019-2023	45		
	Current	2019-2023	321	59.8%												
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2025	0	\$0												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2013	444	9.4%									2024	59		
	Current	2024	190	4.5%												
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2013*	\$43,923													
	Current	2023	\$47,432													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2013	80	64.5%	34	48.6%	46	85.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2023	48	36.9%	22	26.2%	25	58.1%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	2023	10		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	2,970	21.1%									2023	41		
	Current	2023	2,360	18.8%												
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	750	22.9%									2023	49		
	Current	2023	690	27.8%												
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**		
331		308		2,422		2,382		1,207		1,165		2,403		2,372		

The way we refer to population sub-groups throughout the 2025 County Data Profile is intentional in order to be as accurate as possible in representing the data given to us.

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