

	2000		2024	
Total County Population	24,324		19,057	
County Child Population	7,595	31.2%	4,383	23.0%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,827	24.1%	1,080	24.6%
Ages 5-9	1,921	25.3%	1,022	23.3%
Ages 10-14	1,905	25.1%	1,114	25.4%
Ages 15-19	1,942	25.6%	1,167	26.6%

	2000		2024	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	3,770	49.6%	2,088	47.6%
African-American	3,566	47.0%	1,912	43.6%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	76	1.0%	50	1.1%
Asian/Pacific Islander	24	0.3%	36	0.8%
More than One Race	83	1.1%	181	4.1%
Hispanic	67	0.9%	116	2.6%



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	2000	2024
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	373	212
Age 4	346	201

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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	2013	3	15.2	3	28.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2023	3	14.0	0	0.0	2	27.0	1	142.9	0	0.0	2021-2023	39	2013-2023	-
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2013	27	13.7%	13	12.5%	14	16.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2023	23	10.7%	10	7.6%	11	14.9%	2	28.6%	0	0.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2013	26	13.2%	11	10.6%	15	17.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2023	19	8.9%	7	5.3%	11	14.9%	1	14.3%	0	0.0%	2021-2023	35	2013-2023	-
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	10	19.4	5	20.7	3	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0				
	Current	2023	4	10.2	4	20.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	8	2013-2023	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	26	16.9	11	14.9	12	16.9	2	29.0	1	41.7				
	Current	2023	19	15.6	14	26.2	5	9.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	50	2013-2023	-
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2013	24	12.2%	9	8.7%	12	14.1%	2	40.0%	1	33.3%				
	Current	2023	18	8.4%	13	9.9%	5	6.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2021-2023	54	2013-2023	I
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2013	159	81.5%	88	85.4%	64	76.2%	4	80.0%	3	100.0%				
	Current	2023	156	73.2%	98	74.8%	52	71.2%	5	71.4%	1	50.0%	2021-2023	21	2013-2023	-
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2023	140	65.4%	101	77.1%	31	41.9%	6	85.7%	2	100.0%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2023	8	3.0%	5	3.1%			3	3.0%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2013	81	365.4	46	380.4	34	372.0	1	148.4	0	0.0				
	Current	2023	112	582.5	55	539.5	55	686.0	1	135.1	1	361.0	2023	60		

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	131	Rate	9.4%	Rate	42.7%	Number	6.5	836:1	
Rate	2.9%	Trend	21	Trend	43	Trend	51	Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2024	
								Number	126

		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	26	13.2%			12.5%	10.6%	66.7%				40.0%		
	Current	2023	13	6.1%			8.4%	2.7%	0.0%				0.0%	2023	2
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2014	21												
	Current	2024	20												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.8%											
	Current	2024-2025		4.8%	6.3%	3.0%	4.8%	2.7%	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	13.0%	2024-2025	21
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		43.1%	37.3%	63.6%	30.6%	15.9%	75.0%	100.0%	18.8%	0.0%	22.2%	2024-2025	56
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		23.9%	19.6%	38.6%	16.7%	9.4%	50.0%	100.0%	6.3%	0.0%	16.7%	2024-2025	55
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		41.0%	34.0%	55.4%	32.4%	14.9%	100.0%	0.0%	61.5%	0.0%	41.7%	2024-2025	50
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		15.9%	9.8%	28.4%	13.4%	2.7%	50.0%	0.0%	23.1%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	39
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		1.5%											
	Current	2024-2025		3.5%	6.4%	1.4%	2.2%	4.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	10.0%	2024-2025	50
Graduation Rate****	Base	2023-2024		87.7%	85.5%	93.7%	87.1%	90.2%	60.0%	0.0%	90.0%	0.0%	100.0%		
	Current	2024-2025		91.6%	90.0%	94.6%	93.6%	89.6%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2024-2025	46
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		10.8%											
	Current	2024-2025		3.7%	3.6%	4.1%	2.6%	4.3%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	48
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		12.7%			11.8%	13.4%	8.6%	0.0%	15.0%	0.0%	13.3%		
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		24.9%	26.6%	21.0%	23.5%	25.2%	22.0%	20.0%	24.3%	0.0%	35.3%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		17.2%	21.1%	8.2%	14.3%	16.8%	14.0%	20.0%	31.3%	0.0%	30.9%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		0.1%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	20.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2024-2025***		0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	6.0%	20.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%		
Homeless Students	Base	2022-2023		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2024-2025		0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		6.4%											
	Current	2024-2025		25.2%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		69.6%			53.4%	84.5%	72.0%						

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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		24.9%											
	Current	2019-2023		28.4%											
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		27.8%											
	Current	2019-2023		26.2%											
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	970	14.2%											
	Current	2019-2023	376	9.1%								2019-2023	21		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2013		11.3%											
	Current	2023		7.1%								2021-2023	35	2013-2023	-
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,905	31.7%											
	Current	2019-2023	1,657	39.9%								2023	50		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	818	57.1%											
	Current	2019-2023	200	41.5%								2019-2023	66		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base														
	Current	May 2025	193	\$115,505											
Unemployment Rate	Base	2013	944	12.1%											
	Current	2024	329	5.0%								2024	62		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2013*	\$42,766												
	Current	2023	\$49,314												
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2013	129	65.5%	52	50.0%	71	83.5%	3	60.0%	3	100.0%			
	Current	2023	114	53.3%	54	41.2%	56	75.7%	4	57.1%	0	0.0%	2023	40	
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	6,120	26.2%											
	Current	2023	3,850	19.7%								2023	49		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	1,950	32.2%											
	Current	2023	1,150	27.6%								2023	47		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2023	Current Year: 2024
587	568

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2020***	Current Year: 2025***
3,243	2,774

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2020	Current Year: 2025
1,732	1,423

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2020	Current Year: 2025**
3,243	2,816

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