



# OSCODA

## 2017 TRENDS IN CHILD WELL-BEING

(All Data Are For 2015 Unless Otherwise Noted)

Overall  
Rank for Child  
Well-Being

79

POPULATION	2008			2014			% change		
	NUMBER	RATE	RATE CHANGE	NUMBER	RATE	RATE CHANGE	MI RATE	RANK <sup>1</sup>	
Total population	8,884	8,371	-5.8%						
Child population 0–17	1,735	1,570	-9.5%						
• Ages 0–5	515	471	-8.5%						
• Ages 6–12	655	630	-3.8%						
• Ages 13–17	593	469	-20.9%						

Child population by race	2008	2014	% change
Hispanic 0–17	42	47	11.9%
Non-Hispanic 0–17			
• White	1,677	1,493	-11.0%
• African-American/Black	2	17	*
• American Indian	13	11	-15.4%
• Other	1	2	*

	BASE YEAR		CURRENT YEAR				
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	RATE CHANGE	MI RATE	RANK <sup>1</sup>
<b>ECONOMIC SECURITY</b>	<u>2008</u>		<u>2015</u>				
Children in poverty, ages 0–17	524	30.6%	487	32.8%	7.2%	22.2%	77
Young children, ages 0–5, in the Food Assistance Program <sup>2</sup>	205	40.0%	168	35.7%	-10.7%	30.1%	70
Students receiving free/reduced-price school lunches <sup>3</sup>	<u>2006–07 (SY)</u>		<u>2014–15 (SY)</u>				
	557	54.2%	538	65.8%	21.3%	46.1%	78
<b>HEALTH</b>	<u>2006–08 (avg.)</u>		<u>2012–14 (avg.)</u>				
Less than adequate prenatal care	46	54.1%	35	42.1%	-22.3%	31.2%	76
Low-birthweight babies	5	5.4%	8	9.1%	68.2%	8.4%	71 of 81
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	1	*	1	*	*	6.9	* of 47
Child/Teen deaths, ages 1–19 (per 100,000)	1	*	1	*	*	25.8	* of 51
<b>FAMILY AND COMMUNITY (per 1,000)</b>	<u>2006–08 (avg.)</u>		<u>2012–14 (avg.)</u>				
Births to teens, ages 15–19	9	32.4	9	35.8	10.5%	23.7	72
<u>Child abuse/neglect</u>	<u>2009</u>		<u>2015</u>				
Children in investigated families	138	79.5	273	173.9	118.6%	111.4	67
Confirmed victims	13	7.5	27	17.2	129.5%	16.8	23
Children in out-of-home care	1	*	13	8.3	*	4.8	61 of 81
<b>EDUCATION</b>	<u>2005–09 (avg.)</u>		<u>2011–15 (avg.)</u>				
Three- and four-year-olds in preschool	33	19.6%	54	32.0%	62.7%	47.4%	80
Students not graduating on time	<u>2008</u>		<u>2015</u>				
	18	20.9%	11	13.4%	-35.9%	20.2%	15 of 79
<u>Not proficient (M-STEP)</u>	<u>2014–15 (SY)</u>		<u>2015–16 (SY)</u>				
Third-graders (English Language Arts)	42	59.2%	34	63.0%	6.4%	54.0%	76
Eighth-graders (Math)	43	63.2%	39	58.2%	-7.9%	67.3%	12

<sup>1</sup> A ranking of 1 means a county has the “best” rate compared with other counties in the state. Unless noted, the ranking is based on 82–83 counties.

<sup>2</sup> Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program.

<sup>3</sup> Family income is below 185 percent of poverty level.

\* Sometimes a rate could not be calculated because of low incidence of events or unavailable data.

SY - School Year.

M-STEP - Michigan Student Test of Educational Progress was first administered in 2015.

N/A - not available.



FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE	ECONOMIC CLIMATE	COUNTY	MICHIGAN
<b>Children receiving...</b>				Unemployment	8.4%	5.4%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0–12 <sup>1</sup>	18	1.6%	1.9%	Median household income	\$36,724	\$51,063
• FIP cash assistance <sup>1,3</sup>	38	2.3%	1.9%	<b>Average cost of full-time child care/month (2016)</b>	\$395	\$563
• Food Assistance Program <sup>1,4</sup>	468	28.0%	24.7%	• Percent of full-time minimum wage (2016)	26.9%	38.3%
• Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)	341	90.2%	51.1%	Percent of young children ages 0–5 in Michigan families (2011–15 avg.) where all parents work	50.0%	66.3%
<b>Children with support owed</b>	318	18.2%	20.8%			
• Receiving none (% of those owed)	41	12.9%	24.5%			
• Receiving less than 70% of amount	168	52.8%	58.7%			
• Average amount received (month)	\$204	–	\$217			

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Births to moms without high school diploma or GED (2012–14)	29	34.9%	13.1%
High poverty neighborhoods, ages 0–17 (2011–15)	0	0.0%	16.8%
<b>Household structure, ages 0–17</b>			
• Two-parent family	1,122	71.0%	66.1%
• One-parent family	458	29.0%	33.9%
<b>Poverty by household structure, ages 0–17 (2011–15)</b>			
• Two-parent family	260	23.2%	10.9%
• One-parent family	212	46.3%	46.9%
English not spoken at home, ages 5–17 (2011–15)	183	14.7%	10.2%

ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children with health insurance (2014)	1,526	92.7%	96.0%
<b>Children, ages 0–18, insured by...</b>			
• Medicaid <sup>1</sup>	854	51.0%	39.4%
• MICHild	43	2.6%	1.6%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1:4) <sup>1</sup>	57	66.3%	74.2%
<b>Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2</b>			
• Tested	61	45.2%	37.9%
• Poisoned (% of tested) (EBL confirmed by venous)	0	*	1.7%
Children, ages 1–14, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000) <sup>2</sup> (2012–14)	*	*	15.2
<b>Children with special needs</b>			
• Students in Special Education <sup>1</sup>	153	18.7%	13.8%
• Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) <sup>1</sup>	29	18.5	21.1
• Children, ages 0–2, receiving Early On services (ISD totals)	86	3.6%	2.6%

<sup>1</sup> As of December 2015.

<sup>2</sup> Annual rate and number are based on the three-year period 2011–2013 and only for counties with a total number over 20.

<sup>3</sup> Family Independence Program.

<sup>4</sup> State name for the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, formerly called "food stamps." Note: Percentages reflect percent of population unless otherwise noted.

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See Data Notes and Sources for details.