



SANILAC

2018 TRENDS IN CHILD WELL-BEING

(All Data Are For 2016 Unless Otherwise Noted)

Overall
Rank for Child
Well-Being

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POPULATION	2010			2015			% change		
	2010	2015	% change	2010	2015	% change	2010	2015	% change
Total population	42,968	41,475	-3.5%	Child population by race					
Child population 0–17	10,188	9,115	-10.5%	Hispanic 0–17					
• Ages 0–5	3,053	2,701	-11.5%	Non-Hispanic 0–17					
• Ages 6–12	3,944	3,570	-9.5%	• White					
• Ages 13–17	3,191	2,844	-10.9%	• African-American/Black					
				• American Indian					
				• Other					

	BASE YEAR		CURRENT YEAR				
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	RATE CHANGE	MI RATE	RANK ¹
ECONOMIC SECURITY	<u>2010</u>		<u>2016</u>				
Children in poverty, ages 0–17	2,602	26.1%	2,044	23.1%	-11.5%	20.7%	44
Young children, ages 0–5, in the Food Assistance Program ²	1,193	39.5%	634	23.5%	-40.6%	28.0%	33
Students receiving free/reduced-price school lunches ³	<u>2009–10 (SY)</u>		<u>2016–17 (SY)</u>				
	4,115	54.8%	3,295	51.9%	-5.3%	45.8%	41
HEALTH	<u>2008–10 (avg.)</u>		<u>2013–15 (avg.)</u>				
Less than adequate prenatal care	153	31.9%	136	30.5%	-4.3%	32.4%	30
Low-birthweight babies	32	6.7%	30	6.7%	1.3%	8.4%	32 of 81
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2	*	3	6.7	*	6.9	29 of 45
Child/Teen deaths, ages 1–19 (per 100,000)	4	37.9	3	30.7	-19.1%	25.3	33 of 51
FAMILY AND COMMUNITY (per 1,000)	<u>2008–10 (avg.)</u>		<u>2013–15 (avg.)</u>				
Births to teens, ages 15–19	41	28.9	28	21.0	-27.3%	21.4	27
<u>Child abuse/neglect</u>	<u>2010</u>		<u>2016</u>				
Children in investigated families	962	97.0	1,202	131.9	35.9%	112.5	29
Confirmed victims	133	13.4	210	23.0	71.8%	17.9	38
Children in out-of-home care	27	2.7	38	4.2	53.1%	4.8	23 of 80
EDUCATION	<u>2006–10 (avg.)</u>		<u>2012–16 (avg.)</u>				
3- and 4-year-olds not in preschool	572	53.5%	511	51.8%	-3.2%	52.7%	20
Students not graduating on time	<u>2010</u>		<u>2016</u>				
	88	13.7%	96	18.5%	34.3%	20.4%	46 of 80
Students not college ready	<u>2016</u>		<u>2017</u>				
	336	70.7%	313	64.4%	-8.9%	65.1%	22
<u>Not proficient (M-STEP)</u>	<u>2014–15 (SY)</u>		<u>2016–17 (SY)</u>				
Third-graders (English Language Arts)	210	47.9%	229	52.2%	9.0%	55.9%	29
Eighth-graders (Math)	363	71.6%	331	71.5%	-0.1%	66.5%	49

¹ 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.

² Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program.

³ 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. | N/A - not available.

SY - School Year. | M-STEP - Michigan Student Test of Educational Progress was first administered in 2015.



FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE	ECONOMIC CLIMATE	COUNTY	MICHIGAN
Children receiving...				Unemployment	6.0%	4.9%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹	131	2.1%	2.0%	Median household income	\$43,579	\$52,436
• FIP cash assistance ^{1,2}	77	0.8%	1.7%	Average cost of full-time child care/month (2017)	\$496	\$575
• Food Assistance Program ^{1,3}	1,874	19.5%	23.3%	• Percent of full-time minimum wage (2017)	32.2%	37.3%
• Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)	1,114	50.2%	49.1%	Percent of young children ages 0–5 in Michigan families (2012–16 avg.) where all parents work	61.0%	66.4%
Children with support owed	2,107	21.1%	20.9%			
• Receiving none (% of those owed)	277	13.1%	23.7%			
• Receiving less than 70% of amount	1,017	48.3%	58.1%			
• Average amount received (month)	\$197	–	\$216			

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Births to moms without high school diploma or GED (2013–15)	83	18.7%	12.5%
High poverty neighborhoods, ages 0–17 (2012–16)	0	0.0%	16.9%
Household structure, ages 0–17			
• Two-parent family	6,551	72.3%	66.1%
• One-parent family	2,515	27.7%	33.9%
Poverty by household structure, ages 0–17 (2012–16)			
• Two-parent family	954	14.6%	10.6%
• One-parent family	1,053	41.9%	45.5%
English not spoken at home, ages 5–17 (2012–16)	579	8.2%	10.3%

ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children with health insurance (2015)	8,914	94.6%	96.8%
Children, ages 0–18, insured by...			
• Medicaid ¹	4,149	43.2%	41.5%
• MIChild	300	3.1%	2.0%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1:4) ¹	395	67.8%	74.9%
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2 (2015)			
• Tested	215	24.7%	37.9%
• Poisoned (% of tested) (EBL confirmed by venous)	N/A	N/A	1.7%
Children, ages 1–14, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000) (2015)	N/A	N/A	N/A
Children with special needs			
• Students in Special Education ¹	924	14.5%	13.9%
• Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹	124	13.6	19.4
• Children, ages 0–2, receiving Early On services (ISD totals)	44	3.4%	2.9%

¹ As of December 2016.

² Family Independence Program.

³ 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.