



WAYNE

2018 TRENDS IN CHILD WELL-BEING

(All Data Are For 2016 Unless Otherwise Noted)

Overall
Rank for Child
Well-Being

64

POPULATION	2010			2015			% change											
	2010	2015	% change	2010	2015	% change	2010	2015	% change									
Total population	1,949,024	1,759,335	-9.7%	Child population by race														
Child population 0–17	461,795	423,146	-8.4%	Hispanic 0–17			2010			2015			% change					
• Ages 0–5	142,642	138,493	-2.9%	Non-Hispanic 0–17			• White			199,842			186,588			-6.6%		
• Ages 6–12	178,054	161,610	-9.2%	• African-American/Black			208,843			181,193			-13.2%					
• Ages 13–17	141,099	123,043	-12.8%	• American Indian			2,141			2,030			-5.2%					
				• Other			14,842			16,173			9.0%					

	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	156,419	34.6%	139,444	33.8%	-2.3%	20.7%	80
Young children, ages 0–5, in the Food Assistance Program ²	76,757	49.9%	63,191	45.6%	-8.6%	28.0%	82
Students receiving free/reduced-price school lunches ³	<u>2009–10 (SY)</u>		<u>2016–17 (SY)</u>				
	186,877	58.9%	160,948	59.4%	0.7%	45.8%	69
HEALTH	<u>2008–10 (avg.)</u>		<u>2013–15 (avg.)</u>				
Less than adequate prenatal care	8,486	34.1%	8,770	37.3%	9.4%	32.4%	57
Low-birthweight babies	2,657	10.7%	2,462	10.5%	-1.9%	8.4%	79 of 81
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	252	10.1	220	9.4	-7.6%	6.9	44 of 45
Child/Teen deaths, ages 1–19 (per 100,000)	203	39.2	145	32.4	-17.3%	25.3	38 of 51
FAMILY AND COMMUNITY (per 1,000)	<u>2008–10 (avg.)</u>		<u>2013–15 (avg.)</u>				
Births to teens, ages 15–19	3,322	45.4	1,829	31.3	-31.0%	21.4	67
<u>Child abuse/neglect</u>	<u>2010</u>		<u>2016</u>				
Children in investigated families	31,603	64.9	46,147	109.1	68.1%	112.5	15
Confirmed victims	4,995	10.3	7,058	16.7	62.7%	17.9	16
Children in out-of-home care	3,349	6.9	2,416	5.7	-16.9%	4.8	42 of 80
EDUCATION	<u>2006–10 (avg.)</u>		<u>2012–16 (avg.)</u>				
3- and 4-year-olds not in preschool	26,716	51.8%	25,502	53.3%	2.8%	52.7%	24
	<u>2010</u>		<u>2016</u>				
Students not graduating on time	7,940	30.1%	4,454	21.0%	-30.1%	20.4%	53 of 80
	<u>2016</u>		<u>2017</u>				
Students not college ready	8,661	60.3%	10,907	68.7%	13.9%	65.1%	45
<u>Not proficient (M-STEP)</u>	<u>2014–15 (SY)</u>		<u>2016–17 (SY)</u>				
Third-graders (English Language Arts)	12,245	60.3%	13,337	66.5%	10.3%	55.9%	76
Eighth-graders (Math)	14,827	75.2%	14,656	74.6%	-0.8%	66.5%	61

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	6.4%	4.9%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹	8,741	2.9%	2.0%	Median household income	\$43,570	\$52,436
• FIP cash assistance ^{1,2}	15,001	3.4%	1.7%	Average cost of full-time child care/month (2017)	\$613	\$575
• Food Assistance Program ^{1,3}	181,495	40.8%	23.3%	• Percent of full-time minimum wage (2017)	39.8%	37.3%
• Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)	71,381	61.7%	49.1%	Percent of young children ages 0–5 in Michigan families (2012–16 avg.) where all parents work	62.7%	66.4%
Children with support owed	124,155	26.7%	20.9%			
• Receiving none (% of those owed)	49,967	40.2%	23.7%			
• Receiving less than 70% of amount	89,259	71.9%	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)	4,403	18.7%	12.5%
High poverty neighborhoods, ages 0–17 (2012–16)	183,781	43.8%	16.9%
Household structure, ages 0–17			
• Two-parent family	220,683	52.6%	66.1%
• One-parent family	198,700	47.4%	33.9%
Poverty by household structure, ages 0–17 (2012–16)			
• Two-parent family	42,967	19.5%	10.6%
• One-parent family	108,664	54.7%	45.5%
English not spoken at home, ages 5–17 (2012–16)	53,990	17.3%	10.3%

ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children with health insurance (2015)	420,948	97.1%	96.8%
Children, ages 0–18, insured by...			
• Medicaid ¹	259,823	58.3%	41.5%
• MIChild	6,302	1.4%	2.0%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1:4) ¹	23,194	68.4%	74.9%
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2 (2015)			
• Tested	18,966	40.8%	37.9%
• Poisoned (% of tested) (EBL confirmed by venous)	775	4.1%	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	36,235	13.4%	13.9%
• Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹	13,309	31.5	19.4
• Children, ages 0–2, receiving Early On services (ISD totals)	1,419	2.0%	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.