



BARAGA

2018 TRENDS IN CHILD WELL-BEING

(All Data Are For 2016 Unless Otherwise Noted)

Overall
Rank for Child
Well-Being

46

| POPULATION | 2010 | | | 2015 | | | % change | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|----------|--------------------------|------|----------|----------|------|----------|-------|--|--|----------|--|--|--------|--|--|
| | 2010 | 2015 | % change | 2010 | 2015 | % change | 2010 | 2015 | % change | | | | | | | | | |
| Total population | 8,566 | 8,575 | 0.1% | Child population by race | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Child population 0–17 | 1,794 | 1,587 | -11.5% | Hispanic 0–17 | | | 2010 | | | 2015 | | | % change | | | | | |
| • Ages 0–5 | 533 | 469 | -12.0% | Non-Hispanic 0–17 | | | • White | | | 1,284 | | | 1,113 | | | -13.3% | | |
| • Ages 6–12 | 695 | 607 | -12.7% | • African-American/Black | | | 23 | | | 24 | | | 4.3% | | | | | |
| • Ages 13–17 | 566 | 511 | -9.7% | • American Indian | | | 445 | | | 401 | | | -9.9% | | | | | |
| | | | | • Other | | | 1 | | | 8 | | | 700.0% | | | | | |

| | 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 | 392 | 22.5% | 373 | 24.0% | 6.7% | 20.7% | 49 |
| Young children, ages 0–5, in the Food Assistance Program ² | 205 | 38.7% | 163 | 34.8% | -10.1% | 28.0% | 70 |
| Students receiving free/reduced-price school lunches ³ | <u>2009–10 (SY)</u> | | <u>2016–17 (SY)</u> | | | | |
| | 666 | 51.4% | 562 | 52.8% | 2.7% | 45.8% | 49 |
| HEALTH | <u>2008–10 (avg.)</u> | | <u>2013–15 (avg.)</u> | | | | |
| Less than adequate prenatal care | 30 | 37.1% | 30 | 39.1% | 5.3% | 32.4% | 62 |
| Low-birthweight babies | 6 | 7.3% | 5 | 6.5% | -11.3% | 8.4% | 28 of 81 |
| Infant mortality (per 1,000) | 0 | * | 1 | * | * | 6.9 | * of 45 |
| Child/Teen deaths, ages 1–19 (per 100,000) | 0 | * | 1 | * | * | 25.3 | * of 51 |
| FAMILY AND COMMUNITY (per 1,000) | <u>2008–10 (avg.)</u> | | <u>2013–15 (avg.)</u> | | | | |
| Births to teens, ages 15–19 | 10 | 38.2 | 4.0 | 14.7 | -61.5% | 21.4 | 11 |
| <u>Child abuse/neglect</u> | <u>2010</u> | | <u>2016</u> | | | | |
| Children in investigated families | 152 | 88.1 | 201 | 126.7 | 43.7% | 112.5 | 25 |
| Confirmed victims | 36 | 20.9 | 27 | 17.0 | -18.5% | 17.9 | 18 |
| Children in out-of-home care | 17 | 9.9 | 10 | 6.3 | -36.1% | 4.8 | 44 of 80 |
| EDUCATION | <u>2006–10 (avg.)</u> | | <u>2012–16 (avg.)</u> | | | | |
| 3- and 4-year-olds not in preschool | 74 | 35.9% | 94 | 59.1% | 64.6% | 52.7% | 48 |
| Students not graduating on time | <u>2010</u> | | <u>2016</u> | | | | |
| | 29 | 23.4% | 17 | 18.3% | -21.8% | 20.4% | 42 of 80 |
| Students not college ready | <u>2016</u> | | <u>2017</u> | | | | |
| | 59 | 67.0% | 67 | 74.4% | 11.0% | 65.1% | 68 |
| <u>Not proficient (M-STEP)</u> | <u>2014–15 (SY)</u> | | <u>2016–17 (SY)</u> | | | | |
| Third-graders (English Language Arts) | 46 | 62.2% | 32 | 59.3% | -4.7% | 55.9% | 56 |
| Eighth-graders (Math) | 68 | 73.1% | 73 | 82.0% | 12.2% | 66.5% | 77 |

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 | 7.9% | 4.9% |
| • Subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹ | 24 | 2.2% | 2.0% | Median household income | \$44,187 | \$52,436 |
| • FIP cash assistance ^{1,2} | 23 | 1.4% | 1.7% | Average cost of full-time child care/month (2017) | \$529 | \$575 |
| • Food Assistance Program ^{1,3} | 438 | 25.9% | 23.3% | • Percent of full-time minimum wage (2017) | 34.4% | 37.3% |
| • Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) | 302 | 78.0% | 49.1% | Percent of young children ages 0–5 in Michigan families (2012–16 avg.) where all parents work | 70.3% | 66.4% |
| Children with support owed | 301 | 17.1% | 20.9% | | | |
| • Receiving none (% of those owed) | 74 | 24.6% | 23.7% | | | |
| • Receiving less than 70% of amount | 171 | 56.8% | 58.1% | | | |
| • Average amount received (month) | \$192 | — | \$216 | | | |

| FAMILY AND COMMUNITY | NUMBER | RATE | MI RATE |
|---|--------|-------|---------|
| Births to moms without high school diploma or GED (2013–15) | 11 | 14.0% | 12.5% |
| High poverty neighborhoods, ages 0–17 (2012–16) | 0 | 0.0% | 16.9% |
| Household structure, ages 0–17 | | | |
| • Two-parent family | 913 | 68.6% | 66.1% |
| • One-parent family | 418 | 31.4% | 33.9% |
| Poverty by household structure, ages 0–17 (2012–16) | | | |
| • Two-parent family | 133 | 14.6% | 10.6% |
| • One-parent family | 181 | 43.3% | 45.5% |
| English not spoken at home, ages 5–17 (2012–16) | 34 | 3.2% | 10.3% |

| ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE | NUMBER | RATE | MI RATE |
|---|--------|-------|---------|
| Children with health insurance (2015) | 1,559 | 93.6% | 96.8% |
| Children, ages 0–18, insured by... | | | |
| • Medicaid ¹ | | | |
| • MIChild | 835 | 49.3% | 41.5% |
| Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1:4) ¹ | 44 | 2.6% | 2.0% |
| Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2 (2015) | 71 | 72.4% | 74.9% |
| • Tested | | | |
| • Poisoned (% of tested) (EBL confirmed by venous) | 98 | 68.5% | 37.9% |
| Children, ages 1–14, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000) (2015) | 0 | * | 1.7% |
| Children with special needs | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| • Students in Special Education ¹ | 157 | 14.7% | 13.9% |
| • Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹ | 25 | 15.8 | 19.4 |
| • Children, ages 0–2, receiving Early On services (ISD totals) | 35 | 2.5% | 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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N/A - not available.

See Data Notes and Sources for details.