



A Matter of Priorities — Data Cheat Sheet

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Geography	Unemployment Q1 2013		Poverty Rate			Median Household Income			Child Poverty Rate			Child Well-Being 2012	Public Assistance, FY12 Monthly Average*		Income Inequality Gini Index
	Rate	Number	2007	2011	% Change	2007	2011	% Change	2007	2011	% Change	Rank (1 = best)	Recipients	Spending (in millions)	(0 = total equality)
Livingston	8.8%	7,693	5.9%	6.5%	10.2%	\$ 70,735	\$ 67,441	-4.7%	6.8%	8.0%	17.6%	2	20,905	\$1.9	0.380
Macomb	10.2%	40,353	8.3%	14.3%	72.3%	\$ 55,101	\$ 50,891	-7.6%	10.9%	21.4%	96.3%	18	176,307	\$19.9	0.420
Monroe	8.3%	5,660	6.8%	12.2%	79.4%	\$ 53,750	\$ 53,744	0.0%	7.4%	19.7%	166.2%	16	28,906	\$3.1	0.392
Oakland	8.7%	50,578	8.6%	11.1%	29.1%	\$ 66,483	\$ 61,888	-6.9%	11.9%	14.9%	25.2%	5	189,531	\$21.0	0.473
St. Clair	13.3%	10,031	12.3%	15.9%	29.3%	\$ 45,873	\$ 45,676	-0.4%	17.1%	22.4%	31.0%	33	11,420	\$4.5	0.421
Washtenaw	5.2%	9,574	12.7%	16.9%	33.1%	\$ 61,049	\$ 56,612	-7.3%	10.1%	18.7%	85.1%	6	52,303	\$6.0	0.486
Wayne	11.5%	93,724	20.7%	25.9%	25.1%	\$ 42,470	\$ 38,479	-9.4%	31.5%	37.7%	19.7%	76	659,136	\$92.5	0.487
Michigan	9.2%	427,000	14.0%	17.5%	25.0%	\$ 47,950	\$ 45,981	-4.1%	19.4%	24.8%	27.8%	—	2,464,821	\$298.1	0.461

Geography	Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)			Medicaid Expansion	Eligibility for Medicaid, Q1 2013		Infant Mortality Rate 2010		Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP)		Family Independence Program (FIP) Caseloads			Food Assistance Program (FAP) Caseloads, Q1 2013	
	2011	2012	Amount difference	% of uninsured that would be covered	Number	Percent	Rank (of 45)	Rate (per 1,000)	Slots	% of 4-year-olds served	Q1 2010	Q1 2013	% Change	Number	% of state total
Livingston	\$ 3,094,069	\$ 928,221	\$ 2,165,848	34%	14,229	8.7%	25	6.5	140	6.5%	272	172	-36.8%	6,043	0.7%
Macomb	\$ 26,571,285	\$ 7,971,386	\$ 18,599,899	38%	112,358	16.5%	27	6.6	869	8.8%	4,037	3,210	-20.5%	62,368	6.9%
Monroe	\$ 3,942,315	\$ 1,182,695	\$ 2,759,620	38%	19,049	14.9%	18	6.1	182	10.7%	811	447	-44.9%	9,581	1.1%
Oakland	\$ 27,876,696	\$ 8,365,009	\$ 19,511,687	38%	116,419	12.0%	19	6.2	1,243	8.6%	4,385	2,955	-32.6%	66,335	7.3%
St. Clair	\$ 5,016,921	\$ 1,505,076	\$ 3,511,845	41%	26,425	5.6%	11	5.4	297	15.3%	1,055	673	-36.2%	14,632	1.6%
Washtenaw	\$ 7,071,365	\$ 2,121,409	\$ 4,949,956	45%	32,154	11.3%	9	5.1	460	11.5%	1,275	769	-39.7%	19,422	2.1%
Wayne	\$ 104,328,025	\$ 31,298,408	\$ 73,029,617	47%	368,440	27.9%	45	10.2	4,661	18.2%	31,610	20,566	-34.9%	273,806	30.1%
Michigan	\$ 353,494,082	\$ 106,048,225	\$ 247,445,858	43%	1,511,470	19.4%	—	7.1	21,721	17.6%	83,085	54,161	-34.8%	909,574	—

*FIP, FAP, SDA, CDC, MA

Sources: MI Department of Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau, Kids Count 2012 Data Book, Michigan State Legislature, Internal Revenue Service, Health Management Associates, U.S. Department of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics

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