



DETROIT

2018 TRENDS IN CHILD WELL-BEING

(All Data Are For 2016 Unless Otherwise Noted)

POPULATION	2010			2015			% change		
	2010	2015	% change	2010	2015	% change	2010	2015	% change
Total population	798,704	677,116	-15.2%						
Child population 0–17	190,347	171,155	-10.1%						
• Ages 0–5	59,786	58,352	-2.4%						
• Ages 6–12	71,318	64,141	-10.1%						
• Ages 13–17	59,243	48,661	-17.9%						
				Child population by race			2010	2015	% change
				Hispanic 0–17			N/A	N/A	N/A
				Non-Hispanic 0–17					
				• White			N/A	N/A	N/A
				• African-American/Black			N/A	N/A	N/A
				• American Indian			N/A	N/A	N/A
				• Other			N/A	N/A	N/A

	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	99,843	53.6%	85,762	50.8%	-5.3%	20.7%	—
Young children, ages 0–5, in the Food Assistance Program ²	43,878	62.7%	36,266	62.2%	-0.9%	28.0%	—
Students receiving free/reduced-price school lunches ³	<u>2009–10 (SY)</u>		<u>2016–17 (SY)</u>				
	97,424	80.5%	69,281	82.4%	2.4%	45.8%	—
HEALTH	<u>2008–10 (avg.)</u>		<u>2013–15 (avg.)</u>				
Less than adequate prenatal care	4,862	42.9%	4,665	46.9%	9.3%	32.4%	—
Low-birthweight babies	1,507	13.3%	1,360	13.7%	2.8%	8.4%	—
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	162	14.3	134	13.5	-5.8%	6.9	—
Child/Teen deaths, ages 1–19 (per 100,000)	128	55.2	83	46.2	-16.3%	25.3	—
FAMILY AND COMMUNITY (per 1,000)	<u>2008–10 (avg.)</u>		<u>2013–15 (avg.)</u>				
Births to teens, ages 15–19	2,286	69.1	1,188	43.5	-37.1%	21.4	—
<u>Child abuse/neglect</u>	<u>2010</u>		<u>2016</u>				
Children in investigated families	24,664	109.1	29,624	173.1	58.7%	112.5	—
Confirmed victims	3,573	15.8	4,741	27.7	75.3%	17.9	—
Children in out-of-home care	2,028	9.0	1,395	8.2	-9.1%	4.8	—
EDUCATION	<u>2006–10 (avg.)</u>		<u>2012–16 (avg.)</u>				
3- and 4-year-olds not in preschool	11,836	54.4%	11,917	59.0%	8.4%	52.7%	—
	<u>2010</u>		<u>2016</u>				
Students not graduating on time	3,806	38.9%	1,257	24.8%	-36.2%	20.4%	—
	<u>2016</u>		<u>2017</u>				
Students not college ready	3,142	88.0%	2,986	88.3%	0.3%	65.1%	—
<u>Not proficient (M-STEP)</u>	<u>2014–15 (SY)</u>		<u>2016–17 (SY)</u>				
Third-graders (English Language Arts)	5,796	83.2%	5,564	84.8%	1.9%	55.9%	—
Eighth-graders (Math)	5,334	91.2%	5,164	91.2%	0.0%	66.5%	—

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	10.9%	4.9%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹	N/A	N/A	2.0%	Median household income	\$28,099	\$52,436
• FIP cash assistance ^{1,2}	10,339	5.7%	1.7%	Average cost of full-time child care/month (2017)	N/A	\$575
• Food Assistance Program ^{1,3}	102,656	56.8%	23.3%	• Percent of full-time minimum wage (2017)	N/A	37.3%
• Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)	N/A	N/A	49.1%	Percent of young children ages 0–5 in Michigan families (2012–16 avg.) where all parents work	65.0%	66.4%
Children with support owed	N/A	N/A	20.9%			
• Receiving none (% of those owed)	N/A	N/A	23.7%			
• Receiving less than 70% of amount	N/A	N/A	58.1%			
• Average amount received (month)	N/A	–	\$216			

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Births to moms without high school diploma or GED (2013–15)	2,688	27.0%	12.5%
High poverty neighborhoods, ages 0–17 (2012–16)	139,883	82.8%	16.9%
Household structure, ages 0–17			
• Two-parent family	50,689	30.1%	66.1%
• One-parent family	117,515	69.9%	33.9%
Poverty by household structure, ages 0–17 (2012–16)			
• Two-parent family	18,509	36.5%	10.6%
• One-parent family	75,748	64.5%	45.5%
English not spoken at home, ages 5–17 (2012–16)	18,275	14.8%	10.3%

ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children with health insurance (2015)	166,310	97.4%	96.8%
Children, ages 0–18, insured by...			
• Medicaid ¹	172,551	95.4%	41.5%
• MIChild	2,949	1.6%	2.0%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1:4) ¹	8,361	62.6%	74.9%
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2 (2015)			
• Tested	N/A	N/A	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	11,852	14.1%	13.9%
• Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹	11,038	64.5	19.4
• Children, ages 0–2, receiving Early On services (ISD totals)	N/A	N/A	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.