

POPULATION	2010	2019	% change	POPULATION BY RACE (2019)			
Total population	107,771	103,126	-4.3%	Child population by race			
Child population	23,952	20,558	-14.2%	Hispanic 0–17	1,921	Young adult population by race	
• Ages 0–5	7,516	6,208	-17.4%	Non-Hispanic 0–17		Hispanic 18–24	716
• Ages 6–12	9,336	8,006	-14.2%	• African American/Black	929	Non-Hispanic 18–24	
• Ages 13–17	7,100	6,344	-10.6%	• American Indian	124	• African American/Black	301
Young adult population				• Asian/Pacific Islander	135	• American Indian	40
• Ages 18–24	9,113	7,843	-13.9%	• White	17,449	• Asian/Pacific Islander	70
						• White	6,716

KEY TRENDS OVER TIME	BASE YEAR (2010)		MOST RECENT YEAR (2019)				
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	RATE CHANGE	MI RATE	TREND
	Children in poverty, ages 0–17	5,389	23.0%	3,969	19.7%	-14.3%	17.5%
Young adults in poverty, ages 18–24	1,902	21.1%	1,638	20.1%	-4.6%	24.5%	●
Households in Poverty & ALICE	14,724	33.4%	15,603	34.8%	4.0%	38.1%	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children receiving...			
• Free and reduced price lunch, K-12	6,986	52.9%	50.5%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0–12	360	2.5%	1.7%
• Cash assistance (FIP), ages 0–18	270	1.2%	1.2%
• Food assistance (FAP), ages 0–18	4,741	21.8%	21.6%
• Women, Infants and Children (WIC), ages 0–4 (2019)	2,676	51.0%	44.3%
• Supplemental Security Income, ages 0–18 [^]	459	21.2	16.3
• Any amount of child support owed	4,413	83.5%	83.6%
Median household income (2019)	\$50,130	N/A	\$59,522
Average cost of full-time child care/month	\$612	N/A	\$632
• Percent of full-time minimum wage	N/A	36.7%	37.9%
Families receiving the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) (2019)	7,710	15.3%	15.1%
Families with high-cost housing (2019)	10,987	24.8%	26.7%

KIDS COUNT provides child advocates, agencies, public officials and legislators with the best available data, nonpartisan policy recommendations and tools to advance policies that benefit children.

Our data-based profiles help decision makers understand the educational, social, economic and physical well-being of children across the state.

KEY TRENDS OVER TIME	BASE YEAR (2010)		MOST RECENT YEAR (2019)				
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	RATE CHANGE	MI RATE	TREND
	3- and 4-year-olds in preschool	1,374	52.0%	703	35.7%	-31.3%	47.5%
3rd graders proficient in English Language Arts, M-STEP (Base: 2015)	489	44.3%	395	43.3%	-2.1%	45.1%	●
8th graders proficient in Math, M-STEP (Base: 2015; Recent: 2018)	310	28.8%	265	25.4%	-11.7%	32.7%	●
Students graduating on time (2020)	1,126	78.4%	893	81.2%	3.6%	82.1%	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children receiving <i>Early On</i> services by ISD, ages 0–2	120	3.7%	2.9%
Students in Special Education	2,146	15.7%	14.5%
Students who are homeless by ISD, K–12	556	3.6%	2.1%
8th graders proficient in Math, PSAT (2019)	392	38.6%	41.4%
Students who drop out	90	8.2%	7.8%
Teens not in school or working, ages 16–19 (2019)	330	7.0%	6.8%

KEY ● = IMPROVING ● = LITTLE CHANGE ● = WORSENING

HEALTH & SAFETY

KEY TRENDS OVER TIME	BASE YEAR (2010)		MOST RECENT YEAR (2019)				
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	RATE CHANGE	MI RATE	TREND
Less than adequate prenatal care	274	23.1%	312	32.5%	40.5%	32.2%	●
Infant mortality [^]	9	7.9	5	5.5	-29.6%	6.6	●
Child deaths, ages 1–14*	3	18.5	2	14.5	-21.6%	18.5	●
Teen deaths, ages 15–19*	3	46.9	2	33.3	-29.0%	46.1	●
Young adult deaths, ages 18–24*	8	84.3	6	75.5	-10.4%	82.1	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)

	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children with health insurance, ages 0–18 (2018)	21,176	97.0%	96.7%
Insured by Medicaid, ages 0–18	10,225	47.1%	46.3%
Low-birthweight babies (2019)	69	7.2%	8.7%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months	1,112	79.0%	70.7%
Children tested for lead, ages 1–2 (2019)	958	46.4%	40.9%
Children hospitalized for asthma, ages 0–14 ⁱ (2018)	10	4.8	10.3
Children with food insecurity, ages 0–17 (2018)	3,521	16.7%	14.7%
Mental health providers (ratio of population to provider) (2019)	259	401:1	373:1

FAMILY & COMMUNITY

KEY TRENDS OVER TIME	BASE YEAR (2010)		MOST RECENT YEAR				
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	RATE CHANGE	MI RATE	TREND
Births to teens, ages 15–19 [^] (2019)	125	36.1	50	17.3	-52.0%	15.7	●
Child abuse/neglect, ages 0–17 (2020)							
• Children in investigated families [^]	2,214	93.8	2,895	140.8	50.1%	95.9	●
• Confirmed victims [^]	308	13.1	242	11.8	-9.6%	13.0	●
• Children in out-of-home care [^]	91	3.9	136	6.6	71.5%	4.7	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2019)

	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Living in high poverty areas, ages 0–17	2,242	10.7%	13.6%
Household structure, ages 0–17			
• Family with married parents	12,405	59.5%	66.5%
• Family with single parent	8,452	40.5%	33.5%
Poverty by household structure, ages 0–17			
• Family with married parents	1,292	10.4%	8.9%
• Family with single parent	4,066	48.1%	40.6%
English not spoken at home, ages 5–17	213	1.3%	10.6%
Children in homes with internet at home, ages 0–17	19,958	93.9%	89.9%

An equitable, two-generation approach will help Michigan’s kids keep moving forward.

A child’s well-being should not be determined by their race, place or income, but data shows that this is the reality. That’s why our racial equity lens considers how policy decisions help or hinder outcomes. We also consider access to opportunity for the adults in kids’ lives when working to improve well-being.

[^]Rate per 1000 ⁱRate per 10,000 ♦Rate per 100,000

For all data definitions and sources, see the Data Definitions and Notes page.

More data (including nearly 100 indicators, trends, graphs, rates and more) are on the [Kids Count Online Data Center](#).