

POPULATION	2010	2019	% change	POPULATION BY RACE (2019)			
Total population	42,476	40,711	-4.2%	Child population by race			
Child population	9,117	7,850	-13.9%	Hispanic 0–17	912	Young adult population by race	
• Ages 0–5	2,817	2,371	-15.8%	Non-Hispanic 0–17		Hispanic 18–24	319
• Ages 6–12	3,595	3,125	-13.1%	• African American/Black	142	Non-Hispanic 18–24	
• Ages 13–17	2,705	2,354	-13.0%	• American Indian	60	• African American/Black	484
Young adult population				• Asian/Pacific Islander	62	• American Indian	29
• Ages 18–24	4,827	4,579	-5.1%	• White	6,674	• Asian/Pacific Islander	40
						• White	3,707

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	2,268	25.6%	1,471	19.2%	-25.0%	17.5%
Young adults in poverty, ages 18–24	852	28.8%	806	29.9%	3.8%	24.5%	●
Households in Poverty & ALICE	7,060	48.0%	6,860	45.6%	-4.9%	38.1%	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children receiving...			
• Free and reduced price lunch, K-12	3,248	58.5%	50.5%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0–12	131	2.4%	1.7%
• Cash assistance (FIP), ages 0–18	98	1.2%	1.2%
• Food assistance (FAP), ages 0–18	1,813	21.4%	21.6%
• Women, Infants and Children (WIC), ages 0–4 (2019)	1,133	58.4%	44.3%
• Supplemental Security Income, ages 0–18^	136	16.0	16.3
• Any amount of child support owed	1,781	87.4%	83.6%
Median household income (2019)	\$51,046	N/A	\$59,522
Average cost of full-time child care/month	\$500	N/A	\$632
• Percent of full-time minimum wage	N/A	29.9%	37.9%
Families receiving the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) (2019)	3,130	17.6%	15.1%
Families with high-cost housing (2019)	3,703	24.6%	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.

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	3- and 4-year-olds in preschool	285	30.5%	335	41.1%	34.8%	47.5%
3rd graders proficient in English Language Arts, M-STEP (Base: 2015)	182	44.9%	168	42.7%	-4.9%	45.1%	●
8th graders proficient in Math, M-STEP (Base: 2015; Recent: 2018)	165	31.0%	145	32.2%	3.7%	32.7%	●
Students graduating on time (2020)	544	82.5%	364	84.5%	2.3%	82.1%	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children receiving <i>Early On</i> services by ISD, ages 0–2	111	4.0%	2.9%
Students in Special Education	904	15.6%	14.5%
Students who are homeless by ISD, K–12	360	2.9%	2.1%
8th graders proficient in Math, PSAT (2019)	195	42.8%	41.4%
Students who drop out	32	7.4%	7.8%
Teens not in school or working, ages 16–19 (2019)	170	7.1%	6.8%

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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	235	51.6%	201	50.9%	-1.4%	32.2%	●
Infant mortality [^]	4	8.1	1	*	*	6.6	—
Child deaths, ages 1–14*	1	*	1	*	*	18.5	—
Teen deaths, ages 15–19*	1	*	1	*	*	46.1	—
Young adult deaths, ages 18–24*	3	62.2	3	65.9	5.9%	82.1	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)

	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children with health insurance, ages 0–18 (2018)	7,937	96.7%	96.7%
Insured by Medicaid, ages 0–18	4,531	53.4%	46.3%
Low-birthweight babies (2019)	25	6.2%	8.7%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months	490	73.7%	70.7%
Children tested for lead, ages 1–2 (2019)	320	41.8%	40.9%
Children hospitalized for asthma, ages 0–14 ⁱ (2018)	*	*	10.3
Children with food insecurity, ages 0–17 (2018)	1,217	15.3%	14.7%
Mental health providers (ratio of population to provider) (2019)	67	606:1	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)	48	31.2	22	15.6	-50.1%	15.7	●
Child abuse/neglect, ages 0–17 (2020)							
• Children in investigated families [^]	671	74.7	1,098	139.9	87.3%	95.9	●
• Confirmed victims [^]	120	13.4	175	22.3	67.0%	13.0	●
• Children in out-of-home care [^]	29	3.2	45	5.7	77.7%	4.7	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2019)

	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Living in high poverty areas, ages 0–17	0	0.0%	13.6%
Household structure, ages 0–17			
• Family with married parents	5,120	64.5%	66.5%
• Family with single parent	2,814	35.5%	33.5%
Poverty by household structure, ages 0–17			
• Family with married parents	476	9.3%	8.9%
• Family with single parent	1,200	42.6%	40.6%
English not spoken at home, ages 5–17	257	4.2%	10.6%
Children in homes with internet at home, ages 0–17	6,981	86.3%	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](#).

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