

POPULATION	2010	2019	% change	POPULATION BY RACE (2019)			
Total population	24,733	24,558	-0.7%	Child population by race			
Child population	4,716	4,217	-10.6%	Hispanic 0–17	319	Young adult population by race	
• Ages 0–5	1,319	1,241	-5.9%	Non-Hispanic 0–17		Hispanic 18–24	94
• Ages 6–12	1,952	1,598	-18.1%	• African American/Black	118	Non-Hispanic 18–24	
• Ages 13–17	1,445	1,378	-4.6%	• American Indian	148	• African American/Black	229
Young adult population				• Asian/Pacific Islander	32	• American Indian	34
• Ages 18–24	1,744	1,813	4.0%	• White	3,600	• Asian/Pacific Islander	15
						• White	1,441

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	1,166	25.6%	787	19.2%	-25.0%	17.5%
Young adults in poverty, ages 18–24	362	23.4%	215	14.5%	-38.1%	24.5%	●
Households in Poverty & ALICE	4,289	39.8%	4,028	42.7%	7.3%	38.1%	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children receiving...			
• Free and reduced price lunch, K-12	4,205	69.7%	50.5%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0–12	23	0.8%	1.7%
• Cash assistance (FIP), ages 0–18	35	0.8%	1.2%
• Food assistance (FAP), ages 0–18	939	21.0%	21.6%
• Women, Infants and Children (WIC), ages 0–4 (2019)	564	52.8%	44.3%
• Supplemental Security Income, ages 0–18 [^]	104	23.2	16.3
• Any amount of child support owed	774	90.5%	83.6%
Median household income (2019)	\$50,047	N/A	\$59,522
Average cost of full-time child care/month	\$546	N/A	\$632
• Percent of full-time minimum wage	N/A	32.7%	37.9%
Families receiving the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) (2019)	1,750	15.1%	15.1%
Families with high-cost housing (2019)	2,322	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.

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	209	44.7%	176	40.8%	-8.6%	47.5%
3rd graders proficient in English Language Arts, M-STEP (Base: 2015)	126	40.6%	86	30.1%	-26.0%	45.1%	●
8th graders proficient in Math, M-STEP (Base: 2015; Recent: 2018)	94	15.2%	84	17.1%	12.8%	32.7%	●
Students graduating on time (2020)	206	80.8%	362	60.9%	-24.6%	82.1%	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children receiving <i>Early On</i> services by ISD, ages 0–2	23	4.1%	2.9%
Students in Special Education	1,042	18.0%	14.5%
Students who are homeless by ISD, K–12	266	4.6%	2.1%
8th graders proficient in Math, PSAT (2019)	112	21.7%	41.4%
Students who drop out	141	23.7%	7.8%
Teens not in school or working, ages 16–19 (2019)	74	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	70	33.8%	64	32.3%	-4.4%	32.2%	●
Infant mortality [^]	2	*	1	*	*	6.6	—
Child deaths, ages 1–14*	0	*	0	*	*	18.5	—
Teen deaths, ages 15–19*	1	*	1	*	*	46.1	—
Young adult deaths, ages 18–24*	1	*	2	111.1	*	82.1	—

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)

	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children with health insurance, ages 0–18 (2018)	4,231	95.7%	96.7%
Insured by Medicaid, ages 0–18	2,446	54.7%	46.3%
Low-birthweight babies (2019)	14	7.0%	8.7%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months	219	70.4%	70.7%
Children tested for lead, ages 1–2 (2019)	274	66.3%	40.9%
Children hospitalized for asthma, ages 0–14 ⁱ (2018)	*	*	10.3
Children with food insecurity, ages 0–17 (2018)	708	16.6%	14.7%
Mental health providers (ratio of population to provider) (2019)	31	791:1	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)	21	33.8	18	27.3	-19.3%	15.7	●
Child abuse/neglect, ages 0–17 (2020)							
• Children in investigated families [^]	507	107.2	552	130.9	22.1%	95.9	●
• Confirmed victims [^]	61	12.9	82	19.4	50.4%	13.0	●
• Children in out-of-home care [^]	12	2.5	32	7.6	199.1%	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	2,816	68.4%	66.5%
• Family with single parent	1,299	31.6%	33.5%
Poverty by household structure, ages 0–17			
• Family with married parents	113	4.0%	8.9%
• Family with single parent	538	41.4%	40.6%
English not spoken at home, ages 5–17	189	5.7%	10.6%
Children in homes with internet at home, ages 0–17	4,020	94.2%	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](#).