

POPULATION	2010	2019	% change	POPULATION BY RACE (2019)			
Total population	76,258	75,677	-0.8%	<b>Child population by race</b>			
Child population	19,408	17,481	-9.9%	Hispanic 0–17	3,397	<b>Young adult population by race</b>	
• Ages 0–5	5,901	5,496	-6.9%	Non-Hispanic 0–17		Hispanic 18–24	1,096
• Ages 6–12	7,570	6,950	-8.2%	• African American/Black	925	Non-Hispanic 18–24	
• Ages 13–17	5,937	5,035	-15.2%	• American Indian	141	• African American/Black	350
Young adult population				• Asian/Pacific Islander	152	• American Indian	75
• Ages 18–24	5,928	5,848	-1.3%	• White	12,866	• Asian/Pacific Islander	61
						• White	4,266

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	4,435	23.4%	3,003	17.6%	-24.8%	17.5%
Young adults in poverty, ages 18–24	1,201	19.7%	1,072	18.1%	-7.9%	24.5%	●
Households in Poverty & ALICE	11,651	41.9%	11,086	35.8%	-14.7%	38.1%	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)			
	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children receiving...			
• Free and reduced price lunch, K-12	8,205	54.1%	50.5%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0–12	227	1.8%	1.7%
• Cash assistance (FIP), ages 0–18	213	1.2%	1.2%
• Food assistance (FAP), ages 0–18	4,417	24.0%	21.6%
• Women, Infants and Children (WIC), ages 0–4 (2019)	2,474	55.2%	44.3%
• Supplemental Security Income, ages 0–18^	249	13.5	16.3
• Any amount of child support owed	3,309	82.8%	83.6%
Median household income (2019)	\$58,733	N/A	\$59,522
Average cost of full-time child care/month	\$568	N/A	\$632
• Percent of full-time minimum wage	N/A	34.0%	37.9%
Families receiving the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) (2019)	6,300	17.4%	15.1%
Families with high-cost housing (2019)	7,055	24.0%	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	767	40.2%	650	36.8%	-8.5%	47.5%
3rd graders proficient in English Language Arts, M-STEP (Base: 2015)	529	49.0%	464	45.4%	-7.4%	45.1%	●
8th graders proficient in Math, M-STEP (Base: 2015; Recent: 2018)	320	26.6%	276	25.0%	-6.3%	32.7%	●
Students graduating on time (2020)	1,024	74.5%	956	71.1%	-4.6%	82.1%	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)			
	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children receiving <i>Early On</i> services by ISD, ages 0–2	157	5.1%	2.9%
Students in Special Education	2,235	14.3%	14.5%
Students who are homeless by ISD, K–12	617	3.9%	2.1%
8th graders proficient in Math, PSAT (2019)	421	35.1%	41.4%
Students who drop out	179	13.3%	7.8%
Teens not in school or working, ages 16–19 (2019)	337	8.6%	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	371	38.1%	299	35.5%	-6.8%	32.2%	●
Infant mortality <sup>^</sup>	6	6.5	3	4.0	-39.2%	6.6	●
Child deaths, ages 1–14*	1	*	4	26.9	*	18.5	—
Teen deaths, ages 15–19*	3	53.1	1	*	*	46.1	—
Young adult deaths, ages 18–24*	4	60.9	5	90.5	48.5%	82.1	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020 UNLESS NOTED)

	NUMBER	RATE	MI RATE
Children with health insurance, ages 0–18 (2018)	17,328	96.0%	96.7%
Insured by Medicaid, ages 0–18	10,092	54.7%	46.3%
Low-birthweight babies (2019)	56	6.6%	8.7%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months	1,036	75.0%	70.7%
Children tested for lead, ages 1–2 (2019)	569	31.3%	40.9%
Children hospitalized for asthma, ages 0–14 <sup>i</sup> (2018)	*	*	10.3
Children with food insecurity, ages 0–17 (2018)	2,610	14.9%	14.7%
Mental health providers (ratio of population to provider) (2019)	96	786:1	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 <sup>^</sup> (2019)	123	45.7	55	24.1	-47.3%	15.7	●
Child abuse/neglect, ages 0–17 (2020)							
• Children in investigated families <sup>^</sup>	1,750	87.1	2,189	125.2	43.7%	95.9	●
• Confirmed victims <sup>^</sup>	344	17.1	257	14.7	-14.1%	13.0	●
• Children in out-of-home care <sup>^</sup>	124	6.2	108	6.2	0.1%	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	11,879	69.2%	66.5%
• Family with single parent	5,292	30.8%	33.5%
Poverty by household structure, ages 0–17			
• Family with married parents	1,510	12.7%	8.9%
• Family with single parent	2,146	40.6%	40.6%
English not spoken at home, ages 5–17	1,639	12.5%	10.6%
Children in homes with internet at home, ages 0–17	15,498	87.8%	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.

<sup>^</sup>Rate per 1000    <sup>i</sup>Rate 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](#).