

GLADWIN

A BETTER FUTURE IS POSSIBLE

POPULATION	2010	2020	% Change	POPULATION BY RACE (2020)			
Total population	25,692	25,424	-1.0%	Child population by race		Young adult population by race	
Child population	5,158	4,748	-7.9%	Hispanic 0-17	170	Hispanic 18-24	31
• Ages 0-5	1,488	1,628	9.4%	Non-Hispanic 0-17		Non-Hispanic 18-24	
• Ages 6-12	2,070	1,783	-13.9%	• African American/Black	82	• African American/Black	20
• Ages 13-17	1,600	1,337	-16.4%	• American Indian	39	• American Indian	7
Young adult population				• Asian/Pacific Islander	25	• Asian/Pacific Islander	12
• Ages 18-24	1,753	1,521	-13.2%	• White	4,432	• White	1,451

KEY TRENDS OVER TIME (Most recent year is listed in parentheses)	BASE YEAR (2010)		MOST RECENT YEAR				Trend
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Rate Change	MI Rate	
Children in poverty, ages 0-17 (2020)	1,584	31.3%	1,310	28.2%	-9.9%	16.8%	●
Young adults in poverty, ages 18-24 (2020)	559	31.4%	217	13.7%	-56.4%	23.2%	●
Households in poverty & ALICE (2019)	4,585	40.4%	4,871	44.1%	9.0%	38.1%	●

ECONOMIC SECURITY

ADDITIONAL DATA

(Data is for 2021 unless noted)

	Number	Rate	MI Rate
Children receiving...			
• Free and reduced-price lunch, K-12	1,420	54.9%	51.1%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0-12	99	2.9%	1.8%
• Cash assistance (FIP), ages 0-18	42	0.8%	1.0%
• Food assistance (FAP), ages 0-18	975	19.5%	21.9%
• Women, Infant and Children (WIC), ages 0-4 (2020)	758	56.0%	43.5%
• Supplemental Security Income, ages 0-18 [^]	81	16.2	15.3
• Any amount of child support received	726	86.5%	81.5%
Median household income (2020)	\$48,694	N/A	\$61,352
Average cost of full-time child care/month	\$431	N/A	\$646
• Percent of full-time minimum wage	N/A	25.8%	38.7%
Families receiving the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) (2020)	1,690	13.9%	13.7%
Families with high-cost housing (2020)	2,670	23.9%	26.2%

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3- and 4- year olds in preschool (2020)	176	32.8%	259	47.3%	44.2%	46.7%	●
Students graduating on time (2021)	216	79.1%	166	81.0%	2.4%	80.5%	●

EDUCATION

ADDITIONAL DATA

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	Number	Rate	MI Rate
Children receiving <i>Early On</i> services by ISD, ages 0-2	48	2.8%	3.4%
Students in Special Education	454	17.5%	14.5%
Students who are homeless by ISD, K-12 (2020)	212	3.3%	1.9%
3rd graders proficient in English Language Arts, M-STEP	64	47.4%	42.8%
8th graders proficient in Math, PSAT	53	29.8%	36.0%
Students who drop out	18	8.8%	7.7%
Teens not in school or working, ages 16-19 (2020)	180	15.6%	6.8%

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	● Little Change	^t Rate per 10,000	* Data suppressed
	● Worsening	[♦] Rate per 100,000	
	For all data definitions and sources, see the Data Definitions and Notes page.		

HEALTH & SAFETY

KEY TRENDS OVER TIME	BASE YEAR (2010)		MOST RECENT YEAR (2020)				Trend
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Rate Change	MI Rate	
Less than adequate prenatal care	86	35.8%	103	41.7%	16.6%	32.2%	●
Infant mortality [^]	2	*	2	8.1	*	6.6	—
Child deaths, ages 1-14 [*]	1	*	1	*	*	18.5	—
Teen deaths, ages 15-19 [*]	1	*	1	*	*	48.1	—
Young adult deaths, ages 18-24 [*]	2	*	2	128.6	*	83.8	—

ADDITIONAL DATA

(Most recent year is listed in parentheses)

	Number	Rate	MI Rate
Children with health insurance, ages 0-18 (2019)	4,581	94.7%	96.6%
Insured by Medicaid, ages 0-18 (2021)	2,660	53.3%	48.7%
Low-birthweight babies (2020)	16	6.5%	8.7%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19-35 months (2021)	180	51.1%	69.4%
Children tested for lead, ages 1-2 (2020)	69	13.4%	29.8%
Children hospitalized for asthma, ages 0-14 ^t (2019)	*	*	10.6
Children with food insecurity, ages 0-17 (2019)	930	19.1%	14.2%
Mental health providers (ratio of population to provider) (2020)	30	848:1	355:1

FAMILY & COMMUNITY

KEY TRENDS OVER TIME (Most recent year is listed in parentheses)	BASE YEAR (2010)		MOST RECENT YEAR				Trend
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Birth to teens, ages 15-19 [^] (2020)	23	31.6	10	16.1	-49.1%	14.8	●
Child abuse/neglect, ages 0-17 (2021)							
• Children in investigated families [^]	349	67.8	578	121.7	79.5%	86.2	●
• Confirmed victims [^]	59	11.5	112	23.6	105.8%	12.1	●
• Children in out-of-home care [^]	10	1.9	41	8.6	342.5%	4.3	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020)

	Number	Rate	MI Rate
Children living in high-poverty areas, ages 0-17	0	0.0%	12.5%
Children by household structure, ages 0-17			
• Family with married parents	3,316	71.8%	66.5%
• Family with single parent	1,305	28.2%	33.5%
Children in poverty by household structure, ages 0-17			
• Family with married parents	399	12.0%	8.4%
• Family with single parent	517	39.6%	38.2%
English not spoken at home, ages 5-17	288	8.4%	10.4%
Children with internet at home, ages 0-17	3,797	79.0%	92.5%

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.

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.

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