

POPULATION	2010	2020	% Change	POPULATION BY RACE (2020)			
Total population	280,895	290,609	3.5%	Child population by race		Young adult population by race	
Child population	58,599	56,692	-3.3%	Hispanic 0-17	6,560	Hispanic 18-24	4,308
• Ages 0-5	19,374	18,987	-2.0%	Non-Hispanic 0-17		Non-Hispanic 18-24	
• Ages 6-12	22,509	21,903	-2.7%	• African American/Black	11,448	• African American/Black	6,956
• Ages 13-17	16,716	15,802	-5.5%	• American Indian	309	• American Indian	276
Young adult population				• Asian/Pacific Islander	3,993	• Asian/Pacific Islander	5,258
• Ages 18-24	54,895	54,070	-1.5%	• White	34,382	• White	37,272

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)	13,876	24.2%	8,287	14.9%	-38.4%	16.8%	●
Young adults in poverty, ages 18-24 (2020)	18,580	49.0%	18,268	45.0%	-8.2%	23.2%	●
Households in poverty & ALICE (2019)	44,164	40.8%	49,128	42.9%	5.1%	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	20,911	49.8%	51.1%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0-12	838	2.1%	1.8%
• Cash assistance (FIP), ages 0-18	549	0.9%	1.0%
• Food assistance (FAP), ages 0-18	14,763	23.4%	21.9%
• Women, Infant and Children (WIC), ages 0-4 (2020)	7,567	46.8%	43.5%
• Supplemental Security Income, ages 0-18 [^]	991	15.7	15.3
• Any amount of child support received	11,356	84.6%	81.5%
Median household income (2020)	\$62,711	N/A	\$61,352
Average cost of full-time child care/month	\$695	N/A	\$646
• Percent of full-time minimum wage	N/A	41.6%	38.7%
Families receiving the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) (2020)	18,800	14.1%	13.7%
Families with high-cost housing (2020)	33,834	29.8%	26.2%

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3- and 4- year olds in preschool (2020)	2,534	41.0%	3,051	48.2%	17.6%	46.7%	●
Students graduating on time (2021)	2,778	74.9%	2,659	78.8%	5.2%	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	473	4.7%	3.4%
Students in Special Education	5,280	12.6%	14.5%
Students who are homeless by ISD, K-12 (2020)	583	1.4%	1.9%
3rd graders proficient in English Language Arts, M-STEP	578	50.0%	42.8%
8th graders proficient in Math, PSAT	510	50.1%	36.0%
Students who drop out	245	7.3%	7.7%
Teens not in school or working, ages 16-19 (2020)	630	2.7%	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	841	25.3%	1,110	37.7%	49.1%	32.2%	●
Infant mortality [^]	20	5.9	22	7.5	26.8%	6.6	●
Child deaths, ages 1-14*	7	14.6	9	20.1	37.7%	18.5	●
Teen deaths, ages 15-19*	9	32.9	8	31.6	-4.0%	48.1	●
Young adult deaths, ages 18-24*	19	33.7	24	43.6	29.4%	83.8	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (Most recent year is listed in parentheses)	Number	Rate	MI Rate
Children with health insurance, ages 0-18 (2019)	57,319	96.8%	96.6%
Insured by Medicaid, ages 0-18 (2021)	29,370	46.6%	48.7%
Low-birthweight babies (2020)	250	8.5%	8.7%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19-35 months (2021)	3,402	70.8%	69.4%
Children tested for lead, ages 1-2 (2020)	1,301	21.2%	29.8%
Children hospitalized for asthma, ages 0-14 ^t (2019)	50	8.5	10.6
Children with food insecurity, ages 0-17 (2019)	8,050	13.9%	14.2%
Mental health providers (ratio of population to provider) (2020)	1,155	253:1	355:1

FAMILY & COMMUNITY

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	
Birth to teens, ages 15-19 [^] (2020)	318	23.3	141	10.9	-53.2%	14.8	●
Child abuse/neglect, ages 0-17 (2021)							
• Children in investigated families [^]	5,195	88.7	6,064	107.0	20.6%	86.2	●
• Confirmed victims [^]	1,492	25.5	967	17.1	-32.9%	12.1	●
• Children in out-of-home care [^]	499	8.5	391	6.9	-19.1%	4.3	●

ADDITIONAL DATA (2020)	Number	Rate	MI Rate
Children living in high-poverty areas, ages 0-17	9,164	16.4%	12.5%
Children by household structure, ages 0-17			
• Family with married parents	35,453	63.9%	66.5%
• Family with single parent	19,993	36.1%	33.5%
Children in poverty by household structure, ages 0-17			
• Family with married parents	2,781	7.8%	8.4%
• Family with single parent	8,280	41.4%	38.2%
English not spoken at home, ages 5-17	5,396	13.1%	10.4%
Children with internet at home, ages 0-17	52,136	91.6%	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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