

ONTONAGON

A BETTER FUTURE IS POSSIBLE

POPULATION	2010	2020	% Change	POPULATION BY RACE (2020)	
Total population	6,780	5,656	-16.6%	Child population by race	
Child population	1,073	683	-36.3%	Hispanic 0-17	28
• Ages 0-5	291	185	-36.4%	Non-Hispanic 0-17	
• Ages 6-12	412	239	-42.0%	• African American/Black	13
• Ages 13-17	370	259	-30.0%	• American Indian	9
Young adult population				• Asian/Pacific Islander	11
• Ages 18-24	280	268	-4.3%	• White	622
				Young adult population by race	
				Hispanic 18-24	5
				Non-Hispanic 18-24	
				• African American/Black	6
				• American Indian	10
				• Asian/Pacific Islander	5
				• White	242

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)	284	27.0%	157	23.4%	-13.3%	16.8%	●
Young adults in poverty, ages 18-24 (2020)	75	22.4%	101	32.3%	44.3%	23.2%	●
Households in poverty & ALICE (2019)	1,527	44.8%	1,418	50.8%	13.4%	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	260	56.9%	51.1%
• Subsidized child care, ages 0-12	7	1.7%	1.8%
• Cash assistance (FIP), ages 0-18	5	*	1.0%
• Food assistance (FAP), ages 0-18	127	17.5%	21.9%
• Women, Infant and Children (WIC), ages 0-4 (2020)	87	58.0%	43.5%
• Supplemental Security Income, ages 0-18 ^A	8	11.0	15.3
• Any amount of child support received	99	89.2%	81.5%
Median household income (2020)	\$43,309	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)	330	11.9%	13.7%
Families with high-cost housing (2020)	554	19.6%	26.2%

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3- and 4- year olds in preschool (2020)	29	23.8%	37	54.4%	128.6%	46.7%	●
Students graduating on time (2021)	61	85.9%	29	87.9%	2.3%	80.5%	●

EDUCATION

ADDITIONAL DATA

(Data is for 2021 unless noted)

	Number	Rate	MI Rate
Children receiving <i>Early On</i> services by ISD, ages 0-2	26	6.2%	3.4%
Students in Special Education	151	33.0%	14.5%
Students who are homeless by ISD, K-12 (2020)	49	2.5%	1.9%
3rd graders proficient in English Language Arts, M-STEP	11	50.0%	42.8%
8th graders proficient in Math, PSAT	4	*	36.0%
Students who drop out	1	*	7.7%
Teens not in school or working, ages 16-19 (2020)	64	30.1%	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	12	31.4%	7	29.2%	-6.9%	32.2%	●
Infant mortality [^]	-	*	0	*	*	6.6	—
Child deaths, ages 1-14*	0	*	0	*	*	18.5	—
Teen deaths, ages 15-19*	0	*	0	*	*	48.1	—
Young adult deaths, ages 18-24*	0	*	0	*	*	83.8	—

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Children with health insurance, ages 0-18 (2019)	710	95.3%	96.6%
Insured by Medicaid, ages 0-18 (2021)	433	59.6%	48.7%
Low-birthweight babies (2020)	2	*	8.7%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19-35 months (2021)	28	73.7%	69.4%
Children tested for lead, ages 1-2 (2020)	22	35.5%	29.8%
Children hospitalized for asthma, ages 0-14 ^t (2019)	*	*	10.6
Children with food insecurity, ages 0-17 (2019)	120	17.1%	14.2%
Mental health providers (ratio of population to provider) (2020)	1	5720:1	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)	3	19.0	1	*	*	14.8	—
Child abuse/neglect, ages 0-17 (2021)							
• Children in investigated families [^]	102	95.0	69	101.0	6.3%	86.2	●
• Confirmed victims [^]	31	28.9	34	49.8	72.5%	12.1	●
• Children in out-of-home care [^]	0	*	1	*	*	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	427	64.6%	66.5%
• Family with single parent	234	35.4%	33.5%
Children in poverty by household structure, ages 0-17			
• Family with married parents	96	22.5%	8.4%
• Family with single parent	43	18.4%	38.2%
English not spoken at home, ages 5-17	-	*	10.4%
Children with internet at home, ages 0-17	669	98.1%	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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