

Kids Count in Michigan Data Book 2004

Children (Ages 0-17) in Poverty in 2000 Michigan and its Counties

Rank ¹	County	Number	Percent	Rank ¹	County	Number	Percent
	Michigan	347,234	13.7%	45	Calhoun	5,447	15.7%
1	Livingston	1,808	4.0%	45	Newaygo	2,125	15.7%
2	Ottawa	3,810	5.6%	45	Presque Isle	450	15.7%
3	Clinton	1,153	6.5%	48	Alpena	1,125	15.8%
4	Oakland	21,103	7.1%	49	Manistee	847	15.9%
5	Macomb	14,084	7.4%	49	Sanilac	1,815	15.9%
6	Lapeer	1,787	7.5%	51	Mason	1,064	16.0%
7	Barry	1,224	8.2%	52	Muskegon	7,392	16.1%
8	Washtenaw	5,942	8.3%	52	VanBuren	3,276	16.1%
9	Monroe	3,281	8.4%	54	Branch	1,808	16.2%
10	Grand Traverse	1,631	8.5%	54	Houghton	1,230	16.2%
11	Eaton	2,280	8.7%	54	Missaukee	622	16.2%
12	Leelanau	455	9.1%	57	Kalkaska	695	16.9%
13	Allegan	2,769	9.3%	58	Iron	433	17.3%
14	Lenawee	2,356	9.6%	59	Chippewa	1,388	17.4%
15	Emmet	766	9.9%	60	Ontonagon	261	17.6%
16	Midland	2,210	10.2%	61	Berrien	7,222	17.8%
17	St. Clair	4,501	10.5%	62	Mackinac	441	18.1%
18	Ionia	1,707	10.7%	62	Schoolcraft	349	18.1%
19	Kent	17,616	10.9%	64	Cheboygan	1,104	18.2%
20	Shiawassee	2,067	11.1%	64	Mecosta	1,630	18.2%
21	Dickinson	737	11.2%	66	Genesee	21,547	18.4%
22	Otsego	691	11.3%	67	Osceola	1,106	18.7%
23	Marquette	1,538	11.7%	68	Gogebic	616	18.9%
24	Charlevoix	786	12.0%	69	Saginaw	10,388	19.1%
25	Delta	1,082	12.4%	70	Oceana	1,388	19.5%
26	Benzie	472	12.7%	71	Iosco	1,163	20.1%
27	Kalamazoo	7,301	12.9%	72	Gladwin	1,232	20.7%
28	Tuscola	1,892	13.0%	73	Crawford	703	20.9%
29	Isabella	1,648	13.2%	74	Montmorency	435	21.3%
30	Gratiot	1,295	13.4%	74	Wayne	119,921	21.3%
31	Jackson	5,400	13.6%	76	Arenac	806	21.4%
32	Baraga	263	13.8%	77	Ogemaw	1,049	21.6%
32	Bay	3,552	13.8%	78	Luce	313	22.1%
32	Menominee	793	13.8%	79	Alcona	471	22.3%
35	Hillsdale	1,643	14.0%	79	Oscoda	477	22.3%
36	Antrim	780	14.2%	81	Roscommon	1,126	23.0%
37	Huron	1,196	14.4%	82	Clare	1,698	23.3%
37	Ingham	9,308	14.4%	83	Lake	697	29.7%
39	St. Joseph	2,502	15.0%				
40	Alger	289	15.2%				
40	Cass	1,887	15.2%				
40	Keweenaw	64	15.2%				
43	Wexford	1,206	15.5%				
44	Montcalm	2,501	15.6%				

¹Ranking is based on rounded rates or percentages.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates (SAIPE)