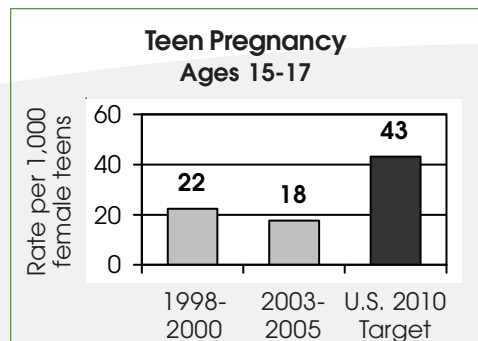
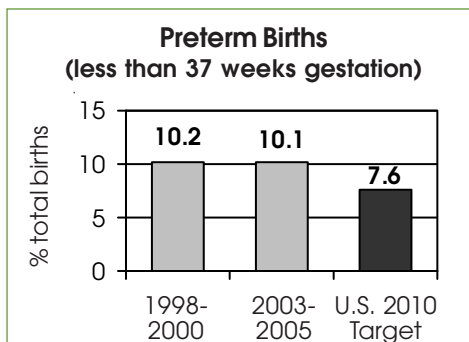


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Average wage per job	\$43,861
Average cost of full-time child care (monthly-2007)	\$594
- percent of average wage	16.3%
Unemployment (2006)	7.2%

Healthy Children & Youth 2010



In 2000, Michigan and many of its counties had better teen pregnancy rates than the national Healthy People 2010 target, but this is not the case for preterm births where the Michigan rate is significantly higher than the target.

Source: Vital Records and Health Data Development Section, Michigan Department of Community Health

Child Health

	1998-2000 Avg.		2003-2005 Avg.	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1-6				
-tested	1,962	3.2%	4,933	8.0%
-poisoned (% of tested)	18	0.9%	19	0.4%
Children, ages 0-4, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000)	(3-Yr. Total)		(3-Yr. Total)	
	379	25.0	534	35.2
Children, ages 0-18 insured by...	2000		2006	
-Medicaid ²	21,543	10.8%	47,836	23.2%
-MIChild (monthly avg.)	935	0.5%	2,994	1.5%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19-35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3)	NA	NA	10,630	72.0%

Background

Total Live Births	1998-00 Avg.		2003-05 Avg.	
	10,042		10,118	
Diversity of Children	2000		2005	
Non-Hispanic				
- White	171,490	90.2%	166,872	85.2%
- African American	7,562	4.0%	15,040	7.7%
- American Indian/Alaskan Native	1,192	0.6%	1,570	0.8%
- Asian/Pacific Islander/Other	5,451	2.9%	7,026	3.6%
Hispanic (any race)	4,398	2.3%	5,344	2.7%
Total child population, ages 0-17 ¹	190,093	100.0%	195,852	100.0%

Economic Security	Number	Rate	MI
Children receiving... ²			
- subsidized child care, ages 0-12	4,426	3.2%	6.4%
- FIP cash assistance ³	5,965	2.9%	6.4%
- food assistance (food stamps)	26,162	12.7%	20.2%
Children with support owed	27,782	13.0%	18.9%
- receiving none	4,678	16.8%	26.7%
- receiving less than 70% of amount	13,272	47.8%	58.2%

Children with Special Needs

Students in Special Education (2006-07 school year)	19,783	14.7%	14.7%
Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ²	1,452	7.4	15.2
Infants born with a birth defect ⁴ (2002-2004 avg.)	588	5.8%	6.2%

Note: Percentages reflect percent of population unless otherwise noted.

¹Due to rounding error not all total to 100%.

²These data represent a single month-December.

³ Family Independence Program

⁴ Variation in these rates may result from reporting bias.

* Sometimes a rate could not be calculated because of low incidence of events or unavailable data.

N/A not available.

See Data Notes and Definitions for details.

