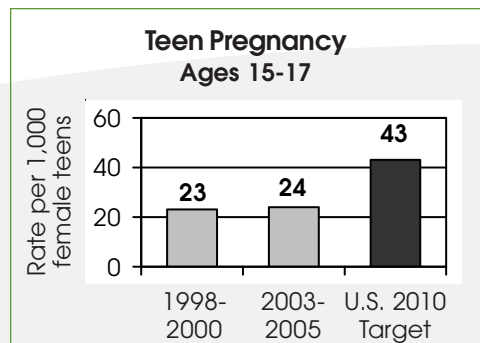
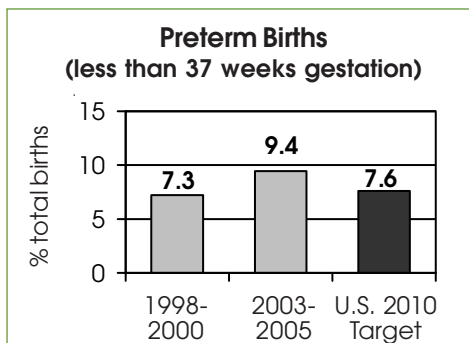


# Otsego



Average wage per job	\$29,461
Average cost of full-time child care (monthly-2007)	\$452
- percent of average wage	18.4%
Unemployment (2006)	8.1%

## 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	47	2.6%	111	6.4%
-poisoned (% of tested)	1	*	0	*
Children, ages 0-4, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000)	<b>(3-Yr. Total)</b>		<b>(3-Yr. Total)</b>	
	10	*	14	*
Children, ages 0-18 insured by...	<b>2000</b>		<b>2006</b>	
-Medicaid <sup>2</sup>	1,402	21.3%	2,460	39.5%
-MIChild (monthly avg.)	35	0.5%	151	2.4%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19-35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3)	NA	NA	324	75.0%

## Background

Total Live Births	1998-00 Avg.		2003-05 Avg.	
	284		280	
Diversity of Children	2000		2005	
Non-Hispanic				
- White	6,021	96.6%	5,717	96.8%
- African American	40	0.6%	58	1.0%
- American Indian/Alaskan Native	59	0.9%	32	0.5%
- Asian/Pacific Islander/Other	28	0.4%	26	0.4%
Hispanic (any race)	88	1.4%	73	1.2%
Total child population, ages 0-17 <sup>1</sup>	6,236	100.0%	5,906	100.0%

Economic Security	Number	Rate	MI
Children receiving... <sup>2</sup>			
- subsidized child care, ages 0-12	316	7.9%	6.4%
- FIP cash assistance <sup>3</sup>	161	2.6%	6.4%
- food assistance (food stamps)	1,224	19.6%	20.2%
Children with support owed	1,289	19.9%	18.9%
- receiving none	175	13.6%	26.7%
- receiving less than 70% of amount	642	49.8%	58.2%

## Children with Special Needs

Students in Special Education (2006-07 school year)	571	12.8%	14.7%
Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) <sup>2</sup>	70	11.9	15.2
Infants born with a birth defect <sup>4</sup> (2002-2004 avg.)	14	4.9%	6.2%

Note: Percentages reflect percent of population unless otherwise noted.

<sup>1</sup>Due to rounding error not all total to 100%.

<sup>2</sup>These data represent a single month-December.

<sup>3</sup> Family Independence Program

<sup>4</sup> 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.

