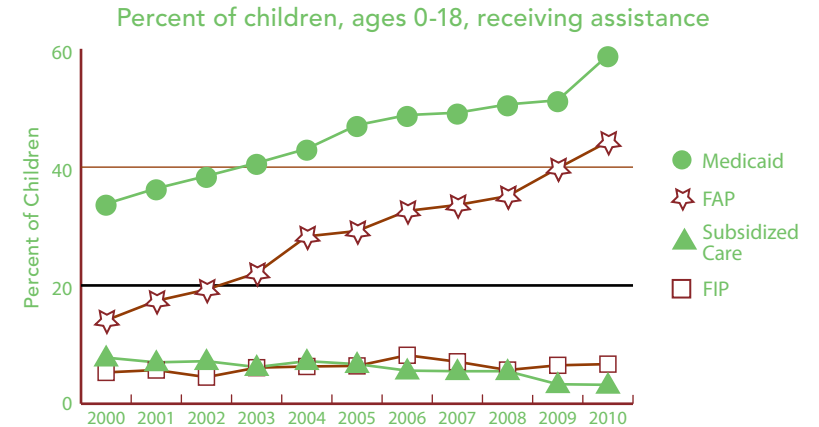


BACKGROUND INFORMATION (ALL DATA ARE FOR 2010 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)



	NUMBER	RATE	MI
FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS			
Children receiving...			
• subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹	136	3.2%	3.4%
• FIP cash assistance ^{1,3}	447	6.7%	6.2%
• Food Assistance Program ^{1,4}	2,950	44.3%	30.4%
Children with support owed			
• receiving none (% of those owed)	256	18.7%	29.5%
• receiving less than 70% of amount	722	52.7%	62.6%



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



	2000	2010	% CHANGE
POPULATION			
Child population			
0–17	7,641	6,467	-15.4%
• Ages 0-4	1,817	1,758	-3.2%
• Ages 5-9	2,140	1,620	-24.3%
• Ages 10-14	2,304	1,843	-20.0%
• Ages 15-19	2,159	2,021	-6.4%

	NUMBER	RATE	MI
ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE			
Children insured	6,192	94.1%	94.9%
Children, ages 0–18 insured by...			
• Medicaid ¹	3,924	58.9%	40.7%
• MICHild	84	1.3%	1.2%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1) ¹	398	74.1%	70.0%
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2			
• tested	355	53.4%	36.2%
• poisoned (% of tested)	0	*	0.8%
Children, ages 1–14, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000) ²	11	22.8	20.8
CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS			
Babies with a birth defect**	19	5.2%	6.6%
Students in Special Education ¹	818	17.5%	14.4%
Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹	182	29.0	19.2

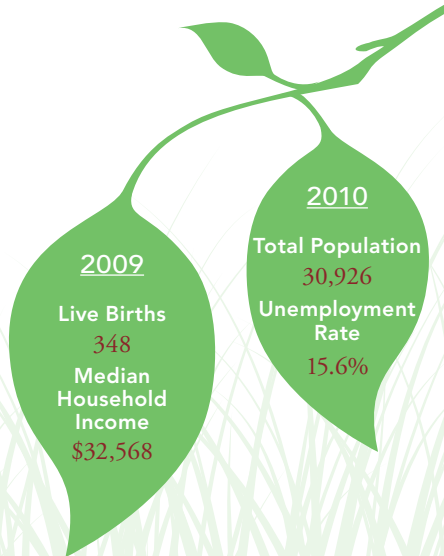
1 As of December 2010.
 2 Annual rate and number are based on the three-year period 2007–2009 and only for counties with a total number over 20.
 3 Family Independence Program.
 4 State name for the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, formerly called "food stamps."

Note: Percentages reflect percent of population unless otherwise noted.
 * Sometimes a rate could not be calculated because of low incidence of events or unavailable data.
 ** Based on three year period 2006-2008.
 N/A not available.
 See Data Notes and Definitions for details.

TRENDS IN CHILD WELL-BEING 2000–2008/09**



	BASE YEAR		CURRENT YEAR		RANK ¹	MI RATE	PERCENT CHANGE IN RATE	
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE			WORSE	BETTER
Economic Security**	<u>2005</u>		<u>2009</u>					
Children in poverty								
• ages 0–17	2,010	29.5%	2,247	36.8%	81	22.2%	25	
• ages 5–17	1,458	28.4%	1,491	33.7%	81	20.2%	19	
	<u>2006</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Students receiving free/reduced price school lunches ²	2,528	50.3%	2,820	60.4%	74	46.5%	20	
Child Health	<u>1998–2000</u>		<u>2007–2009</u>					
Less than adequate prenatal care (2008–09)‡	—	—	149	44.1%	80	29.5%		
Low-birthweight babies	24	7.1%	31	8.8%	72 of 81	8.5%	24	
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	3	9.7	2	5.7	13 of 49	7.6		41
Child deaths, ages 1–14 (per 100,000)	2	*	0	*	* of 34	17.4		
Adolescence								
Births to teens, ages 15–19 (per 1,000)	52	50.5	54	56.3	80	33.3	11	
Teen deaths (per 100,000)	1	*	3	136.8	38 of 39	55.6		
	<u>2007</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school dropouts**	59	13.8%	53	11.9%	68 of 80	11.1%		14
Abuse/Neglect (per 1,000)	<u>FY2000</u>		<u>FY2010</u>					
Children in investigated families	607	79.6	409	65.2	20	70.1		18
Confirmed victims	148	19.4	93	14.8	33	13.8		24
Children in out-of-home care	36	4.7	22	3.5	18 of 76	5.1		26
Education (not proficient in math)	<u>2003</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Fourth grade (MEAP)	164	45.3%	35	11.6%	74	8.5%		74
Eighth grade (MEAP)	200	49.3%	89	27.0%	72	22.0%		
	<u>2008</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school students (MME)	219	60.2%	179	56.6%	68	49.6%		6



¹ A ranking of 1 means a county has the “best” rate compared to other counties in the state. Unless noted, the ranking is based on 82–83 counties.
² Family income for eligible students is below 185 percent poverty level.
 * Sometimes a rate could not be calculated because of low incidence of events or unavailable data.
 ** Due to changes in the data measures, comparisons between 2000 and the current year could not be made for some indicators.
 ‡ Due to Michigan’s revised birth certificate, 2008–09 data cannot be compared with those of previous years.
 MME – Michigan Merit Exam instead of the MEAP.
 Beginning in 2007 Michigan high school students have taken the ACT college entrance exam.

Missing bars indicate no change or a rate could not be calculated; a “0” reflects no change. Percentage change is calculated with unrounded rates.