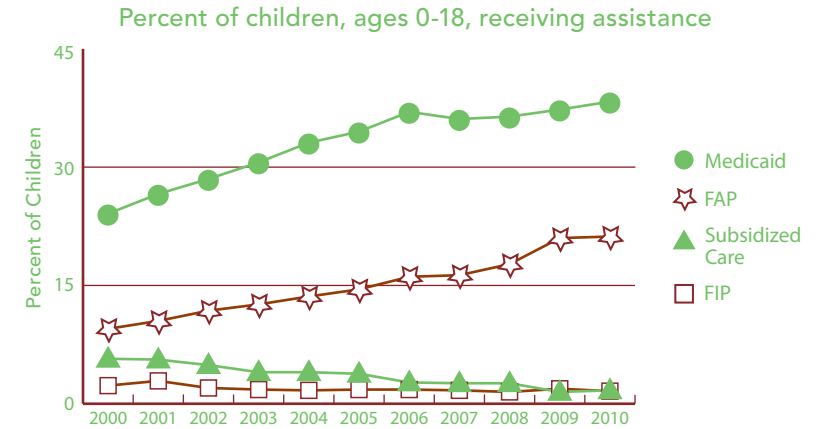


BACKGROUND INFORMATION (ALL DATA ARE FOR 2010 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)



	NUMBER	RATE	MI
FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS			
Children receiving...			
• subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹	88	1.7%	3.4%
• FIP cash assistance ^{1,3}	132	1.6%	6.2%
• Food Assistance Program ^{1,4}	1,731	21.2%	30.4%
Children with support owed			
• receiving none (% of those owed)	226	18.8%	29.5%
• receiving less than 70% of amount	654	54.4%	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			
• Ages 0–4	1,937	2,131	10.0%
• Ages 5–9	2,054	2,115	3.0%
• Ages 10–14	2,328	2,096	-10.0%
• Ages 15–19	3,686	3,525	-4.4%

ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE

	NUMBER	RATE	MI
Children insured	7,644	94.9%	94.9%
Children, ages 0–18 insured by...			
• Medicaid ¹	3,132	38.3%	40.7%
• MICHild	142	1.7%	1.2%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1) ¹	379	62.1%	70.0%
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2			
• tested	405	49.4%	36.2%
• poisoned (% of tested)	1	*	0.8%
Children, ages 1–14, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000) ²	5	*	20.8

CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Babies with a birth defect**	5	1.3%	6.6%
Students in Special Education ¹	592	11.0%	14.4%
Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹	59	8.1	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	1,294	18.5%	1,472	20.3%	25	22.2%	10	
• ages 5–17	833	16.5%	936	18.0%	25	20.2%	9	
	<u>2006</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Students receiving free/reduced price school lunches ²	2,452	44.7%	2,643	49.1%	33	46.5%	10	
Child Health	<u>1998–2000</u>		<u>2007–2009</u>					
Less than adequate prenatal care (2008–09)‡	—	—	153	37.5%	67	29.5%		
Low-birthweight babies	14	3.6%	20	4.8%	3 of 81	8.5%	34	5
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	3	6.8	3	6.5	21 of 49	7.6		
Child deaths, ages 1–14 (per 100,000)	1	*	1	*	* of 34	17.4		
Adolescence								
Births to teens, ages 15–19 (per 1,000)	36	24.4	24	17.0	6	33.3		30
Teen deaths (per 100,000)	1	*	0	*	* of 39	55.6		
	<u>2007</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school dropouts**	37	8.3%	22	4.8%	9 of 80	11.1%		42
Abuse/Neglect (per 1,000)	<u>FY2000</u>		<u>FY2010</u>					
Children in investigated families	485	61.6	351	48.1	9	70.1		22
Confirmed victims	80	10.2	115	15.7	39	13.8	55	
Children in out-of-home care	15	1.9	27	3.7	22 of 76	5.1	94	
Education (not proficient in math)	<u>2003</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Fourth grade (MEAP)	110	29.6%	19	4.9%	12	8.5%		83
Eighth grade (MEAP)	137	31.0%	48	11.7%	5	22.0%		62
	<u>2008</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school students (MME)	133	33.8%	118	31.2%	2	49.6%		8

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.

2009

Live Births
410
Median Household Income
\$33,589

2010

Total Population
36,628
Unemployment Rate
10.9%