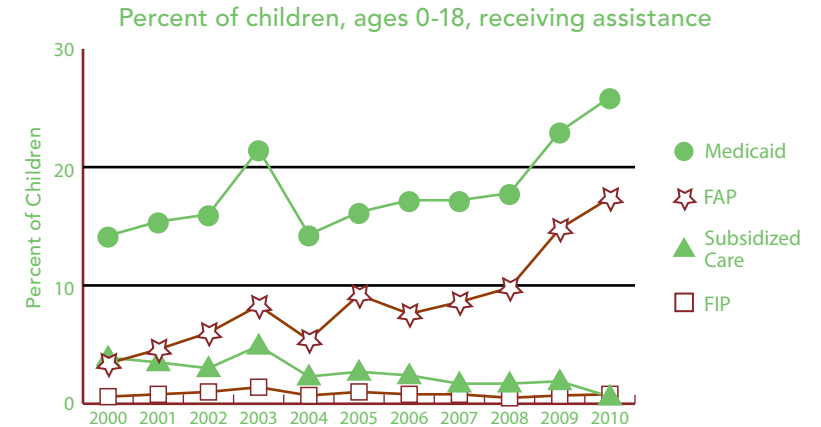


BACKGROUND INFORMATION (ALL DATA ARE FOR 2010 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)



	NUMBER	RATE	MI
FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS			
Children receiving...			
• subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹	18	0.6%	3.4%
• FIP cash assistance ^{1,3}	35	0.8%	6.2%
• Food Assistance Program ^{1,4}	790	17.4%	30.4%
Children with support owed			
• receiving none (% of those owed)	61	8.7%	29.5%
• receiving less than 70% of amount	275	39.4%	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	1,079	940	-12.9%
• Ages 5–9	1,444	1,088	-24.7%
• Ages 10–14	1,699	1,254	-26.2%
• Ages 15–19	1,433	1,410	-1.6%

	NUMBER	RATE	MI
ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE			
Children insured	4,113	92.8%	94.9%
Children, ages 0–18 insured by...			
• Medicaid ¹	1,174	25.9%	40.7%
• MICHild	85	1.9%	1.2%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1) ¹	153	74.3%	70.0%
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2			
• tested	88	23.1%	36.2%
• poisoned (% of tested)	0	*	0.8%
Children, ages 1–14, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000) ²	2	*	20.8
CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS			
Babies with a birth defect**	7	3.9%	6.6%
Students in Special Education ¹	275	12.6%	14.4%
Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹	38	9.0	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**	2005		2009					
Children in poverty								
• ages 0–17	499	11.0%	598	14.4%	9	22.2%	31	
• ages 5–17	323	9.0%	395	12.3%	9	20.2%	37	
	2006		2010					
Students receiving free/reduced price school lunches ²	642	27.3%	810	37.2%	9	46.5%	36	
Child Health	1998–2000		2007–2009					
Less than adequate prenatal care (2008–09)‡	—	—	57	32.7%	50	29.5%		
Low-birthweight babies	11	5.7%	9	4.9%	4 of 81	8.5%		14
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	0	*	0	*	* of 49	7.6		
Child deaths, ages 1–14 (per 100,000)	1	*	0	*	* of 34	17.4		
Adolescence								
Births to teens, ages 15–19 (per 1,000)	17	27.6	15	20.5	13	33.3		26
Teen deaths (per 100,000)	1	*	0	*	* of 39	55.6		
	2007		2010					
High school dropouts**	8	3.7%	6	2.9%	1 of 80	11.1%		23
Abuse/Neglect (per 1,000)	FY2000		FY2010					
Children in investigated families ⁺	1,098	44.1	1,441	63.0	16	70.1	43	
Confirmed victims ⁺	157	6.3	214	9.4	12	13.8	48	
Children in out-of-home care	24	4.7	22	5.2	42 of 76	5.1	12	
Education (not proficient in math)	2003		2010					
Fourth grade (MEAP)	52	28.1%	7	5.6%	20	8.5%		80
Eighth grade (MEAP)	73	34.1%	21	12.5%	7	22.0%		63
	2008		2010					
High school students (MME)	74	38.5%	72	37.7%	5	49.6%		2

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.

+ Numbers are combined with Grand Traverse.

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
178
Median Household Income
\$54,853

2010

Total Population
21,708
Unemployment Rate
10.1%