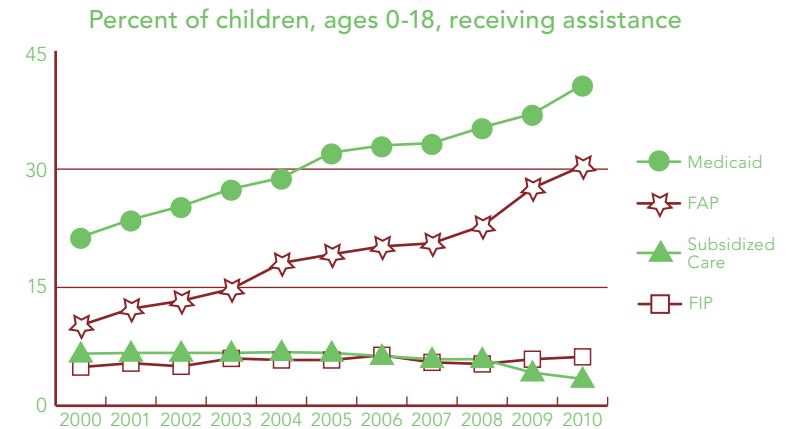


BACKGROUND INFORMATION (ALL DATA ARE FOR 2010 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)



	NUMBER	MI RATE
FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS		
Children receiving...		
• subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹	56,375	3.4%
• FIP cash assistance ^{1,3}	154,193	6.2%
• Food Assistance Program ^{1,4}	759,926	30.4%
Children with support owed		
• receiving none (% of those owed)	161,825	29.5%
• receiving less than 70% of amount	343,749	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	2,595,388	2,344,068	-9.7%
• Ages 0-4	671,475	596,286	-11.2%
• Ages 5-9	741,359	637,784	-14.0%
• Ages 10-14	749,494	675,216	-9.9%
• Ages 15-19	721,552	739,599	2.5%

	NUMBER	MI RATE
ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE		
Children insured	2,311,269	94.9%
Children, ages 0–18 insured by...		
• Medicaid ¹	1,018,091	40.7%
• MICHild	30,263	1.2%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1) ¹	126,747	70.0%
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2		
• tested	89,163	36.2%
• poisoned (% of tested)	751	0.8%
Children, ages 1–14, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000) ²	3,768	20.8
CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS		
Babies with a birth defect**	8,274	6.6%
Students in Special Education ¹	226,680	14.4%
Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹	45,094	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	454,296	18.3%	513,550	22.2%	—	22.2%	21	
• ages 5–17	308,636	16.9%	341,851	20.2%	—	20.2%	20	
	<u>2006</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Students receiving free/reduced price school lunches ²	612,022	36.2%	730,991	46.5%	—	46.5%	28	
Child Health	<u>1998–2000</u>		<u>2007–2009</u>					
Less than adequate prenatal care (2008–09)‡	—	—	35,191	29.5%	—	29.5%		
Low-birthweight babies	10,626	7.9%	10,245	8.5%	—	8.5%	7	
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	1,091	8.1	924	7.6	—	7.6	6	
Child deaths, ages 1–14 (per 100,000)	471	23.1	318	17.4	—	17.4	25	
Adolescence								
Births to teens, ages 15–19 (per 1,000)	14,633	41.9	12,076	33.3	—	33.3	21	
Teen deaths (per 100,000)	456	63.9	412	55.6	—	55.6	13	
	<u>2007</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school dropouts**	21,185	15.1%	15,277	11.1%	—	11.1%	27	
Abuse/Neglect (per 1,000)	<u>FY2000</u>		<u>FY2010</u>					
Children in investigated families	171,106	65.9	164,648	70.1	—	70.1	6	
Confirmed victims	26,844	10.3	32,504	13.8	—	13.8	34	
Children in out-of-home care	17,253	6.6	12,004	5.1	—	5.1	23	
Education (not proficient in math)	<u>2003</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Fourth grade (MEAP)	43,446	35.0%	9,601	8.5%	—	8.5%	76	
Eighth grade (MEAP)	61,223	48.1%	25,432	22.0%	—	22.0%	54	
	<u>2008</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school students (MME)	60,963	53.8%	54,043	49.6%	—	49.6%	8	



2009

Live Births
117,309
Median Household Income
\$45,254

2010

Total Population
9,883,640
Unemployment Rate
12.5%

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.