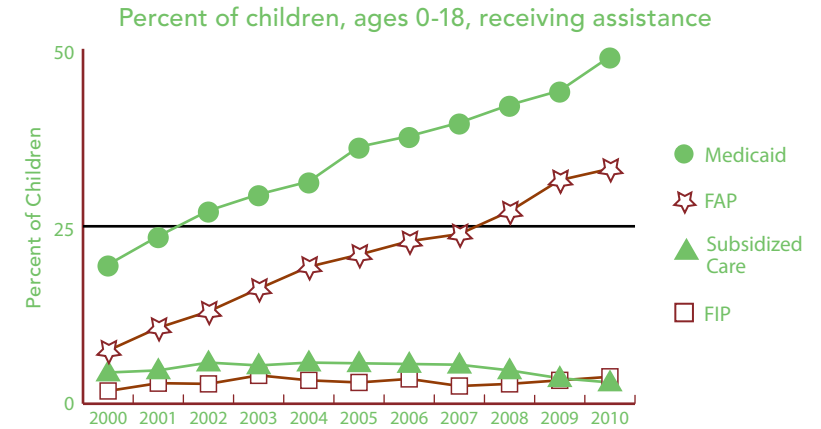


BACKGROUND INFORMATION (ALL DATA ARE FOR 2010 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)



	NUMBER	RATE	MI
FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS			
Children receiving...			
• subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹	201	3.0%	3.4%
• FIP cash assistance ^{1,3}	395	3.8%	6.2%
• Food Assistance Program ^{1,4}	3,469	33.1%	30.4%
Children with support owed			
• receiving none (% of those owed)	2,065	18.8%	20.7%
• receiving less than 70% of amount	311	15.1%	29.5%
	989	47.9%	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	2,906	2,513	-13.5%
• Ages 5–9	3,211	2,749	-14.4%
• Ages 10–14	3,590	2,944	-18.0%
• Ages 15–19	3,371	3,008	-10.8%

	NUMBER	RATE	MI
ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE			
Children insured	9,634	93.4%	94.9%
Children, ages 0–18 insured by...			
• Medicaid ¹	5,125	48.9%	40.7%
• MICHild	182	1.7%	1.2%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1) ¹	445	71.8%	70.0%
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2			
• tested	358	36.3%	40.7%
• poisoned (% of tested)	0	*	1.2%
Children, ages 1–14, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000) ²	10	13.0%	70.0%
CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS			
Babies with a birth defect**	19	4.0%	6.6%
Students in Special Education ¹	989	13.6%	14.4%
Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹	117	11.8	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.

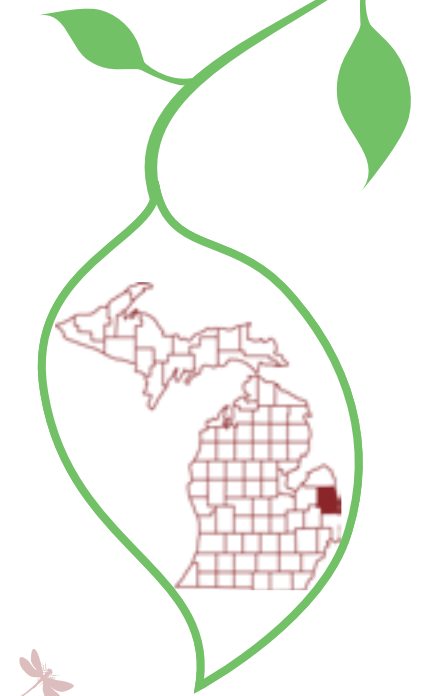
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See Data Notes and Definitions for details.

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	2,134	20.1%	2,559	26.5%	59	22.2%	32	
• ages 5–17	1,445	18.1%	1,685	23.4%	58	20.2%	29	
	<u>2006</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Students receiving free/reduced price school lunches ²	3,426	41.8%	4,004	55.0%	56	46.5%	32	
Child Health	<u>1998–2000</u>		<u>2007–2009</u>					
Less than adequate prenatal care (2008–09)‡	—	—	155	32.3%	47	29.5%		
Low-birthweight babies	32	5.9%	34	6.9%	31 of 81	8.5%	17	
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	3	6.1	3	6.8	24 of 49	7.6	11	
Child deaths, ages 1–14 (per 100,000)	3	32.5	2	26.3	28 of 34	17.4		19
Adolescence								
Births to teens, ages 15–19 (per 1,000)	61	39.9	40	28.1	29	33.3		29
Teen deaths (per 100,000)	4	110.6	2	*	* of 39	55.6		
	<u>2007</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school dropouts**	45	6.3%	40	6.2%	19 of 80	11.1%		1
Abuse/Neglect (per 1,000)	<u>FY2000</u>		<u>FY2010</u>					
Children in investigated families	742	61.9	962	97.0	51	70.1	57	
Confirmed victims	118	9.8	133	13.4	28	13.8	36	
Children in out-of-home care	49	4.1	27	2.7	11 of 76	5.1		33
Education (not proficient in math)	<u>2003</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Fourth grade (MEAP)	157	24.5%	27	5.4%	18	8.5%		78
Eighth grade (MEAP)	242	37.3%	80	15.8%	17	22.0%		58
	<u>2008</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school students (MME)	363	54.8%	293	47.3%	34	49.6%		14



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.