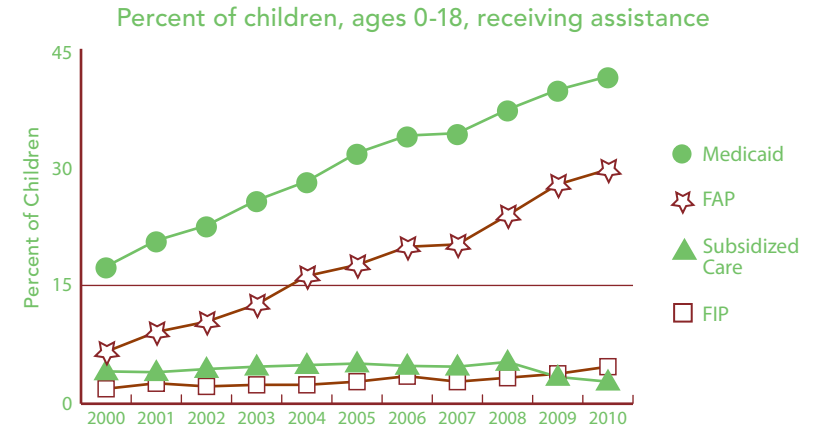


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BACKGROUND INFORMATION (ALL DATA ARE FOR 2010 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)



	NUMBER	RATE	MI
FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS			
Children receiving...			
• subsidized child care, ages 0–12 ¹	316	2.8%	3.4%
• FIP cash assistance ^{1,3}	827	4.7%	6.2%
• Food Assistance Program ^{1,4}	5,206	29.7%	30.4%
Children with support owed			
• receiving none (% of those owed)	708	17.6%	29.5%
• receiving less than 70% of amount	2,382	59.0%	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	19,204	17,059	-11.2%
• Ages 0-4	4,848	3,987	-17.8%
• Ages 5-9	5,445	4,612	-15.3%
• Ages 10-14	5,584	5,181	-7.2%
• Ages 15-19	5,279	5,476	3.7%

	NUMBER	RATE	MI
ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE			
Children insured	16,306	95.0%	94.9%
Children, ages 0–18 insured by...			
• Medicaid ¹	7,272	41.5%	40.7%
• MICHild	249	1.4%	1.2%
Fully immunized toddlers, ages 19–35 months (for the series 4:3:1:3:3:1) ¹	797	72.0%	70.0%
Lead poisoning in children, ages 1–2			
• tested	600	36.9%	36.2%
• poisoned (% of tested)	2	*	0.8%
Children, ages 1–14, hospitalized for asthma (rate per 10,000) ²	18	14.4	20.8
CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS			
Babies with a birth defect**	45	5.5%	6.6%
Students in Special Education ¹	1,990	15.2%	14.4%
Children receiving Supplemental Security Income (rate per 1,000) ¹	296	18.0	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.

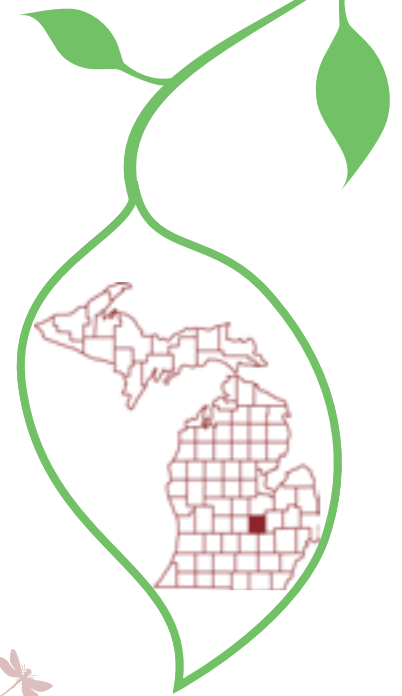
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See Data Notes and Definitions for details.

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	2,435	13.8%	3,305	20.4%	28	22.2%	48	
• ages 5–17	1,595	12.0%	2,183	18.0%	25	20.2%	50	
	<u>2006</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Students receiving free/reduced price school lunches ²	4,235	29.5%	5,788	44.3%	22	46.5%	50	
Child Health	<u>1998–2000</u>		<u>2007–2009</u>					
Less than adequate prenatal care (2008–09)‡	—	—	189	25.4%	26	29.5%		
Low-birthweight babies	63	6.7%	61	7.9%	52 of 81	8.5%	18	
Infant mortality (per 1,000)	6	6.1	4	5.7	13 of 49	7.6		7
Child deaths, ages 1–14 (per 100,000)	1	*	2	15.8	14 of 34	17.4		
Adolescence								
Births to teens, ages 15–19 (per 1,000)	113	43.5	77	31.3	35	33.3		28
Teen deaths (per 100,000)	3	50.4	4	80.6	34 of 39	55.6	60	
	<u>2007</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school dropouts**	112	9.9%	90	7.8%	34 of 80	11.1%		21
Abuse/Neglect (per 1,000)	<u>FY2000</u>		<u>FY2010</u>					
Children in investigated families	1,243	64.6	1,592	96.5	50	70.1	49	
Confirmed victims	165	8.6	465	28.2	67	13.8	229	
Children in out-of-home care	54	2.8	79	4.8	39 of 76	5.1	71	
Education (not proficient in math)	<u>2003</u>		<u>2010</u>					
Fourth grade (MEAP)	295	29.2%	69	7.4%	38	8.5%		75
Eighth grade (MEAP)	451	42.9%	203	20.7%	47	22.0%		52
	<u>2008</u>		<u>2010</u>					
High school students (MME)	514	53.0%	501	51.6%	50	49.6%		3



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.