

Carroll County

County Seat: Carrollton

County
Composite
Rank



Population: 8,913

Outcome Measures	Number		Rate		Trend	Rank	
	2012	2016	2012	2016		State Rate	County Rank
Economic Well-Being							
Children under 18 in poverty	505	466	24.4%	23.7%	↑	19.2%	58
Food insecurity for children ^b	450	420	20.6%	19.8%	↑	18.6%	38
Health							
Low birthweight infants ^{a,c}	48	39	8.6%	7.5%	↑	8.2%	48
Preventable hospitalizations for all causes for children under 18 (per 1,000) ^{b,d}	20	8	9.1	3.9	↑	7.2	12
Child asthma ER rates (per 1,000) ^{b,d}	8	13	3.6	6.4	↓	9.2	88
Family & Community							
Births to teens, ages 15-19 (per 1,000)	6	5	18.3	17.9	↑	23.3	26
Substantiated child abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000) ^a	10	16	4.7	7.9	↓	4.2	86
Education							
Graduation rate	116	97	94.3%	100.0%	↑	91.5%	1
Achievement proficiency ^{a,e}							
3rd grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	55	82	47.0%	70.1%		60.7%	
8th grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	58	67	50.0%	60.9%		59.3%	
4th grade Math (MAP)	53	54	49.5%	56.8%		52.6%	
Algebra I (End of Course exam)	68	63	48.6%	56.8%		66.2%	

Trend: ↑ better ↓ worse → no change

^a Outcome not included in County Composite Rank.

^b Data based on 2011 and 2015.

^c Data based on 5-year time spans, 2007-2011 and 2012-2016.

^d If no number is listed, the count is suppressed by DHSS for confidentiality purposes.

^e Achievement proficiency measures those that scored proficient or above on the MAP tests and Algebra I End of Course exam. Comparisons between 2012 and 2016 data should be treated with caution due to differences in testing standards; accordingly, no trend arrows or county ranks are shown.

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2014
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Contextual Indicators

Demographics

Total population	2012	9,102
	2016	8,913
Child population under 18	2012	2,123
	2016	2,013
Children under 18 as % of total population	2012	23.3%
	2016	22.6%
Child population under 6	2012	667
	2016	643
Children under 6 as % of total population	2012	7.3%
	2016	7.2%
Minority child population under 18	2012	155
	2016	149
Minority child population under 18 as % of child population	2012	7.3%
	2016	7.4%
Minority child population under 6	2012	55
	2016	52
Minority child population under 6 as % of child population	2012	8.2%
	2016	8.1%
Children in single-parent families	2007-2011	23.2%
	2012-2016	33.3%
Children in married-parent families	2007-2011	76.7%
	2012-2016	65.4%

Economic Well-being

Children in poverty under 6	2007-2011	32.0%
	2012-2016	18.3%
Children in poverty, ages 5-17	2007-2011	24.4%
	2012-2016	20.6%
Housing cost-burdened households	2007-2011	14.4%
	2012-2016	17.3%
Family households with children under 18 at 185% of poverty level	2007-2011	28.7%
	2012-2016	38.2%
Children in families receiving SNAP	2012	38.2%
	2016	29.3%
Median income family household with children under 18	2007-2011	\$62,439
	2012-2016	\$56,183
Adult unemployment	2012	8.0%
	2016	5.4%
Child homelessness	2012	0.0%
	2016	0.0%

Education

Licensed child care capacity (per 1,000)	2012	43.3
	2017	70.5
Accredited child care capacity as % of licensed capacity	2012	—
	2017	0.0%
School attendance, grades K-12	2012	95.4%
	2016	95.9%

Family & Community

Teen unintentional injuries/ homicides/suicides (per 100,000)	2007-2011	90.2
	2012-2016	136.8
Single parent head-of-house- hold with children under 18	2007-2011	6.3%
	2012-2016	9.0%
Juvenile law violation referrals (per 1,000)	2012	54.2
	2016	29.1
Annual high school dropout rate	2012	2.7%
	2016	0.2%
Children entering/re-entering state custody (per 1,000)	2012	0.5
	2016	1.5
Children living in high poverty areas	2007-2011	0.0%
	2012-2016	0.0%

Health

Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2007-2011	5.4
	2012-2016	3.8
Child deaths ages 1-17 (per 100,000)	2007-2011	44.2
	2012-2016	19.4
Child deaths ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	2007-2011	55.1
	2012-2016	0.0
Child deaths ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	2007-2011	44.7
	2012-2016	102.0
Unrestrained automobile fatalities for children under 18 ^a	2007-2011	%
	2012-2016	%
Substance abuse hospitalizations ages 1-19 (per 100,000) ^b	2006-2010	
	2011-2015	
Mental/behavioral hospitalizations (not substance abuse) ages 1-19 (per 10,000)	2006-2010	102.5
	2011-2015	94.1
Uninsured children	2011	8.0%
	2015	7.3%
School attendance, grades 9-12	2012	93.5%
	2016	95.0%

^a If no % listed, no vehicle fatalities happened in the county during that period.

^b If no rate listed, rate is suppressed for confidentiality purposes.