

Chariton County

County Seat: Keytesville

County
Composite
Rank



Population: 7,516

Outcome Measures	Number		Rate		Trend	Rank	
	2012	2016	2012	2016		State Rate	County Rank
Economic Well-Being							
Children under 18 in poverty	341	323	20.3%	19.0%	↑	19.2%	31
Food insecurity for children ^b	360	330	20.6%	19.2%	↑	18.6%	32
Health							
Low birthweight infants ^{a,c}	24	27	5.5%	6.1%	↓	8.2%	13
Preventable hospitalizations for all causes for children under 18 (per 1,000) ^{b,d}	17	12	9.8	6.8	↑	7.2	72
Child asthma ER rates (per 1,000) ^{b,d}	8	7	4.6	4.0	↑	9.2	46
Family & Community							
Births to teens, ages 15-19 (per 1,000)	9	6	39.3	30.8	↑	23.3	70
Substantiated child abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000) ^a	8	5	4.7	2.9	↑	4.2	20
Education							
Graduation rate	71	77	91.0%	98.7%	↑	91.5%	17
Achievement proficiency ^{a,e}							
3rd grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	29	52	49.2%	67.5%		60.7%	
8th grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	33	43	44.6%	53.8%		59.3%	
4th grade Math (MAP)	49	37	62.0%	48.7%		52.6%	
Algebra I (End of Course exam)	39	50	48.1%	46.7%		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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2018
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Contextual Indicators

Demographics

Total population	2012	7,657
	2016	7,516
Child population under 18	2012	1,712
	2016	1,726
Children under 18 as % of total population	2012	22.4%
	2016	23.0%
Child population under 6	2012	547
	2016	553
Children under 6 as % of total population	2012	7.1%
	2016	7.4%
Minority child population under 18	2012	81
	2016	117
Minority child population under 18 as % of child population	2012	4.7%
	2016	6.8%
Minority child population under 6	2012	31
	2016	37
Minority child population under 6 as % of child population	2012	5.7%
	2016	6.7%
Children in single-parent families	2007-2011	29.5%
	2012-2016	19.9%
Children in married-parent families	2007-2011	70.5%
	2012-2016	79.9%

Economic Well-being

Children in poverty under 6	2007-2011	21.0%
	2012-2016	18.3%
Children in poverty, ages 5-17	2007-2011	20.3%
	2012-2016	18.1%
Housing cost-burdened households	2007-2011	12.4%
	2012-2016	11.6%
Family households with children under 18 at 185% of poverty level	2007-2011	29.7%
	2012-2016	39.2%
Children in families receiving SNAP	2012	32.2%
	2016	27.1%
Median income family household with children under 18	2007-2011	\$65,179
	2012-2016	\$64,327
Adult unemployment	2012	6.3%
	2016	4.3%
Child homelessness	2012	0.0%
	2016	0.0%

Education

Licensed child care capacity (per 1,000)	2012	90.5
	2017	93.9
Accredited child care capacity as % of licensed capacity	2012	—
	2017	32.1%
School attendance, grades K-12	2012	95.3%
	2016	95.5%

Family & Community

Teen unintentional injuries/homicides/suicides (per 100,000)	2007-2011	42.4
	2012-2016	0.0
Single parent head-of-household with children under 18	2007-2011	7.6%
	2012-2016	4.6%
Juvenile law violation referrals (per 1,000)	2012	14.1
	2016	5.1
Annual high school dropout rate	2012	0.9%
	2016	0.9%
Children entering/re-entering state custody (per 1,000)	2012	7.0
	2016	13.3
Children living in high poverty areas	2007-2011	33.5%
	2012-2016	33.5%

Health

Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2007-2011	9.2
	2012-2016	9.0
Child deaths ages 1-17 (per 100,000)	2007-2011	9.1
	2012-2016	0.0
Child deaths ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	2007-2011	13.8
	2012-2016	0.0
Child deaths ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	2007-2011	0.0
	2012-2016	0.0
Unrestrained automobile fatalities for children under 18 ^a	2007-2011	%
	2012-2016	0.0%
Substance abuse hospitalizations ages 1-19 (per 100,000) ^b	2006-2010	0.0
	2011-2015	
Mental/behavioral hospitalizations (not substance abuse) ages 1-19 (per 10,000)	2006-2010	55.8
	2011-2015	52.6
Uninsured children	2011	9.5%
	2015	10.0%
School attendance, grades 9-12	2012	94.1%
	2016	94.2%

^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.