

Grundy County

County Seat: Trenton

County
Composite
Rank



Population: 10,165

Outcome Measures	Number		Rate		Trend	Rank	
	2012	2016	2012	2016		State Rate	County Rank
Economic Well-Being							
Children under 18 in poverty	670	620	27.8%	26.2%	↑	19.2%	75
Food insecurity for children ^b	480	520	19.9%	21.2%	↓	18.6%	61
Health							
Low birthweight infants ^{a,c}	44	61	6.5%	7.9%	↓	8.2%	62
Preventable hospitalizations for all causes for children under 18 (per 1,000) ^{b,d}	19	10	7.7	4.2	↑	7.2	17
Child asthma ER rates (per 1,000) ^{b,d}	10	20	4.0	8.5	↓	9.2	97
Family & Community							
Births to teens, ages 15-19 (per 1,000)	17	11	44.5	32.7	↑	23.3	75
Substantiated child abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000) ^a	14	10	5.6	4.1	↑	4.2	37
Education							
Graduation rate	105	90	90.5%	89.1%	↓	91.5%	106
Achievement proficiency^{a,e}							
3rd grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	60	67	42.9%	64.4%		60.7%	
8th grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	61	63	54.0%	63.6%		59.3%	
4th grade Math (MAP)	58	55	47.9%	46.2%		52.6%	
Algebra I (End of Course exam)	59	60	56.7%	56.6%		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	10,337
	2016	10,165
Child population under 18	2012	2,498
	2016	2,427
Children under 18 as % of total population	2012	24.2%
	2016	23.9%
Child population under 6	2012	859
	2016	874
Children under 6 as % of total population	2012	8.3%
	2016	8.6%
Minority child population under 18	2012	141
	2016	163
Minority child population under 18 as % of child population	2012	5.6%
	2016	6.7%
Minority child population under 6	2012	46
	2016	52
Minority child population under 6 as % of child population	2012	5.4%
	2016	5.9%
Children in single-parent families	2007-2011	25.4%
	2012-2016	33.6%
Children in married-parent families	2007-2011	74.0%
	2012-2016	66.0%

Economic Well-being

Children in poverty under 6	2007-2011	43.5%
	2012-2016	33.4%
Children in poverty, ages 5-17	2007-2011	27.8%
	2012-2016	24.6%
Housing cost-burdened households	2007-2011	20.7%
	2012-2016	14.3%
Family households with children under 18 at 185% of poverty level	2007-2011	49.2%
	2012-2016	43.5%
Children in families receiving SNAP	2012	38.3%
	2016	31.4%
Median income family household with children under 18	2007-2011	\$40,110
	2012-2016	\$54,844
Adult unemployment	2012	6.4%
	2016	4.6%
Child homelessness	2012	2.9%
	2016	1.3%

Education

Licensed child care capacity (per 1,000)	2012	51.6
	2017	61.8
Accredited child care capacity as % of licensed capacity	2012	—
	2017	0.0%
School attendance, grades K-12	2012	95.0%
	2016	95.4%

Family & Community

Teen unintentional injuries/homicides/suicides (per 100,000)	2007-2011	27.5
	2012-2016	30.3
Single parent head-of-household with children under 18	2007-2011	7.0%
	2012-2016	7.1%
Juvenile law violation referrals (per 1,000)	2012	41.0
	2016	15.7
Annual high school dropout rate	2012	2.1%
	2016	2.3%
Children entering/re-entering state custody (per 1,000)	2012	8.0
	2016	4.5
Children living in high poverty areas	2007-2011	0.0%
	2012-2016	0.0%

Health

Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2007-2011	7.4
	2012-2016	10.3
Child deaths ages 1-17 (per 100,000)	2007-2011	22.2
	2012-2016	41.4
Child deaths ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	2007-2011	29.6
	2012-2016	39.1
Child deaths ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	2007-2011	0.0
	2012-2016	53.8
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	0.0
Mental/behavioral hospitalizations (not substance abuse) ages 1-19 (per 10,000)	2006-2010	101.7
	2011-2015	104.7
Uninsured children	2011	7.7%
	2015	7.7%
School attendance, grades 9-12	2012	93.9%
	2016	94.6%

^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.