

Crawford County

County
Composite
Rank

2016
84

2020
64

County Seat: Steelville

Population: 24,280

Outcome Measures	Number		Rate		Trend	Rank	
	2014	2018	2014	2018		State Rate	County Rank
Economic Well-Being							
Children under 18 in poverty	1,719	1,274	30.4%	24.1%	↑	18.3%	74
Food insecurity for children ^b	1,520	1,160	25.4%	20.4%	↑	17.5%	80
Health							
Low birthweight infants ^{a,c}	119	114	8.3%	8.3%	→	8.5%	68
Preventable hospitalizations for all causes for children under 18 (per 1,000) ^{b,c}	47	32	7.9	5.8	↑	7.1	51
Child asthma ER rates (per 1,000) ^b	35	25	5.8	4.5	↑	7.5	73
Family & Community							
Births to teens, ages 15-19 (per 1,000)	25	17	34.4	24.5	↑	21.6	48
Substantiated child abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000) ^a	32	24	5.4	4.4	↑	4.0	49
Education							
High school graduation	223	221	92.9%	94.0%	↑	91.3%	57
Achievement proficiency ^{a,d}							
3rd grade English/Language Arts (MAP)		134		54.7%		48.6%	
8th grade English/Language Arts (MAP)		127		51.4%		49.0%	
4th grade Math (MAP)		121		46.2%		45.8%	
Algebra I (End of Course exam)		73		25.3%		47.0%	

Trend: ↑ better ↓ worse → no change

^a Outcome not included in County Composite Rank.

^b Data based on 2013 and 2017.

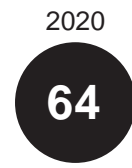
^c Data based on 5-year time spans, 2009-2013 and 2014-2018.

^d Achievement proficiency measures those that scored proficient or above on the MAP tests and Algebra I End of Course exam. Achievement data from 2014 are not shown due to differences in testing standards and assessments used in 2018; accordingly, no trend arrows or county ranks are shown.

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Contextual Indicators

Demographics

Total population	2014	24,650
	2018	24,280
Child population under 18	2014	5,912
	2018	5,426
Children under 18 as % of total population	2014	23.7%
	2018	23.1%
Child population under 6	2014	1,839
	2018	1,676
Children under 6 as % of total population	2014	7.5%
	2018	7.0%
Minority child population under 18	2014	311
	2018	342
Minority child population under 18 as % of child population	2014	5.3%
	2018	6.3%
Minority child population under 6	2014	86
	2018	129
Minority child population under 6 as % of under 6 child population	2014	4.7%
	2018	7.7%
Children in single-parent families	2009-2013	36.6%
	2014-2018	33.8%
Children in married-parent families	2009-2013	61.6%
	2014-2018	65.3%

Economic Well-being

Children in poverty under 6	2014	29.7%
	2018	27.8%
Children in poverty, ages 5-17	2009-2013	27.8%
	2014-2018	22.0%
Housing cost-burdened households	2009-2013	31.1%
	2014-2018	30.9%
Family households with children under 18 at 185% of poverty level	2009-2013	50.8%
	2014-2018	49.3%
Children in families receiving SNAP	2014	44.0%
	2018	41.8%
Median income family household with children under 18	2009-2013	\$39,894
	2014-2018	\$45,961
Adult unemployment	2014	7.7%
	2018	3.9%
Child homelessness	2014	1.4%
	2018	2.8%

Education

Licensed child care capacity (per 1,000)	2014	68.7
	2019	69.1
Accredited child care capacity as % of licensed capacity	2014	—
	2019	31.7%
School attendance, grades K-12	2014	95.0%
	2018	94.8%

Family & Community

Teen unintentional deaths/homicides/suicides (per 100,000)	2009-2013	88.4
	2014-2018	80.1
Single parent head-of-household with children under 18	2009-2013	10.4%
	2014-2018	8.5%
Juvenile law violation referrals, ages 10-17 (per 1,000)	2014	21.5
	2018	17.4
Annual high school dropout rate	2014	2.0%
	2018	1.8%
Children entering/re-entering state custody (per 1,000)	2014	7.5
	2018	10.0

Health

Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2009-2013	4.2
	2014-2018	9.5
Child deaths ages 1-17 (per 100,000)	2009-2013	36.7
	2014-2018	17.8
Child deaths ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	2009-2013	24.2
	2014-2018	7.6
Child deaths ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	2009-2013	97.6
	2014-2018	58.8
Unrestrained automobile fatalities for children under 18 ^a	2009-2013	0.0%
	2014-2018	100%
Substance abuse hospitalizations ages 1-19 (per 100,000) ^b	2008-2012	16.2*
	2013-2017	49.4*
Mental/behavioral hospitalizations (not substance abuse) ages 1-19 (per 10,000)	2008-2012	82.4
	2013-2017	94.4
Uninsured children	2013	7.6%
	2017	6.3%
School attendance, grades 9-12	2014	94.7%
	2018	94.3%

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

^b *Indicates unstable rate due to low count (<20 cases);** indicates very unstable rate due to very low count (<5 cases)