

# Osage County

County Seat: Linn

County  
Composite  
Rank



Population: 13,619

Outcome Measures	Number		Rate		Trend	Rank	
	2014	2018	2014	2018		State Rate	County Rank
<b>Economic Well-Being</b>							
Children under 18 in poverty	414	316	13.0%	10.1%	↑	18.3%	4
Food insecurity for children <sup>b</sup>	570	430	16.6%	13.5%	↑	17.5%	2
<b>Health</b>							
Low birthweight infants <sup>a,c</sup>	54	59	6.9%	7.7%	↓	8.5%	48
Preventable hospitalizations for all causes for children under 18 (per 1,000) <sup>b,c</sup>	18	11	5.3	3.5	↑	7.1	11
Child asthma ER rates (per 1,000) <sup>b</sup>	8	7	2.3	2.2	↑	7.5	24
<b>Family &amp; Community</b>							
Births to teens, ages 15-19 (per 1,000)	10	2	23.6	4.8	↑	21.6	4
Substantiated child abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000) <sup>a</sup>	10	5	3.0	1.6	↑	4.0	6
<b>Education</b>							
High school graduation	152	126	96.2%	94.7%	↓	91.3%	43
Achievement proficiency <sup>a,d</sup>							
3rd grade English/Language Arts (MAP)		49		49.0%		48.6%	
8th grade English/Language Arts (MAP)		65		60.2%		49.0%	
4th grade Math (MAP)		49		51.0%		45.8%	
Algebra I (End of Course exam)		94		57.0%		47.0%	

Trend: ↑ better ↓ worse → no change

<sup>a</sup> Outcome not included in County Composite Rank.

<sup>b</sup> Data based on 2013 and 2017.

<sup>c</sup> Data based on 5-year time spans, 2009-2013 and 2014-2018.

<sup>d</sup> 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	13,703
	2018	13,619
Child population under 18	2014	3,356
	2018	3,171
Children under 18 as % of total population	2014	23.6%
	2018	23.2%
Child population under 6	2014	948
	2018	987
Children under 6 as % of total population	2014	6.9%
	2018	7.2%
Minority child population under 18	2014	73
	2018	99
Minority child population under 18 as % of child population	2014	2.3%
	2018	3.1%
Minority child population under 6	2014	29
	2018	39
Minority child population under 6 as % of under 6 child population	2014	3.1%
	2018	4.0%
Children in single-parent families	2009-2013	21.1%
	2014-2018	14.1%
Children in married-parent families	2009-2013	78.2%
	2014-2018	85.4%

### Economic Well-being

Children in poverty under 6	2014	21.7%
	2018	19.2%
Children in poverty, ages 5-17	2009-2013	11.7%
	2014-2018	9.4%
Housing cost-burdened households	2009-2013	15.4%
	2014-2018	12.1%
Family households with children under 18 at 185% of poverty level	2009-2013	28.8%
	2014-2018	22.3%
Children in families receiving SNAP	2014	16.6%
	2018	14.7%
Median income family household with children under 18	2009-2013	\$60,779
	2014-2018	\$78,321
Adult unemployment	2014	4.6%
	2018	2.4%
Child homelessness	2014	0.0%
	2018	0.0%

### Education

Licensed child care capacity (per 1,000)	2014	181.2
	2019	184.2
Accredited child care capacity as % of licensed capacity	2014	—
	2019	6.0%
School attendance, grades K-12	2014	96.0%
	2018	95.9%

### Family & Community

Teen unintentional deaths/homicides/suicides (per 100,000)	2009-2013	19.9
	2014-2018	21.5
Single parent head-of-household with children under 18	2009-2013	8.0%
	2014-2018	4.5%
Juvenile law violation referrals, ages 10-17 (per 1,000)	2014	3.9
	2018	5.9
Annual high school dropout rate	2014	0.5%
	2018	0.4%
Children entering/re-entering state custody (per 1,000)	2014	3.4
	2018	1.3

### Health

Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2009-2013	12.9
	2014-2018	1.3
Child deaths ages 1-17 (per 100,000)	2009-2013	11.7
	2014-2018	31.6
Child deaths ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	2009-2013	14.4
	2014-2018	26.6
Child deaths ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	2009-2013	0.0
	2014-2018	36.5
Unrestrained automobile fatalities for children under 18 <sup>a</sup>	2009-2013	%
	2014-2018	%
Substance abuse hospitalizations ages 1-19 (per 100,000) <sup>b</sup>	2008-2012	9.1**
	2013-2017	15.2**
Mental/behavioral hospitalizations (not substance abuse) ages 1-19 (per 10,000)	2008-2012	35.2
	2013-2017	43.7
Uninsured children	2013	9.3%
	2017	5.6%
School attendance, grades 9-12	2014	96.0%
	2018	96.1%

<sup>a</sup> If no % listed, no vehicle fatalities happened in the county during that period.

<sup>b</sup> \*Indicates unstable rate due to low count (<20 cases); \*\* indicates very unstable rate due to very low count (<5 cases)