

# Henry County

County Seat: Clinton

Population: 22,575

Outcome Measures	Number		Rate		Trend	Rank	
	2020	2024	2020	2024		State Rate	County Rank
<b>Economic Well-Being</b>							
Children under 18 in poverty	938	969	19.8%	19.8%	→	15.3%	72
Food insecurity for children <sup>a</sup>	1,020	1,010	21.3%	20.4%	↑	18.1%	71
<b>Health<sup>b</sup></b>							
Low birthweight infants <sup>c</sup>	107	99	8.2%	8.3%	↓	8.9%	70
Child asthma ER rates (per 1,000) <sup>a</sup>	23	12	4.7	2.4	↑	5.4	45
<b>Family &amp; Community</b>							
Births to teens, ages 15-19 (per 1,000)	19	11	31.8	16.7	↑	15.9	46
Substantiated child abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000)	12	16	2.5	3.2	↓	2.9	52
<b>Education</b>							
High school graduation	191	192	94.1%	92.8%	↓	92.1%	78
Achievement proficiency 3rd grade English/language arts (MAP)	114	83	48.7%	39.9%	↓	41.6%	56
8th grade English/language arts (MAP)	112	71	48.9%	34.0%	↓	42.1%	82
4th grade math (MAP)	93	89	48.4%	37.1%	↓	44.5%	86
Algebra I (end-of-course exam)	91	67	52.3%	30.5%	↓	41.5%	85

Trend: ↑ better ↓ worse → no change

## Notes:

<sup>a</sup>Data based on 2019 and 2023.

<sup>b</sup>"Preventable Hospitalizations for All Causes for Children Under 18" was discontinued as a MOPHIMS indicator in 2023.

<sup>c</sup>Data based on five-year time spans, 2015-2019 and 2020-2024.

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## Contextual Indicators

Demographics			Education		
Total population	2020	21,854	Licensed child care capacity (per 1,000)	2020	106.0
	2023	22,575		2025	99.3
Child population under 18	2020	4,869	Accredited child care capacity as % of licensed capacity	2020	29.5%
	2024	5,025		2025	30.5%
Children under 18 as % of total population	2020	22.1%	School attendance, grades K-12	2020	94.6
	2024	22.3%		2024	93.2
Child population under 6	2020	1,594	Family & Community		
	2024	1,575	Teen unintentional deaths/homicides/suicides (per 100,000)	2013-2019	16.4
Children under 6 as % of total population	2020	7.2%		2020-2024	104.7
	2024	7.0%	Single parent head-of-household with children under 18	2013-2019	10.2%
Minority child population under 18	2020	444		2020-2024	15.8%
	2024	559	Juvenile law violation referrals, ages 10-17 (per 1,000)	2020	11.1
Minority child population under 18 as % of child population	2020	9.1%		2024	35.8
	2024	11.1%	Annual high school dropout rate	2020	0.6%
Minority child population under 6	2020	135		2024	1.3%
	2024	157	Children entering/re-entering state custody (per 1,000)	2020	9.7
Minority child population under 6 as % of under 6 child population	2020	8.5%		2024	0.6
	2024	10.0%	Health		
Children in single-parent families	2013-2019	25.8%	Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2013-2019	3.8
	2020-2024	15.9%		2020-2024	3.4
Children in married-parent families	2013-2019	61.1%	Child deaths ages 1-17 (per 100,000)	2013-2019	17.4
	2020-2024	61.1%		2020-2024	16.7
Economic Well-being			Child deaths ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	2013-2019	17.1
Children under 6 in families in poverty	2020	22.2%		2020-2024	10.3
	2024	26.0%	Child deaths ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	2013-2019	0.0
Children ages 5-17 in families in poverty	2020	18.7%		2020-2024	44.0
	2024	18.5%	Unrestrained automobile fatalities for children under 18 <sup>b</sup>	2013-2019	0.0%
Housing cost-burdened households	2013-2019	25.7%		2020-2024	0.0%
	2020-2024	23.2%	Substance abuse hospitalizations ages 1-19 (per 100,000) <sup>c</sup>	2012-2018	27.2
Family households with children under 18 at 185% of poverty level	2013-2019	37.7%		2019-2023	11.5**
	2020-2024	33.7%	Mental/behavioral hospitalizations (not substance abuse) ages 1-19 (per 10,000)	2012-2018	144.4
Children in families receiving SNAP	2020	34.3%		2019-2023	196.9
	2024	30.3%	Uninsured children	2019	8.6%
Median income family household with children under 18	2013-2019	\$60,379		2023	6.2%
	2020-2024	\$67,141	School attendance, grades 9-12	2020	93.9%
Adult unemployment <sup>a</sup>	2020	5.9%		2024	92.2%
	2023	3.1%	<sup>a</sup> There will be a delay in the release of 2024 annual unemployment statistics until after April 10, 2026.		
Child homelessness	2020	4.6%	<sup>b</sup> If no % listed, no vehicle fatalities occurred during the period.		
	2024	1.6%	<sup>c</sup> *Indicates unstable rate due to low count (<20 cases); ** indicates very unstable rate due to very low count (<5 cases).		