



# WASHINGTON COUNTY

## Minnesota

### DEMOGRAPHICS

**Major communities:** Stillwater, Woodbury  
**Est. Total Population, 2007:** 226,475  
**Est. Child (0-17) Population, 2007:** 59,917  
**Median Household Income, 2007:** \$78,113

### HIGHLIGHTED COUNTY INDICATORS

- 1. Average monthly enrollment of children in health care programs, 2007**
  - Medical Assistance 5,489
  - Minnesota Care 1,118
- 2. Average Annual Cost of Full-Time Child Care for One Preschooler, 2008:**
  - Family-based \$7,094
- 3. Average Annual Cost of Full-Time Child Care for One Infant, 2008:**
  - Family-based \$8,043
- 4. Tax Households Who Claimed the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC), 2007 (TY06): 7,368**
  - Total value of the EITC: \$12,168,871

### 10 COUNTY LEVEL INDICATORS OF CHILD WELL-BEING

	Washington		Washington, 2000		Statewide	
	Number	Rate*	Number	Rate*	Number	Rate
<b>1. Children Living in Poverty</b>	3,295	5.5%	2,155	4%	148,294	12%
<b>2. Children Receiving Food Support, (2008)</b>	2,643	4.4%	1,415	2%	142,885	11.3%
<b>3. Children Receiving Free or Reduced Price Lunch, (2008)</b>	5,828	15.1%	3,122	9%	270,247	32.9%
<b>4. Children Abused and Neglected</b>	156	2.6	278	5.0	6,277	4.9
<b>5. Children in Out-of-Home Placement</b>	267	4.5	381	6.0	14,800	11.5
<b>6. Children with Limited English Proficiency, (2008)</b>	1,212	3.1%	842**	2.2%**	63,194	7.7%
<b>7. Children Enrolled in Special Education, (2008)</b>	4,553	12%	4,558**	12%**	107,168	13%
<b>8. Children Born to Teenage Mothers</b>	39	N/A	31	6.0	1,519	13.4
<b>9. Children Born with Low Birth Weight</b>	124	4%	135	5%	3,542	5%
<b>10. Children Arrested for a Serious Crime</b>	424	14.9	480	18.0	10,895	19

\* Rate is per 1,000 or percent of children.

\*\*2006 is when KIDS COUNT started collecting these indicators. Data is from 2007 unless otherwise noted.

#### KIDS COUNT DATA CENTER

The KIDS COUNT Data Center contains more than 100 measures of child well-being at the national, state, county, and city level. Three to five years of trend data is currently available for most indicators. This wide-ranging database allows users to generate custom reports for a geographic area or to compare geographic areas on a topic (using Ranking, Maps, and Line Graphs).

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