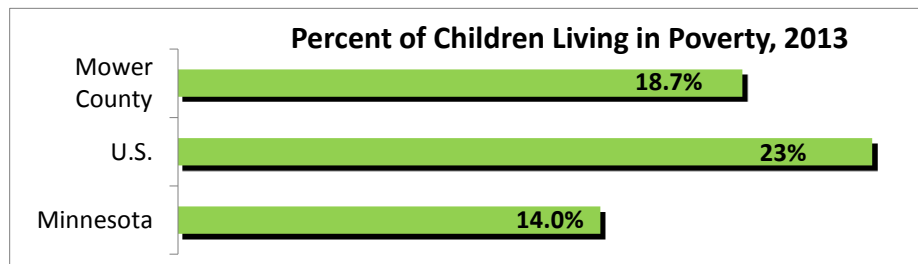
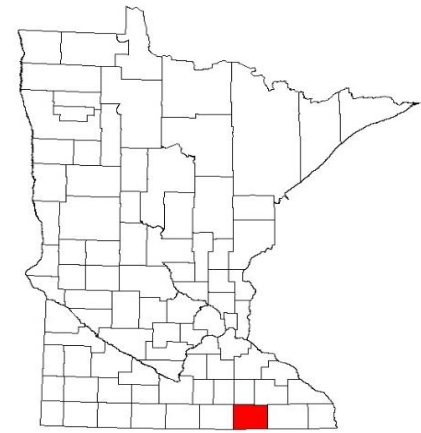


# KIDS COUNT Minnesota 2015 Fact Sheet

## Mower County



<b>Economic Well-Being</b>	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Statewide</b>	<b>Mower County</b>
% of children in poverty, age 0-17	2013	14.0%	18.7%
% of students receiving free/reduced-price lunches	2014	37.7%	52.4%
% of children receiving Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	2014	13.9%	34.3%
# of mothers and children receiving WIC	2013	196,954	2,103
Median household income	2013	\$60,664	\$50,479
<b>Family Structure</b>	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Statewide</b>	<b>Mower County</b>
Birth rate per 1,000	2013	12.8	12.5
# of children, age 0-17	2013	1,279,597	9,504
% of babies born to unmarried mothers	2013	32.9%	40.8%
Teen birth rate per 1,000 (3-year estimate)	2013	8.2	12.1
% babies born with no father on the birth certificate	2013	12.2%	13.1%
<b>Health</b>	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Statewide</b>	<b>Mower County</b>
% of low-birthweight babies	2013	4.7%	4.6%
% of children without health insurance (ages 0-19)	2013	5.7%	7.7%
Average monthly enrollment in MinnesotaCare	2014	24,133	3,798
Average monthly enrollment in Medical Assistance	2014	379,400	3,798
<b>Early Childhood Education</b>	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Statewide</b>	<b>Mower County</b>
Average annual cost for licensed center-based infant care	2015	\$14,764	\$7,644
Average annual cost for licensed family-based infant care	2015	\$7,990	\$6,793
Average annual cost for licensed center-based toddler care	2015	\$12,776	\$7,488
Average annual cost for licensed family-based toddler care	2015	\$7,599	\$6,760
Average annual cost for licensed center-based preschool care	2015	\$11,379	\$7,228
Average annual cost for licensed family-based preschool care	2015	\$7,260	\$6,565
<b>Education, Grades K-12</b>	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Statewide</b>	<b>Mower County</b>
# public school enrollment K-12	2014	842,932	6,139
% of limited english proficient (LEP) students	2014	7.9%	12.5%
% of special education students	2014	13.4%	14.2%
% of students changing schools	2013	12.6%	18.3%
% of public high school graduates	2013	81.2%	77.9%
% of public school student dropouts	2013	5.0%	8.3%
<b>Safety</b>	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Statewide</b>	<b>Mower County</b>
Child abuse and neglect rate per 1,000	2013	3.3	0.7
Child out-of-home placement rate per 1,000	2013	9.0	4.7
Children arrested for a serious crime rate per 1,000	2013	12.4	12.7
Children in the Family Assessment Response Program rate per 1,000	2013	14.4	20.5



#### **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. 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).

