



TRAVERSE COUNTY

Minnesota

DEMOGRAPHICS

Major Communities: Wheaton, Browns Valley
Est. Total Population, 2007: 3,712
Est. Child (0-17) Population, 2007: 756
Median Household Income, 2007: \$42,342

HIGHLIGHTED COUNTY INDICATORS

- 1. Average monthly enrollment of children in health care programs, 2007**
 - Medical Assistance 213
 - Minnesota Care 40
- 2. Average Annual Cost of Full-Time Child Care for One Preschooler, 2008:**
 - Family-based \$5,460
- 3. Average Annual Cost of Full-Time Child Care for One Infant, 2008:**
 - Family-based \$5,460
- 4. Tax Households Who Claimed the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC), 2007 (TY06): 241**
 - Total value of the EITC: \$395,147

10 COUNTY LEVEL INDICATORS OF CHILD WELL-BEING

	Traverse		Traverse, 2000		Statewide	
	Number	Rate*	Number	Rate*	Number	Rate
1. Children Living in Poverty	102	13.5%	123	13%	148,294	12%
2. Children Receiving Food Support, (2008)	95	12.5%	117	11%	142,885	11.3%
3. Children Receiving Free or Reduced Price Lunch, (2008)	179	34.0%	291	43.0%	270,247	32.9%
4. Children Abused and Neglected	7	6.7	19	18.0	6,277	4.9
5. Children in Out-of-Home Placement	10	9.6	8	8.0	14,800	11.5
6. Children with Limited English Proficiency, (2008)	4	0.8%	0**	0.0%**	63,194	7.7%
7. Children Enrolled in Special Education, (2008)	74	14%	86**	15%**	107,168	13%
8. Children Born to Teenage Mothers	2	N/A	0	N/A	1,519	13.4
9. Children Born with Low Birth Weight	3	8%	3	7%	3,542	5%
10. Children Arrested for a Serious Crime	3	7.4	1	N/A	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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