### 2019 COUNTY FACT SHEET

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<tr>
<td>Child Population:</td>
<td>1,298,657</td>
<td>2,633</td>
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<td>Birth Rate per 1,000:</td>
<td>13</td>
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<td>Median Family Income:</td>
<td>$68,364</td>
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#### Financial

- **Children Living in Poverty**
  - 2017: 15.7% (16.5% | 2016)
- **K-12 Students Approved for Free School Meals**
- **Average Monthly Enrollment of Children Receiving SNAP**
  - 2018: 1,151 (366 | 2017)

#### Health Care

- **Children without Insurance**
  - 2017: 5.7% (5.9% | 2016)
- **Children Whose Mothers Received Inadequate Prenatal Care**
  - 2017: 14.6% (15.7% | 2016)
- **Average Monthly Enrollment in Medical Assistance**
  - 2018: 1,296 (1,273 | 2017)

#### Safety

- **Child Abuse or Neglect Rate per 1,000**
  - 2018: 4.2 (2.7 | 2017)
- **Children Born to Teen Mothers per 1,000**
  - 2017: 2 (15.4 | 2016)
- **Children in Out-of-Home Care per 1,000**
  - 2018: 12.9 (6.9 | 2017)

#### Early Childhood

- **Average Annual Cost of Licensed Center-Based Preschool**
  - 2018: NA (NA | 2016)
- **Average Annual Cost of Licensed Family-Based Preschool**
  - 2018: $5,500 (NA | 2016)
- **Average Annual Cost of Licensed Family-Based Infant Care**
  - 2018: $5,500 (NA | 0)

#### K-12 Education

- **Number of Public School Students**
  - 2018-2019: 1,865 (1,736 | 2017-2018)
- **Public High School Graduation Rate**
  - 2017-2018: 87.8% (85.3% | 2016-2017)
- **K-12 Public School Students Enrolled in Special Education**
  - 2018-2019: 16.8% (17.7% | 2017-2018)

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