

ADAMS COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
59

DOMAIN RANK: **47**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **27**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
8,649

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **70**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **80**

HEALTH

6.4% children uninsured¹

14.4% births with inadequate prenatal care²

26.7 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.8% children in poverty⁷

28.4% children of color in poverty⁸

25.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.9 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.7% children who are food insecure¹¹

33.5% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

46.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

91.0% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

23.7 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

76 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

171 juvenile court filings¹⁷

10.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.4 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

50.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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ANTELOPE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
54

DOMAIN RANK: **74**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **47**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,633

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **40**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **47**

HEALTH

7.1% children uninsured¹

18.6% births with inadequate prenatal care²

31.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.5% children in poverty⁷

33.3% children of color in poverty⁸

23.1% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

44.4% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

50.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

52.5% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

97.6% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

7.4 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

13 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

20 juvenile court filings¹⁷

4.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.7 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

64.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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ARTHUR COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
3

Child Population
132

DOMAIN RANK: 3
HEALTH



EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 14

DOMAIN RANK: 31
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 1



HEALTH

5.8% children uninsured¹

0.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

0.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

0.7% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

34.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.3% children who are food insecure¹¹

43.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

75.0% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

0.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

0.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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BANNER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
67

DOMAIN RANK: 34
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 91
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



Child Population
189

EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 59

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 25

HEALTH

4.9% children uninsured¹

0.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

61.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

20.5% children in poverty⁷

47.5% children of color in poverty⁸

51.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.6% children who are food insecure¹¹

51.8% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

100% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

5.7 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

100% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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BLAINE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
82

DOMAIN RANK: **74**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **92**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
108

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **9**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **92**

HEALTH

20.1% children uninsured¹

0.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

88.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

22.9% children in poverty⁷

n/a children of color in poverty⁸

63.9% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

n/a children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

22.6% children who are food insecure¹¹

40.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

66.7% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

20.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

10.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

1 juvenile court filings¹⁷

10.2 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

100% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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BOONE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
2

DOMAIN RANK: 8
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 21
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,382

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 22

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 10

HEALTH

3.2% children uninsured¹

12.7% births with inadequate prenatal care²

15.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

7.7% children in poverty⁷

10.5% children of color in poverty⁸

30.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.4 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

28.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

52.9% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

41.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

97.3% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

7.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

15 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

5 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

3.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

10.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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BOX BUTTE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
68

DOMAIN RANK: **47**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **73**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,978

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **73**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **45**

HEALTH

3.1% children uninsured¹

14.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

50.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

22.5% children in poverty⁷

56.1% children of color in poverty⁸

28.8% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.7% children who are food insecure¹¹

41.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

38.7% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

60.1% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

90.6% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

9.4 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

7 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

20 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.4 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

52.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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BOYD COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
60

Child Population
435

DOMAIN RANK: 90
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 18
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 35

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 68

HEALTH

14.7% children uninsured¹

29.4% births with inadequate prenatal care²

44.3 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

10.1% children in poverty⁷

8.2% children of color in poverty⁸

21.8% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

44.5% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

54.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

60.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

13.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

7 juvenile court filings¹⁷

15.7 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

25.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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BROWN COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
75

Child Population
721

DOMAIN RANK: **31**
HEALTH

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **82**

DOMAIN RANK: **65**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **66**

HEALTH

6.2% children uninsured¹

8.7% births with inadequate prenatal care²

29.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

26.6% children in poverty⁷

9.1% children of color in poverty⁸

37.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

23.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

46.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

57.1% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

71.4% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.2% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

19.7 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

14 juvenile court filings¹⁷

1.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

56.3% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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BUFFALO COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
41

DOMAIN RANK: 15
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 44
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
13,546

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 74

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 48

HEALTH

3.9% children uninsured¹

12.5% births with inadequate prenatal care²

23.1 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.9% children in poverty⁷

30.5% children of color in poverty⁸

31.1% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.2% children who are food insecure¹¹

38.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

61.0% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

45.5% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

92.3% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

22.5 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

208 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

95 juvenile court filings¹⁷

8.6 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

2.2 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

20.8% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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BURT COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
38

DOMAIN RANK: **27**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **14**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,591

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **59**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **79**

HEALTH

6.7% children uninsured¹

12.7% births with inadequate prenatal care²

12.7 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

10.6% children in poverty⁷

11.3% children of color in poverty⁸

21.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.1 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.6% children who are food insecure¹¹

34.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

59.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

44.4% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.5% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

28.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

29 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

10 juvenile court filings¹⁷

9.6 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

2.9 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

69.2% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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BUTLER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
15

Child Population
2,081

DOMAIN RANK: **5**
HEALTH

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **17**

DOMAIN RANK: **11**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **84**

HEALTH

4.3% children uninsured¹

6.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

23.8 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

10.1% children in poverty⁷

2.6% children of color in poverty⁸

23.7% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

37.4% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

34.4% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

43.1% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.1% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

20.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

6 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

24 juvenile court filings¹⁷

7.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.3 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

63.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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CASS COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
14

Child Population
6,874

DOMAIN RANK: 47
HEALTH



EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 34

DOMAIN RANK: 6
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE



DOMAIN RANK: 22

HEALTH

3.5% children uninsured¹

12.9% births with inadequate prenatal care²

56.2 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

8.2% children in poverty⁷

11.1% children of color in poverty⁸

20.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.3% children who are food insecure¹¹

25.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

57.5% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

39.2% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.6% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

10.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

38 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

58 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.7 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

31.5% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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CEDAR COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
51

DOMAIN RANK: **35**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **29**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,342

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **85**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **59**

HEALTH

4.9% children uninsured¹

10.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

35.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

15.1% children in poverty⁷

47.0% children of color in poverty⁸

18.2% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

3.1 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

31.4% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

67.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

54.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.4% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

3.7 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

17 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.3 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

90.5% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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CHASE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
5

DOMAIN RANK: 53
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 3
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,071

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 12

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 15

HEALTH

7.0% children uninsured¹

17.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

19.9 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

13.2% children in poverty⁷

6.4% children of color in poverty⁸

20.2% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

35.2% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

41.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

39.2% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.5% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

3.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

10 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

4 juvenile court filings¹⁷

1.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

2.5 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

53.8% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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CHERRY COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
28

DOMAIN RANK: 76
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 37
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,453

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 30

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 13

HEALTH

11.1% children uninsured¹

16.5% births with inadequate prenatal care²

30.1 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

5.8% children in poverty⁷

3.6% children of color in poverty⁸

41.7% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.6 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

46.9% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

64.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

38.6% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

98.6% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

3.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

11 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

12 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.7 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.9 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

20.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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CHEYENNE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
26

DOMAIN RANK: **12**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **26**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,503

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **68**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **43**

HEALTH

1.4% children uninsured¹

16.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

16.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.8% children in poverty⁷

24.9% children of color in poverty⁸

35.1% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.7 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.4% children who are food insecure¹¹

26.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

69.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

41.2% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.4% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

21.6 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

37 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

28 juvenile court filings¹⁷

6.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.3 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

10.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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CLAY COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
58

DOMAIN RANK: **84**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **57**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,657

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **29**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **40**

HEALTH

8.1% children uninsured¹

17.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

47.9 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.6% children in poverty⁷

32.5% children of color in poverty⁸

26.1% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.2 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

52.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

60.2% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

10.5 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

21 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.2 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

45.8% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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COLFAX COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
61

DOMAIN RANK: **68**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **34**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
3,529

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **86**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **37**

HEALTH

7.7% children uninsured¹

17.6% births with inadequate prenatal care²

27.7 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

16.0% children in poverty⁷

19.5% children of color in poverty⁸

28.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.92 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

14.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

53.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

66.1% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

48.4% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

90.3% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

14.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

35 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

74 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.4 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.5 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

32.5% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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CUMING COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
73

DOMAIN RANK: **32**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **83**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,401

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **49**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **69**

HEALTH

5.5% children uninsured¹

9.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

33.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

21.4% children in poverty⁷

56.7% children of color in poverty⁸

36.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.7 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.4% children who are food insecure¹¹

43.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

62.6% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

45.1% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

98.1% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

14.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

13 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

28 juvenile court filings¹⁷

5.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.5 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

68.8% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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CLUSTER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
53

DOMAIN RANK: **86**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **48**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,786

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **43**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **26**

HEALTH

7.3% children uninsured¹

19.7% births with inadequate prenatal care²

52.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

12.9% children in poverty⁷

26.7% children of color in poverty⁸

31.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.1 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.4% children who are food insecure¹¹

39.0% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

57.4% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

45.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.6% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

10.5 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

15 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

15 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

38.9% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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DAKOTA COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
70

Child Population
6,297

DOMAIN RANK: **60**
HEALTH

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **89**

DOMAIN RANK: **68**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **20**

HEALTH

10.8% children uninsured¹

15.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

23.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

21.3% children in poverty⁷

24.7% children of color in poverty⁸

36.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.2 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

58.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

68.5% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

56.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

93.1% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

12.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

116 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

59 juvenile court filings¹⁷

4.2 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

2.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

23.9% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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DAWES COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
89

DOMAIN RANK: 81
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 52
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,223

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 83

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 71

HEALTH

13.9% children uninsured¹

17.9% births with inadequate prenatal care²

26.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.5% children in poverty⁷

24.1% children of color in poverty⁸

37.9% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.7 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

35.0% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

95.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

60.5% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

65.9% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

12.8 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

23 juvenile court filings¹⁷

4.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

55.6% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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DAWSON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
86

Child Population
7,068

DOMAIN RANK: **80**
HEALTH

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **88**

DOMAIN RANK: **62**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **65**

HEALTH

10.9% children uninsured¹

34.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

19.9 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

22.8% children in poverty⁷

30.2% children of color in poverty⁸

34.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

54.0% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

60.5% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

62.1% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

94.0% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

28.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

49 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

132 juvenile court filings¹⁷

7.8 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.4 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

25.2% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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DEUEL COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
62

DOMAIN RANK: **78**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **58**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
427

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **45**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **40**

HEALTH

13.6% children uninsured¹

8.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

70.9 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

15.8% children in poverty⁷

65.6% children of color in poverty⁸

28.8% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

4.2 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

37.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

48.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

48.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

94.7% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

20.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

1 juvenile court filings¹⁷

15.2 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

4.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

0.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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DIXON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
45

DOMAIN RANK: 24
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 61
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,611

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 58

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 28

HEALTH

4.9% children uninsured¹

12.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

25.7 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

19.1% children in poverty⁷

48.9% children of color in poverty⁸

28.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.6 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.7% children who are food insecure¹¹

39.2% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

40.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

55.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.5% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

11.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

8 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.1 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

11.1% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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DODGE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
90

DOMAIN RANK: **79**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **66**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
9,797

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **93**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **77**

HEALTH

6.5% children uninsured¹

20.2% births with inadequate prenatal care²

36.2 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

16.2% children in poverty⁷

26.0% children of color in poverty⁸

40.5% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.6 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

45.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

68.5% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

56.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

89.7% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

23.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

85 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

130 juvenile court filings¹⁷

11.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.7 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

43.8% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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DOUGLAS COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
69

DOMAIN RANK: 41
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 60
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
158,865

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 78

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 58

HEALTH

4.8% children uninsured¹

17.4% births with inadequate prenatal care²

25.9 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

19.5% children in poverty⁷

35.5% children of color in poverty⁸

34.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.2% children who are food insecure¹¹

39.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

57.7% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

47.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

88.5% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

32.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

992 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

912 juvenile court filings¹⁷

9.8 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.1 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

4.1% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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DUNDY COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
52

DOMAIN RANK: **38**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **63**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
397

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **31**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **56**

HEALTH

4.1% children uninsured¹

18.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

23.7 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

15.4% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

62.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

42.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

100% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

39.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

19.5 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

5 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

1 juvenile court filings¹⁷

11.1 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

5.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

50.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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FILLMORE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
44

Child Population
1,235

DOMAIN RANK: 67
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 14
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 33

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 71

HEALTH

12.9% children uninsured¹

16.7% births with inadequate prenatal care²

23.2 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

13.8% children in poverty⁷

6.7% children of color in poverty⁸

36.2% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.5% children who are food insecure¹¹

36.2% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

41.5% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

44.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

94.2% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

21.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

10 juvenile court filings¹⁷

7.1 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.4 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

50.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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FRANKLIN COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
71

DOMAIN RANK: 18
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 72
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
625

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 54

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 89

HEALTH

2.5% children uninsured¹

7.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

44.8 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

17.4% children in poverty⁷

57.1% children of color in poverty⁸

19.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

3.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

53.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

61.4% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

60.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

29.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

5 juvenile court filings¹⁷

8.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

50.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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FRONTIER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
64

DOMAIN RANK: **87**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **68**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
651

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **56**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **19**

HEALTH

8.6% children uninsured¹

21.7% births with inadequate prenatal care²

44.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

15.3% children in poverty⁷

52.4% children of color in poverty⁸

36.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

3.4 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.8% children who are food insecure¹¹

34.4% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

56.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

52.4% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

97.9% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

20.8 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

13 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

2 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

6.5 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

50.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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FURNAS COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
76

DOMAIN RANK: **26**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **88**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,147

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **27**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **85**

HEALTH

6.2% children uninsured¹

9.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

25.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

25.8% children in poverty⁷

65.4% children of color in poverty⁸

30.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

21.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

54.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

54.6% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

41.6% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.3% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

26.6 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

14 juvenile court filings¹⁷

15.2 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.3 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

36.8% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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GAGE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
56

DOMAIN RANK: **35**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **53**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
5,290

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **47**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **66**

HEALTH

1.7% children uninsured¹

14.2% births with inadequate prenatal care²

38.4 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

13.3% children in poverty⁷

39.3% children of color in poverty⁸

31.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

3.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

32.2% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

36.9% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

47.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

92.0% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

19.8 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

54 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

129 juvenile court filings¹⁷

5.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.4 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

54.6% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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GARDEN COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
11

Child Population
401

DOMAIN RANK: 14
HEALTH

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 15

DOMAIN RANK: 2
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 70

HEALTH

6.9% children uninsured¹

9.5% births with inadequate prenatal care²

0.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

7.6% children in poverty⁷

7.0% children of color in poverty⁸

26.1% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.9 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

19.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

51.9% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

39.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

7 juvenile court filings¹⁷

23.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.6 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

0.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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GARFIELD COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
37

Child Population
423

DOMAIN RANK: 46
HEALTH



EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 18

DOMAIN RANK: 55
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE



DOMAIN RANK: 37

HEALTH

4.5% children uninsured¹

11.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

69.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

4.3% children in poverty⁷

15.2% children of color in poverty⁸

27.1% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

3.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

50.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

22.2% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

61.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

7.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

5 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

66.7% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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GOSPER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
25

DOMAIN RANK: 32
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 35
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
493

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 49

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 18

HEALTH

4.2% children uninsured¹

36.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

0.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

8.5% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

40.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.6% children who are food insecure¹¹

43.9% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

29.2% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

91.7% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

13.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

1 juvenile court filings¹⁷

6.6 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

4.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

0.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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GRANT COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
32

DOMAIN RANK: 18
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 93
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
154

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 23

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 1

HEALTH

8.5% children uninsured¹

9.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

0.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

19.4% children in poverty⁷

n/a children of color in poverty⁸

48.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

n/a children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

52.5% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

65.0% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

42.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

0.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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GREELEY COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
1

DOMAIN RANK: 1
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 49
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
605

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 5

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 9

HEALTH

1.9% children uninsured¹

7.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

16.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

13.7% children in poverty⁷

15.0% children of color in poverty⁸

31.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.1 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

43.5% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

55.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

38.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

3.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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HALL COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
78

DOMAIN RANK: **64**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **80**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
18,193

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **78**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **52**

HEALTH

8.3% children uninsured¹

23.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

16.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

21.8% children in poverty⁷

33.5% children of color in poverty⁸

42.2% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.8% children who are food insecure¹¹

45.4% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

53.1% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

57.5% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

92.4% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

19.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

251 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

330 juvenile court filings¹⁷

5.7 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.8 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

35.2% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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HAMILTON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
34

DOMAIN RANK: **58**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **40**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,434

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **4**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **55**

HEALTH

4.3% children uninsured¹

16.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

50.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.4% children in poverty⁷

32.2% children of color in poverty⁸

26.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.2 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.8% children who are food insecure¹¹

38.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

49.0% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

31.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

98.7% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

7.7 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

49 juvenile court filings¹⁷

1.8 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.1 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

73.2% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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HARLAN COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
84

DOMAIN RANK: **60**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **59**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
811

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **67**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **90**

HEALTH

7.3% children uninsured¹

28.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

13.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

29.3% children in poverty⁷

31.7% children of color in poverty⁸

26.5% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.1 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

21.4% children who are food insecure¹¹

50.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

62.4% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

78.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

39.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

9 juvenile court filings¹⁷

28.3 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.4 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

45.5% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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HAYES COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
13

DOMAIN RANK: 29
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 35
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
201

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 25

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 1

HEALTH

12.2% children uninsured¹

11.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

0.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

4.6% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

60.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

43.5% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

100% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

33.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

0.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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HITCHCOCK COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
57

Child Population
703

DOMAIN RANK: 83
HEALTH

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 63

DOMAIN RANK: 45
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 34

HEALTH

8.7% children uninsured¹

25.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

31.4 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

26.3% children in poverty⁷

20.0% children of color in poverty⁸

22.8% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

22.3% children who are food insecure¹¹

50.2% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

89.6% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

14.8% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

94.7% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

12.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

5 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

4 juvenile court filings¹⁷

1.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.3 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

66.7% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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HOLT COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
19

DOMAIN RANK: 25
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 19
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,731

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 54

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 46

HEALTH

4.8% children uninsured¹

12.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

27.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

10.2% children in poverty⁷

8.6% children of color in poverty⁸

26.8% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.5% children who are food insecure¹¹

40.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

53.1% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

49.1% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.5% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

11.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

19 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.2 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.2 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

37.5% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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HOOKER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
12

DOMAIN RANK: 27
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 42
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
154

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 27

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 1

HEALTH

6.0% children uninsured¹

16.7% births with inadequate prenatal care²

0.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

18.4% children in poverty⁷

n/a children of color in poverty⁸

7.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

n/a children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

20.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

39.1 children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

100% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

37.5% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

0.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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HOWARD COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
7

DOMAIN RANK: 7
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 10
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,644

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 12

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 32

HEALTH

4.5% children uninsured¹

3.4% births with inadequate prenatal care²

25.4 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

11.9% children in poverty⁷

10.1% children of color in poverty⁸

27.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.5% children who are food insecure¹¹

25.8% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

42.1% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

41.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

97.9% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

17.5 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

19 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

14 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

14 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

38.9% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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JEFFERSON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
88

Child Population
1,702

DOMAIN RANK: **44**
HEALTH

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **74**

DOMAIN RANK: **70**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **91**

HEALTH

5.0% children uninsured¹

14.5% births with inadequate prenatal care²

30.4 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

19.8% children in poverty⁷

35.1% children of color in poverty⁸

29.7% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.6% children who are food insecure¹¹

49.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

49.0% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

65.1% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

94.2% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

27.4 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

49 juvenile court filings¹⁷

10.2 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

72.2% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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JOHNSON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
24

DOMAIN RANK: 23
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 38
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,085

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 26

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 31

HEALTH

- 2.5%** children uninsured¹
- 23.7%** births with inadequate prenatal care²
- 9.5** 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

- 13.7%** children in poverty⁷
- 39.6%** children of color in poverty⁸
- 27.2%** families, with children, who do not own their home¹²
- 2.9** children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹
- 17.5%** children who are food insecure¹¹
- 34.2%** children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

- 49.3%** 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴
- 29.8%** 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵
- 92.7%** high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

- 21.1** rate of child welfare system involvement¹³
- 8** youth referred to diversion¹⁶
- 5** juvenile court filings¹⁷
- 1.0** rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴
- 1.6** youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio
- 50.0%** youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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KEARNEY COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
20

Child Population
1,739

DOMAIN RANK: **47**
HEALTH

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **40**

DOMAIN RANK: **6**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **53**

HEALTH

8.1% children uninsured¹

11.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

30.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

8.0% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

32.1% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.8% children who are food insecure¹¹

28.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

52.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

44.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.4% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

13.7 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

14 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.1 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.3 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

45.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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KEITH COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
87

DOMAIN RANK: 72
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 78
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,793

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 83

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 73

HEALTH

6.3% children uninsured¹

15.2% births with inadequate prenatal care²

49.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

21.9% children in poverty⁷

34.9% children of color in poverty⁸

41.5% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.6 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

39.5% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

55.6% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

62.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

93.8% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

28.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

22 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

24 juvenile court filings¹⁷

9.2 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.9 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

45.5% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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KEYA PAHA COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
33

DOMAIN RANK: **30**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **84**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
158

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **20**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **1**

HEALTH

4.7% children uninsured¹

0.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

58.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

20.4% children in poverty⁷

60.0% children of color in poverty⁸

42.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.9 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

20.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

37.5% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

18.2% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

85.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

0.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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KIMBALL COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
83

DOMAIN RANK: 56
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 85
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



Child Population
878

EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 86

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 43

HEALTH

12.2% children uninsured¹

5.6% births with inadequate prenatal care²

34.2 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

10.6% children in poverty⁷

29.4% children of color in poverty⁸

40.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

52.8% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

94.2% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

48.4% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

93.8% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

10.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

5 juvenile court filings¹⁷

5.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

14.3% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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KNOX COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
79

DOMAIN RANK: 89
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 75
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



Child Population
2,242

EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 40

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 49

HEALTH

11.6% children uninsured¹

26.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

50.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

20.0% children in poverty⁷

41.9% children of color in poverty⁸

30.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.1 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.7% children who are food insecure¹¹

43.8% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

44.2% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

42.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

91.1% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

4.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

18 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

66.7% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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LANCASTER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
47

DOMAIN RANK: 22
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 51
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
83,945

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 74

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 32

HEALTH

4.7% children uninsured¹

14.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

17.3 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

16.3% children in poverty⁷

30.1% children of color in poverty⁸

35.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

37.0% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

61.6% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

40.8% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

88.0% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

18.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

492 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

451 juvenile court filings¹⁷

6.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.1 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

8.1% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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LINCOLN COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
72

DOMAIN RANK: 47
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 56
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
9,186

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 56

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 86

HEALTH

5.0% children uninsured¹

21.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

24.8 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

16.3% children in poverty⁷

32.9% children of color in poverty⁸

33.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.2% children who are food insecure¹¹

35.5% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

51.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

44.2% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

92.3% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

37.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

64 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

166 juvenile court filings¹⁷

14.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.4 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

36.4% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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LOGAN COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
42

DOMAIN RANK: 40
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 70
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
221

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 19

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 23

HEALTH

14.1% children uninsured¹

12.5% births with inadequate prenatal care²

0.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

17.6% children in poverty⁷

100% children of color in poverty⁸

41.2% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

5.7 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

20.8% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

87.5% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

23.1% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

4.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

4.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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LOUP COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
6

DOMAIN RANK: 69
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 23
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
124

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 1

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 11

HEALTH

5.7% children uninsured¹

12.5% births with inadequate prenatal care²

149.8 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

12.4% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

25.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

39.2% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

0.0% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

12.5% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

8.8 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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MADISON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
80

DOMAIN RANK: **57**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **77**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
9,793

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **53**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **82**

HEALTH

5.4% children uninsured¹

16.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

33.7 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

19.6% children in poverty⁷

38.8% children of color in poverty⁸

32.9% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.4% children who are food insecure¹¹

46.9% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

49.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

46.1% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

93.1% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

22.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

127 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

178 juvenile court filings¹⁷

9.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.7 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

64.1% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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MCPHERSON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
27

Child Population
127

DOMAIN RANK: 70
HEALTH

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 49

DOMAIN RANK: 45
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 1

HEALTH

0.0% children uninsured¹

33.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

73.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

19.4% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

63.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.3% children who are food insecure¹¹

30.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

84.6% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

0.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

1 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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MERRICK COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
39

Child Population
1,979

DOMAIN RANK: 17
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 64
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 35

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE



DOMAIN RANK: 35

HEALTH

2.5% children uninsured¹

8.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

35.8 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

8.7% children in poverty⁷

33.1% children of color in poverty⁸

35.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

3.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.2% children who are food insecure¹¹

41.4% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

62.4% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

26.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.6% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

19.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

30 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

32 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.2 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.9 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

42.9% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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MORRILL COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
81

DOMAIN RANK: 45
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 82
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,237

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 92

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 37

HEALTH

9.6% children uninsured¹

7.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

31.9 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

16.9% children in poverty⁷

39.5% children of color in poverty⁸

37.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.4% children who are food insecure¹¹

47.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

75.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

60.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

94.4% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

18.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

25 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

16 juvenile court filings¹⁷

4.3 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.6 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

42.1% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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NANCE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
46

Child Population
899

DOMAIN RANK: **59**
HEALTH

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **71**

DOMAIN RANK: **13**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **61**

HEALTH

9.2% children uninsured¹

7.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

45.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

10.3% children in poverty⁷

8.3% children of color in poverty⁸

25.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

39.0% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

69.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

25.2% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

89.7% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

17.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

10 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

2 juvenile court filings¹⁷

10.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

5.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

66.7% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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NEMAHA COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
23

DOMAIN RANK: 65
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 29
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



Child Population
1,810

EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 7

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE



DOMAIN RANK: 30

HEALTH

1.4% children uninsured¹

22.5% births with inadequate prenatal care²

66.8 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

12.8% children in poverty⁷

9.5% children of color in poverty⁸

37.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.7 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

31.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

37.7% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

25.6% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.8% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

14.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

17 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

3 juvenile court filings¹⁷

8.7 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

5.7 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

33.3% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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NUCKOLLS COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
74

DOMAIN RANK: 54
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 89
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



Child Population
954

EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 10

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 74

HEALTH

10.3% children uninsured¹

13.6% births with inadequate prenatal care²

20.9 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

17.0% children in poverty⁷

67.3% children of color in poverty⁸

33.7% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

4.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.3% children who are food insecure¹¹

52.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

29.5% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

54.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

24.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

12 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

11 juvenile court filings¹⁷

9.2 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.1 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

57.1% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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OTOE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
63

DOMAIN RANK: 37
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 43
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
4,213

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 90

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 59

HEALTH

5.6% children uninsured¹

17.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

12.8 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

15.0% children in poverty⁷

17.2% children of color in poverty⁸

29.7% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.1 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.3% children who are food insecure¹¹

37.9% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

65.1% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

55.6% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

91.2% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

20.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

45 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

66 juvenile court filings¹⁷

10.6 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.7 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

25.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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PAWNEE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
92

Child Population
613

DOMAIN RANK: 93
HEALTH

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 59

DOMAIN RANK: 74
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 83

HEALTH

20.3% children uninsured¹

40.6% births with inadequate prenatal care²

64.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

34.7% children in poverty⁷

13.8% children of color in poverty⁸

34.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.4 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

23.6% children who are food insecure¹¹

58.9% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

55.0% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

47.2% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.2% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

32.4 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

15 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

7 juvenile court filings¹⁷

19.8 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

2.1 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

55.6% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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PERKINS COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
31

Child Population
782

DOMAIN RANK: 42
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 25
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 52

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE



DOMAIN RANK: 35

HEALTH

1.2% children uninsured¹

13.9% births with inadequate prenatal care²

66.3 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

10.3% children in poverty⁷

40.6% children of color in poverty⁸

26.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

3.9 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.8% children who are food insecure¹¹

27.8% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

73.6% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

35.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.2% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

6.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

5.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

100% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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PHELPS COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
43

DOMAIN RANK: **66**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **17**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,369

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **62**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **57**

HEALTH

5.6% children uninsured¹

18.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

34.2 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

10.0% children in poverty⁷

4.9% children of color in poverty⁸

32.4% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.3% children who are food insecure¹¹

35.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

54.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

52.8% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.5% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

15.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

32 juvenile court filings¹⁷

5.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.1 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

31.6% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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PIERCE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
17

Child Population
1,917

DOMAIN RANK: 4
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 24
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 23

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE



DOMAIN RANK: 64

HEALTH

2.8% children uninsured¹

6.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

26.4 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

6.3% children in poverty⁷

15.7% children of color in poverty⁸

23.8% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

36.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

58.9% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

40.5% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

98.9% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

11.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

7 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.8 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

71.4% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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PLATTE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
40

DOMAIN RANK: **11**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **22**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
9,454

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **72**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **74**

HEALTH

4.6% children uninsured¹

10.4% births with inadequate prenatal care²

22.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

11.0% children in poverty⁷

27.0% children of color in poverty⁸

22.9% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

33.5% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

60.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

42.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

89.1% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

21.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

111 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

220 juvenile court filings¹⁷

6.8 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.5 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

62.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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POLK COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
30

Child Population
1,350

DOMAIN RANK: **9**
HEALTH

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **38**

DOMAIN RANK: **28**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **63**

HEALTH

5.1% children uninsured¹

11.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

7.7 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

8.8% children in poverty⁷

26.4% children of color in poverty⁸

26.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

3.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.2% children who are food insecure¹¹

34.2% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

58.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

46.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

98.4% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

13.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

7 juvenile court filings¹⁷

4.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.6 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

71.4% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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RED WILLOW COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
47

DOMAIN RANK: **70**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **38**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,705

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **31**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **49**

HEALTH

6.7% children uninsured¹

14.6% births with inadequate prenatal care²

48.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

16.4% children in poverty⁷

24.9% children of color in poverty⁸

26.9% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.5% children who are food insecure¹¹

36.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

60.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

37.8% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.7% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

10.5 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

15 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

45 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.8 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.3 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

48.9% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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RICHARDSON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
66

DOMAIN RANK: 21
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 67
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



Child Population
1,842

EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 38

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 87

HEALTH

2.2% children uninsured¹

11.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

38.1 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

30.4% children in poverty⁷

40.3% children of color in poverty⁸

30.1% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

23.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

46.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

40.2% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

53.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.5% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

21.4 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

7 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

23 juvenile court filings¹⁷

9.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.3 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

56.1% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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ROCK COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
22

DOMAIN RANK: 88
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 4
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



Child Population
318

EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 21

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE



DOMAIN RANK: 24

HEALTH

18.1% children uninsured¹

30.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

33.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

4.4% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

33.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.6% children who are food insecure¹¹

24.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

100% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

20.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

7.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

1 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

50.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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SALINE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
77

DOMAIN RANK: 72
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 54
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
4,243

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 66

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 77

HEALTH

6.1% children uninsured¹

30.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

28.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.3% children in poverty⁷

23.1% children of color in poverty⁸

41.7% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.6 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.4% children who are food insecure¹¹

41.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

50.9% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

93.8% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

28.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

11 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

63 juvenile court filings¹⁷

5.6 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.2 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

41.3% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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SARPY COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
8

DOMAIN RANK: 9
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 12
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
54,212

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 43

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 16

HEALTH

3.5% children uninsured¹

12.3% births with inadequate prenatal care²

19.3 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

8.3% children in poverty⁷

13.7% children of color in poverty⁸

26.9% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.6 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.3% children who are food insecure¹¹

23.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

57.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

43.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.1% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

12.6 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

689 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

236 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.7 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

2.9 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

0.7% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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SAUNDERS COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
10

DOMAIN RANK: 16
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 4
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
5,579

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 63

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 17

HEALTH

1.3% children uninsured¹

9.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

38.3 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.5% children in poverty⁷

11.0% children of color in poverty⁸

24.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.8% children who are food insecure¹¹

28.0% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

60.9% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

45.2% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

96.0% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

11.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

41 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

21 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.9 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

2.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

31.8% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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SCOTT'S BLUFF COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
84

DOMAIN RANK: 54
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 86
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
9,985

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 63

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 76

HEALTH

8.1% children uninsured¹

11.2% births with inadequate prenatal care²

29.4 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

20.8% children in poverty⁷

35.1% children of color in poverty⁸

43.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.7 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.8% children who are food insecure¹¹

53.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

35.2% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

91.7% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

27.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

161 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

238 juvenile court filings¹⁷

12.8 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.7 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

39.2% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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SEWARD COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
9

Child Population
4,853

DOMAIN RANK: 5
HEALTH

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 8

DOMAIN RANK: 32
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 21

HEALTH

3.0% children uninsured¹

10.6% births with inadequate prenatal care²

21.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

9.3% children in poverty⁷

32.8% children of color in poverty⁸

27.5% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

3.5 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.4% children who are food insecure¹¹

31.2% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

49.9% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

32.5% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

97.7% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

10.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

67 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

37 juvenile court filings¹⁷

4.7 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.8 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

28.3% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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SHERIDAN COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
93

DOMAIN RANK: 77
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 87
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,292

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 80

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 80

HEALTH

13.6% children uninsured¹

12.5% births with inadequate prenatal care²

39.1 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

30.0% children in poverty⁷

55.1% children of color in poverty⁸

39.2% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

22.1% children who are food insecure¹¹

50.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

55.7% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

52.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

91.5% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

11.9 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

45 juvenile court filings¹⁷

7.6 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.1 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

83.7% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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SHERMAN COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
16

DOMAIN RANK: 2
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 81
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
722

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 37

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 12

HEALTH

4.0% children uninsured¹

5.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

14.1 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

23.8% children in poverty⁷

45.2% children of color in poverty⁸

32.7% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.9 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

21.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

49.8% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

35.5% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

60.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

97.4% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

15.1 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

1 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

4.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

0.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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SIoux COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
21

DOMAIN RANK: **85**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **32**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
244

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **15**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **1**

HEALTH

5.0% children uninsured¹

25.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

102.4 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

14.6% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

32.2% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.2% children who are food insecure¹¹

38.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

69.7% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

28.6% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

0.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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STANTON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
36

DOMAIN RANK: **60**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **1**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,624

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **90**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **51**

HEALTH

6.1% children uninsured¹

17.2% births with inadequate prenatal care²

30.0 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

8.1% children in poverty⁷

6.1% children of color in poverty⁸

20.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.8 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.7% children who are food insecure¹¹

30.9% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

61.0% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

56.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

90.3% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

10.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

48 juvenile court filings¹⁷

1.3 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.1 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

62.5% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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THAYER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
49

DOMAIN RANK: **52**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **50**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
1,244

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **45**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **52**

HEALTH

5.4% children uninsured¹

8.5% births with inadequate prenatal care²

67.3 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

17.8% children in poverty⁷

34.9% children of color in poverty⁸

24.5% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.7% children who are food insecure¹¹

41.4% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

55.5% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

48.4% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

97.1% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

9.6 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

12 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.5 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

42.9% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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THOMAS COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
29

DOMAIN RANK: 91
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 8
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
186

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 48

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 1

HEALTH

10.1% children uninsured¹

28.6% births with inadequate prenatal care²

193.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

12.7% children in poverty⁷

0.0% children of color in poverty⁸

19.0% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

0.0 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

18.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

32.7% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

83.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

0.0 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

0.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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THURSTON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
91

DOMAIN RANK: 92
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 90
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,833

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 81

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 27

HEALTH

25.9% children uninsured¹

33.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

54.6 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

42.7% children in poverty⁷

50.4% children of color in poverty⁸

51.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.2 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

27.9% children who are food insecure¹¹

69.3% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

39.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

77.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

75.8% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

5.8 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

13 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.7 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

26.7% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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VALLEY COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
65

Child Population
1,069

DOMAIN RANK: **39**
HEALTH

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **77**

DOMAIN RANK: **76**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **40**

HEALTH

10.3% children uninsured¹

11.1% births with inadequate prenatal care²

20.3 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

15.6% children in poverty⁷

29.3% children of color in poverty⁸

35.7% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.9 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

19.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

42.6% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

73.0% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

59.6% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

98.5% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

18.3 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

4 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

11 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.4 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

33.3% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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WASHINGTON COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
4

DOMAIN RANK: 20
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 16
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
5,561

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: 11

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: 14

HEALTH

3.3% children uninsured¹

12.8% births with inadequate prenatal care²

26.1 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

13.3% children in poverty⁷

32.3% children of color in poverty⁸

17.3% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.4 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.0% children who are food insecure¹¹

26.0% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

51.9% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

35.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

98.3% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

5.7 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

58 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

39 juvenile court filings¹⁷

3.0 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.5 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

10.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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WAYNE COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
18

DOMAIN RANK: 42
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: 9
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
2,496

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: 69

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: 29

HEALTH

5.9% children uninsured¹

21.9% births with inadequate prenatal care²

7.8 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

7.2% children in poverty⁷

9.6% children of color in poverty⁸

25.6% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.3 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

15.2% children who are food insecure¹¹

30.1% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

56.8% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

51.7% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

95.6% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

4.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

10 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

11 juvenile court filings¹⁷

2.1 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.9 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

72.7% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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WEBSTER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
35

DOMAIN RANK: **82**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **20**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
844

EDUCATION
DOMAIN RANK: **3**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE
DOMAIN RANK: **62**

HEALTH

6.9% children uninsured¹

26.7% births with inadequate prenatal care²

34.2 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

12.0% children in poverty⁷

13.5% children of color in poverty⁸

18.2% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

1.1 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

17.4% children who are food insecure¹¹

39.0% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

48.7% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

43.9% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

23.5 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

7 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

7 juvenile court filings¹⁷

11.7 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

1.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

30.0% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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WHEELER COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
55

Child Population
187

DOMAIN RANK: 13
HEALTH



DOMAIN RANK: 79
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



EDUCATION



DOMAIN RANK: 2

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE



DOMAIN RANK: 93

HEALTH

0.7% children uninsured¹

0.0% births with inadequate prenatal care²

54.5 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

6.2% children in poverty⁷

100% children of color in poverty⁸

41.1% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

16.2 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.2% children who are food insecure¹¹

46.4% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

14.3% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

50.0% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

100% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

29.8 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

0 juvenile court filings¹⁷

29.8 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

n/a youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

n/a youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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YORK COUNTY



OVERALL RANK:
50

DOMAIN RANK: **63**
HEALTH

DOMAIN RANK: **41**
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Child Population
3,590

EDUCATION

DOMAIN RANK: **6**

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

DOMAIN RANK: **88**

HEALTH

5.4% children uninsured¹

15.6% births with inadequate prenatal care²

42.1 10-year average child mortality rate³

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

10.6% children in poverty⁷

28.0% children of color in poverty⁸

29.9% families, with children, who do not own their home¹²

2.6 children of color in poverty to children in poverty ratio⁹

16.5% children who are food insecure¹¹

36.2% children in low-income families¹⁰

EDUCATION

22.7% 3- and 4-year-olds not in school⁴

42.3% 3rd graders not reading proficiently⁵

98.4% high schoolers graduating in 4-years⁶

CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

25.2 rate of child welfare system involvement¹³

0 youth referred to diversion¹⁶

22 juvenile court filings¹⁷

4.7 rate of child welfare involved children in out-of-home care¹⁴

0.0 youth referred to diversion to juvenile court filings ratio

51.9% youth in juvenile court without an attorney¹⁵

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