

Grant County

County Seat: Medford

Number of Children (1998): 1,355

Children are 25.4% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (1997): 274

Child Poverty Rate: 19.7%

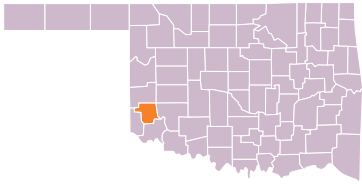
Early Childhood Status

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tie for **21**

Child Population < 6	1998	422
Immunizations by Age 2	1995	49.0%
Lead-based Poisoning	1994-97	2.59/ ₁₀₀₀
Births to Mothers < 20	1998	40.8/ ₁₀₀₀
Inadequate Prenatal Care	1998	2.2%
Child Care Availability	2000	0.383
Poverty - Children < 5	1997	24.1%

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.6% of live births 1984-86				60.6%	2.7% of live births 1996-98	1
Infant Mortality	0.0/1000 live births 1984-86				###	0.0/1000 live births 1996-98	tie for 1
Births to Young Teens	25.9/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				40.4%	15.4/1000 girls 15-17 1996-98	2
Child Abuse & Neglect	11.0 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-5.3%				11.6 confirmed/1000 children FY 1997-99	12
Child Deaths	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				###	32.0/100,000 children 1-14 1996-98	48
High School Dropouts	1.2% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				9.2%	1.1% of grades 9-12 SY 96/97-98/99	4
Violent Crime Arrests	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				###	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1997-99	tie for 1

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Greer County

County Seat: Mangum

Number of Children (1998): 1,302

Children are 20.5% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (1997): 478

Child Poverty Rate: 37.1%

Early Childhood Status

RANKED
tie for **49**

Child Population < 6	1998	380
Immunizations by Age 2	1995	63.0%
Lead-based Poisoning	1994-97	4.44/ ₁₀₀₀
Births to Mothers < 20	1998	242.4/ ₁₀₀₀
Inadequate Prenatal Care	1998	1.9%
Child Care Availability	2000	0.567
Poverty - Children < 5	1997	45.4%

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.1% of live births 1984-86				11.7%	5.4% of live births 1996-98	25
Infant Mortality	14.2/1000 live births 1984-86				100.0%	0.0/1000 live births 1996-98	tie for 1
Births to Young Teens	69.4/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				39.0%	42.3/1000 girls 15-17 1996-98	61
Child Abuse & Neglect	13.2 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-26.2%				16.6 confirmed/1000 children FY 1997-99	38
Child Deaths	30.8/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-10.5%				34.1/100,000 children 1-14 1996-98	52
High School Dropouts	5.3% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				14.7%	4.5% of grades 9-12 SY 96/97-98/99	40
Violent Crime Arrests	54.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-385.1%				264.6/100,000 youth 10-17 1997-99	64

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