

## Mayes County

County Seat: Pryor

Number of Children (1998): 9,744  
Children are 25.9% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (1997): 2,545  
Child Poverty Rate: 25.7%

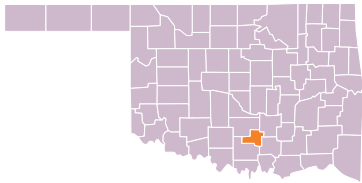
### Early Childhood Status

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Child Population < 6	1998	2,906
Immunizations by Age 2	1995	57.0%
Lead-based Poisoning	1994-97	0.35/1,000
Births to Mothers < 20	1998	201.1/1,000
Inadequate Prenatal Care	1998	5.9%
Child Care Availability	2000	0.558
Poverty - Children < 5	1997	31.5%

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	4.8% of live births 1984-86	-28.7%				6.7% of live births 1996-98	23
Infant Mortality	6.8/1000 live births 1984-86	-10.3%				7.5/1000 live births 1996-98	39
Births to Young Teens	47.5/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				7.4%	43.9/1000 girls 15-17 1996-98	65
Child Abuse & Neglect	9.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-111.4%				19.6 confirmed/1000 children FY 1997-99	48
Child Deaths	23.2/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-52.9%				35.4/100,000 children 1-14 1996-98	56
High School Dropouts	6.2% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				2.2%	6.1% of grades 9-12 SY 96/97-98/99	65
Violent Crime Arrests	23.8/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-111.9%				50.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1997-99	12

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## Murray County

County Seat: Sulphur

Number of Children (1998): 3,125  
Children are 25.3% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (1997): 857  
Child Poverty Rate: 27.2%

### Early Childhood Status

RANKED  
12

Child Population < 6	1998	855
Immunizations by Age 2	1995	85.0%
Lead-based Poisoning	1994-97	0.57/1,000
Births to Mothers < 20	1998	202.4/1,000
Inadequate Prenatal Care	1998	3.5%
Child Care Availability	2000	0.559
Poverty - Children < 5	1997	33.3%

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.6% of live births 1984-86	-34.3%				9.0% of live births 1996-98	51
Infant Mortality	15.9/1000 live births 1984-86				32.8%	10.7/1000 live births 1996-98	63
Births to Young Teens	35.5/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				17.3%	29.3/1000 girls 15-17 1996-98	24
Child Abuse & Neglect	15.4 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-5.8%				16.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1997-99	36
Child Deaths	26.9/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				47.5%	14.1/100,000 children 1-14 1996-98	17
High School Dropouts	2.7% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-0.1%				2.7% of grades 9-12 SY 96/97-98/99	13
Violent Crime Arrests	115.1/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-128.6%				263.1/100,000 youth 10-17 1997-99	63

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