



County Benchmarks



## Adair County

County Seat: Stilwell

Number of Children (2000): 6,368  
Children are 30.3% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 1,710  
Child Poverty Rate: 28.2%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **253**  
(**4.0%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **15**

**313** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**51.0%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **48.5%** of **\$10.62**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Adair County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.3% of live births 1984-86	-43.2%				7.6% of live births 1998-2000	60
Infant Mortality	9.3/1000 live births 1984-86	-13.0%				10.5/1000 live births 1998-2000	59
Births to Young Teens	67.2/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				15.5%	56.8/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	76
Child Abuse & Neglect	8.9 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-189.8%				25.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	65
Child Deaths	7.5/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-369.2%				35.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	50
High School Dropouts	6.6% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				22.9%	5.1% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	52
Violent Crime Arrests	37.1/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-410.8%				189.6/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	56

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## Alfalfa County

County Seat: Cherokee

Number of Children (2000): 1,182  
Children are 19.4% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 217  
Child Poverty Rate: 18.3%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **6**  
(**0.5%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **3**

**41** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**0.0%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **43.1%** of **\$11.95**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Alfalfa County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	3.5% of live births 1984-86	-0.5%				3.5% of live births 1998-2000	2
Infant Mortality	0.0/1000 live births 1984-86				###	0.0/1000 live births 1998-2000	tie for 1
Births to Young Teens	27.8/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				47.0%	14.7/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	6
Child Abuse & Neglect	12.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-81.3%				21.9 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	51
Child Deaths	57.5/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-25.2%				72.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	74
High School Dropouts	2.8% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				83.6%	0.5% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	2
Violent Crime Arrests	266.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				100%	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	tie for 1

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## Atoka County

County Seat: Atoka

Number of Children (2000): 3,275  
Children are 23.6% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 814  
Child Poverty Rate: 25.4%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **233**  
(**7.1%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **29**

**282** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**14.2%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **44.9%** of **\$11.47**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Atoka County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.1% of live births 1984-86				0.9%	7.0% of live births 1998-2000	45
Infant Mortality	7.9/1000 live births 1984-86	-8.1%				8.5/1000 live births 1998-2000	48
Births to Young Teens	40.9/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				18.0%	33.6/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	39
Child Abuse & Neglect	7.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-136.1%				17.8 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	37
Child Deaths	38.4/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-38.9%				53.3/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	69
High School Dropouts	2.0% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-120.4%				4.5% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	39
Violent Crime Arrests	20.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-783.9%				181.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	50

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## Beaver County

County Seat: Beaver

Number of Children (2000): 1,568  
Children are 26.8% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 242  
Child Poverty Rate: 15.8%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **27**  
(**1.7%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **11**

**28** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**0.0%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **43.2%** of **\$11.92**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Beaver County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	3.4% of live births 1984-86	-61.4%				5.5% of live births 1998-2000	12
Infant Mortality	7.6/1000 live births 1984-86				27.3%	5.5/1000 live births 1998-2000	23
Births to Young Teens	35.0/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				48.6%	18.0/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	10
Child Abuse & Neglect	1.8 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-47.7%				2.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	1
Child Deaths	23.3/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-16.9%				27.2/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	34
High School Dropouts	1.8% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				5.1%	1.8% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	8
Violent Crime Arrests	41.2/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				100.0%	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	tie for 1

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## Beckham County

County Seat: Sayre

Number of Children (2000): 4,779  
Children are 24.1% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 1,172  
Child Poverty Rate: 24.8%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **241**  
(**5.0%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **21**

**399** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**10.9%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **47.4%** of **\$10.86**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Beckham County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.2% of live births 1984-86	-34.2%				8.3% of live births 1998-2000	72
Infant Mortality	9.1/1000 live births 1984-86				4.6%	8.7/1000 live births 1998-2000	50
Births to Young Teens	58.3/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				49.0%	29.7/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	30
Child Abuse & Neglect	6.2 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-427.6%				32.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	74
Child Deaths	48.5/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-37.2%				66.6/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	73
High School Dropouts	5.2% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				1.9%	5.1% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	54
Violent Crime Arrests	186.7/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				56.5%	81.1/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	23

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## Blaine County

County Seat: Watonga

Number of Children (2000): 2,875  
Children are 24.0% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 635  
Child Poverty Rate: 22.2%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **214**  
(**7.4%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **34**

**248** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**26.7%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **43.1%** of **\$11.95**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Blaine County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.0% of live births 1984-86	-6.3%				6.4% of live births 1998-2000	30
Infant Mortality	14.7/1000 live births 1984-86				69.9%	4.4/1000 live births 1998-2000	12
Births to Young Teens	63.1/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				9.6%	57.1/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	77
Child Abuse & Neglect	16.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-127.2%				37.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	76
Child Deaths	49.3/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-22.8%				60.5/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	72
High School Dropouts	4.3% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-7.9%				4.6% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	46
Violent Crime Arrests	469.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				74.4%	120.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	32

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## Bryan County

County Seat: Durant

Number of Children (2000): 9,066  
Children are 24.8% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 1,895  
Child Poverty Rate: 21.4%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **346**  
(**3.8%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **18**

**451** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**20.1%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **45.1%** of **\$11.43**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Bryan County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.9% of live births 1984-86				17.9%	6.5% of live births 1998-2000	31
Infant Mortality	10.1/1000 live births 1984-86				52.9%	4.7/1000 live births 1998-2000	18
Births to Young Teens	53.9/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				34.8%	35.2/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	48
Child Abuse & Neglect	22.6 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86				38.0%	14.0 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	27
Child Deaths	42.9/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				65.5%	14.8/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	16
High School Dropouts	5.6% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-2.3%				5.7% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	60
Violent Crime Arrests	124.8/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				49.2%	63.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	15

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## Caddo County

County Seat: Anadarko

Number of Children (2000): 8,594  
Children are 28.5% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 2,283  
Child Poverty Rate: 28.0%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **996**  
(**11.6%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **44**

**799** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**18.6%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **47.5%** of **\$10.84**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Caddo County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.1% of live births 1984-86	-23.5%				6.2% of live births 1998-2000	22
Infant Mortality	8.5/1000 live births 1984-86	-14.1%				9.7/1000 live births 1998-2000	55
Births to Young Teens	53.8/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				25.0%	40.4/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	64
Child Abuse & Neglect	2.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-89.2%				21.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	48
Child Deaths	29.7/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-4.0%				30.9/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	42
High School Dropouts	3.6% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-16.0%				4.2% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	36
Violent Crime Arrests	210.7/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				17.4%	174.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	44

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## Canadian County

County Seat: El Reno

Number of Children (2000): 24,583

Children are 28.0 % of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 2,314

Child Poverty Rate: 9.7%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **606**  
(**2.5%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **26**

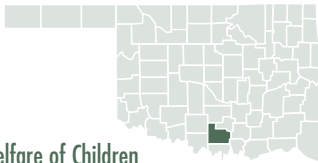
**709** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**34.0%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **31.1%** of **\$16.58**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Canadian County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	4.9% of live births 1984-86	-44.7%				7.1% of live births 1998-2000	46
Infant Mortality	7.8/1000 live births 1984-86	-39.6				10.9/1000 live births 1998-2000	62
Births to Young Teens	29.9/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				31.0%	20.7/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	15
Child Abuse & Neglect	3.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-408.1%				15.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	32
Child Deaths	32.9/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				41.7%	19.2/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	23
High School Dropouts	4.5% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				35.4%	2.9% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	16
Violent Crime Arrests	184.7/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				16.0%	155.2/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	40

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## Carter County

County Seat: Ardmore

Number of Children (2000): 11,950

Children are 26.2% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 2,527

Child Poverty Rate: 21.7%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **646**  
(**5.4%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **26**

**842** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**25.8%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities, (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **46.4%** of **\$11.11**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Carter County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.8% of live births 1984-86	-1.5%				7.0% of live births 1998-2000	42
Infant Mortality	10.0/1000 live births 1984-86				55.2%	4.5/1000 live births 1998-2000	16
Births to Young Teens	51.3/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				30.1%	35.8/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	51
Child Abuse & Neglect	7.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-165.5%				20.4 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	46
Child Deaths	43.1/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				48.9%	22.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	27
High School Dropouts	5.4% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-0.4%				5.4% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	57
Violent Crime Arrests	208.7/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-112.4%				443.3/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	74

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## Cherokee County

County Seat: Tahlequah

Number of Children (2000): 11,164  
Children are 26.3% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 3,048  
Child Poverty Rate: 28.4%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **386**  
(3.5% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **13**

**877** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**25.6%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **45.2%** of **\$11.39**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Cherokee County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	4.6% of live births 1984-86	-54.0%				7.2% of live births 1998-2000	50
Infant Mortality	5.8/1000 live births 1984-86				32.6%	3.9/1000 live births 1998-2000	9
Births to Young Teens	47.6/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				15.4%	40.3/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	63
Child Abuse & Neglect	7.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-237.1%				25.8 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	66
Child Deaths	38.6/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				4.7%	36.8/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	52
High School Dropouts	7.4% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				9.8%	6.7% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	72
Violent Crime Arrests	86.3/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-21.0%				104.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	28

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## Choctaw County

County Seat: Hugo

Number of Children (2000): 3,984  
Children are 26.0% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 1,270  
Child Poverty Rate: 32.5%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **414**  
(10.4% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **33**

**455** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**3.9%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **44.7%** of **\$11.51**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Choctaw County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.6% of live births 1984-86				16.6%	6.4% of live births 1998-2000	28
Infant Mortality	10.2/1000 live births 1984-86				20.5%	8.1/1000 live births 1998-2000	46
Births to Young Teens	77.0/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				49.2%	39.1/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	58
Child Abuse & Neglect	5.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-369.4%				26.0 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	67
Child Deaths	18.4/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-134.9%				43.3/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	61
High School Dropouts	3.9% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-6.4%				4.2% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	34
Violent Crime Arrests	343.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-6.2%				364.8/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	73

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## Cimarron County

County Seat: Boise City

Number of Children (2000): 869  
Children are 27.6% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 190  
Child Poverty Rate: 22.2%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **5**  
(**0.6%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **3**

**21** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**0.0%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **43.2%** of **\$11.92**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Cimarron County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.3% of live births 1984-86				31.6%	4.3% of live births 1998-2000	3
Infant Mortality	12.6/1000 live births 1984-86				14.5%	10.8/1000 live births 1998-2000	61
Births to Young Teens	25.4/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86	-18.2%				30.0/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	31
Child Abuse & Neglect	4.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-134.2%				11.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	10
Child Deaths	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				###	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	tie for 1
High School Dropouts	2.0% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				53.9%	0.9% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	4
Violent Crime Arrests	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				###	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	tie for 1

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## Cleveland County

County Seat: Norman

Number of Children (2000): 50,904  
Children are 24.5% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 5,070  
Child Poverty Rate: 10.2%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **2,015**  
(**4.0%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **40**

**1,478** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**40.7%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **31.2%** of **\$16.49**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Cleveland County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.8% of live births 1984-86	-8.5%				6.3% of live births 1998-2000	25
Infant Mortality	7.8/1000 live births 1984-86				11.9%	6.9/1000 live births 1998-2000	32
Births to Young Teens	25.6/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				33.7%	17.0/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	9
Child Abuse & Neglect	7.8 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-80.2%				14.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	28
Child Deaths	29.5/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				34.0%	19.5/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	24
High School Dropouts	6.8% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				6.7%	6.3% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	69
Violent Crime Arrests	159.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				45.7%	86.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	25

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## Coal County

County Seat: Coalgate

Number of Children (2000): 1,606  
Children are 26.6% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 431  
Child Poverty Rate: 27.9%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **84**  
(**5.2%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **19**

**94** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**19.0%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **47.7%** of **\$10.79**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Coal County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.7% of live births 1984-86				18.8%	6.3% of live births 1998-2000	23
Infant Mortality	24.3/1000 live births 1984-86				48.5%	12.5/1000 live births 1998-2000	69
Births to Young Teens	46.9/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86	-6.1%				49.8/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	73
Child Abuse & Neglect	17.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-63.3%				28.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	69
Child Deaths	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				###	82.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	76
High School Dropouts	3.0% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				45.9%	1.6% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	7
Violent Crime Arrests	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				###	126.3/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	35

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## Comanche County

County Seat: Lawton

Number of Children (2000): 31,937  
Children are 27.8% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 6,372  
Child Poverty Rate: 20.9%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **2,577**  
(**8.1%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **40**

**2,360** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**50.1%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **40.9%** of **\$12.60**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Comanche County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.5% of live births 1984-86	-20.8%				7.9% of live births 1998-2000	65
Infant Mortality	9.9/1000 live births 1984-86				18.2%	8.1/1000 live births 1998-2000	44
Births to Young Teens	56.3/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				29.4%	39.8/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	60
Child Abuse & Neglect	10.6 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-7.7%				11.4 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	11
Child Deaths	25.2/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-29.3%				32.6/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	44
High School Dropouts	5.7% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				19.8%	4.6% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	44
Violent Crime Arrests	428.1/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				36.0%	274.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	67

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## Cotton County

County Seat: Walters

Number of Children (2000): 1,680  
Children are 25.4% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 403  
Child Poverty Rate: 24.4%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **57**  
(3.4% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **14**

**65** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**7.9%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **47.6%** of **\$10.82**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Cotton County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.5% of live births 1984-86	-5.3%				5.8% of live births 1998-2000	16
Infant Mortality	3.9/1000 live births 1984-86	-13.4%				4.5/1000 live births 1998-2000	15
Births to Young Teens	52.2/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				53.2%	24.4/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	21
Child Abuse & Neglect	13.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-46.4%				19.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	44
Child Deaths	23.4/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-117.1%				50.8/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	67
High School Dropouts	6.0% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				33.3%	4.0% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	31
Violent Crime Arrests	42.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-486.7%				248.9/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	63

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## Craig County

County Seat: Vinita

Number of Children (2000): 3,567  
Children are 23.9% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 610  
Child Poverty Rate: 17.3%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **85**  
(2.4% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **14**

**59** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**1.9%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **50.6%** of **\$10.17**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Craig County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	4.0% of live births 1984-86	-86.2%				7.4% of live births 1998-2000	57
Infant Mortality	13.3/1000 live births 1984-86				33.5%	8.9/1000 live births 1998-2000	51
Births to Young Teens	33.6/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				4.9%	31.9/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	34
Child Abuse & Neglect	11.2 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-34.2%				15.0 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	31
Child Deaths	24.2/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-6.4%				25.7/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	32
High School Dropouts	3.1% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-32.4%				4.2% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	35
Violent Crime Arrests	84.6/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-83.9%				155.6/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	41

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## Creek County

County Seat: Sapulpa

Number of Children (2000): 18,432  
Children are 27.4% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 3,093  
Child Poverty Rate: 17.2%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **330**  
(**1.8%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **11**

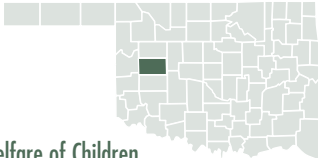
**885** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**20.9%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **35.7%** of **\$14.43**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Creek County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.0% of live births 1984-86	-46.1%				8.7% of live births 1998-2000	74
Infant Mortality	10.5/1000 live births 1984-86				21.3%	8.2/1000 live births 1998-2000	47
Births to Young Teens	38.6/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				11.7%	34.1/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	42
Child Abuse & Neglect	5.6 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-75.2%				9.9 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	7
Child Deaths	53.8/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				37.3%	33.7/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	49
High School Dropouts	5.0% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				25.1%	3.7% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	27
Violent Crime Arrests	104.6/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-34.2%				140.3/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	36

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## Custer County

County Seat: Arapaho

Number of Children (2000): 6,352  
Children are 24.3% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 1,302  
Child Poverty Rate: 21.0%

### The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **294**  
(**4.6%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **23**

**380** fewer children in this county received TANF each month during FY2001 than received AFDC before 1996 welfare reform

**28.8%** of children on DHS child care subsidies received child care in 2- or 3-Star facilities (April 2002)

Income from a minimum wage job (\$5.15 per hour) provides **47.1%** of **\$10.94**, the hourly wage a single parent with one preschool and one school age child would need to earn in a full-time job in order to be self-sufficient in **Custer County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.3% of live births 1984-86	-4.9%				6.6% of live births 1998-2000	35
Infant Mortality	13.5/1000 live births 1984-86				49.6%	6.8/1000 live births 1998-2000	30
Births to Young Teens	59.2/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				36.6%	37.5/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	56
Child Abuse & Neglect	8.2 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-45.3%				12.0 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	16
Child Deaths	74.2/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				46.3%	39.8/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	57
High School Dropouts	4.5% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-9.0%				4.9% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	48
Violent Crime Arrests	188.6/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				3.4%	182.1/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	53

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