



Delaware County

County Seat: Jay

Number of Children (2000): 9,070
Children are 24.5% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 2,399
Child Poverty Rate: 27.4%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **390**
(4.3% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **16**

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

13.3% 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 **Delaware County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.6% of live births 1984-86	-41.8%				7.9% of live births 1998-2000	66
Infant Mortality	8.7/1000 live births 1984-86				18.6%	7.1/1000 live births 1998-2000	34
Births to Young Teens	45.8/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				35.9%	29.4/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	29
Child Abuse & Neglect	5.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-318.8%				22.2 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	53
Child Deaths	39.2/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				60.9%	15.3/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	18
High School Dropouts	6.9% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				7.2%	6.4% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	70
Violent Crime Arrests	62.2/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				9.7%	56.2/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	13

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Dewey County

County Seat: Taloga

Number of Children (2000): 1,106
Children are 23.3% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 188
Child Poverty Rate: 17.6%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **13**
(1.2% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **7**

43 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 **Dewey County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	3.6% of live births 1984-86	-32.5%				4.8% of live births 1998-2000	6
Infant Mortality	8.1/1000 live births 1984-86	-70.3%				13.8/1000 live births 1998-2000	71
Births to Young Teens	27.9/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				62.1%	10.6/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	3
Child Abuse & Neglect	7.9 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-15.5%				9.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	4
Child Deaths	85.7/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-27.6%				109.3/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	77
High School Dropouts	0.6% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				66.9%	0.2% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	1
Violent Crime Arrests	143.7/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				26.8%	105.2/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	29

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Ellis County

County Seat: Arnett

Number of Children (2000): 887
Children are 21.8% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 173
Child Poverty Rate: 19.5%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **12**
(**1.4%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **7**

25 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 **42.9%** of **\$12.00**, 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 **Ellis County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.4% of live births 1984-86				10.4%	4.8% of live births 1998-2000	5
Infant Mortality	0.0/1000 live births 1984-86				###	8.0/1000 live births 1998-2000	42
Births to Young Teens	19.9/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				32.5%	13.5/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	4
Child Abuse & Neglect	8.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-24.1%				10.0 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	8
Child Deaths	64.6/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				100.0%	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	tie for 1
High School Dropouts	1.2% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-130.0%				2.8% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	14
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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Garfield County

County Seat: Enid

Number of Children (2000): 14,480
Children are 25.0% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 2,763
Child Poverty Rate: 19.7%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **432**
(**3.0%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **16**

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

54.2% 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 **40.5%** of **\$12.72**, 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 **Garfield County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.8% of live births 1984-86	-15.1%				6.7% of live births 1998-2000	36
Infant Mortality	10.2/1000 live births 1984-86	-7.5%				11.0/1000 live births 1998-2000	63
Births to Young Teens	39.5/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				16.8%	32.9/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	36
Child Abuse & Neglect	15.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-46.3%				22.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	52
Child Deaths	58.8/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				34.4%	38.6/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	54
High School Dropouts	5.0% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				10.5%	4.5% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	41
Violent Crime Arrests	192.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				64.4%	68.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	17

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Garvin County

County Seat: Pauls Valley

Number of Children (2000): 6,758
Children are 24.8% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 1,223
Child Poverty Rate: 18.6%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **527**
(**7.8%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **43**

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

8.3% 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 **46.2%** of **\$11.14**, 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 **Garvin County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	8.7% of live births 1984-86				13.2%	7.5% of live births 1998-2000	59
Infant Mortality	8.6/1000 live births 1984-86	-16.1%				10.0/1000 live births 1998-2000	56
Births to Young Teens	52.7/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				48.2%	27.3/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	27
Child Abuse & Neglect	21.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-69.6%				35.8 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	75
Child Deaths	24.5/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				46.9%	13.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	15
High School Dropouts	4.2% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				10.8%	3.8% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	28
Violent Crime Arrests	210.1/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-29.5				272.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	66

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Grady County

County Seat: Chickasha

Number of Children (2000): 12,138
Children are 26.7% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 1,992
Child Poverty Rate: 16.9%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **645**
(**5.3%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **32**

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

7.0% 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 **36.1%** of **\$14.28**, 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 **Grady County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.4% of live births 1984-86				10.7%	5.8% of live births 1998-2000	14
Infant Mortality	12.3/1000 live births 1984-86				49.0%	6.3/1000 live births 1998-2000	27
Births to Young Teens	40.6/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				36.0%	26.0/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	24
Child Abuse & Neglect	14.8 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86				15.4%	12.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	18
Child Deaths	47.4/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				19.6%	38.1/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	53
High School Dropouts	5.3% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				2.7%	5.1% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	53
Violent Crime Arrests	147.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-23.4%				181.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	51

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Grant County

County Seat: Medford

Number of Children (2000): 1,295
Children are 25.2% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 252
Child Poverty Rate: 19.6%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **13**
(**1.0%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **5**

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

4.3% 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 **42.9%** of **\$12.00**, 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 **Grant County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.6% of live births 1984-86				11.1%	4.9% of live births 1998-2000	7
Infant Mortality	0.0/1000 live births 1984-86				###	12.3/1000 live births 1998-2000	68
Births to Young Teens	25.9/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				42.5%	14.9/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	7
Child Abuse & Neglect	11.0 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86				15.2%	9.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	5
Child Deaths	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				###	33.7/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	48
High School Dropouts	1.2% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-10.4%				1.4% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	6
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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Greer County

County Seat: Mangum

Number of Children (2000): 1,212
Children are 20.0% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 322
Child Poverty Rate: 28.4%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **122**
(**10.1%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **38**

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

80.5% 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 **Greer County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.1% of live births 1984-86	-22.6%				8.7% of live births 1998-2000	73
Infant Mortality	14.2/1000 live births 1984-86				100.0%	0.0/1000 live births 1998-2000	tie for 1
Births to Young Teens	69.4/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				33.8%	45.9/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	71
Child Abuse & Neglect	13.2 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-61.0%				21.2 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	47
Child Deaths	30.8/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				100.0%	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	tie for 1
High School Dropouts	5.3% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				5.7%	5.0% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	50
Violent Crime Arrests	54.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-285.9%				210.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	60

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Harmon County

County Seat: Hollis

Number of Children (2000): 850
Children are 25.9% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 307
Child Poverty Rate: 38.2%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **87**
(**10.2%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **28**

129 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 **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 **Harmon County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	9.8% of live births 1984-86				72.6%	2.7% of live births 1998-2000	1
Infant Mortality	11.5/1000 live births 1984-86				100.0%	0.0/1000 live births 1998-2000	tie for 1
Births to Young Teens	96.1/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				42.7%	55.1/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	75
Child Abuse & Neglect	3.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-394.9%				17.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	36
Child Deaths	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				###	47.7/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	65
High School Dropouts	3.1% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-62.1%				5.0% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	51
Violent Crime Arrests	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				###	142.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	38

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Harper County

County Seat: Buffalo

Number of Children (2000): 831
Children are 23.3% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 130
Child Poverty Rate: 15.9%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **11**
(**1.3%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **8**

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

54.5% 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 **42.9%** of **\$12.00**, 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 **Harper County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	2.6% of live births 1984-86	-92.9%				5.0% of live births 1998-2000	8
Infant Mortality	6.5/1000 live births 1984-86				100.0%	0.0/1000 live births 1998-2000	tie for 1
Births to Young Teens	29.3/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				73.1%	7.9/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	1
Child Abuse & Neglect	2.4 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-237.0%				8.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	2
Child Deaths	39.3/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-32.3%				52.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	68
High School Dropouts	1.0% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-100.3%				2.0% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	9
Violent Crime Arrests	134.9/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				100.0%	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	tie for 1

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Haskell County

County Seat: Stigler

Number of Children (2000): 3,066
Children are 26.0% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 751
Child Poverty Rate: 25.1%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **212**
(**6.9%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **28**

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

45.4% 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 **\$11.52**, 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 **Haskell County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.9% of live births 1984-86	-25.1%				7.4% of live births 1998-2000	56
Infant Mortality	13.7/1000 live births 1984-86				15.3%	11.6/1000 live births 1998-2000	tie for 66
Births to Young Teens	46.7/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				8.4%	42.8/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	67
Child Abuse & Neglect	1.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-858.8%				14.0 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	25
Child Deaths	87.8/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				32.3%	59.4/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	71
High School Dropouts	4.6% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-30.2%				6.0% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	63
Violent Crime Arrests	0.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				###	46.3/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	11

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Hughes County

County Seat: Holdenville

Number of Children (2000): 3,280
Children are 23.2% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 870
Child Poverty Rate: 27.4%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **194**
(**5.9%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **22**

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

7.8% 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 **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 **Hughes County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	4.5% of live births 1984-86	-51.3%				6.8% of live births 1998-2000	38
Infant Mortality	9.7/1000 live births 1984-86	-59.1%				15.4/1000 live births 1998-2000	75
Births to Young Teens	39.2/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				5.6%	37.0/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	55
Child Abuse & Neglect	11.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86				5.3%	10.9 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	9
Child Deaths	88.2/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				100.0%	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	tie for 1
High School Dropouts	5.1% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	-47.4%				7.6% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	76
Violent Crime Arrests	168.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-8.8%				183.3/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	54

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Jackson County

County Seat: Altus

Number of Children (2000): 8,308
Children are 29.2% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 1,694
Child Poverty Rate: 20.7%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **340**
(4.1% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **20**

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

33.0% 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 **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 **Jackson County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.0% of live births 1984-86	-5.8%				7.4% of live births 1998-2000	55
Infant Mortality	6.0/1000 live births 1984-86				21.3%	4.7/1000 live births 1998-2000	17
Births to Young Teens	51.4/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				32.6%	34.7/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	44
Child Abuse & Neglect	9.8 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-90.2%				18.6 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	41
Child Deaths	24.0/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				79.0%	5.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	10
High School Dropouts	2.7% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				11.6%	2.4% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	11
Violent Crime Arrests	337.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				46.9%	179.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	49

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Jefferson County

County Seat: Waurika

Number of Children (2000): 1,633
Children are 24.0% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 370
Child Poverty Rate: 23.3%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **92**
(5.6% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **25**

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

81.8% 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 **49.7%** of **\$10.36**, 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 **Jefferson County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.0% of live births 1984-86	-4.8%				6.3% of live births 1998-2000	26
Infant Mortality	3.8/1000 live births 1984-86	-259.5%				13.5/1000 live births 1998-2000	70
Births to Young Teens	38.5/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				43.4%	21.8/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	16
Child Abuse & Neglect	1.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-1197.4%				21.6 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	49
Child Deaths	21.8/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-149.8%				54.5/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	70
High School Dropouts	4.4% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				16.2%	3.7% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	25
Violent Crime Arrests	200.3/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				16.9%	166.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	42

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Johnston County

County Seat: Tishomingo

Number of Children (2000): 2,681
Children are 25.5% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 736
Child Poverty Rate: 28.0%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **190**
(**7.1%** of all children)

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

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

51.6% 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 **48.7%** of **\$10.57**, 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 **Johnston County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.6% of live births 1984-86				1.1%	7.5% of live births 1998-2000	58
Infant Mortality	12.7/1000 live births 1984-86				36.5%	8.1/1000 live births 1998-2000	43
Births to Young Teens	49.5/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				29.9%	34.7/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	45
Child Abuse & Neglect	3.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-601.0%				23.4 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	57
Child Deaths	15.5/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				100.0%	0.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	tie for 1
High School Dropouts	3.4% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				2.6%	3.3% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	22
Violent Crime Arrests	153.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-14.3%				175.4/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	46

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Kay County

County Seat: Newkirk

Number of Children (2000): 12,692
Children are 26.4% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 2,811
Child Poverty Rate: 22.7%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **349**
(**2.7%** of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **12**

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

36.6% 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 **40.9%** of **\$12.58**, 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 **Kay County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.2% of live births 1984-86	-18.1%				7.3% of live births 1998-2000	54
Infant Mortality	12.0/1000 live births 1984-86				41.9%	7.0/1000 live births 1998-2000	33
Births to Young Teens	33.6/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86	-5.0%				35.3/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	49
Child Abuse & Neglect	5.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-329.0%				24.4 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	60
Child Deaths	36.5/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	-15.2%				42.0/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	59
High School Dropouts	7.0% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				6.6%	6.5% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	71
Violent Crime Arrests	357.2/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-29.3%				461.8/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	76

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Kingfisher County

County Seat: Kingfisher

Number of Children (2000): 3,793
Children are 27.2% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 536
Child Poverty Rate: 14.3%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **56**
(1.5% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **10**

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

12.5% 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 **42.8%** of **\$12.02**, 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 **Kingfisher County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	3.8% of live births 1984-86	-64.7%				6.3% of live births 1998-2000	27
Infant Mortality	8.4/1000 live births 1984-86				57.0%	3.6/1000 live births 1998-2000	8
Births to Young Teens	38.9/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				31.5%	26.6/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	26
Child Abuse & Neglect	11.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86				29.0%	8.3 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	3
Child Deaths	75.9/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				39.1%	46.2/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	63
High School Dropouts	3.2% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				4.7%	3.0% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	17
Violent Crime Arrests	158.5/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				77.3%	36.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	10

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Kiowa County

County Seat: Hobart

Number of Children (2000): 2,472
Children are 24.2% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 551
Child Poverty Rate: 23.3%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **201**
(8.1% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **36**

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

34.3% 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 **47.2%** of **\$10.90**, 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 **Kiowa County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.8% of live births 1984-86	-3.2%				8.0% of live births 1998-2000	69
Infant Mortality	9.3/1000 live births 1984-86	-116.7%				20.1/1000 live births 1998-2000	77
Births to Young Teens	44.1/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				18.2%	36.1/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	53
Child Abuse & Neglect	12.0 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-96.8%				23.7 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	58
Child Deaths	69.7/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				76.2%	16.6/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	21
High School Dropouts	5.9% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				44.3%	3.3% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	20
Violent Crime Arrests	1818.6/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92				95.8%	76.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	21

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Latimer County

County Seat: Wilburton

Number of Children (2000): 2,752
Children are 25.7% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 821
Child Poverty Rate: 30.7%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **170**
(6.2% of all children)

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

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

60.6% 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 **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 **Latimer County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	6.4% of live births 1984-86	-27.4%				8.2% of live births 1998-2000	70
Infant Mortality	5.6/1000 live births 1984-86				8.4%	5.1/1000 live births 1998-2000	20
Births to Young Teens	37.1/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86				8.6%	33.9/1000 girls 15-17 1998-2000	41
Child Abuse & Neglect	2.9 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	-520.8%				17.9 confirmed/1000 children FY 1998-2000	38
Child Deaths	31.0/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86				48.9%	15.8/100,000 children 1-14 1998-2000	19
High School Dropouts	1.7% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97				21.9%	1.3% of grades 9-12 SY 97/98-99/00	5
Violent Crime Arrests	178.3/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	-154.8%				454.2/100,000 youth 10-17 1998-2000	75

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Le Flore County

County Seat: Poteau

Number of Children (2000): 12,577
Children are 26.1% of the county population

Number of Poor Children (2000): 2,948
Child Poverty Rate: 24.1%

The Welfare of Children

Children on TANF (FY2001): **889**
(7.1% of all children)

Children on TANF per 100 poor children (FY2001): **30**

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

28.9% 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 **44.9%** 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 **Le Flore County**

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	7.0% of live births 1984-86				0.1%	7.0% of live births 1998-2000	44
Infant Mortality	10.6/1000 live births 1984-86					7.7/1000 live births 1998-2000	39
Births to Young Teens						49.7/1000 girls 15-17 1984-86	
Child Abuse & Neglect						16.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1984-86	
Child Deaths						25.2/100,000 children 1-14 1984-86	
High School Dropouts						3.9% of grades 9-12 SY 94/95-96/97	
Violent Crime Arrests						88.2/100,000 youth 10-17 1990-92	

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