

Number of Children (1997): 4,316

Children are 26.6% of the county population

Economic Cluster #4: Poorer



Number of Children (1997): 13,821

Children are 21.5% of the county population

Economic Cluster #1: Wealthiest

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.9% of live births 1983-87	-1.7%				6.0% of live births 1992-96	24
Infant Mortality	8.9/1000 live births 1983-87	-2.9%				9.2/1000 live births 1992-96	52
Births to Young Teens	44.3/1000 girls 15-17 1981-83				27.6%	32.1/1000 girls 15-17 1994-96	27
Child Abuse & Neglect	16.4 confirmed/1000 children FY 1985				0.0%	16.5 confirmed/1000 children FY 1997	41
Child Deaths	56.9/100,000 children 1-14 1978-83				35.3%	36.8/100,000 children 1-14 1992-96	65
Child Poverty	15.8% of all children 1980	-42.7%				22.5% of all children 1993 (revised)	26
High School Dropouts	7.6% of grades 9-12 1994-1995 School Year	-17.7%				9.0% of grades 9-12 1996-1997 School Year	77
Juvenile Arrests	48.6/100,000 youth 10-17 1980	-279.2%				184.3/100,000 youth 10-17 1997	52

Change of more than 110% — positive or negative — are graphed with broken bar state change = county change ### = zero base - cannot calculate change County Rank (1 = best) (77 = worst)

Payne County County Seat: Stillwater

Indicator	Base Data	-	Worsened	Improved	+	Recent Data	Rank
Low Birthweight	5.6% of live births 1983-87				16.2%	4.7% of live births 1992-96	5
Infant Mortality	7.9/1000 live births 1983-87				8.2%	7.3/1000 live births 1992-96	31
Births to Young Teens	28.3/1000 girls 15-17 1981-83				2.2%	27.6/1000 girls 15-17 1994-96	17
Child Abuse & Neglect	16.1 confirmed/1000 children FY 1985	-20.2%				19.4 confirmed/1000 children FY 1997	52
Child Deaths	30.5/100,000 children 1-14 1978-83				45.0%	16.8/100,000 children 1-14 1992-96	10
Child Poverty	12.9% of all children 1980	-63.0%				21.1% of all children 1993 (revised)	tie for 20
High School Dropouts	2.0% of grades 9-12 1994-1995 School Year	-74.4%				3.4% of grades 9-12 1996-1997 School Year	22
Juvenile Arrests	56.1/100,000 youth 10-17 1980	-326.1%				239.0/100,000 youth 10-17 1997	59

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