

# Marion County



## Demographics

	County		Indiana	
White	99,694	42.4%	1,138,465	72.6%
Black	82,991	35.3%	206,208	13.1%
Hispanic	42,020	17.9%	176,634	11.3%
Asian	9,993	4.2%	42,952	2.7%
American Indian	513	0.2%	3,871	0.2%
Total Population	235,211		1,568,130	



## Family and Community

	2015	2018	IN	Ranking
Children in Need of Services (CHINS) Rate per 1,000 Children, Under Age 18	26.0	26.9	21.8	38
Child Abuse and Neglect Rate per 1,000 Children, Under Age 18	26.4	19.5	17.2	51
Juveniles Committed to the Department of Correction	72	68	483	1
Single Parent Families	25.3%	46.1%	34.2%	1



## Economic Well-Being

	2015	2018	IN	Ranking
Children in Poverty, Ages 0-17	31.0%	24.5%	18.0%	8
Students Receiving Free Price Lunch	61.5%	56.0%	40.5%	1
Students Receiving Reduced Price Lunch	7.0%	8.3%	7.5%	49
Food Insecure Children (2014 and 2017)	22.2%	19.0%	17.4%	18
Monthly Average Number of Persons Issued Food Stamps	192,760	136,625	605,854	1
Annual Average Unemployment Rate	10.1%	3.5%	3.5%	39
Median Household Income	\$41,407	\$48,409	\$55,725	76
Students Experiencing Homelessness*	6,376	4,526	18,811	1



## Health

	2015	2018	IN	Ranking
Ratio of Population to One Mental Health Provider	468	380	670	87
Low Birthweight Babies	9.2%	9.3%	8.1%	11
Babies Born Prematurely	11.1%	11.2%	10.2%	21
Mothers Who Received First Trimester Prenatal Care	66.9%	61.1%	68.1%	82
Mothers Who Reported Smoking During Pregnancy	10.9%	9.2%	11.5%	78
Deaths, Ages 1-19	89	101	531	1
Infants Deaths, Under Age 1	116	112	559	1
Deaths from Drug Poisoning Involving Any Opioid	92	269	1098	1
Teen Birth Rate per 1,000 Females, Ages 15-17	16.9	12.3	8.2	16

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## Education

### Early Childhood

	2015	2018	IN	Ranking
Children Served by First Steps	3,638	3,661	22,263	1
Licensed Child Care Centers	136	146	730	1
Licensed Child Care Homes	464	448	2,592	1
CCDF Voucher Monthly Average Waitlist	2,520	1333	4,606	1
High-Quality Early Childhood Care and Education Programs, Paths to QUALITY™ Levels 3 and 4	140	276	1,622	1

### Grades K-12

	2016	2019	IN	Ranking
Students Receiving Out-of-School Suspension	6.9%	8.4%	5.9%	7
IREAD-3, Students in 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Passing	75.6%	79.6%	87.3%	91
English/Language Arts ISTEP+/ILEARN, Students in Grades 3-8 Passing	55.5%	38.5%	47.9%	89
Math ISTEP+/ILEARN Students in Grades 3-8 Passing	48.0%	37.8%	47.8%	87
High School Graduation Rate, Four-Year Cohort	87.5%	75.2%	87.3%	85
Grades K-12 School Enrollment	146,704	182,356	1,112,644	1
English Learner Students	11.9%	13.8%	5.8%	4
Special Education Students	13.1%	14.4%	14.9%	78

### College and Career

	2014	2017	IN	Ranking
High School Graduates Enrolling in College	63.5%	58.8%	63.0%	57
Free and Reduced Price Lunch High School Graduates Enrolling in College	54.3%	50.6%	50.1%	35
21 <sup>st</sup> Century Scholar High School Graduates Enrolling in College	80.6%	84.4%	86.5%	59
College Students Needing Remediation	26.0%	16.8%	11.5%	17

#### HOW TO READ THIS DASHBOARD

The County Snapshot is a comprehensive collection of indicators on the well-being of Hoosier youth. Leaders, policymakers, and community members are encouraged to use the data, engage in advocacy, and inform policies, practices, and decision-making.

**Change over time:** Indicators can be compared over a four-year time span.

**State Comparison:** Indicators can be compared to Indiana, for the most recent year.

**Ranking:** All rankings are out of 92 as data values may repeat. One equals greater number of youth affected.

**Discussion Questions:** What is significant? What patterns exist? What questions does the data raise? What additional data should be explored? How might the data be used to inform work and improve youth outcomes?

#### SOURCES

**Child Population:** Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

**Family and Community:** Indiana Department of Child Services, Indiana State Department of Health, Indiana Department of Correction, U.S. Census Bureau; American Community Survey

**Economic Well-Being:** U.S. Census Bureau; Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, Indiana Department of Education, Feeding America, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration, Indiana Department of Workforce Development

#### RESOURCES

IYI exists to improve the lives of all Indiana children by strengthening and connecting the people, organizations, and communities that are focused on children and youth.

**2020 Indiana KIDS COUNT® Data Book:** Developed with you in mind the 2020 Indiana KIDS COUNT® Data Book provides an in-depth profile on child well-being. Download your copy at [www.iyi.org](http://www.iyi.org).

**KIDS COUNT® Data Center:** Access up-to-date critical data and be equipped with the information you need to create measurable change. Visit [www.iyi.org](http://www.iyi.org).

**Data Requests:** Curious about a youth issue? Submit a custom data request by contacting us at [data@iyi.org](mailto:data@iyi.org).

**Health:** County Health Rankings, Indiana State Department of Health  
**Education:** Indiana Commission for Higher Education, Indiana Department of Education, Indiana Early Learning Advisory Committee, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration \*The homeless data from IDOE differs significantly from prior reported data. We are continuing to research the source of these variations and encourage all invested parties to ask clarifying questions at the local and state levels.

