

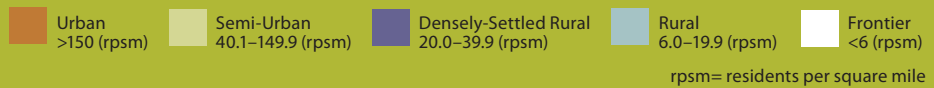
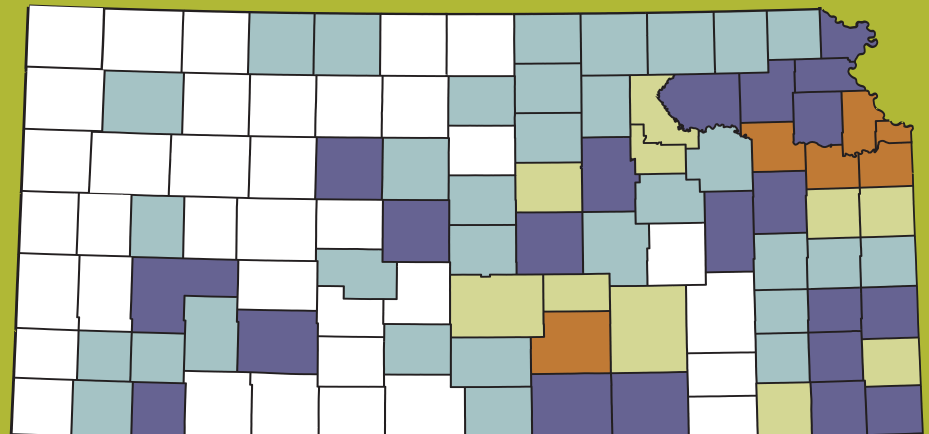


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For more than 30 years, Kansas Action for Children has worked to shape health, education and economic policy that puts children first. Our goal is to make Kansas the best place to live, work and raise a family.

COUNTY PEER GROUPS



CURRENT RATE

TREND RATE

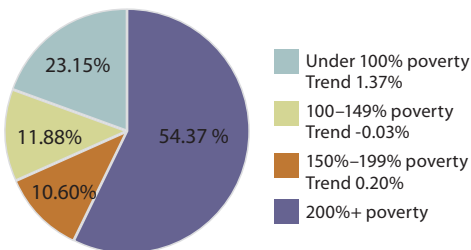
DEMOGRAPHICS

	KANSAS	URBAN	SEMI-URBAN	DENSELY-SETTLED RURAL	RURAL	FRONTIER	KANSAS
Median Household Income	\$48,844	\$55,711	\$45,373	\$44,335	\$45,242	\$42,047	\$72.00
Total Population of County (all ages)	2,885,905	1,592,525	466,964	477,584	236,318	112,514	22,003.30
Population of County (under 18)	25.10%	25.64%	23.98%	25.70%	23.67%	22.55%	0.04%
White	68.07%	63.09%	76.20%	67.63%	83.48%	79.87%	-1.25%
Hispanic	17.20%	17.72%	11.33%	24.05%	11.04%	15.22%	0.86%
African-American	6.55%	9.41%	4.74%	2.30%	1.26%	0.94%	-0.17%
Two or more races	4.81%	5.44%	5.28%	3.74%	2.69%	2.66%	0.46%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0.84%	0.70%	0.94%	1.09%	1.09%	0.84%	-0.03%
Asian, Native Hawaiian & other Pacific Islander	2.53%	3.63%	1.51%	1.19%	0.44%	0.47%	0.08%

STATE-LEVEL DATA

POVERTY

Poverty status of Kansas children under 19.

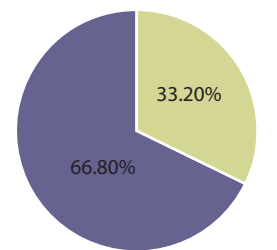


The difference between state-level poverty rates depicted in the pie graph and county-level rates indicated above is due to the data year. To compare the county's poverty rate with that of its peer counties, use the poverty row in the Economic Indicators section on the next page. If only referencing state's poverty rates, use the more recent state-level data available in this pie graph.

Current Rate 2012 | Trend 2008–2012

HOME OWNERSHIP

Home ownership among Kansas families with children under 18.



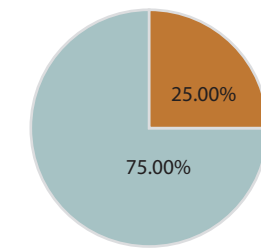
Percent of households with children under 18 who do not own their home

Percent of households with children under 18 who own their home

Current Rate 2012 | Trend -1.03%, 2008–2012
Data only includes counties with ≥ 65,000 residents

PARENTS' EMPLOYMENT

Employment status of Kansas parents with children under 18.



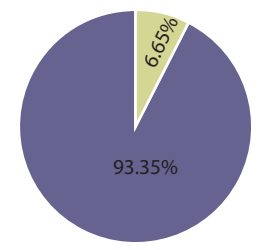
Percent of children with at least one parent working 35+ hours a week for 50 weeks in previous year

Percent of children with no parent working 35+ hours a week for 50 weeks in previous year

Current Rate 2011 | Trend 1.10%, 2008–2011

UNINSURED CHILDREN

Health insurance status of Kansas children under 18.



Percent of children with insurance

Percent of children without insurance

Current Rate 2012 | Trend -0.50%, 2012

CURRENT RATE

Rate per 100, unless otherwise noted, for the most recent year data is available

TREND RATE

HEALTH INDICATORS

	KANSAS	URBAN	SEMI-URBAN	DENSELY-SETTLED RURAL	RURAL	FRONTIER	KANSAS
IMMUNIZATIONS Percent of kindergarteners fully immunized of the 4:3:1:3:3 series by age 2. Current data from 2012.	72.00%	68.47%	69.46%	73.62%	77.95%	80.39%	3.70%
PRENATAL CARE Percent of live births to mothers who received adequate or adequate-plus prenatal care. Current data from 2012.	81.89%	84.24%	81.05%	76.33%	80.99%	75.77%	1.15%
LOW BIRTH WEIGHT BABIES Percent of live births weighing under 5.5 lbs. Current data from 2012.	7.17%	7.63%	6.62%	6.36%	6.90%	6.69%	-0.02%
INFANT MORTALITY Number of deaths under age 1, per 1,000 live births. Current data from 2012.	6.07	5.64	5.58	6.94	6.82	10.05	-0.31
TEEN VIOLENT DEATHS Number per 100,000 of 15- to 19-year olds who died due to suicide, homicide or motor vehicle accident. Current data from 2011.	29.83	25.79	22.44	38.67	48.24	40.07	-3.22
YOUTH TOBACCO USE Percent of 6th, 8th, 10th and 12th graders who reported using cigarettes or smokeless tobacco in the last 30 days. Current data from 2012–13 school year.	9.00%	7.81%	10.30%	10.39%	11.02%	11.59%	-0.92%
YOUTH BINGE DRINKING Percent of 6th, 8th, 10th and 12th graders who reported having 5+ consecutive drinks on at least one occasion in the past two weeks. Current data from 2012–2013 school year.	10.61%	10.01%	11.06%	11.61%	11.25%	11.89%	-0.98%
UNINSURED CHILDREN Percent of children under age 19 with no health insurance coverage. Current data from 2011.	6.70%	6.10%	6.40%	7.40%	8.10%	10.70%	-0.30%
MENTAL HEALTH Number per 1,000 children under age 18 hospitalized for mental health. Current data from 2012.	2.65	2.91	2.75	2.33	2.03	0.87	-0.19
MEDICAID ENROLLMENT (Not depicted as a rate) Average monthly enrollment of children under 19 in Medicaid. Current data from 2012.	221,444	122,440	33,113	43,074	15,608	7,209	15,420
CHIP ENROLLMENT (Not depicted as a rate) Average monthly enrollment of children under 19 in the Children's Health Insurance Program. Current data from 2012.	48,603	24,125	7,162	10,160	4,815	2,340	2,294

EDUCATION INDICATORS

	KANSAS	URBAN	SEMI-URBAN	DENSELY-SETTLED RURAL	RURAL	FRONTIER	KANSAS
EARLY HEAD START Number of Early Head Start slots, including all federally funded and most state-funded slots, available per 100 children (0-3 years of age) below 100% of poverty. Current data from 2012.	6.32	4.51	7.34	9.69	9.39	5.32	-0.03
HEAD START Number of Head Start slots available per 100 children (3–4 years of age) below 100% of poverty. Current data from 2012.	43.09	31.77	55.77	57.90	57.87	49.56	-4.89
PRE-KINDERGARTEN Percent of elementary schools that offer Pre-Kindergarten or Four-Year-Old At-Risk program. Current data from 2012–13 school year.	49.55%	48.99%	37.09%	44.87%	63.78%	68.63%	1.62%
FULL-DAY KINDERGARTEN Percent of elementary schools that offer full-day and every day kindergarten. Current data from 2012–13 school year.	85.93%	92.28%	84.11%	78.21%	81.75%	88.24%	1.62%
READING PROFICIENCY Percent of 5th graders meeting standards, exceeding standards or scoring exemplary on reading assessments. Current data from 2011–12 school year.	87.09%	86.22%	89.63%	86.23%	89.48%	88.20%	0.82%
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION Percent of 9th grade public school students enrolled in the 2007–2008 school year who graduated in 2012. Current data from 2011–12 school year.	84.92%	83.94%	84.01%	87.58%	88.72%	82.25%	-1.56%
CHILD CARE SUBSIDIES (Not depicted as a rate) Average monthly number of children participating in the Kansas Child Care Assistance program. Current data from 2012.	17,684	11,693	2,516	2,354	820	301	-828

ECONOMIC INDICATORS

	KANSAS	URBAN	SEMI-URBAN	DENSELY-SETTLED RURAL	RURAL	FRONTIER	KANSAS
POVERTY Percent of children under 18 years of age living below 100% poverty. Current data from 2011.	18.79%	17.94%	19.68%	21.08%	17.89%	19.43%	1.17%
FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH Percent of public school children participating in the free and reduced price lunch program. Current data from 2012–13 school year.	49.51%	46.44%	49.29%	58.97%	49.98%	49.33%	1.66%
MATERNAL EDUCATION Percent of live births to mothers without a high school diploma. Current data from 2011.	15.63%	14.71%	12.60%	21.81%	15.42%	15.54%	-0.67%
SNAP BENEFITS (Not depicted as a rate) Average monthly enrollment of children in the Kansas Food Assistance Program. Current data from 2012.	137,120	78,718	21,251	25,348	8,280	3,522	13,562
TANF BENEFITS (Not depicted as a rate) Average monthly enrollment of children in the Kansas Temporary Assistance for Families Program. Current data from 2012.	21,574	13,582	2,725	3,724	1,042	502	265