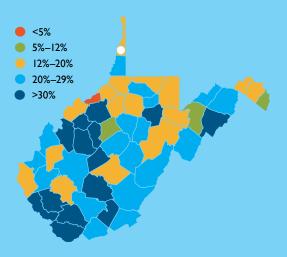
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# PERCENTAGE OF KIDS UNDER THE POVERTY LINE



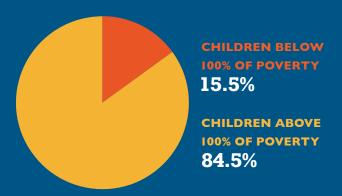
Percentage of children in each county that live in households with an income less than 100 percent of the Federal Poverty Level, which is \$23,030 annually for a family of three. *Current data from 2022* 

DEMOGRAPHICS Current data from 2023	OHIO COUNTY	WEST VIRGINIA
Total Population of County (all ages)	41,447	1,775,156
Population of County (under 18)	8,202	351,543
White	87.2%	91.3%
Black	5.2%	4.2%
Hispanic	2.5%	3.4%
Other	0.3%	1.0%

### **COUNTY LEVEL DATA OHIO COUNTY**

#### **POVERTY**

Percent of children in Ohio County living in poverty. *Current data from 2022* 



#### UNINSURED KIDS

Current data from 2022



of kids under 6 in Ohio County do not have health insurance.

#### **FOOD INSECURITY**

Current data from 2022



kids under 18 in Ohio County do not have enough to eat.

#### **MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME**

Current data from 2022



#### **OHIO COUNTY**

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## **EDUCATION**

Public School Enrollment Total headcount enrollment, 2023-24	4,903	245,047
Fourth Grade Reading Proficiency Percentage of fourth graders proficient in reading, 2023-24	63.4%	46.6%
Eighth Grade Math Proficiency Percentage of eighth graders proficient in math, 2023-24	42.9%	28.7%
Graduation Rate 2023 four year cohort	95.5%	92.6%
Students With Special Needs Percentage of students with a disability, 2023-24	17.8%	19.7%



#### **HEALTH**

Children Under Age Six Without Health Insurance As a percentage, 2022	0.3%	2.6%
Children Insured Through Medicaid Percentage of children insured by Medicaid, 2022	42.6%	47.4%
Live Births 2021	374	17,189
Pre-Term Births Percentage of live births born before 37 weeks of pregnancy, 2021	13.4%	12.8%



## **ECONOMIC**

Children Participating in SNAP Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, 2023	2,249	99,912
Households With Children Who Receive TANF Temporary Assistance for Needy Families, 2023	89	8,654
Children Under Age Six With All Available Parents in Workforce 2022	1,656	62,000



# **FAMILY & COMMUNITY -**

Children Receiving Child Care Assistance Average number of children receiving child care assistance monthly, 2023	223	11,991
Child Care Gap Additional child care slots needed for children under six with working parents	696	24,855
Rate of Children With Juvenile Criminal System Involvement Rate per 1,000, 2022	5.49	5.78
Children in Child Welfare System Children in state custody, 2024	172	5,967

