Keeping a focus on where counties can make life better for our children & families

### Economic Well-Being
- **Children in poverty**
  - Baseline Year: 2013, %: 46.5
  - Current Year: 2018, %: 34.5
  - Number: 2,311
- **Unemployment rate**
  - Baseline Year: 2014, %: 7.2
  - Current Year: 2019, %: 3.5
  - Number: 499
- **High housing cost burden (>30% income spent)**
  - Baseline Year: 2009-2013, %: 31.0
  - Current Year: 2014-2018, %: 31.2
  - Number: 3,739
- **Teens not in school and not working**
  - Baseline Year: 2009-2013, %: 23.1
  - Number: 265

### Education Well-Being
- **3 & 4 year old children not enrolled in school**
  - Baseline Year: 2009-2013, %: 55.0
  - Current Year: 2014-2018, %: 70.4
  - Number: 590
- **4th grade students not proficient in English Language Arts**
  - Baseline Year: 2014-2015, %: 86
  - Current Year: 2018-2019, %: 87
  - Number: 324
- **8th grade students not proficient in math**
  - Baseline Year: 2014-2015, %: 95
  - Current Year: 2018-2019, %: 99
  - Number: 226
- **High school students not graduating on time**
  - Baseline Year: 2013-2014, %: 39.0
  - Current Year: 2018-2019, %: 28.7
  - Number: 98

### Health Well-Being
- **Low-birthweight babies**
  - Baseline Year: 2013, %: 6.1
  - Current Year: 2018, %: 7.1
  - Number: 28
- **Uninsured children**
  - Baseline Year: 2013, %: 18.1
  - Current Year: 2018, %: 9.8
  - Number: 687
- **Overweight and obese 1st, 3rd & 6th grade students**
  - Baseline Year: 2013-2014, %: 43.9
  - Current Year: 2018-2019, %: 35.0
  - Number: 409
- **High school teens who used alcohol/drugs (past 30 days)**
  - Baseline Year: 2014, %: 43.1
  - Current Year: 2018, %: 30.9
  - Number: 48

### Family & Community
- **Children in single parent families**
  - Baseline Year: 2009-2013, %: 46.9
  - Current Year: 2014-2018, %: 35.1
  - Number: 2,100
- **Children living in high poverty areas**
  - Baseline Year: 2009-2013, %: 66.7
  - Current Year: 2014-2018, %: 41.8
  - Number: 2,988
- **Children with verified maltreatment (per 1,000)**
  - Baseline Year: 2013-2014, %: 10.5
  - Current Year: 2018-2019, %: 6.3
  - Number: 49
- **Youth contacts with the juvenile justice system (per 1,000)**
  - Baseline Year: 2013-2014, %: 41.1
  - Current Year: 2018-2019, %: 27.8
  - Number: 99

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