



Oklahoma Facts at a Glance

| Child & Adolescent Well-Being Indicators | #, % and/or rate |
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| All indicators are 2017 data for children under age 18, unless noted. | |
| Total number of children, under age 18 | 959,285 |
| Children living in poverty (family of 4 with income less than \$24,848) | 203,000/ 24% |
| Children living in extreme poverty (family of 4 with income less than \$12,429) | 87,000/ 10% |
| Children living in poverty, ages 0 to 5 | 72,000/ 23% |
| Children living in single parent families | 321,000/ 36% |
| Children without health insurance, age 18 and younger | 76,689/ 8% |
| Children whose parents lack secure employment | 270,000/ 28% |
| Children in immigrant families (one or both parents foreign born) | 120,000/ 12% |
| Children ages 3 to 4 not attending preschool (2015-2017) | 56% |
| Students scoring <i>proficient or above</i> on 3 rd grade reading level tests (2016 - 2017) | 39% |
| Students scoring <i>proficient or above</i> on 4 th grade reading level tests (2016 - 2017) | 29% |
| Students <i>proficient or above</i> on 8 th grade math achievement tests (2016-2017) | 23% |
| High school students not graduating on time | 17% |
| Teens, ages 16-19, not in school and not high school graduates | 12,000/ 5% |
| Teens, ages 16-19, not in school and not working | 18,000/ 8% |
| Teen birth rates (per 1,000 females of the same age range) | |
| Teen birth rate, ages 15-19 (<i>OK ranked 48th in 2017, with the 3rd highest rate</i>) | 29.7 |
| Teen birth rate, ages 15-17 (younger teens) | 12.5 |
| Teen birth rate, ages 18-19 (older teens) | 56.1 |
| Teen birth numbers | |
| All births, ages 19 and younger (<i>43 births were to girls, aged 10-14</i>) | 3,829 |
| Births to younger teens, aged 15-17 | 964 |
| Births to older teens, aged 18-19 | 2,822 |
| Births to teens who are already parents | 18% |
| Children living in households that were food insecure during year (2016) | 218,770/ 23% |
| Children in foster care, aged 17 and younger | 9,854 |
| Children who were confirmed by DHS as victims of maltreatment | 15,289 |
| Child and teen deaths for aged 19 and younger, all causes (2016) | 351 |
| SOURCE: KIDS COUNT, ANNIE E. CASEY FOUNDATION | MAY 2019 |