



**Status of Oregon's Children
County Data Book 2008
*Helping Oregon Families in a Tough Economy***

Key Findings - Gilliam County

Family Finances and Stability

- \$50,200 is the median family income, which is 14% lower than the state median.
- 160 children live in low-income households (200% of the federal poverty level, or \$41,300 for a family of four in 2007).
- Unemployment claims have increased 24% between November 2007 and November 2008.
- Subprime loans make up Data unavailable% of loans in this county.
- 9 families receive cash assistance through the Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program.
- 9 families receive child care subsidies through the Employment Related Day Care (ERDC) program.

Child Health

- 45 children (11.3%) have no health insurance.
- 88.2% of mothers received adequate prenatal care.

Child Welfare

- 18 children were victims of child abuse/neglect (44.9 per 1,000 children).
- 17 children in the county have been in foster care at least once during the past year.
- 50 reports of child abuse/neglect were made in 2007. 92% of these reports were assessed, and 38% were founded.