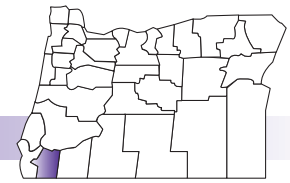


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STATUS OF OREGON'S CHILDREN 2009

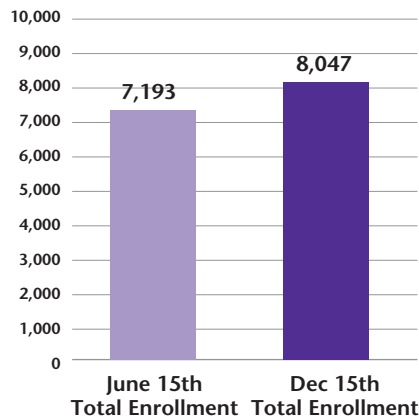


POPULATION

TOTAL	83,290
Children ages 0-17	17,116

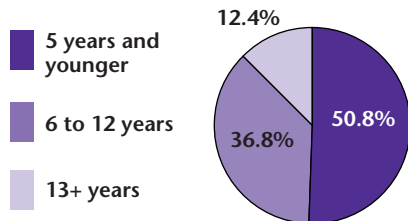
Healthy Kids

Increase in number of children enrolled in the Healthy Kids program from June 15, 2009 to December 15, 2009: **11.9%**



Victims by Age

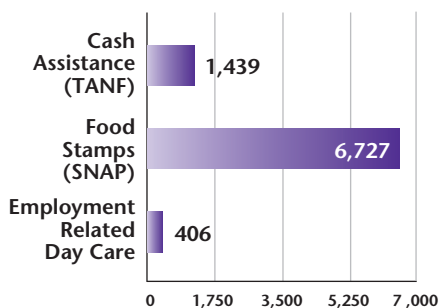
Founded abuse/neglect/threat of harm victims in foster care grouped by age (2008).



Family Supports

The chart shows the number of children helped by several key family supports in a month.

Number of Low-Income Children: **8,807**



FAMILY FINANCES & STABILITY

\$50,000 is the median family income, which is 23% lower than the state median. 2.79 per 1,000 people filed for personal bankruptcy in 2008, a 77% increase since 2006.

59.1% of public school children are eligible to receive free/reduced price lunches during the school year. On average, 3,293 children eat free/reduced price lunches on a given day, while 1,135 children receive free lunches during the summer.

CHILD WELFARE

1,169 reports of child abuse/neglect/threat of harm were made in this area in 2008. 58% of these reports were assessed, and 13% were founded. 296 children in the county have been in foster care at least once during the past year. 30.8% of founded abuse/neglect/threat of harm referrals were related to domestic violence and 43.6% were related to substance abuse. 24.4 of children in out-of-home placement were living with relatives. 7 youths aged out of foster care.

CHILD HEALTH

An unknown percent of eighth graders did not have a medical check-up or physical exam in the previous year. 3 School-Based Health Centers are certified and operating in this county. 48 Newborns were low-birthweight.

COUNTY INDICATORS

	Current Total Number	Current Rate	Rate Change from Previous Year	Avg. Rate Previous 5 Years	Current Rate Compared to Oregon
EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION					
Child Care Supply (slots per 100 ages 0-13)	1,824	16.0	8% Better	13.8	11% Worse
Head Start / Oregon PreKindergarten	321	94.7	48% Better	57.7	39% Better
3rd Grade Reading Proficiency	784	88.5	1% Worse	89.1	7% Better
3rd Grade Math Proficiency	785	78.1	2% Worse	83.5	1% Better
YOUTH DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION					
8th Grade Reading Proficiency	850	70.8	6% Worse	69.4	8% Better
8th Grade Math Proficiency	847	73.9	1% Better	66.5	8% Better
High School Dropout	136	3.4	19% Better	4.3	19% Better
Juvenile Arrests (per 1,000 under age 18)	110	6.4	4% Worse	11.3	56% Better
NCES Graduation Rates	747	84.6	5% Better	80.3	1% Better
HEALTH					
Infant Mortality (per 1,000 live births)	5	5.5	40% Better	8.1	12% Worse
Uninsured Children*	5,353	15.3	NA	NA	19% Worse
Immunizations	NA	80.1	0% Worse	79.1	4% Better
Teen Pregnancy (per 1,000 girls ages 15-17)	33	18.1	6% Worse	17.9	30% Better
Obesity	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
FINANCIAL STABILITY					
Childhood Poverty (ages 0-17)	4,832	30.2	14% Worse	23.4	70% Worse
Child Support Payments	NA	54.5	3% Worse	55.8	9% Worse
Unemployment	3,154	9.0	25% Worse	7.6	73% Worse
CHILD WELFARE					
Abuse and Neglect Victims (per 1,000 ages 0-17)	180	10.4	19% Worse	9.1	52% Worse
Threat of Harm Victims (per 1,000 ages 0-17)	62	3.6	1% Worse	3.9	33% Better
Recurrence of Maltreatment	NA	9.1	Same	6.9	17% Worse
Foster Care Placement Stability	NA	94.5	5% Better	85.5	13% Better

* Denotes regional data