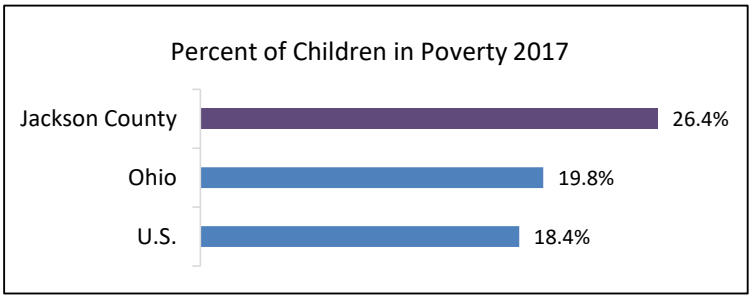
OHIO KIDS COUNT 2019 FACT SHEET

Jackson County





Demographics	Year	Jackson	Ohio
Total population (#)	2018	32,384	11,689,442
Child population (#)	2018	7,652	2,593,325
Race and ethnicity of child population			
White (%)	2018	96.9%	78.4%
Black (%)	2018	2.0%	18.3%
Asian (%)	2018	0.5%	2.9%
Hispanic (%)	2018	1.6%	6.3%
Region (Metro, Rural, Suburban, Appalachian)		Appalachian	
Economic Well-being	**Year**	**Jackson**	**Ohio**
Children living in poverty (%)	2017	26.4%	19.8%
Median income ($)	2017	$44,671	$54,077
Unemployment rate (%)	2018	6.6%	4.6%
Children receiving SNAP/Food Stamps (%)	2018	44.4%	32.1%
Students economically disadvantaged (%)††	2017-2018	70.9%	50.3%
Education	**Year**	**Jackson**	**Ohio**
Children in publicly funded child care (%)	2018	2.8%	6.9%
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Health	**Year**	**Jackson**	**Ohio**
Children enrolled in Medicaid (%)†	2018	71.3%	53.8%
Teen births (rate per 1,000 females age 15-17)	2018	15.9	7.5
Low birth weight babies (% of all births)	2018	9.9%	8.5%
Infant mortality (rate per 1,000 births)	2017	*	7.2
Safety	**Year**	**Jackson**	**Ohio**
Child maltreatment (rate per 1,000 children)	2018	4.1	7.4
Felony adjudications (rate per 1,000 children)	2018	0.0	1.6
Children in foster care (rate per 1,000 children)	2018	9.8	10.5

††Some eligible districts can identify all or nearly all students as economically disadvantaged

†Based on county of residence, unlike 2016, but similar to previous years

***Rates based on fewer than 10 births are unstable and not reported

*Rates based on fewer than 10 cases are unstable and not reported

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Education	Enrollment	3rd Grade Reading - Proficient or Higher (%)	8th Grade Math - Proficient or Higher (%)	High School Graduation Rate (%)	Chronic Absenteeism (%)	Out of School Suspensions or Expulsions per 100 Students
Year	2017-2018	2017-2018	2017-2018	2016-2017	2017-2018	2017-2018
Ohio	1,664,346	61.2%	54.3%	84.1%	16.0%	12.1*
District Name						
Jackson City	2,367	70.3%	64.3%	96.3%	17.8%	9.1
Oak Hill Union Local	1,167	62.6%	87.1%	95.1%	13.9%	3
Wellston City	1,315	54.5%	44.1%	90.1%	23.9%	8.1

*Based on the 608 school districts