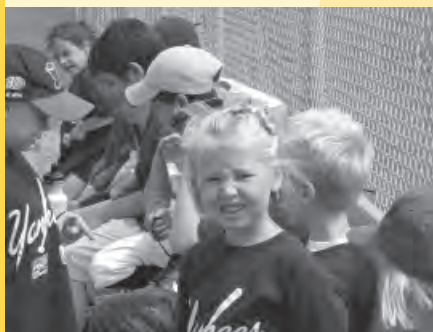




North Dakota KIDS COUNT 2009 Fact Book



State, Regional, and County Profiles
of Child Well-Being in North Dakota





This book is dedicated to the children in North Dakota, whose quality of life is intertwined with their communities' capacity to ensure that families can succeed.



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In addition, current and historical data for *Fact Book* indicators are available at the KIDS COUNT Data Center, an online resource for data covering children and families at <http://datacenter.kidscount.org>.

The KIDS COUNT Data Center, an Annie E. Casey Foundation sponsored website, offers trends, graphs, maps, and rankings for North Dakota counties as well as for other participating states and their substate geographies.

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FOREWORD

WHAT IS KIDS COUNT?

KIDS COUNT, a project of the Annie E. Casey Foundation, seeks to track the status of children across the United States and within individual states. The national KIDS COUNT program publishes an annual *KIDS COUNT Data Book* ranking state performance on 10 indicators reflecting the educational, social, economic, and physical well-being of children. The national program also produces related publications addressing concerns that affect child outcomes across states. State KIDS COUNT programs publish yearly reports detailing child well-being on a substate geography level (e.g., county or city). Both national and state KIDS COUNT programs strive to document conditions affecting children in the areas where they live so that national, state, and local decision-making can more effectively address children's needs through sound policy creation. For more information, visit the KIDS COUNT web site at: <http://www.kidscount.org>.

WHAT IS NORTH DAKOTA KIDS COUNT?

North Dakota KIDS COUNT, sponsored by the Annie E. Casey Foundation, has been examining critical issues for North Dakota children and families since 1994. The mission of North Dakota KIDS COUNT is to provide accurate, current data on child well-being in order to inform local and state discussions about how to secure better futures for all of North Dakota's children. North Dakota KIDS COUNT offers public presentations, networking, a website, and several publication series. To view the various publications, research, and information offered by the North Dakota KIDS COUNT program, visit our website at <http://www.ndkidscount.org>.

WHAT IS THE NORTH DAKOTA KIDS COUNT FACT BOOK?

The *North Dakota KIDS COUNT Fact Book*, now in its 15th year, is an annual publication that provides state, regional, and county profiles consisting of multiple indicators nested within six components of child well-being. Beginning in 2005, the *Fact Book* became an electronic publication only, thus bound versions are no longer produced.

Previously, the profiles presented in the *Fact Book* were based on seven components of child well-being, with Child Care as a separate component. This year, in an effort to coordinate with the national KIDS COUNT program, the child care indicators are now located within the Education and Early Care component. In addition, some of the titles used to identify the six components have been modified. See page 7 for these modifications.

To access the *Fact Book* and other publications regarding North Dakota children, visit <http://www.ndkidscount.org/>. *Fact Book* indicators are also available on the Annie E. Casey Foundation's KIDS COUNT Data Center website at <http://datacenter.kidscount.org/>. This site offers trends, graphs, maps, and rankings for North Dakota, its counties, and for other participating states.

REPORT FORMAT

The 2009 *North Dakota KIDS COUNT Fact Book* is divided into three main sections:

1. Summary and Findings provide a summary of trends and an overview of findings for multiple indicators nested within six components of child well-being.

The six components include:

- Demographics
- Family and Community
- Economic Well-Being
- Education and Early Care
- Health
- Safety and Risky Behaviors

2. State, Regional, and County Profiles present the most recent available information (at the time of publication) for the six components of child well-being. Separate three-page profiles are provided for the state, the state's eight planning regions, and the 53 counties in North Dakota. Actual numbers of children or events are presented along with percentages that allow county-to-county and region-to-region comparisons. Data presented in the state profile are repeated in each county and regional profile for easy comparison.

3. Definitions and Data Sources supply explanations and indicator definitions along with information sources for respective data. Readers are strongly encouraged to use these definitions for clarification and reference for the data provided.

MODIFICATIONS

The following modifications were made to the *Fact Book* report format and to data indicator definitions in this year's publication:

1. In an effort to coordinate with the national KIDS COUNT program, the seven components of child well-being previously presented in the profile section have been reduced to six components in the 2009 *Fact Book*. The Child Care component has been removed and the indicators previously contained in the Child Care component are now located in the Education and Early Care component.
2. In addition to the rearrangement of the child care indicators, the component previously titled Population is now titled Demographics; Family Composition is now Family and Community; Economic Condition is now Economic Well-Being; and Children at Risk is now Safety and Risky Behaviors.
3. The age indicators in the Demographics component have been expanded to include Ages 0 to 2, Age 3, Ages 4 to 5, Ages 6 to 12, Age 13, and Ages 14 to 17.
4. A new indicator, Total Births to Teens Ages 12 to 19, has been added to the Demographics component.
5. A new indicator, Total Births to All Unmarried Women (regardless of age) has been added to the Family and Community component. Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19 has been moved from the Health component and placed in the Family and Community component.
6. The Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20 indicator has been moved from the Economic Well-Being component and placed in the Health component. A new indicator, Child Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, has been added to the Economic Well-Being component.
7. Two new indicators have been added to the Health component: Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty and Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps.
8. Five new indicators based on ACT college-readiness scores have been added to the Education component: % of ACT-Tested High School Graduates Ready for College English, Math, Reading, Science, and All Four Subject Areas.
9. Head Start enrollment and eligibility indicators, previously reported in the Education component, have been removed from the *Fact Book* due to the inability to consistently retrieve county-level data. However, state-level data for Head Start and Early Head Start (i.e., enrollment, staff characteristics, children and family characteristics, and services provided) are available through the North Dakota KIDS COUNT website at <http://www.ndkidscount.org/>.

LIMITATIONS

Overall, indicators have been chosen on the basis of their availability by county, their ability to convey broad elements of child well-being, the extent to which they provide for common interpretation, the possibility of their availability over time, their usefulness as a tool to track long-term trends in child well-being, and the validity of data sources.

It must be noted that not all children affected by a particular condition are reported to or identified by the proper authorities, nor are they all enrolled in an appropriate service program. Therefore, caution must be exercised in concluding these data represent the actual number of children whose lives may be touched by a given situation.

The 2009 *North Dakota KIDS COUNT Fact Book* data include American Indian children living outside American Indian tribal areas in all indicators. American Indian children living within tribal areas are included in all indicators with the exception of Child Abuse and Neglect Reports and Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect (including situations in which services are required). WIC data exclude the Fort Berthold Reservation and the Standing Rock Reservation. Juvenile court referral data exclude tribal court referrals (see map on page 19 for tribal areas in North Dakota).

North Dakota KIDS COUNT gathers and organizes, but does not generate, the statistical information contained in the *Fact Book*.

Please refer to the Definitions and Data Sources section for limitations and notes specific to each indicator.

SUMMARY AND FINDINGS



*Examining
critical issues for
North Dakota
children and
families*



DEMOGRAPHICS

From 2000 to 2007, five North Dakota counties saw at least a 40 percent loss in the number of youth ages 0 to 17.

- U.S. Census Bureau,
Population Division

SUMMARY AND FINDINGS

- In 2007, children ages 0 to 17 comprised 22.3 percent of North Dakota's total population, compared to 25.0 percent in 2000 and 27.5 percent in 1990. Statewide, these children numbered 142,809 in 2007, an 11.2 percent decline from 160,849 in 2000 and an 18.6 percent decline from 175,385 in 1990.
- The proportion of North Dakota children ages 0 to 17 in 2007 ranged from a low of 14.6 percent in Sheridan County to a high of 35.2 percent in Sioux County. From 1990 through 2000, five of North Dakota's 53 counties saw growth in the number of children (Cass, Burleigh, Rolette, Sioux, and Benson); from 2000 to 2007, only one county, Cass, showed growth.
- Among all states, North Dakota had the 8th lowest percentage of children ages 0 to 17 in 2007 at 22.3 percent. The percentage of children ranged from a low of 21.1 percent in Vermont to a high of 30.9 percent in Utah.
- Due to a consistent increase in births during the past few years, the number of children ages 0 to 5 in North Dakota has grown modestly since 2003. Conversely, the number of children ages 6 and older continues to decrease.
- The number of births in North Dakota declined consistently throughout the 1980s and 1990s, reaching a low of 7,635 in 1999. After a few years of little change, the number of births in North Dakota increased an average of 2.4 percent per year from 2001 through 2007, rising to 8,818.
- Births to North Dakota teenagers ages 12 to 19 totaled 699 in 2007, which is 7.9 percent of all births statewide. This proportion is down from 9.8 percent in 1998.
- Though white children comprised the majority of children ages 0 to 18 statewide in 2007 (87.3 percent), their numbers declined 11.6 percent from 2000 to 2007 (150,812 to 133,334). During the same time, the number of American Indian children, North Dakota's largest minority group, grew 3.1 percent (13,522 to 13,939). The state's smallest minority groups saw much larger percentage gains. From 2000 to 2007, the number of Hispanic children (of any race) increased 30.7 percent (3,377 to 4,414), the number of Asian children increased 35.7 percent (1,311 to 1,779), and the number of African American children increased 63.6 percent (2,248 to 3,678).



FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

SUMMARY AND FINDINGS

- The majority of all North Dakota children ages 0 to 17 live with at least one of their parents. According to Census 2000, 75.8 percent of North Dakota children live with both parents and 19.1 percent live with a single parent. The remaining 5.1 percent live with other relatives (e.g., grandparent), non-relatives (e.g., foster parents), by themselves or with a spouse/unmarried partner, or in a group facility. Current state-level 2007 data suggest that the proportion of North Dakota children living by themselves or with someone other than their parent has grown to 7.5 percent (to be 90 percent certain, this amount could be +/-0.8) (U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates, Table B090006, <http://factfinder.census.gov>).
- The number of North Dakota children living in foster care totaled 2,134 in 2008. These children represent 1.4 percent of all children ages 0 to 18 statewide, a proportion that has changed little over the past seven years.
- Most North Dakota children live with their mothers (whether she is married or single), and most North Dakota mothers work. In 2000, 90.1 percent of all North Dakota children lived with both parents or with a single mother, the largest proportion in the nation. In addition, the proportion of North Dakota mothers (with children ages 0 to 17) in the labor force was 81.2 percent in 2000, the 2nd highest proportion nationwide. The proportion of working mothers is slightly smaller for mothers with young children ages 0 to 5 (76.1 percent), but rises to 84.9 percent for mothers with older children (ages 6 to 17). Nationally, 69.1 percent of mothers with children ages 0 to 17 were in the labor force in 2000. Current national and state-level 2007 data indicate that these proportions have changed little since 2000 (U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates, Table B23003, <http://factfinder.census.gov>).
- Nearly one-third of all North Dakota births in 2007 were to unmarried women (32.5 percent). This proportion has risen consistently over the past several years, up from 22.9 percent in 1994.
- Most of the births to unmarried women in 2007 were to women ages 20 or older; 21.6 percent were to teenagers. Births to unmarried teens ages 12 to 19 in North Dakota totaled 618 in 2007, 7.0 percent of all births statewide. This proportion has changed little since the early 1990s.

Approximately one in five births to unmarried women in North Dakota were to teenagers in 2007 (21.6 percent).

*- North Dakota
Department of Health,
Vital Records*



ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

SUMMARY AND FINDINGS

In 2007, 14 percent of North Dakota children lived in poverty, a rate unchanged in the last eight years.

*-U.S. Census Bureau;
Census 2000 and the
Small Area Income and
Poverty Estimates (SAIPE)
Program*



- Income and poverty are issues that affect individual North Dakotans differently. As a whole, numbers for the state are encouraging. North Dakota families with children ages 0 to 17 earned a median income of \$44,640 in 2000. Current 2007 state-level data indicate that this median has risen to \$58,023 (to be 90 percent certain, this amount could be +/- \$1,690), a value similar to the national median of \$58,028 (+/- \$133) (U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates, Table B19125, <http://factfinder.census.gov>).
- Even with the increase in median family income statewide from 2000 to 2007, child poverty numbers did not change during this time. In 2000, 14.0 percent of North Dakota children ages 0 to 17 lived in poverty (22,163 children). An additional 10.9 percent (17,225 children) were living near poverty levels (with incomes from 100 to 149 percent of poverty). In 14 of North Dakota's 53 counties, at least one in five children was impoverished. Current 2007 data suggest that, overall, there has been no change in North Dakota's child poverty rate since 2000, with 14.0 percent of children still living in poverty.
- While there were fewer counties with child poverty rates higher than 20.0 percent in 2007 than in 2000, only four counties had child poverty rates less than 10.0 percent in 2007. Child poverty rates were slightly smaller for older children in North Dakota. In 2007, 11.7 percent of North Dakota children ages 5 to 17 lived in poverty compared to 18.1 percent of children ages 0 to 4.
- Financial assistance programs are available to help low-income families and children in North Dakota. The Food Stamp Program (now referred to as the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program or SNAP) provided help to 31,380 children ages 0 to 18 in 2007 (20.6 percent of children statewide). In addition, 32,445 North Dakota children received free or reduced price lunches in school (32.1 percent of total school enrollment). In 12 of North Dakota's 53 counties, at least 40 percent of students received free or reduced price lunches in 2008.
- The Temporary Assistance to Needy Families Program (TANF), provided assistance to 7,532 North Dakota children ages 0 to 19 in 2008, down 8.9 percent per year, on average, since 2004. In addition, North Dakota helped low-income families pay child-care bills for 8,300 children ages 0 to 13 in 2007, or 7.7 percent of all children ages 0 to 13 statewide.

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

SUMMARY AND FINDINGS

- North Dakota's public schools averaged 95,459 students daily during the 2007-08 academic year. As daily enrollments continue to decrease throughout the state (2.1 percent per year, on average, since 1996-97), expenditures continue to rise. Since 1996-97, per student expenditures have increased 7.0 percent per year on average, totaling \$8,096 per student in 2007-08.
- North Dakota students continue to rank relatively well nationally in terms of academic achievement; however, room exists for improvement. Composite scores for 2008 North Dakota public high school graduates taking the ACT averaged 21.5 out of a possible 36, slightly higher than the national average of 21.1. Beyond the overall composite ACT score, ACT, Inc. has developed benchmarks in the areas of English, math, reading, and science to measure what it takes to be successful in standard first-year college courses. Based on these benchmarks, 71.0 percent of the 2008 ACT-tested North Dakota high school graduates were ready for college English, 48.3 percent were ready for college math, 56.3 percent were ready for college reading, and 30.7 percent were ready for college science. However, 23.7 percent were ready for all four courses, a proportion that has changed little over the past several years.
- Despite less than half of high school graduates in North Dakota being ready for college math, only 14 percent of North Dakota 8th graders scored below the math proficiency level in 2007, the lowest rate in the nation (The Annie E. Casey Foundation, KIDS COUNT, <http://datacenter.kidscount.org/>).
- Various measures exist for determining high school dropout rates. According to the North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, the number of high school students (in grades 9 through 12) who were enrolled in school and then dropped out in 2008 totaled 791 (2.4 percent of high school enrollment). The national KIDS COUNT program publishes the proportion of teens ages 16 to 19 who are not in school and have not graduated. Using this measure, North Dakota has the lowest dropout rate in the nation (2 percent in 2007).
- In 2008, 13,278 North Dakota children ages 3 to 21 were enrolled in special education (14.0 percent of total public school enrollment). Statewide, 31.8 percent of students enrolled in special education had a specific learning disability, 27.4 percent had a speech impairment, 7.5 percent were emotionally disturbed, and 6.5 percent were mentally handicapped in 2008.

North Dakota had the lowest high school dropout rate in the nation at 2% in 2007.

- The Annie E. Casey Foundation, KIDS COUNT



EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE (CONT.)

SUMMARY AND FINDINGS

Legally recognized child-care providers in North Dakota numbered 3,432 in February 2009 and had the capacity to care for 43,193 children (approximately 55% of all children ages 0 to 13 with working parents).

- U.S. Census Bureau, ACS PUMS and North Dakota Department of Human Services



- In North Dakota, it is estimated that 32,089 children ages 0 to 5 and 46,303 children ages 6 to 13 had working parents in 2007 (U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year PUMS, <http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Products/PUMS/>). Legally recognized child-care providers in North Dakota numbered 3,432 in February 2009 and had the combined capacity to care for 43,193 children. Legally recognized child-care providers include those who are licensed, self-certified, in-home providers, approved relatives, and registered tribal providers. Informal networks of relatives, friends, and neighbors, while difficult to track, also provide care for many North Dakota children.
- As of February 2009, North Dakota reported 1,663 licensed child-care programs. Licensed child care in North Dakota is state-approved and reviewed yearly, with licenses being granted by county social services. The majority of licensed child care in North Dakota takes place in a home setting. Family providers (25.1 percent) together with group child-care homes (50.6 percent) comprised 75.6 percent of all licensed providers in 2009. Large centers and group child-care facilities comprised 13.4 percent of licensed providers in the state. Other licensed providers consist of facilities holding multiple licenses, preschools, public approval programs, and school-age programs; together, they comprised 10.9 percent of all licensed providers in 2009.
- Legally recognized yet unlicensed child-care providers in the state included 902 self-certified and in-home providers, 164 registered tribal child-care providers, and 703 approved relatives in February 2009.
- Child care has become part of the daily routine for thousands of North Dakota families, many of whom are struggling. As mentioned in the Economic Well-Being component, the Child Care Assistance Program helped low-income families in North Dakota pay child-care bills for 8,300 children ages 0 to 13 in 2007, or 7.7 percent of all children ages 0 to 13 statewide.
- In addition to finding affordable child care, parents are also faced with finding a quality program they can trust and depend on. Quality child care is critical for providing safe and nurturing environments for children. To that end, the North Dakota Child Care Resource and Referral agency provides comprehensive training and consultation to improve the quality of programs caring for infants and toddlers (<http://www.ndchildcare.org/>).

SUMMARY AND FINDINGS

- A healthy mother is vital to the health of her child. Prenatal care can improve birth outcomes and is more likely to be effective if begun early in pregnancy. Of the 8,818 North Dakota births in 2007, 478 (5.4 percent) were to mothers receiving late or no prenatal care. This rate is up from 4.7 percent in 2006.
- Throughout North Dakota, 557 babies were born weighing less than 5.5 pounds (or 2,500 grams) in 2007. These low-birthweight babies comprised 6.3 percent of all births in 2007. Nationally, North Dakota had the 5th lowest percentage of low-birthweight births among all states in 2006 (U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, CDC&P, National Center for Health Statistics, <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/vitalstats.htm>).
- Of all North Dakota babies born in 2007, 65 died within a year (0.7 percent). In addition, 64 youth ages 1 to 19 died in 2007 (1.2 percent of all deaths).
- The supplemental nutrition program for women, infants and children (WIC) provides nutritious foods, nutrition counseling, and health and social service referrals to eligible participants at no charge. The number of North Dakota WIC program participants totaled 24,289 in 2008.
- To assist North Dakota children needing health care, 41,376 children ages 0 to 20 received health care assistance through Medicaid (23.2 percent of persons ages 0 to 20 statewide) in 2007. To help those children from working families that earn too much to qualify for full Medicaid coverage, but not enough to afford private insurance, the Healthy Steps program provided premium-free health coverage to 3,399 children in January 2009.
- While most children in North Dakota are covered by some form of health insurance, nearly 1 in 10 children (9.0 percent) in North Dakota are uninsured (13,000 children) (2005-2007 Three-Year Average from the U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/hlthins.html>).
- The Small Area Health Insurance Estimates (SAHIE) program was created to develop estimates of health insurance coverage for counties and states. According to these estimates, 5.0 percent of North Dakota children ages 0 to 18 were uninsured and living below 200 percent of poverty in 2005 (7,620 children).

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- U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Health Insurance Estimates (SAHIE) Program



SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

SUMMARY AND FINDINGS

North Dakota children requiring immediate services for abuse or neglect comprised 18.4% of all suspected child abuse and neglect victims in 2008. This proportion is down from 20.5% in 2007 and 23.9% in 2004.

- North Dakota
Department of Human
Services



- A total of 5,555 North Dakota juveniles ages 10 to 17 were referred to court a total of 10,394 times in 2008. Each time a juvenile is referred to court, he or she may be charged with multiple offenses. In 2008, North Dakota juveniles were charged with a total of 11,253 offenses. Thus, on average, each juvenile offender was charged with approximately two offenses in 2008 - a rate that has remained relatively unchanged in North Dakota since 2003.
- While each juvenile court referral may have several charges for multiple offenses, an offense description is provided for the major offense only. The major offenses associated with the 10,394 North Dakota juvenile court referrals in 2008 were distributed into five categories: alcohol offenses (17.8 percent), unruly behavior (22.9 percent), offenses against person (7.8 percent), offenses against property (24.2 percent), and other offenses not included in the previously mentioned categories (e.g., disorderly conduct, controlled substance, traffic) (27.4 percent).
- North Dakota juveniles referred to court as a proportion of all youth ages 10 to 17 has remained relatively unchanged over the past several years. In 2008, 8.4 percent of all children ages 10 to 17 (5,555 juveniles) were referred to court for various offenses.
- In 2008, there were 6,982 children ages 0 to 17 suspected of being abused or neglected in North Dakota, or 4.9 percent of all children age 0 to 17. Following assessments of these cases by Child Protection Service social workers, it was determined that 1,283 children (18.4 percent of all suspected victims - or 0.9 percent of all children ages 0 to 17) were in high-risk situations requiring immediate services. The proportion of abused and neglected children in North Dakota requiring immediate services in 2008 (18.4 percent) is down from 20.5 percent in 2007 and 23.9 percent in 2004.
- From 2007 to 2008, two in five North Dakota counties (21 out of 53) reported a decline in the proportion of abused and neglected children requiring immediate services.
- North Dakota children ages 16 to 19 who were not in school, not high school graduates, and not in the labor force (referred to as idle teens) comprised 1.7 percent of all children ages 16 to 19 in 2000. Only one state, Vermont, had a lower proportion (1.5 percent). Nationally, 3.9 percent of teens were considered idle. Current national and state-level 2007 data indicate that these proportions have changed little since 2000 (U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates, Table B14005, <http://factfinder.census.gov>).

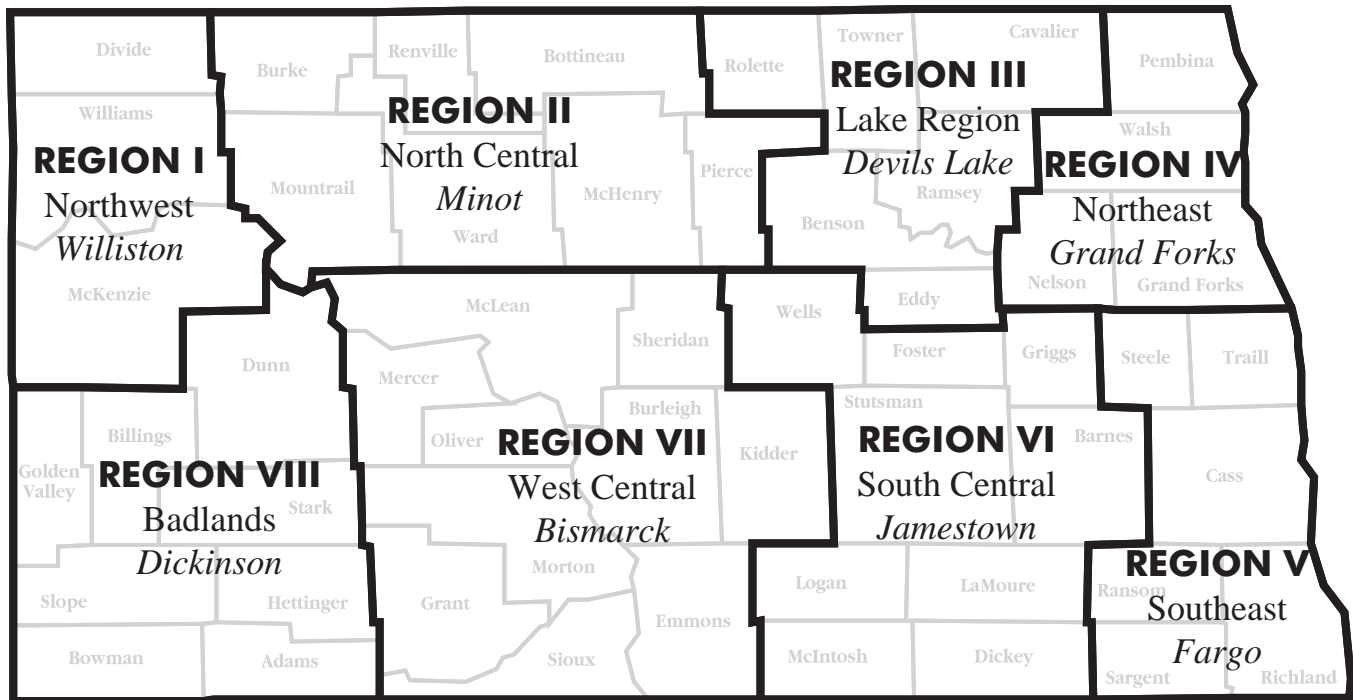
STATE, REGIONAL, AND COUNTY PROFILES



On-going evidence shows that challenges do not affect North Dakota children equally.



NORTH DAKOTA SERVICE REGIONS MAP



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Northwest Region
City of Williston
Divide County
McKenzie County
Williams County

REGION II

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North Central Region
City of Minot
Bottineau County
Burke County
McHenry County
Mountrail County
Pierce County
Renville County
Ward County

REGION III

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Lake Region
City of Devils Lake
Benson County
Cavalier County
Eddy County
Ramsey County
Rolette County
Towner County

REGION IV

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Northeast Region
City of Grand Forks
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Nelson County
Pembina County
Walsh County

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Southeast Region
City of Fargo
Cass County
Ransom County
Richland County
Sargent County
Steele County
Traill County

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South Central Region
City of Jamestown
Barnes County
Dickey County
Foster County
Griggs County
LaMoure County
Logan County
McIntosh County
Stutsman County
Wells County

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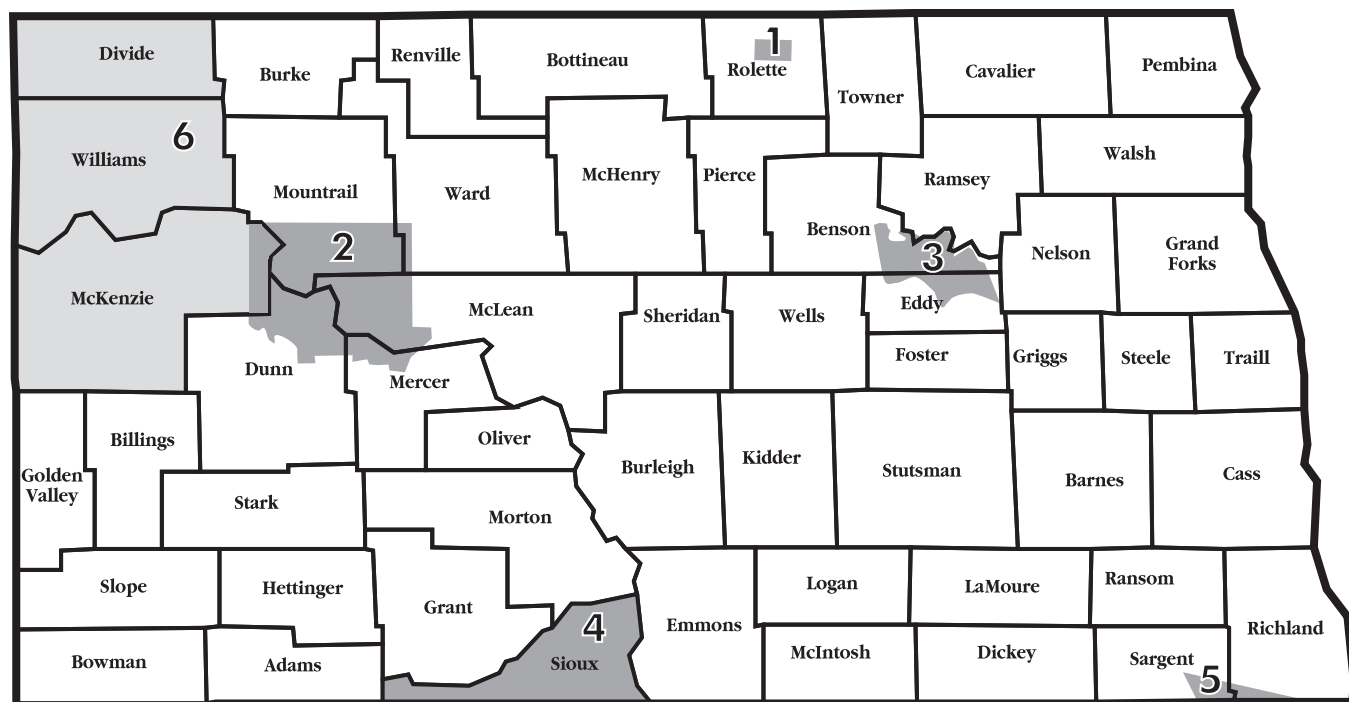
West Central Region
City of Bismarck
Burleigh County
Emmons County
Grant County
Kidder County
McLean County
Mercer County
Morton County
Oliver County
Sheridan County
Sioux County

REGION VIII

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Badlands Region
City of Dickinson
Adams County
Billings County
Bowman County
Dunn County
Golden Valley County
Hettinger County
Slope County
Stark County

NORTH DAKOTA COUNTIES AND TRIBAL AREAS MAP



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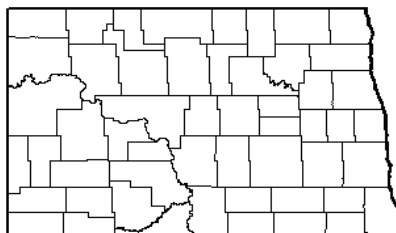
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AMERICAN INDIAN TRIBAL AREAS

1. Turtle Mountain Reservation
2. Fort Berthold Reservation
3. Spirit Lake Reservation
4. Standing Rock Reservation
5. Lake Traverse Reservation
6. Trenton Indian Service Area

North Dakota



North Dakota

State Capital :	Bismarck
Total Population, 2008 :	641,481
State Population Rank, 2008 :	48 of 50
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	68,976
Population Density, 2008 :	9.3

North Dakota (%)

DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	23.7%

LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE

(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)

Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	7,620	4.9%

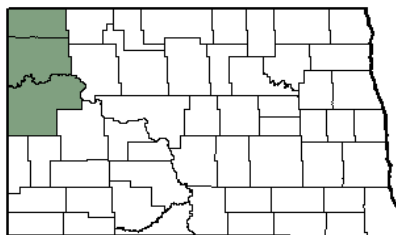
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Region I

Regional Council Location :	Williston
Total Population, 2008 :	27,506
Regional Population Rank, 2008	8 of 8
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	6,072
Population Density, 2008 :	4.5

Region I	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	27,161	4.2%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	41.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	5,853	21.5%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	956	3.5%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	278	1.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	543	2.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	2,098	7.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	363	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	1,615	5.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	1,777	6.5%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	4,238	15.6%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	6,297	23.2%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	5,319	84.5%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	81	1.3%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	878	13.9%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	19	0.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	133	2.1%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	384	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	34	8.9%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	1,547	20.9%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	270	3.7%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	3,338	82.5%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	1,225	74.1%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	2,113	87.3%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	166	2.6%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	110	66.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	51	30.7%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	5	3.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	148	38.5%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	32	8.3%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	--	--	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	--	--	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$37,350	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	194	2.9%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	1,264	29.5%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,304	20.7%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	293	6.9%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$9,754	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	4,142	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	628	15.1%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	74	11.8%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	274	43.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	257	40.9%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	23	3.7%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	50	8.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	179	28.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	226	36.0%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	31	4.9%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	72	5.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008	21.6	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	72.1%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	48.9%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	59.4%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	28.8%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	22.4%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	46	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	677	16.0%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	45	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	225	5.3%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	25	0.6%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	24	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	49	1.2%	1,526	1.4%

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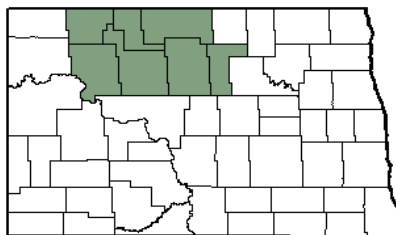
	Region I	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	28	7.3%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	28	7.3%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	4	1.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	4	1.4%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	803	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	1,887	26.9%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	143	2.3%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	403	6.2%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	172	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	318	5.4%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	74	23.3%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	308	10.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	586	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	79	13.5%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	211	36.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	32	5.5%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	161	27.5%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	103	17.6%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	614	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	29	1.5%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Region II

Regional Council Location :	Minot
Total Population, 2008 :	82,159
Regional Population Rank, 2008	4 of 8
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	10,376
Population Density, 2008 :	7.9

Region II	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	82,320	12.9%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	34.3	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	20,106	24.4%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	3,683	4.5%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	1,160	1.4%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	2,211	2.7%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	7,271	8.8%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	1,074	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	4,707	5.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	7,054	8.6%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	15,399	18.7%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	21,247	25.8%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	18,479	87.0%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	870	4.1%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	1,624	7.6%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	274	1.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	713	3.4%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	1,304	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	121	9.3%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	4,061	18.1%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	525	2.3%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	10,895	79.1%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	4,746	72.5%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	6,149	84.2%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	189	0.9%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	131	69.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	58	30.7%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	376	28.8%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	90	6.9%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	--	--	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	--	--	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$40,039	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	732	3.2%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	4,707	34.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	4,190	19.7%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1,217	7.9%	8,300	7.7%
EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,232	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	13,311	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	1,995	15.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	262	13.1%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	870	43.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	760	38.1%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	103	5.2%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	151	7.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	655	32.8%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	494	24.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	94	4.7%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	99	2.2%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008	21.5	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	70.9%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	51.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	57.4%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	32.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	24.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	211	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	4,046	26.3%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	133	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	665	4.3%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	25	0.2%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	129	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	261	1.7%	1,526	1.4%

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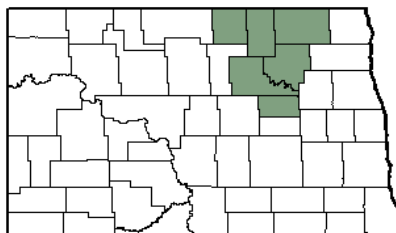
	Region II	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	96	7.4%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	72	5.5%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	11	0.8%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	6	0.8%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	3,537	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	5,372	22.5%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	445	2.1%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,204	5.6%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	693	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	1,155	5.7%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	164	14.2%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	630	7.0%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	1,070	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	257	24.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	204	19.1%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	73	6.8%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	227	21.2%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	309	28.9%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	1,158	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	75	1.3%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Region III

Regional Council Location :	Devils Lake
Total Population, 2008 :	40,275
Regional Population Rank, 2008	6 of 8
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	6,611
Population Density, 2008 :	6.1

Region III	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	40,458	6.3%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	29.8	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	10,996	27.2%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	1,975	4.9%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	570	1.4%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	1,014	2.5%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	3,897	9.6%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	666	1.6%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	2,874	7.1%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	3,559	8.8%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	8,122	20.1%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	11,645	28.8%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	5,403	46.4%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	125	1.1%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	6,048	51.9%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	69	0.6%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	196	1.7%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	649	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	121	18.6%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	3,881	29.7%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	907	6.9%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	5,226	77.8%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	2,180	71.5%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	3,046	82.4%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	215	1.8%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	163	75.8%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	45	20.9%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	7	3.3%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	432	66.6%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	120	18.5%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	--	--	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	--	--	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$28,202	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	2,530	20.5%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	4,505	58.3%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	5,402	46.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1,494	18.4%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$9,225	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	6,783	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	910	13.5%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	121	13.3%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	312	34.3%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	420	46.2%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	57	6.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	89	9.8%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	190	20.9%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	322	35.4%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	62	6.8%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	111	4.2%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008	19.4	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	53.1%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	33.1%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	40.3%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	16.8%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	13.3%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	96	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1,550	19.1%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	63	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	315	3.9%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	147	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	365	4.5%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	99	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	251	3.1%	1,526	1.4%

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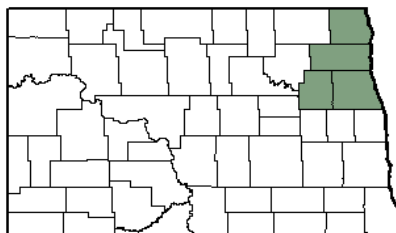
	Region III	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	122	18.8%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	39	6.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	8	1.2%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	5	1.1%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	3,751	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	6,476	50.2%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	290	2.5%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	677	5.6%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	141	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	278	2.5%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	60	21.6%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	327	6.2%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	525	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	86	16.4%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	143	27.2%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	29	5.5%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	112	21.3%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	155	29.5%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	549	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	156	5.4%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Region IV

Regional Council Location :	Grand Forks
Total Population, 2008 :	88,050
Regional Population Rank, 2008	3 of 8
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	4,820
Population Density, 2008 :	18.3

Region IV	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	88,742	13.9%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	28.8	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	18,596	21.0%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	3,273	3.7%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	1,021	1.2%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	2,012	2.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	6,870	7.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	1,039	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	4,381	4.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	6,306	7.1%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	14,215	16.0%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	20,546	23.2%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	18,980	92.4%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	518	2.5%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	746	3.6%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	302	1.5%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,240	6.0%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	1,198	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	95	7.9%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	4,248	19.5%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	346	1.6%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	10,923	79.4%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	4,614	72.7%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	6,309	84.3%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	359	1.7%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	299	83.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	58	16.2%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	0.6%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	397	33.1%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	80	6.7%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	--	--	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	--	--	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$43,968	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	854	3.6%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	4,281	34.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	4,207	20.5%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1,074	7.6%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,012	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	12,650	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	1,941	16.0%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	214	11.0%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	798	41.1%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	834	43.0%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	95	4.9%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	147	7.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	505	26.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	653	33.6%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	111	5.7%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	54	1.3%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008	22.2	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	76.9%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	55.6%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	61.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	34.6%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	26.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	190	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5,260	37.0%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	130	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	650	4.6%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	62	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	136	1.0%	1,526	1.4%

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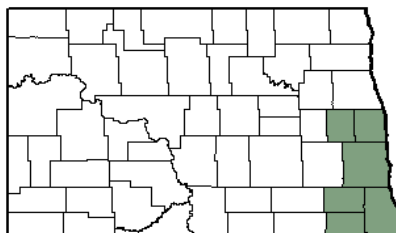
	Region IV	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	26	2.2%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	74	6.2%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	5	0.4%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	8	1.1%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	4,039	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	5,359	20.2%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	364	1.8%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	909	4.4%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	593	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	1,035	5.6%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	254	24.5%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	683	8.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	1,196	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	169	14.1%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	260	21.7%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	78	6.5%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	346	28.9%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	343	28.7%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	1,338	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	93	1.3%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Region V

Regional Council Location :	Fargo
Total Population, 2008 :	175,543
Regional Population Rank, 2008	1 of 8
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	6,498
Population Density, 2008 :	27.0

Region V	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	173,781	27.2%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	31.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	39,181	22.5%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	6,950	4.0%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	2,329	1.3%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	4,376	2.5%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	14,728	8.5%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	2,118	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	8,680	5.0%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	13,655	7.9%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	30,501	17.6%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	41,677	24.0%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	38,506	92.4%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	1,492	3.6%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	891	2.1%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	788	1.9%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,299	3.1%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	2,488	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	130	5.2%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	6,950	18.0%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	533	1.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	19,194	82.1%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	8,488	77.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	10,706	85.9%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	586	1.4%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	469	80.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	114	19.5%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	3	0.5%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	658	26.4%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	112	4.5%	618	7.0%

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	Region V	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	--	--	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	--	--	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$49,037	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	1,132	2.5%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	6,735	24.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	6,485	15.6%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1,762	5.8%	8,300	7.7%
EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,785	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	25,370	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	3,407	13.4%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	335	9.8%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	1,452	42.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	1,456	42.7%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	164	4.8%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	332	9.7%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	767	22.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	1,100	32.3%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	244	7.2%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	147	1.7%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008	22.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	75.1%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	51.8%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	60.2%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	36.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	28.4%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	497	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	13,212	43.3%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	256	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1,279	4.2%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	124	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	257	0.8%	1,526	1.4%

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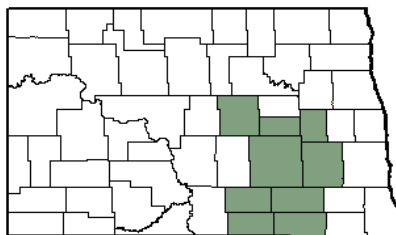
	Region V	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	62	2.5%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	156	6.3%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	17	0.7%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	10	0.9%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	5,468	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	9,149	18.5%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	716	1.7%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,538	3.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	1,182	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	1,929	4.9%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	260	13.5%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	1,486	8.7%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	2,858	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	392	13.7%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	572	20.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	318	11.1%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	791	27.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	785	27.5%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	3,006	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	134	1.3%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Region VI

Regional Council Location :	Jamestown
Total Population, 2008 :	54,878
Regional Population Rank, 2008	5 of 8
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	10,574
Population Density, 2008 :	5.2

Region VI	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	55,593	8.7%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	42.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	10,744	19.3%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	1,672	3.0%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	488	0.9%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	1,079	1.9%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	3,937	7.1%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	685	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	2,883	5.2%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	3,239	5.8%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	7,861	14.1%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	11,504	20.7%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	11,168	97.1%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	146	1.3%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	137	1.2%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	53	0.5%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	205	1.8%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	602	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	46	7.6%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	2,247	16.0%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	208	1.5%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	6,754	84.8%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	2,638	79.8%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	4,116	88.1%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	130	1.1%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	94	72.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	36	27.7%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	159	26.4%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	41	6.8%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	--	--	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	--	--	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$42,270	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	169	1.4%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	2,886	35.0%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	2,008	17.5%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	486	6.2%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,770	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	8,089	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	1,056	13.4%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	111	10.5%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	399	37.8%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	469	44.4%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	77	7.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	51	4.8%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	244	23.1%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	375	35.5%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	83	7.9%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	24	0.9%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008	21.2	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	67.1%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	44.6%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	56.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	26.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	20.2%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	145	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	2,608	33.2%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	52	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	260	3.3%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	41	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	84	1.1%	1,526	1.4%

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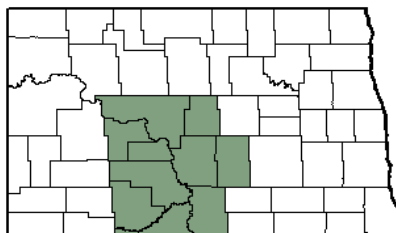
	Region VI	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	24	4.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	34	5.7%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	4	0.7%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	14	2.1%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	1,582	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	2,745	20.4%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	338	2.9%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	817	6.7%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	249	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	443	4.1%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	93	21.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	472	8.7%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	982	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	185	18.8%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	242	24.6%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	63	6.4%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	172	17.5%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	320	32.6%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	1,096	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	57	1.5%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Region VII

Regional Council Location :	Bismarck
Total Population, 2008 :	136,410
Regional Population Rank, 2008	2 of 8
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	14,024
Population Density, 2008 :	9.7

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Region VII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	135,117	21.1%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	33.8	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	29,724	22.0%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	4,996	3.7%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	1,569	1.2%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	2,965	2.2%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	11,013	8.2%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	1,750	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	7,431	5.5%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	9,530	7.1%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	22,293	16.5%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	31,641	23.4%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	27,710	87.6%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	360	1.1%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	3,320	10.5%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	251	0.8%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	496	1.6%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	1,766	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	130	7.4%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	6,241	18.5%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	923	2.7%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	16,709	81.6%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	7,089	78.7%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	9,620	83.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	351	1.1%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	212	60.4%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	129	36.8%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	10	2.8%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	594	33.6%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	123	7.0%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	--	--	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	--	--	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$50,712	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	1,778	5.3%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	6,366	28.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	6,447	20.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1,616	7.2%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,728	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	19,854	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	2,639	13.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	360	13.6%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	1,171	44.4%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	989	37.5%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	119	4.5%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	148	5.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	941	35.7%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	807	30.6%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	190	7.2%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	261	3.5%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008	21.4	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	71.2%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	46.8%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	55.1%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	29.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	22.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	301	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	6,158	27.6%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	182	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	910	4.1%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	7	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	43	0.2%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	175	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	383	1.7%	1,526	1.4%

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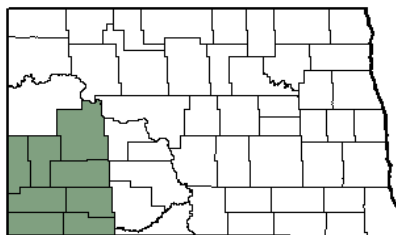
	Region VII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	108	6.1%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	124	7.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	16	0.9%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	15	1.3%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	4,101	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	8,472	23.6%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	821	2.6%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,420	4.5%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	769	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	1,435	4.8%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	287	20.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	1,380	9.8%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	2,659	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	541	20.3%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	641	24.1%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	187	7.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	615	23.1%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	675	25.4%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	2,912	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	134	1.6%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Region VIII

Regional Council Location :	Dickinson
Total Population, 2008 :	36,660
Regional Population Rank, 2008	7 of 8
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	10,001
Population Density, 2008 :	3.7

Region VIII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	36,543	5.7%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	37.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	7,609	20.8%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	1,177	3.2%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	376	1.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	746	2.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	2,672	7.3%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	504	1.4%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	2,134	5.8%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	2,299	6.3%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	5,475	15.0%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	8,173	22.4%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	7,769	95.1%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	86	1.1%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	295	3.6%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	23	0.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	132	1.6%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	427	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	22	5.2%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	1,520	15.6%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	189	1.9%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	4,651	82.7%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	1,962	79.8%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	2,689	84.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	137	1.7%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	103	75.2%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	34	24.8%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	103	24.1%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	20	4.7%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	--	--	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	--	--	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$42,762	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	143	1.6%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	1,701	29.7%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,337	16.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	358	6.5%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,582	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	5,259	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	702	13.4%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	99	14.1%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	236	33.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	322	45.9%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	45	6.4%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	27	3.8%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	163	23.2%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	247	35.2%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	45	6.4%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	23	1.1%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008	21.0	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	69.1%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	42.9%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	51.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	24.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	20.1%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	98	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1,478	27.0%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	28	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	140	2.6%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	34	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	78	1.4%	1,526	1.4%

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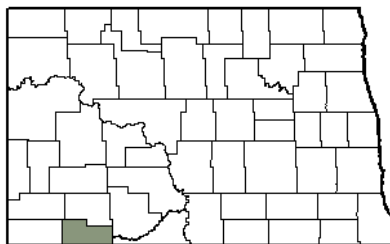
	Region VIII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	12	2.8%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	30	7.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	2	0.6%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	1,008	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	1,916	20.4%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	282	3.5%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	652	7.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	211	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	389	5.1%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	91	23.4%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	269	6.9%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	518	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	136	26.3%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	109	21.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	28	5.4%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	89	17.2%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	156	30.1%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	580	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	52	2.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Adams County

Located in : Region VIII
 County Seat : Hettinger
 Total Population, 2008 : 2,244
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 43 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 988
 Population Density, 2008 : 2.3

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Adams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,279	0.4%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	50.3	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	400	17.6%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	58	2.5%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	13	0.6%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	30	1.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	139	6.1%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	29	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	131	5.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	101	4.4%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	269	11.8%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	428	18.8%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	424	99.1%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.5%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.7%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	22	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	97	16.1%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	8	1.3%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	267	85.8%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	83	84.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	184	86.4%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.9%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	50.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	50.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	62	15.7%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	41	13.4%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$36,250	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	1	0.2%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	78	28.2%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	46	10.7%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	8	3.0%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,091	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	285	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	34	12.1%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	3	8.8%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	11	32.4%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	14	41.2%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	6	17.6%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	2	5.9%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	5	14.7%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	15	44.1%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	1	2.9%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	22.3	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	87.0%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	26.1%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	73.9%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	43.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	26.1%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	9	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	143	53.2%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	1	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	1.9%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	2	0.7%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	70	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	74	15.9%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	28	6.5%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	61	13.3%	7,620	4.9%

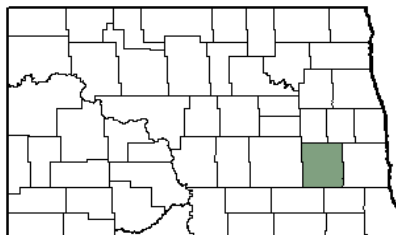
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	4	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	6	1.5%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	3	50.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	13	5.9%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	20	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	30.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	7	35.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	10.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	10.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	15.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	22	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	2	1.4%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Barnes County

Located in : Region VI
 County Seat : Valley City
 Total Population, 2008 : 10,682
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 13 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,492
 Population Density, 2008 : 7.2

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Barnes	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	10,783	1.7%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	42.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	2,079	19.3%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	308	2.9%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	103	1.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	232	2.2%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	791	7.3%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	133	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	512	4.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	643	6.0%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,567	14.5%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	2,240	20.8%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	2,148	95.9%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	40	1.8%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	42	1.9%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	10	0.4%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	26	1.2%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	100	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	12	12.0%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	477	18.2%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	35	1.3%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	1,288	83.0%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	502	77.1%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	786	86.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	33	1.5%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	21	63.6%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	12	36.4%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	27	27.0%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	12	12.0%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	237	11.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	141	9.3%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$42,679	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	53	2.1%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	587	35.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	423	18.9%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	101	6.4%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,840	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	1,567	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	228	14.9%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	19	8.3%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	62	27.2%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	125	54.8%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	22	9.6%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	7	3.1%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	28	12.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	92	40.4%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	32	14.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.0	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	68.8%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	35.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	47.5%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	30.0%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	16.3%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	20	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	441	28.1%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	15	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	75	4.8%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	10	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	16	1.0%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	286	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	566	20.4%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	56	2.5%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	142	6.0%	7,620	4.9%

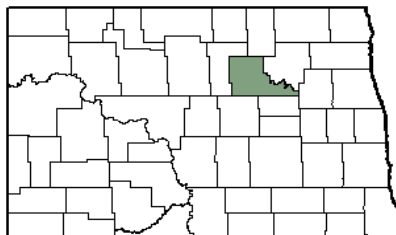
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	62	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	128	6.2%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	20	15.6%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	91	9.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	180	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	32	17.8%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	32	17.8%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	13	7.2%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	28	15.6%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	75	41.7%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	188	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	3	0.3%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Benson County

Located in : Region III
 County Seat : Minnewaukan
 Total Population, 2008 : 6,953
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 18 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,381
 Population Density, 2008 : 5.0

	Benson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
DEMOGRAPHICS				
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	6,971	1.1%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	29.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	2,346	33.7%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	461	6.6%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	137	2.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	221	3.2%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	826	11.8%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	136	2.0%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	565	8.1%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	819	11.7%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,781	25.5%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	2,469	35.4%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	732	29.6%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	9	0.4%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	1,726	69.9%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.1%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	45	1.8%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	149	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	35	23.5%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	860	34.2%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	308	12.3%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	838	70.0%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	397	67.5%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	441	72.3%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	81	3.3%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	61	75.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	13	16.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	7	8.6%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	120	80.5%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	35	23.5%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	860	38.0%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	525	34.0%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$28,458	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	581	22.5%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	1,038	75.7%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,344	54.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	93	5.2%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$11,514	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	948	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	210	20.9%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	28	13.3%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	77	36.7%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	88	41.9%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	17	8.1%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	23	11.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	46	21.9%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	89	42.4%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	12	5.7%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	19	4.5%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	18.2	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	48.5%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	26.5%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	27.9%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	10.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	10.3%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	12	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	120	6.7%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	1	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	0.3%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	46	30.9%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	10	6.7%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	910	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	1,706	63.5%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	56	2.3%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	103	4.2%	7,620	4.9%

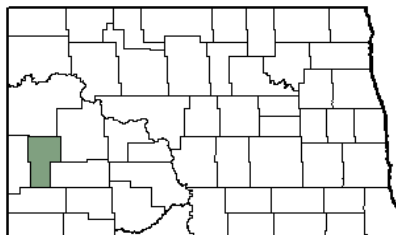
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	15	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	23	1.0%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	9	39.1%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	12	1.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	13	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	38.5%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	7.7%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	15.4%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	38.5%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	13	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	33	6.7%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Billings County

Located in : Region VIII
 County Seat : Medora
 Total Population, 2008 : 811
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 52 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,151
 Population Density, 2008 : 0.7

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Billings	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	798	0.1%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	47.4	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	144	18.0%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	24	3.0%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	2	0.3%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	17	2.1%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	50	6.3%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	5	0.6%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	46	5.8%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	43	5.4%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	98	12.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	155	19.4%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	154	99.4%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.6%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	9	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	11	5.0%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	3	1.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	105	78.1%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	29	69.0%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	76	81.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.6%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	100.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	25	17.6%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	16	14.8%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$40,417	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	0	0.0%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	11	25.6%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	2	1.3%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1	1.0%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$31,528	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	41	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	7	16.7%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	3	42.9%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	4	57.1%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	2	28.6%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	1	14.3%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	--	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	--	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	--	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	--	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	--	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	--	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	20	20.4%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	0	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1	1.0%	1,526	1.4%

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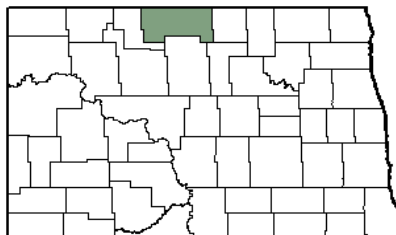
	Billings	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	0	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	15	8.7%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	11	7.1%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	19	11.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	1	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	1	0.7%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	1	100.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	8	10.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	9	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	44.4%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	33.3%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	11.1%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	11.1%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	9	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Bottineau County

Located in :	Region II
County Seat :	Bottineau
Total Population, 2008 :	6,338
County Population Rank, 2008 :	20 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,669
Population Density, 2008 :	3.8

Bottineau	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	6,409	1.0%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	47.5	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,171	18.3%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	193	3.0%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	54	0.8%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	118	1.8%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	376	5.9%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	71	1.1%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	359	5.6%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	365	5.7%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	812	12.7%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,282	20.0%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	1,176	91.7%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	29	2.3%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	66	5.1%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	11	0.9%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	13	1.0%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	65	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	191	12.0%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	27	1.7%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	760	84.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	255	79.6%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	505	86.7%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	5	0.4%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	80.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	20.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	18	27.7%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	618	7.0%

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	Bottineau	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	178	15.3%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	107	12.7%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$39,595	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	16	1.1%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	313	35.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	237	18.5%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	56	6.9%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,820	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	837	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	124	14.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	23	18.5%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	45	36.3%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	47	37.9%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	9	7.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	5	4.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	23	18.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	35	28.2%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	8	6.5%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	73.0%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	42.9%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	61.9%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	28.6%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	23.8%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	18	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	243	29.9%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	7	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	35	4.3%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	12	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	18	2.2%	1,526	1.4%

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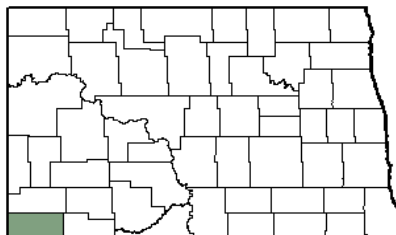
	Bottineau	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	116	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	362	23.9%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	54	4.2%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	121	8.9%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	25	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	40	3.4%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	7	17.5%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	46	7.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	56	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	25	44.6%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	10	17.9%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	1.8%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	11	19.6%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	9	16.1%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	61	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	2	0.4%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Bowman County

Located in : Region VIII
 County Seat : Bowman
 Total Population, 2008 : 3,019
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 35 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,162
 Population Density, 2008 : 2.6

	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,944	0.5%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	47.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	550	18.7%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	78	2.6%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	30	1.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	57	1.9%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	175	5.9%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	31	1.1%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	179	6.1%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	165	5.6%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	371	12.6%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	590	20.0%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	589	99.8%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	6	1.0%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	38	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	80	10.3%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	12	1.5%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	387	92.5%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	143	92.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	244	92.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	11	1.9%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	7	63.6%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	36.4%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	7	18.4%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	56	10.3%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	38	9.3%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$42,708	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	0	0.0%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	125	22.3%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	57	9.7%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1	0.3%	8,300	7.7%
EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$9,532	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	582	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	62	10.8%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	12	19.4%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	22	35.5%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	24	38.7%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	4	6.5%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	14	22.6%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	26	41.9%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	5	8.1%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.6	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	68.6%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	51.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	49.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	21.6%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	19.6%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	80	21.6%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	5	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	25	6.7%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	1,526	1.4%

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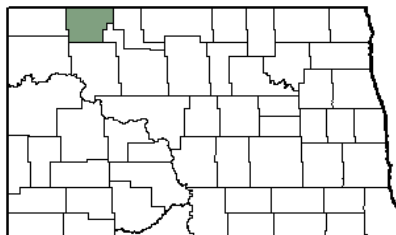
	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	75	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	97	15.0%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	17	2.9%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	74	11.7%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	16	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	26	4.7%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	6	23.1%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	15	5.3%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	25	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	8	32.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	24.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	12.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	8	32.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	25	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Burke County

Located in :	Region II
County Seat :	Bowbells
Total Population, 2008 :	1,820
County Population Rank, 2008 :	47 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,104
Population Density, 2008 :	1.6

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Burke	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	1,862	0.3%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	50.3	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	344	18.5%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	52	2.8%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	13	0.7%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	34	1.8%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	106	5.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	24	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	115	6.2%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	99	5.3%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	229	12.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	362	19.4%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	356	98.3%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	5	1.4%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.3%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	9	2.5%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	15	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	75	16.1%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	5	1.1%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	206	88.8%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	72	83.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	134	91.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.3%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	100.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	50	14.6%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	33	12.7%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$37,727	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	8	2.1%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	63	25.6%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	47	13.0%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	5	2.2%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$12,517	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	240	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	53	21.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	10	18.9%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	24	45.3%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	16	30.2%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	3	5.7%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	2	3.8%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	9	17.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	18	34.0%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.9%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.8	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	55.6%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	38.9%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	61.1%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	27.8%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	22.2%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	3	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	43	18.8%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	1	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	2.2%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1	0.4%	1,526	1.4%

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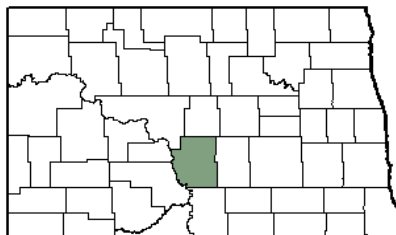
	Burke	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	31	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	66	17.0%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.3%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	42	11.3%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	11	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	23	6.7%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	0	0.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	6	3.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	6	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	66.7%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	16.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	16.7%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	6	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	2	1.7%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Burleigh County

Located in :	Region VI
County Seat :	Bismarck
Total Population, 2008 :	78,689
County Population Rank, 2008 :	2 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,633
Population Density, 2008 :	48.2

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Burleigh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	77,316	12.1%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	35.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	16,885	21.8%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	2,950	3.8%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	954	1.2%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	1,829	2.4%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	6,400	8.3%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	949	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	3,803	4.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	5,733	7.4%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	13,082	16.9%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	18,030	23.3%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	16,359	90.7%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	233	1.3%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	1,278	7.1%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	160	0.9%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	308	1.7%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	1,055	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	67	6.4%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	3,297	19.2%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	318	1.9%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	8,905	83.5%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	4,057	79.5%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	4,848	86.9%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	221	1.2%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	140	63.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	76	34.4%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	5	2.3%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	341	32.3%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	63	6.0%	618	7.0%

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	Burleigh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	1,526	9.2%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	926	7.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$53,062	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	854	4.4%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	2,853	23.3%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	3,130	17.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1,017	7.8%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,518	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	11,239	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	1,369	12.3%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	161	11.8%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	622	45.4%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	529	38.6%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	57	4.2%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	83	6.1%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	456	33.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	405	29.6%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	100	7.3%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	184	4.6%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.8	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	73.5%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	48.7%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	58.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	30.8%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	22.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	198	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	4,419	33.8%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	101	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	505	3.9%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	91	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	190	1.5%	1,526	1.4%

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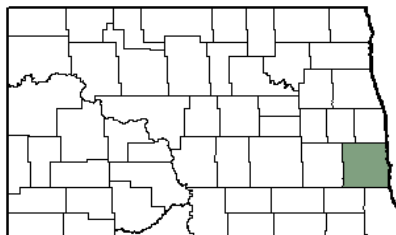
	Burleigh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	53	5.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	70	6.6%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	11	1.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	6	1.2%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	2,743	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	4,206	20.1%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	363	2.0%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	506	2.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	514	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	960	5.7%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	183	19.1%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	856	11.4%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	1,674	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	313	18.7%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	392	23.4%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	109	6.5%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	397	23.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	463	27.7%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	1,809	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	44	0.9%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Cass County

Located in :	Region V
County Seat :	Fargo
Total Population, 2008 :	139,918
County Population Rank, 2008 :	1 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,765
Population Density, 2008 :	79.3

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	137,582	21.5%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	31.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	31,348	22.8%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	5,788	4.2%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	1,948	1.4%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	3,596	2.6%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	11,792	8.6%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	1,664	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	6,560	4.8%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	11,332	8.2%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	24,788	18.0%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	33,250	24.2%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	30,387	91.4%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	1,407	4.2%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	707	2.1%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	749	2.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,076	3.2%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	2,055	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	101	4.9%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	5,529	19.2%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	390	1.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	14,675	82.0%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	6,695	77.0%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	7,980	86.2%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	502	1.5%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	397	79.1%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	103	20.5%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	0.4%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	545	26.5%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	86	4.2%	618	7.0%

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	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	3,196	10.3%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	1,681	7.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$51,288	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	980	2.7%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	4,883	23.1%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	5,109	15.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1,491	6.0%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,989	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	19,482	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	2,426	12.4%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	247	10.2%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	1,046	43.1%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	1,016	41.9%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	117	4.8%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	278	11.5%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	565	23.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	714	29.4%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	191	7.9%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	131	2.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	22.6	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	79.4%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	55.8%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	64.1%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	40.1%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	31.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	406	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	11,511	46.4%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	214	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1,069	4.3%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	89	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	199	0.8%	1,526	1.4%

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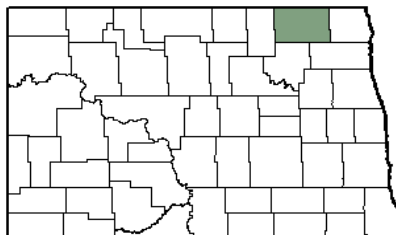
	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	49	2.4%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	133	6.5%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	14	0.7%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	8	1.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	4,283	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	7,331	18.6%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	530	1.6%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	970	3.0%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	1,043	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	1,698	5.4%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	213	12.5%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	1,286	9.8%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	2,538	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	298	11.7%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	541	21.3%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	289	11.4%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	700	27.6%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	710	28.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	2,678	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	124	1.6%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Cavalier County

Located in :	Region III
County Seat :	Langdon
Total Population, 2008 :	3,841
County Population Rank, 2008 :	30 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,488
Population Density, 2008 :	2.6

Cavalier	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	3,911	0.6%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	51.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	738	18.9%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	97	2.5%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	24	0.6%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	73	1.9%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	220	5.6%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	52	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	272	7.0%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	194	5.0%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	466	11.9%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	793	20.3%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	770	97.1%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	8	1.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	12	1.5%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.4%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	14	1.8%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	29	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	120	10.1%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	9	0.8%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	540	82.2%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	178	70.8%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	362	87.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.4%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	66.7%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	33.3%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	8	27.6%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	132	18.1%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	86	14.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$44,844	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	18	2.2%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	177	32.1%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	118	14.9%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	34	7.3%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,656	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	533	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	69	14.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	13	18.8%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	24	34.8%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	28	40.6%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	4	5.8%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	3	4.3%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	19	27.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	29	42.0%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	4	1.7%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.7	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	69.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	42.4%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	51.5%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	22.7%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	19.7%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	6	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	126	27.0%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	2	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	10	2.1%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1	0.2%	1,526	1.4%

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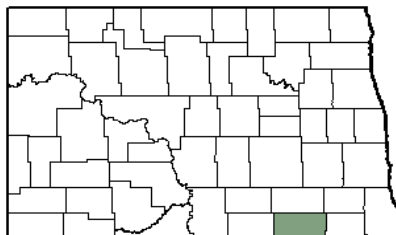
	Cavalier	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	96	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	169	19.7%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	32	4.0%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	112	12.5%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	7	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	13	1.8%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	2	15.4%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	25	5.8%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	38	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	7.9%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	10	26.3%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	7	18.4%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	12	31.6%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	15.8%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	39	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Dickey County

Located in :	Region VI
County Seat :	Ellendale
Total Population, 2008 :	5,237
County Population Rank, 2008 :	23 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,131
Population Density, 2008 :	4.6

Dickey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	5,356	0.8%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	42.2	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,203	22.5%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	216	4.0%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	67	1.3%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	130	2.4%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	423	7.9%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	62	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	305	5.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	413	7.7%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	898	16.8%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,271	23.7%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	1,230	96.8%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	22	1.7%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	12	0.9%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	7	0.6%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	57	4.5%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	68	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	198	14.5%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	22	1.6%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	646	85.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	294	77.2%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	352	92.0%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	15	1.2%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	12	80.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	3	20.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	8	11.8%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	191	16.1%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	119	14.1%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$37,147	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	1	0.1%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	224	26.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	203	16.0%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	41	4.6%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$6,247	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	826	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	80	9.4%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	12	15.0%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	35	43.8%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	29	36.3%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	4	5.0%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.3%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	25	31.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	23	28.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	8	10.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.4%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.6	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	70.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	39.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	70.7%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	31.7%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	29.3%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	18	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	341	38.0%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	2	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	10	1.1%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	1,526	1.4%

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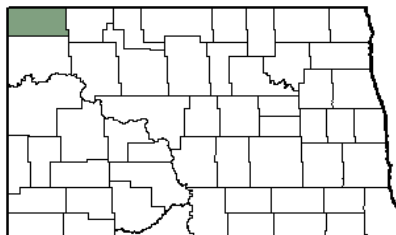
	Dickey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	108	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	284	18.8%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	25	2.0%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	128	9.9%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	18	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	32	2.7%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	3	9.4%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	19	3.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	31	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	12.9%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	9.7%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	3.2%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	20	64.5%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	9.7%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	35	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	3	0.8%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Divide County

Located in :	Region I
County Seat :	Crosby
Total Population, 2008 :	1,986
County Population Rank, 2008 :	45 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,260
Population Density, 2008 :	1.6

Divide	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,004	0.3%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	51.2	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	313	15.6%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	45	2.2%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	17	0.8%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	35	1.7%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	84	4.2%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	18	0.9%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	114	5.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	97	4.8%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	199	9.9%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	328	16.4%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	319	97.3%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.3%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.9%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	5	1.5%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	4	1.2%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	18	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	59	12.8%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	11	2.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	218	86.2%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	68	76.5%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	150	90.7%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	4	1.2%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	50.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	50.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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	Divide	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	51	16.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	35	15.1%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$37,292	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	0	0.0%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	65	29.3%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	55	16.8%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	21	10.6%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$10,312	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	247	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	24	10.5%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	3	12.5%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	12	50.0%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	7	29.2%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	2	8.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	3	12.5%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	9	37.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	3	12.5%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	2	8.3%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.9%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.3	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	79.3%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	62.1%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	55.2%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	31.0%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	17.2%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	4	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	69	34.7%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	3	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	15	7.5%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	4	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	10	5.0%	1,526	1.4%

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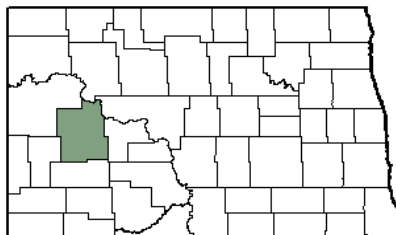
	Divide	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	42	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	73	19.9%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	15	4.6%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	53	14.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	8	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	10	3.2%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	1	10.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	5	2.9%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	10	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	20.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	10.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	60.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	10.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	10	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	3	2.5%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Dunn County

Located in : Region VIII
 County Seat : Manning
 Total Population, 2008 : 3,318
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 33 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 2,010
 Population Density, 2008 : 1.7

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Dunn	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	3,308	0.5%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	44.8	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	722	21.8%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	101	3.1%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	27	0.8%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	53	1.6%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	268	8.1%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	56	1.7%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	217	6.6%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	181	5.5%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	505	15.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	773	23.4%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	599	77.5%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	5	0.6%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	168	21.7%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.1%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	5	0.6%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	33	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	172	17.4%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	29	2.9%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	413	80.1%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	136	66.2%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	277	87.0%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	9	1.2%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	6	66.7%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	3	33.3%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	11	33.3%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	133	18.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	82	14.6%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$35,750	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	6	0.7%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	151	33.4%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	108	14.0%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	13	2.6%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$12,189	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	434	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	54	12.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	6	11.1%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	16	29.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	29	53.7%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	3	5.6%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	2	3.7%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	14	25.9%	3,644	27.4%
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Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	2	3.7%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	22.0	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	76.0%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	48.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	56.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	40.0%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	36.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
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Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	31	6.1%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	1	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	1.0%	4,507	4.2%
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HEALTH

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Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	30	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	190	22.4%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	37	4.8%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	122	15.1%	7,620	4.9%

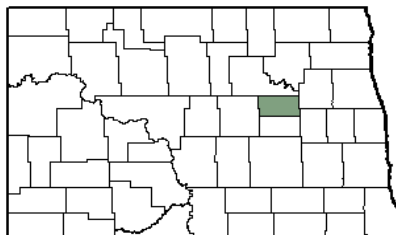
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	6	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	17	2.4%	6,982	4.9%
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Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	21	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	5	2.5%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Eddy County

Located in : Region III
 County Seat : New Rockford
 Total Population, 2008 : 2,388
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 38 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 630
 Population Density, 2008 : 3.8

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Eddy	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,430	0.4%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	48.4	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	471	19.4%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	63	2.6%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	22	0.9%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	34	1.4%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	182	7.5%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	28	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	142	5.8%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	119	4.9%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	329	13.5%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	496	20.4%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	461	92.9%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	15	3.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	18	3.6%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.4%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	6	1.2%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	27	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	90	13.8%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	10	1.5%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	307	77.2%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	141	69.5%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	166	83.7%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	5	1.0%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	3	60.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	40.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	11	40.7%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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	Eddy	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	68	14.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	43	11.8%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$43,875	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	11	2.1%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	116	32.5%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	98	19.8%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	16	4.9%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$6,435	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	381	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	54	15.1%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	7	13.0%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	17	31.5%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	28	51.9%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	2	3.7%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.9%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	12	22.2%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	33	61.1%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	3	5.6%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.7%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	18.9	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	50.0%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	20.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	36.7%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	3.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	3.3%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	7	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	116	35.3%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	1	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	1.5%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	4	1.2%	1,526	1.4%

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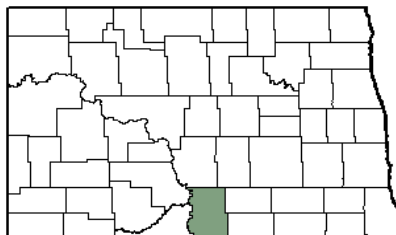
	Eddy	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	66	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	142	26.5%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	25	5.0%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	42	7.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	5	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	9	1.9%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	1	11.1%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	11	4.3%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	12	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	41.7%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	41.7%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	8.3%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	8.3%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	13	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Emmons County

Located in : Region VII
 County Seat : Linton
 Total Population, 2008 : 3,377
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 32 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,510
 Population Density, 2008 : 2.2

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Emmons	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	3,470	0.5%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	49.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	690	19.9%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	76	2.2%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	26	0.7%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	56	1.6%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	239	6.9%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	65	1.9%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	228	6.6%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	158	4.6%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	462	13.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	727	21.0%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	722	99.3%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	5	0.7%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	14	1.9%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	34	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	126	11.7%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	21	2.0%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	464	85.6%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	197	82.2%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	267	88.0%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	5	0.7%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	80.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	20.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	6	17.6%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	618	7.0%

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	Emmons	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	118	17.3%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	77	13.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$32,841	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	2	0.3%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	248	40.0%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	76	10.5%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	15	3.2%	8,300	7.7%
EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,624	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	611	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	57	9.1%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	5	8.8%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	25	43.9%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	20	35.1%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	7	12.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	20	35.1%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	26	45.6%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	3	5.3%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.6	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	71.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	32.6%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	47.8%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	15.2%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	10.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	9	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	101	21.9%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	3	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	15	3.2%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	1,526	1.4%

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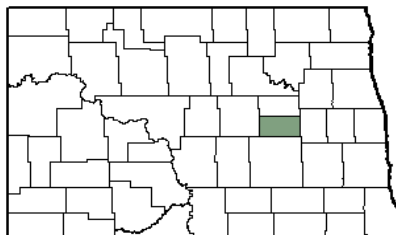
	Emmons	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	184	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	128	16.3%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	65	8.9%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	134	16.9%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	8	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	15	2.2%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	4	26.7%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	35	8.3%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	47	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	23	48.9%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	8	17.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	14	29.8%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	4.3%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	47	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Foster County

Located in :	Region VI
County Seat :	Carrington
Total Population, 2008 :	3,447
County Population Rank, 2008 :	31 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	635
Population Density, 2008 :	5.4

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Foster	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	3,490	0.5%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	44.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	745	21.3%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	135	3.9%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	29	0.8%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	58	1.7%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	265	7.6%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	44	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	214	6.1%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	222	6.4%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	531	15.2%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	785	22.5%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	766	97.6%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	13	1.7%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	6	0.8%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	5	0.6%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	39	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	6	15.4%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

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Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	6	75.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	25.0%	525	24.6%
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EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,259	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	576	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	60	10.4%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	7	11.7%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	27	45.0%	5,512	41.5%
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Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	2	3.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.7%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	12	20.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	28	46.7%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	2	3.3%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	2	1.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.9	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	59.6%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	55.3%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	53.2%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	19.1%	--	30.7%
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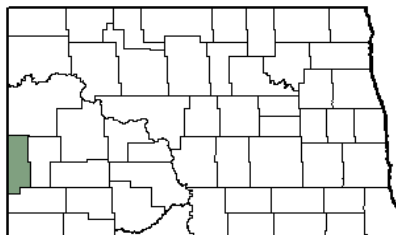
	Foster	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	124	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	144	17.0%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	24	3.1%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	63	7.5%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	10	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	16	2.1%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	3	18.8%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	32	8.2%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	69	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	16	23.2%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	19	27.5%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	4.3%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	11	15.9%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	20	29.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	83	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Golden Valley County

Located in : Region VIII
 County Seat : Beach
 Total Population, 2008 : 1,640
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 50 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,002
 Population Density, 2008 : 1.6

Golden Valley	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	1,670	0.3%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	46.0	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	395	23.7%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	39	2.3%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	15	0.9%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	25	1.5%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	120	7.2%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	27	1.6%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	169	10.1%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	79	4.7%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	226	13.5%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	416	24.9%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	399	95.9%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.7%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	14	3.4%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	13	3.1%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	11	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	78	14.3%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	12	2.2%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	204	79.9%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	85	71.8%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	119	85.7%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	8	1.9%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	50.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	50.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	83	24.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	52	19.1%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$38,365	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	0	0.0%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	175	49.7%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	84	20.2%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	17	7.5%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$11,056	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	304	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	43	14.0%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	4	9.3%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	10	23.3%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	28	65.1%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	1	2.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	4	9.3%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	8	18.6%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	18	41.9%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	2	4.7%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.8%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	19.7	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	61.9%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	23.8%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	38.1%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	14.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	0.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	4	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	54	23.9%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	0	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	6	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	16	7.1%	1,526	1.4%

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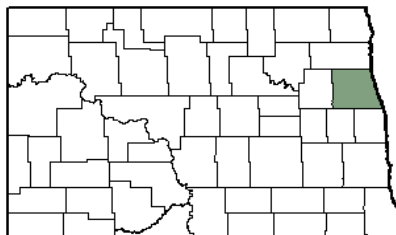
	Golden Valley	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	30	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	105	23.3%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	21	5.0%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	52	13.7%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	3	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	4	1.0%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	0	0.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	18	6.9%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	30	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	8	26.7%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	10	33.3%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	8	26.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	13.3%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	34	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	4	2.6%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Grand Forks County

Located in : Region IV
 County Seat : Grand Forks
 Total Population, 2008 : 66,585
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 3 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,438
 Population Density, 2008 : 46.3

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Grand Forks	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	66,983	10.5%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	28.8	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	14,229	21.2%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	2,608	3.9%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	820	1.2%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	1,551	2.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	5,267	7.9%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	806	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	3,177	4.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	4,979	7.4%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	11,052	16.5%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	15,911	23.8%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	14,501	91.1%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	478	3.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	650	4.1%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	282	1.8%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	716	4.5%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	956	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	72	7.5%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	3,298	21.0%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	247	1.6%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	8,054	78.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	3,479	71.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	4,575	83.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	305	1.9%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	253	83.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	52	17.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	308	32.2%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	60	6.3%	618	7.0%

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	Grand Forks	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	1,863	13.3%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	1,039	10.6%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$46,123	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	740	3.9%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	2,946	33.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	3,158	19.8%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	938	8.5%	8,300	7.7%
EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,078	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	9,033	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	1,342	15.6%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	140	10.4%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	558	41.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	590	44.0%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	54	4.0%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	119	8.9%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	302	22.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	467	34.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	77	5.7%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	35	1.2%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	22.7	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	79.6%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	60.8%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	65.7%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	37.6%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	30.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	148	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	4,470	40.4%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	112	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	560	5.1%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	54	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	124	1.1%	1,526	1.4%

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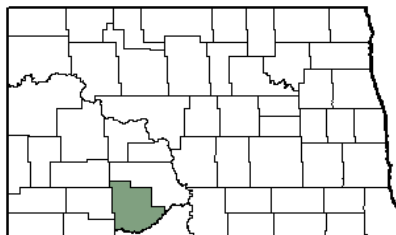
	Grand Forks	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	15	1.6%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	52	5.4%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	6	1.4%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	3,015	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	3,957	18.5%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	193	1.2%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	484	3.1%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	496	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	861	6.1%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	215	25.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	521	8.3%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	921	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	93	10.1%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	197	21.4%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	62	6.7%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	290	31.5%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	279	30.3%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	1,017	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	70	1.3%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Grant County

Located in :	Region VII
County Seat :	Carson
Total Population, 2008 :	2,415
County Population Rank, 2008 :	37 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,659
Population Density, 2008 :	1.5

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Grant	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,467	0.4%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	50.4	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	441	17.9%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	55	2.2%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	9	0.4%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	29	1.2%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	143	5.8%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	31	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	174	7.1%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	93	3.8%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	267	10.8%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	469	19.0%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	434	92.5%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	31	6.6%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.9%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	7	1.5%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	11	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	65	9.8%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	20	3.0%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	305	81.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	127	78.7%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	178	83.1%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	7	1.5%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	5	71.4%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	28.6%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	120	29.7%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	75	23.4%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$31,500	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	17	3.5%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	182	58.1%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	96	20.5%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	13	4.9%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,448	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	280	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	55	20.8%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	9	16.4%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	19	34.5%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	27	49.1%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.8%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.8%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	20	36.4%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	3	5.5%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	--	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	--	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	--	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	--	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	--	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	--	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	3	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	45	16.9%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	3	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	15	5.6%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1	0.4%	1,526	1.4%

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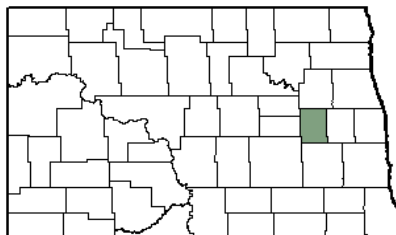
	Grant	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	26	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	111	21.5%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	26	5.5%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	79	17.3%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	12	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	30	6.8%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	9	30.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	15	5.4%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	19	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	21.1%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	21.1%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	26.3%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	31.6%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	24	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	2	1.1%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Griggs County

Located in : Region VI
 County Seat : Cooperstown
 Total Population, 2008 : 2,359
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 40 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 709
 Population Density, 2008 : 3.3

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Griggs	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,397	0.4%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	50.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	408	17.0%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	56	2.3%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	15	0.6%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	39	1.6%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	153	6.4%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	31	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	114	4.8%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	110	4.6%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	294	12.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	437	18.2%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	435	99.5%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	9	2.1%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	26	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	58	9.3%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	2	0.3%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	297	88.9%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	103	75.7%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	194	95.9%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.5%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	50.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	50.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	9	34.6%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	57	14.1%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	35	11.3%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$41,458	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	15	3.3%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	167	42.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	72	16.5%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	17	5.8%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$9,309	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	397	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	61	15.6%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.6%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	25	41.0%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	29	47.5%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	6	9.8%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	7	11.5%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	7	11.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	27	44.3%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.6%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.7%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	22.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	75.0%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	66.7%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	58.3%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	50.0%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	25.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	6	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	125	42.5%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	1	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	1.7%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	2	0.7%	1,526	1.4%

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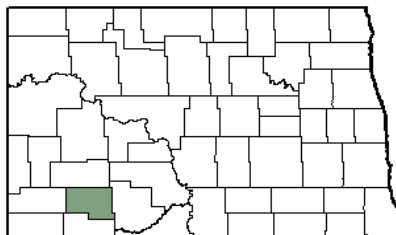
	Griggs	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	74	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	117	24.4%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	28	6.4%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	57	12.1%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	6	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	12	2.9%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	3	25.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	8	3.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	9	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	55.6%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	11.1%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	22.2%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	11.1%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	9	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Hettinger County

Located in : Region VIII
 County Seat : Mott
 Total Population, 2008 : 2,378
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 39 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,132
 Population Density, 2008 : 2.1

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Hettinger	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,427	0.4%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	50.4	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	391	16.1%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	51	2.1%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	12	0.5%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	28	1.2%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	138	5.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	36	1.5%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	126	5.2%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	91	3.7%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	265	10.9%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	421	17.3%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	415	98.6%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	6	1.4%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.7%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	15	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	71	11.2%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	15	2.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	278	75.2%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	104	67.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	174	79.9%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	6	1.4%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	5	83.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	16.7%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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	Hettinger	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	69	17.8%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	46	14.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$34,050	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	10	2.3%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	111	30.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	66	15.7%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	18	6.8%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,838	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	380	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	30	8.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	5	16.7%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	8	26.7%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	13	43.3%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	4	13.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	3.3%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	4	13.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	10	33.3%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.7	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	70.2%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	51.1%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	46.8%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	17.0%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	14.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	4	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	66	24.9%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	0	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
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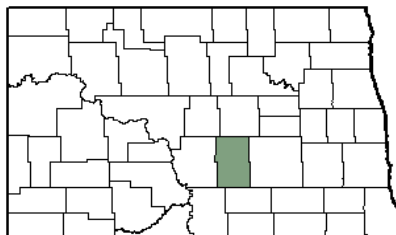
	Hettinger	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	35	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	80	17.1%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	8	1.9%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	96	20.3%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	2	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	2	0.5%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	1	50.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	3	1.3%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	8	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	25.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	25.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	50.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	8	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	2	1.4%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Kidder County

Located in : Region VII
 County Seat : Steele
 Total Population, 2008 : 2,290
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 41 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,351
 Population Density, 2008 : 1.7

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Kidder	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,349	0.4%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	49.0	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	416	17.7%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	69	2.9%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	12	0.5%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	42	1.8%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	158	6.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	22	0.9%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	113	4.8%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	123	5.2%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	303	12.9%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	449	19.1%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	444	98.9%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	5	1.1%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	10	2.2%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	28	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	81	12.7%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	12	1.9%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	300	79.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	109	77.1%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	191	80.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	11	2.4%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	5	45.5%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	3	27.3%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	3	27.3%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	78	18.8%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	53	17.3%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$32,578	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	5	1.1%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	163	40.5%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	49	10.9%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	23	7.6%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,735	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	394	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	56	13.9%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	6	10.7%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	23	41.1%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	23	41.1%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	4	7.1%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	23	41.1%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	22	39.3%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.8%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.8%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.9	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	65.5%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	37.9%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	48.3%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	31.0%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	20.7%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	3	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	48	15.8%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	4	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	20	6.6%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	3	1.0%	1,526	1.4%

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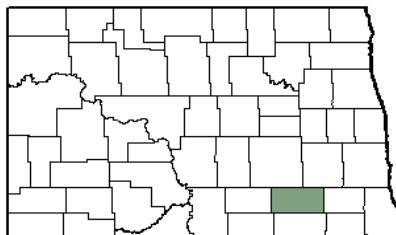
	Kidder	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	61	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	87	17.6%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	53	11.8%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	79	16.5%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	9	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	20	4.8%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	7	35.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	11	5.2%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	17	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	11.8%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	5.9%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	11.8%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	35.3%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	35.3%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	21	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	5	2.8%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



LaMoure County

Located in :	Region VI
County Seat :	LaMoure
Total Population, 2008 :	3,986
County Population Rank, 2008 :	29 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,147
Population Density, 2008 :	3.5

LaMoure	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	4,110	0.6%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	48.1	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	795	19.3%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	118	2.9%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	39	0.9%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	77	1.9%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	266	6.5%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	65	1.6%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	230	5.6%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	234	5.7%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	565	13.7%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	844	20.5%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	830	98.3%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	7	0.8%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.4%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.5%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	16	1.9%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	53	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	130	11.4%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	16	1.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	512	79.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	182	70.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	330	84.2%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	8	0.9%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	7	87.5%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	12.5%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	12	22.6%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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	LaMoure	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	102	13.0%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	66	11.4%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$41,328	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	8	0.9%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	279	43.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	113	13.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	32	5.7%	8,300	7.7%
EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,473	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	667	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	83	13.4%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	7	8.4%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	32	38.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	38	45.8%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	6	7.2%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	4	4.8%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	30	36.1%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	21	25.3%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	4	4.8%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	68.3%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	52.4%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	60.3%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	23.8%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	19.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	8	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	151	26.7%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	2	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	10	1.8%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	2	0.4%	1,526	1.4%

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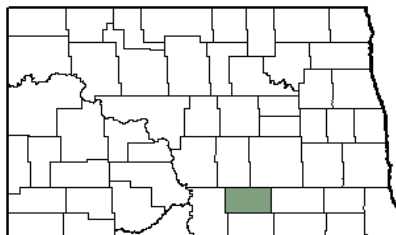
	LaMoure	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	155	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	161	17.3%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	19	2.3%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	91	9.9%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	9	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	24	3.0%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	11	45.8%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	11	2.6%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	17	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	8	47.1%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	11.8%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	5.9%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	35.3%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	17	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	7	2.2%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Logan County

Located in :	Region VI
County Seat :	Napoleon
Total Population, 2008 :	1,943
County Population Rank, 2008 :	46 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	993
Population Density, 2008 :	2.0

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Logan	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	1,956	0.3%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	50.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	372	19.0%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	40	2.0%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	13	0.7%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	31	1.6%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	151	7.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	22	1.1%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	115	5.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	84	4.3%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	257	13.1%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	393	20.1%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	388	98.7%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.5%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.8%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.8%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	17	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	31	5.9%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	2	0.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	230	82.2%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	97	83.5%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	133	81.2%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	72	19.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	47	15.5%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$35,982	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	5	1.2%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	100	30.5%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	49	12.5%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	27	10.5%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,337	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	329	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	32	10.0%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	4	12.5%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	12	37.5%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	15	46.9%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	1	3.1%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	2	6.3%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	11	34.4%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	12	37.5%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	1	3.1%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.9%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	63.3%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	33.3%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	40.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	13.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	10.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	6	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	93	36.2%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	0	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1	0.4%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	37	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	74	17.3%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	25	6.4%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	57	13.2%	7,620	4.9%

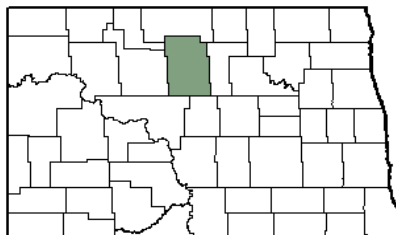
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	8	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	17	4.6%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	3	17.6%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	12	5.4%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	20	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	8	40.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	15.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	10.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	7	35.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	22	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	2	2.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



McHenry County

Located in :	Region II
County Seat :	Towner
Total Population, 2008 :	5,168
County Population Rank, 2008 :	24 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,874
Population Density, 2008 :	2.8

McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	5,224	0.8%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	46.2	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,034	19.8%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	147	2.8%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	56	1.1%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	87	1.7%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	402	7.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	58	1.1%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	284	5.4%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	290	5.6%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	750	14.4%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,099	21.0%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	1,081	98.4%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	10	0.9%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	6	0.5%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.2%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	7	0.6%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	57	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	209	14.6%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	34	2.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	674	78.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	259	73.0%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	415	81.7%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	8	0.7%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	50.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	50.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	16	28.1%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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	McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	215	21.0%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	138	17.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$38,684	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	11	0.9%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	397	46.7%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	255	23.2%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	57	7.6%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,568	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	896	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	125	14.1%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	18	14.4%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	44	35.2%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	55	44.0%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	8	6.4%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	7	5.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	45	36.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	37	29.6%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	5	4.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.3%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	65.0%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	55.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	45.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	33.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	28.3%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	12	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	178	23.7%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	2	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	10	1.3%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	9	1.2%	1,526	1.4%

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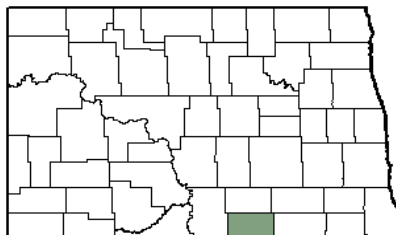
	McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	140	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	319	26.2%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	73	6.6%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	144	12.4%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	14	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	24	2.3%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	2	8.3%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	39	7.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	56	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	15	26.8%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	7.1%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	5.4%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	12	21.4%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	22	39.3%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	59	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



McIntosh County

Located in : Region VI
 County Seat : Ashley
 Total Population, 2008 : 2,639
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 36 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 975
 Population Density, 2008 : 2.7

DEMOGRAPHICS

	McIntosh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,752	0.4%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	54.1	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	422	15.3%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	72	2.6%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	9	0.3%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	36	1.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	162	5.9%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	22	0.8%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	121	4.4%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	117	4.3%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	301	10.9%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	455	16.5%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	449	98.7%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.9%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	7	1.5%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	27	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	86	13.1%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	3	0.5%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	307	88.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	118	89.0%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	189	87.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	10	2.2%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	8	80.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	20.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	8	29.6%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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	McIntosh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	87	20.7%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	57	17.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$39,911	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	7	1.5%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	124	32.1%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	65	14.3%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	13	4.3%	8,300	7.7%
EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$9,325	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	406	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	36	9.5%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	5	13.9%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	11	30.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	16	44.4%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	4	11.1%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	2.8%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	11	30.6%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	15	41.7%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	2	5.6%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.8%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.3	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	62.1%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	34.5%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	55.2%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	20.7%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	20.7%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	7	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	97	32.2%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	1	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	1.7%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	2	0.7%	1,526	1.4%

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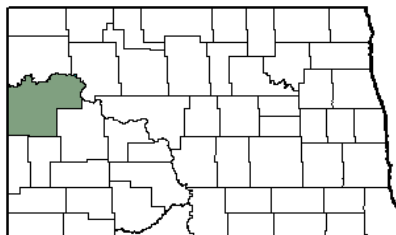
	McIntosh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	70	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	103	20.8%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	23	5.1%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	57	10.4%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	16	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	22	5.2%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	6	27.3%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	15	6.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	24	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	8.3%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	20.8%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	4.2%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	15	62.5%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	4.2%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	38	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



McKenzie County

Located in : Region I
 County Seat : Watford City
 Total Population, 2008 : 5,674
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 21 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 2,742
 Population Density, 2008 : 2.1

DEMOGRAPHICS

	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	5,617	0.9%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	43.0	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,318	23.5%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	196	3.5%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	53	0.9%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	109	1.9%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	480	8.5%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	87	1.5%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	393	7.0%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	358	6.4%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	925	16.5%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,412	25.1%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	868	61.5%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	32	2.3%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	511	36.2%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.1%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	31	2.2%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	60	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	394	22.4%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	113	6.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	659	75.6%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	255	67.8%	32,942	76.1%
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Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	11	61.1%	1,581	74.1%
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Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
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Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	240	18.4%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	154	15.4%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$34,856	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	99	6.7%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	259	31.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	439	31.1%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	55	5.9%	8,300	7.7%
EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$14,062	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	808	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	68	8.3%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	7	10.3%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	27	39.7%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	32	47.1%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	2	2.9%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	3	4.4%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	20	29.4%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	26	38.2%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	2	2.9%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	9	3.4%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.7	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	72.5%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	50.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	60.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	27.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	25.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
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Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	7	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	113	12.2%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	4	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	20	2.2%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	3	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	15	1.6%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	4	--	703	--
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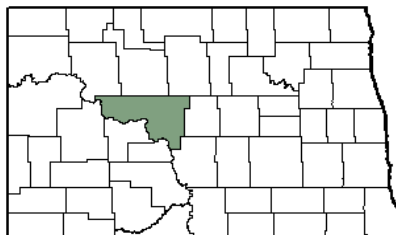
	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	10	16.7%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	41	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	577	37.2%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	40	2.8%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	132	8.9%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	18	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	27	2.0%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	4	14.8%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	27	3.8%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	53	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	11	20.8%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	13	24.5%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	9.4%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	13	24.5%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	11	20.8%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	54	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	7	1.8%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



McLean County

Located in : Region VII
 County Seat : Washburn
 Total Population, 2008 : 8,337
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 14 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 2,110
 Population Density, 2008 : 4.0

DEMOGRAPHICS

	McLean	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	8,349	1.3%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	48.5	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,565	18.7%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	236	2.8%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	63	0.8%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	120	1.4%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	560	6.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	93	1.1%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	493	5.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	419	5.0%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,072	12.8%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,678	20.1%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	1,457	86.8%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	16	1.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	199	11.9%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	6	0.4%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	32	1.9%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	67	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	340	15.4%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	68	3.1%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	1,076	74.5%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	350	70.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	726	76.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	10	0.6%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	3	30.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	7	70.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	15	22.4%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	244	15.8%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	154	13.2%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$42,415	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	56	3.2%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	529	35.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	281	16.7%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	47	4.4%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,183	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	1,473	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	188	12.7%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	27	14.4%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	87	46.3%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	64	34.0%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	10	5.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	14	7.4%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	72	38.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	49	26.1%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	12	6.4%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	4	0.8%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	62.6%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	50.5%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	54.5%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	33.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	21.2%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	13	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	175	16.3%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	4	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	20	1.9%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	0.5%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	6	0.6%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	6	9.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	202	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	422	22.8%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	51	3.0%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	147	8.2%	7,620	4.9%

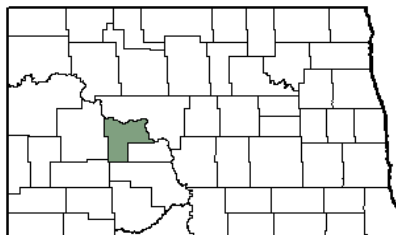
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	15	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	24	1.5%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	3	12.5%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	61	7.3%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	104	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	32	30.8%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	17	16.3%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	7	6.7%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	28	26.9%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	20	19.2%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	108	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	6	1.1%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Mercer County

Located in : Region VII
 County Seat : Stanton
 Total Population, 2008 : 7,854
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 15 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,045
 Population Density, 2008 : 7.5

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Mercer	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	7,972	1.2%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	45.7	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,651	20.7%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	222	2.8%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	71	0.9%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	120	1.5%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	570	7.2%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	118	1.5%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	550	6.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	413	5.2%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,101	13.8%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,765	22.1%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	1,663	94.2%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	10	0.6%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	68	3.9%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	24	1.4%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	13	0.7%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	66	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	298	11.9%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	32	1.3%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	1,192	76.8%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	326	67.8%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	866	80.3%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	9	0.5%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	11.1%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	8	88.9%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	23	34.8%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	134	8.3%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	82	6.5%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$55,707	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	41	2.2%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	236	17.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	227	12.9%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	61	5.5%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,114	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	1,315	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	188	13.9%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	24	12.8%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	76	40.4%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	74	39.4%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	14	7.4%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	9	4.8%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	74	39.4%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	63	33.5%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	14	7.4%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	2	0.4%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	22.2	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	75.6%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	60.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	62.2%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	33.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	31.1%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	11	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	174	15.8%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	9	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	45	4.1%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	7	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	17	1.5%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	9	13.6%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	113	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	353	18.0%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	25	1.4%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	80	4.1%	7,620	4.9%

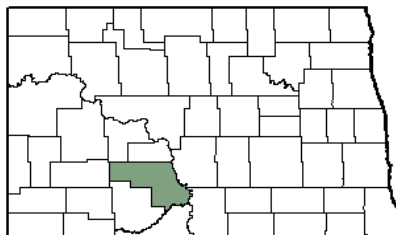
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	14	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	20	1.2%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	4	20.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	57	6.0%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	117	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	33	28.2%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	26	22.2%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	1.7%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	27	23.1%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	29	24.8%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	157	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Morton County

Located in :	Region VII
County Seat :	Mandan
Total Population, 2008 :	26,255
County Population Rank, 2008 :	5 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,926
Population Density, 2008 :	13.6

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Morton	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	25,926	4.1%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	38.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	6,084	23.5%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	1,003	3.9%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	333	1.3%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	604	2.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	2,252	8.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	369	1.4%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	1,523	5.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	1,940	7.5%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	4,561	17.6%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	6,400	24.7%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	5,932	92.7%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	88	1.4%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	335	5.2%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	45	0.7%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	76	1.2%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	367	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	20	5.5%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	1,338	19.6%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	119	1.7%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	3,475	83.1%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	1,516	83.6%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	1,959	82.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	64	1.0%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	41	64.1%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	23	35.9%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	117	31.9%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	20	5.5%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	761	12.8%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	468	11.0%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$45,468	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	259	3.9%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	1,286	30.0%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,339	20.9%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	362	7.9%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,445	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	3,981	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	603	14.9%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	99	16.4%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	267	44.3%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	214	35.5%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	23	3.8%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	36	6.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	253	42.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	178	29.5%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	48	8.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	36	2.5%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	72.0%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	44.9%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	51.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	28.8%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	21.8%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	58	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1,041	22.8%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	56	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	280	6.1%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	38	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	81	1.8%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	13	3.5%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	34	9.3%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	6	2.4%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	733	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	1,747	25.1%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	170	2.7%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	246	3.9%	7,620	4.9%

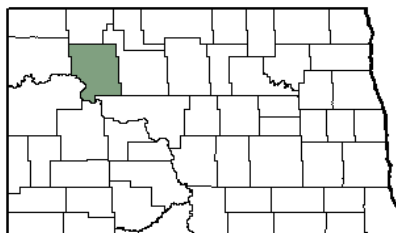
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	192	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	355	5.8%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	71	20.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	335	11.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	659	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	133	20.2%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	196	29.7%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	62	9.4%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	119	18.1%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	149	22.6%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	700	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	47	3.1%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Mountrail County

Located in :	Region II
County Seat :	Stanley
Total Population, 2008 :	6,511
County Population Rank, 2008 :	19 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,824
Population Density, 2008 :	3.6

Mountrail	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	6,481	1.0%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	39.2	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,646	25.4%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	301	4.6%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	96	1.5%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	154	2.4%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	608	9.4%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	90	1.4%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	397	6.1%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	551	8.5%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,249	19.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,744	26.9%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	859	49.3%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	18	1.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	860	49.3%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	7	0.4%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	63	3.6%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	108	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	16	14.8%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	498	26.8%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	152	8.2%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	795	75.1%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	310	73.2%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	485	76.3%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	35	2.0%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	31	88.6%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	11.4%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	66	61.1%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	16	14.8%	618	7.0%

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	Mountrail	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	358	22.0%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	218	18.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$31,901	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	169	9.3%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	708	50.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	516	29.6%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	110	8.8%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,440	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	1,361	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	222	15.9%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	24	10.8%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	101	45.5%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	85	38.3%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	12	5.4%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	8	3.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	92	41.4%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	60	27.0%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	16	7.2%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	11	2.5%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	19.4	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	50.9%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	34.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	43.4%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	15.1%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	13.2%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	15	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	204	16.3%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	3	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	15	1.2%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	25	2.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	43	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	88	7.0%	1,526	1.4%

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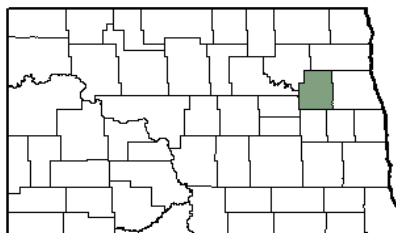
	Mountrail	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	26	24.1%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	7	6.5%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	39	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	770	40.5%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	48	2.8%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	132	7.6%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	20	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	43	2.6%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	14	32.6%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	16	2.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	33	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	13	39.4%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	9.1%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	3.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	12.1%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	12	36.4%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	33	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	16	4.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Nelson County

Located in : Region IV
 County Seat : Lakota
 Total Population, 2008 : 3,166
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 34 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 982
 Population Density, 2008 : 3.2

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Nelson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	3,217	0.5%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	51.1	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	513	15.9%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	65	2.0%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	25	0.8%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	60	1.9%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	179	5.6%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	25	0.8%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	159	4.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	150	4.7%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	354	11.0%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	547	17.0%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	535	97.8%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	7	1.3%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.7%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.7%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	19	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	104	12.7%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	9	1.1%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	384	83.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	141	77.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	243	86.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.4%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	100.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	7	36.8%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	82	16.3%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	53	13.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$40,729	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	4	0.7%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	190	39.6%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	98	17.9%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	16	4.5%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,217	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	498	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	92	19.6%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	13	14.1%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	42	45.7%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	30	32.6%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	7	7.6%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	3	3.3%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	33	35.9%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	30	32.6%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	4	4.3%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.7	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	64.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	39.2%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	47.1%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	27.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	17.6%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	7	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	91	25.7%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	3	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	15	4.2%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	83	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	132	21.8%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	8	1.5%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	73	11.9%	7,620	4.9%

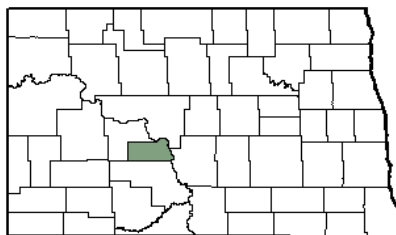
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	4	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	7	1.4%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	3	42.9%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	12	4.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	24	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	8.3%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	4.2%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	4.2%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	13	54.2%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	7	29.2%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	27	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Oliver County

Located in :	Region VII
County Seat :	Center
Total Population, 2008 :	1,695
County Population Rank, 2008 :	49 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	724
Population Density, 2008 :	2.3

Oliver	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	1,725	0.3%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	49.5	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	314	18.2%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	42	2.4%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	9	0.5%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	24	1.4%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	98	5.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	23	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	118	6.8%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	75	4.3%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	196	11.4%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	342	19.8%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	332	97.1%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.3%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	7	2.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.6%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	9	2.6%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	24	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	78	13.8%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	9	1.6%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	268	79.5%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	88	72.7%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	180	82.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	55	17.6%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	37	14.8%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$50,147	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	3	0.8%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	49	23.4%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	32	9.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	9	4.6%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$11,164	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	224	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	24	11.4%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	3	12.5%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	9	37.5%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	11	45.8%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	1	4.2%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	9	37.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	11	45.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	3	3.3%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	19.6	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	56.3%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	31.3%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	37.5%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	12.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	6.3%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	35	17.9%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	0	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	3	1.5%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	0	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	49	13.0%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	11	3.2%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	57	13.9%	7,620	4.9%

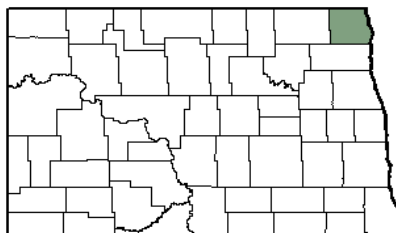
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	1	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	2	0.6%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	0	0.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	3	1.6%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	3	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	33.3%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	33.3%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	33.3%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	4	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Pembina County

Located in :	Region IV
County Seat :	Cavalier
Total Population, 2008 :	7,419
County Population Rank, 2008 :	17 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,119
Population Density, 2008 :	6.6

Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	7,531	1.2%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	46.8	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,461	19.4%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	214	2.8%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	54	0.7%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	153	2.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	540	7.2%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	79	1.0%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	421	5.6%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	421	5.6%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,040	13.8%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,554	20.6%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	1,499	96.5%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.2%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	43	2.8%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	9	0.6%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	106	6.8%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	84	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	7	8.3%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	283	13.2%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	34	1.6%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	998	80.1%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	372	72.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	626	84.7%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	16	1.0%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	14	87.5%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	12.5%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	25	29.8%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	6	7.1%	618	7.0%

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	Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	169	11.7%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	109	10.0%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$46,964	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	20	1.2%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	451	35.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	236	15.2%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	31	3.0%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,461	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	1,293	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	221	17.5%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	25	11.3%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	93	42.1%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	94	42.5%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	9	4.1%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	12	5.4%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	67	30.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	65	29.4%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	14	6.3%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	5	1.2%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.3	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	74.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	44.3%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	48.1%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	30.4%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	22.8%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	13	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	324	31.2%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	4	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	20	1.9%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	4	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	6	0.6%	1,526	1.4%

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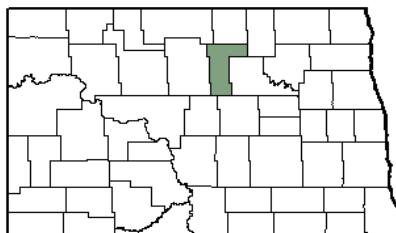
	Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	11	13.1%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	258	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	392	22.7%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	78	5.0%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	150	8.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	18	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	32	2.2%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	10	31.3%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	47	6.2%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	68	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	30	44.1%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	13	19.1%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	8.8%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	7	10.3%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	12	17.6%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	68	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	14	2.5%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Pierce County

Located in :	Region II
County Seat :	Rugby
Total Population, 2008 :	4,091
County Population Rank, 2008 :	27 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,018
Population Density, 2008 :	4.0

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Pierce	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	4,103	0.6%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	47.2	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	816	19.9%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	106	2.6%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	43	1.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	84	2.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	286	7.0%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	45	1.1%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	252	6.1%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	233	5.7%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	564	13.7%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	869	21.2%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	844	97.1%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	5	0.6%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	18	2.1%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.2%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	14	1.6%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	43	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	183	16.4%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	21	1.9%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	550	85.8%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	181	78.5%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	369	89.4%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.3%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	33.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	66.7%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	10	23.3%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	142	17.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	83	13.2%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$35,302	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	28	3.1%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	236	34.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	175	20.1%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	55	9.8%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,108	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	622	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	79	12.9%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	5	6.3%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	38	48.1%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	33	41.8%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	3	3.8%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	5	6.3%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	18	22.8%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	31	39.2%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	5	6.3%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	3	1.2%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.4	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	55.9%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	57.6%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	42.4%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	27.1%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	16.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	6	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	126	22.3%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	2	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	10	1.8%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	6	1.1%	1,526	1.4%

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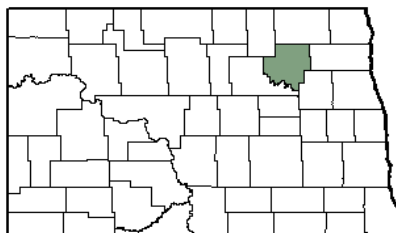
	Pierce	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	6	14.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	111	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	232	24.6%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	39	4.5%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	82	8.7%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	18	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	25	3.1%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	4	16.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	14	3.2%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	15	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	26.7%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	13.3%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	33.3%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	26.7%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	15	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Ramsey County

Located in : Region III
 County Seat : Devils Lake
 Total Population, 2008 : 11,234
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 11 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,185
 Population Density, 2008 : 9.5

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Ramsey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	11,189	1.7%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	42.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	2,524	22.6%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	409	3.7%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	112	1.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	253	2.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	922	8.2%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	144	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	684	6.1%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	774	6.9%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,840	16.4%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	2,699	24.1%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	2,266	84.0%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	23	0.9%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	386	14.3%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	24	0.9%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	39	1.4%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	139	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	19	13.7%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	727	24.1%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	64	2.1%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	1,376	85.2%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	592	86.1%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	784	84.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	60	2.2%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	43	71.7%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	17	28.3%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	66	47.5%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	18	12.9%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	483	19.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	289	15.8%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$42,041	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	181	6.2%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	788	39.7%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	813	30.1%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	302	16.4%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,373	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	1,958	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	346	18.9%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	49	14.2%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	109	31.5%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	167	48.3%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	21	6.1%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	43	12.4%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	72	20.8%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	95	27.5%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	28	8.1%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	7	1.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.2	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	67.9%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	52.3%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	57.8%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	23.9%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	22.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	37	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	814	44.2%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	22	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	110	6.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	12	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	26	1.4%	1,526	1.4%

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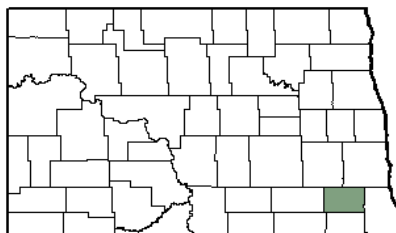
	Ramsey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	11	7.9%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	10	7.2%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	676	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	1,057	34.5%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	58	2.1%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	102	3.6%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	61	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	142	5.6%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	35	24.6%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	212	17.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	344	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	52	15.1%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	110	32.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	6	1.7%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	67	19.5%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	109	31.7%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	357	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	7	0.8%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Ransom County

Located in :	Region V
County Seat :	Lisbon
Total Population, 2008 :	5,628
County Population Rank, 2008 :	22 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	863
Population Density, 2008 :	6.5

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Ransom	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	5,682	0.9%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	42.5	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,213	21.3%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	185	3.3%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	62	1.1%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	120	2.1%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	464	8.2%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	65	1.1%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	317	5.6%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	367	6.5%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	896	15.8%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,276	22.5%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	1,250	98.0%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	18	1.4%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.2%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	6	0.5%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	23	1.8%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	70	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	8	11.4%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	197	13.4%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	17	1.2%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	664	80.7%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	238	71.4%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	426	85.9%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	8	0.6%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	7	87.5%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	12.5%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	21	30.0%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	6	8.6%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	121	10.1%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	74	8.4%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$47,847	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	24	1.8%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	315	32.4%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	234	18.3%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	60	6.7%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$6,457	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	970	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	174	17.7%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	16	9.2%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	71	40.8%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	78	44.8%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	9	5.2%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	11	6.3%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	37	21.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	70	40.2%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	8	4.6%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	3	0.9%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.8	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	64.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	45.6%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	54.4%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	23.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	22.1%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	10	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	159	17.7%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	11	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	55	6.1%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	6	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	11	1.2%	1,526	1.4%

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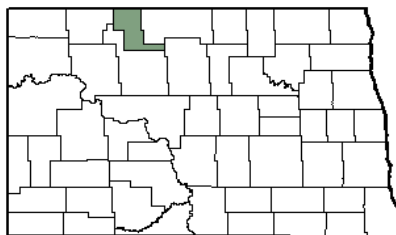
	Ransom	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	209	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	271	19.9%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	24	1.9%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	84	6.2%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	4	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	9	0.7%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	0	0.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	49	8.3%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	81	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	24	29.6%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	9	11.1%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	12	14.8%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	20	24.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	16	19.8%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	81	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	3	0.9%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Renville County

Located in :	Region II
County Seat :	Mohall
Total Population, 2008 :	2,245
County Population Rank, 2008 :	42 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	875
Population Density, 2008 :	2.6

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Renville	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,314	0.4%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	47.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	422	18.2%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	59	2.5%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	22	1.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	53	2.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	141	6.1%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	33	1.4%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	114	4.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	134	5.8%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	308	13.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	453	19.6%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	441	97.4%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.9%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.9%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.9%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	10	2.2%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	13	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	89	14.6%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	7	1.1%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	295	86.4%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	109	86.2%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	186	86.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	100.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	46	11.0%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	30	9.6%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$36,905	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	6	1.3%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	183	31.8%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	60	13.2%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	9	2.9%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,456	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	581	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	94	16.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	17	18.1%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	38	40.4%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	36	38.3%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	3	3.2%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	7	7.4%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	40	42.6%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	23	24.5%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.1%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	0.5%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.2	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	66.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	57.6%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	66.7%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	33.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	30.3%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	57	18.5%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	3	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	15	4.9%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1	0.3%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	31	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	70	14.1%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	18	4.0%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	69	13.8%	7,620	4.9%

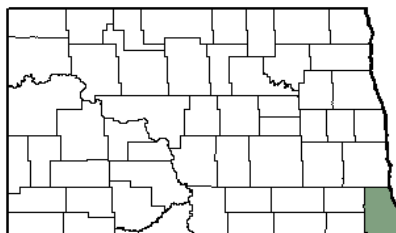
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	6	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	9	2.1%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	0	0.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	4	1.9%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	4	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	50.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	25.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	25.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	5	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Richland County

Located in : Region V
 County Seat : Wahpeton
 Total Population, 2008 : 16,334
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 9 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,437
 Population Density, 2008 : 11.4

Richland (%) North Dakota (%)

DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	16,498	2.6%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	37.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	3,645	22.1%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	566	3.4%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	189	1.1%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	369	2.2%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	1,381	8.4%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	196	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	944	5.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	1,124	6.8%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	2,701	16.4%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	3,958	24.0%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	3,752	94.8%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	56	1.4%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	123	3.1%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	27	0.7%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	76	1.9%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	206	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	13	6.3%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	693	15.6%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	64	1.4%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	2,081	83.8%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	849	80.8%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	1,232	85.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	29	0.7%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	25	86.2%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	13.8%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	57	27.7%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	12	5.8%	618	7.0%

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	Richland	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	349	9.7%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	208	7.8%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$46,889	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	80	1.8%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	840	32.6%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	701	17.7%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	170	6.3%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$6,977	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	2,453	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	439	18.5%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	61	13.9%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	185	42.1%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	169	38.5%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	24	5.5%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	20	4.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	106	24.1%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	160	36.4%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	24	5.5%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	11	1.3%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.7	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	63.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	40.2%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	46.9%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	26.8%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	19.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	52	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1,027	38.0%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	20	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	100	3.7%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	22	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	38	1.4%	1,526	1.4%

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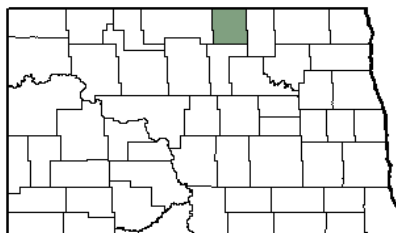
	Richland	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	8	3.9%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	15	7.3%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	620	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	914	18.2%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	100	2.5%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	195	4.6%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	92	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	150	4.1%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	30	20.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	87	4.9%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	128	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	28	21.9%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	13	10.2%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	12	9.4%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	41	32.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	34	26.6%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	134	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	5	0.3%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Rolette County

Located in :	Region III
County Seat :	Rolla
Total Population, 2008 :	13,657
County Population Rank, 2008 :	10 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	902
Population Density, 2008 :	15.1

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Rolette	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	13,665	2.1%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	28.7	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	4,526	33.1%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	900	6.6%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	260	1.9%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	405	3.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	1,598	11.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	271	2.0%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	1,092	8.0%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	1,565	11.5%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	3,434	25.1%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	4,768	34.9%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	778	16.3%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	69	1.4%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	3,885	81.5%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	36	0.8%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	90	1.9%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	289	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	63	21.8%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	1,990	39.9%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	501	10.1%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	1,848	73.2%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	774	61.6%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	1,074	81.5%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	64	1.3%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	52	81.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	12	18.8%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	223	77.2%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	63	21.8%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	1,690	38.1%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	1,023	33.4%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$26,377	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	1,733	34.4%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	2,284	72.2%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	2,960	62.1%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1,027	29.9%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$10,333	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	2,662	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	198	7.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	18	9.1%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	68	34.3%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	100	50.5%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	12	6.1%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	17	8.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	31	15.7%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	72	36.4%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	17	8.6%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	78	7.8%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	17.7	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	33.6%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	16.4%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	25.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	12.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	6.3%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	29	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	287	8.4%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	33	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	165	4.8%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	147	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	365	10.6%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	82	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	213	6.2%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	63	21.8%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	18	6.2%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	1,973	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	3,298	62.4%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	103	2.2%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	261	5.4%	7,620	4.9%

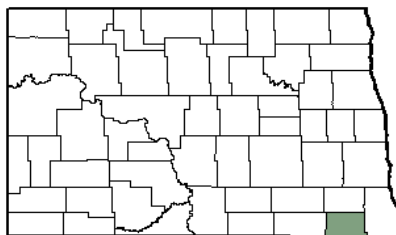
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	50	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	85	1.9%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	13	15.3%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	41	2.0%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	75	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	14	18.7%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	5.3%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	12	16.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	26	34.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	19	25.3%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	77	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	112	10.9%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Sargent County

Located in :	Region V
County Seat :	Forman
Total Population, 2008 :	4,048
County Population Rank, 2008 :	28 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	859
Population Density, 2008 :	4.7

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Sargent	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	4,110	0.6%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	45.0	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	893	21.7%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	118	2.9%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	41	1.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	82	2.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	322	7.8%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	63	1.5%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	267	6.5%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	241	5.9%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	626	15.2%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	949	23.1%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	931	98.1%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.2%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	13	1.4%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	18	1.9%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	44	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	158	13.7%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	14	1.2%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	518	81.3%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	216	81.5%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	302	81.1%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.3%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	3	100.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	8	18.2%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	67	7.6%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	43	6.2%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$47,500	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	13	1.3%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	271	36.7%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	86	9.1%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	12	1.9%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,525	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	751	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	139	18.7%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	5	3.6%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	62	44.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	69	49.6%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	3	2.2%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	0.7%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	30	21.6%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	65	46.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	9	6.5%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.2	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	55.6%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	35.2%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	44.4%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	22.2%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	13.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	10	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	144	23.0%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	4	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	20	3.2%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	4	0.6%	1,526	1.4%

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HEALTH

Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	90	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	129	12.6%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	21	2.2%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	84	8.1%	7,620	4.9%

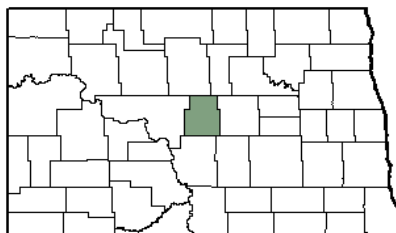
SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	10	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	16	1.8%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	2	12.5%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	33	6.8%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	51	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	29	56.9%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	11	21.6%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	11	21.6%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	51	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Sheridan County

Located in :	Region VII
County Seat :	McClusky
Total Population, 2008 :	1,266
County Population Rank, 2008 :	51 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	972
Population Density, 2008 :	1.3

Sheridan	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	1,320	0.2%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	54.5	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	193	14.6%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	13	1.0%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	4	0.3%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	13	1.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	73	5.5%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	17	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	73	5.5%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	30	2.3%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	120	9.1%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	206	15.6%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	201	97.6%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	2	1.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	3	1.5%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.5%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	11	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	42	11.5%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	10	2.7%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	172	63.4%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	52	57.7%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	120	65.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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	Sheridan	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	51	27.0%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	35	21.0%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$29,375	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	7	3.3%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	67	48.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	48	23.3%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	2	1.7%	8,300	7.7%
EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$11,449	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	130	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	19	13.8%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	1	5.3%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	10	52.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	7	36.8%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	1	5.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	4	21.1%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	3	15.8%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	7	36.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	3	15.8%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	1	1.9%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	75.0%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	25.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	62.5%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	37.5%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	12.5%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	26	21.7%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	1	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	4.2%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	1	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	3	2.5%	1,526	1.4%

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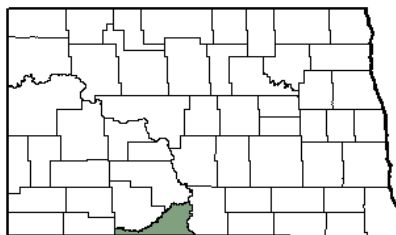
	Sheridan	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	39	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	49	21.9%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	14	6.8%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	40	17.1%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	0	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	0	0.0%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	0	0.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	7	5.5%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	19	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	5.3%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	18	94.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	42	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	4	5.3%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Sioux County

Located in :	Region VII
County Seat :	Fort Yates
Total Population, 2008 :	4,232
County Population Rank, 2008 :	25 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,094
Population Density, 2008 :	3.9

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Sioux	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	4,223	0.7%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	25.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,485	35.2%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	330	7.8%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	88	2.1%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	128	3.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	520	12.3%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	63	1.5%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	356	8.4%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	546	12.9%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,129	26.7%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,575	37.3%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	166	10.5%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	5	0.3%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	1,399	88.8%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	5	0.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	26	1.7%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	103	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	28	27.2%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	576	35.3%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	314	19.3%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	552	70.8%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	267	67.8%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	285	73.7%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	24	1.5%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	13	54.2%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	9	37.5%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	8.3%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	77	74.8%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	26	25.2%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	622	43.1%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	381	40.1%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$22,458	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	534	31.8%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	753	70.4%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	1,169	74.2%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	67	5.9%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$16,553	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	208	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	80	22.3%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	25	31.3%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	33	41.3%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	20	25.0%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	2	2.5%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.3%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	30	37.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	26	32.5%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	6	7.5%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	30	9.7%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	16.5	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	40.0%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	12.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	28.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	8.0%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	4.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	94	8.3%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	1	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	0.4%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	6	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	38	3.4%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	28	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	79	7.0%	1,526	1.4%

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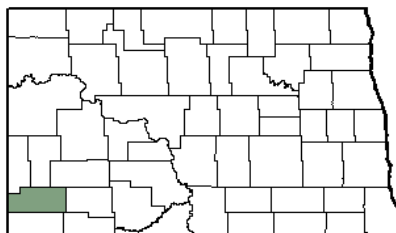
	Sioux	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	23	22.3%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	10	9.7%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	0	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	1,320	75.3%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	43	2.7%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	52	3.2%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	4	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	9	0.6%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	6	66.7%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	0	0.0%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	0	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	0	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	26	7.5%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Slope County

Located in :	Region VIII
County Seat :	Amidon
Total Population, 2008 :	675
County Population Rank, 2008 :	53 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,218
Population Density, 2008 :	0.6

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Slope	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	659	0.1%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	47.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	116	17.6%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	10	1.5%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	0	0.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	16	2.4%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	47	7.1%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	8	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	35	5.3%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	26	3.9%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	81	12.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	122	18.5%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	121	99.2%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.8%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	9	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	21	10.8%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	3	1.5%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	93	67.7%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	32	81.3%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	61	60.7%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	19	16.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	12	12.8%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$23,125	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	0	0.0%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	0	0.0%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	6	4.9%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	1	1.2%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$17,156	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	15	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	4	28.6%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	2	50.0%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	2	50.0%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	4	100.0%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	--	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	--	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	--	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	--	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	--	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	--	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	0	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	1,526	1.4%

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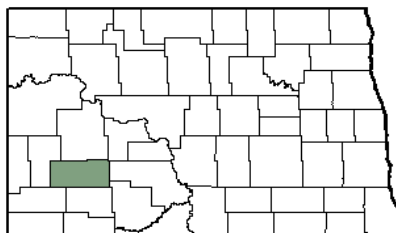
	Slope	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	0	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	10	7.4%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	6	4.9%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	23	17.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	1	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	2	1.7%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	0	0.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	0	0.0%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	0	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	0	0.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	0	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Stark County

Located in :	Region VIII
County Seat :	Dickinson
Total Population, 2008 :	22,575
County Population Rank, 2008 :	6 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,338
Population Density, 2008 :	16.9

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Stark	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	22,458	3.5%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	37.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	4,891	21.8%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	816	3.6%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	277	1.2%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	520	2.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	1,735	7.7%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	312	1.4%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	1,231	5.5%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	1,613	7.2%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	3,660	16.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	5,268	23.5%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	5,068	96.2%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	76	1.4%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	106	2.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	18	0.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	102	1.9%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	290	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	13	4.5%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	990	17.1%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	107	1.9%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	2,904	83.0%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	1,350	81.2%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	1,554	84.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	98	1.9%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	78	79.6%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	20	20.4%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	79	27.2%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	11	3.8%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	595	12.4%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	366	10.7%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$43,008	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	126	2.2%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	1,050	28.6%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	968	18.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	299	8.2%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,371	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	3,218	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	468	14.6%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	69	14.7%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	164	35.0%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	208	44.4%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	27	5.8%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	17	3.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	116	24.8%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	149	31.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	35	7.5%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	22	1.7%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	66.5%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	42.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	50.6%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	23.9%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	21.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	73	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1,084	29.6%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	21	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	105	2.9%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	22	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	50	1.4%	1,526	1.4%

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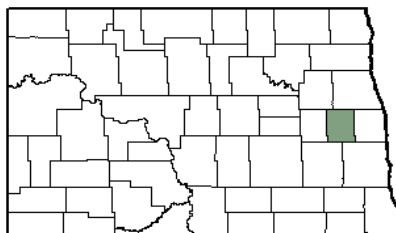
	Stark	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	6	2.1%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	22	7.6%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	768	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	1,345	21.7%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	154	2.9%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	205	3.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	178	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	331	6.8%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	79	23.9%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	202	8.6%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	407	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	114	28.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	76	18.7%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	16	3.9%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	70	17.2%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	131	32.2%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	461	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	39	2.3%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Steele County

Located in :	Region V
County Seat :	Finley
Total Population, 2008 :	1,795
County Population Rank, 2008 :	48 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	712
Population Density, 2008 :	2.5

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Steele	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	1,840	0.3%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	46.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	371	20.2%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	41	2.2%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	9	0.5%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	26	1.4%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	137	7.4%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	31	1.7%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	127	6.9%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	76	4.1%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	244	13.3%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	398	21.6%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	394	99.0%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	0	0.0%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	3	0.8%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	4	1.0%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	13	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	72	11.5%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	12	1.9%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	263	83.7%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	108	75.9%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	155	89.0%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.5%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	50.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	50.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	41	11.4%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	26	8.6%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$43,676	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	2	0.5%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	70	25.5%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	33	8.3%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,318	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	281	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	36	12.9%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	0	0.0%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	7	19.4%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	26	72.2%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	3	8.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	2	5.6%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	3	8.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	19	52.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	4	11.1%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	0	0.0%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.0	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	48.1%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	33.3%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	40.7%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	22.2%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	18.5%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	31	12.7%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	0	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	1,526	1.4%

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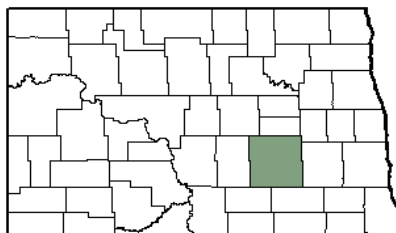
	Steele	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	23	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	73	16.7%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	9	2.3%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	60	13.0%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	4	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	4	1.1%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	2	50.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	5	2.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	11	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	3	27.3%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	9.1%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	1	9.1%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	18.2%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	36.4%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	12	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	0	0.0%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Stutsman County

Located in : Region VI
 County Seat : Jamestown
 Total Population, 2008 : 20,394
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 7 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 2,221
 Population Density, 2008 : 9.2

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	20,480	3.2%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	42.5	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	3,979	19.4%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	637	3.1%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	182	0.9%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	415	2.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	1,460	7.1%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	256	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	1,029	5.0%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	1,234	6.0%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	2,950	14.4%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	4,285	20.9%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	4,149	96.8%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	56	1.3%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	63	1.5%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	17	0.4%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	75	1.8%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	236	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	16	6.8%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	991	19.8%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	91	1.8%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	2,469	86.4%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	959	81.0%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	1,510	89.7%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	47	1.1%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	34	72.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	13	27.7%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	70	29.7%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	14	5.9%	618	7.0%

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	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	543	14.0%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	349	12.3%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$44,477	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	52	1.1%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	1,069	36.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	857	20.0%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	208	7.1%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,557	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	2,741	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	381	14.4%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	48	12.6%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	147	38.6%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	160	42.0%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	26	6.8%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	27	7.1%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	82	21.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	124	32.5%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	25	6.6%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	16	1.7%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.6	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	67.3%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	46.1%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	58.2%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	29.1%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	24.8%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	63	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	1,089	36.9%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	25	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	125	4.2%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	18	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	42	1.4%	1,526	1.4%

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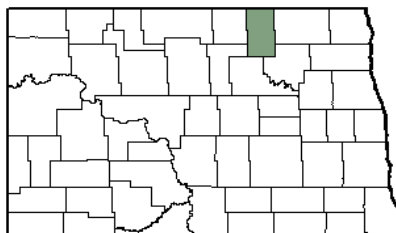
	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	9	3.8%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	15	6.4%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	6	2.9%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	644	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	1,118	21.8%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	116	2.7%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	150	3.4%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	103	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	153	3.8%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	30	19.6%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	239	12.3%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	536	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	87	16.2%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	158	29.5%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	37	6.9%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	72	13.4%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	182	34.0%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	604	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	36	2.4%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Towner County

Located in : Region III
 County Seat : Cando
 Total Population, 2008 : 2,202
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 44 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,025
 Population Density, 2008 : 2.1

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Towner	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	2,292	0.4%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	49.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	391	17.1%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	45	2.0%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	15	0.7%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	28	1.2%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	149	6.5%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	35	1.5%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	119	5.2%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	88	3.8%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	272	11.9%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	420	18.3%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	396	94.3%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	1	0.2%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	21	5.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.5%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.5%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	16	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	94	13.3%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	15	2.1%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	317	86.8%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	98	81.6%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	219	89.0%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.5%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	100.0%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	65	16.9%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	41	13.4%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$40,238	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	6	1.3%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	102	34.6%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	69	16.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	22	8.1%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$10,572	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	301	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	33	10.7%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	6	18.2%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	17	51.5%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	9	27.3%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	1	3.0%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	2	6.1%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	10	30.3%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	4	12.1%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	2	6.1%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	2	1.8%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	19.9	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	60.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	42.9%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	50.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	25.0%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	10.7%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	87	32.0%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	4	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	20	7.4%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	7	2.6%	1,526	1.4%

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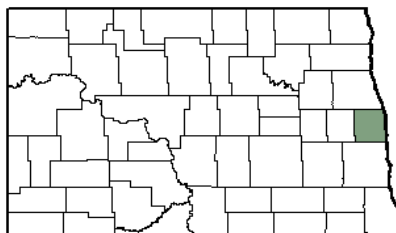
	Towner	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	30	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	104	21.8%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	16	3.8%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	57	11.4%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	3	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	6	1.5%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	0	0.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	26	11.0%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	43	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	7	16.3%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	14	32.6%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	2	4.7%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	9.3%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	16	37.2%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	50	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	4	2.4%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Traill County

Located in :	Region V
County Seat :	Hillsboro
Total Population, 2008 :	7,820
County Population Rank, 2008 :	16 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	862
Population Density, 2008 :	9.1

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Traill	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	8,069	1.3%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	42.1	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	1,711	21.2%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	252	3.1%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	80	1.0%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	183	2.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	632	7.8%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	99	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	465	5.8%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	515	6.4%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,246	15.4%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	1,846	22.9%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	1,792	97.1%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	9	0.5%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	43	2.3%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	2	0.1%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	102	5.5%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	100	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	301	14.3%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	36	1.7%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	993	80.6%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	382	75.9%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	611	83.5%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	42	2.3%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	36	85.7%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	5	11.9%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	1	2.4%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	23	23.0%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	169	10.0%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	105	8.2%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$45,671	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	33	1.6%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	356	24.5%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	322	17.4%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	29	2.3%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,323	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	1,434	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	193	13.8%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	6	3.1%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	81	42.0%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	98	50.8%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	8	4.1%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	20	10.4%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	26	13.5%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	72	37.3%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	8	4.1%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	2	0.4%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	22.0	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	79.8%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	51.2%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	64.3%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	35.7%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	25.0%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	17	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	340	27.3%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	7	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	35	2.8%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	5	0.4%	1,526	1.4%

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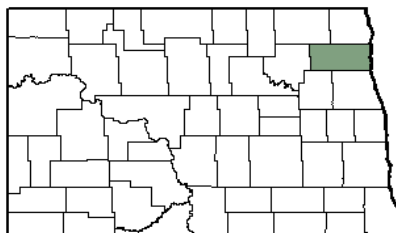
	Trail	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	243	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	431	19.7%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	32	1.7%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	145	7.6%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	29	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	52	3.0%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	13	25.0%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	26	3.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	49	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	10	20.4%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	8	16.3%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	4	8.2%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	17	34.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	10	20.4%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	50	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	2	0.4%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Walsh County

Located in :	Region IV
County Seat :	Grafton
Total Population, 2008 :	10,880
County Population Rank, 2008 :	12 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	1,282
Population Density, 2008 :	8.5

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Walsh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	11,011	1.7%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	44.9	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	2,393	21.7%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	386	3.5%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	122	1.1%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	248	2.3%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	884	8.0%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	129	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	624	5.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	756	6.9%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	1,769	16.1%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	2,534	23.0%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	2,445	96.5%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	36	1.4%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	46	1.8%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	7	0.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	414	16.3%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	139	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	15	10.8%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	563	18.2%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	56	1.8%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	1,487	83.7%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	622	79.7%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	865	86.6%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	36	1.4%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	30	83.3%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	4	11.1%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	5.6%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	57	41.0%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	14	10.1%	618	7.0%

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	Walsh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	364	15.5%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	224	13.1%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$42,241	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	90	3.4%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	694	37.3%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	715	28.2%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	89	5.0%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$7,313	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	1,827	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	286	16.1%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	36	12.6%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	105	36.7%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	120	42.0%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	25	8.7%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	13	4.5%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	103	36.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	91	31.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	16	5.6%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	14	2.4%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	71.6%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	46.3%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	54.7%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	26.3%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	14.7%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	22	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	375	21.2%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	11	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	55	3.1%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	4	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	6	0.3%	1,526	1.4%

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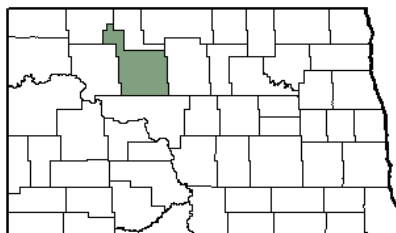
	Walsh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	11	7.9%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	0	0.0%	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	683	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	878	31.9%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	85	3.4%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	202	7.8%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	75	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	135	5.6%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	26	19.3%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	103	9.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	183	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	44	24.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	49	26.8%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	9	4.9%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	36	19.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	45	24.6%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	226	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	9	1.1%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Ward County

Located in :	Region II
County Seat :	Minot
Total Population, 2008 :	55,986
County Population Rank, 2008 :	4 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	2,013
Population Density, 2008 :	27.8

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Ward	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	55,927	8.7%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	34.3	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	14,673	26.2%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	2,825	5.1%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	876	1.6%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	1,681	3.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	5,352	9.6%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	753	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	3,186	5.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	5,382	9.6%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	11,487	20.5%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	15,438	27.6%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	13,722	88.9%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	799	5.2%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	669	4.3%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	248	1.6%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	597	3.9%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	1,003	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	96	9.6%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	2,816	18.3%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	279	1.8%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	7,615	78.1%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	3,560	71.0%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	4,055	84.3%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	136	0.9%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	90	66.2%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	46	33.8%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	262	26.1%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	67	6.7%	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	1,871	13.0%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	1,072	10.9%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$41,189	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	494	3.0%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	2,807	31.5%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	2,900	18.8%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	925	8.1%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,058	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	8,774	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	1,298	15.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	165	12.7%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	580	44.7%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	488	37.6%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	65	5.0%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	117	9.0%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	428	33.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	290	22.3%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	58	4.5%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	83	2.9%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	22.1	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	77.2%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	52.9%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	61.7%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	36.2%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	26.9%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	152	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	3,195	27.8%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	115	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	575	5.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	65	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	138	1.2%	1,526	1.4%

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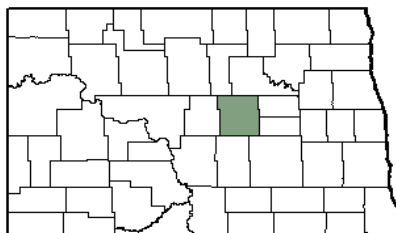
	Ward	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	51	5.1%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	57	5.7%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	7	0.7%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	3,069	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	3,553	20.4%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	212	1.4%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	614	4.0%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	599	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	991	6.8%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	137	13.8%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	505	8.1%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	900	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	198	22.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	185	20.6%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	64	7.1%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	193	21.4%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	260	28.9%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	979	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	55	1.5%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Wells County

Located in : Region VI
 County Seat : Fessenden
 Total Population, 2008 : 4,191
 County Population Rank, 2008 : 26 of 53
 Land Area (square miles), 2000 : 1,271
 Population Density, 2008 : 3.3

DEMOGRAPHICS

	Wells	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	4,269	0.7%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	50.5	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	741	17.4%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	90	2.1%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	31	0.7%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	61	1.4%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	266	6.2%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	50	1.2%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	243	5.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	182	4.3%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	498	11.7%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	794	18.6%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	773	97.4%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	4	0.5%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	9	1.1%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	8	1.0%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	7	0.9%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	36	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	151	13.1%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	22	1.9%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	544	84.4%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	188	80.9%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	356	86.2%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	7	0.9%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	5	71.4%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	2	28.6%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	0	0.0%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	11	30.6%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	618	7.0%

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	118	16.1%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	74	12.8%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$41,250	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	17	2.0%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	185	32.6%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	134	16.9%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	25	5.0%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE

Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$9,150	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	580	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	95	16.6%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	8	8.4%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	48	50.5%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	33	34.7%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	6	6.3%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	1	1.1%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	38	40.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	33	34.7%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	8	8.4%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	2	0.8%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	20.9	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	70.2%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	46.8%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	57.4%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	23.4%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	12.8%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	9	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	155	31.1%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	4	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	20	4.0%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	0	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	0	0.0%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	5	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	12	2.4%	1,526	1.4%

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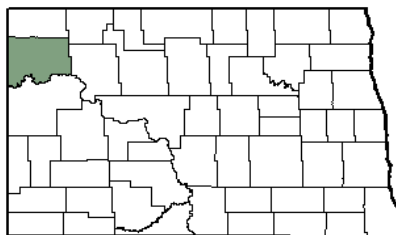
	Wells	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	6	16.7%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	0	0.0%	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	84	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	178	20.3%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	22	2.8%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	72	8.1%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	17	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	39	5.3%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	14	35.9%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	45	10.7%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	96	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	23	24.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	19	19.8%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	5	5.2%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	17	17.7%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	32	33.3%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	100	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	6	2.2%	730	1.7%

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North Dakota



Williams County

Located in :	Region I
County Seat :	Williston
Total Population, 2008 :	19,846
County Population Rank, 2008 :	8 of 53
Land Area (square miles), 2000 :	2,070
Population Density, 2008 :	9.6

Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
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DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population, 2007 (% of total population statewide)	19,540	3.1%	639,715	100.0%
Median Age (in years), 2007	41.6	--	37.0	--
Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007 (% of total population)	4,222	21.6%	142,809	22.3%
Ages 0 to 2 (% of total population)	715	3.7%	24,682	3.9%
Age 3 (% of total population)	208	1.1%	7,791	1.2%
Ages 4 to 5 (% of total population)	399	2.0%	14,946	2.3%
Ages 6 to 12 (% of total population)	1,534	7.9%	52,486	8.2%
Age 13 (% of total population)	258	1.3%	8,199	1.3%
Ages 14 to 17 (% of total population)	1,108	5.7%	34,705	5.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007 (% of total population)	1,322	6.8%	47,419	7.4%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007 (% of total population)	3,114	15.9%	108,104	16.9%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007 (% of total population)	4,557	23.3%	152,730	23.9%
White (% of population 0 to 18)	4,132	90.7%	133,334	87.3%
Black or African American (% of population 0 to 18)	48	1.1%	3,678	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native (% of population 0 to 18)	364	8.0%	13,939	9.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Other Pacific Islander (% of population 0 to 18)	13	0.3%	1,779	1.2%
Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	98	2.2%	4,414	2.9%
Total Births, CY 2007	306	--	8,818	--
Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	27	8.8%	699	7.9%

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	1,094	21.2%	30,695	19.1%
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000 (% of population 0 to 17)	146	2.8%	3,901	2.4%
Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000 (% in labor force)	2,461	84.0%	77,690	81.2%
With Children Ages 0 to 5 (% in labor force)	902	75.7%	32,942	76.1%
With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only (% in labor force)	1,559	88.8%	44,748	84.9%
Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 18)	144	3.2%	2,134	1.4%
Family Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	97	67.4%	1,581	74.1%
Residential Child-Care Facility or Group Home Placements (% of total in foster care)	42	29.2%	525	24.6%
Other Placements (% of total in foster care)	5	3.5%	28	1.3%
Total Births to All Unmarried Women, CY 2007 (% of total births)	118	38.6%	2,867	32.5%
Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total births)	26	8.5%	618	7.0%

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	Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING				
Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 0 to 17)	569	13.7%	19,683	14.0%
Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007 (% of population 5 to 17)	349	11.6%	11,671	11.7%
Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000	\$37,479	--	\$44,640	--
TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, FY 2008 (% of population 0 to 19)	95	2.0%	7,532	4.5%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008 (% of school enrollment)	940	28.9%	32,445	32.1%
Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 18)	810	17.8%	31,380	20.5%
Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 13)	217	7.0%	8,300	7.7%

EDUCATION AND EARLY CARE				
Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	\$8,583	--	\$8,096	--
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year	3,088	--	95,459	--
Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008 (% of total enrollment)	536	17.2%	13,278	14.0%
Ages 3 to 5 (% of special education enrollment)	64	11.9%	1,576	11.9%
Ages 6 to 11 (% of special education enrollment)	235	43.8%	5,512	41.5%
Ages 12 to 17 (% of special education enrollment)	218	40.7%	5,507	41.5%
Ages 18 to 21 (% of special education enrollment)	19	3.5%	683	5.1%
Emotionally Disturbed (% of special education enrollment)	44	8.2%	995	7.5%
Speech or Language Impaired (% of special education enrollment)	150	28.0%	3,644	27.4%
Specific Learning Disability (% of special education enrollment)	197	36.8%	4,224	31.8%
Mentally Handicapped (% of special education enrollment)	27	5.0%	860	6.5%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2006-07 Academic Year (% of 9-12 enrollment)	62	5.9%	791	2.4%
Average ACT Composite Scores, High School Graduating Class of 2008	21.6	--	21.5	--
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008	--	70.7%	--	71.0%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008	--	46.0%	--	48.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008	--	60.0%	--	56.3%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008	--	28.7%	--	30.7%
Percent of High School Graduates Ready for All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008	--	22.7%	--	23.7%
LEGALLY RECOGNIZED CHILD CARE				
(Excludes informal networks of family, friends, and neighbors)				
Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009	35	--	1,663	--
Licensed Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	495	15.9%	36,702	34.0%
Standard Compliance Certification (SCC)/In-Home Child-Care Providers, Feb. 2009	38	--	902	--
SCC and In-Home Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	190	6.1%	4,507	4.2%
Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009	2	--	164	--
Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	10	0.3%	458	0.4%
Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009	16	--	703	--
Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity (% of population 0 to 13)	28	0.9%	1,526	1.4%

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	Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
HEALTH				
Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, CY 2007 (% of total births)	16	5.2%	478	5.4%
Low-Weight Births, CY 2007 (% of total births)	19	6.2%	557	6.3%
Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, CY 2007 (% of total births)	<6	--	65	0.7%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, CY 2007 (% of total deaths)	<6	--	64	1.2%
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, FY 2008***	720	--	24,289	--
Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, FY 2007 (% of population 0 to 20)	1,237	24.3%	41,376	23.2%
Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009 (% of population 0 to 18)	88	1.9%	3,399	2.2%
Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005 (% of population 0 to 18)	218	4.6%	7,620	4.9%

SAFETY AND RISKY BEHAVIORS				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, FFY 2008**	146	--	4,010	--
Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, FFY 2008 (% of population 0 to 17)**	281	6.7%	6,982	4.9%
Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required (% of suspected victims)	69	24.6%	1,283	18.4%
Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, CY 2008 (% of population 10 to 17)*	276	13.6%	5,555	8.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, CY 2008*	523	--	10,394	--
Alcohol Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	68	13.0%	1,845	17.8%
Unruly Behavior (% of juvenile court referrals)	196	37.5%	2,382	22.9%
Offense Against Person (% of juvenile court referrals)	26	5.0%	808	7.8%
Offense Against Property (% of juvenile court referrals)	142	27.2%	2,513	24.2%
Other Offense (% of juvenile court referrals)	91	17.4%	2,846	27.4%
Juvenile Offenses, CY 2008*	550	--	11,253	--
Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000 (% of population 16 to 19)	19	1.4%	730	1.7%

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DEFINITIONS AND DATA SOURCES

PROFILE HEADERS

Planning Region

DEFINITION: This indicates the North Dakota state planning region in which the county is located. In 1969, North Dakota established eight planning regions for the purposes of standardizing the regions being served by state agencies. Each planning region is composed of a group of counties and contains a regional council which provides a broad array of services and programs to communities in their service area including economic development planning, business lending, resource conservation and community development. For more information, visit <http://www.business.nd.gov/searchcenter/regional/>.
PERCENTAGE: Not applicable.
GEOGRAPHY: Not applicable.
DATE: Not applicable.
LIMITATIONS: None.
NOTE: None.
SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Commerce.

State Capital and County Seat

DEFINITION: This indicator reflects the designated locations for state and county government functions.
PERCENTAGE: Not applicable.
GEOGRAPHY: Not applicable.
DATE: Not applicable.
LIMITATIONS: None.
NOTE: None.
SOURCE: North Dakota Supreme Court.

Total Population, 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator is the most current estimate of the number of people residing in respective geographic areas.
PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.
GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.
DATE: July 1, 2008 (Vintage 2008).
LIMITATIONS: Age, race, and Hispanic origin characteristics for this current year estimate were not available at the time of publishing. Thus, the age, race, and Hispanic origin indicators presented in the Demographics component reflect one year prior.
NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division.

Population Rank, 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator is based on the ordering of respective geographies by population; the geography with the largest population is ranked first (i.e., rank = 1). Counties are ranked in order from 1 to 53. Regions are ranked in order from 1 to 8. The state of North Dakota is ranked according to its position among all 50 states.
PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.
GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.
DATE: July 1, 2008 (Vintage 2008).
LIMITATIONS: None.
NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.
SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division.

Land Area, 2000

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the size of respective North Dakota geographies in square miles.
PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.
GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the respective geographic boundaries.
DATE: April 1, 2000.
LIMITATIONS: None.
NOTE: None.
SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Population Density, 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator is the number of people residing in respective North Dakota geographies per square mile.
PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.
GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.
DATE: July 1, 2008 (Vintage 2008).
LIMITATIONS: None.
NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.
SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division.

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Total Population, 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents an estimate of the total number of people residing in respective North Dakota geographic areas. This estimate reflects the most current number available for substate characteristic data (i.e., age, race, gender, and Hispanic origin).
PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these persons represent of the total population statewide.
GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.
DATE: July 1, 2007 (Vintage 2007).
LIMITATIONS: Age, race, and Hispanic origin characteristics for the most current year estimate (July 1, 2008) were not available at the time of publishing. Thus, the age, race, and Hispanic origin indicators presented in the Demographics component reflect July 1, 2007.
NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.
SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division.

Median Age, 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents an estimate of the middle age point of the total population in respective North Dakota geographic areas. It is reflected in years and divides the age distribution into two equal parts: half of the population is older than the median age and half is younger than the median age.
PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.
GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.
DATE: July 1, 2007 (Vintage 2007).
LIMITATIONS: Age, race, and Hispanic origin characteristics for the most current year estimate (July 1, 2008) were not available at the time of publishing. Thus, the age, race, and Hispanic origin indicators presented in the Demographics component reflect July 1, 2007.
NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.
SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division.

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Population of Children Ages 0 to 17, 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents an estimate of the child population under the age of 18. Ages 0 to 2, Age 3, Ages 4 to 5, Ages 6 to 12, Age 13, and Ages 14 to 17 indicate the total number of children in these respective age groups.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage for each age group is the proportion these children represent of the total population in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: July 1, 2007 (Vintage 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Age, race, and Hispanic origin characteristics for the most current year estimate (July 1, 2008) were not available at the time of publishing. Thus, the age, race, and Hispanic origin indicators presented in the Demographics component reflect July 1, 2007.

NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.

SOURCE: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, "U.S. Census Populations With Bridged-Race Categories," www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/popbridge/popbridge.htm.

Population of Children Ages 0 to 5, 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents an estimate of the child population under the age of 6.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total population in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: July 1, 2007 (Vintage 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Age, race, and Hispanic origin characteristics for the most current year estimate (July 1, 2008) were not available at the time of publishing. Thus, the age, race, and Hispanic origin indicators presented in the Population component reflect July 1, 2007.

NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.

SOURCE: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health

Statistics, "U.S. Census Populations With Bridged-Race Categories," www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/popbridge/popbridge.htm.

Population of Children Ages 0 to 13, 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents an estimate of the child population under the age of 14.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total population in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: July 1, 2007 (Vintage 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Age, race, and Hispanic origin characteristics for the most current year estimate (July 1, 2008) were not available at the time of publishing. Thus, the age, race, and Hispanic origin indicators presented in the Population component reflect July 1, 2007.

NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.

SOURCE: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, "U.S. Census Populations With Bridged-Race Categories," www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/popbridge/popbridge.htm.

Population of Children Ages 0 to 18, 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator reflects an estimate of the child population under the age of 19 by racial composition. Racial categories include: White; Black or African American; American Indian and Alaska Native; and Native Hawaiian, Asian and Other Pacific Islander. These racial categories represent "bridged-race categories." These estimates result from bridging the 31 race categories used in Census 2000 to the four race categories mentioned above. The bridged-race population estimates are produced under a collaborative arrangement between the National Center for Health Statistics and the U.S. Census Bureau.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion that children ages 0 to 18 represent of the total population in respective geographic areas.

Percentages for the racial subcategories represent the proportion of the total child population ages 0 to 18 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: July 1, 2007 (Vintage 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Age, race, and Hispanic origin characteristics for the most current year estimate (July 1, 2008) were not available at the time of publishing. Thus, the age, race, and Hispanic origin indicators presented in the Demographics component reflect July 1, 2007.

NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.

SOURCE: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, "U.S. Census Populations With Bridged-Race Categories," www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/popbridge/popbridge.htm.

Population of Children Ages 0 to 18 of Hispanic Origin, 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator reflects an estimate of the child population under the age of 19 who are of Hispanic origin.

Children of Hispanic origin may be of any race. Hispanic origin is considered a separate ethnic category and includes children of different racial backgrounds.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion of the total child population ages 0 to 18 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: July 1, 2007 (Vintage 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Age, race, and Hispanic origin characteristics for the most current year estimate (July 1, 2008) were not available at the time of publishing. Thus, the age, race, and Hispanic origin indicators presented in the Demographics component reflect July 1, 2007.

NOTE: Past years' estimates are revised each year as new administrative records become available. The term *Vintage* identifies the release date.

SOURCE: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, "U.S. Census Populations With Bridged-Race Categories," www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/popbridge/popbridge.htm.

DEFINITIONS AND DATA SOURCES

Total Births, Calendar Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator reflects the total number of resident live births in respective North Dakota geographic areas.
PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data are reported by the mother's place of residence rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

DATE: Calendar Year 2007 (January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007).

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Vital Records.

Total Births to All Teens Ages 12 to 19, Calendar Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents resident live births occurring to a mother ages 12 to 19.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these births represent of total resident live births in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data are reported by the mother's place of residence rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

DATE: Calendar Year 2007 (January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Data are not reported for geographies where the number of teenage births is five or less. In these cases, <6 is indicated.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Vital Records.

total child population ages 0 to 17 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: April 1, 2000.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 1 (SF1), Table P28.

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living with Grandparents, 2000

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children ages 0 to 17 who live in families headed by a grandparent. Children in this category include children ages 0 to 17 who have never been married and are related to the family by birth, marriage, or adoption.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 0 to 17 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: April 1, 2000.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 1 (SF1), Table P28.

Mothers with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the total number of women ages 16 and older who have children ages 0 to 17. With Children Ages 0 to 5 includes women who have children ages 0 to 5 only, and women who have children ages 0 to 5 and one or more children ages 6 to 17 years. With Children Ages 6 to 17 Only includes women who have children ages 6 to 17 only.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage for mothers with children in each age group represents the proportion of these women who are in the labor force in respective geographic areas. The labor force is defined as persons ages 16 and older who are employed (part-time or full-time) or unemployed (not working, but actively looking and available to accept a job). People not in the labor force include all persons 16 and older not classified as members of the labor force, such as students, retirees, homemakers, and institutionalized persons.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: April 1, 2000.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (SF3), Table P45.

Children Ages 0 to 18 in Foster Care, Federal Fiscal Year 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents children placed in living situations outside their family home as a result of Juvenile Court intervention. In most cases custody is given to either a County Social Service Board, a Tribal Social Service office, the Division of Juvenile Services, or the Executive Director of the North Dakota Department of Human Services (e.g., in cases where parental rights have been terminated). Numbers are unduplicated cases and exclude subsidized adoption. The data are presented by type of placement: Family Home Placements, Residential Child-Care Facility, Group Home Placements, and Other Placements. Family Home Placements - an occupied private residence in which foster care is regularly provided by the owner or lessee to no more than four children, unless all of the children in foster care are related to each other by blood or marriage, in which case such limitation does not apply. Family foster care includes pre-adoptive homes, relative placements, family foster homes, and trial home visits.

Residential Child-Care Facility - a public or private institutional facility providing foster care to more than eight unrelated children, except as may be otherwise provided by rule or regulation. Facilities may include child-care institutions, residential treatment facilities, maternity homes, etc. Group Home Placements - an occupied private residence in which foster care is regularly provided for more than four but fewer than 10 unrelated children. Other Placements - include runaways, supervised independent living, and cases for which no specific placement was identified.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 0 to 18 in respective geographic areas. The percentages for the placement subcategories represent the proportion of children ages 0 to 18 in foster care in respective geographic areas.

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Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Single-Parent Families, 2000

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children ages 0 to 17 who live in families headed by one person - male or female - with no spouse present in the home. Children in this category include children ages 0 to 17 who have never been married and are related to the family by birth, marriage, or adoption.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the

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GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: Federal Fiscal Year 2008 (October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2007).

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: The statewide total for 2008 includes one case for which a county was not identified. In editions prior to the 2005 *Fact Book*, county level data reflected only those children for whom the County Social Service Board in question was responsible. Thus, the county numbers did not include children in the custody of a division other than a County Social Service Board. Children in the custody of organizations other than County Social Service Boards were included in the statewide total. Beginning with the 2005 *Fact Book*, all children being served by foster care, regardless of the custodian, are reported for each county and region where they are being served.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Children and Family Services.

Total Births to All Unmarried Women, Calendar Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents resident live births occurring to a mother who is not married at the time of conception, at the time of birth, or at any time between conception and birth, as recorded by birth certificates.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these births represent of total resident live births in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data are reported by the mother's place of residence rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

DATE: Calendar Year 2007 (January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Data are not reported for geographies where the number of births to unmarried women is five or less. In these cases, <6 is indicated.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Vital Records.

Total Births to Unmarried Teens Ages 12 to 19, Calendar Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents resident live births occurring to a mother ages 12 to 19 who is not married at the time

of conception, at the time of birth, or at any time between conception and birth, as recorded by birth certificates.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these births represent of total resident live births in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data are reported by the mother's place of residence rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

DATE: Calendar Year 2007 (January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Data are not reported for geographies where the number of births to unmarried teens is five or less. In these cases, <6 is indicated.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Vital Records.

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Children Ages 0 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children ages 0 to 17 who are living in families with incomes below the federal poverty threshold. The federal poverty thresholds are updated each year by the U.S. Census Bureau and were established in 1964 using guidelines set by the Social Security Administration. Income cutoffs are based on a formula utilizing family and individual income, family size, and age of family members. The formula is based on three times a family's food costs, according to the USDA's most economical food plans. The cost of this food plan is adjusted each year to reflect current economic guidelines. The current 2008 poverty thresholds are included in the following table.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 0 to 17 for whom poverty status is determined in respective geographic areas. Children for whom poverty status is determined include children living in households where they are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. Thus, children living in foster care or in a group/institutional setting are excluded from this indicator.

GEOGRAPHY: Geographical analysis is available by state and county. Data for planning regions are not available.

DATE: 2007.

LIMITATIONS: The estimates are based on statistical models and are subject to modeling error. For the 90% confidence intervals associated with state and county-level data, visit <http://www.census.gov/did/www/saie/>.

NOTE: The estimates are based on statistical models which combine survey data with population estimates and administrative records. The estimates are not direct counts from enumerations or administrative records, nor direct estimates from sample surveys.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, <http://www.census.gov/did/www/saie/>.

The 2008 Federal Poverty Thresholds (Preliminary Weighted Averages):

Family Size	Annual Family Income
1	\$10,997
2	14,060
3	17,165
4	22,017
5	26,043
6	29,410

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/poverty/threshld/08prelim.html>.

Children Ages 5 to 17 Living in Poverty, 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children ages 5 to 17 who are living in families with incomes below the federal poverty threshold. The federal poverty thresholds are updated each year by the U.S. Census Bureau and were established in 1964 using guidelines set by the Social Security Administration. Income cutoffs are based on a formula utilizing family and individual income, family size, and age of family members. The formula is based on three times a family's food costs, according to the USDA's most economical food plans. The cost of this food plan is adjusted each year to reflect current economic guidelines. The current 2007

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poverty thresholds are included in the table on the previous page.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 5 to 17 for whom poverty status is determined in respective geographic areas. Children for whom poverty status is determined include children living in households where they are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. Thus, children living in foster care or in a group/institutional setting are excluded from this indicator. **GEOGRAPHY:** Geographical analysis is available by state and county. Data for planning regions are not available. **DATE:** 2007.

LIMITATIONS: The estimates are based on statistical models and are subject to modeling error. For the 90% confidence intervals associated with state and county-level data, visit <http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/>.

NOTE: The estimates are based on statistical models which combine survey data with population estimates and administrative records. The estimates are not direct counts from enumerations or administrative records, nor direct estimates from sample surveys.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, <http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/>.

Median Income of Families with Children Ages 0 to 17, 2000

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the middle income point of the total number of families with children, including those with no income. The median is reflected in dollars and divides the number of families into two equal parts: half of families with children have incomes above the median and half have incomes below the median.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: April 1, 2000.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (SF3), Table PCT39.

TANF Recipients Ages 0 to 19, Fiscal Year 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of persons ages 0 to 19 who are recipients of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) and thus automatically eligible for Medicaid (see the **Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20** indicator in the Health component for a complete definition of the Medicaid program). TANF is a need-based income assistance program for families with children who need financial support because one parent is absent from the home, one parent is incapacitated, family income is within the program standards, or countable assets are within the program limits. TANF is not an entitlement program, and adult TANF recipients are limited to a lifetime total of benefits of no more than 60 months; however, the 60 months do not have to be consecutive months. Children who have received TANF benefits for 60 months may receive benefits when they are adults.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these persons represent of the total population ages 0 to 19 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: Fiscal Year 2008 (July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008).

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Data on TANF reported in *Fact Books* prior to the 2004 publication reflect persons ages 0 to 20. Current reporting procedures by the North Dakota Department of Human Services required that the definition be changed to reflect children ages 0 to 19. Beginning July 1, 1997, TANF replaced Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC). AFDC was an entitlement program that provided a monthly payment to parents or guardians on behalf of children who were defined as "dependent." AFDC was funded by both the federal and state governments and was administered by the state. Children must have been found eligible to receive such assistance by criteria laid down in federal and state law. Eligible children included needy children who had been deprived of support or care because of death to a caregiver, continued absence of a caregiver from the home, underemployment or unemployment of the principal wage earner, or physical or mental handicap of a caregiver.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services.

Children Receiving Free or Reduced Price Lunch, October 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children receiving free or reduced price lunch at school. Children may also receive free or reduced price breakfast and/or milk. To receive a free meal, household income must be below 130% of the federal poverty threshold. Children in food stamp or TANF families are automatically eligible for free school meals. Families who receive commodity assistance through food distribution programs in American Indian tribal areas are also automatically eligible for free meals. To receive a reduced price meal, household income must be below 185% of the federal poverty threshold.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of total school enrollment in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the school location, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: October 2008.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, Child Nutrition and Food Distribution.

Food Stamp Recipients Ages 0 to 18, Fiscal Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children ages 0 to 18 who are recipients of food stamps, including migrant children. The Food Stamp Program (currently known as SNAP - Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) is a uniform, nationwide entitlement program to supplement the nutritional needs of people whose income is at or below the poverty level. Households must meet eligibility requirements. An individual household's food stamp allotment is equal to the maximum allotment for that household's size, less 30% of the household's net income.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 0 to 18 in respective geographic areas.

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GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: Fiscal Year 2008 (July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008).

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Data on Food Stamps reported in *Fact Books* prior to the 2004 publication reflect children ages 0 to 17. Current reporting procedures by the North Dakota Department of Human Services required that the definition be changed to reflect children ages 0 to 18.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services.

Child-Care Assistance Recipients Ages 0 to 13, Fiscal Year 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children ages 0 to 13 whose families receive North Dakota Child-Care Assistance. The purpose of the Child-Care Assistance Program is to help with child care costs for low-income families while they are working or participating in allowable training or allowable education programs. For eligible families, the North Dakota Department of Human Services pays a percentage of their child-care bill determined by using a sliding fee scale. Payment is made directly to the child-care provider.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 0 to 13 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: Fiscal Year 2008 (July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008).

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services.

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Average Expenditures Per Student in Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the average per student expenditures (in dollars) for instruction, administration, operation, and maintenance for public schools in respective geographic areas during a given school year.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the public school, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: Academic Year 2007-08 (Fall 2007 through Spring 2008).

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction.

Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 2007-08 Academic Year

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the average number of students enrolled per day in public schools for respective geographic areas during a given school year.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the public school, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: 2007-08 Academic Year (Fall 2007 through Spring 2008).

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction.

Special Education Enrollment in Public Schools, December 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of public school children ages 3 to 21 enrolled in special education by age categories and in the following selected special education subcategories: emotionally disturbed, speech or language impaired, specific learning disability, and mentally handicapped. Age categories provided for this indicator include Ages 3 to 5, Ages 6 to 11, Ages 12 to 17, and Ages 18 to 21.

Emotionally Disturbed refers to a condition exhibiting one or more of the following characteristics over a long period of time and to a marked degree that adversely affects a child's educational performance: 1) inability to learn what cannot be explained by intellectual, sensory, or health factors; 2) inability to build or maintain satisfactory interpersonal relationships with peers and teachers; 3) inappropriate types of behavior or feelings under normal circumstances; 4) a general pervasive mood of unhappiness or depression; 5) a tendency to develop physical symptoms or fears associated with personal or school problems. The term also

includes schizophrenia. The term does not apply to children who are socially maladjusted unless it is determined they have a serious emotional disturbance. Speech or Language Impaired refers to a communication disorder such as stuttering, impaired articulation, language impairment, or a voice impairment that adversely affects a child's educational performance. Specific Learning Disability refers to a disorder in one or more of the basic psychological processes involved in understanding or in using language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself in an imperfect ability to listen, think, speak, read, write, spell, or do mathematical calculations. The term includes such conditions as perceptual disabilities, brain injury, minimal brain dysfunction, dyslexia, and developmental aphasia. The term does not apply to children who have learning problems that are primarily the result of visual, hearing, or motor disabilities; mental handicap; emotional disturbance; or environmental, cultural, or economic disadvantage. Mentally Handicapped refers to significantly subaverage general intellectual functioning existing with additional deficits in motor, emotional, and social development. This category includes educable and trainable mentally handicapped individuals.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion that special education children represent of total public school enrollment in respective geographic areas. The percentages for the age subcategories and the selected special education subcategories represent the proportion of the total child population enrolled in special education in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the school location, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: December 2008.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Amendments to federal law removed the word "Seriously" from the subcategory Emotionally Disturbed. This name change was reflected in the 2001 *Fact Book*. The definition of this special education subcategory was not affected. **SOURCE:** North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, Special Education.

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Average ACT Composite Scores, Class of 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents average American College Testing (ACT) Program scores of graduating high school seniors in respective geographic areas. ACT scores are designed to predict a student's potential for success in college. The highest possible score one can obtain on the ACT exam is 36.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the high school, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: High School graduating class of 2008.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Approximately 80% of 2008 North Dakota high school graduates took the ACT.

SOURCE: ACT, Inc., Department of Program Evaluation and Institutional Research Services, Research Division.

Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College English, Class of 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the proportion of all ACT-tested high school graduates who scored 18 or better on the English portion of the ACT exam. The highest possible score one can obtain is 36. The ACT program has developed benchmarks to measure what it takes to be successful in standard first-year college courses in the areas of English, math, reading, and science. A score of 18 or better is the minimum score needed on the English portion of the ACT to indicate a 50 percent chance of obtaining a B or higher or about a 75 percent chance of obtaining a C or higher in the corresponding credit-bearing college course of English Composition.

PERCENTAGE: See definition.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the high school, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: High School graduating class of 2008.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Approximately 80% of 2008 North Dakota high school graduates took the ACT.

SOURCE: ACT, Inc., Department of Program Evaluation and Institutional Research Services, Research Division.

Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Math, Class of 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the proportion of all ACT-tested high school graduates who scored 22 or better on the math portion of the ACT exam. The highest possible score one can obtain is 36. The ACT program has developed benchmarks to measure what it takes to be successful in standard first-year college courses in the areas of English, math, reading, and science. A score of 22 or better is the minimum score needed on the math portion of the ACT to indicate a 50 percent chance of obtaining a B or higher or about a 75 percent chance of obtaining a C or higher in the corresponding credit-bearing college course of Algebra.

PERCENTAGE: See definition.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the high school, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: High School graduating class of 2008.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Approximately 80% of 2008 North Dakota high school graduates took the ACT.

SOURCE: ACT, Inc., Department of Program Evaluation and Institutional Research Services, Research Division.

Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Reading, Class of 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the proportion of all ACT-tested high school graduates who scored 21 or better on the reading portion of the ACT exam. The highest possible score one can obtain is 36. The ACT program has developed benchmarks to measure what it takes to be successful in standard first-year college courses in the areas of English, math, reading, and science. A score of 21 or better is the minimum score needed on the reading portion of the ACT to indicate a 50 percent chance of obtaining a B or higher or about a 75 percent chance of obtaining a C or higher in the corresponding credit-bearing college course of Social Science.

PERCENTAGE: See definition.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the high school, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: High School graduating class of 2008.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Approximately 80% of 2008 North Dakota high school graduates took the ACT.

SOURCE: ACT, Inc., Department of Program Evaluation and Institutional Research Services, Research Division.

Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College Science, Class of 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the proportion of all ACT-tested high school graduates who scored 24 or better on the science portion of the ACT exam. The highest possible score one can obtain is 36.

The ACT program has developed benchmarks to measure what it takes to be successful in standard first-year college courses in the areas of English, math, reading, and science. A score of 24 or better is the minimum score needed on the science portion of the ACT to indicate a 50 percent chance of obtaining a B or higher or about a 75 percent chance of obtaining a C or higher in the corresponding credit-bearing college course of Biology.

PERCENTAGE: See definition.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the high school, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: High School graduating class of 2008.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Approximately 80% of 2008 North Dakota high school graduates took the ACT.

SOURCE: ACT, Inc., Department of Program Evaluation and Institutional Research Services, Research Division.

Percent of High School Graduates Ready for College in All Four Subject Areas, Class of 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the proportion of all ACT-tested high school graduates who scored all of the following: 18 or better on the English portion; 22 or better on the math portion; 21 or better on the reading portion; and 24 or better on the science portion of the ACT exam. The highest possible score one can obtain is 36. The ACT program has developed benchmarks to measure what it takes to be successful in standard first-year college courses in the areas of English, math, reading, and science. A benchmark score is the minimum score needed on an ACT subject-area test to indicate a 50 percent chance of obtaining a B or higher or about a

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75 percent chance of obtaining a C or higher in the corresponding credit-bearing college courses, which include English Composition, Algebra, Social Science, and Biology. PERCENTAGE: See definition.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the high school, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: High School graduating class of 2008.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Approximately 80% of 2008 North Dakota high school graduates took the ACT.

SOURCE: ACT, Inc., Department of Program Evaluation and Institutional Research Services, Research Division.

High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12, 2007-08 Academic Year

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children who dropped out of grades 9-12 during the academic year.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of total school enrollment for grades 9-12 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the school location, not the student's place of residence.

DATE: 2007-08 Academic Year (Fall 2007 through Spring 2008).

LIMITATIONS: This number reflects dropout events during a given school year; it does not reflect the success rate for high school students, or the proportion of students who actually graduate four years after they begin high school.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction.

Licensed Child-Care Providers, February 2009

DEFINITION: This indicator represents individuals or facilities to whom the right, authority, or permission has been granted by the North Dakota Department of Human Services to operate a family child-care home, group child-care home or facility, child-care center, preschool educational facility, school-age program, public approval program, or multiple license facility. Child-care providers who are licensed by the state and located on tribal lands are included in this category. A license is required if early childhood services are provided for four or more children ages 24

months and younger, or six or more children at any one time. A *family child-care home provider* refers to an occupied private residence in which early childhood services are provided for no more than seven children at any one time (or four infants). This type of home may also be allowed to care for up to two additional school-aged children during the two hours immediately before and after the school day or all day (except weekends or when school is not in session). A *group child-care provider* refers to an occupied private residence or other facility where early childhood services are provided for 8 to 18 children. A *child-care center* refers to an early childhood facility where early childhood services are provided to 19 or more children based on available space. A *preschool educational facility* refers to a facility offering early childhood services and following a preschool curriculum designed primarily to enhance the educational development of the children enrolled in the facility. Children are served for no more than three hours per day. A *school-age program* offers early childhood services to children before and after school and during school holidays and summer vacations. A *public approval program* refers to state agencies that have child-care facilities. A *multiple license facility* refers to a child-care facility with more than one type of license. Licensed Child-Care Capacity is the number of children that can be served by licensed child-care providers.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for the main indicator; the percentage for capacity is the proportion that licensed child-care capacity represents of the total child population ages 0 to 13 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the child-care program. Out-of-state providers caring for North Dakota children are included in the state total.

DATE: February 2009.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services.

Standard Compliance Certification (SCC) and In-Home Child-Care Providers, February 2009

DEFINITION: This indicator represents two types of non-licensed child-care providers. *Standard Compliance Certification*, also referred to as Self-Certified, refers to child-care providers who have completed an Affidavit of Standard Compliance and Child-Care Provider Contract. This is a voluntary self-certification process for child-care providers who are not licensed and care for five or fewer children, with no more than three children younger than 24 months of age. Registered *In-Home* child-care providers offer child-care services in the child's home. This title reflects a voluntary registration process for child-care providers who are not licensed. Child-care providers meeting these criteria and located on tribal lands are included in this category. Standard Compliance Certification (SCC) and In-Home Child-Care Capacity is the number of children that can be served by standard compliance and registered in-home child-care providers.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for the main indicator; the percentage for capacity is the proportion that standard compliance and registered in-home child-care capacity represents of the total child population ages 0 to 13 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the child-care program. Out-of-state providers caring for North Dakota children are included in the state total.

DATE: February 2009.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services.

Registered Tribal Child-Care Providers, February 2009

DEFINITION: This indicator represents tribal child-care providers who are registered with the state of North Dakota, but are not licensed, self-certified, nor approved relatives. Authority to provide child care is provided by the Tribal Council or designated Tribal Agency. Registered Tribal Child-Care Capacity is the number of children that can be served by tribal child-care providers who are registered with the state.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for the main indicator; the

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percentage for capacity is the proportion that registered tribal child-care capacity represents of the total child population ages 0 to 13 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the location of the child-care program.

DATE: February 2009.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services.

Approved Relative Child-Care Providers, February 2009

DEFINITION: This indicator represents a type of non-licensed child-care provider. By federal law, the approved relatives must be related by marriage, blood relationship, or appointed by court order. Approved relative providers include grandparents, aunts, and uncles. A sibling who is age 18 or older and who does not live in the same home as the child for whom care is being provided can also become an approved relative. Approved relative child-care providers located on tribal lands are included in this category. Approved Relative Child-Care Capacity is the number of children that can be served by approved relative child-care providers.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for the main indicator; the percentage for capacity is the proportion that approved relative child-care capacity represents of the total child population ages 0 to 13 in respective geographic areas. **GEOGRAPHY:** County and regional data reflect the location of the child-care program. Out-of-state providers caring for North Dakota children are included in the state total.

DATE: February 2009.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services.

completed by the mother at the time of birth: 1) gestational age 14-21 weeks with no prenatal visits; 2) gestational age 22-29 weeks with one or fewer visits; 3) gestational age 30-31 weeks with two or fewer prenatal visits; 4) gestational age 32-33 weeks with three or fewer prenatal visits; 5) gestational age 34+ weeks with four or fewer prenatal visits. Women receiving adequate amounts of prenatal care include women who began their prenatal care in the first four months of pregnancy and, given the age of gestation at birth, made at least 80% of the recommended physician or clinic visits prior to delivery.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these infants represent of total resident live births in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the mother's place of residence rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

DATE: Calendar Year 2007 (January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Data are not reported for geographies where the number of births to mothers receiving inadequate prenatal care is five or less. In these cases, <6 is indicated.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Vital Records.

Low-Weight Births, Calendar Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of babies who weigh less than 2,500 grams (5 pounds, 8 ounces) at birth, as recorded by birth certificates.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these babies represent of total resident live births in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the mother's place of residence rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

DATE: Calendar Year 2007 (January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Data are not reported for geographies where the number of low-weight births is five or less. In these cases, <6 is indicated.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Vital Records.

Deaths of Infants Less Than 1 Year of Age, Calendar Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of deaths occurring to infants less than 1 year of age, as recorded on death certificates.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these deaths represent of total resident live births in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data are reported by the infant's place of residence rather than the location of death.

DATE: Calendar Year 2007 (January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Data are not reported for geographies where the number of infant deaths is five or less. In these cases, <6 is indicated.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Vital Records.

Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19, Calendar Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of deaths for children ages 1 to 19, as recorded on death certificates.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these deaths represent of total deaths in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data are reported by the child's place of residence rather than the location of death.

DATE: Calendar Year 2007 (January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007).

LIMITATIONS: Data are not reported for geographies where the number of child deaths is five or less. In these cases, <6 is indicated.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Vital Records.

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Participants, Fiscal Year 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents persons who are eligible for and receive a food voucher and nutrition education contract through the WIC Program. The WIC Program provides coupons for specific foods to low-income pregnant and postpartum women, infants, and children younger than five years. To be eligible for WIC, low-income women, infants, and children must be found to be at nutritional risk for medical or dietary reasons. WIC is

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Births to Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, Calendar Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of resident live births calculated by using both an infant's gestational age at birth and the number of prenatal visits

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a prevention program targeted to provide nutrition education, nutritious food, and access to health care. WIC is not an entitlement program.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: Fiscal Year 2008 (July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008).

LIMITATIONS: Fort Berthold and Standing Rock Indian reservations administer their own programs. Thus, data for these two reservations are not included in the state WIC numbers. North Dakota WIC data do cover the Spirit Lake and Turtle Mountain reservations as well as the Trenton Indian Service Area.

NOTE: For confidentiality reasons, FY 2008 data for Slope County are included in the Bowman County number.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity, WIC Program.

Uninsured Children Ages 0 to 18 Below 200% of Poverty, 2005

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children under the age of 19 who are not covered by health insurance and are living in families with incomes below 200% of the federal poverty level.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 0 to 18 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: Geographical analysis is available by state and county. Data for planning regions are not available.

DATE: 2005.

LIMITATIONS: The estimates are based on statistical models and are subject to modeling error. For the 90% confidence intervals associated with state and county-level data, visit www.census.gov/did/www/sahie/.

NOTE: The estimates are based on statistical models using estimates of income and poverty from the Annual Social and Economic Supplement (a U.S. Census Bureau survey). The estimates are not direct counts from enumerations or administrative records, nor direct estimates from sample surveys.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, <http://www.census.gov/did/www/sahie/>.

Medicaid Recipients Ages 0 to 20, Fiscal Year 2007

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of persons ages 0 to 20 who are recipients of Medicaid. Medicaid is a federally funded entitlement program available to eligible persons based upon need. It is designed to assist individuals and families who do not have enough income to obtain health care. Medicaid is authorized by Title XIX, a 1965 amendment to the federal Social Security Act. Eligible persons include those receiving TANF or Social Security Income (SSI) payments; those terminated by TANF and in transition for 4 to 12 months; elderly, blind, or disabled people with low incomes; persons institutionalized, in foster homes, and certain adoptive children; pregnant women; and women with children ages 0 to 6. Medicaid differs from Medicare, which is a federally funded program for the elderly and disabled only.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these persons represent of the total population ages 0 to 20 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: Fiscal Year 2008 (July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008).

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Data on Medicaid reported in *Fact Books* prior to the 2004 publication reflect persons receiving Medicaid but not TANF. Current reporting procedures by the North Dakota Department of Human Services required that the definition be changed to reflect all persons receiving Medicaid, regardless of whether or not they receive TANF.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services.

Children Ages 0 to 18 Enrolled in Healthy Steps, January 2009

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children under the age of 19 who are enrolled in the Healthy Steps program in North Dakota. Healthy Steps, North Dakota's health insurance plan for children, provides premium-free health coverage to uninsured children in qualifying families. It is intended to help meet the health care needs of children from working families that earn too much to qualify for

full Medicaid coverage, but not enough to afford private insurance.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 0 to 18 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect place of residence.

DATE: January 2009.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: Coverage is available for uninsured children ages 18 and younger who live in families with qualifying incomes. Single 18-year-olds with eligible incomes may also apply. The income guidelines are established by the North Dakota Legislature. To qualify, a family's Net income (after subtracting child-care costs and payroll taxes such as social security tax, Medicare tax, and income tax) must be greater than the Medicaid level, but cannot exceed 150% of the federal poverty level. SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Health Tracks and Healthy Steps.

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Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, Federal Fiscal Year 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the total number of official assessments made to the North Dakota Department of Human Services (NDDHS) on behalf of a child where there is the suspicion of child abuse or neglect. Child abuse and neglect refers to any recent act or failure to act on the part of a parent or caregiver which results in death, serious physical or emotional harm, sexual abuse or exploitation, or an act or failure to act which presents an imminent risk of serious harm. *Physical harm* refers to any nonaccidental physical injury to the child, and can include striking, kicking, burning, or biting the child, or any action that results in a physical impairment of the child. *Emotional harm* refers to injury to the psychological capacity or emotional stability of the child as evidenced by an observable or substantial change in behavior, emotional response or cognition, or as evidenced by anxiety, depression, withdrawal, or aggressive behavior. A *neglected child*, also referred to

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as a *deprived child*, refers to a child who: 1) is without proper parental care or control, subsistence, education, or other care or control necessary for the child's physical, mental, emotional health, or morals, and the deprivation is not due primarily to the lack of financial means of the child's parents, guardian, or other custodian; 2) has been placed for care or adoption in violation of law; 3) is without proper parental care, control, education, or other care and control necessary for the child's well-being because of the physical, mental, emotional, or other illness or disability of the child's parent or parents, and that such lack of care is not due to a willful act of commission or act of omission by the child's parents, and care is requested by a parent; 4) is in need of treatment and whose parents, guardian, or other custodian have refused to participate in treatment as ordered by the juvenile court; 5) was subject to prenatal exposure to chronic and severe use of alcohol or any controlled substance in a manner not lawfully prescribed by a practitioner; or 6) is present in an environment subjecting the child to exposure to a controlled substance or drug paraphernalia. *Abandonment* of a child refers to a situation in which: 1) the parent's identity or whereabouts are unknown, 2) the child has been left by the parent in circumstances where the child suffers serious harm, or 3) the parent has failed to maintain contact with the child or to provide reasonable support for a specified period of time. Definitions for *sexual abuse* are available in the North Dakota Century Code chapter 12.1-20 at <http://www.legis.nd.gov/cencode/t121.html>. The North Dakota Century Code mandates certain persons (those who have contact with children as a part of their professional duties) to report incidents of suspected child abuse or neglect. Any person may report an incident. The NDDHS or its designated agent, a regional or county Child Protection Service (CPS) social worker, will respond to the report by conducting an assessment of the family being reported. This process allows for the assessment of the present safety of the child(ren) and the risk of future maltreatment, while simultaneously noting family strengths and needs. These strengths, along with any necessary service interventions, may lead to the amelioration of child maltreatment within a particular family. The CPS social

workers use a risk assessment tool to help direct the intervention and assessment process. CPS teams determine if: 1) services are required, or 2) services are recommended, or 3) no services are required or recommended. Services are required if a high level of risk is determined to exist for the child(ren), and/or the family's needs are such that immediate service is required in order to lessen the safety risk. When it is determined that services are required, North Dakota Century Code requires a referral to Juvenile Court and a social worker (case manager) must be assigned to coordinate services. Services are recommended, but not required, if a low to intermediate risk level is determined to exist for the child(ren) and/or the family has service needs, but court action will not be requested at the time of the decision. If no services are required or recommended, it has been determined that: 1) no to low risk for the child(ren) exists; and/or 2) the CPS team suggests a discussion with the family on the availability of services, which are unrelated to any specific risk factors; and/or 3) the family's service need is nonexistent. **PERCENTAGE:** There is no percentage calculated for this indicator. **GEOGRAPHY:** County and regional data reflect the location of the assessment. **DATE:** Federal Fiscal Year 2008 (October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008). **LIMITATIONS:** Reports of child abuse and neglect from tribal areas are processed separately and are not included in these numbers. **NOTE:** In an effort to coordinate with federal reporting procedures, data regarding child abuse and neglect are now presented for the Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) (October-September) rather than for the Calendar Year (CY) (January-December). While trends are consistent between the two reporting procedures, please use caution when comparing FFY data (first reported in the 2007 *Fact Book*) with CY data which were reported prior to the 2007 *Fact Book*. **SOURCE:** North Dakota Department of Human Services, Children and Family Services.

Suspected Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect, Federal Fiscal Year 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children involved in assessments made to the North Dakota

Department of Human Services (NDDHS) where there is the suspicion of child abuse or neglect (see the **Child Abuse and Neglect Reports** indicator definition for detailed definitions of abuse and neglect and a description of the assessment process). Child Protection Service (CPS) social workers determine if: 1) services are required, or 2) services are recommended, or 3) no services are required or recommended. When there are Victims in Cases Where Services Are Required, a high level of risk is determined to exist for the child(ren), and/or the family's needs are such that immediate service is required in order to lessen the safety risk. When it is determined that services are required, North Dakota Century Code requires a referral to Juvenile Court and a social worker (case manager) must be assigned to coordinate services (see the **Child Abuse and Neglect Reports** indicator definition for detailed definitions of other CPS determinations). **PERCENTAGE:** The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion that children who are suspected victims represent of the total child population ages 0 to 17 in respective geographic areas. The percentage for victims in cases where services are required is the proportion these children represent of total suspected child victims in respective geographic areas. **GEOGRAPHY:** County and regional data reflect the location of the assessment. **DATE:** Federal Fiscal Year 2008 (October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008). **LIMITATIONS:** Data exclude child abuse and neglect reports from tribal areas. **NOTE:** In an effort to coordinate with federal reporting procedures, data regarding child abuse and neglect are now presented for the Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) (October-September) rather than for the Calendar Year (CY) (January-December). While trends are consistent between the two reporting procedures, please use caution when comparing FFY data (first reported in the 2007 *Fact Book*) with CY data which were reported prior to the 2007 *Fact Book*. **SOURCE:** North Dakota Department of Human Services, Children and Family Services.

Children Ages 10 to 17 Referred to Juvenile Court, Calendar Year 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of juveniles ages 10 to 17

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referred to Juvenile Court in the reference year. It excludes children in cases involving abandonment, abuse/neglect, deprivation, file 960 (when no further action is recommended), educational neglect, other or no fault deprivation, termination of parental rights, or other special proceedings.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 10 to 17 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the offense location, not the juvenile's place of residence. In addition, the number of juveniles is unduplicated only at the county level of geography.

Approximately 5% of juvenile offenders were referred to court in multiple counties in 2008. In these cases, each juvenile is counted once for each county in which they are referred. However, because the regional and state level data are a sum of the counties, these multi-county offenders are duplicated at the regional and state levels of geography.

DATE: Calendar Year 2008 (January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008).

LIMITATIONS: Referrals made to the four tribal courts in North Dakota are not included in this indicator.

NOTE: A new reporting procedure for juvenile court referrals and offenses was implemented by the North Dakota Supreme Court beginning with 2003 data. In this new reporting procedure, the data reflect the year in which the case was referred to court, not the year when the case was settled (disposition date). This new reporting procedure affects data that were first reported by North Dakota KIDS COUNT in the 2005 *Fact Book*. Thus, caution should be used when making comparisons to data presented in *Fact Books* prior to the 2005 publication.

SOURCE: North Dakota Supreme Court, State Court Administrator's Office.

Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense, Calendar Year 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents all cases referred to juvenile court along with the description of the major offense associated with each referral. A juvenile referred to court may be charged with multiple offenses; however, only a description of the major offense for each referral is provided. The major offense

subcategories include Alcohol Offense, Unruly Behavior, Offense Against Person, Offense Against Property, and Other Offense. Offenses are incidents that require referral to Juvenile Court, and can be made by police, parents, school teachers/officials, or other sources. These referrals exclude cases involving abandonment, abuse/neglect, deprivation, file 960 (when no further action is recommended), educational neglect, other or no fault deprivations, termination of parental rights, or other special proceedings. Alcohol Offense includes the purchase or possession of alcohol by a minor, delivery of alcohol to a minor, minor in a liquor establishment, and minor in possession/consumption. Unruly Behavior includes runaways in- and out-of-state, truancy, ungovernable behavior, violation of conditions for conduct and control, violation of curfew, and other unruly behavior. Offense Against Person includes assault, homicide, kidnapping or unlawful restraint, sex offenses, and other offenses against a person. Offense Against Property includes arson or endangering by fire, burglary, criminal mischief or damaging property, criminal trespass, forgery and counterfeiting, robbery, shoplifting, theft (other than shoplifting), unauthorized use of vehicle, and other offenses against property. Other Offense includes disorderly conduct, possession or purchase of controlled substances, cruelty to animals, tobacco purchase/smoking, resisting arrest, driving under the influence, driving without a license, open container, carrying a concealed weapon, illegal possession of a firearm, and all other offenses not contained in the above categories.

PERCENTAGE: There is no percentage calculated for the main indicator. The percentages for the major offense subcategories represent the proportion that each major offense category represents of total juvenile court referrals in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the offense location, not the juvenile's place of residence.

DATE: Calendar Year 2008 (January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008).

LIMITATIONS: Referrals made to the four tribal courts in North Dakota are not included in this indicator.

NOTE: A new reporting procedure for juvenile court referrals was implemented by

the North Dakota Supreme Court beginning with 2003 data. In this new reporting procedure, the data reflect the year in which the case was referred to court, not the year when the case was settled (disposition date). This new reporting procedure affects data that were first reported by North Dakota KIDS COUNT in the 2005 *Fact Book*.

Thus, caution should be used when making comparisons to data presented in *Fact Books* prior to the 2005 publication. *Fact Books* prior to the 2006 publication, subcategories were incorrectly reported under the "Juvenile Offenses" indicator.

Prior to the 2006 publication, when a referral had multiple charges, the major offense description for the referral was inappropriately applied to each of the individual charges associated with that referral, which provided an inaccurate representation of the various offenses being committed, and overrepresenting the main offense. Thus, comparisons to offense subcategory data in *Fact Books* prior to the 2006 publication should not be made.

SOURCE: North Dakota Supreme Court, State Court Administrator's Office.

Juvenile Offenses, Calendar Year 2008

DEFINITION: This indicator represents all offenses associated with juvenile court referrals. This indicator differs from the number of actual referrals, as one referral may have multiple offenses. Juvenile offenses exclude referral cases involving abandonment, abuse/neglect, deprivation, file 960 (when no further action is recommended), educational neglect, other or no fault deprivations, termination of parental rights, or other special proceedings. **PERCENTAGE:** There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the offense location, not the juvenile's place of residence.

DATE: Calendar Year 2008 (January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008).

LIMITATIONS: Offenses from referrals made to the four tribal courts in North Dakota are not included in this indicator.

NOTE: A new reporting procedure for juvenile court referrals was implemented by the North Dakota Supreme Court beginning with 2003 data. In this new reporting procedure, the data reflect the year in which the case was referred to court, not the year when the case was settled (disposition

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date). This new reporting procedure affects data that were first reported by North Dakota KIDS COUNT in the 2005 *Fact Book*. Thus, caution should be used when making comparisons to data presented in *Fact Books* prior to the 2005 publication. The various types of offenses are no longer presented as subcategories of the Juvenile Offenses indicator, as they were in *Fact Book* publications prior to 2006. Rather, a description of the major offense for each referral is now reported under the Juvenile Court Referrals by Major Offense indicator (a new indicator for the 2006 *Fact Book*).
SOURCE: North Dakota Supreme Court, State Court Administrator's Office.

Children Ages 16 to 19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 2000

DEFINITION: This indicator represents the number of children ages 16 to 19 who have not completed high school, are not enrolled in school, and are not in the labor force.

PERCENTAGE: The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 16 to 19 in respective geographic areas.

GEOGRAPHY: County and regional data reflect the child's place of residence.

DATE: April 1, 2000.

LIMITATIONS: None.

NOTE: None.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (SF3), Table P38.

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