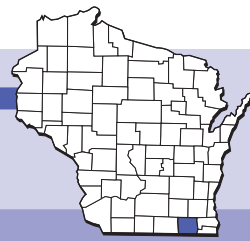


# Walworth County



	COUNTY	WISCONSIN
Families With Children Under Age 18 (%)	49.3	50.1
Children In Single Parent Families (%)	17.8	21.7
Children In Married Couple Families (%)	75.6	71.3
Children With All Parents In The Labor Force (%)	72.4	74.4
Children Living Below 200% Of Poverty (%)	25.3	29.1
Children Living Below 50% Of Poverty (%)	3.2	4.9
Children Age 5 To 15 With A Disability (%)	5.1	6.2
Language Other Than English Spoken At Home (%)	9.7	8.5
Persons Over 25 With A High School Degree (%)	84.2	85.1
Persons Over 25 With An Associate Degree (%)	6.8	7.5
Persons Over 25 With A Bachelor's Degree (%)	21.8	22.4
Children Ages 3 And 4 In Preschool (%)	45.6	44.9

## DEMOGRAPHICS

	1997	2000	2003
Total Population	83,620	91,996	96,812
Population Under Age 18	20,710	22,654	22,488
Population Under Age 5	4,900	5,527	5,556

## HEALTHY FAMILIES AND CHILDREN THRIVE

	1997	2000	2003
Births To Single Mothers (%)	23	23.3	26.6
Births To Mothers Under Age 18 (%)	4	2.7	2.8
Prenatal Care Initiated In The First Trimester (%)	81	81.2	82.3
Low Birthweight (% Of All Births Under 5.5 lbs.)	5.9	5.3	4.8
Infant Deaths (per 1,000 Births)	2	5.4	*
Mental Health Hospitalizations (per 1,000 Children)	5.8	6	6.1
Preventable Hospitalizations (per 1,000 Children)	5.7	4.7	6.6
MA Recipients (Includes BadgerCare) (per 1,000 Children)	71.8	93.3	186.9
BadgerCare (per 1,000 Children)	**	14.1	28.2
Disabled SSI (per 1,000 Children)	5.3	4.3	4.4

\* Less than 5

\*\* Wisconsin Shares began in September 1997; BadgerCare in 1999

NA: Data Not Available

## FAMILIES CAN MEET THEIR NEEDS

	1997	2000	2003
Median Income	\$46,800	\$56,600	\$61,300
Per Capita Income	\$22,805	\$27,293	\$27,626
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1	3.1	4.3
Fair Market Rent	\$504	\$532	\$559
Renters Unable To Afford FMR (%)	NA	33	33
Full-time Hourly Wage Needed To Afford FMR	\$9.60	\$10.23	\$10.75
AFDC/W2 Recipients (per 1,000 Residents/incl. Child Only Cash Benefits)	3.6	2.8	2.5
W2 (per 1,000 Residents)	1.5	1.3	1.2
Caretaker Supplement (per 1,000 Children)	*	1.9	2.4
Kinship Care (per 1,000 Children)	*	4	3
Food Stamp Recipients (per 1,000 Residents)	14.4	12.2	26.9
Children Eligible For Free/Reduced Lunch (% of Enrolled)	16.7	18.6	23
Births To Mothers Without A High School Degree (%)	17	16.5	18.1

## CHILDREN ARE SAFE

	1997	2000	2003
Accidental Death (per 10,000 Children)	0.5	0.4	2.6
Foster, Group Home & Residential Placement (per 1,000 Children)	2.9	3.1	2.1
Court Ordered Kinship Care (per 1,000 Children)	NA	0	0.3
Child Abuse & Neglect Reports (per 1,000 Children)	13.3	10.5	17.2
Child Abuse Substantiations (per 1,000 Children)	6	4.8	2.3
Domestic Violence Total Arrests (per 1,000 Adults)	5.7	3.2	3.7
Dual Arrests (per 1,000 Adults)	1.3	0.3	0.8

## YOUTH MAKE GOOD CHOICES

	1997	2000	2003
High School Graduation (%)	87.6	93.1	94.5
Students Taking The ACT (%)	57.5	67	61
School Attendance (%)	93.9	94.5	94.5
Births To Teen Mothers (per 1,000 15-19 Year Olds)	30.2	24.9	30.5
Total Juvenile Arrests (per 1,000 Children)	124.4	111.2	100.4
Violent Arrests (per 1,000 Children)	2.5	1.3	1.8
Drug Arrests (per 1,000 Children)	7	8.9	6.6
Status Offenses (per 1,000 Children)	28.3	24.9	23.2
Placements in Correctional Institutions (per 10,000 Children)	7.2	9.5	3.1

## CHILDREN ARE READY FOR SCHOOL

	1997	2000	2003
Children Meeting Immunization Requirements (%)	94.1	99.1	98.5
Children Receiving WIC Services, Ages 0-4 (per 1,000 Children)	304	341	334
Four-Year-Old Kindergarten (per 1,000 4 Year Olds)	115	149	236
Children Participating in Birth-to-Three Program (per 1,000)	13.9	23.6	46.5
Licensed Child Slots (per 1,000 Children, Ages 0-7)	190	209	212
Certified Child Slots (per 1,000 Children, Ages 0-7)	25	NA	3.3
Wisconsin Shares (per 1,000 Children, Ages 0-7)	**	49.9	69.4