Taos County KIDS COUNT Profile

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KIDS COUNT Indicators of child well-being



Economic Well-Being Children at or below the poverty level 2015

32%

New Mexico:

Families with children in which no parent is working 2011-2015

18%

New Mexico:

Households renting with a high housing cost burden 2011-2015

52%

New Mexico:

Teens (16-19) not in school and not working

2011-2015

14%

New Mexico:



Education

Young children (3-4) not in school

2011-2015

47%

New Mexico:



4th graders meeting or exceeding expectations in English language arts 2016-2017

> Mesa Vista: 22% Peñasco: ≤10% Ouesta: 24% **Taos: 22%**

New Mexico:



8th graders meeting or exceeding expectations

in math 2016-2017

Mesa Vista: ≤20% Peñasco: ≤10% Questa: ≤10% **Taos: 19%**

New Mexico:



High school graduation rates

2015-2016

Mesa Vista: 74% Peñasco: ≥ 90% Ouesta: 88%

Taos: 74% New Mexico:





Health

Low-birthweight babies 2016

15%

New Mexico:



Children (0-18) without health insurance

2015

6.5%

New Mexico:



Child (0-14) and teen (15-19) death rates (per 100,000) 2016

> Child: 19.8 Teen: 172.5

Child: 57.8 New Mexico: Teen: 64.2 Teen binge drinking

2015

20.6%

New Mexico:





Children in singleparent families 2011-2015

44%

New Mexico:

Children in families where household head lacks high school diploma 2011-2015

10%

New Mexico:

Children living in highpoverty areas

2011-2015

12%

New Mexico:

Teen (15-19) birth rate (per 1,000)

2016

38.9

New Mexico:

29.4

The above data are identical to data presented in the 2017 New Mexico Kids Count Data Book Note: Unless otherwise noted, "children" refers to ages 0-17

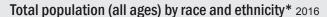
Sources: Children in poverty: U.S. Census, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates; Families with no working parent: American Community Survey (ACS), Table B23007; Households with high housing cost burden: ACS Table B25070; Teens not in school/working: ACS Table B14005; Young children not in school: ACS Table B14003; English Language Arts and Math proficiencies: NM Public Education Department (PED), "PARCC Proficiencies 2017"; High school graduation rates: NM PED, "Webfiles cohort of 2016 4-Year Graduation Rates"; Low-birthweight babies: NM Department of Health (DOH), Indicator-Based Information System for Public Health (IBIS); Children without health insurance: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Health Insurance Estimates; Child and teen death rates: NM DOH IBIS; Teen binge drinking: NM Youth Risk and Resiliency Survey; Children in single-parent families: ACS Table B09002; Children in families where household head lacks HS diploma: ACS Table B17018; Children living in high-poverty areas: Population Reference Bureau analysis of ACS data; Teen birth rate: NM DOH IBIS



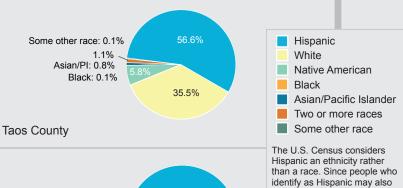
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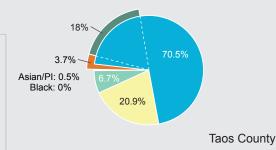
Population demographics



Child population (ages 0-19) by race and ethnicity* 2016



38.7%



The U.S. Census considers Hispanic an ethnicity rather than a race. Since people who identify as Hispanic may also identify as a race, the sum of all numbers may be greater than 100% due to overlap. Where that overlap is significant, the "two or more races" and/or the "some other race" categories are shown separately.



New Mexico

Families with children where no parent is in workforce** 2016

	Number	Percent
Taos County	585	21.6%
New Mexico	25,906	12.5%

Total	popul	lation ((al	l ages)	2016
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	Number	Percentage of state population
Taos County	32,961	1.6%
New Mexico	2,082,669	100%

Households receiving SNAP benefits 2016

Some other race: 0.2%

New Mexico

1.5%

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	Number	Percent	
Taos County	2,645	20.3%	
New Mexico	126.654	16.6%	

Child population (ages 0-19) 2016

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	Number	Percentage of state population
Taos County	6,940	1.2%
New Mexico	559,130	100%

Rate of substantiated child abuse 2017

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	Rate (per 1,000 children)	
Taos County	37	
New Mexico	25	

Median household income 2016

	Number	Percent of state median income
Taos County	\$35,323	77%
New Mexico	\$45,674	100%

^{*}All data shown for Whites, Native Americans, Blacks, and Asian/Pacific Islanders are for people who did not also identify as Hispanic.

Sources: U.S. Census American Community Survey, 5-year estimates, 2012-2016: Total population by race & ethnicity: Table DP05; Child population by race & ethnicity: Tables B01001B, B01001C, B01001D, B01001E, B01001F, B01001G, B01001H, B01001I; Families with children where no parent is in workforce: B23007; Households receiving SNAP benefits: DP03; Rate of substantiated child abuse: NM Children, Youth and Families Protected Services Division, Information request received Nov. 2017; Total and child population: B01001; Median household income: B19013 Updated 3.7.18



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^{**}The workforce includes those who are either working or unemployed but actively seeking work.