



# Ashland County

## WisKids County Data Snapshot

### Population

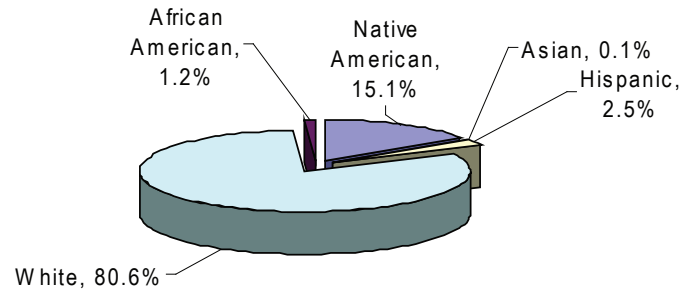
Total population: 16,295

Under age 18: 3,64

Under age 5: 1,193

Speak a language other than English at home: 4.4% \*

Kids in Ashland County



Living in Poverty	2000	2006-08	Wisconsin
All Residents	12.5%	14.9%	10.0%
All Children	16.3%	22.9%	14.0%
Children living below 200% FPL	43.2%	n/a	34.0%

Health	2000	2008-09	Wisconsin
Medicaid/BadgerCare recipients	328	496	315.0
Food Share recipients (per 1000)	53	170	105
Free/Reduced lunch	41	52%	34.0%
Infant Mortality (per 1000 births)	n/a	n/a	6.4
Teen Births (per 1,000 15-19 year olds)	44	43.3	31.3

<b>Employment, Education and Income</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2007-09</b>	<b>Wisconsin</b>
Median Incomes	\$38,800	\$49,600	\$64,203
Unemployment Rate	8.5%	10%	9%
W-2 cash benefits cases	n/a	13	7,905
People over 25 w/o a high school diploma	15.9%	n/a	11.3%
People over 25 w/ a high school diploma only	40.5%	n/a	34.6%
People over age 25 with a BA or higher	16.5%	n/a	25.6%

<b>Housing</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>Wisconsin</b>
Fair market rent	\$415	\$588	\$763
Renters unable to afford FMR	42%	52%	44.0%
Housing wage	\$8	\$11	\$15

<b>Early Childhood</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2006-09</b>	<b>Wisconsin</b>
Children under 6 with all parents working	70.2%	70.2%	71.9%
Wisconsin Shares (per 1,000 children)	147	196.7	168.5
3 & 4 year olds in preschool	45%	47.5%	43.1%

\* Data is from 2000

Sources: Population & Poverty Data from the US Census Bureau [www.census.gov](http://www.census.gov)  
 Poverty data from small counties is from Small Area Income & Poverty Estimates

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