



# Wood County

## WisKids County Data Snapshot

### Population

Total population: 73,756

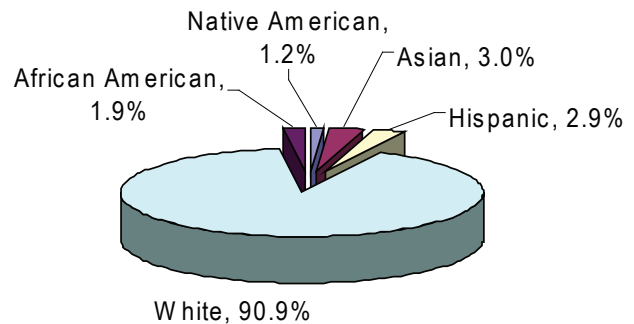
Under age 18: 16,583

Under age 5: 5,078

Children in a single parent household: 6.7%

Speak a language other than English at home: 4.5%

### Kids in Wood County



### Living in Poverty

	2000	2006-08	Wisconsin
All Residents	6.5%	7.50%	10.0%
All Children	7.4%	9%	14.0%
Children living below 200% FPL	26.7%	33.1%	34.0%
Families with children under 18	6.9%	9.1%	11.9%
Female headed households with children	26.6%	37.7%	34.9%

### Health

	2000	2008-09	Wisconsin
Medicaid/BadgerCare recipients	n/a	358	315.0
Food Share recipients (per 1000)	33	109	105
Free/Reduced lunch	18%	31%	34.0%
Infant Mortality (per 1000 births)	6.8	7.7	6.4
Teen Births (per 1,000 15-19 year olds)	34	37.7	31.3

<b>Employment, Education and Income</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2007-09</b>	<b>Wisconsin</b>
Median Incomes	\$56,312	\$62,800	\$64,203
Unemployment Rate	n/a	9%	9%
W-2 cash benefits cases	29	66	7,905
People over 25 w/o a high school diploma	15.3%	12.0%	11.3%
People over 25 w/ a high school diploma only	41%	38.7%	34.6%
People over age 25 with a BA or higher	16.9%	19.0%	25.6%

<b>Housing</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>Wisconsin</b>
People using emergency shelter	n/a	23	11,525
Fair market rent	\$430	\$593	\$763
Renters unable to afford FMR	30%	40%	44.0%
Housing wage	\$8.00	\$11	\$15

<b>Early Childhood</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2006-09</b>	<b>Wisconsin</b>
Children under 6 with all parents working	72.4%	78.9%	71.9%
Wisconsin Shares (per 1,000 children)	102	182.1	168.5
3 & 4 year olds in preschool	44.5%	46.7%	43.1%

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

Questions about this WisKids Count Data Snapshot? Contact Martha Cranley at [mcranley@wccf.org](mailto:mcranley@wccf.org). For more data on child well being in Wisconsin, visit [www.wccf.org](http://www.wccf.org).

The Vision 2020 Campaign to End Child Poverty in Wisconsin by the year 2020 is a project of the Wisconsin Council on Children & Families (WCCF), the Wisconsin Community Action Program Association (WISCAP) and the Wisconsin Head Start Association (WHS). For more information about the Vision 2020 Campaign, visit [www.2020wi.org](http://www.2020wi.org)