



Rhode Island KIDS COUNT
INDICATORS OF CHILD WELL-BEING, 2009
Profile of Barrington, Rhode Island

(Updated April 3, 2009)

Census-Based Indicators			1990	2000		
Child population	Barrington Rhode Island		3,912 225,690	4,745 247,822		
Children in single-parent families (%)	Barrington Rhode Island		6% 22%	11% 30%		
Median household income	Barrington Rhode Island		\$69,222 \$41,985	\$74,591 \$42,090		
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold (%)	Barrington Rhode Island		1.3% 13.5%	2.7% 16.9%		
Teens not in school and not working (%)	Barrington Rhode Island		3.1% 8.1%	2.2% 7.3%		
Households with grandparents financially responsible for grandchildren (%)	Barrington Rhode Island		NA NA	2% 4%		
Economic Well-Being						
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Cost of rent	Barrington Rhode Island	\$845* \$1,121	\$1,195 \$1,147	\$1,297 \$1,172	\$1,297 \$1,172	\$1,310 \$1,232
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	1% 15%	1% 15%	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA
Infants born at highest risk (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	1% 5%	NA NA	0% 5%	<1% 5%	1% 5%
Children in families receiving cash assistance (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	1% 10%	<1% 9%	1% 8%	1% 8%	<1% 6%
Food Stamps/SNAP participation (% of income-eligible children enrolled)	Barrington Rhode Island	18% 71%	18% 65%	19% 69%	19% 69%	30% 77%
School Breakfast Program participation (% of income-eligible children participating)	Barrington Rhode Island	3% 31%	6% 31%	7% 30%	7% 30%	11% 29%
Health						
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Number of children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	Barrington Rhode Island	306 91,638	309 91,144	289 90,731	266 88,641	260 84,717
Children with elevated blood lead levels (% screened positive)	Barrington Rhode Island	4.7% 8.4%	2.7% 7.4%	2.7% 6.4%	0.9% 4.6%	2.1% 4.5%
WIC participation (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	45% 67%	44% 71%	40% 78%
		1999- 2003	2000- 2004	2001- 2005	2002- 2006	2003- 2007
Women with delayed prenatal care (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	2.4% 8.9%	2.9% 9.1%	3.6% 9.4%	4.1% 10.7%	6.2% 12.1%
Infants born low birthweight (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	3.9% 7.7%	4.0% 7.8%	4.6% 8.0%	4.8% 8.1%	4.7% 8.1%
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 births)	Barrington Rhode Island	1.2 6.5	1.2 6.4	3.7 6.4	2.6 6.2	2.8 6.3
Asthma hospitalization rate (per 1,000 children)	Barrington Rhode Island	1.7 3.6	1.6 3.6	1.7 3.9	1.7 4.0	1.7 4.0
Teen birth rate (per 1,000 teens ages 15 to 17)	Barrington Rhode Island	0.9 20.6	0.9 20.0	0.5 19.5	0.9 19.1	0.9 19.1
Newborn infants exclusively breastfed (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	82% 57%	82% 57%	82% 57%	82% 57%	82% 57%

Safety						
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Child abuse and neglect indicated victims (rate per 1,000 children)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	1.7 10.7
Domestic violence incidents with children present (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	38% 31%	NA NA	29% 20%	30% 25%	23% 29%
Rate of children with incarcerated parents (per 1,000 children)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	1.3 11.3	1.7 12.4	2.1 11.1
Education						
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Early Intervention participation (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	8% 8%	8% 8%	8% 9%	8% 9%	10% 10%
Early Head Start participation (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	0% 4%
Head Start participation (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	10% 40%
Students enrolled in special education (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	15% 19%	14% 18%
Infant and preschool child care slots (per 100 children under age 6)	Barrington Rhode Island	81 102	73 98	79 101	78 94	78 91
Number of licensed school-age child care slots	Barrington Rhode Island	379 14,006	379 13,258	265 12,179	265 12,405	325 11,329
Number of children receiving child care subsidies	Barrington Rhode Island	50 13,192	48 12,666	45 12,267	18 9,008	17 7,700
Children in full-day kindergarten (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	12% 45%	7% 47%	25% 50%	25% 52%	0% 58%
Children who are English language learners (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	<1% 6%	<1% 5%	0% 5%	1% 5%	1% 5%
Student mobility rate (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	8% 16%	7% 17%	6% 18%	4% 16%
4 th graders at or above the reading proficiency level (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	89% 60%	91% 63%	91% 64%	90% 68%
8 th graders at or above the reading proficiency level (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	92% 56%	91% 58%	95% 62%	94% 65%
4 th graders at or above the math proficiency level (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	85% 52%	84% 54%	83% 54%	87% 63%
8 th graders at or above the math proficiency level (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	87% 47%	82% 47%	89% 48%	91% 53%
Schools making insufficient progress (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	0% 19%
High school attendance rate (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	95% 90%	95% 90%	96% 90%	95% 90%	96% 91%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	Barrington Rhode Island	5 30	3 32	4 30	4 32	3 30
High school graduation rate (%)	Barrington Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	96% 70%	95% 74%

*Average rent is the 2004 Fair Market Rent. Rhode Island Housing Rent Survey data were not available for these years.

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