



Rhode Island KIDS COUNT
INDICATORS OF CHILD WELL-BEING, 2009
Profile of Lincoln, Rhode Island
(Updated April 3, 2009)

Census-Based Indicators			1990	2000		
Child population	Lincoln		3,890	5,157		
	Rhode Island		225,690	247,822		
Children in single-parent families (%)	Lincoln		14%	20%		
	Rhode Island		22%	30%		
Median household income	Lincoln		\$48,379	\$47,815		
	Rhode Island		\$41,985	\$42,090		
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold (%)	Lincoln		7.0%	6.5%		
	Rhode Island		13.5%	16.9%		
Teens not in school and not working (%)	Lincoln		5.6%	2.7%		
	Rhode Island		8.1%	7.3%		
Households with grandparents financially responsible for grandchildren (%)	Lincoln		NA	3%		
	Rhode Island		NA	4%		
Economic Well-Being						
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Cost of rent	Lincoln	\$1,147	\$1,150	\$1,025	\$1,073	\$1,240
	Rhode Island	\$1,121	\$1,147	\$1,172	\$1,142	\$1,232
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma (%)	Lincoln	5%	4%	NA	NA	NA
	Rhode Island	15%	15%	NA	NA	NA
Infants born at highest risk (%)	Lincoln	3%	NA	2%	2%	2%
	Rhode Island	5%	NA	5%	5%	5%
Children in families receiving cash assistance (%)	Lincoln	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%
	Rhode Island	10%	9%	8%	7%	6%
Food Stamp Program/SNAP participation (% income-eligible children enrolled)	Lincoln	51%	48%	69%	80%	97%
	Rhode Island	71%	65%	69%	74%	77%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Lincoln	35%	28%	31%	30%	26%
	Rhode Island	31%	31%	30%	29%	29%
Health						
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Number of children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	Lincoln	898	859	943	972	1,008
	Rhode Island	91,638	91,144	90,731	88,641	84,717
Children with elevated blood lead levels (% screened positive)	Lincoln	2.3%	3.0%	2.4%	2.8%	1.5%
	Rhode Island	8.4%	7.4%	6.4%	4.6%	4.5%
WIC participation rate (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	64%	49%	55%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	67%	71%	78%
		1998-2002	1999-2003	2000-2004	2001-2005	2003-2007
Women with delayed prenatal care (%)	Lincoln	6.2%	5.8%	5.8%	6.1%	8.1%
	Rhode Island	9.1%	8.9%	9.1%	9.4%	12.1%
Infants born low birthweight (%)	Lincoln	6.8%	6.6%	7.1%	6.6%	7.2%
	Rhode Island	7.5%	7.7%	7.8%	8.0%	8.1%
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 births)	Lincoln	10.3	11.1	9.2	7.2	6.4
	Rhode Island	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.3
Asthma hospitalization rate (per 1,000 children)	Lincoln	1.7	2.2	2.0	2.5	2.6
	Rhode Island	2.8	3.6	3.6	3.9	4.0
Teen birth rate (per 1,000 teens ages 15 to 17)	Lincoln	6.4	5.0	5.5	5.9	3.2
	Rhode Island	21.3	20.6	20.0	19.5	19.1
Newborn infants exclusively breastfed (%)	Lincoln	65%	65%	64%	63%	63%
	Rhode Island	57%	57%	57%	57%	57%

Safety		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Child abuse and neglect indicated victims (rate per 1,000 children)	Lincoln	NA	NA	NA	NA	6.6
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	10.7
Domestic violence incidents with children present (%)	Lincoln	32%	NA	29%	18%	29%
	Rhode Island	31%	NA	20%	25%	29%
Rate of children with incarcerated parents (per 1,000 children)	Lincoln	NA	NA	0.4	1.7	1.7
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	11.3	12.4	11.1
Education		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Early Intervention participation rate (%)	Lincoln	10%	10%	9%	10%	9%
	Rhode Island	8%	8%	9%	9%	10%
Early Head Start participation rate (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	4%
Head Start participation rate (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	40%
Students enrolled in special education (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	NA	16%	16%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	19%	18%
Infant and preschool child care slots (per 100 children under age 6)	Lincoln	115	52	57	82	80
	Rhode Island	102	98	101	94	91
Number of licensed school-age child care slots	Lincoln	265	255	295	335	335
	Rhode Island	14,006	13,258	12,179	12,405	11,329
Number of children receiving child care subsidies	Lincoln	277	242	231	184	126
	Rhode Island	13,666	13,192	12,666	12,267	7,700
Children in full-day kindergarten (%)	Lincoln	1%	0%	1%	3%	0%
	Rhode Island	41%	45%	47%	50%	58%
Children who are English language learners (%)	Lincoln	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Rhode Island	6%	6%	5%	5%	5%
Student mobility rate (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	5%	4%	9%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	16%	17%	16%
4 th graders at or above the reading proficiency level (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	72%	76%	77%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	60%	63%	68%
8 th graders at or above the reading proficiency level (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	74%	75%	79%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	56%	58%	65%
4 th graders at or above the math proficiency level (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	72%	68%	79%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	52%	54%	63%
8 th graders at or above the math proficiency level (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	62%	67%	69%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	47%	47%	53%
Schools making insufficient progress (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	19%
High school attendance rate (%)	Lincoln	93%	93%	93%	92%	90%
	Rhode Island	89%	90%	90%	90%	91%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	Lincoln	24	13	32	15	14
	Rhode Island	29	30	32	30	30
High school graduation rate (%)	Lincoln	NA	NA	NA	86%	83%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	70%	74%

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