



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

Census-Based Indicators			1990	2000		
Child Population	New Shoreham Rhode Island		163 225,690	185 247,822		
Children in single-parent families (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island		11% 22%	19% 30%		
Median household income	New Shoreham Rhode Island		\$41,059 \$41,985	\$44,779 \$42,090		
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island		10.1% 13.5%	10.2% 16.9%		
Teens not in school and not working (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island		0.0% 8.1%	0.0% 7.3%		
Households with grandparents financially responsible for grandchildren (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island		NA NA	2% 4%		
Economic Well-Being						
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Cost of rent	New Shoreham Rhode Island	\$802* \$1,121	\$760* \$1,147	\$799* \$1,172	\$1,029* \$1,142	\$965* \$1,232
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	0% 15%	0% 15%	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA
Infants born at highest risk (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	0% 5%	NA NA	0% 5%	0% 5%	0% 5%
Children in families receiving cash assistance (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	0% 10%	2% 9%	0% 8%	0% 7%	2% 6%
Food Stamp Program/SNAP participation (% income-eligible children enrolled)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	5% 71%	16% 65%	0% 69%	0% 74%	26% 77%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	73% 31%	23% 31%	35% 30%	29% 29%	41% 29%
Health						
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Number of children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	New Shoreham Rhode Island	19 91,638	24 91,144	21 90,731	18 88,641	33 84,717
Children with elevated blood lead levels (% screened positive)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	18.2% 8.4%	9.1% 7.4%	0.0% 6.4%	0.0% 4.6%	12.5% 4.5%
WIC participation rate (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	60% 67%	58% 71%	64% 78%
		1999- 2003	2000- 2004	2001- 2005	2002- 2006	2003- 2007
Women with delayed prenatal care (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA 8.9%	NA 9.1%	NA 9.4%	NA 10.7%	NA 12.1%
Infants born low birthweight (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA 7.7%	NA 7.8%	NA 8.0%	NA 8.1%	NA 8.1%
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 births)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA 6.5	NA 6.4	NA 6.4	NA 6.2	NA 6.3
Asthma hospitalization rate (per 1,000 children)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	1.1 3.6	1.1 3.6	1.1 3.9	1.1 4.0	1.1 4.0
Teen birth rate (per 1,000 teens ages 15 to 17)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA 20.6	NA 20.0	NA 19.5	NA 19.1	NA 19.1
Newborn infants exclusively breastfed (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	90% 57%	90% 57%	93% 57%	95% 57%	94% 57%

Safety		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Child abuse and neglect indicated victims (rate per 1,000 children)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	5.4 10.7
Domestic violence incidents with children present (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	0% 31%	NA NA	20% 20%	40% 25%	0% 29%
Rate of children with incarcerated parents (per 1,000 children)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	16.2 11.3	16.2 12.4	21.6 11.1
Education		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Early Intervention participation rate (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	6% 8%	11% 8%	3% 9%	0% 9%	11% 10%
Early Head Start participation rate (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	0% 4%
Head Start participation rate (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	0% 40%
Students enrolled in special education (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	17% 19%	17% 18%
Infant and preschool child care slots (per 100 children under age 6)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	133 102	126 98	126 101	126 94	126 91
Number of licensed school-age child care slots	New Shoreham Rhode Island	0 14,006	36 13,258	0 12,179	0 12,405	0 11,329
Number of children receiving child care subsidies	New Shoreham Rhode Island	2 13,192	0 12,666	0 12,267	0 9,008	1 7,700
Children in full-day kindergarten (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	100% 45%	100% 47%	100% 50%	100% 52%	100% 58%
Children who are English language learners (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	4% 6%	4% 5%	4% 5%	4% 5%	4% 5%
Student mobility rate (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	19% 16%	17% 17%	19% 18%	23% 16%
4 th graders at or above the reading proficiency level (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	100% 60%	78% 63%	90% 64%	91% 68%
8 th graders at or above the reading proficiency level (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	89% 56%	91% 58%	NA 62%	NA 65%
4 th graders at or above the math proficiency level (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	57% 52%	89% 54%	90% 54%	91% 63%
8 th graders at or above the math proficiency level (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	NA 47%	91% 47%	NA 48%	NA 53%
Schools making insufficient progress (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	0% 19%
High school attendance rate (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	90% 90%	91% 90%	92% 90%	91% 90%	88% 91%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	3 30	0 32	1 30	2 32	4 30
High school graduation rate (%)	New Shoreham Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA 70%	100% 74%

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

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