



Rhode Island KIDS COUNT
INDICATORS OF CHILD WELL-BEING, 2011

Profile of Warren, Rhode Island

(Updated April 4, 2011)

Census-Based Indicators		1990	2000			
Child population	Warren Rhode Island	2,452 225,690	2,454 247,822			
Children in single-parent families (%)	Warren Rhode Island	16% 22%	28% 30%			
Households with grandparents financially responsible for grandchildren (%)	Warren Rhode Island	NA NA	6% 4%			
Median household income	Warren Rhode Island	\$41,275 \$41,985	\$41,285 \$42,090			
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold (%)	Warren Rhode Island	8.5% 13.5%	8.4% 16.9%			
Teens not in school and not working (%)	Warren Rhode Island	7.3% 8.1%	13.0% 7.3%			
Economic Well-Being						
		2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Infants born at highest risk (%)	Warren Rhode Island	4% 5%	3% 5%	5% 5%	2% 5%	4% 4%
Cost of rent	Warren Rhode Island	\$1,161 \$1,172	\$1,054 \$1,142	\$1,020* \$1,232	\$956* \$1,170	\$1,025 \$1,165
Children in families receiving cash assistance (%)	Warren Rhode Island	4% 8%	3% 7%	2% 6%	2% 4%	2% 4%
Number of children receiving SNAP/food stamp benefits	Warren Rhode Island	197 36,852	228 39,516	229 41,421	373 53,466	430 59,652
WIC participation (% income-eligible participating)	Warren Rhode Island	59% 67%	63% 71%	76% 78%	87% 77%	70% 72%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	14% 30%	18% 29%	17% 29%	16% 27%	15% 28%
		2001- 2005	2002- 2006	2003- 2007	2004- 2008	2005- 2009
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma (%)	Warren Rhode Island	10% 15%	10% 15%	10% 15%	10% 16%	10% 16%
Health						
		2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Number of children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	Warren Rhode Island	629 90,731	586 88,641	609 84,717	656 89,746	721 92,701
Children with elevated blood lead levels (% confirmed positive)	Warren Rhode Island	2.8% 4.6%	3.8% 3.6%	3.4% 3.1%	1.6% 2.4%	2.8% 2.2%
		2001- 2005	2002- 2006	2003- 2007	2004- 2008	2005- 2009
Women with delayed prenatal care (%)	Warren Rhode Island	7.5% 9.4%	8.6% 10.7%	10.4% 12.1%	13.3% 14.0%	15.0% 14.9%
Infants born low birthweight (%)	Warren Rhode Island	7.6% 8.0%	7.5% 8.1%	6.4% 8.1%	5.7% 8.0%	6.7% 8.0%
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	Warren Rhode Island	3.5 6.4	1.8 6.2	0.0 6.3	0.0 6.2	1.9 6.3
Asthma hospitalization rate (per 1,000 children under age 18)	Warren Rhode Island	3.9 3.9	3.4 4.0	3.2 4.0	3.0 4.0	2.9 4.2
Teen birth rate (per 1,000 girls ages 15 to 19)	Warren Rhode Island	20.9 31.0	22.8 30.4	20.9 30.4	22.2 30.7	22.2 30.1
Newborn infants exclusively breastfed (%)	Warren Rhode Island	58% 57%	59% 57%	60% 57%	59% 57%	62% 58%

Compiled using data reported in the annual Rhode Island Kids Count Factbook.
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Safety						
		2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Child abuse and neglect indicated victims (rate per 1,000 children)	Warren Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	18.3 10.7	11.0 11.7	17.5 13.3
Rate of children with incarcerated parents (per 1,000 children)	Warren Rhode Island	2.4 11.3	3.7 12.4	7.3 11.1	4.1 10.2	6.9 10.4
Domestic violence incidents with children present (%)	Warren Rhode Island	23% 20%	33% 25%	31% 29%	17% 31%	20% 29%
Education						
		2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Early Intervention participation (% of all children under age 3)	Warren Rhode Island	7% 9%	8% 9%	8% 10%	7% 10%	10% 10%
Early Head Start participation (% income-eligible children)	Warren Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	14% 4%	14% 4%	9% 5%
Head Start participation (% income-eligible children)	Warren Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	63% 40%	79% 40%	70% 40%
Infant and preschool child care slots (per 100 children under age 6)	Warren Rhode Island	63 101	42 94	39 91	60 86	56 88
Number of licensed school-age child care slots	Warren Rhode Island	92 12,179	92 12,405	92 11,329	92 10,821	102 11,298
Number of children receiving child care subsidies	Warren Rhode Island	32 12,267	9 9,008	18 7,700	11 7,471	19 7,592
Children in full-day kindergarten (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	100% 50%	100% 52%	100% 58%	100% 60%	100% 60%
Children who are English language learners (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	3% 5%	3% 5%	4% 5%	3% 5%	3% 5%
Students enrolled in special education (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	NA NA	12% 19%	12% 18%	11% 17%	12% 17%
Student mobility rate (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	10% 17%	10% 18%	9% 16%	9% 16%	10% 14%
4 th graders at or above the reading proficiency level (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	73% 63%	79% 64%	78% 68%	74% 67%	77% 69%
8 th graders at or above the reading proficiency level (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	66% 58%	77% 62%	76% 65%	78% 70%	81% 74%
4 th graders at or above the math proficiency level (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	68% 54%	72% 54%	75% 63%	76% 62%	74% 63%
8 th graders at or above the math proficiency level (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	52% 47%	60% 48%	64% 53%	65% 54%	58% 54%
Schools making insufficient progress (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	0% 19%	0% 15%	0% 15%
Chronic early absence (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	8% 10%	11% 13%
High school attendance rate (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	90% 90%	90% 90%	91% 91%	92% 91%	91% 91%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	50 30	50 32	57 30	62 30	68 30
High school graduation rate (%)	Bristol Warren Rhode Island	NA NA	75% 70%	80% 74%	85% 75%	82% 76%

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

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