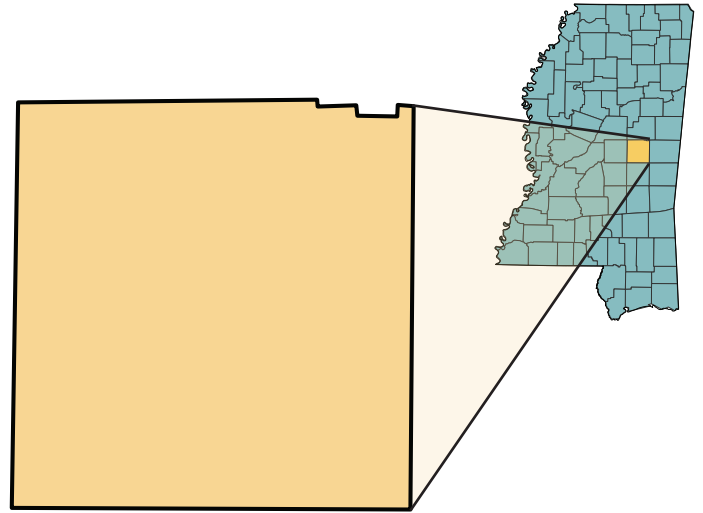


Mississippi's Risk and Reach Report: County Risk Profile

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RISK INDICATORS

*Note: Level 1 = low-risk
Level 2 = low-to-moderate risk
Level 3 = moderate-to-high risk
Level 4 = high-risk

*N/A: National data not presented due to unavailable data or differences in methodology. Education scores (K-Readiness, 3rd grade reading and math) are Mississippi-specific assessments without a corresponding national assessment.

ECONOMIC RISK

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.9%	2
MS: 5.4% US: 3.7%		
PERCENT OF MOTHERS WITH LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION	19.5%	4
MS: 12.6% US: 13.0%		
PERCENT OF CHILDREN AGE 0-5 LIVING IN POVERTY	35.6%	2
MS: 31.1% US: 21.5%		
PERCENT OF CHILDREN WITH FOOD INSECURITY	23.4%	2
MS: 23.0% US: 11.5%		

EDUCATION RISK

KINDERGARTEN READINESS SCORE	504	2
MS: 502 US: N/A		
PERCENT THIRD GRADE PROFICIENCY (LANGUAGE ARTS)	55.6%	1
MS: 48.3% US: N/A		
PERCENT THIRD GRADE PROFICIENCY (MATH)	62.4%	1
MS: 51.4% US: N/A		
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION RATE	80.0%	3
MS: 83.0% US: 96.0%		

HEALTH RISK

PERCENT LOW BIRTH WEIGHT BABIES	6.1%	1
MS: 12.1% US: 8.3%		
INFANT MORTALITY RATE PER 1K	10.5	3
MS: 8.6 US: 8.3		
PERCENT OF UNINSURED CHILDREN UNDER AGE 6	1.3%	2
MS: 3.8% US: 4.3%		
TEEN BIRTH RATE PER 1K FEMALES	40.3	3
MS: 27.8 US: 17.0		

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY RISK

JUVENILE JUSTICE REFERRALS RATE PER 1K CHILDREN	26.9	3
MS: 28.8 US: N/A		
PERCENT OF CHILDREN IN SINGLE PARENT FAMILIES	51.6%	3
MS: 43.7% US: 33.1%		
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE RATE PER 10K CHILDREN	60.0	3
MS: 54.0 US: N/A		
CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT RATE PER 10K PER CHILDREN	125.7	3
MS: 113.4 US: N/A		