

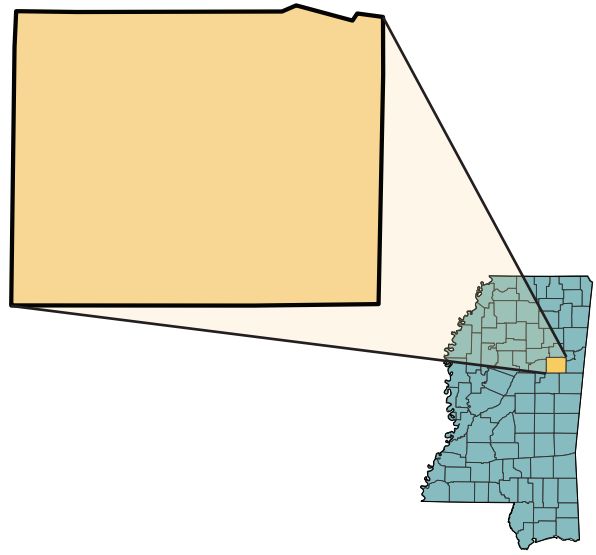
Mississippi's Risk and Reach Report: County Risk Profile

Full report available at <https://childrensfoundationms.org/>

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 MS: 5.4% US: 3.7%	5.6%	2
PERCENT OF MOTHERS WITH LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION MS: 12.6% US: 13.0%	4.5%	1
PERCENT OF CHILDREN AGE 0-5 LIVING IN POVERTY MS: 31.1% US: 21.5%	15.2%	1
PERCENT OF CHILDREN WITH FOOD INSECURITY MS: 23.0% US: 11.5%	17.9%	1

EDUCATION RISK

KINDERGARTEN READINESS SCORE MS: 502 US: N/A	528	1
PERCENT THIRD GRADE PROFICIENCY (LANGUAGE ARTS) MS: 48.3% US: N/A	41.7%	3
PERCENT THIRD GRADE PROFICIENCY (MATH) MS: 51.4% US: N/A	46.0%	3
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION RATE MS: 83.0% US: 96.0%	90.0%	1

HEALTH RISK

PERCENT LOW BIRTH WEIGHT BABIES MS: 12.1% US: 8.3%	11.1%	2
INFANT MORTALITY RATE PER 1K MS: 8.6 US: 8.3	11.9	3
PERCENT OF UNINSURED CHILDREN UNDER AGE 6 MS: 3.8% US: 4.3%	9.7%	4
TEEN BIRTH RATE PER 1K FEMALES MS: 27.8 US: 17.0	9.7	1

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY RISK

JUVENILE JUSTICE REFERRALS RATE PER 1K CHILDREN MS: 28.8 US: N/A	6.1	1
PERCENT OF CHILDREN IN SINGLE PARENT FAMILIES MS: 43.7% US: 33.1%	41.3%	2
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE RATE PER 10K CHILDREN MS: 54.0 US: N/A	25.0	2
CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT RATE PER 10K PER CHILDREN MS: 113.4 US: N/A	78.2	2