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The KIDS COUNT Network is comprised of state-based KIDS COUNT projects in 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Network members share the common goal of using data to advance positive change on behalf of children and families.

## What Data Are Available?

The KIDS COUNT Data Center website brings together data on the well-being of children collected by the national KIDS COUNT network and by grantees from state and local sources. The unique system allows users to access state-specific inventories of data from local sources, such as health departments, human services agencies and schools. KIDS COUNT Data Center can be a powerful tool for community leaders, policy makers, service providers, parents and others who want to take a closer look at the local factors that affect the lives of children and families.

Types of reports that can be created:

**Profiles** - to give detailed information about a single state or region.

**Graphs** - to view indicators over time.

**Maps** - to produce color-coded state maps.

**Rankings** - view all regions within the state, ranked according to the indicator.

**Raw Data** - download community level data in delimited files.

To use the KIDS COUNT Data Center website, go to <http://datacenter.kidscount.org>. Select Data by State from the menu of items. You will then see a list of states. If you click on **Tennessee** you will be connected to all state and community level data from the Tennessee KIDS COUNT project. Then select **View Profiles for This State/Territory** and click on **TN Kids Count Indicators**. You will then see indicators for Tennessee as a whole.

To access county level data, click on the **View Community-Level Profiles** on the Tennessee page, and then select **Counties**, a list of counties will appear. Once you select the county, make sure to click on **TN KIDS COUNT Indicators** to see the data collected from local sources.

You can also generate graphs, maps and rankings and download raw data from the Tennessee information. Each section has further instructions included at the site.

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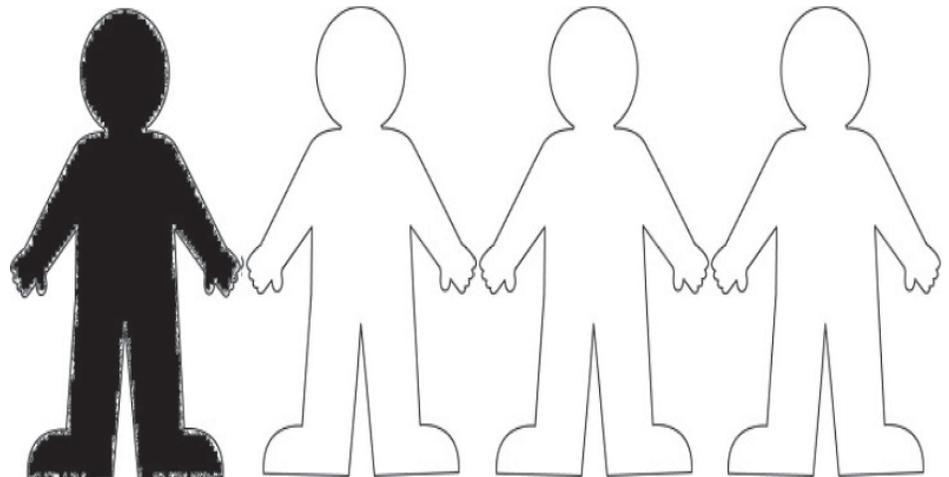
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# KIDS COUNT: The State of the Child 2011 Resource Mapping

## Introduction

Tennessee benefits when citizens work with the public sector to maintain our way of life through careful stewardship of our public structures – whether law enforcement, highways, libraries, colleges or services for children. Our public systems must be stable to guarantee Tennessee’s citizens can continue to look forward to a quality of life that provides the foundation for a healthy state.



**One in every four Tennessee children lives in poverty.**

The economic downturn has created particular challenges that must be addressed for the state to prosper. The revenue and budgets that support public structures are a system of forward exchange – we pay taxes forward, not for immediate exchanges for goods and services but so we have them available in the future. In the same way, we have public goods and services now (schools, bridges, libraries, roads, public health) because of taxes paid in the past. Interrupting the forward exchange by cutting taxes or essential services now can leave the next generation behind in the future, both in the sense that costs will be higher and that meeting higher needs will be unaffordable.

The state budget is the instrument we have for planning for the future, and it reflects our shared priorities. Over the past decades Tennessee has established public-private and state-local partnerships to implement essential “infrastructure” services for children, families and vulnerable Tennesseans. These basic public supports developed in our child welfare, education, health, human services, juvenile justice, mental health and disability services systems are interrelated, so weakening public structure resources in one system erodes the strength of the foundation in all systems.

These services and supports provide children with opportunities to thrive and become productive citizens and enable children to remain with their families, succeed in school and become part of Tennessee’s economic engine of the future. They do this by improving health and education opportunities and helping to reduce child abuse and involvement with child welfare and juvenile justice systems.



Lately there has been a lot of talk about the value of prevention in our country and state. Some people believe we could do more to prevent problems before they occur. Instead of postponing our response to fiscal and other problems, we should use our resources today to prevent them from becoming worse. Maintaining these partnerships, services and supports is essential for preventing problems from escalating and for maintaining Tennessee's overall quality of life.

Eroding the foundation of partnerships supporting children and families not only results in their loss of essential services and supports, it further contributes to overall economic distress in the state with the loss of jobs for the thousands of Tennesseans employed to provide these necessary services. The contributions of these employees are not only to those served; their salaries have a large multiplier effect that is vital to the strength of the state's economy.

Our legacy cannot be one of dismantling the public-private and state-local partnerships, the infrastructure of services for children and families in Tennessee. Many endangered partnerships provide essential services and supports to help children be healthy and supported in their homes, families and communities. If these services are abolished, more children will fail in school; have health, mental health and substance abuse problems; and come into the child welfare and juvenile justice state custody systems, and fewer children will be prepared to be active citizens and productive adults. We must ensure these partnerships survive to maintain essential services and supports to provide a foundation for a brighter, more prosperous future for Tennessee.

The future of our state and communities is directly connected to how we deal with the current economic downturn and the budget shortfall it has created. Well-educated students, well-trained workers, a healthy environment and functioning infrastructure are the foundations of a strong economy. Now more than ever we need our public systems and structures to provide support and protection to those hardest hit by the economic downturn and to pave the way for a robust recovery.

Tennessee has used common sense solutions to achieve its strong credit rating and standing as one of the best-managed states in the country. This is no time to dismantle the tools we need to move our state forward. We must be willing to look at both sides of the ledger to achieve a balanced solution that considers the needs of all Tennesseans. Efforts must include strategies to collect sufficient revenue to provide the infrastructure required to assist those who need help the most and provide opportunities for present and future generations of Tennesseans to be safe, healthy, successful students; productive employees; and participating citizens.

The Tennessee Commission on Children and Youth (TCCY) is committed to helping policy makers and the public understand the ongoing challenges faced by Tennessee's children and families because we know it is critical we respond to these fiscal challenges. The future of Tennessee depends on its ability to foster the health and well-being of the next generation. Capable children are the bedrock of a prosperous and sustainable Volunteer State.

## Resource Mapping History

The Tennessee General Assembly passed legislation requiring resource mapping in 2008 (Public Chapter 1197, codified at TCA 37-3-116):

The commission shall design and oversee a resource mapping of all federal and state funding sources

and funding streams that support the health, safety, permanence, growth, development and education of children in this state from conception through the age of majority or so long as they may remain in the custody of the state.

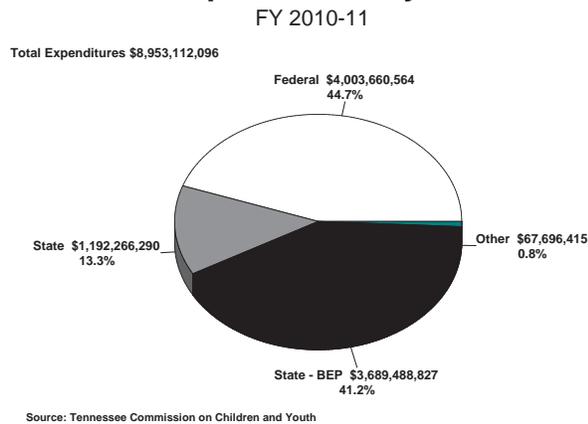
Representatives of all state child-serving agencies collaborate in the submission of data reflecting all expenditures on children and families through the Tennessee state budget. Program and fiscal information was provided by all departments with programs serving children and youth. Extensive information about each of the programs was collected so TCCY could compile and present data in a variety of ways.

Children’s resource mapping demonstrates fiscal responsibility, transparency and accountability regarding support for Tennessee children and families.

The process of data collection is challenging. Its completion illustrates the strong commitment to collaboration and the dedication to improving outcomes for children on the part of state agencies serving children and their staffs.

So what do the data on expenditures tell us? Tennessee children are receiving a wide variety of services and participating in programs that focus on keeping them safe, healthy, educated, nurtured and supported, and engaged in activities to help them succeed in school and become healthy, productive adults.

### Total Expenditures by Source



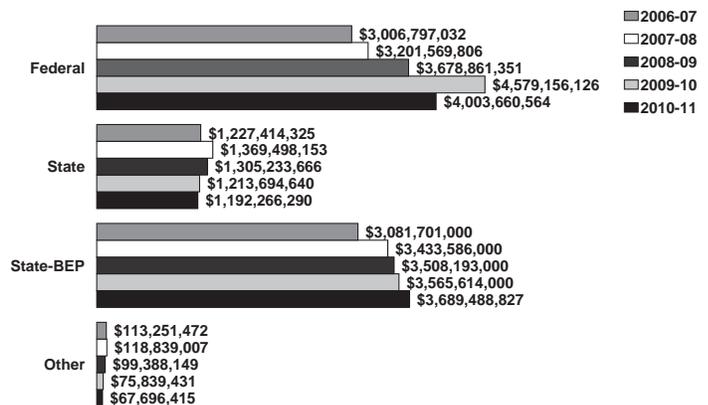
### Funding Sources

Resource mapping provides data to help develop a clearer understanding of services and programs for children in Tennessee. This information can better inform the Governor and members of the General Assembly in developing policy, setting goals and making decisions regarding the allocation of funds.

Tennessee is heavily reliant on federal funding for the public structures that provide many of the essential services and supports for Tennessee children and families. In FY 2011, federal expenditures accounted for close to half of all dollars spent on children through the Tennessee state budget (44.7 percent). A decrease in American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) funds led to a decline in federal dollars from FY 2010 to FY 2011. Over the first four years of reported resource mapping data, total expenditures for children in Tennessee

### Total Expenditures by Source

Fiscal Years 2006-07, 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11



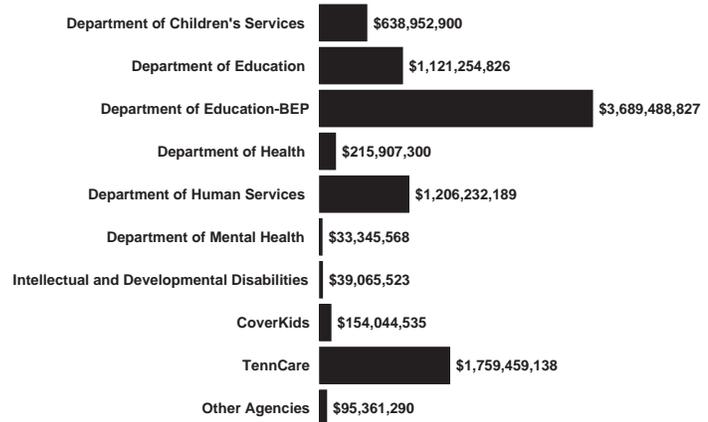
Source: Tennessee Commission on Children and Youth Resource Mapping Project

increased, accompanied by a notable shift in funding.

Perhaps the most basic state responsibility for children is education. Tennessee’s Basic Education Program (BEP) distributes funding to local education agencies for this purpose. The BEP is the largest single category of expenditures for children and is entirely state dollars. State Basic Education Program (BEP) funding has steadily risen with increases in the formula/amount distributed to local education agencies in all 95 counties. In FY 2011 the BEP increased in both real dollars and as a percent of total dollars. This was a result of increased state funding allocations for the BEP and a reduction of total federal funds.

## Expenditures by Leading Child-Serving Agencies

Fiscal Year 2010-11



Source: Tennessee Commission on Children and Youth

The importance of educational funding cannot be overstated. However, it is equally true that children who are NOT safe, healthy, supported and nurtured, and engaged in productive activities will have more difficulty learning.

After the BEP, TennCare is the largest funding category, followed by the departments of Human Services, Education (non-BEP dollars) and Children’s Services. Department of Mental Health funding for services for children is substantially below the other primary departments, but TennCare funding for mental/behavioral health services for children totaled \$207 million in FY 2011.

Almost half of all expenditures for children in FY 2011 were federal dollars. When required matching and maintenance of effort (MOE) dollars for the agencies providing the major federally funded services to children and youth are considered, the reliance on federal funding is even more apparent.



Excluding the BEP, three of every four dollars spent on services for children and families in Tennessee in FY 2011 were from federal funding sources. State funding accounted for 23 percent of all non-BEP expenditures in FY 2011. Almost nine of every 10 dollars in the state budget for children, 89 percent in FY 2011, were either federal or required as match/maintenance of effort for federal funding.

Federal funding provides the infrastructure for essential services and supports for children to be safe,

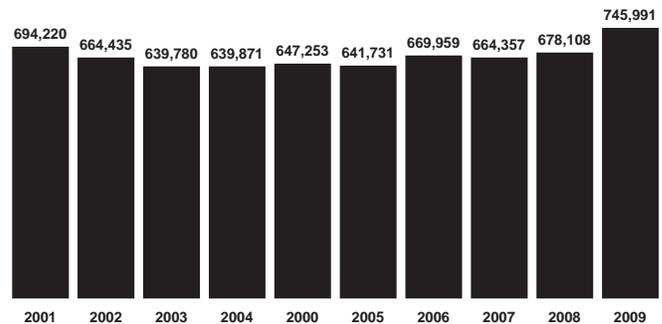
healthy, nurtured and supported, and engaged in productive activities. TennCare/Medicaid is the largest source of federal funding for health and mental health services for children. These dollars provide children with preventive care to keep them healthy as well as medications and treatment when they are ill. Good health in children provides the foundation for productive adults. Children who suffer from chronic illnesses like diabetes and asthma are less likely to do well throughout their lives without a secure medical home and access to health insurance. TennCare also provides the necessary funding for mental health services for children.

Children who have untreated mental health needs are at greater risk of doing poorly in school and having disruptive behaviors that challenge parents at home and teachers in the classroom. Too often untreated mental health issues put children at greater risk of self medicating through substance abuse and also place them at greater risk of entering state custody, either because of their behaviors or to access services they need.

Federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), known as Families First in Tennessee, provides financial assistance for very poor children, providing a maximum of \$185 per month for a mother and two children, the typical Families First case. Important federal programs help reduce hunger in children and enable them to better receive the essential nutrients for healthy, growing bodies and developing brains. The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), formerly known as Food Stamps, provides low-income families with access to food to help improve the quality of their diets. The Women, Infants and Children (WIC) nutrition program provides baby formula, cereals, milk, eggs and cheese for pregnant women and young children to help improve outcomes for growing babies and help children stay healthy. The free and reduced-price school lunch and breakfast program couples with SNAP to better keep children healthy and

## Number of Children on TennCare

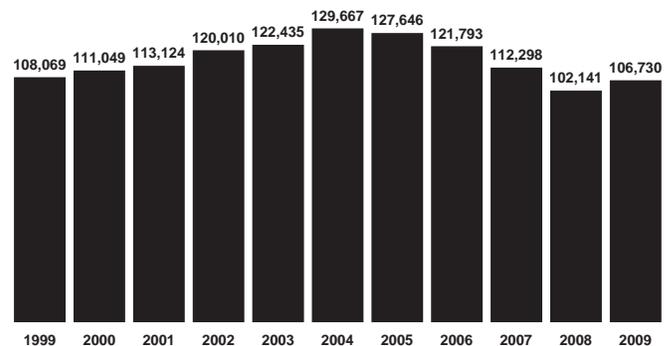
2001 to 2009



Source: Tennessee TennCare Bureau

## Number of Children on Families First

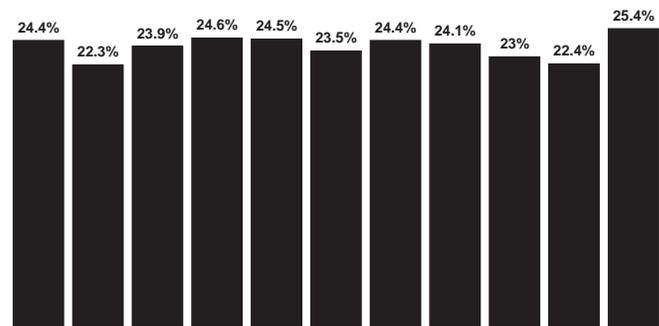
1999 to 2009



Source: Tennessee Department of Human Services

## Percent of Tennessee Children Under Age 6 on WIC

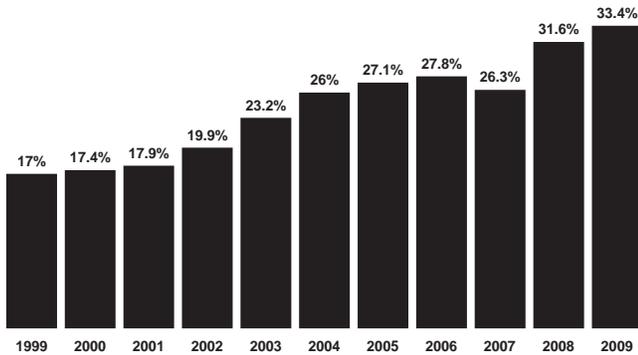
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Source: Tennessee Department of Health; Percent of age 0-5 population.

## Percent of Children Receiving the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

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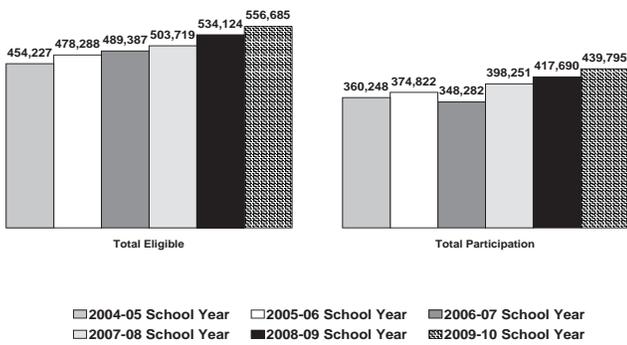


Source: The Tennessee Department of Human Services

able to learn when they go to school. Research demonstrates hungry children have a difficult time paying attention and learning.

These are just a few examples of critical resources for Tennessee children provided by federal dollars supplemented with required state matching dollars. The amount of state match requirements varies from program to program, and from state to state, and typically is based on state need as reflected by the proportion of the state population living in poverty. In general, the Southeastern and some Southwestern states are considered to have greater needs, and consequently receive more subsidized funding than wealthier states. States like Tennessee are required to invest relatively few state dollars as match for these critical programs.

## Free & Reduced-Price School Lunches



Source: Tennessee Department of Education

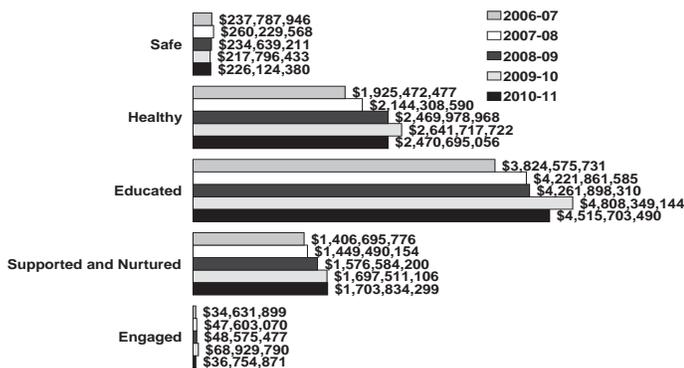
## Primary Outcomes

When submitting data for the Resource Mapping Project, departments identified the one Primary Outcome area that best captured the intended outcome of the program. The five outcome area options included:

- *Safe* (examples: home visitation, bullying prevention, suicide prevention, child protective services, accident prevention);
- *Healthy* (examples: immunizations, crisis response, mental health case management, intensive case management, outpatient sex offender treatment, substance abuse prevention, substance abuse intervention);
- *Educated* (examples: Head Start, regular education, special education);
- *Supported and nurtured* (examples: income supports, probation, foster care, youth development centers);
- *Engaged* (examples: mentoring, teen courts, after school programs, 4-H).

## Total Funding by Outcome Area

Fiscal Years - 2006-07, 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11



Source: Tennessee Commission on Children and Youth Resource Mapping Project

Focusing attention, resources and funding on areas of great need and coupling them with

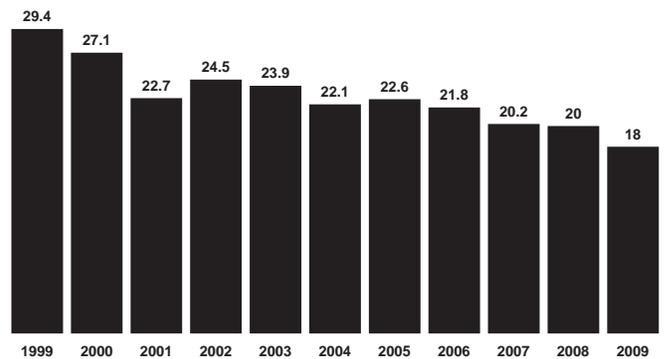
good public policies can improve outcomes for children. Sound policies and adequate services and supports are instrumental in providing children the solid foundation they need to succeed in school and become good parents and productive employees. Since FY 2009 federal stimulus funds and state reserves have helped maintain many essential services. Identifying ways to continue funding is critical to preserve the public structures supporting basic services that provide children with opportunities to thrive and become productive citizens.

Since 2000, Tennessee has experienced improvements in infant mortality, child death rates and teen death rates, all reflecting the positive impact of good public policies for child and adolescent safety. These include requiring vehicle child restraint devices and seat belts, life preservers in boats and bicycle helmets. We also know compliance with Tennessee’s graduated driver licensing requirements, consistent use of seat belts and avoiding distractions like texting and cell phone use all help young drivers focus on driving and safety, critical since motor vehicle accidents are the leading cause of adolescent deaths. Additionally, we know evidence-informed training for school system employees and youth service workers has helped reduce the number of young Tennesseans who die by suicide.

A number of strategies have helped improve other outcomes for Tennessee children. Reducing infant mortality in Tennessee requires a broad collaborative effort of state-local and public-private partnerships. The Department of Health, TennCare, regional perinatal centers and important evidence-informed community initiatives have played important roles in these efforts. Aggressive efforts are needed to improve maternal health and to reduce premature and low-birth-weight babies and infant mortality. Early prenatal care, home visiting services and programs that implement evidence-based

### Child Death Rate (Per 100,000)

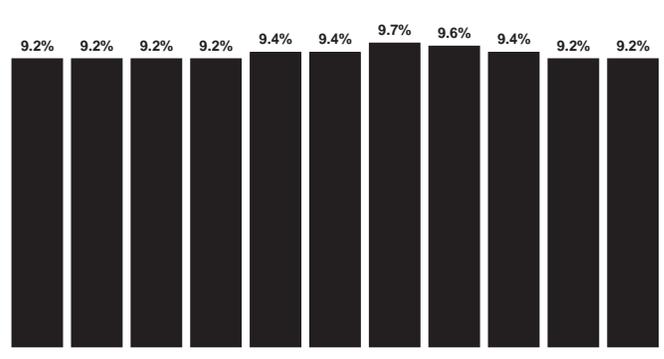
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Source: Tennessee Department of Health

### Percent of Low Birthweight Babies

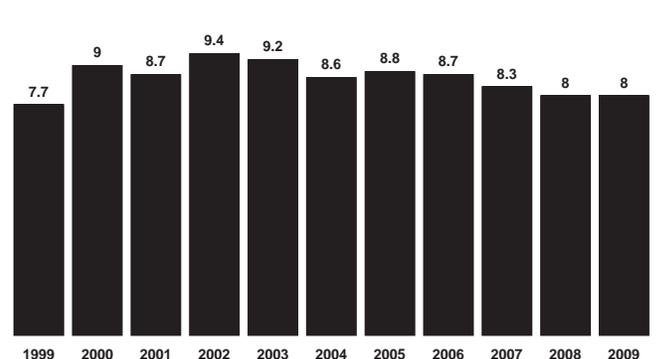
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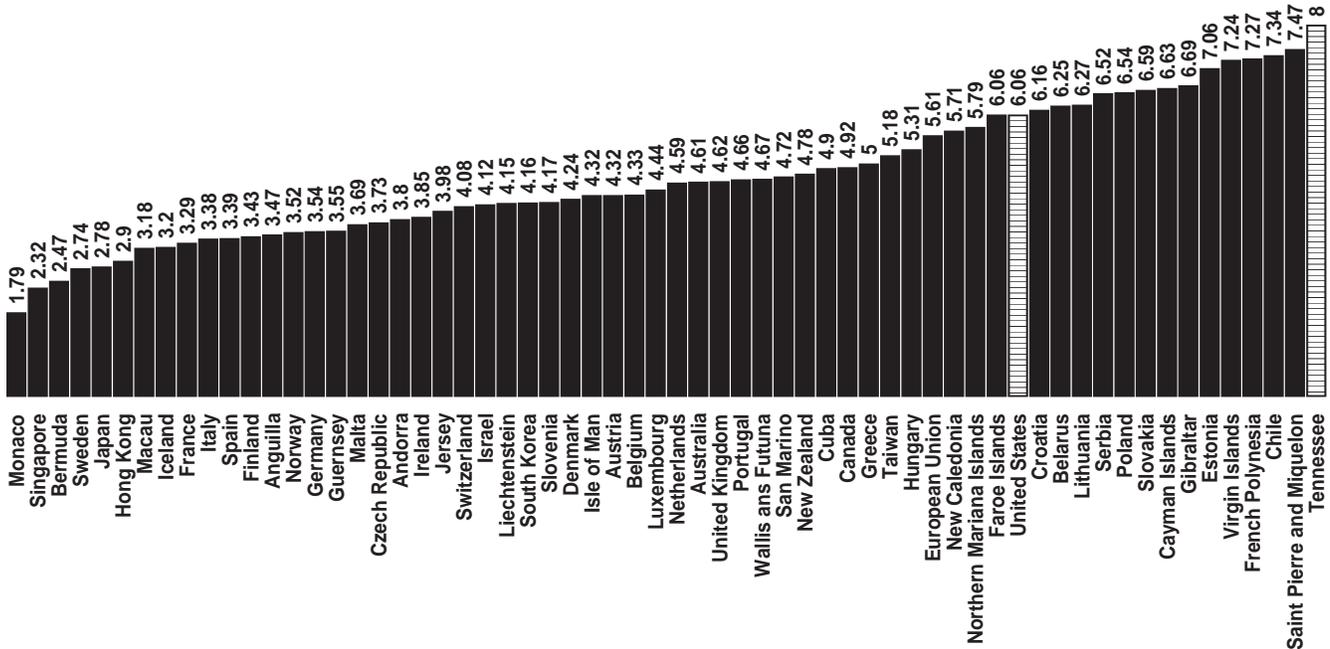
### Infant Mortality Rate (Per 1,000 Births)

1999 to 2009



Source: Tennessee Department of Health

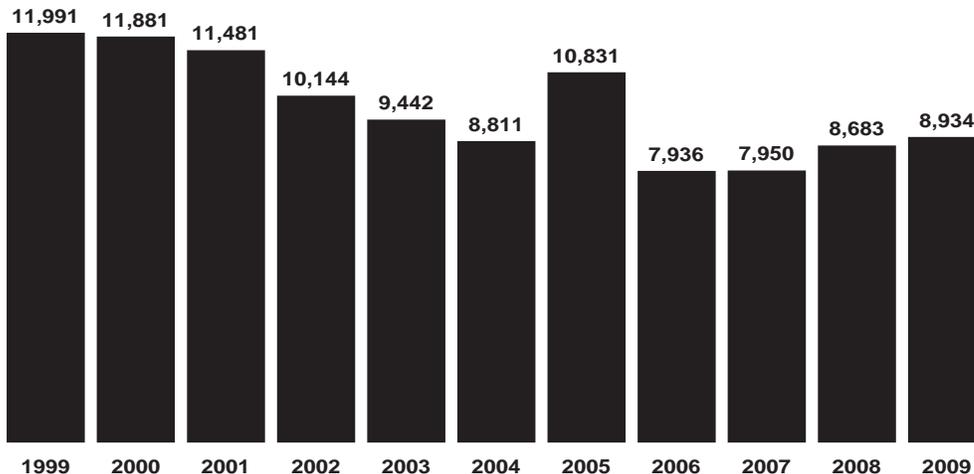
# Tennessee Infant Mortality Rates Compared to the World



Source: CIA World Factbook, 2011 estimates. The Tennessee rate is a 2009 estimate from the Tennessee Department of Health. The rate is per 1,000 live births.

## Number of Cohort Dropouts

1999 to 2009



Source: Tennessee Department of Education

strategies can all contribute to healthier babies and lower rates of infant mortality. Despite improvements in recent years, Tennessee continues to rank in the bottom 10 in the nation on both low-birth-weight babies and infant mortality.

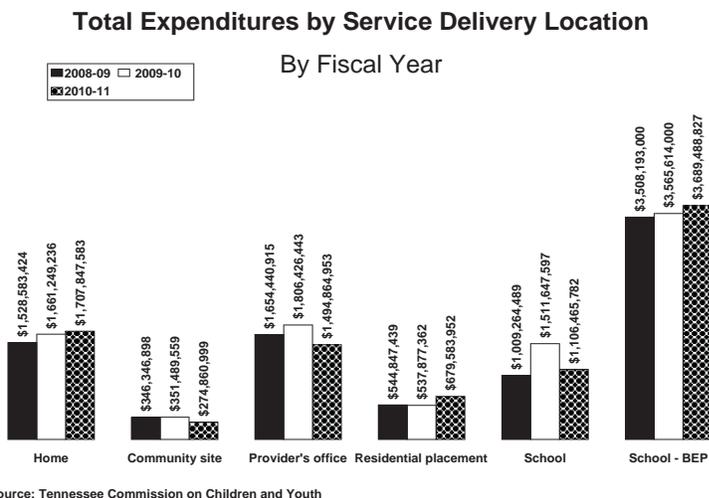
Tennessee also has made improvements in the proportion of children graduating from high school. State law requires children to stay in school until their 18th birthday and links eligibility for a driver’s license to school attendance. Pre-K programs, Race to the Top and other school improvement efforts are longer term strategies to improve high school graduation rates.

## Service Delivery Location

As they submitted resource mapping data, departments reported the service delivery location for their programs. Location options reported:

- Home;
- Community site;
- Provider’s office;
- Residential placement;
- School;
- School – BEP.

Cost per child served varied significantly across and even within service delivery location categories. For example, services delivered in the “Home” location group include both foster care where children live in a family setting, and a wide range of services to children in their own homes, including many of the public assistance programs like Families First and SNAP, as well as more intensive home-based services for children with various treatment needs. Per child costs of services for children in “Residential Placement” are, on average, thousands of dollars more per child than services in any other setting.



## Programmatic Focus

The Resource Mapping Project collected data on the Programmatic Focus of expenditures. Departments selected from six different focus areas:

- *General services:* Services to promote the healthy development and education of all children (examples: regular education, immunizations, health services);
- *Universal prevention:* Services for all children to promote positive outcomes (examples: substance abuse prevention, bullying prevention, suicide prevention, accident prevention, after school programs, 4-H, sports, arts, music);
- *Targeted prevention:* Services for children at risk of adverse outcomes (examples: income supports, home visitation, mentoring, special education);
- *Early intervention:* Services for children who have life circumstances or have exhibited behaviors,

which if addressed early, can be remediated and avoid the need for additional interventions (examples: life skills training, mentoring);

- *Moderate intervention:* Services for children who have needs that require intervention in order for them to continue to function in the community (examples: crisis response, mental health case management, probation, child protective services, foster care, outpatient substance abuse treatment);
- *Intensive intervention:* Services for children who require intensive or long-term intervention to remain in the community or because they are a risk to themselves or others and cannot function in the community (examples: youth development centers, outpatient sex offender treatment, intensive case management, residential treatment).

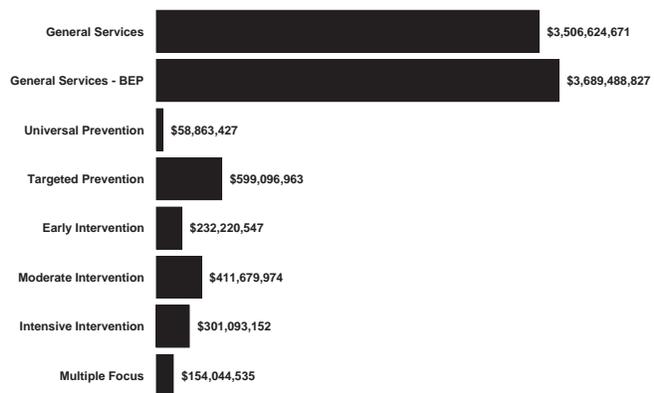
Data submitted for expenditures for CoverKIDS were not reported by programmatic focus. Because they could not be identified by programmatic focus, all Cover KIDS expenditures were reported as “multiple focus.”

Analyses of per child expenditures by programmatic focus revealed a relatively small proportion of overall funding is focused on prevention or early intervention in Tennessee. The most expensive services per child were for intensive intervention, highlighting the need to provide universal and targeted prevention services to avoid undesirable outcomes, and early and even moderate intervention at the earliest opportunity. Providing early and moderate intervention for children who need assistance interrupts the precipitating factors and avoids the need for more intensive, and costly, interventions. These lower cost services have the potential to reduce the number of children whose circumstances deteriorate to the need for higher levels of services. They are not only cost-effective for the state, they are more humane for children and families when they prevent or address problems before they escalate to crises.

Unfortunately, many of the most endangered public-private and state-local partnerships providing essential services and supports to help children and families are prevention or early intervention services. A substantial number of these are now funded with non-recurring dollars.

## Total Expenditures by Programmatic Focus

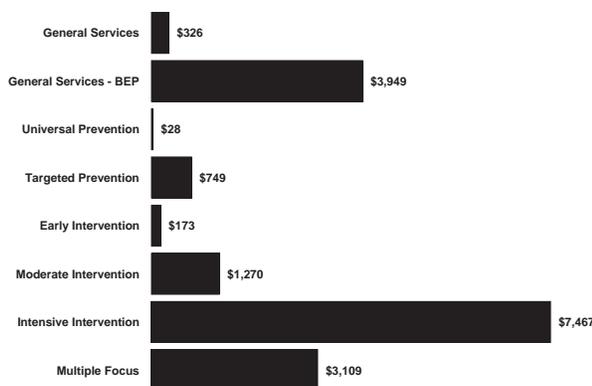
Fiscal Year 2010-11



Source: Tennessee Commission on Children and Youth

## Per Child Expenditures by Programmatic Focus

Fiscal Year 2010-11



Source: Tennessee Commission on Children and Youth

## Children Served

Most Tennessee children receive services from multiple departments/agencies. For example, virtually all the 117,943 children who received Families First (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) in FY 2010 were also among the 678,108 youth receiving TennCare (Medicaid) and the 501,389 children receiving SNAP assistance, and many received child-care assistance (54,082). If they are school-age, these children were included in the 933,709 children who attended schools where they received services from a variety of funding streams. They may have participated in many other activities that received state support, such as after-school programs, 4-H and universal and targeted prevention services.

Data systems in Tennessee are currently inadequate to precisely track services for an estimated 1.46 million children across multiple services from multiple departments/agencies. They also do not tell us whether the children receiving services had one or multiple contacts with each program reporting them.

For the Resource Mapping Project, departments/agencies reported the number of children served by each of their programs/funding streams. The reported numbers of children served by all the various state and federally funded programs totaled 16,341,899 for FY 2011.

During the recent economic crisis, the percent of children who need assistance has increased as their parents became unemployed and were less able to provide the basics. Many more children in Tennessee and across the nation slipped into poverty. According to the U.S. Census, 15.8 million American children lived in poverty in 2010; 22 percent of our nation's children face struggles such as habitual hunger, unmet basic needs and a likely future of undeserved challenges.

In Tennessee circumstances are even more dismal: more than one in four (26 percent) of our state's children lived in impoverished conditions in 2010. The percent of children in poverty in the state grew from 22.5 percent in 2007 to 26 percent in 2010. According to the 2010 Census, there were 816,721 families in Tennessee, with 1,458,317 children. During this period, 377,066 of the children living in Tennessee lived in families that fell below the federal poverty line. Being African American or Hispanic more than doubled the probability of extreme financial difficulties, and for children living in single-mother households, those odds increased fivefold.

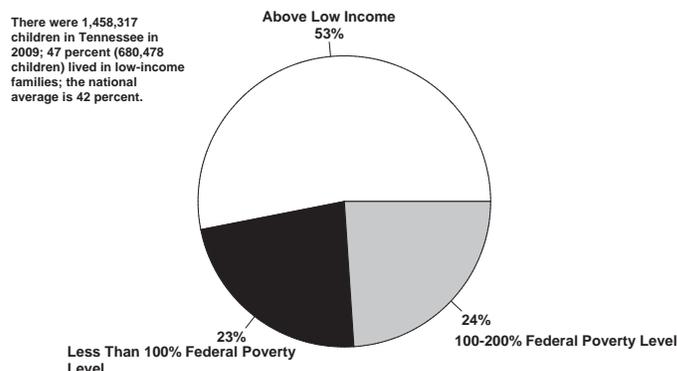
## MULTIPLE SERVICES MAY BE PROVIDED TO A SINGLE LOW INCOME CHILD

A child who qualifies according to the eligibility requirements for one income-based service may well receive several other needed services from various state agencies.

- ✓ **TennCare coverage**
- ✓ **Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP)**
- ✓ **Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)**
- ✓ **Well Child/EPSTD Programs**
  - EPSTD Screenings
  - EPSTD Call Center
  - EPSTD Community Outreach
- ✓ **Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Program**
  - Food Vouchers
  - Office Certification Visits
  - Breastfeeding Education
  - Nutrition Education
- ✓ **Dental Clinics**
- ✓ **Child Care Benefits**
- ✓ **Immunizations**

## Family Income for Children in Tennessee

By Income Level 2009



Source: National Center for Children in Poverty

Young children are particularly likely to live in low-income families. Low wages and a lack of higher education contribute to families having insufficient incomes. Nationally, 46 percent of low-income children have at least one parent who works full-time, year-round, with the corresponding figure for Tennessee 45 percent. Parents without a college education often struggle to earn enough to support a family, and only 22 percent of adults in Tennessee have a bachelor's degree. In Tennessee 67 percent of children whose parents only have a high school diploma live in a low-income family. (National Center for Children in Poverty, 2012).

Low-income children are at greater risk and have fewer opportunities than children living in families with higher incomes. Children who grow up in environments where there is little food, limited resources and lack of access to medical services have greater barriers to achieving success over the course of a lifetime. Yet programs that provide a safety net for families facing financial struggles are often among the first programs to be cut during hard economic times. In the long term, these programs could provide the foundation for a more productive society with less costly negative outcomes.

Tennessee has seen a significant increase in the number of children living in families who barely have enough to survive. Yet the programs designed to prevent hunger, health disparities and provide educational supports are at greater risk of being eliminated.

Research has documented poverty is associated with long-term negative effects that last throughout the lifespan. Poorer children tend to have lower birth weights, growth stunting, lead poisoning and obesity. These children are more likely to contend with problems in school, resulting in poorer test scores, weaker vocabulary skills and an increased likelihood of becoming a dropout. Childhood poverty can also lead to emotional problems like depression and anxiety; behavioral disturbances, including gang membership; substance abuse; and teen pregnancy and parenthood, often perpetuating negative cycles.

## Conclusion

Perhaps Herbert Hoover said it best: "Children are our most natural resource." They are also our future, and it is up to us to preserve and foster our next generation in every way possible. Ensuring all Tennessee children are safe, healthy, educated, supported and nurtured, and engaged in opportunities to succeed in school and in life provides a secure future for all Tennesseans. Identifying financial needs for necessary services is only the beginning. The long-term goal is sustaining and improving the fragile infrastructure that supports Tennessee children who fuel the economic engine for the state's future.

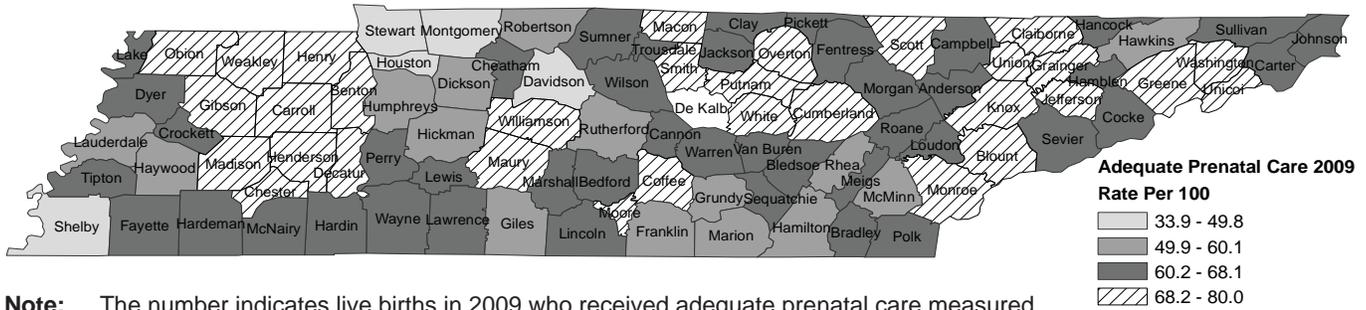
Each year on April 15 in accordance with 2008 Public Chapter 1197, codified as TCA 37-3-116, the Resource Mapping Project submits a report to the Tennessee General Assembly containing information on spending and outcomes for children's programs. All reports are available on the TCCY website at <http://www.tn.gov/tccy/MAP-home.shtml>.



# Indicators of Child Well-Being



# Adequate Prenatal Care

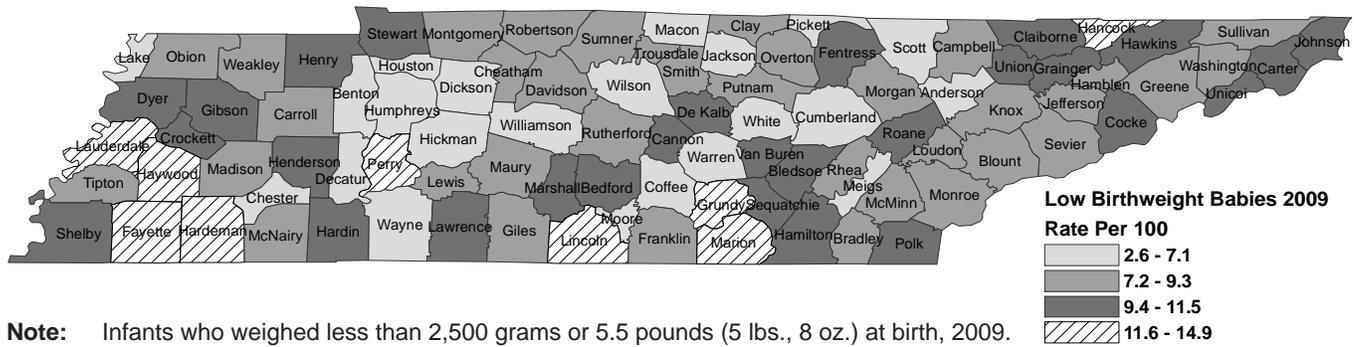


**Note:** The number indicates live births in 2009 who received adequate prenatal care measured by the Kessner Index. The rate is the percent of live births.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent
<b>Tennessee</b>	82,109	60.0	Hamblen	794	63.1	Moore	45	80.0
Anderson	799	66.2	Hamilton	4,211	56.8	Morgan	186	66.7
Bedford	679	61.6	Hancock	82	67.1	Obion	365	69.9
Benton	178	75.8	Hardeman	316	64.2	Overton	240	75.0
Bledsoe	115	64.3	Hardin	285	63.9	Perry	106	62.3
Blount	1,306	70.5	Hawkins	591	59.6	Pickett	39	66.7
Bradley	1,173	67.7	Haywood	240	58.8	Polk	166	63.3
Campbell	451	66.7	Henderson	332	69.0	Putnam	948	71.2
Cannon	132	61.4	Henry	368	70.9	Rhea	389	55.3
Carroll	337	73.0	Hickman	256	59.4	Roane	486	65.6
Carter	582	65.3	Houston	102	43.1	Robertson	1,006	53.1
Cheatham	461	62.0	Humphreys	216	55.6	Rutherford	3,697	58.0
Chester	181	69.1	Jackson	100	68.0	Scott	276	71.4
Claiborne	350	72.0	Jefferson	547	70.0	Sequatchie	160	62.5
Clay	105	64.8	Johnson	164	64.0	Sevier	1,109	63.6
Cocke	402	64.9	Knox	5,323	70.0	Shelby	14,409	49.4
Coffee	659	71.0	Lake	70	64.3	Smith	202	68.8
Crockett	194	61.9	Lauderdale	390	57.4	Stewart	127	33.9
Cumberland	572	77.4	Lawrence	562	63.2	Sullivan	1,599	62.9
Davidson	9,774	49.8	Lewis	144	67.4	Sumner	1,995	62.7
Decatur	132	72.0	Lincoln	393	66.2	Tipton	793	68.1
DeKalb	200	65.0	Loudon	545	68.1	Trousdale	91	62.6
Dickson	590	58.1	Macon	318	72.6	Unicoi	167	68.9
Dyer	504	61.9	Madison	1,365	69.3	Union	213	71.8
Fayette	526	66.3	Marion	346	59.8	Van Buren	50	64.0
Fentress	206	67.0	Marshall	357	63.6	Warren	497	65.4
Franklin	393	59.0	Mauy	1,150	71.5	Washington	1,356	73.1
Gibson	616	68.8	McMinn	577	60.1	Wayne	148	65.5
Giles	352	58.0	McNairy	297	65.3	Weakley	408	77.7
Grainger	258	72.9	Meigs	126	66.7	White	275	69.5
Greene	724	70.9	Monroe	508	72.4	Williamson	2,067	69.5
Grundy	164	54.3	Montgomery	2,987	47.7	Wilson	1,317	66.4

# Low Birthweight Babies

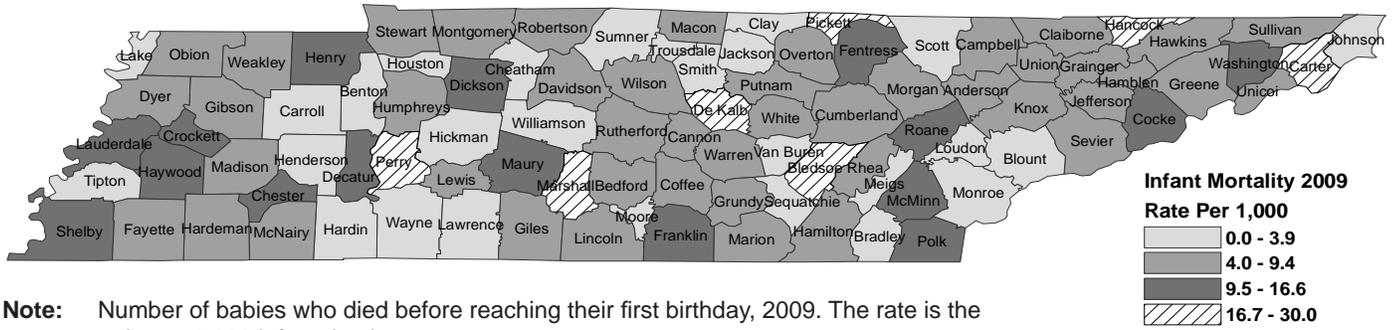


**Note:** Infants who weighed less than 2,500 grams or 5.5 pounds (5 lbs., 8 oz.) at birth, 2009. The rate is the percent of live births.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent
<b>Tennessee</b>	7,535	9.2	Hamblen	61	7.7	Moore	2	4.4
Anderson	56	7.0	Hamilton	445	10.6	Morgan	17	9.1
Bedford	68	10.0	Hancock	11	13.4	Obion	30	8.2
Benton	11	6.2	Hardeman	47	14.9	Overton	22	9.2
Bledsoe	13	11.3	Hardin	31	10.9	Perry	13	12.3
Blount	115	8.8	Hawkins	61	10.3	Pickett	1	2.6
Bradley	107	9.1	Haywood	31	12.9	Polk	17	10.2
Campbell	41	9.1	Henderson	34	10.2	Putnam	73	7.7
Cannon	13	9.8	Henry	39	10.6	Rhea	32	8.2
Carroll	31	9.2	Hickman	17	6.6	Roane	48	9.9
Carter	67	11.5	Houston	4	3.9	Robertson	74	7.4
Cheatham	43	9.3	Humphreys	8	3.7	Rutherford	321	8.7
Chester	11	6.1	Jackson	7	7.0	Scott	13	4.7
Claiborne	34	9.7	Jefferson	43	7.9	Sequatchie	17	10.6
Clay	8	7.6	Johnson	18	11.0	Sevier	98	8.8
Cocke	38	9.5	Knox	446	8.4	Shelby	1,602	11.1
Coffee	41	6.2	Lake	5	7.1	Smith	17	8.4
Crockett	22	11.3	Lauderdale	55	14.1	Stewart	12	9.4
Cumberland	38	6.6	Lawrence	59	10.5	Sullivan	131	8.2
Davidson	885	9.1	Lewis	11	7.6	Sumner	156	7.8
Decatur	9	6.8	Lincoln	46	11.7	Tipton	74	9.3
DeKalb	20	10.0	Loudon	48	8.8	Trousdale	8	8.8
Dickson	42	7.1	Macon	22	6.9	Unicoi	16	9.6
Dyer	50	9.9	Madison	119	8.7	Union	20	9.4
Fayette	62	11.8	Marion	42	12.1	Van Buren	5	10.0
Fentress	22	10.7	Marshall	39	10.9	Warren	35	7.0
Franklin	31	7.9	Mauzy	100	8.7	Washington	119	8.8
Gibson	63	10.2	McMinn	47	8.1	Wayne	10	6.8
Giles	28	8.0	McNairy	23	7.7	Weakley	30	7.4
Grainger	25	9.7	Meigs	9	7.1	White	19	6.9
Greene	61	8.4	Monroe	42	8.3	Williamson	130	6.3
Grundy	20	12.2	Montgomery	237	7.9	Wilson	91	6.9

# Infant Mortality

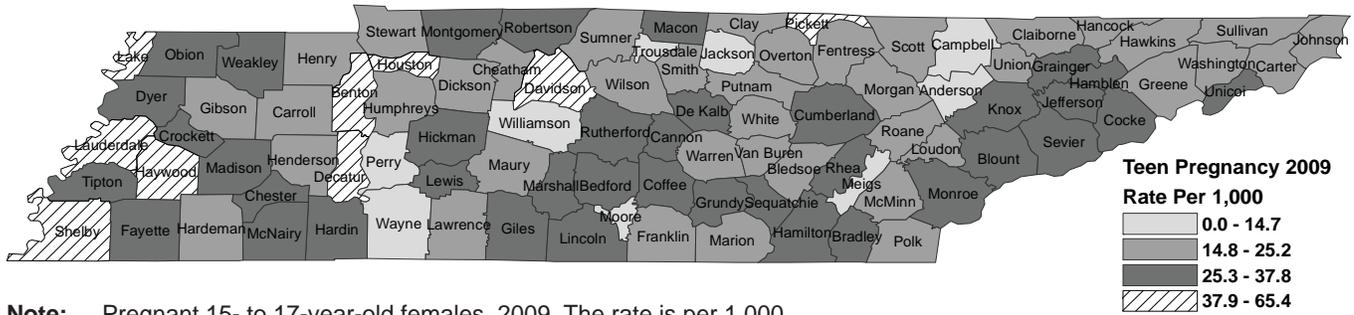


**Note:** Number of babies who died before reaching their first birthday, 2009. The rate is the ratio per 1,000 infant deaths.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
Tennessee	655	8.0	Hamblen	6	7.6	Moore	0	0.0
Anderson	4	5.0	Hamilton	33	7.8	Morgan	1	5.4
Bedford	5	7.4	Hancock	2	24.4	Obion	2	5.5
Benton	0	0.0	Hardeman	2	6.3	Overton	2	8.3
Bledsoe	3	26.1	Hardin	0	0.0	Perry	3	28.3
Blount	3	2.3	Hawkins	3	5.1	Pickett	1	25.6
Bradley	2	1.7	Haywood	3	12.5	Polk	2	12.0
Campbell	3	6.7	Henderson	1	3.0	Putnam	7	7.4
Cannon	1	7.6	Henry	6	16.3	Rhea	3	7.7
Carroll	0	0.0	Hickman	0	0.0	Roane	5	10.3
Carter	12	20.6	Houston	0	0.0	Robertson	5	5.0
Cheatham	1	2.2	Humphreys	2	9.3	Rutherford	30	8.1
Chester	3	16.6	Jackson	0	0.0	Scott	1	3.6
Claiborne	3	8.6	Jefferson	3	5.5	Sequatchie	0	0.0
Clay	0	0.0	Johnson	0	0.0	Sevier	10	9.0
Cocke	5	12.4	Knox	27	5.1	Shelby	187	13.0
Coffee	4	6.1	Lake	0	0.0	Smith	0	0.0
Crockett	2	10.3	Lauderdale	6	15.4	Stewart	1	7.9
Cumberland	4	7.0	Lawrence	2	3.6	Sullivan	15	9.4
Davidson	75	7.7	Lewis	1	6.9	Sumner	7	3.5
Decatur	2	15.2	Lincoln	3	7.6	Tipton	3	3.8
DeKalb	6	30.0	Loudon	1	1.8	Trousdale	0	0.0
Dickson	6	10.2	Macon	2	6.3	Unicoi	1	6.0
Dyer	3	6.0	Madison	9	6.6	Union	2	9.4
Fayette	3	5.7	Marion	3	8.7	Van Buren	0	0.0
Fentress	2	9.7	Marshall	8	22.4	Warren	4	8.0
Franklin	4	10.2	Maury	12	10.4	Washington	16	11.8
Gibson	3	4.9	McMinn	6	10.4	Wayne	0	0.0
Giles	3	8.5	McNairy	2	6.7	Weakley	3	7.4
Grainger	2	7.8	Meigs	0	0.0	White	2	7.3
Greene	5	6.9	Monroe	2	3.9	Williamson	2	1.0
Grundy	1	6.1	Montgomery	19	6.4	Wilson	6	4.6

# Teen Pregnancy



**Note:** Pregnant 15- to 17-year-old females, 2009. The rate is per 1,000.  
**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
Tennessee	3,651	29.6	Hamblen	34	30.2	Moore	0	0.0
Anderson	22	13.7	Hamilton	162	28.4	Morgan	7	16.9
Bedford	29	29.4	Hancock	3	20.4	Obion	20	31.4
Benton	16	45.5	Hardeman	11	18.1	Overton	8	20.9
Bledsoe	5	19.7	Hardin	16	29.0	Perry	1	6.0
Blount	70	28.2	Hawkins	23	18.3	Pickett	3	41.1
Bradley	54	31.2	Haywood	18	41.2	Polk	8	24.8
Campbell	10	11.8	Henderson	14	24.2	Putnam	24	19.1
Cannon	8	27.2	Henry	13	19.5	Rhea	16	27.2
Carroll	13	20.8	Hickman	14	27.0	Roane	22	20.0
Carter	25	22.7	Houston	9	56.3	Robertson	48	32.6
Cheatham	17	17.1	Humphreys	8	19.6	Rutherford	117	26.2
Chester	9	30.5	Jackson	3	14.7	Scott	11	23.1
Claiborne	17	23.5	Jefferson	30	31.5	Sequatchie	11	37.8
Clay	4	24.7	Johnson	5	16.6	Sevier	53	31.9
Cocke	24	31.9	Knox	196	26.6	Shelby	985	48.6
Coffee	38	33.2	Lake	7	65.4	Smith	8	20.2
Crockett	9	27.6	Lauderdale	26	50.4	Stewart	5	16.2
Cumberland	27	25.6	Lawrence	17	18.4	Sullivan	70	23.6
Davidson	330	41.0	Lewis	7	26.9	Sumner	71	19.8
Decatur	11	51.9	Lincoln	24	33.6	Tipton	42	26.4
DeKalb	10	27.4	Loudon	19	21.5	Trousdale	2	12.5
Dickson	21	19.0	Macon	17	32.1	Unicoi	9	30.0
Dyer	33	37.8	Madison	71	37.1	Union	8	18.8
Fayette	27	31.7	Marion	12	22.3	Van Buren	2	20.0
Fentress	9	22.3	Marshall	17	25.4	Warren	18	22.1
Franklin	13	15.8	Mauzy	36	20.6	Washington	39	20.1
Gibson	25	23.2	McMinn	27	24.7	Wayne	2	6.3
Giles	16	25.7	McNairy	20	37.1	Weakley	19	28.3
Grainger	15	31.3	Meigs	4	14.1	White	10	19.0
Greene	33	25.2	Monroe	29	28.0	Williamson	34	7.0
Grundy	10	32.6	Montgomery	98	31.8	Wilson	38	15.2

# Births to Teens

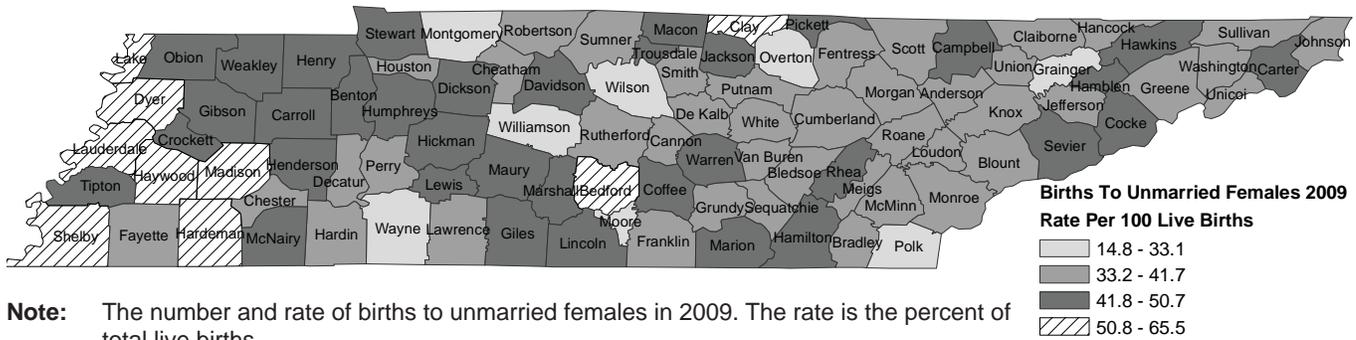


**Note:** 15- to 17-year-olds who gave birth in calendar year 2009, regardless of birth outcome. The rates are per 1,000 females in the specified age group.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	2,955	24.0	Hamblen	30	26.7	Moore	0	0.0
Anderson	19	11.8	Hamilton	144	25.3	Morgan	7	16.9
Bedford	26	26.3	Hancock	3	20.4	Obion	17	26.7
Benton	15	42.6	Hardeman	11	18.1	Overton	6	15.7
Bledsoe	4	15.7	Hardin	14	25.4	Perry	1	6.0
Blount	58	23.3	Hawkins	23	18.3	Pickett	3	41.1
Bradley	48	27.7	Haywood	15	34.3	Polk	8	24.8
Campbell	9	10.6	Henderson	13	22.5	Putnam	23	18.3
Cannon	6	20.4	Henry	11	16.5	Rhea	14	23.8
Carroll	9	14.4	Hickman	12	23.1	Roane	15	13.6
Carter	22	20.0	Houston	9	56.3	Robertson	36	24.4
Cheatham	12	12.1	Humphreys	7	17.1	Rutherford	95	21.2
Chester	8	27.1	Jackson	3	14.7	Scott	10	21.0
Claiborne	16	22.1	Jefferson	26	27.3	Sequatchie	10	34.4
Clay	3	18.5	Johnson	5	16.6	Sevier	49	29.5
Cocke	19	25.3	Knox	144	19.5	Shelby	744	36.7
Coffee	34	29.7	Lake	6	56.1	Smith	7	17.7
Crockett	9	27.6	Lauderdale	21	40.7	Stewart	5	16.2
Cumberland	24	22.7	Lawrence	15	16.2	Sullivan	64	21.6
Davidson	239	29.7	Lewis	6	23.1	Sumner	52	14.5
Decatur	11	51.9	Lincoln	21	29.4	Tipton	37	23.3
DeKalb	9	24.7	Loudon	17	19.3	Trousdale	2	12.5
Dickson	15	13.6	Macon	16	30.2	Unicoi	8	26.7
Dyer	27	30.9	Madison	60	31.3	Union	7	16.4
Fayette	20	23.5	Marion	11	20.4	Van Buren	1	10.0
Fentress	9	22.3	Marshall	14	20.9	Warren	15	18.4
Franklin	13	15.8	Maury	32	18.3	Washington	37	19.1
Gibson	19	17.6	McMinn	25	22.9	Wayne	2	6.3
Giles	12	19.3	McNairy	18	33.4	Weakley	17	25.3
Grainger	12	25.0	Meigs	4	14.1	White	7	13.3
Greene	32	24.4	Monroe	26	25.1	Williamson	21	4.3
Grundy	9	29.3	Montgomery	77	25	Wilson	28	11.2

# Births to Unmarried Females

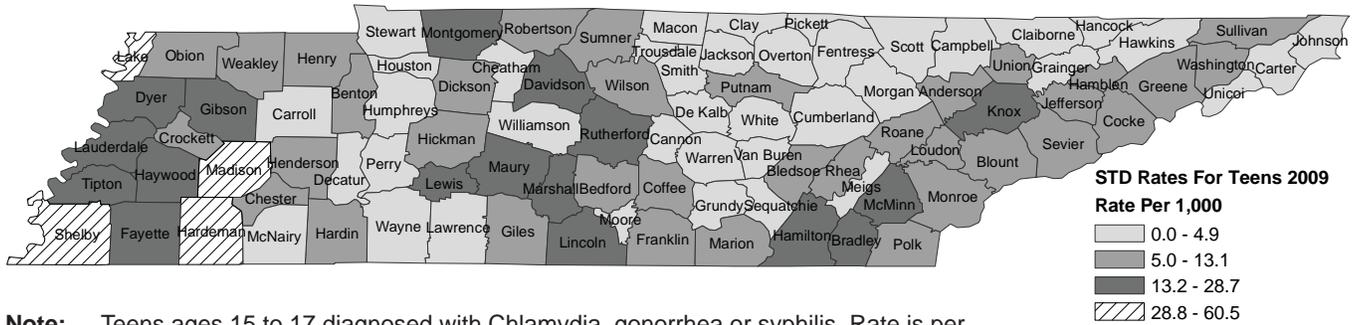


**Note:** The number and rate of births to unmarried females in 2009. The rate is the percent of total live births.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	36,524	44.5	Hamblen	341	42.9	Moore	11	24.4
Anderson	326	40.8	Hamilton	1,944	46.2	Morgan	70	37.6
Bedford	355	52.3	Hancock	29	35.4	Obion	172	47.1
Benton	87	48.9	Hardeman	207	65.5	Overton	71	29.6
Bledsoe	40	34.8	Hardin	118	41.4	Perry	38	35.8
Blount	496	38	Hawkins	248	42	Pickett	18	46.2
Bradley	455	38.8	Haywood	141	58.8	Polk	55	33.1
Campbell	206	45.7	Henderson	151	45.5	Putnam	395	41.7
Cannon	54	40.9	Henry	171	46.5	Rhea	176	45.2
Carroll	152	45.1	Hickman	115	44.9	Roane	199	40.9
Carter	254	43.6	Houston	36	35.3	Robertson	394	39.2
Cheatham	173	37.5	Humphreys	96	44.4	Rutherford	1,389	37.6
Chester	64	35.4	Jackson	43	43	Scott	114	41.3
Claiborne	140	40	Jefferson	201	36.7	Sequatchie	59	36.9
Clay	55	52.4	Johnson	60	36.6	Sevier	479	43.2
Cocke	203	50.5	Knox	1,851	34.8	Shelby	8,915	61.9
Coffee	306	46.4	Lake	45	64.3	Smith	69	34.2
Crockett	97	50	Lauderdale	247	63.3	Stewart	54	42.5
Cumberland	238	41.6	Lawrence	189	33.6	Sullivan	657	41.1
Davidson	4,497	46	Lewis	73	50.7	Sumner	743	37.2
Decatur	53	40.2	Lincoln	169	43	Tipton	358	45.1
Dekalb	79	39.5	Loudon	203	37.2	Trousdale	40	44
Dickson	265	44.9	Macon	137	43.1	Unicoi	69	41.3
Dyer	275	54.6	Madison	730	53.5	Union	88	41.3
Fayette	206	39.2	Marion	158	45.7	Van Buren	20	40
Fentress	80	38.8	Marshall	156	43.7	Warren	215	43.3
Franklin	151	38.4	Mauzy	486	42.3	Washington	489	36.1
Gibson	280	45.5	McMinn	225	39	Wayne	46	31.1
Giles	170	48.3	McNairy	138	46.5	Weakley	175	42.9
Grainger	75	29.1	Meigs	51	40.5	White	113	41.1
Greene	302	41.7	Monroe	188	37	Williamson	306	14.8
Grundy	65	39.6	Montgomery	965	32.3	Wilson	416	31.6

# Teens with Sexually Transmitted Diseases

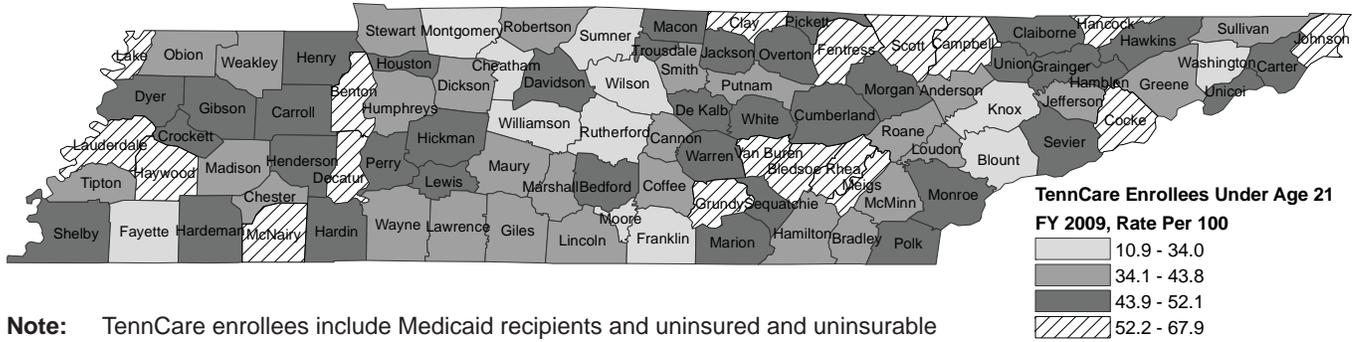


**Note:** Teens ages 15 to 17 diagnosed with Chlamydia, gonorrhea or syphilis. Rate is per 1,000 teens.

**Source:** Data: Tennessee Department of Health, Division of AIDS/HIV/STD. Population estimates: Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics..

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	5,413	21.2	Hamblen	31	12.4	Moore	0	0.0
Anderson	29	8.8	Hamilton	327	27.6	Morgan	0	0.0
Bedford	19	9.5	Hancock	0	0.0	Obion	13	9.6
Benton	6	8.3	Hardeman	49	39.2	Overton	0	0.0
Bledsoe	6	9.4	Hardin	7	6.1	Perry	0	0.0
Blount	39	7.6	Hawkins	10	4.1	Pickett	0	0.0
Bradley	59	16.1	Haywood	14	16.2	Polk	7	10.8
Campbell	7	4.3	Henderson	14	11.9	Putnam	19	7.2
Cannon	0	0.0	Henry	17	13.1	Rhea	13	10.2
Carroll	5	4.1	Hickman	13	11.8	Roane	15	6.8
Carter	10	4.4	Houston	0	0.0	Robertson	22	7.3
Cheatham	9	4.5	Humphreys	0	0.0	Rutherford	136	14.8
Chester	5	7.8	Jackson	0	0.0	Scott	0	0.0
Claiborne	7	4.9	Jefferson	20	9.4	Sequatchie	0	0.0
Clay	0	0.0	Johnson	0	0.0	Sevier	38	11.0
Cocke	16	10.6	Knox	267	17.6	Shelby	2,525	60.5
Coffee	15	6.5	Lake	10	42.7	Smith	0	0.0
Crockett	8	11.9	Lauderdale	24	21.5	Stewart	0	0.0
Cumberland	7	3.2	Lawrence	0	0.0	Sullivan	47	7.7
Davidson	486	28.7	Lewis	8	14.5	Sumner	46	6.2
Decatur	0	0.0	Lincoln	23	16.2	Tipton	65	19.6
DeKalb	0	0.0	Loudon	14	7.4	Trousdale	0	0.0
Dickson	17	7.5	Macon	0	0.0	Unicoi	0	0.0
Dyer	46	26.0	Madison	135	33.9	Union	5	5.7
Fayette	32	17.3	Marion	10	8.8	Van Buren	0	0.0
Fentress	0	0.0	Marshall	26	18.6	Warren	6	3.6
Franklin	14	8.6	Maury	56	15.1	Washington	27	6.6
Gibson	39	18.3	McMinn	33	14.3	Wayne	0	0.0
Giles	15	11.6	McNairy	5	4.5	Weakley	15	11.1
Grainger	0	0.0	Meigs	0	0.0	White	0	0.0
Greene	25	9.0	Monroe	16	7.5	Williamson	20	2.0
Grundy	0	0.0	Montgomery	162	25.0	Wilson	40	8.0

# TennCare Enrollees Under Age 21

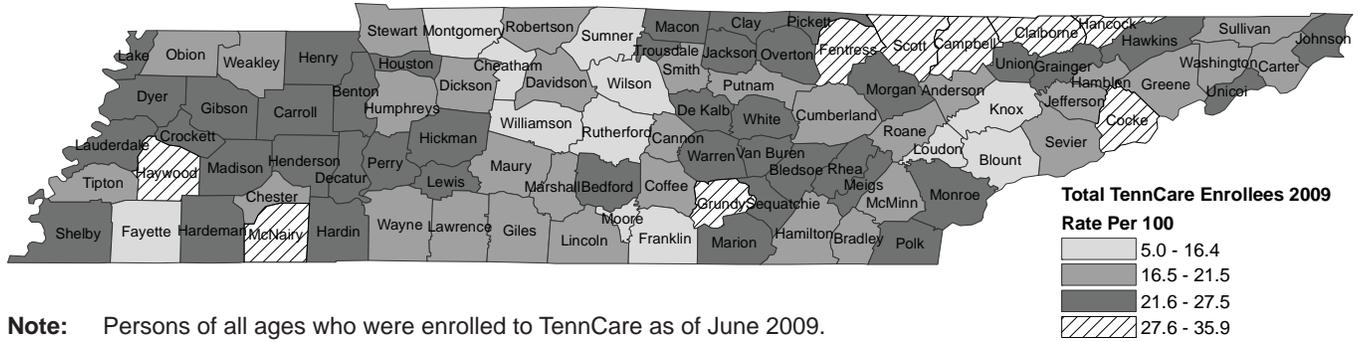


**Note:** TennCare enrollees include Medicaid recipients and uninsured and uninsurable individuals younger than 21 years old, June 2009.

**Source:** Data: Bureau of TennCare. Population statistics: Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	745,991	43.2	Hamblen	7,605	45.2	Moore	508	32.3
Anderson	7,816	41.2	Hamilton	31,979	38.9	Morgan	2,571	49.8
Bedford	6,536	47.2	Hancock	1,163	67.9	Obion	3,834	43.8
Benton	2,087	52.9	Hardeman	3,723	48.7	Overton	2,604	47.4
Bledsoe	1,768	52.9	Hardin	3,520	52.1	Perry	1,007	49.0
Blount	10,499	33.5	Hawkins	6,958	46.4	Pickett	561	47.4
Bradley	10,344	39.1	Haywood	3,236	54.4	Polk	2,019	47.8
Campbell	6,192	59.1	Henderson	3,497	46.5	Putnam	7,764	39.3
Cannon	1,630	43.2	Henry	4,074	50.9	Rhea	4,419	53.0
Carroll	3,611	47.4	Hickman	3,131	45.9	Roane	5,191	38.8
Carter	6,441	45.0	Houston	1,054	46.0	Robertson	7,106	37.5
Cheatham	3,474	29.8	Humphreys	2,135	42.8	Rutherford	21,749	29.7
Chester	2,042	40.5	Jackson	1,368	49.5	Scott	4,017	61.5
Claiborne	4,216	51.4	Jefferson	6,027	43.6	Sequatchie	1,902	51.3
Clay	1,101	55.2	Johnson	2,092	53.6	Sevier	9,766	45.4
Cocke	5,571	60.8	Knox	35,390	31.2	Shelby	144,679	49.5
Coffee	6,401	43.3	Lake	977	58.7	Smith	2,227	41.5
Crockett	2,037	48.5	Lauderdale	4,352	56.0	Stewart	1,320	36.6
Cumberland	5,980	47.4	Lawrence	4,864	40.4	Sullivan	14,799	39.8
Davidson	71,039	44.3	Lewis	1,736	51.3	Sumner	13,152	29.7
Decatur	1,472	53.3	Lincoln	3,709	41.4	Tipton	7,550	41.8
DeKalb	2,381	47.8	Loudon	4,171	37.6	Trousdale	986	45.3
Dickson	5,421	38.4	Macon	3,146	49.3	Unicoi	2,004	48.3
Dyer	5,557	50.8	Madison	12,502	43.2	Union	2,781	49.8
Fayette	3,468	33.5	Marion	3,632	50.0	Van Buren	809	56.7
Fentress	3,023	63.8	Marshall	3,298	39.5	Warren	5,435	48.3
Franklin	3,809	33.7	Mauy	8,944	38.8	Washington	10,087	34.0
Gibson	6,536	48.8	McMinn	6,088	41.8	Wayne	1,711	42.7
Giles	3,220	41.0	McNairy	3,852	54.0	Weakley	3,563	35.6
Grainger	2,707	45.7	Meigs	1,741	52.8	White	3,059	46.3
Greene	6,969	40.9	Monroe	5,729	44.5	Williamson	5,548	10.9
Grundy	2,652	64.0	Montgomery	13,865	28.2	Wilson	8,213	26.6

# Total TennCare Population

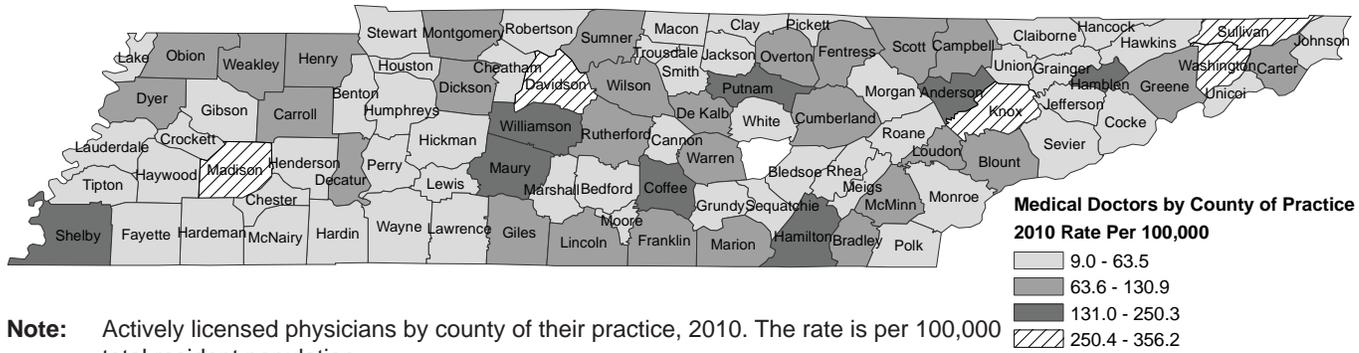


**Note:** Persons of all ages who were enrolled to TennCare as of June 2009.

**Source:** Bureau of TennCare supplied data. Population Data: Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	1,232,912	19.9	Hamblen	12,986	20.8	Moore	853	13.7
Anderson	14,436	19.5	Hamilton	56,186	17.8	Morgan	4,792	23.3
Bedford	10,351	22.6	Hancock	2,351	34.7	Obion	6,863	21.1
Benton	3,840	23.2	Hardeman	7,106	24.4	Overton	4,958	23.5
Bledsoe	3,114	23.4	Hardin	6,845	25.8	Perry	1,724	22.3
Blount	18,601	15.2	Hawkins	12,994	22.3	Pickett	1,146	23.1
Bradley	18,454	19.2	Haywood	5,630	28.8	Polk	3,916	24.3
Campbell	13,359	32.3	Henderson	6,320	23.1	Putnam	14,344	20.4
Cannon	2,880	20.8	Henry	7,290	22.6	Rhea	7,988	25.7
Carroll	6,761	22.9	Hickman	5,546	22.2	Roane	10,488	19.4
Carter	12,072	20.3	Houston	2,034	24.9	Robertson	11,172	17.1
Cheatham	5,724	14.1	Humphreys	3,865	20.6	Rutherford	33,394	13.7
Chester	3,542	21.5	Jackson	2,735	24.5	Scott	7,873	34.8
Claiborne	9,236	28.9	Jefferson	10,818	21.0	Sequatchie	3,361	24.8
Clay	2,162	26.6	Johnson	4,382	23.8	Sevier	15,293	17.9
Cooke	10,566	29.3	Knox	63,603	15.1	Shelby	232,620	25.0
Coffee	11,033	20.8	Lake	2,021	27.3	Smith	3,985	20.5
Crockett	3,491	23.6	Lauderdale	7,574	27.5	Stewart	2,528	18.6
Cumberland	10,515	19.4	Lawrence	8,767	21.0	Sullivan	28,560	18.6
Davidson	113,650	19.2	Lewis	2,955	24.8	Sumner	21,808	14.0
Decatur	2,780	24.2	Lincoln	6,502	19.4	Tipton	11,962	19.9
DeKalb	4,389	23.2	Loudon	7,073	15.4	Trousdale	1,762	21.9
Dickson	9,082	18.9	Macon	5,527	24.6	Unicoi	3,926	22.1
Dyer	10,029	26.1	Madison	21,606	22.0	Union	4,805	24.0
Fayette	5,870	15.6	Marion	6,711	23.8	Van Buren	1,369	24.9
Fentress	6,233	35.0	Marshall	5,574	18.6	Warren	9,837	23.9
Franklin	6,903	16.4	Maury	15,093	18.6	Washington	19,617	16.8
Gibson	12,009	24.6	McMinn	11,054	20.7	Wayne	3,166	18.5
Giles	5,882	19.8	McNairy	7,557	29.0	Weakley	6,442	19.1
Grainger	5,255	22.7	Meigs	3,095	25.6	White	5,778	23.1
Greene	13,838	20.6	Monroe	10,474	22.8	Williamson	8,556	5.0
Grundy	5,276	35.9	Montgomery	22,650	14.8	Wilson	13,632	12.5

# Medical Doctors by County of Practice

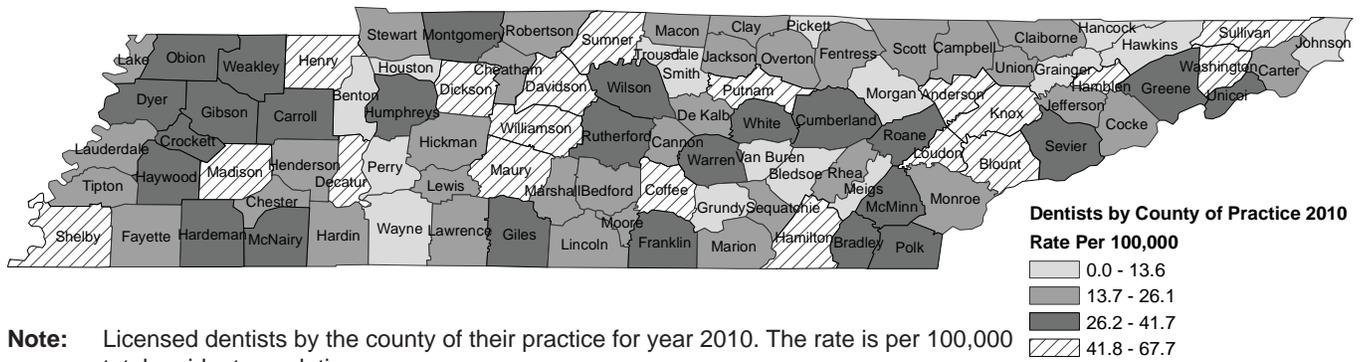


**Note:** Actively licensed physicians by county of their practice, 2010. The rate is per 100,000 total resident population.

**Source:** Tennessee's Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	<b>15,813</b>	<b>249.2</b>	Hamblen	91	145.5	Moore	2	31.4
Anderson	159	211.6	Hamilton	842	250.3	Morgan	3	13.6
Bedford	26	57.7	Hancock	3	44.0	Obion	29	91.2
Benton	6	36.4	Hardeman	15	55.0	Overton	16	72.5
Bledsoe	4	31.1	Hardin	15	57.6	Perry	3	37.9
Blount	161	130.9	Hawkins	16	28.2	Pickett	2	39.4
Bradley	105	106.1	Haywood	7	37.3	Polk	9	53.5
Campbell	35	86.0	Henderson	11	39.6	Putnam	146	201.9
Cannon	4	29.0	Henry	38	117.5	Rhea	13	40.9
Carroll	24	84.1	Hickman	8	32.4	Roane	28	51.7
Carter	38	66.2	Houston	3	35.6	Robertson	39	58.8
Cheatham	13	33.2	Humphreys	8	43.2	Rutherford	320	121.9
Chester	4	23.3	Jackson	2	17.2	Scott	15	67.5
Claiborne	13	40.4	Jefferson	29	56.4	Sequatchie	4	28.3
Clay	3	38.2	Johnson	5	27.4	Sevier	53	59.0
Cocke	16	44.9	Knox	1,247	288.5	Shelby	1,973	212.7
Coffee	83	157.2	Lake	2	25.5	Smith	8	41.7
Crockett	3	20.6	Lauderdale	8	28.8	Stewart	4	30.0
Cumberland	72	128.4	Lawrence	21	50.2	Sullivan	459	292.7
Davidson	2,232	356.2	Lewis	5	41.1	Sumner	166	103.3
Decatur	9	76.6	Lincoln	26	77.9	Tipton	31	50.8
DeKalb	13	69.4	Loudon	44	90.6	Trousdale	5	63.5
Dickson	47	94.6	Macon	2	9.0	Unicoi	9	49.1
Dyer	44	114.8	Madison	317	322.5	Union	6	31.4
Fayette	13	33.8	Marion	25	88.5	Van Buren	-	0.0
Fentress	13	72.4	Marshall	11	35.9	Warren	34	85.3
Franklin	34	82.8	Mauy	151	186.5	Washington	432	351.3
Gibson	20	40.3	McMinn	51	97.6	Wayne	7	41.1
Giles	22	74.6	McNairy	12	46.0	Weakley	24	68.5
Grainger	4	17.7	Meigs	3	25.5	White	14	54.2
Greene	85	123.5	Monroe	24	53.9	Williamson	332	181.2
Grundy	2	14.6	Montgomery	130	75.4	Wilson	90	79.0

# Dentists by County of Practice

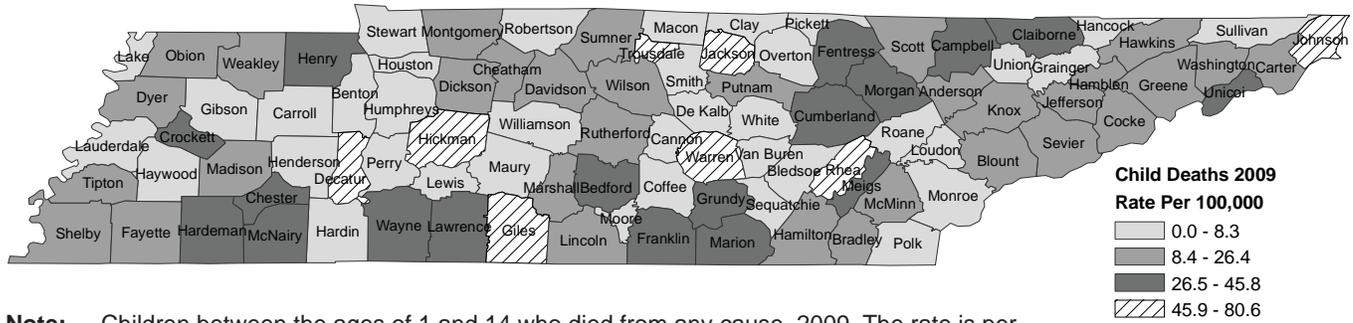


**Note:** Licensed dentists by the county of their practice for year 2010. The rate is per 100,000 total resident population.

**Source:** Tennessee's Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics. The rate was calculated by KIDS COUNT.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	3,317	52.3	Hamblen	30	48.0	Moore	1	15.7
Anderson	50	66.6	Hamilton	194	57.7	Morgan	3	13.6
Bedford	11	24.4	Hancock	0	0.0	Obion	12	37.7
Benton	2	12.1	Hardeman	9	33.0	Overton	5	22.6
Bledsoe	1	7.8	Hardin	6	23.1	Perry	1	12.6
Blount	57	46.3	Hawkins	7	12.3	Pickett	0	0.0
Bradley	36	36.4	Haywood	5	26.6	Polk	6	35.7
Campbell	8	19.6	Henderson	7	25.2	Putnam	35	48.4
Cannon	2	14.5	Henry	15	46.4	Rhea	6	18.9
Carroll	8	28.0	Hickman	4	16.2	Roane	16	29.5
Carter	15	26.1	Houston	1	11.9	Robertson	16	24.1
Cheatham	8	20.5	Humphreys	5	27.0	Rutherford	102	38.8
Chester	4	23.3	Jackson	3	25.8	Scott	5	22.5
Claiborne	6	18.6	Jefferson	11	21.4	Sequatchie	3	21.3
Clay	2	25.4	Johnson	2	11.0	Sevier	28	31.1
Cocke	7	19.6	Knox	237	54.8	Shelby	503	54.2
Coffee	33	62.5	Lake	2	25.5	Smith	2	10.4
Crockett	4	27.4	Lauderdale	5	18.0	Stewart	2	15.0
Cumberland	17	30.3	Lawrence	7	16.7	Sullivan	94	59.9
Davidson	406	64.8	Lewis	2	16.4	Sumner	72	44.8
Decatur	6	51.0	Lincoln	7	21.0	Tipton	13	21.3
DeKalb	4	21.4	Loudon	22	45.3	Trousdale	1	12.7
Dickson	23	46.3	Macon	4	18.0	Unicoi	5	27.3
Dyer	16	41.7	Madison	63	64.1	Union	3	15.7
Fayette	10	26.0	Marion	5	17.7	Van Buren	0	0.0
Fentress	3	16.7	Marshall	5	16.3	Warren	13	32.6
Franklin	11	26.8	Maury	39	48.2	Washington	63	51.2
Gibson	15	30.2	McMinn	20	38.3	Wayne	1	5.9
Giles	8	27.1	McNairy	7	26.8	Weakley	10	28.6
Grainger	1	4.4	Meigs	1	8.5	White	9	34.8
Greene	21	30.5	Monroe	11	24.7	Williamson	124	67.7
Grundy	0	0.0	Montgomery	55	31.9	Wilson	44	38.6

# Child Deaths

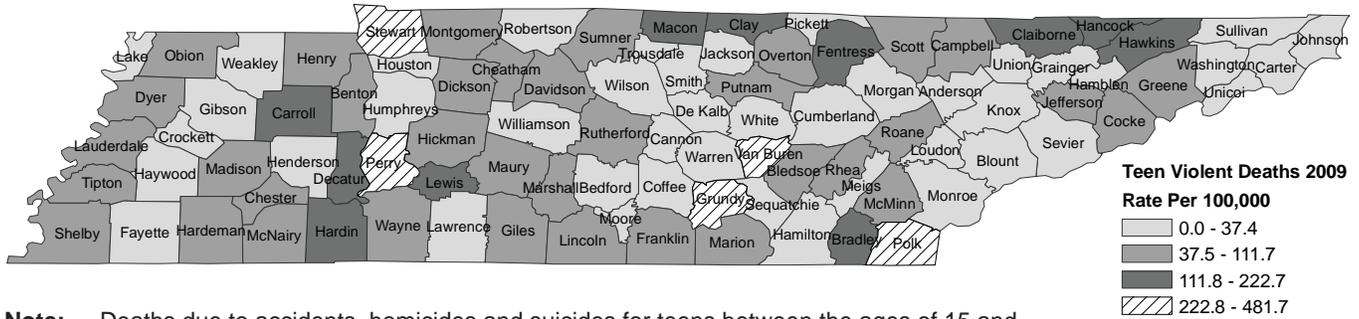


**Note:** Children between the ages of 1 and 14 who died from any cause, 2009. The rate is per 100,000 of same-age population.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	203	18.0	Hamblen	2	17.8	Moore	0	0.0
Anderson	2	16.6	Hamilton	8	15.0	Morgan	1	30.5
Bedford	3	32.3	Hancock	0	0.0	Obion	1	17.0
Benton	0	0.0	Hardeman	2	40.8	Overton	0	0.0
Bledsoe	0	0.0	Hardin	0	0.0	Perry	0	0.0
Blount	2	10.1	Hawkins	1	10.2	Pickett	0	0.0
Bradley	3	17.6	Haywood	0	0.0	Polk	0	0.0
Campbell	2	29.5	Henderson	0	0.0	Putnam	3	25.7
Cannon	0	0.0	Henry	2	38.1	Rhea	3	57.1
Carroll	0	0.0	Hickman	3	68.5	Roane	0	0.0
Carter	1	11.2	Houston	0	0.0	Robertson	1	8.1
Cheatham	1	13.0	Humphreys	0	0.0	Rutherford	7	14.6
Chester	1	34.0	Jackson	1	57.1	Scott	1	23.2
Claiborne	2	39.4	Jefferson	2	23.3	Sequatchie	0	0.0
Clay	0	0.0	Johnson	2	80.6	Sevier	3	21.7
Cocke	1	17.0	Knox	9	12.6	Shelby	48	24.5
Coffee	0	0.0	Lake	0	0.0	Smith	0	0.0
Crockett	1	36.5	Lauderdale	0	0.0	Stewart	0	0.0
Cumberland	3	37.6	Lawrence	3	38.5	Sullivan	2	8.3
Davidson	24	21.6	Lewis	0	0.0	Sumner	5	17.4
Decatur	1	55.6	Lincoln	1	17.1	Tipton	3	26.4
DeKalb	0	0.0	Loudon	0	0.0	Trousdale	1	73.6
Dickson	2	21.6	Macon	0	0.0	Unicoi	1	36.9
Dyer	1	13.9	Madison	3	15.9	Union	0	0.0
Fayette	1	15.5	Marion	2	42.4	Van Buren	0	0.0
Fentress	1	33.0	Marshall	1	18.6	Warren	4	53.3
Franklin	2	28.5	Mauzy	1	6.7	Washington	3	15.9
Gibson	0	0.0	McMinn	1	10.6	Wayne	1	40.5
Giles	3	60.2	McNairy	2	42.8	Weakley	1	18.4
Grainger	0	0.0	Meigs	1	45.8	White	0	0.0
Greene	2	18.4	Monroe	0	0.0	Williamson	2	6.2
Grundy	1	36.4	Montgomery	3	9.1	Wilson	2	9.8

# Teen Violent Deaths

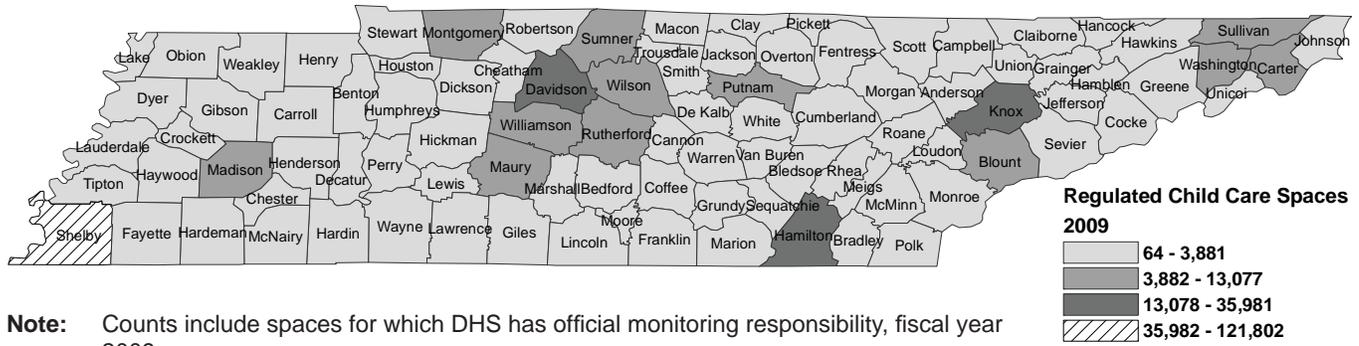


**Note:** Deaths due to accidents, homicides and suicides for teens between the ages of 15 and 19, calendar year 2009. The rate is per 100,000 same age population.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	223	51.8	Hamblen	1	24.6	Moore	0	0.0
Anderson	1	19.4	Hamilton	6	29.6	Morgan	0	0.0
Bedford	1	30.4	Hancock	1	222.7	Obion	1	47.4
Benton	1	88.8	Hardeman	1	49.8	Overton	1	70.5
Bledsoe	1	99.4	Hardin	4	221.7	Perry	2	370.4
Blount	0	0.0	Hawkins	5	130.8	Pickett	0	0.0
Bradley	8	118.5	Haywood	0	0.0	Polk	3	291.3
Campbell	2	73.9	Henderson	0	0.0	Putnam	3	54.5
Cannon	0	0.0	Henry	1	49.3	Rhea	1	45.4
Carroll	4	199.1	Hickman	1	55.3	Roane	3	85.8
Carter	1	25.2	Houston	0	0.0	Robertson	0	0.0
Cheatham	2	67.2	Humphreys	0	0.0	Rutherford	9	51.4
Chester	1	69.4	Jackson	0	0.0	Scott	1	61.5
Claiborne	3	128.7	Jefferson	2	51.3	Sequatchie	0	0.0
Clay	1	185.9	Johnson	0	0.0	Sevier	2	35.6
Cocke	2	82.3	Knox	11	37.4	Shelby	39	57.5
Coffee	0	0.0	Lake	0	0.0	Smith	0	0.0
Crockett	0	0.0	Lauderdale	2	108.0	Stewart	5	481.7
Cumberland	1	28.6	Lawrence	1	32.3	Sullivan	3	30.7
Davidson	23	70.1	Lewis	1	118.2	Sumner	5	43.6
Decatur	1	138.5	Lincoln	2	88.9	Tipton	2	39.4
DeKalb	0	0.0	Loudon	0	0.0	Trousdale	0	0.0
Dickson	4	111.7	Macon	3	181.8	Unicoi	0	0.0
Dyer	2	71.4	Madison	3	41.5	Union	0	0.0
Fayette	1	34.1	Marion	2	107.7	Van Buren	1	266.7
Fentress	2	158.4	Marshall	2	90.9	Warren	0	0.0
Franklin	2	64.8	Maury	4	68.2	Washington	2	26.5
Gibson	1	29.6	McMinn	3	78.5	Wayne	1	87.7
Giles	1	47.3	McNairy	1	55.0	Weakley	0	0.0
Grainger	0	0.0	Meigs	0	0.0	White	0	0.0
Greene	3	66.0	Monroe	0	0.0	Williamson	2	14.1
Grundy	3	293.8	Montgomery	7	62.3	Wilson	1	12.7

# Regulated Child Care Space

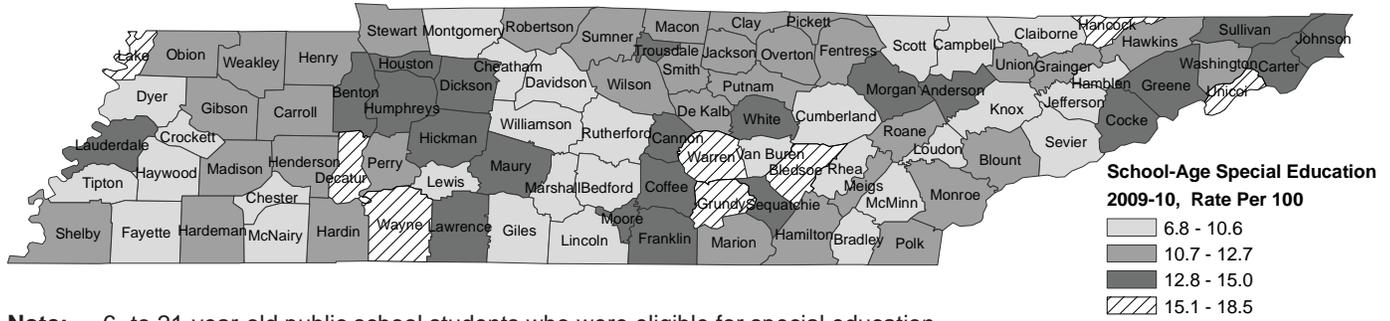


**Note:** Counts include spaces for which DHS has official monitoring responsibility, fiscal year 2009.

**Source:** Tennessee's Department of Human Services.

County	Number	County	Number	County	Number
<b>Tennessee</b>	361,558	Hamblen	2,153	Moore	117
Anderson	3,881	Hamilton	20,428	Morgan	288
Bedford	1,542	Hancock	340	Obion	1,633
Benton	310	Hardeman	606	Overton	756
Bledsoe	256	Hardin	537	Perry	139
Blount	5,322	Hawkins	769	Pickett	64
Bradley	3,386	Haywood	736	Polk	560
Campbell	1,138	Henderson	835	Putnam	5,612
Cannon	392	Henry	1,567	Rhea	815
Carroll	1,246	Hickman	654	Roane	2,491
Carter	5,926	Houston	310	Robertson	2,387
Cheatham	2,303	Humphreys	443	Rutherford	13,077
Chester	442	Jackson	300	Scott	1,077
Claiborne	1,137	Jefferson	1,028	Sequatchie	523
Clay	218	Johnson	630	Sevier	2,565
Cocke	782	Knox	21,411	Shelby	121,802
Coffee	2,852	Lake	173	Smith	363
Crockett	896	Lauderdale	1,046	Stewart	258
Cumberland	1,536	Lawrence	1,636	Sullivan	5,705
Davidson	35,981	Lewis	521	Sumner	7,207
Decatur	429	Lincoln	1,436	Tipton	1,976
DeKalb	369	Loudon	1,347	Trousdale	366
Dickson	2,214	Macon	523	Unicoi	511
Dyer	1,403	Madison	4,808	Union	340
Fayette	868	Marion	815	Van Buren	190
Fentress	556	Marshall	698	Warren	1,367
Franklin	1,176	Maury	4,062	Washington	6,181
Gibson	2,037	McMinn	1,583	Wayne	557
Giles	763	McNairy	671	Weakley	1,580
Grainger	263	Meigs	164	White	591
Greene	2,320	Monroe	728	Williamson	10,139
Grundy	442	Montgomery	8,214	Wilson	6,763

# School-Age Special Education

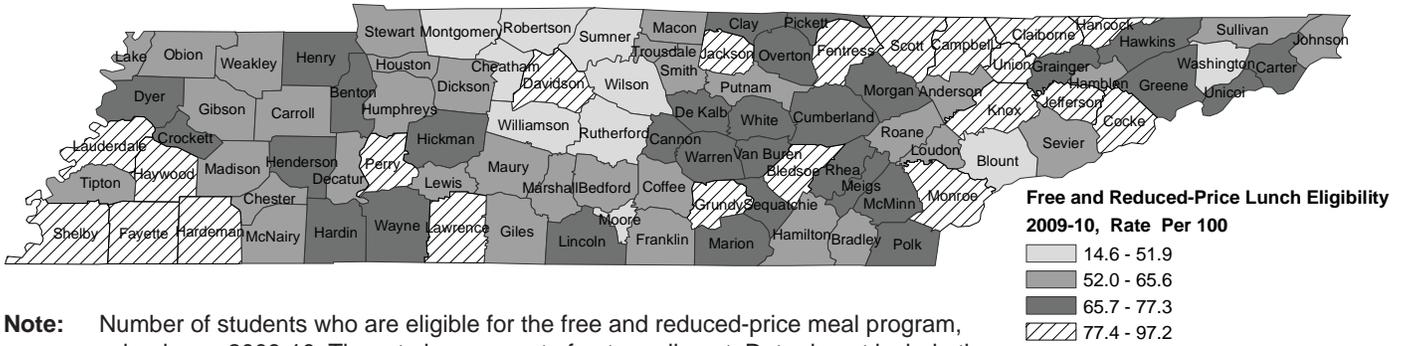


**Note:** 6- to 21-year-old public school students who were eligible for special education services, school year 2009-10, based on the December 2009 IDEA report. The rate is the percent of the average daily membership. Children classified as gifted, as having a functional delay or attending special state schools are not included in the numbers.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Education.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
Tennessee	105,328	11.1	Hamblen	1,010	10.6	Moore	133	13.6
Anderson	1,711	14.1	Hamilton	4,363	10.9	Morgan	452	13.8
Bedford	819	10.6	Hancock	178	17.7	Obion	639	12.0
Benton	323	13.3	Hardeman	488	11.9	Overton	408	12.2
Bledsoe	308	16.8	Hardin	428	11.4	Perry	139	12.5
Blount	2,103	11.6	Hawkins	1,057	12.7	Pickett	77	11.6
Bradley	1,286	8.6	Haywood	316	9.6	Polk	288	10.8
Campbell	612	10.5	Henderson	546	11.8	Putnam	1,320	12.7
Cannon	298	13.6	Henry	553	11.7	Rhea	494	10.1
Carroll	541	11.4	Hickman	562	14.6	Roane	921	12.6
Carter	1,036	13.2	Houston	209	14.5	Robertson	1,313	12.2
Cheatham	677	10.0	Humphreys	398	13.0	Rutherford	4,080	9.4
Chester	185	6.8	Jackson	205	12.5	Scott	359	8.8
Claiborne	488	10.5	Jefferson	698	9.4	Sequatchie	311	13.8
Clay	121	11.5	Johnson	333	15.0	Sevier	1,408	9.9
Cocke	729	13.1	Knox	5,355	9.7	Shelby	16,722	10.9
Coffee	1,280	14.2	Lake	141	15.7	Smith	385	11.9
Crockett	230	8.5	Lauderdale	614	13.6	Stewart	263	11.7
Cumberland	700	9.6	Lawrence	917	13.7	Sullivan	2,993	13.6
Davidson	7,473	10.3	Lewis	192	10.1	Sumner	3,325	12.5
Decatur	298	18.5	Lincoln	476	9.5	Tipton	1,198	10.2
DeKalb	346	12.2	Loudon	725	10.0	Trousdale	194	14.1
Dickson	1,148	13.7	Macon	462	12.4	Unicoi	394	15.6
Dyer	556	8.3	Madison	1,649	12.6	Union	359	12.1
Fayette	359	10.0	Marion	508	11.2	Van Buren	82	10.5
Fentress	301	12.6	Marshall	431	8.2	Warren	1,040	16.4
Franklin	778	13.3	Maury	1,545	13.4	Washington	1,817	11.0
Gibson	1,003	11.6	McMinn	802	10.1	Wayne	378	15.8
Giles	378	8.8	McNairy	416	9.7	Weakley	595	12.5
Grainger	406	11.5	Meigs	225	12.4	White	585	14.6
Greene	1,375	13.8	Monroe	790	11.3	Williamson	2,889	8.6
Grundy	410	18.1	Montgomery	2,870	10.1	Wilson	2,026	11.3

# Free and Reduced-Price Lunch Eligibility

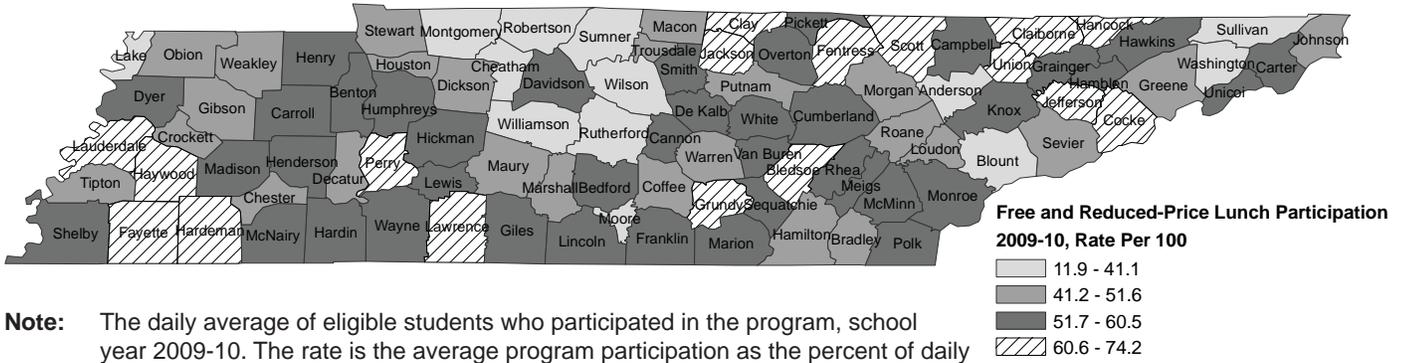


**Note:** Number of students who are eligible for the free and reduced-price meal program, school year 2009-10. The rate is a percent of net enrollment. Data do not include the state special schools and departments.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Education.

County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent
<b>Tennessee</b>	556,685	63.5	Hamblen	5,896	65.3	Moore	476	51.9
Anderson	6,292	55.5	Hamilton	23,718	61.8	Morgan	2,097	70.8
Bedford	4,722	65.6	Hancock	974	97.2	Obion	3,099	61.6
Benton	1,520	68.8	Hardeman	3,419	88.8	Overton	2,331	71.6
Bledsoe	1,463	88.1	Hardin	2,456	71.5	Perry	828	79.1
Blount	8,482	50.4	Hawkins	5,193	67.3	Pickett	478	71.7
Bradley	8,778	63.2	Haywood	2,718	84.9	Polk	1,803	72.2
Campbell	4,546	83.7	Henderson	2,955	66.6	Putnam	5,601	57.6
Cannon	1,362	67.2	Henry	3,072	68.8	Rhea	3,423	72.9
Carroll	2,873	65.4	Hickman	2,509	70.6	Roane	3,897	57.4
Carter	5,181	70.3	Houston	888	64.0	Robertson	5,202	50.7
Cheatham	3,122	48.3	Humphreys	1,847	64.3	Rutherford	19,583	47.9
Chester	1,510	58.4	Jackson	1,153	78.1	Scott	3,302	85.9
Claiborne	3,416	78.8	Jefferson	9,796	84.1	Sequatchie	1,554	71.3
Clay	755	75.0	Johnson	4,428	64.9	Sevier	8,329	63.7
Cocke	4,282	83.6	Knox	1,763	83.9	Shelby	110,408	79.0
Coffee	5,121	61.3	Lake	25,954	53.1	Smith	1,913	62.3
Crockett	1,933	73.3	Lauderdale	709	83.0	Stewart	1,215	59.9
Cumberland	4,871	73.7	Lawrence	3,677	86.6	Sullivan	11,078	54.4
Davidson	51,881	78.7	Lewis	4,135	64.7	Sumner	10,461	41.4
Decatur	953	62.2	Lincoln	1,297	71.2	Tipton	6,480	58.9
DeKalb	1,829	70.5	Loudon	2,874	60.7	Trousdale	695	55.3
Dickson	4,392	56.6	Macon	4,131	61.4	Unicoi	1,656	68.2
Dyer	4,514	72.7	Madison	2,239	64.6	Union	2,194	81.8
Fayette	2,968	89.3	Marion	3,052	70.8	Van Buren	501	70.7
Fentress	1,990	89.6	Marshall	2,812	56.4	Warren	4,147	69.1
Franklin	3,542	65.0	Mauzy	6,405	60.7	Washington	7,819	50.8
Gibson	5,226	62.5	McMinn	5,067	69.2	Wayne	1,759	77.3
Giles	2,480	63.5	McNairy	2,694	65.0	Weakley	2,597	58.6
Grainger	2,210	66.5	Meigs	1,288	76.0	White	2,533	67.1
Greene	6,063	66.7	Monroe	5,189	79.2	Williamson	4,768	14.6
Grundy	1,876	88.8	Montgomery	13,446	51.9	Wilson	6,551	38.4

# Free and Reduced Lunch Participation

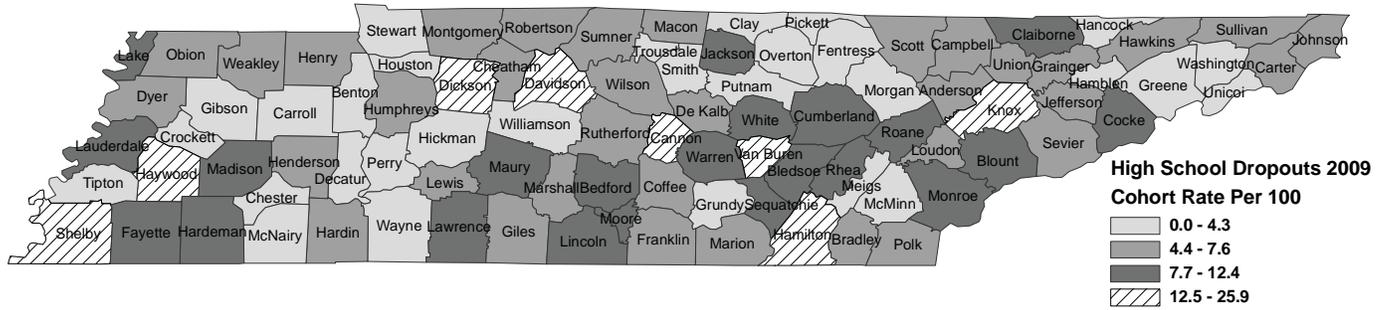


**Note:** The daily average of eligible students who participated in the program, school year 2009-10. The rate is the average program participation as the percent of daily cafeteria attendance.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Education supplied the data.

County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent
<b>Tennessee</b>	439,795	47.8	Hamblen	4,947	52.5	Moore	389	41.1
Anderson	4,664	39.0	Hamilton	17,592	44.4	Morgan	1,652	51.6
Bedford	4,089	55.6	Hancock	820	72.9	Obion	2,638	50.3
Benton	1,347	59.6	Hardeman	2,818	69.3	Overton	1,873	57.2
Bledsoe	1,204	63.9	Hardin	2,063	57.9	Perry	680	61.2
Blount	6,461	37.7	Hawkins	4,080	53.2	Pickett	382	54.5
Bradley	7,010	49.8	Haywood	2,366	71.5	Polk	1,489	60.5
Campbell	3,518	57.0	Henderson	2,450	52.1	Putnam	4,806	46.5
Cannon	1,081	52.2	Henry	2,512	54.8	Rhea	2,702	56.3
Carroll	2,457	53.6	Hickman	2,022	55.3	Roane	3,314	47.9
Carter	4,157	56.3	Houston	694	51.1	Robertson	4,211	40.3
Cheatham	2,477	38.8	Humphreys	1,550	54.8	Rutherford	15,319	36.2
Chester	1,235	48.1	Jackson	996	64.5	Scott	2,671	67.6
Claiborne	2,783	63.0	Jefferson	8,204	65.9	Sequatchie	1,285	57.3
Clay	644	64.1	Johnson	3,492	49.5	Sevier	6,496	49.3
Cocke	3,523	62.2	Knox	1,400	58.3	Shelby	81,574	55.1
Coffee	4,291	48.9	Lake	20,342	37.4	Smith	1,701	52.6
Crockett	1,484	50.9	Lauderdale	597	64.6	Stewart	1,027	48.0
Cumberland	4,008	55.6	Lawrence	3,483	74.2	Sullivan	8,489	40.1
Davidson	41,155	57.2	Lewis	3,520	53.5	Sumner	8,562	33.4
Decatur	788	47.5	Lincoln	1,079	56.4	Tipton	5,419	47.5
DeKalb	1,497	53.7	Loudon	2,361	47.7	Trousdale	596	47.4
Dickson	3,658	46.0	Macon	3,258	45.5	Unicoi	1,331	52.8
Dyer	3,709	55.6	Madison	1,925	54.0	Union	1,763	61.8
Fayette	2,243	62.5	Marion	2,538	57.8	Van Buren	434	57.1
Fentress	1,612	64.6	Marshall	2,363	47.1	Warren	3,297	51.5
Franklin	2,991	54.5	Maury	5,221	45.6	Washington	4,994	32.0
Gibson	4,413	50.5	McMinn	4,030	53.1	Wayne	1,292	52.8
Giles	2,135	52.4	McNairy	2,250	53.0	Weakley	2,200	47.5
Grainger	1,991	58.6	Meigs	1,032	57.3	White	2,190	56.3
Greene	4,764	50.9	Monroe	3,967	56.6	Williamson	3,886	11.9
Grundy	1,644	72.4	Montgomery	10,932	39.3	Wilson	5,196	29.7

# Cohort Dropouts

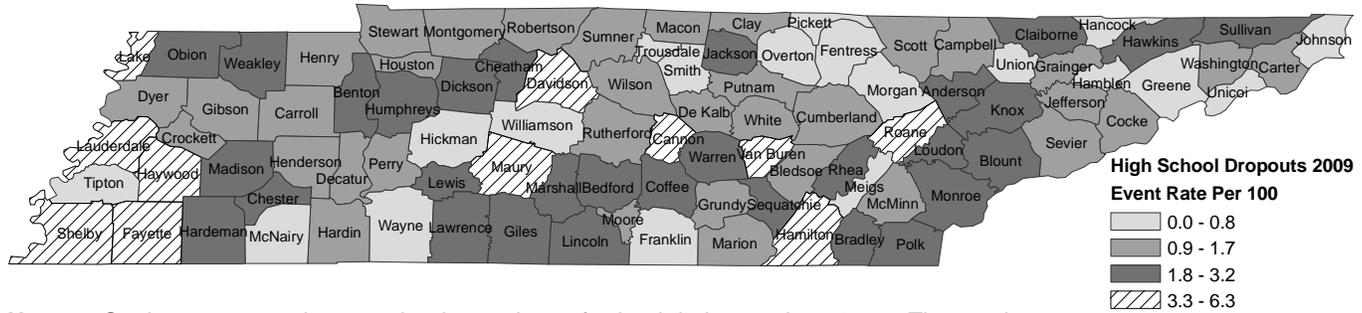


**Note:** Number of students no longer enrolled as 12<sup>th</sup> graders compared to their numbers as ninth graders. State special schools were not included.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Education's Research Division.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	8,934	10.4	Hamblen	23	3.1	Moore	7	8.5
Anderson	79	7.2	Hamilton	765	19.1	Morgan	4	1.3
Bedford	46	8.1	Hancock	0	0.0	Obion	25	5.4
Benton	9	3.4	Hardeman	38	9.2	Overton	11	4.0
Bledsoe	16	9.6	Hardin	19	5.5	Perry	3	3.2
Blount	128	9.0	Hawkins	50	6.3	Pickett	1	2.0
Bradley	69	5.5	Haywood	43	13.4	Polk	16	6.3
Campbell	25	5.2	Henderson	29	7.3	Putnam	21	2.3
Cannon	32	17.7	Henry	19	4.7	Rhea	44	10.8
Carroll	9	2.2	Hickman	12	3.3	Roane	79	12.2
Carter	54	7.1	Houston	6	4.3	Robertson	45	5.2
Cheatham	38	5.6	Humphreys	22	7.6	Rutherford	188	5.9
Chester	7	2.8	Jackson	12	8.3	Scott	30	7.3
Claiborne	41	9.6	Jefferson	47	7.5	Sequatchie	27	12.2
Clay	1	0.9	Johnson	15	6.8	Sevier	78	5.7
Cocke	41	8.6	Knox	596	13.3	Shelby	3,988	25.9
Coffee	55	6.5	Lake	8	11.4	Smith	6	2.1
Crockett	5	2.1	Lauderdale	38	9.8	Stewart	7	3.5
Cumberland	47	8.1	Lawrence	67	11.1	Sullivan	155	7.1
Davidson	1,179	15.8	Lewis	10	5.5	Sumner	117	5.2
Decatur	3	2.3	Lincoln	37	8.6	Tipton	39	3.6
DeKalb	13	5.4	Loudon	40	6.5	Trousdale	1	0.8
Dickson	93	13.6	Macon	24	6.9	Unicoi	4	1.9
Dyer	33	5.6	Madison	124	9.0	Union	12	5.2
Fayette	28	9.6	Marion	26	7.5	Van Buren	10	14.5
Fentress	1	1.3	Marshall	22	4.8	Warren	47	8.3
Franklin	34	7.3	Mauzy	138	12.4	Washington	47	3.2
Gibson	29	4.0	McMinn	28	3.8	Wayne	9	3.9
Giles	31	7.0	McNairy	10	2.9	Weakley	24	5.6
Grainger	18	6.7	Meigs	2	1.3	White	32	8.0
Greene	18	1.9	Monroe	63	9.3	Williamson	84	3.4
Grundy	4	1.7	Montgomery	138	5.4	Wilson	97	6.3

# Event Dropouts

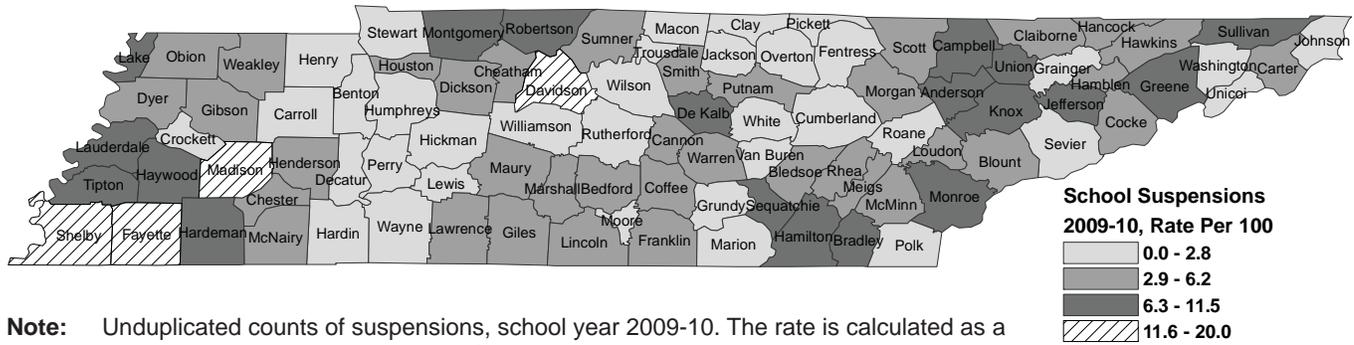


**Note:** Students younger than 18 who dropped out of school during grades 9 to 12. The rate is a percent of ninth to 12<sup>th</sup> grade net enrollment for school year 2008-09.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Education's Research Division. State special schools are not included in the data.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	8,594	3.0	Hamblen	20	0.7	Moore	3	1.0
Anderson	71	1.8	Hamilton	573	4.9	Morgan	5	0.5
Bedford	43	2.0	Hancock	1	0.3	Obion	36	2.3
Benton	16	2.0	Hardeman	32	2.5	Overton	6	0.7
Bledsoe	7	1.3	Hardin	20	1.6	Perry	3	0.9
Blount	107	1.9	Hawkins	47	1.9	Pickett	0	0.0
Bradley	84	1.9	Haywood	45	4.7	Polk	16	1.9
Campbell	25	1.4	Henderson	22	1.7	Putnam	39	1.2
Cannon	28	3.8	Henry	21	1.4	Rhea	30	2.0
Carroll	13	0.9	Hickman	7	0.6	Roane	83	3.6
Carter	33	1.3	Houston	4	0.9	Robertson	37	1.2
Cheatham	40	1.8	Humphreys	18	1.8	Rutherford	175	1.4
Chester	16	1.9	Jackson	16	3.2	Scott	21	1.7
Claiborne	29	2.0	Jefferson	23	1.0	Sequatchie	22	3.2
Clay	3	0.9	Johnson	5	0.7	Sevier	57	1.3
Cocke	31	1.7	Knox	549	3.2	Shelby	3,016	6.3
Coffee	64	2.2	Lake	12	4.7	Smith	6	0.6
Crockett	8	1.0	Lauderdale	58	4.7	Stewart	9	1.2
Cumberland	39	1.7	Lawrence	61	2.9	Sullivan	134	1.9
Davidson	911	4.4	Lewis	17	2.9	Sumner	116	1.5
Decatur	6	1.2	Lincoln	38	2.5	Tipton	2	0.1
DeKalb	8	1.0	Loudon	38	1.8	Trousdale	2	0.5
Dickson	75	2.9	Macon	18	1.6	Unicoi	2	0.3
Dyer	22	1.0	Madison	80	1.9	Union	1	0.1
Fayette	36	3.9	Marion	19	1.5	Van Buren	9	3.5
Fentress	2	0.7	Marshall	36	2.2	Warren	43	2.4
Franklin	13	0.8	Maury	149	4.4	Washington	44	0.9
Gibson	39	1.5	McMinn	31	1.3	Wayne	1	0.1
Giles	26	1.9	McNairy	8	0.6	Weakley	47	3.2
Grainger	16	1.5	Meigs	0	0.0	White	11	0.9
Greene	12	0.4	Monroe	44	2.0	Williamson	78	0.8
Grundy	8	1.1	Montgomery	92	1.1	Wilson	83	1.6

# School Suspensions

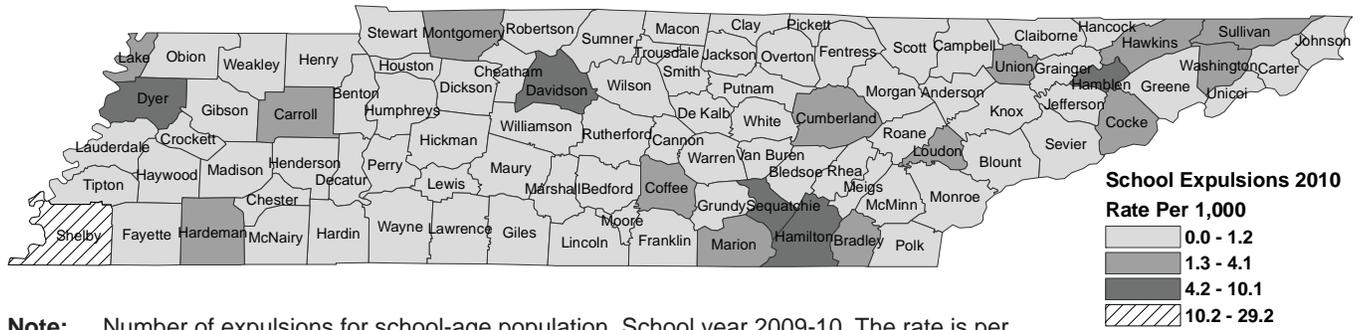


**Note:** Unduplicated counts of suspensions, school year 2009-10. The rate is calculated as a percent of the total net enrollment. State special schools are not included.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Education's Research Division.

County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent
<b>Tennessee</b>	72,799	8.3	Hamblen	471	5.2	Moore	0	0.0
Anderson	751	6.6	Hamilton	4,271	11.1	Morgan	139	4.7
Bedford	241	3.3	Hancock	30	3.0	Obion	257	5.1
Benton	36	1.6	Hardeman	363	9.4	Overton	32	1.0
Bledsoe	67	4.0	Hardin	63	1.8	Perry	9	0.9
Blount	1,000	5.9	Hawkins	458	5.9	Pickett	2	0.3
Bradley	927	6.7	Haywood	222	6.9	Polk	67	2.7
Campbell	438	8.1	Henderson	177	4.0	Putnam	292	3.0
Cannon	111	5.5	Henry	47	1.1	Rhea	269	5.7
Carroll	67	1.5	Hickman	34	1.0	Roane	29	0.4
Carter	418	5.7	Houston	61	4.4	Robertson	825	8.0
Cheatham	313	4.8	Humphreys	77	2.7	Rutherford	121	0.3
Chester	144	5.6	Jackson	7	0.5	Scott	116	3.0
Claiborne	183	4.2	Jefferson	502	7.4	Sequatchie	143	6.6
Clay	3	0.3	Johnson	13	0.6	Sevier	266	2.0
Cocke	260	5.1	Knox	4,853	9.9	Shelby	28,027	20.0
Coffee	380	4.6	Lake	80	9.4	Smith	153	5.0
Crockett	9	0.3	Lauderdale	488	11.5	Stewart	45	2.2
Cumberland	183	2.8	Lawrence	189	3.0	Sullivan	1,373	6.7
Davidson	9,771	14.8	Lewis	21	1.2	Sumner	1,248	4.9
Decatur	29	1.9	Lincoln	260	5.5	Tipton	780	7.1
DeKalb	199	7.7	Loudon	254	3.8	Trousdale	4	0.3
Dickson	356	4.6	Macon	31	0.9	Unicoi	65	2.7
Dyer	330	5.3	Madison	1,787	15.3	Union	192	7.2
Fayette	529	15.9	Marion	73	1.7	Van Buren	1	0.1
Fentress	4	0.2	Marshall	234	4.7	Warren	294	4.9
Franklin	216	4.0	Mauzy	655	6.2	Washington	376	2.4
Gibson	324	3.9	McMinn	422	5.8	Wayne	3	0.1
Giles	167	4.3	McNairy	216	5.2	Weakley	264	6.0
Grainger	35	1.1	Meigs	63	3.7	White	89	2.4
Greene	624	6.9	Monroe	484	7.4	Williamson	210	0.6
Grundy	8	0.4	Montgomery	1,980	7.6	Wilson	99	0.6

# School Expulsions

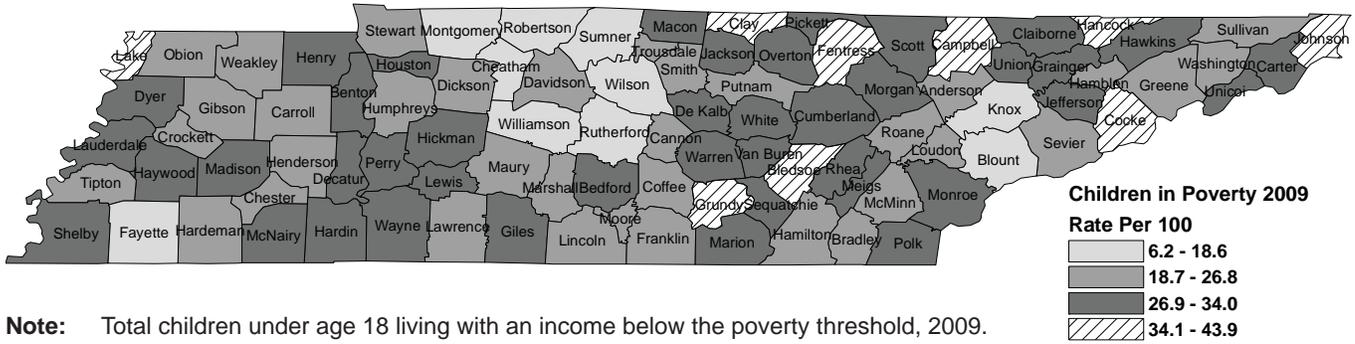


**Note:** Number of expulsions for school-age population, School year 2009-10. The rate is per 1,000 net school enrollment. State special schools are not included.

**Source:** Tennessee's Department of Education.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	5,405	6.2	Hamblen	50	5.5	Moore	0	0.0
Anderson	14	1.2	Hamilton	389	10.1	Morgan	1	0.3
Bedford	0	0.0	Hancock	0	0.0	Obion	4	0.8
Benton	0	0.0	Hardeman	8	2.1	Overton	3	0.9
Bledsoe	0	0.0	Hardin	2	0.6	Perry	0	0.0
Blount	21	1.2	Hawkins	14	1.8	Pickett	0	0.0
Bradley	36	2.6	Haywood	1	0.3	Polk	1	0.4
Campbell	1	0.2	Henderson	1	0.2	Putnam	6	0.6
Cannon	0	0.0	Henry	1	0.2	Rhea	1	0.2
Carroll	6	1.4	Hickman	0	0.0	Roane	1	0.1
Carter	2	0.3	Houston	0	0.0	Robertson	0	0.0
Cheatham	0	0.0	Humphreys	0	0.0	Rutherford	0	0.0
Chester	1	0.4	Jackson	0	0.0	Scott	2	0.5
Claiborne	1	0.2	Jefferson	4	0.6	Sequatchie	10	4.6
Clay	0	0.0	Johnson	0	0.0	Sevier	3	0.2
Cocke	9	1.8	Knox	0	0.0	Shelby	4,080	29.2
Coffee	22	2.6	Lake	3	3.5	Smith	1	0.3
Crockett	1	0.4	Lauderdale	2	0.5	Stewart	1	0.5
Cumberland	10	1.5	Lawrence	3	0.5	Sullivan	78	3.8
Davidson	355	5.4	Lewis	0	0.0	Sumner	12	0.5
Decatur	1	0.7	Lincoln	2	0.4	Tipton	0	0.0
DeKalb	2	0.8	Loudon	16	2.4	Trousdale	0	0.0
Dickson	0	0.0	Macon	1	0.3	Unicoi	0	0.0
Dyer	30	4.8	Madison	12	1.0	Union	5	1.9
Fayette	1	0.3	Marion	11	2.6	Van Buren	0	0.0
Fentress	0	0.0	Marshall	1	0.2	Warren	0	0.0
Franklin	1	0.2	Maury	5	0.5	Washington	23	1.5
Gibson	6	0.7	McMinn	0	0.0	Wayne	0	0.0
Giles	4	1.0	McNairy	5	1.2	Weakley	1	0.2
Grainger	2	0.6	Meigs	0	0.0	White	2	0.5
Greene	3	0.3	Monroe	3	0.5	Williamson	0	0.0
Grundy	0	0.0	Montgomery	107	4.1	Wilson	0	0.0

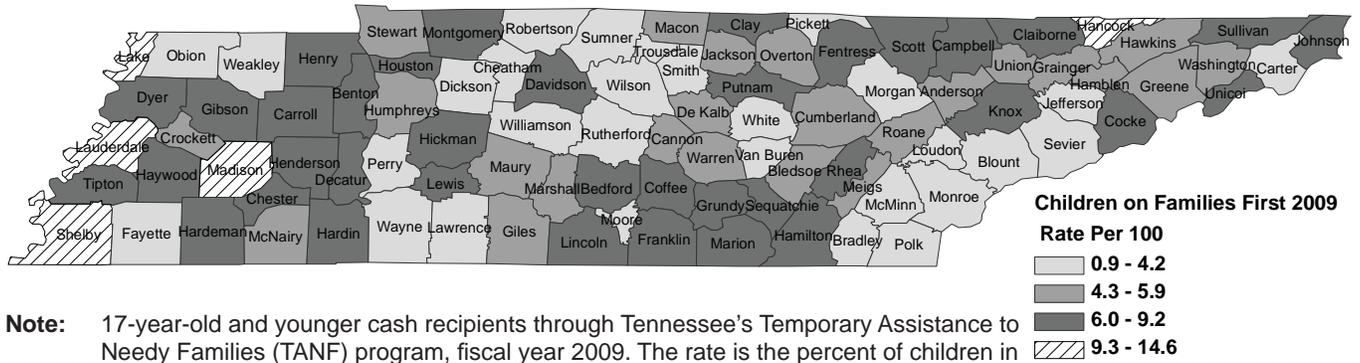
# Child Poverty



**Note:** Total children under age 18 living with an income below the poverty threshold, 2009.  
**Source:** U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Estimates Branch.

County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent
<b>Tennessee</b>	352,943	24.0	Hamblen	3,685	25.1	Moore	279	22.1
Anderson	4,133	24.6	Hamilton	18,098	24.9	Morgan	1,248	28.9
Bedford	3,274	27.5	Hancock	598	43.9	Obion	1,747	24.8
Benton	1,018	31.6	Hardeman	1,542	26.5	Overton	1,396	30.1
Bledsoe	925	35.8	Hardin	1,804	32.3	Perry	517	30.1
Blount	4,476	16.8	Hawkins	3,363	27.2	Pickett	277	30.7
Bradley	5,037	22.7	Haywood	1,514	31.3	Polk	985	28.1
Campbell	3,152	35.8	Henderson	1,522	23.7	Putnam	3,899	24.7
Cannon	757	24.2	Henry	2,006	30.3	Rhea	2,224	30.0
Carroll	1,677	26.2	Hickman	1,488	27.8	Roane	2,389	22.0
Carter	3,503	31.4	Houston	542	27.5	Robertson	3,164	18.3
Cheatham	1,554	15.9	Humphreys	984	23.8	Rutherford	10,290	15.6
Chester	968	26.2	Jackson	666	32.1	Scott	1,734	32.4
Claiborne	2,125	32.2	Jefferson	3,121	28.3	Sequatchie	966	29.2
Clay	592	35.6	Johnson	1,323	41.7	Sevier	4,467	23.8
Cocke	2,826	36.4	Knox	17,379	18.6	Shelby	74,015	30.1
Coffee	3,130	25.2	Lake	491	42.8	Smith	1,110	24.3
Crockett	940	26.8	Lauderdale	1,867	29.6	Stewart	772	25.9
Cumberland	2,984	29.7	Lawrence	2,714	26.6	Sullivan	7,222	22.8
Davidson	35,539	25.7	Lewis	870	32.2	Sumner	6,319	15.9
Decatur	687	29.0	Lincoln	1,726	22.7	Tipton	3,335	21.3
De Kalb	1,244	28.7	Loudon	2,166	22.7	Trousdale	440	24.3
Dickson	2,482	20.8	Macon	1,703	31.9	Unicoi	1,013	29.0
Dyer	2,813	30.4	Madison	6,473	27.3	Union	1,484	34.0
Fayette	1,601	18.3	Marion	1,681	27.0	Van Buren	361	32.3
Fentress	1,485	37.2	Marshall	1,552	21.6	Warren	2,781	29.2
Franklin	1,957	22.6	Maury	4,261	21.5	Washington	5,294	21.6
Gibson	2,821	23.9	McMinn	2,934	24.6	Wayne	889	29.2
Giles	1,772	27.4	McNairy	1,830	31.1	Weakley	1,702	25.6
Grainger	1,367	27.3	Meigs	920	33.0	White	1,635	28.6
Greene	3,387	24.4	Monroe	2,947	28.8	Williamson	3,063	6.2
Grundy	1,321	39.7	Montgomery	7,065	16.4	Wilson	3,545	12.8

# Children on Families First (TANF)

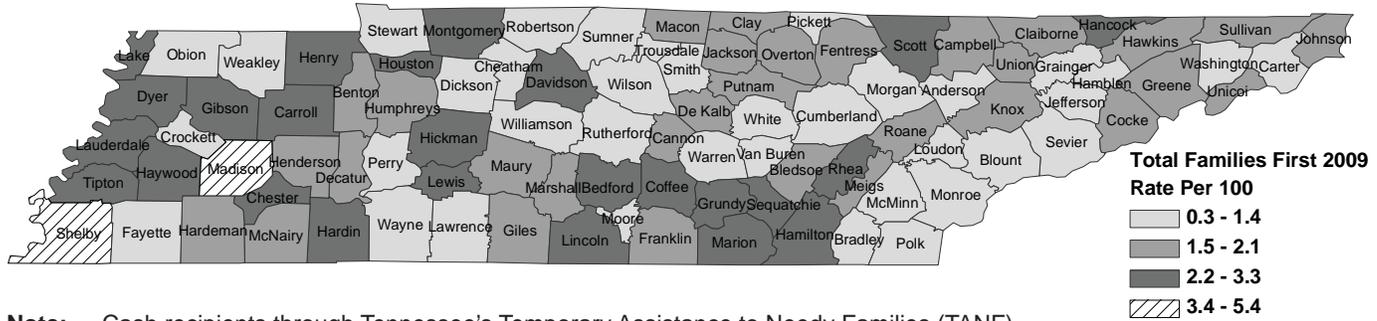


**Note:** 17-year-old and younger cash recipients through Tennessee's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program, fiscal year 2009. The rate is the percent of children in the resident population.

**Source:** Data: Tennessee Department of Human Services. Population: Department of Health.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
Tennessee	106,730	7.3	Hamblen	661	4.5	Moore	54	4.2
Anderson	715	4.4	Hamilton	5,522	8.0	Morgan	150	3.4
Bedford	726	6.1	Hancock	168	11.5	Obion	318	4.2
Benton	205	6.1	Hardeman	445	6.9	Overton	266	5.7
Bledsoe	140	5.0	Hardin	417	7.2	Perry	57	3.3
Blount	944	3.6	Hawkins	726	5.6	Pickett	35	3.5
Bradley	784	3.6	Haywood	397	7.7	Polk	128	3.5
Campbell	571	6.4	Henderson	393	6.1	Putnam	939	6.2
Cannon	150	4.7	Henry	584	8.4	Rhea	503	7.2
Carroll	502	7.8	Hickman	366	6.4	Roane	637	5.6
Carter	497	4.2	Houston	133	6.6	Robertson	670	4.1
Cheatham	375	3.7	Humphreys	225	5.2	Rutherford	2,035	3.4
Chester	293	7.8	Jackson	126	5.4	Scott	377	6.7
Claiborne	422	6.1	Jefferson	428	3.8	Sequatchie	196	6.2
Clay	103	6.1	Johnson	247	7.4	Sevier	739	4.0
Cocke	533	6.8	Knox	5,657	6.2	Shelby	36,931	14.6
Coffee	781	6.2	Lake	162	12.6	Smith	183	4.0
Crockett	160	4.5	Lauderdale	678	10.2	Stewart	131	4.3
Cumberland	476	4.4	Lawrence	364	3.5	Sullivan	1,930	6.1
Davidson	12,576	9.2	Lewis	186	6.3	Sumner	1,511	4.0
Decatur	169	7.1	Lincoln	522	6.8	Tipton	1,054	6.8
De Kalb	237	5.5	Loudon	293	3.1	Trousdale	60	3.3
Dickson	468	3.8	Macon	327	5.9	Unicoi	250	7.0
Dyer	747	7.9	Madison	3,049	12.6	Union	225	4.7
Fayette	344	3.9	Marion	431	7.0	Van Buren	41	3.4
Fentress	254	6.3	Marshall	384	5.4	Warren	416	4.3
Franklin	570	6.3	Maury	1,026	5.2	Washington	1,069	4.4
Gibson	1,032	9.0	McMinn	484	3.9	Wayne	119	3.6
Giles	361	5.5	McNairy	315	5.1	Weakley	294	4.1
Grainger	223	4.4	Meigs	136	4.7	White	205	3.6
Greene	733	5.1	Monroe	359	3.3	Williamson	408	0.9
Grundy	270	7.6	Montgomery	2,617	6.2	Wilson	615	2.3

# Total Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

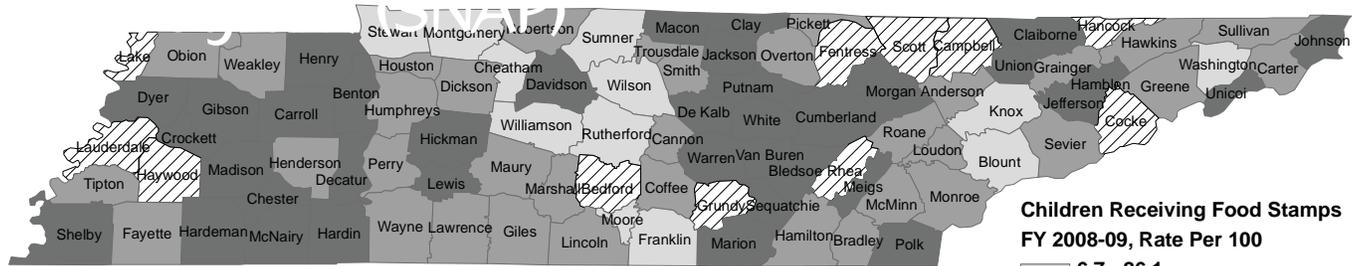


**Note:** Cash recipients through Tennessee's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program, fiscal year 2009. The rate is the percent of the total resident population.

**Source:** Data: Tennessee Department of Human Services. Population: Department of Health.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
Tennessee	147,436	2.4	Hamblen	824	1.3	Moore	81	1.3
Anderson	984	1.3	Hamilton	7,784	2.5	Morgan	210	1.0
Bedford	985	2.2	Hancock	227	3.3	Obion	424	1.3
Benton	288	1.7	Hardeman	590	2.0	Overton	370	1.8
Bledsoe	197	1.5	Hardin	584	2.2	Perry	83	1.1
Blount	1,318	1.1	Hawkins	995	1.7	Pickett	52	1.1
Bradley	1,099	1.1	Haywood	516	2.6	Polk	182	1.1
Campbell	743	1.8	Henderson	551	2.0	Putnam	1,377	2.0
Cannon	213	1.5	Henry	829	2.6	Rhea	674	2.2
Carroll	745	2.5	Hickman	542	2.2	Roane	885	1.6
Carter	661	1.1	Houston	195	2.4	Robertson	917	1.4
Cheatham	517	1.3	Humphreys	328	1.7	Rutherford	2,755	1.1
Chester	411	2.5	Jackson	167	1.5	Scott	513	2.3
Claiborne	558	1.7	Jefferson	559	1.1	Sequatchie	293	2.2
Clay	140	1.7	Johnson	357	1.9	Sevier	1,041	1.2
Cocke	716	2.0	Knox	7,935	1.9	Shelby	50,475	5.4
Coffee	1,147	2.2	Lake	215	2.9	Smith	261	1.3
Crockett	208	1.4	Lauderdale	915	3.3	Stewart	180	1.3
Cumberland	660	1.2	Lawrence	520	1.2	Sullivan	2,781	1.8
Davidson	17,181	2.9	Lewis	264	2.2	Sumner	2,124	1.4
Decatur	245	2.1	Lincoln	754	2.3	Tipton	1,465	2.4
DeKalb	310	1.6	Loudon	386	0.8	Trousdale	84	1.0
Dickson	642	1.3	Macon	462	2.1	Unicoi	351	2.0
Dyer	996	2.6	Madison	4,303	4.4	Union	293	1.5
Fayette	450	1.2	Marion	643	2.3	Van Buren	61	1.1
Fentress	356	2.0	Marshall	531	1.8	Warren	574	1.4
Franklin	819	1.9	Mauy	1,434	1.8	Washington	1,482	1.3
Gibson	1,463	3.0	McMinn	665	1.2	Wayne	162	0.9
Giles	508	1.7	McNairy	434	1.7	Weakley	420	1.2
Grainger	277	1.2	Meigs	175	1.5	White	285	1.1
Greene	998	1.5	Monroe	479	1.0	Williamson	556	0.3
Grundy	387	2.6	Montgomery	3,796	2.5	Wilson	850	0.8

# Children on Supplemental Nutrition Assistance

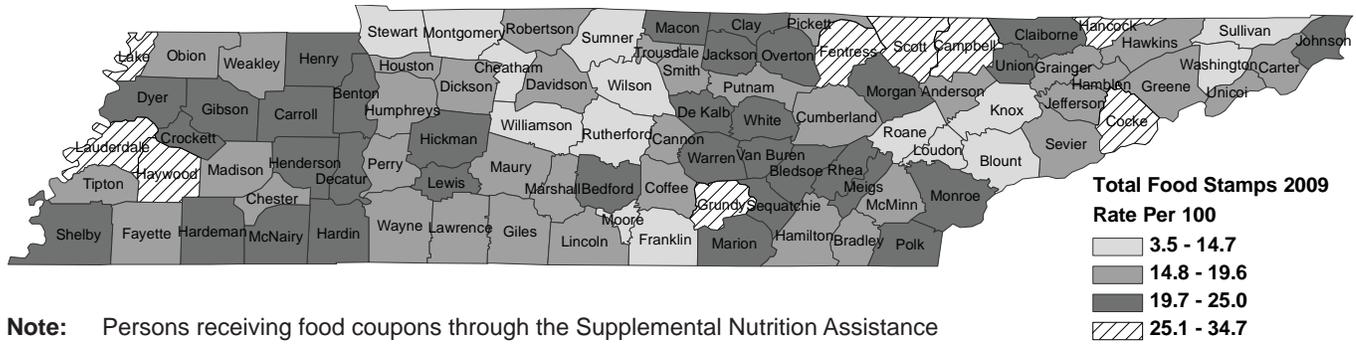


**Note:** Children younger than age 18 who received federally funded food stamps through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, fiscal year 2008-09. The rate is the percent of same age population.

**Source:** Data: Tennessee's Department of Human Services. Population: Department of Health.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
Tennessee	488,686	33.4	Hamblen	5,870	40.4	Moore	305	23.4
Anderson	5,140	31.7	Hamilton	21,889	31.6	Morgan	1,691	38.8
Bedford	5,156	43.2	Hancock	740	50.6	Obion	2,558	33.5
Benton	1,277	38.0	Hardeman	2,482	38.3	Overton	1,605	34.4
Bledsoe	1,163	41.0	Hardin	2,312	40.0	Perry	601	34.2
Blount	6,825	26.0	Hawkins	4,354	33.6	Pickett	332	33.2
Bradley	7,268	33.2	Haywood	2,224	43.3	Polk	1,341	36.7
Campbell	4,034	45.2	Henderson	2,219	34.6	Putnam	5,490	36.1
Cannon	1,071	33.8	Henry	2,614	37.8	Rhea	3,144	45.3
Carroll	2,447	37.9	Hickman	2,065	35.9	Roane	3,191	27.9
Carter	3,859	32.7	Houston	656	32.5	Robertson	5,256	32.2
Cheatham	2,171	21.3	Humphreys	1,299	30.2	Rutherford	15,380	25.5
Chester	1,380	36.6	Jackson	850	36.4	Scott	2,694	48.0
Claiborne	2,765	40.2	Jefferson	4,059	36.1	Sequatchie	1,282	40.5
Clay	635	37.5	Johnson	1,380	41.5	Sevier	6,006	32.8
Cocke	3,836	49.1	Knox	22,934	25.1	Shelby	107,657	42.6
Coffee	4,275	33.9	Lake	681	52.8	Smith	1,417	30.9
Crockett	1,454	40.5	Lauderdale	3,135	47.3	Stewart	789	25.9
Cumberland	3,844	35.9	Lawrence	3,012	29.2	Sullivan	8,997	28.3
Davidson	54,698	40.0	Lewis	1,139	38.6	Sumner	8,178	21.4
Decatur	931	39.1	Lincoln	2,333	30.4	Tipton	5,113	33.2
DeKalb	1,644	38.2	Loudon	2,630	27.5	Trousdale	636	34.7
Dickson	3,508	28.8	Macon	2,201	40.1	Unicoi	1,260	35.5
Dyer	3,740	39.6	Madison	8,716	36.1	Union	1,803	37.7
Fayette	2,468	28.3	Marion	2,428	39.3	Van Buren	455	37.9
Fentress	1,799	44.7	Marshall	2,276	31.8	Warren	3,985	40.9
Franklin	2,299	25.2	Maury	6,223	31.6	Washington	6,363	26.1
Gibson	4,162	36.3	McMinn	3,953	31.9	Wayne	1,060	31.7
Giles	2,097	31.8	McNairy	2,431	39.6	Weakley	2,271	31.9
Grainger	1,757	34.7	Meigs	1,160	40.1	White	2,010	35.5
Greene	4,348	30.3	Monroe	3,668	34.1	Williamson	2,987	6.7
Grundy	1,767	49.6	Montgomery	9,681	23.1	Wilson	5,401	20.2

# Total Supplemental Nutrition Assistance (SNAP)

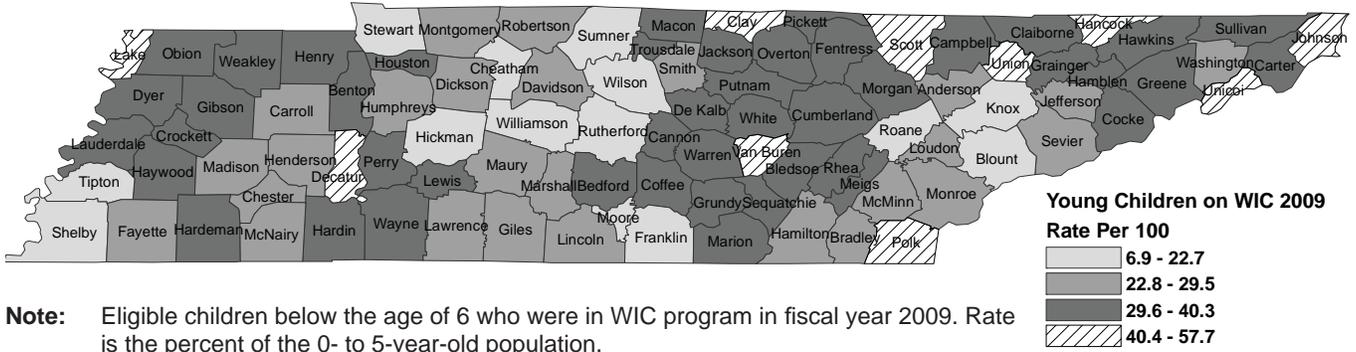


**Note:** Persons receiving food coupons through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, fiscal year 2008-09. Estimates based on monthly averages.

**Source:** Data: Tennessee Department of Human Services. Population: Tennessee Department of Health.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	1,070,758	17.3	Hamblen	11,619	18.6	Moore	682	11.0
Anderson	12,459	16.8	Hamilton	47,497	15.0	Morgan	4,500	21.9
Bedford	10,075	22.0	Hancock	2,349	34.7	Obion	6,103	18.8
Benton	3,478	21.0	Hardeman	5,954	20.4	Overton	4,333	20.6
Bledsoe	3,092	23.2	Hardin	6,261	23.6	Perry	1,515	19.6
Blount	16,119	13.2	Hawkins	10,920	18.7	Pickett	956	19.3
Bradley	16,884	17.5	Haywood	5,286	27.0	Polk	3,343	20.8
Campbell	11,053	26.7	Henderson	5,730	21.0	Putnam	12,599	17.9
Cannon	2,632	19.0	Henry	6,494	20.1	Rhea	7,397	23.8
Carroll	6,114	20.7	Hickman	5,232	21.0	Roane	7,960	14.7
Carter	9,792	16.4	Houston	1,540	18.8	Robertson	10,111	15.5
Cheatham	4,722	11.6	Humphreys	3,160	16.9	Rutherford	29,376	12.1
Chester	3,194	19.4	Jackson	2,440	21.8	Scott	7,344	32.5
Claiborne	7,559	23.6	Jefferson	9,431	18.3	Sequatchie	3,079	22.8
Clay	1,912	23.5	Johnson	3,900	21.2	Sevier	13,083	15.3
Cocke	10,070	27.9	Knox	51,198	12.2	Shelby	212,954	22.9
Coffee	9,255	17.4	Lake	1,977	26.7	Smith	3,291	16.9
Crockett	3,123	21.1	Lauderdale	7,179	26.0	Stewart	1,899	14.0
Cumberland	9,264	17.1	Lawrence	7,568	18.1	Sullivan	21,579	14.0
Davidson	101,772	17.2	Lewis	2,970	24.9	Sumner	17,526	11.2
Decatur	2,464	21.5	Lincoln	5,591	16.7	Tipton	11,373	18.9
De Kalb	4,015	21.3	Loudon	5,893	12.8	Trousdale	1,560	19.4
Dickson	7,717	16.0	Macon	5,118	22.8	Unicoi	3,285	18.5
Dyer	8,989	23.4	Madison	18,003	18.3	Union	4,529	22.6
Fayette	5,858	15.6	Marion	6,077	21.5	Van Buren	1,235	22.5
Fentress	5,174	29.0	Marshall	5,038	16.8	Warren	8,836	21.5
Franklin	5,391	12.8	Mauy	13,556	16.7	Washington	14,963	12.8
Gibson	9,922	20.3	McMinn	9,752	18.3	Wayne	2,993	17.5
Giles	5,225	17.6	McNairy	6,495	24.9	Weakley	5,929	17.6
Grainger	4,340	18.8	Meigs	3,019	25.0	White	4,965	19.9
Greene	10,890	16.2	Monroe	9,266	20.2	Williamson	6,036	3.5
Grundy	4,709	32.0	Montgomery	19,726	12.9	Wilson	11,926	10.9

# Children Under Age 6 in WIC

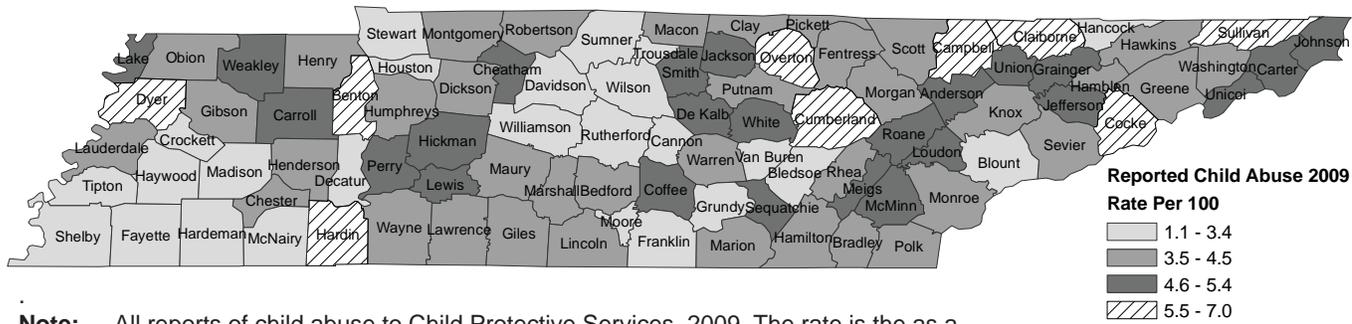


**Note:** Eligible children below the age of 6 who were in WIC program in fiscal year 2009. Rate is the percent of the 0- to 5-year-old population.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	123,345	25.4	Hamblen	1,584	31.8	Moore	72	19.2
Anderson	1,407	27.5	Hamilton	5,789	24.7	Morgan	455	34.0
Bedford	1,298	32.0	Hancock	268	54.7	Obion	785	31.9
Benton	405	39.8	Hardeman	751	36.3	Overton	531	34.9
Bledsoe	287	35.0	Hardin	607	34.9	Perry	207	36.2
Blount	1,877	22.7	Hawkins	1,276	31.6	Pickett	136	40.3
Bradley	2,082	28.7	Haywood	545	32.5	Polk	513	43.5
Campbell	1,138	38.9	Henderson	525	25.1	Putnam	1,718	32.7
Cannon	330	36.6	Henry	750	33.6	Rhea	783	33.2
Carroll	561	27.3	Hickman	326	19.0	Roane	714	21.2
Carter	1,288	34.6	Houston	234	35.7	Robertson	1,392	24.8
Cheatham	624	20.1	Humphreys	370	26.5	Rutherford	4,070	19.6
Chester	334	28.7	Jackson	263	38.5	Scott	849	44.4
Claiborne	835	38.3	Jefferson	957	28.2	Sequatchie	352	35.5
Clay	256	44.4	Johnson	444	44.0	Sevier	1,748	29.2
Cocke	922	36.6	Knox	5,185	17.0	Shelby	19,427	22.5
Coffee	1,364	32.9	Lake	237	57.7	Smith	379	27.7
Crockett	420	38.1	Lauderdale	787	35.5	Stewart	183	19.9
Cumberland	1,048	32.2	Lawrence	896	26.3	Sullivan	3,140	32.3
Davidson	12,396	23.5	Lewis	338	34.6	Sumner	2,284	19.1
Decatur	318	44.2	Lincoln	709	28.0	Tipton	1,031	22.3
DeKalb	463	32.5	Loudon	892	28.9	Trousdale	190	33.2
Dickson	1,173	29.5	Macon	581	35.0	Unicoi	462	41.6
Dyer	995	32.6	Madison	2,347	29.1	Union	698	45.8
Fayette	761	29.4	Marion	625	31.5	Van Buren	163	44.8
Fentress	483	38.3	Marshall	607	26.7	Warren	1,165	34.6
Franklin	625	21.7	Maury	1,488	23.7	Washington	2,185	27.0
Gibson	1,278	34.5	McMinn	971	24.9	Wayne	325	32.0
Giles	530	26.7	McNairy	516	24.7	Weakley	677	31.5
Grainger	563	35.2	Meigs	290	35.7	White	606	33.4
Greene	1,634	36.5	Monroe	997	29.0	Williamson	879	6.9
Grundy	394	34.0	Montgomery	3,662	25.8	Wilson	1,326	15.7

# Reported Child Abuse Cases

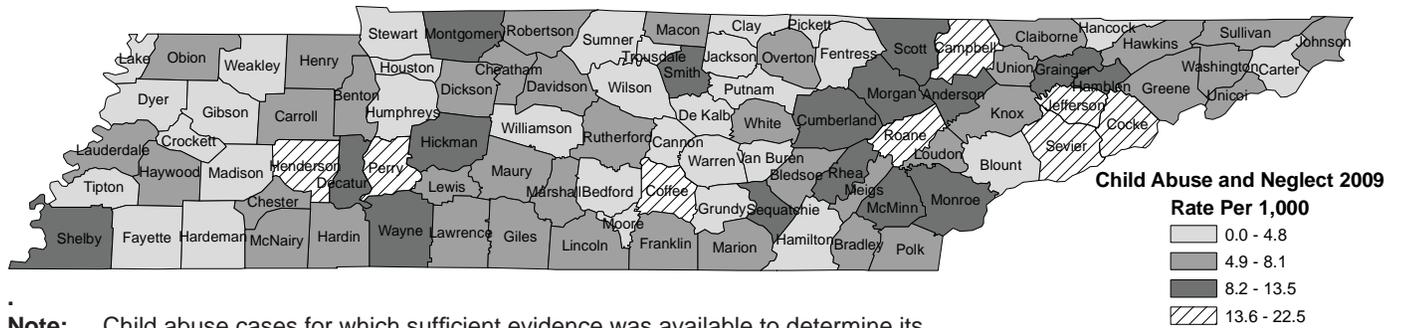


**Note:** All reports of child abuse to Child Protective Services, 2009. The rate is the as a percent of the 0- to 17-year-old population resident population.

**Source:** Data: Tennessee Department of Children's Services. Population: Department of Health.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
Tennessee	55,687	3.8	Hamblen	598	4.1	Moore	30	2.3
Anderson	745	4.6	Hamilton	2,808	4.1	Morgan	176	4.0
Bedford	444	3.7	Hancock	44	3.0	Obion	304	4.0
Benton	221	6.6	Hardeman	199	3.1	Overton	268	5.7
Bledsoe	92	3.2	Hardin	395	6.8	Perry	80	4.6
Blount	742	2.8	Hawkins	569	4.4	Pickett	40	4.0
Bradley	892	4.1	Haywood	170	3.3	Polk	154	4.2
Campbell	628	7.0	Henderson	268	4.2	Putnam	683	4.5
Cannon	104	3.3	Henry	275	4.0	Rhea	311	4.5
Carroll	332	5.1	Hickman	271	4.7	Roane	570	5.0
Carter	544	4.6	Houston	47	2.3	Robertson	693	4.2
Cheatham	484	4.7	Humphreys	177	4.1	Rutherford	1,691	2.8
Chester	137	3.6	Jackson	113	4.8	Scott	245	4.4
Claiborne	389	5.7	Jefferson	528	4.7	Sequatchie	153	4.8
Clay	74	4.4	Johnson	174	5.2	Sevier	749	4.1
Cocke	434	5.6	Knox	3,829	4.2	Shelby	6,031	2.4
Coffee	642	5.1	Lake	66	5.1	Smith	227	5.0
Crockett	118	3.3	Lauderdale	293	4.4	Stewart	79	2.6
Cumberland	649	6.1	Lawrence	450	4.4	Sullivan	1,871	5.9
Davidson	4,581	3.3	Lewis	142	4.8	Sumner	1,126	3.0
Decatur	73	3.1	Lincoln	300	3.9	Tipton	519	3.4
DeKalb	202	4.7	Loudon	471	4.9	Trousdale	61	3.3
Dickson	467	3.8	Macon	238	4.3	Unicoi	175	4.9
Dyer	540	5.7	Madison	811	3.4	Union	243	5.1
Fayette	182	2.1	Marion	259	4.2	Van Buren	39	3.2
Fentress	163	4.1	Marshall	295	4.1	Warren	423	4.3
Franklin	312	3.4	Maury	801	4.1	Washington	1,008	4.1
Gibson	450	3.9	McMinn	671	5.4	Wayne	139	4.2
Giles	248	3.8	McNairy	203	3.3	Weakley	335	4.7
Grainger	272	5.4	Meigs	142	4.9	White	285	5.0
Greene	606	4.2	Monroe	456	4.2	Williamson	490	1.1
Grundy	116	3.3	Montgomery	1,693	4.0	Wilson	739	2.8

# Substantiated Child Abuse

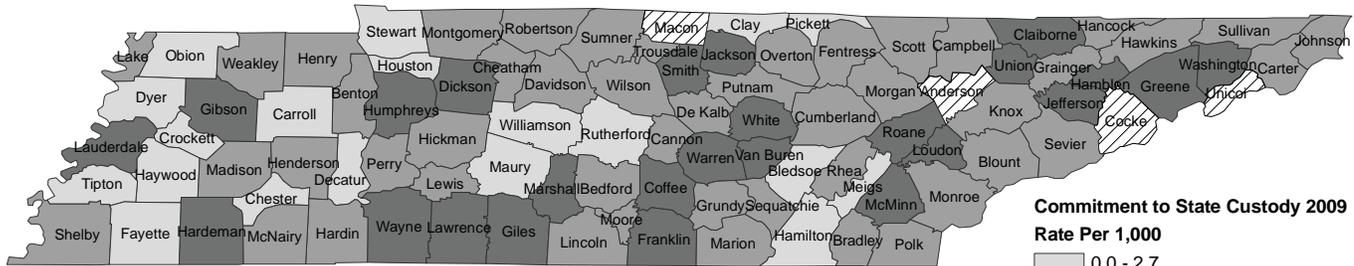


**Note:** Child abuse cases for which sufficient evidence was available to determine its presence, 2009. The rate is per 1,000 children younger than age 18.

**Source:** Data: Tennessee Department of Children's Services. Population: Tennessee Department of Health.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	10,235	7.0	Hamblen	144	10.0	Moore	6	4.6
Anderson	190	11.7	Hamilton	185	2.7	Morgan	41	9.5
Bedford	50	4.3	Hancock	3	2.0	Obion	54	7.1
Benton	25	7.4	Hardeman	22	3.4	Overton	23	5.0
Bledsoe	17	6.0	Hardin	45	7.8	Perry	26	14.7
Blount	109	4.2	Hawkins	69	5.4	Pickett	0	0.0
Bradley	121	5.6	Haywood	26	5.1	Polk	26	7.2
Campbell	191	21.4	Henderson	102	16.0	Putnam	63	4.2
Cannon	9	2.9	Henry	44	6.4	Rhea	74	10.6
Carroll	37	5.7	Hickman	72	12.7	Roane	184	16.2
Carter	56	4.8	Houston	9	4.5	Robertson	97	6.0
Cheatham	56	5.5	Humphreys	19	4.4	Rutherford	385	6.5
Chester	19	5.1	Jackson	9	3.9	Scott	76	13.6
Claiborne	49	7.1	Jefferson	246	22.3	Sequatchie	31	9.9
Clay	3	1.8	Johnson	21	6.3	Sevier	275	15.1
Cocke	176	22.5	Knox	550	6.0	Shelby	2,243	8.9
Coffee	181	14.4	Lake	6	4.7	Smith	40	8.8
Crockett	15	4.2	Lauderdale	37	5.6	Stewart	10	3.3
Cumberland	95	8.9	Lawrence	68	6.6	Sullivan	204	6.4
Davidson	670	4.9	Lewis	23	7.9	Sumner	152	4.0
Decatur	23	9.7	Lincoln	48	6.3	Tipton	51	3.3
Dekalb	15	3.5	Loudon	69	7.2	Trousdale	4	2.2
Dickson	76	6.3	Macon	34	6.2	Unicoi	22	6.2
Dyer	43	4.6	Madison	102	4.2	Union	29	6.2
Fayette	25	2.9	Marion	36	5.8	Van Buren	5	4.2
Fentress	13	3.2	Marshall	50	7.0	Warren	41	4.2
Franklin	74	8.2	Maury	133	6.8	Washington	123	5.1
Gibson	22	1.9	McMinn	115	9.4	Wayne	44	13.2
Giles	38	5.8	McNairy	41	6.7	Weakley	16	2.3
Grainger	46	9.2	Meigs	19	6.7	White	36	6.4
Greene	72	5.0	Monroe	93	8.7	Williamson	59	1.4
Grundy	17	4.8	Montgomery	415	9.9	Wilson	118	4.5

# Commitment to State Custody

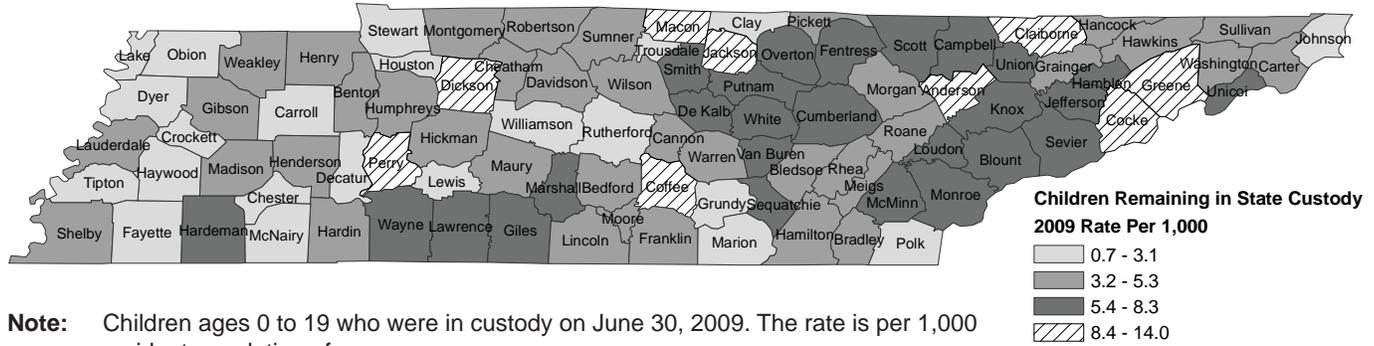


**Note:** Children younger than 20 years of age committed to state custody, fiscal year 2008-09 by county of commitment. The rate is per 1,000.

**Source:** Data: Tennessee Department of Children's Services. Population: Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	6,312	3.9	Hamblen	84	5.2	Moore	6	4.0
Anderson	186	10.3	Hamilton	213	2.7	Morgan	15	3.1
Bedford	43	3.2	Hancock	5	3.1	Obion	19	2.3
Benton	13	3.5	Hardeman	50	6.9	Overton	18	3.4
Bledsoe	6	1.9	Hardin	30	4.7	Perry	9	4.6
Blount	130	4.4	Hawkins	59	4.1	Pickett	0	0.0
Bradley	96	3.8	Haywood	14	2.5	Polk	12	3.0
Campbell	41	4.1	Henderson	34	4.8	Putnam	68	3.8
Cannon	14	3.9	Henry	33	4.3	Rhea	31	3.9
Carroll	13	1.8	Hickman	26	4.0	Roane	74	5.8
Carter	52	3.8	Houston	4	1.8	Robertson	67	3.7
Cheatham	37	3.3	Humphreys	27	5.7	Rutherford	75	1.1
Chester	6	1.3	Jackson	18	6.9	Scott	27	4.3
Claiborne	49	6.3	Jefferson	82	6.3	Sequatchie	17	4.8
Clay	3	1.6	Johnson	16	4.3	Sevier	93	4.5
Cocke	94	10.8	Knox	372	3.5	Shelby	1,037	3.7
Coffee	73	5.2	Lake	6	3.9	Smith	31	6.1
Crockett	7	1.8	Lauderdale	40	5.4	Stewart	8	2.3
Cumberland	57	4.7	Lawrence	70	6.1	Sullivan	159	4.5
Davidson	510	3.3	Lewis	16	4.9	Sumner	135	3.2
Decatur	2	0.8	Lincoln	36	4.2	Tipton	29	1.7
DeKalb	21	4.4	Loudon	54	5.1	Trousdale	7	3.4
Dickson	85	6.3	Macon	49	8.1	Unicoi	38	9.6
Dyer	17	1.6	Madison	94	3.4	Union	40	7.5
Fayette	19	1.9	Marion	21	3.0	Van Buren	7	5.2
Fentress	13	2.9	Marshall	50	6.3	Warren	60	5.6
Franklin	74	7.0	Maury	56	2.6	Washington	138	5.0
Gibson	82	6.4	McMinn	99	7.1	Wayne	20	5.3
Giles	44	5.9	McNairy	22	3.2	Weakley	35	3.9
Grainger	19	3.4	Meigs	7	2.2	White	37	5.9
Greene	101	6.3	Monroe	46	3.8	Williamson	67	1.4
Grundy	13	3.3	Montgomery	168	3.6	Wilson	112	3.8

# Remaining in State Custody

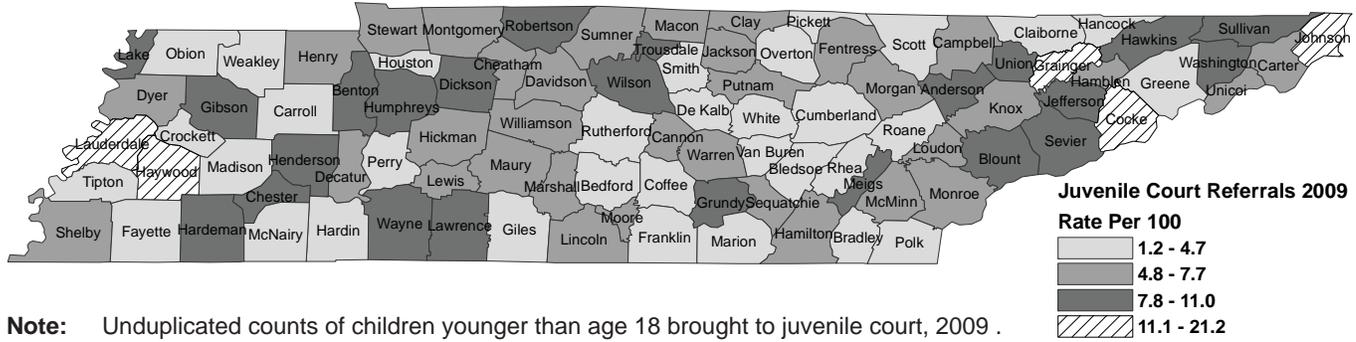


**Note:** Children ages 0 to 19 who were in custody on June 30, 2009. The rate is per 1,000 resident population of same ages.

**Source:** Data: Tennessee Department of Children's Services Population: Tennessee's Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	7,041	4.7	Hamblen	113	7.8	Moore	5	3.5
Anderson	227	14.0	Hamilton	320	4.6	Morgan	25	5.2
Bedford	43	3.6	Hancock	6	4.0	Obion	22	2.7
Benton	14	3.9	Hardeman	60	8.3	Overton	30	6.1
Bledsoe	12	3.9	Hardin	24	3.9	Perry	17	9.1
Blount	187	7.3	Hawkins	52	3.9	Pickett	4	3.7
Bradley	111	4.8	Haywood	14	2.6	Polk	12	3.0
Campbell	52	5.7	Henderson	28	4.3	Putnam	96	6.5
Cannon	13	3.7	Henry	33	4.8	Rhea	32	4.8
Carroll	12	1.8	Hickman	23	3.6	Roane	64	5.1
Carter	50	4.0	Houston	5	2.3	Robertson	68	4.3
Cheatham	41	3.7	Humphreys	23	5.1	Rutherford	116	2.0
Chester	9	2.1	Jackson	25	9.5	Scott	38	6.5
Claiborne	62	9.0	Jefferson	92	7.5	Sequatchie	21	6.6
Clay	3	1.8	Johnson	11	3.1	Sevier	114	6.5
Cocke	88	11.1	Knox	586	6.5	Shelby	981	3.8
Coffee	110	8.8	Lake	3	2.1	Smith	29	5.8
Crockett	3	0.7	Lauderdale	34	4.7	Stewart	7	2.1
Cumberland	65	6.2	Lawrence	83	7.8	Sullivan	178	5.3
Davidson	491	3.7	Lewis	10	3.1	Sumner	184	4.8
Decatur	4	1.6	Lincoln	29	3.7	Tipton	23	1.4
DeKalb	30	6.9	Loudon	52	5.9	Trousdale	5	2.7
Dickson	108	8.6	Macon	62	10.6	Unicoi	23	6.2
Dyer	11	1.1	Madison	94	3.8	Union	38	7.0
Fayette	12	1.6	Marion	14	2.2	Van Buren	8	5.6
Fentress	27	6.6	Marshall	56	7.5	Warren	50	5.0
Franklin	47	4.8	Maury	91	4.7	Washington	127	5.2
Gibson	63	5.1	McMinn	102	7.8	Wayne	27	7.3
Giles	57	8.0	McNairy	15	2.5	Weakley	44	5.3
Grainger	23	4.4	Meigs	14	4.3	White	37	6.5
Greene	148	9.9	Monroe	68	6.4	Williamson	62	1.4
Grundy	10	2.7	Montgomery	181	4.4	Wilson	98	3.6

# Juvenile Court Referrals

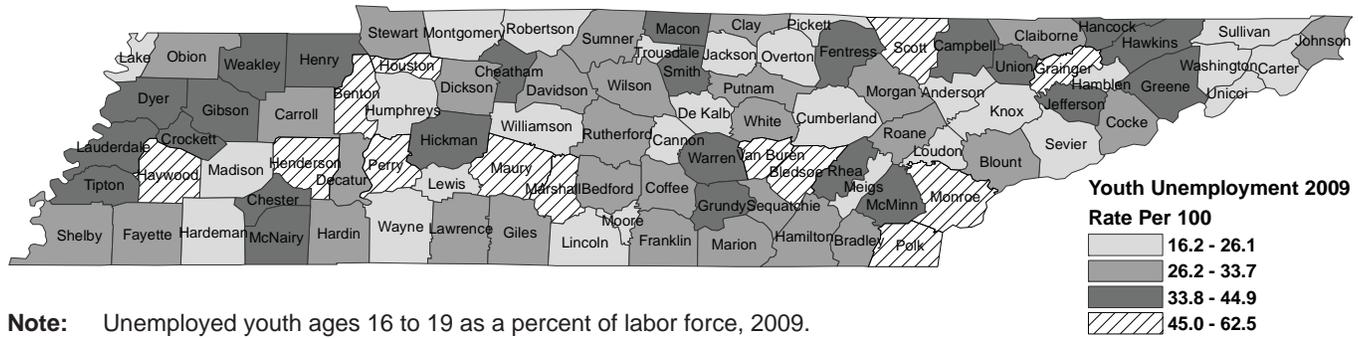


**Note:** Unduplicated counts of children younger than age 18 brought to juvenile court, 2009 .  
 The rate is the percent of same age population.

**Source:** The Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges (TCJFCJ).

County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent	County	Number	Percent
<b>Tennessee</b>	89,479	6.1	Hamblen	887	6.1	Moore	70	5.4
Anderson	1,275	7.9	Hamilton	4,932	7.1	Morgan	278	6.4
Bedford	321	2.7	Hancock	22	1.5	Obion	281	3.7
Benton	281	8.4	Hardeman	655	10.1	Overton	210	4.5
Bledsoe	119	4.2	Hardin	262	4.5	Perry	37	2.1
Blount	2,767	10.5	Hawkins	1,042	8.1	Pickett	33	3.3
Bradley	489	2.2	Haywood	1,090	21.2	Polk	132	3.6
Campbell	555	6.2	Henderson	531	8.3	Putnam	1,104	7.3
Cannon	172	5.4	Henry	456	6.6	Rhea	84	1.2
Carroll	190	2.9	Hickman	398	6.9	Roane	296	2.6
Carter	869	7.4	Houston	75	3.7	Robertson	1,367	8.4
Cheatham	731	7.2	Humphreys	390	9.1	Rutherford	1,706	2.8
Chester	329	8.7	Jackson	179	7.7	Scott	150	2.7
Claiborne	159	2.3	Jefferson	1,233	11.0	Sequatchie	158	5.0
Clay	128	7.6	Johnson	440	13.2	Sevier	1,644	9.0
Cocke	1,050	13.4	Knox	5,299	5.8	Shelby	13,206	5.2
Coffee	288	2.3	Lake	118	9.2	Smith	172	3.8
Crockett	106	3.0	Lauderdale	937	14.1	Stewart	228	7.5
Cumberland	299	2.8	Lawrence	827	8.0	Sullivan	3105	9.8
Davidson	8,034	5.9	Lewis	163	5.5	Sumner	2,375	6.2
Decatur	145	6.1	Lincoln	504	6.6	Tipton	684	4.4
DeKalb	157	3.7	Loudon	687	7.2	Trousdale	171	9.3
Dickson	1,200	9.9	Macon	365	6.6	Unicoi	254	7.2
Dyer	546	5.8	Madison	853	3.5	Union	421	8.8
Fayette	359	4.1	Marion	283	4.6	Van Buren	56	4.7
Fentress	197	4.9	Marshall	441	6.2	Warren	572	5.9
Franklin	279	3.1	Mauy	1,381	7.0	Washington	2233	9.2
Gibson	1,150	10.0	McMinn	613	5.0	Wayne	337	10.1
Giles	312	4.7	McNairy	217	3.5	Weakley	279	3.9
Grainger	824	16.3	Meigs	277	9.6	White	184	3.2
Greene	668	4.6	Monroe	779	7.2	Williamson	2,464	5.6
Grundy	304	8.5	Montgomery	2,361	5.6	Wilson	2,188	8.2

# Youth Unemployment

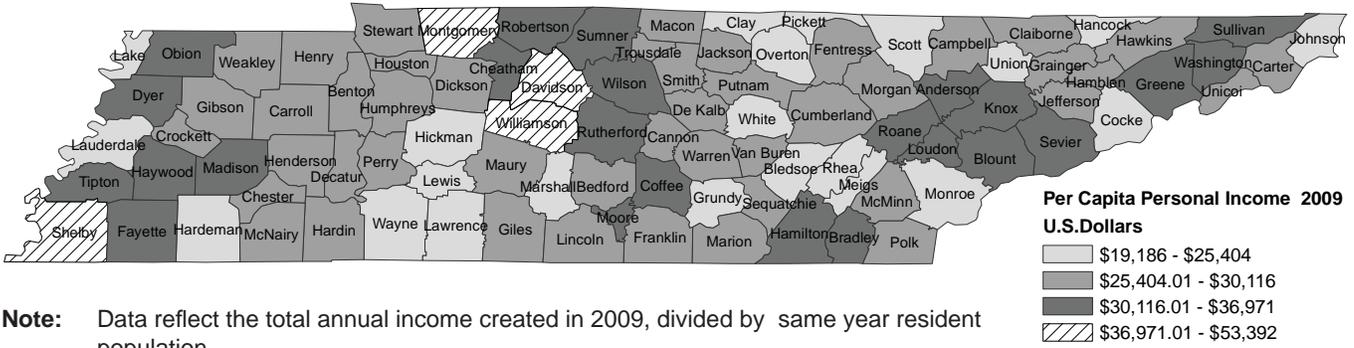


**Note:** Unemployed youth ages 16 to 19 as a percent of labor force, 2009.

**Source:** Tennessee's Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Employment Security Division, Research and Statistics.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	60,170	30.7%	Hamblen	500	24.0%	Moore	30	20.0%
Anderson	570	26.1%	Hamilton	2,770	28.3%	Morgan	190	33.3%
Bedford	510	29.5%	Hancock	70	41.2%	Obion	320	33.7%
Benton	180	47.4%	Hardeman	160	25.4%	Overton	180	24.7%
Bledsoe	180	50.0%	Hardin	260	33.3%	Perry	140	58.3%
Blount	1,110	27.8%	Hawkins	620	41.1%	Pickett	30	23.1%
Bradley	1,080	31.6%	Haywood	300	47.6%	Polk	190	48.7%
Campbell	450	38.1%	Henderson	390	47.0%	Putnam	790	29.0%
Cannon	60	16.2%	Henry	480	44.9%	Rhea	500	42.0%
Carroll	230	28.0%	Hickman	250	35.2%	Roane	460	28.6%
Carter	410	22.0%	Houston	130	52.0%	Robertson	590	23.6%
Cheatham	450	35.4%	Humphreys	140	25.5%	Rutherford	3,450	33.7%
Chester	280	37.3%	Jackson	60	20.0%	Scott	400	53.3%
Claiborne	240	31.6%	Jefferson	660	37.7%	Sequatchie	100	28.6%
Clay	70	28.0%	Johnson	110	27.5%	Sevier	560	19.6%
Cocke	240	30.8%	Knox	3,320	24.0%	Shelby	8,170	31.3%
Coffee	530	28.5%	Lake	30	25.0%	Smith	270	38.6%
Crockett	180	40.9%	Lauderdale	270	43.5%	Stewart	120	30.8%
Cumberland	370	25.7%	Lawrence	360	31.9%	Sullivan	1,040	25.6%
Davidson	5,780	30.0%	Lewis	80	23.5%	Sumner	1,790	29.3%
Decatur	140	32.6%	Lincoln	200	22.0%	Tipton	990	43.8%
DeKalb	120	19.4%	Loudon	330	25.0%	Trousdale	60	22.2%
Dickson	370	27.6%	Macon	400	41.2%	Unicoi	110	23.9%
Dyer	360	35.3%	Madison	850	24.4%	Union	350	42.7%
Fayette	370	32.2%	Marion	240	32.0%	Van Buren	100	62.5%
Fentress	260	41.9%	Marshall	530	50.0%	Warren	450	40.2%
Franklin	430	32.3%	Maury	1,570	48.9%	Washington	770	20.0%
Gibson	560	37.6%	McMinn	660	38.2%	Wayne	90	25.7%
Giles	240	27.6%	McNairy	290	38.2%	Weakley	520	35.9%
Grainger	320	49.2%	Meigs	50	20.0%	White	210	32.3%
Greene	710	36.6%	Monroe	720	50.0%	Williamson	1,240	23.3%
Grundy	150	38.5%	Montgomery	1,110	24.2%	Wilson	1,100	28.6%

# Per Capita Personal Income

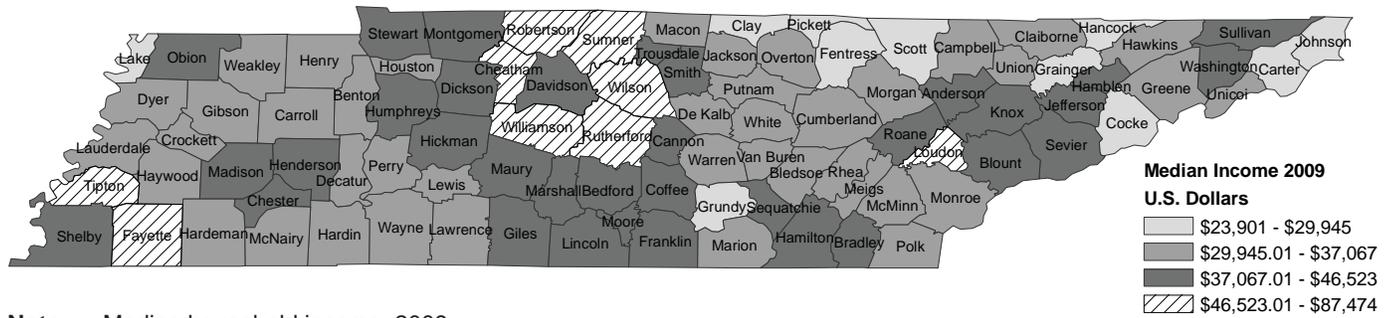


**Note:** Data reflect the total annual income created in 2009, divided by same year resident population.

**Source:** Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Economic Information Systems (REIS)

County	Amount	County	Amount	County	Amount
Tennessee	\$34,277	Hamblen	\$28,579	Moore	\$31,514
Anderson	\$33,851	Hamilton	\$36,971	Morgan	\$25,929
Bedford	\$28,256	Hancock	\$19,186	Obion	\$32,968
Benton	\$26,247	Hardeman	\$25,061	Overton	\$24,811
Bledsoe	\$22,806	Hardin	\$29,225	Perry	\$26,031
Blount	\$30,362	Hawkins	\$26,572	Pickett	\$25,137
Bradley	\$30,335	Haywood	\$30,679	Polk	\$27,468
Campbell	\$26,174	Henderson	\$25,623	Putnam	\$29,739
Cannon	\$28,708	Henry	\$28,990	Rhea	\$25,228
Carroll	\$28,216	Hickman	\$23,584	Roane	\$33,015
Carter	\$25,640	Houston	\$26,689	Robertson	\$30,570
Cheatham	\$31,498	Humphreys	\$28,784	Rutherford	\$30,386
Chester	\$26,442	Jackson	\$26,735	Scott	\$22,341
Claiborne	\$27,092	Jefferson	\$26,965	Sequatchie	\$28,547
Clay	\$23,272	Johnson	\$22,459	Sevier	\$31,949
Cocke	\$23,602	Knox	\$35,278	Shelby	\$40,547
Coffee	\$31,918	Lake	\$20,150	Smith	\$27,065
Crockett	\$29,132	Lauderdale	\$22,824	Stewart	\$28,296
Cumberland	\$28,794	Lawrence	\$24,898	Sullivan	\$34,081
Davidson	\$43,457	Lewis	\$23,712	Sumner	\$33,557
Decatur	\$29,582	Lincoln	\$29,726	Tipton	\$32,451
DeKalb	\$27,467	Loudon	\$34,888	Trousdale	\$25,752
Dickson	\$29,377	Macon	\$25,608	Unicoi	\$30,116
Dyer	\$31,070	Madison	\$33,023	Union	\$23,447
Fayette	\$35,223	Marion	\$29,715	Van Buren	\$26,951
Fentress	\$26,110	Marshall	\$25,299	Warren	\$25,740
Franklin	\$27,722	Maury	\$28,415	Washington	\$33,391
Gibson	\$28,590	McMinn	\$26,787	Wayne	\$21,281
Giles	\$28,458	McNairy	\$26,037	Weakley	\$28,998
Grainger	\$26,091	Meigs	\$25,404	White	\$23,149
Greene	\$31,476	Monroe	\$23,567	Williamson	\$53,392
Grundy	\$23,644	Montgomery	\$39,104	Wilson	\$35,612

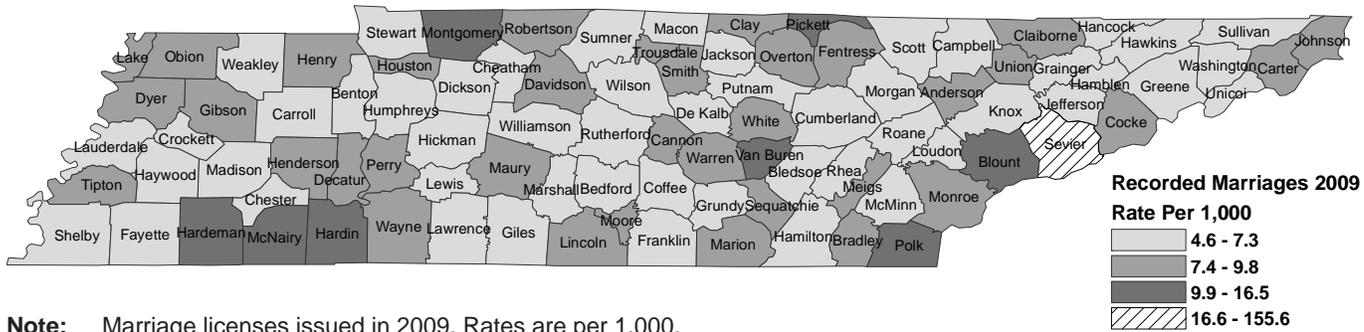
# Median Income



**Note:** Median household income, 2009.  
**Source:** US Department of Agriculture.

County	Amount	County	Amount	County	Amount
Tennessee	\$41,715	Hamblen	\$37,622	Moore	\$46,494
Anderson	\$43,645	Hamilton	\$43,214	Morgan	\$34,348
Bedford	\$39,042	Hancock	\$23,901	Obion	\$38,157
Benton	\$31,917	Hardeman	\$33,734	Overton	\$32,574
Bledsoe	\$32,457	Hardin	\$32,222	Perry	\$32,054
Blount	\$45,447	Hawkins	\$36,509	Pickett	\$29,945
Bradley	\$39,569	Haywood	\$32,115	Polk	\$34,441
Campbell	\$31,128	Henderson	\$37,746	Putnam	\$33,092
Cannon	\$38,092	Henry	\$32,760	Rhea	\$33,946
Carroll	\$34,747	Hickman	\$38,516	Roane	\$39,007
Carter	\$29,854	Houston	\$32,828	Robertson	\$50,539
Cheatham	\$51,442	Humphreys	\$42,310	Rutherford	\$53,983
Chester	\$39,777	Jackson	\$31,809	Scott	\$28,914
Claiborne	\$31,072	Jefferson	\$37,411	Sequatchie	\$37,810
Clay	\$27,548	Johnson	\$27,312	Sevier	\$41,466
Cocke	\$28,906	Knox	\$45,380	Shelby	\$41,880
Coffee	\$39,882	Lake	\$25,973	Smith	\$40,163
Crockett	\$32,843	Lauderdale	\$33,960	Stewart	\$38,410
Cumberland	\$36,347	Lawrence	\$34,254	Sullivan	\$37,672
Davidson	\$46,249	Lewis	\$33,245	Sumner	\$54,012
Decatur	\$32,776	Lincoln	\$40,108	Tipton	\$50,557
DeKalb	\$34,735	Loudon	\$51,126	Trousdale	\$38,985
Dickson	\$43,261	Macon	\$34,710	Unicoi	\$35,579
Dyer	\$36,356	Madison	\$39,195	Union	\$32,810
Fayette	\$53,624	Marion	\$37,067	Van Buren	\$31,881
Fentress	\$28,038	Marshall	\$41,681	Warren	\$33,836
Franklin	\$40,432	Maury	\$43,564	Washington	\$39,876
Gibson	\$33,481	McMinn	\$36,969	Wayne	\$32,562
Giles	\$38,046	McNairy	\$35,114	Weakley	\$34,767
Grainger	\$29,122	Meigs	\$35,809	White	\$33,150
Greene	\$34,225	Monroe	\$36,314	Williamson	\$87,474
Grundy	\$27,373	Montgomery	\$46,523	Wilson	\$60,616

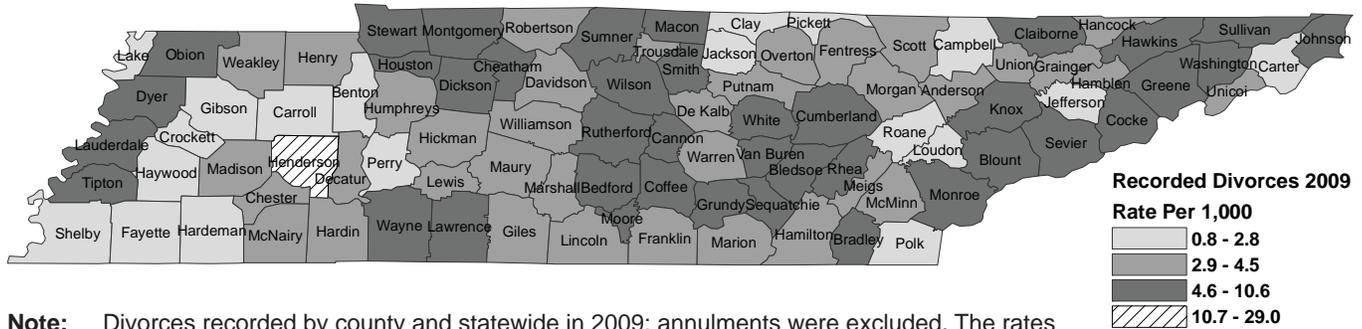
# Recorded Marriages



**Note:** Marriage licenses issued in 2009. Rates are per 1,000.  
**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	56,441	9.1	Hamblen	382	6.1	Moore	48	7.7
Anderson	625	8.5	Hamilton	2,179	6.9	Morgan	133	6.5
Bedford	298	6.5	Hancock	44	6.5	Obion	251	7.7
Benton	120	7.2	Hardeman	305	10.5	Overton	161	7.6
Bledsoe	88	6.6	Hardin	398	15.0	Perry	76	9.8
Blount	1,289	10.5	Hawkins	300	5.1	Pickett	59	11.9
Bradley	769	8.0	Haywood	134	6.8	Polk	183	11.4
Campbell	299	7.2	Henderson	252	9.2	Putnam	480	6.8
Cannon	105	7.6	Henry	266	8.3	Rhea	227	7.3
Carroll	197	6.7	Hickman	164	6.6	Roane	382	7.1
Carter	459	7.7	Houston	61	7.5	Robertson	518	7.9
Cheatham	265	6.5	Humphreys	125	6.7	Rutherford	1,573	6.5
Chester	104	6.3	Jackson	80	7.2	Scott	154	6.8
Claiborne	254	7.9	Jefferson	291	5.7	Sequatchie	122	9.0
Clay	71	8.7	Johnson	145	7.9	Sevier	13,266	155.6
Cocke	298	8.3	Knox	2,348	5.6	Shelby	5,137	5.5
Coffee	347	6.5	Lake	55	7.4	Smith	176	9.0
Crockett	108	7.3	Lauderdale	195	7.1	Stewart	80	5.9
Cumberland	391	7.2	Lawrence	279	6.7	Sullivan	983	6.4
Davidson	4,461	7.5	Lewis	79	6.6	Sumner	904	5.8
Decatur	94	8.2	Lincoln	278	8.3	Tipton	489	8.1
Dekalb	135	7.1	Loudon	288	6.3	Trousdale	78	9.7
Dickson	221	4.6	Macon	163	7.3	Unicoi	124	7.0
Dyer	319	8.3	Madison	701	7.1	Union	168	8.4
Fayette	198	5.3	Marion	255	9.0	Van Buren	60	10.9
Fentress	132	7.4	Marshall	193	6.4	Warren	324	7.9
Franklin	292	6.9	Mauy	621	7.6	Washington	735	6.3
Gibson	368	7.5	McMinn	376	7.0	Wayne	148	8.6
Giles	208	7.0	McNairy	430	16.5	Weakley	208	6.2
Grainger	147	6.4	Meigs	97	8.0	White	210	8.4
Greene	456	6.8	Monroe	372	8.1	Williamson	891	5.2
Grundy	103	7.0	Montgomery	1,958	12.8	Wilson	718	6.6

# Recorded Divorces

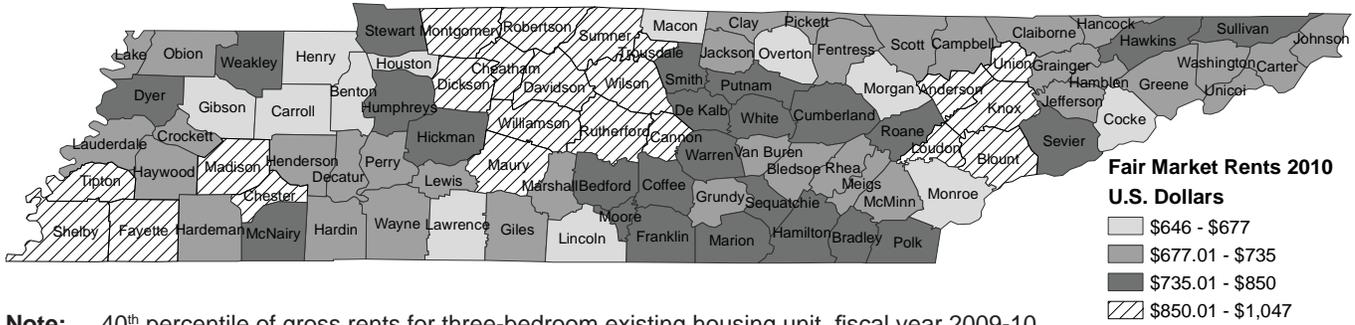


**Note:** Divorces recorded by county and statewide in 2009; annulments were excluded. The rates are per 1,000.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health.

County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate	County	Number	Rate
<b>Tennessee</b>	25,879	4.2	Hamblen	235	3.8	Moore	39	6.3
Anderson	252	3.4	Hamilton	1,369	4.3	Morgan	64	3.1
Bedford	214	4.7	Hancock	27	4.0	Obion	154	4.7
Benton	45	2.7	Hardeman	65	2.2	Overton	75	3.6
Bledsoe	66	5.0	Hardin	104	3.9	Perry	21	2.7
Blount	619	5.1	Hawkins	294	5.0	Pickett	10	2.0
Bradley	462	4.8	Haywood	44	2.2	Polk	38	2.4
Campbell	32	0.8	Henderson	792	29.0	Putnam	259	3.7
Cannon	64	4.6	Henry	125	3.9	Rhea	173	5.6
Carroll	77	2.6	Hickman	95	3.8	Roane	70	1.3
Carter	166	2.8	Houston	51	6.2	Robertson	284	4.3
Cheatham	186	4.6	Humphreys	72	3.8	Rutherford	1,282	5.3
Chester	51	3.1	Jackson	23	2.1	Scott	77	3.4
Claiborne	161	5.0	Jefferson	86	1.7	Sequatchie	69	5.1
Clay	22	2.7	Johnson	95	5.2	Sevier	462	5.4
Cocke	167	4.6	Knox	2,067	4.9	Shelby	2,417	2.6
Coffee	291	5.5	Lake	11	1.5	Smith	96	4.9
Crockett	37	2.5	Lauderdale	126	4.6	Stewart	72	5.3
Cumberland	295	5.4	Lawrence	210	5.0	Sullivan	741	4.8
Davidson	1,881	3.2	Lewis	51	4.3	Sumner	788	5.1
Decatur	35	3.0	Lincoln	148	4.4	Tipton	641	10.6
Dekalb	76	4.0	Loudon	45	1.0	Trousdale	32	4.0
Dickson	243	5.0	Macon	119	5.3	Unicoi	66	3.7
Dyer	229	6.0	Madison	320	3.3	Union	74	3.7
Fayette	34	0.9	Marion	122	4.3	Van Buren	26	4.7
Fentress	63	3.5	Marshall	119	4.0	Warren	172	4.2
Franklin	178	4.2	Maury	363	4.5	Washington	568	4.9
Gibson	139	2.8	McMinn	219	4.1	Wayne	80	4.7
Giles	126	4.2	McNairy	78	3.0	Weakley	128	3.8
Grainger	83	3.6	Meigs	46	3.8	White	120	4.8
Greene	335	5.0	Monroe	211	4.6	Williamson	580	3.4
Grundy	73	5.0	Montgomery	1,157	7.6	Wilson	610	5.6

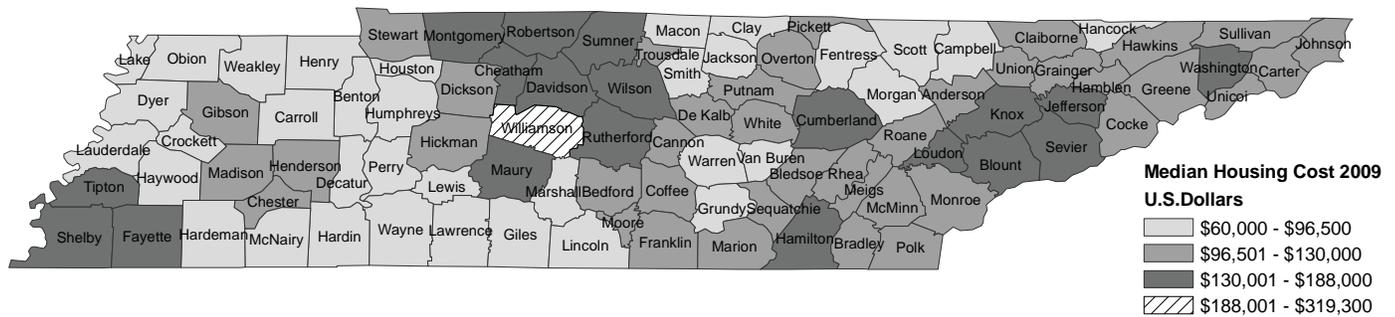
# Fair Market Rent



**Note:** 40<sup>th</sup> percentile of gross rents for three-bedroom existing housing unit, fiscal year 2009-10.  
**Source:** U.S. Housing and Urban Development.

County	Amount	County	Amount	County	Amount
Tennessee	\$793	Hamblen	\$729	Moore	\$750
Anderson	\$981	Hamilton	\$824	Morgan	\$674
Bedford	\$850	Hancock	\$690	Obion	\$711
Benton	\$666	Hardeman	\$730	Overton	\$659
Bledsoe	\$708	Hardin	\$715	Perry	\$692
Blount	\$981	Hawkins	\$765	Pickett	\$700
Bradley	\$778	Haywood	\$735	Polk	\$778
Campbell	\$694	Henderson	\$697	Putnam	\$809
Cannon	\$1,047	Henry	\$651	Rhea	\$716
Carroll	\$665	Hickman	\$822	Roane	\$759
Carter	\$730	Houston	\$666	Robertson	\$1,047
Cheatham	\$1,047	Humphreys	\$768	Rutherford	\$1,047
Chester	\$937	Jackson	\$700	Scott	\$714
Claiborne	\$721	Jefferson	\$729	Sequatchie	\$824
Clay	\$700	Johnson	\$723	Sevier	\$795
Cocke	\$646	Knox	\$981	Shelby	\$1,043
Coffee	\$789	Lake	\$700	Smith	\$752
Crockett	\$703	Lauderdale	\$695	Stewart	\$756
Cumberland	\$764	Lawrence	\$667	Sullivan	\$765
Davidson	\$1,047	Lewis	\$692	Sumner	\$1,047
Decatur	\$693	Lincoln	\$659	Tipton	\$1,043
DeKalb	\$778	Loudon	\$981	Trousdale	\$1,047
Dickson	\$1,047	Macon	\$647	Unicoi	\$730
Dyer	\$749	Madison	\$937	Union	\$981
Fayette	\$1,043	Marion	\$824	Van Buren	\$700
Fentress	\$700	Marshall	\$730	Warren	\$762
Franklin	\$832	Maury	\$911	Washington	\$730
Gibson	\$677	McMinn	\$687	Wayne	\$692
Giles	\$710	McNairy	\$778	Weakley	\$789
Grainger	\$729	Meigs	\$708	White	\$762
Greene	\$730	Monroe	\$649	Williamson	\$1,047
Grundy	\$708	Montgomery	\$960	Wilson	\$1,047

# Median Housing Cost



**Note:** Annual median housing sales prices for existing and new housing, 2009.  
**Source:** The Tennessee Housing Development Agency (THDA).

County	Amount	County	Amount	County	Amount
Tennessee	\$147,500	Hamblen	\$130,000	Moore	\$115,950
Anderson	\$127,500	Hamilton	\$149,500	Morgan	\$87,400
Bedford	\$103,500	Hancock	\$64,700	Obion	\$72,200
Benton	\$73,500	Hardeman	\$74,500	Overton	\$106,000
Bledsoe	\$104,500	Hardin	\$94,500	Perry	\$72,000
Blount	\$159,951	Hawkins	\$125,000	Pickett	\$130,000
Bradley	\$130,000	Haywood	\$90,500	Polk	\$122,000
Campbell	\$95,200	Henderson	\$100,000	Putnam	\$126,500
Cannon	\$112,800	Henry	\$84,000	Rhea	\$125,750
Carroll	\$76,200	Hickman	\$101,000	Roane	\$123,000
Carter	\$110,000	Houston	\$80,000	Robertson	\$147,000
Cheatham	\$153,400	Humphreys	\$79,950	Rutherford	\$148,000
Chester	\$108,000	Jackson	\$79,000	Scott	\$85,500
Claiborne	\$105,000	Jefferson	\$140,000	Sequatchie	\$122,000
Clay	\$66,000	Johnson	\$118,500	Sevier	\$160,000
Cocke	\$100,000	Knox	\$160,725	Shelby	\$159,900
Coffee	\$110,400	Lake	\$60,000	Smith	\$91,000
Crockett	\$77,000	Lauderdale	\$73,000	Stewart	\$112,200
Cumberland	\$138,000	Lawrence	\$79,000	Sullivan	\$124,000
Davidson	\$168,500	Lewis	\$66,000	Sumner	\$180,000
Decatur	\$80,000	Lincoln	\$96,500	Tipton	\$139,995
DeKalb	\$101,750	Loudon	\$186,500	Trousdale	\$102,750
Dickson	\$120,000	Macon	\$80,000	Unicoi	\$113,000
Dyer	\$90,000	Madison	\$117,950	Union	\$120,000
Fayette	\$176,000	Marion	\$115,000	Van Buren	\$89,000
Fentress	\$94,500	Marshall	\$95,000	Warren	\$87,500
Franklin	\$124,250	Maury	\$149,900	Washington	\$145,000
Gibson	\$104,400	McMinn	\$115,000	Wayne	\$64,250
Giles	\$88,000	McNairy	\$72,750	Weakley	\$78,000
Grainger	\$120,000	Meigs	\$125,500	White	\$99,500
Greene	\$115,000	Monroe	\$117,000	Williamson	\$319,300
Grundy	\$70,000	Montgomery	\$142,000	Wilson	\$188,000

# Total Population

**Note:** All residents, by county and statewide, regardless of age, 2009.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	County	Number	County	Number
<b>Tennessee</b>	6,202,803	Hamblen	62,331	Moore	6,212
Anderson	73,963	Hamilton	315,785	Morgan	20,523
Bedford	45,728	Hancock	6,780	Obion	32,489
Benton	16,573	Hardeman	29,134	Overton	21,070
Bledsoe	13,315	Hardin	26,552	Perry	7,738
Blount	122,228	Hawkins	58,271	Pickett	4,963
Bradley	96,340	Haywood	19,578	Polk	16,092
Campbell	41,376	Henderson	27,343	Putnam	70,390
Cannon	13,867	Henry	32,228	Rhea	31,072
Carroll	29,483	Hickman	24,964	Roane	53,999
Carter	59,545	Houston	8,176	Robertson	65,366
Cheatham	40,628	Humphreys	18,741	Rutherford	243,026
Chester	16,484	Jackson	11,177	Scott	22,606
Claiborne	31,962	Jefferson	51,480	Sequatchie	13,531
Clay	8,138	Johnson	18,423	Sevier	85,254
Cocke	36,032	Knox	420,733	Shelby	930,689
Coffee	53,156	Lake	7,412	Smith	19,449
Crockett	14,786	Lauderdale	27,576	Stewart	13,610
Cumberland	54,164	Lawrence	41,831	Sullivan	153,802
Davidson	591,074	Lewis	11,920	Sumner	155,990
Decatur	11,483	Lincoln	33,448	Tipton	60,227
DeKalb	18,886	Loudon	45,973	Trousdale	8,054
Dickson	48,160	Macon	22,472	Unicoi	17,796
Dyer	38,472	Madison	98,386	Union	20,004
Fayette	37,632	Marion	28,208	Van Buren	5,489
Fentress	17,823	Marshall	29,933	Warren	41,139
Franklin	42,218	Maury	81,234	Washington	116,936
Gibson	48,790	McMinn	53,410	Wayne	17,139
Giles	29,674	McNairy	26,040	Weakley	33,672
Grainger	23,134	Meigs	12,074	White	24,992
Greene	67,043	Monroe	45,875	Williamson	172,662
Grundy	14,709	Montgomery	153,165	Wilson	109,303

# Population Younger Than Age 18

**Note:** 0- to 17-year-old population for counties, 2009.

**Source:** Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.

County	Number	County	Number	County	Number
Tennessee	1,462,691	Hamblen	14,535	Moore	1,304
Anderson	16,189	Hamilton	69,264	Morgan	4,361
Bedford	11,941	Hancock	1,462	Obion	7,636
Benton	3,364	Hardeman	6,481	Overton	4,670
Bledsoe	2,834	Hardin	5,776	Perry	1,758
Blount	26,266	Hawkins	12,942	Pickett	1,000
Bradley	21,878	Haywood	5,131	Polk	3,657
Campbell	8,917	Henderson	6,405	Putnam	15,224
Cannon	3,171	Henry	6,916	Rhea	6,943
Carroll	6,452	Hickman	5,755	Roane	11,440
Carter	11,818	Houston	2,020	Robertson	16,310
Cheatham	10,199	Humphreys	4,295	Rutherford	60,412
Chester	3,766	Jackson	2,335	Scott	5,613
Claiborne	6,878	Jefferson	11,244	Sequatchie	3,168
Clay	1,691	Johnson	3,327	Sevier	18,297
Cocke	7,818	Knox	91,473	Shelby	252,582
Coffee	12,608	Lake	1,289	Smith	4,581
Crockett	3,588	Lauderdale	6,625	Stewart	3,042
Cumberland	10,706	Lawrence	10,299	Sullivan	31,832
Davidson	136,853	Lewis	2,948	Sumner	38,130
Decatur	2,382	Lincoln	7,686	Tipton	15,393
DeKalb	4,299	Loudon	9,551	Trousdale	1,832
Dickson	12,168	Macon	5,496	Unicoi	3,552
Dyer	9,450	Madison	24,166	Union	4,786
Fayette	8,720	Marion	6,185	Van Buren	1,201
Fentress	4,020	Marshall	7,161	Warren	9,748
Franklin	9,110	Mauy	19,691	Washington	24,335
Gibson	11,478	McMinn	12,383	Wayne	3,338
Giles	6,594	McNairy	6,142	Weakley	7,128
Grainger	5,068	Meigs	2,894	White	5,664
Greene	14,370	Monroe	10,763	Williamson	44,301
Grundy	3,563	Montgomery	41,973	Wilson	26,681

# Total Hispanic Population

**Note:** 2010 population estimates of all Hispanic residents by county and statewide. The estimates ignore race.

**Source:** U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency.

County	Number	County	Number	County	Number
<b>Tennessee</b>	290,059	Hamblen	6,711	Moore	70
Anderson	1,768	Hamilton	14,993	Morgan	188
Bedford	5,083	Hancock	13	Obion	999
Benton	291	Hardeman	376	Overton	202
Bledsoe	255	Hardin	497	Perry	131
Blount	3,441	Hawkins	669	Pickett	67
Bradley	4,664	Haywood	723	Polk	233
Campbell	472	Henderson	532	Putnam	3,858
Cannon	210	Henry	553	Rhea	1,187
Carroll	595	Hickman	455	Roane	710
Carter	890	Houston	129	Robertson	3,903
Cheatham	910	Humphreys	278	Rutherford	17,500
Chester	343	Jackson	164	Scott	120
Claiborne	265	Jefferson	1,619	Sequatchie	462
Clay	126	Johnson	269	Sevier	4,787
Cocke	628	Knox	15,012	Shelby	52,092
Coffee	2,007	Lake	136	Smith	417
Crockett	1,274	Lauderdale	564	Stewart	250
Cumberland	1,307	Lawrence	689	Sullivan	2,321
Davidson	61,117	Lewis	221	Sumner	6,308
Decatur	308	Lincoln	885	Tipton	1,269
DeKalb	1,239	Loudon	3,395	Trousdale	198
Dickson	1,573	Macon	919	Unicoi	694
Dyer	1,002	Madison	3,306	Union	249
Fayette	858	Marion	361	Van Buren	50
Fentress	189	Marshall	1,386	Warren	3,224
Franklin	1,029	Maury	3,909	Washington	3,633
Gibson	1,012	McMinn	1,482	Wayne	277
Giles	471	McNairy	396	Weakley	700
Grainger	530	Meigs	176	White	425
Greene	1,690	Monroe	1,448	Williamson	8,166
Grundy	113	Montgomery	13,752	Wilson	3,691

# Diversity of Population Younger Than Age 18

**Note:** Youth population, 2009. Racial and ethnic categories to reflect Census Bureau categories. Hispanic category may include any race.

**Source:** U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency.

County	White	Black	Asian	American Indian	Hispanic
<b>Tennessee</b>	1,136,459	322,940	27,530	6,323	107,483
Anderson	15,599	1,078	315	62	648
Bedford	10,984	1,015	148	45	2,629
Benton	3,111	134	12	12	94
Bledsoe	2,579	127	2	5	84
Blount	25,326	1,275	395	91	1,120
Bradley	20,780	1,458	217	87	1,462
Campbell	8,762	109	29	22	113
Cannon	3,074	90	4	8	100
Carroll	5,618	845	21	17	216
Carter	11,001	276	45	35	301
Cheatham	9,477	377	42	38	369
Chester	3,234	515	5	8	120
Claiborne	6,534	106	44	22	79
Clay	1,524	166	2	4	141
Cocke	7,541	303	18	40	245
Coffee	11,830	668	138	44	815
Crockett	3,058	469	8	21	703
Cumberland	9,996	122	59	44	397
Davidson	85,191	48,887	5,849	1,229	22,095
Decatur	4,193	138	72	15	452
DeKalb	2,263	139	1	3	93
Dickson	11,306	785	79	51	601
Dyer	7,401	1,891	62	32	381
Fayette	6,330	2,523	138	12	324
Fentress	3,995	34	3	3	94
Franklin	8,094	630	44	27	360
Gibson	9,091	2,821	40	30	394
Giles	5,703	831	24	15	131
Grainger	4,991	85	5	9	209
Greene	13,493	534	62	23	634
Grundy	3,329	39	4	8	63

# Diversity of Population Younger Than Age 18

**Note:** Youth population, 2009. Racial and ethnic categories to reflect Census Bureau categories. Hispanic category may include any race.

**Source:** U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency.

County	White	Black	Asian	American Indian	Hispanic
Hamblen	13,782	845	217	84	2,974
Hamilton	52,851	19,134	1,645	322	5,017
Hancock	1,377	13	1	2	6
Hardeman	3,194	2,765	29	2	127
Hardin	5,348	298	15	32	139
Hawkins	12,189	292	72	30	279
Haywood	2,229	2,690	3	7	361
Henderson	5,832	654	22	17	178
Henry	5,946	766	37	11	162
Hickman	5,267	196	14	27	87
Houston	1,884	110	6	6	117
Humphreys	3,982	216	11	10	122
Jackson	2,062	55	3	3	74
Jefferson	10,818	402	48	34	574
Johnson	3,163	58	1	13	65
Knox	80,675	11,711	2,006	447	4,692
Lake	855	317	6	2	35
Lauderdale	3,869	2,437	57	42	208
Lawrence	10,015	280	24	26	257
Lewis	2,665	107	28	8	72
Lincoln	6,935	722	28	35	292
Loudon	9,315	267	62	44	1,031
Macon	5,295	95	26	18	406
Madison	13,674	10,122	291	42	1,283
Marion	5,956	330	32	14	147
Marshall	6,590	643	43	22	545
Maury	17,048	3,050	159	90	1,497
McMinn	11,241	757	102	43	628
McNairy	5,512	507	15	10	150
Meigs	2,728	94	3	6	83
Monroe	9,962	344	64	35	629
Montgomery	32,471	9,859	1,031	309	4,385

# Diversity of Population Younger Than Age 18

**Note:** Youth population, 2009. Racial and ethnic categories to reflect Census Bureau categories. Hispanic category may include any race.

**Source:** U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency.

County	White	Black	Asian	American Indian	Hispanic
Moore	1,225	63	0	2	25
Morgan	4,351	83	3	12	97
Obion	6,173	962	15	9	459
Overton	4,631	93	5	10	82
Perry	1,664	72	3	5	39
Pickett	904	5	1	1	26
Polk	3,469	69	5	20	72
Putnam	15,366	489	205	50	1,899
Rhea	7,164	357	27	34	537
Roane	10,475	502	46	34	222
Robertson	15,540	1,806	159	48	2,098
Rutherford	53,696	10,565	2,279	279	6,104
Scott	5,370	46	8	11	83
Sequatchie	3,268	58	31	7	127
Sevier	18,401	435	180	89	1,170
Shelby	91,266	150,760	7,177	1,251	20,399
Smith	4,360	245	5	11	191
Stewart	2,837	149	18	13	76
Sullivan	30,699	1,182	250	96	743
Sumner	35,909	3,747	511	128	2,277
Tipton	12,007	3,723	121	35	469
Trousdale	1,642	200	1	3	81
Unicoi	3,447	60	2	17	245
Union	4,368	55	11	6	63
Van Buren	1,132	5	0	0	11
Warren	9,131	433	94	29	1,282
Washington	23,126	1,369	301	55	1,252
Wayne	2,996	92	11	7	55
Weakley	6,003	616	145	17	202
White	5,597	204	23	11	192
Williamson	44,975	3,308	1,594	76	3,320
Wilson	25,129	2,581	311	102	1,496





# Data Definitions, **Sources**



# Data Definitions and Sources

This year's book contains 43 indicators. Data for most indicators are presented both as numbers and as rates. Most of the maps reflect only the **rate** for the relevant indicator, because county comparisons are more meaningful using rates rather than numbers. Caution is still advised though, since the small populations of some counties may elevate rates.

Each indicator shows the current year or most recent data. Data are reported for a variety of time periods. In some instances, data reflect calendar year (CY). Other data may be indicative of fiscal year (FY). All education data are reported by school year (SY).

- ★ **Adequate Prenatal Care.** This indicator includes pregnancies where adequacy of prenatal care is determined by Kessner Index. The number is live births for 2009, and rate is the percent of these babies who received adequate prenatal care. Numbers of live births and rates for adequacy were provided by the Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics.
- ★ **Low Birthweight Babies** includes infants who weighed less than 2,500 grams or 5.5 pounds (5 lbs., 8 oz.) at birth in calendar year 2009. The rate is the percent of live births in the same year. The Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics, has the data available at its website (<http://health.state.tn.us/statistics/vital.htm>).
- ★ **Infant Mortality.** This indicator shows the number of babies who died before reaching their first birthday in the calendar year 2009. The rate constitutes the ratio of the number of infant deaths per 1,000 live births for the same year. The Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics, supplied data at its website (<http://health.state.tn.us/statistics/vital.htm>).
- ★ **Teen Pregnancy.** The population of interest is the number of pregnant 15-17 year-old females during calendar year 2009. The rate is per 1,000. Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics, supplied the data at its website (<http://health.state.tn.us/statistics/vital.htm>).
- ★ **Births to Teens.** This indicator includes 15 to 17 year-olds who gave birth in calendar year 2009, regardless of birth outcome. The rates are per 1,000 females in the specified age group. The Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics, presented the data at its website (<http://health.state.tn.us/statistics/vital.htm>).
- ★ **Births to Unmarried Females.** The number and rate of births to unmarried females in 2009 are included in this indicator. The rate is the percent of total live births. The Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics, has the data available at its website (<http://health.state.tn.us/statistics/vital.htm>)

- ★ **Teens with Sexually Transmitted Diseases.** Teens ages 15 to 17 who were diagnosed with chlamydia, gonorrhea or syphilis during year 2009 are included in this indicator. Rate is per 1,000 teens. The Tennessee Department of Health, Division of AIDS/HIV/STD, provided data. Population estimates came from the Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics. The rates were calculated by KIDS COUNT.
  
- ★ **TennCare Enrollees Under Age 21.** TennCare enrollees include Medicaid recipients and uninsured and uninsurable individuals who are younger than 21 years old as of June 2009. The Bureau of TennCare supplied counts at its website: <http://www.tn.gov/tenncare/forms/enrollmentdatajun.pdf>. Population estimates are derived from data provided by the Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics. KIDS COUNT calculated the percents.
  
- ★ **Total TennCare Population.** This indicator includes persons of all ages who were enrolled to TennCare as of June 2009. The Bureau of TennCare supplied data at its website: <http://www.tn.gov/tenncare/forms/enrollmentdatajun.pdf>. Population estimates are derived from data provided by the Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics. KIDS COUNT calculated the percents.
  
- ★ **Medical Doctors by County of Practice.** The indicator shows the number of actively licensed physicians by county of their practice in 2010. The rate is per 100,000 total resident population. Licensure data were extracted from the Tennessee's Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics website (<http://health.state.tn.us/Licensurereports/>). The rate was calculated by KIDS COUNT.
  
- ★ **Dentists by County of Practice.** The indicator shows the number of licensed dentists by the county of their practice for year 2010. The rate is per 100,000 total resident population. Licensure data were extracted from the Tennessee's Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics website (<http://health.state.tn.us/Licensurereports/>). The rate was calculated by KIDS COUNT.
  
- ★ **Child Deaths.** Children between the ages of 1 and 14 who died from any cause in calendar year 2009 are included. The rate is per 100,000 of the same-age population. The Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics, provided the child death numbers and rates.
  
- ★ **Teen Violent Deaths.** This indicator examines deaths due to accidents, homicides and suicides for teens between the ages of 15 and 19 for calendar year 2009. The rate is per 100,000 same age population. The Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics, provided the numbers and rates.
  
- ★ **Regulated Child Care Spaces.** Tennessee's Department of Human Services (DHS) provided counts of regulated child care spaces statewide and by county. Counts include spaces for which DHS has official monitoring responsibility. Data are for fiscal year 2009.

- ★ **School-Age Special Education.** This indicator shows 6- to 21-year-old public school students who were eligible for special education services in the 2009-10 school year. The data is based on the December 2009 IDEA report. The rate is the percent of the average daily membership for the same year. Children classified as gifted or as having a functional delay are not included in the numbers. Special state schools are not included in data. Tennessee Department of Education provided counts. KIDS COUNT reorganized the data by county and calculated the rates.
- ★ **Free and Reduced-Price Lunch Eligibility.** The data reflect the number of students who are eligible for the free and reduced-price meal program during the school year 2009-10. The rate is a percent of net enrollment for the same school year. Data do not include the state special schools and departments. Tennessee Department of Education supplied the meal program and net enrollment data. KIDS COUNT reconfigured the data by county and calculated the rate.
- ★ **Free and Reduced Lunch Participation.** The data reflect the daily average of eligible students who participated in the program during the school year 2009-10. The rate is the average program participation as the percent of daily cafeteria attendance. The Tennessee Department of Education supplied the data. KIDS COUNT reconfigured the data by county and calculated the rate.
- ★ **Cohort Dropouts.** Cohort dropouts represent the number of students no longer enrolled as 12<sup>th</sup> graders compared to their numbers as ninth graders. The rate is a percent. The Tennessee Department of Education's Research Division supplied the data by school district for school year 2008-09. KIDS COUNT reconfigured the data by county and calculated the rate. State special schools were not included.
- ★ **Event Dropouts.** The number of students younger than 18 who dropped out of school during grades 9 to 12. The rate is a percent of ninth to 12<sup>th</sup> grade net enrollment. Data are for school year 2008-09. The Tennessee Department of Education's Research Division supplied all necessary data. KIDS COUNT reorganized data by county and calculated the rate. State special schools are not included in the data.
- ★ **School Suspensions.** This indicator represents unduplicated counts of suspensions for the school year 2009-10. The rate is calculated as a percent of the total net enrollment for the same school year. The Tennessee Department of Education's Research Division provided data by school district at its website ([http://www.tn.gov/education/asr/09\\_10/doc/table10.pdf](http://www.tn.gov/education/asr/09_10/doc/table10.pdf)). KIDS COUNT reconfigured the data by county and calculated the rate. State special schools are not included.
- ★ **School Expulsions.** School year 2007-08 data reflect number of expulsions for school-age population. The rate is per 1,000 net school enrollments. The Tennessee's Department of Education provided data in its website ([http://tennessee.gov/education/asr/09\\_10/doc/Table10.pdf](http://tennessee.gov/education/asr/09_10/doc/Table10.pdf)). KIDS COUNT reorganized the data by county and calculated the rates. State special schools are not included.
- ★ **Child Poverty.** Families and persons are classified as below poverty if their total family income or unrelated individual income was less than the poverty threshold specified for the applicable family

size, age of householder, and number of related children under 18 present. Data reflect the total children under age 18 living with an income below the poverty threshold in 2009. Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Estimates Branch. Release Date 12/2010.

- ★ **Children on Families First (TANF).** This indicator includes the 17-year-old and younger cash recipients through Tennessee's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program during the fiscal year 2009. The rate is the percent of children in the resident population receiving TANF funds. The Tennessee Department of Human Services provided the TANF data. Population estimates are based on data supplied by the Department of Health. KIDS COUNT calculated the rate.
- ★ **Total Families First Recipients.** This indicator includes the cash recipients through Tennessee's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program during the fiscal year 2009. The rate is the percent of the total resident population. The Tennessee Department of Human Services provided the TANF data. Population estimates are based on data supplied by the Department of Health. KIDS COUNT calculated the rate.
- ★ **Children on Food Stamps (SNAP).** Data for this indicator reflect children younger than age 18 who received federally funded food stamps through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program during fiscal year 2008-09. The rate is the percent of same age population. Tennessee's Department of Human Services supplied the Food Stamp data. Population estimates are based on data supplied by the Department of Health. KIDS COUNT reorganized data and computed rates.
- ★ **Total Food Stamps (SNAP).** The number and percent of persons receiving food coupons through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program during fiscal year 2008-09 are included in this indicator. Estimates are based on monthly averages. The Tennessee Department of Human Services provided the data. Population estimates for the denominators came from the Tennessee Department of Health. KIDS COUNT organized the data and calculated the rates.
- ★ **Children Under Age 6 in WIC.** This indicator shows eligible children below the age of 6 who were in WIC program in fiscal year 2009. Rate is the percent of the 0 to 5-year-old population. Tennessee Department of Health provided WIC data firsthand. Population estimates are derived again from Tennessee's Department of Health's population data. Rates are calculated by KIDS COUNT.
- ★ **Reported Child Abuse Cases.** Numbers include all reports of child abuse to Child Protective Services in year 2009. The rate is the 0 to 17-year-old population as a percent of the resident population of the same age. Data were provided by the Tennessee Department of Children's Services. Population estimates were derived from Department of Health population data. The rates were calculated by KIDS COUNT.
- ★ **Substantiated Child Abuse.** This indicator represents the child abuse cases for which sufficient evidence was available to determine its presence in year 2009. The rate represents the number of cases per 1,000 children younger than age 18. The Tennessee Department of Children's Services supplied substantiated case data. Population estimates were obtained from the Tennessee Department of Health. KIDS COUNT calculated the rate.

- ★ **Commitment to State Custody.** The indicator shows children younger than 20 years of age who were committed to state custody during fiscal year 2008-09 by the county of commitment. The rate is per 1,000 children. Tennessee Department of Children’s Services provided counts. Population estimates were based on data from the Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics. KIDS COUNT computed the rates.
  
- ★ **Remaining in State Custody.** Included in this indicator are children ages 0 to 19 who were in custody on June 30, 2009. The rate is per 1,000 resident population of same ages. The Tennessee Department of Children’s Services provided counts and Tennessee’s Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics supplied population estimates. The rates are calculated by KIDS COUNT.
  
- ★ **Juvenile Court Referrals.** Unduplicated counts of children younger than age 18 who were brought to juvenile court during the calendar year 2009 are included in this indicator. The rate reflects the referred children as a percent of same age population. Sullivan County includes Sullivan Division I and II courts, and Bristol; Washington County includes the Johnson City court. The Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges (TCJFCJ) provided referral data. KIDS COUNT reconfigured referral data by county and computed the rate.
  
- ★ **Youth Unemployment.** The number of unemployed youth ages 16 to 19 as a percent of labor force are captured by this indicator. Tennessee’s Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Employment Security Division, Research and Statistics, supplied both unemployment numbers and rates for year 2009.
  
- ★ **Recorded Marriages.** The indicator reflects the number of marriage licenses issued in 2009. Rates are per 1,000. Data were obtained from the Tennessee Department of Health website (<http://health.state.tn.us/statistics/vital.htm>).
  
- ★ **Recorded Divorces.** Numbers are indicative of divorces recorded by county and statewide in 2009; annulments were excluded. Data were obtained from the Tennessee Department of Health website (<http://health.state.tn.us/statistics/vital.htm>). The rates are per 1,000 total population.
  
- ★ **Fair Market Rent.** The indicator represents final fair market rents for three-bedroom existing housing units for fiscal year 2009-10. Fair market rents represent the 40<sup>th</sup> percentile gross rent and determine the eligibility of rental housing units for the Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments program. They are also used to calculate subsidies under the Rental Voucher program. Data are available by county and can be accessed from the website ([www.huduser.org/datasets/FMR](http://www.huduser.org/datasets/FMR)).
  
- ★ **Median Housing Cost.** This indicator shows the annual median housing sales prices for existing and new housing for 2009. The Tennessee Housing Development Agency (THDA) provides them at its website (<http://state.tn.us/thda/Research/slesprc.html>).
  
- ★ **Median Income.** This indicator includes the median household income for year 2009. Data are made available by U.S. Department of Agriculture at their website at (<http://www.ers.usda.gov/Data Sets/ County-Level Unemployment and Median Household Income / TN>).

- ★ **Per Capita Personal Income.** Data reflect the total annual income created in 2009, divided by same year resident population. Data are made available by Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Economic Information Systems (REIS), and extracted by KIDS COUNT from their website, (<http://bea.gov/bea/regional/reis/>).
- ★ **Total Population.** Data represent 2009 population estimates and include all residents, by county and statewide, regardless of age. They are based on estimates of Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics. KIDS COUNT arranged the data.
- ★ **Population Younger Than Age 18.** The data are based on the population estimates obtained from Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Policy Planning and Assessment, Division of Health Statistics. KIDS COUNT rearranged the data to obtain 0- to 17-year-old population for counties in 2009.
- ★ **Total Hispanic Population.** Data represent 2010 population estimates and include all Hispanic residents by county and statewide. The estimates ignore race. They are obtained from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency website (<http://www.ojjdp.ncjrs.org/ojstatbb/ezapop>).
- ★ **Diversity of Population Younger Than Age 18.** This indicator includes youth population estimates for 2009, broken down by racial and ethnic categories to reflect Census Bureau categorization. Race categories may include both Hispanic and Non-Hispanics, and Hispanic category may be of any race. KIDS COUNT extracted data from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency website (<http://www.ojjdp.gov/ojstatbb/ezapop>).