

Anderson County

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| Population | 75,520 |
| Child Percent of Population | 20.7% |
| Percent of Children Living in Poverty | 23.8% |
| Child Population by Race/Ethnicity | 15,644 |
| White, Including Hispanic | 92.3% |
| Black, Including Hispanic | 7.3% |
| Native American/Alaskan | 0.5% |



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| Asian/Pacific Islander | 1.5% |
| Hispanic, All Races | 4.3% |

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Where there is no % sign, rate is per 1,000 unless otherwise noted.

| Safe | Year | Anderson County | | Tennessee Rate | County Rate over State Rate | County Rank |
|--|---------|-----------------|------|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| | | Number | Rate | | | |
| Reported Child Abuse/Neglect Cases | 2014 | 1,073 | 6.9% | 4.5% | 153% | 85 |
| <i>Substantiated Child Abuse/Neglect Cases</i> | 2014 | 151 | 9.7 | 5.4 | 180% | 83 |
| Juvenile Court Referrals | 2014 | 800 | 5.1% | 5.2% | 98% | 44 |
| Commitment to State Custody | 2014 | 124 | 7.1 | 3.7 | 192% | 76 |
| Remaining in State Custody | 2014 | 162 | 9.3 | 4.8 | 194% | 82 |
| Youth who Abuse Illicit Drugs or Alcohol | 2012-14 | 252 | 4.7% | 4.8% | 96% | 21 |

| Healthy | Year | Anderson County | | Tennessee Rate | County Rate over State Rate | County Rank |
|---|------|-----------------|-------|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| | | Number | Rate | | | |
| <i>Children without Health Insurance</i> | 2014 | 796 | 4.9% | 6.0% | 82% | 3 |
| Children on TennCare | 2014 | 8,841 | 48.4% | 46.0% | 105% | 37 |
| People on TennCare | 2014 | 15,479 | 20.5% | 20.8% | 99% | 26 |
| <i>Teen (15-17) Pregnancy</i> | 2014 | 24 | 19.9 | 16.1 | 124% | 67 |
| Adequate Prenatal Care | 2014 | 444 | 55.4% | 56.6% | 98% | 65 |
| Low Birthweight Babies | 2014 | 57 | 7.1% | 8.9% | 80% | 21 |
| Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Births | 2014 | 31 | 38.7 | 12.3 | 314% | 80 |
| Students Measured as Overweight/Obese | 2014 | 4,464 | 37.5% | 38.3% | 98% | 14 |
| Neonatal Deaths (in first 28 days) | 2014 | 3 | 3.7 | 4.3 | 86% | 50 |
| <i>Infant Mortality (in first year)</i> | 2014 | 5 | 6.2 | 6.9 | 90% | 45 |
| <i>Child (1-14) Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i> | 2014 | 5 | 40.6 | 18.7 | 217% | 82 |
| <i>Teen (15-19) Violent Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i> | 2014 | 1 | 23.2 | 40.8 | 57% | 43 |

| Educated | Year | Anderson County | | Tennessee Rate | County Rate over State Rate | County Rank |
|--|------|-----------------|-------|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| | | Number | Rate | | | |
| Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Math | 2014 | 2,823 | 53.0% | 51.3% | 103% | 34 |
| <i>Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Reading</i> | 2014 | 2,929 | 52.8% | 49.5% | 107% | 23 |
| Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Science | 2014 | 3,834 | 69.1% | 63.6% | 109% | 27 |
| Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Social Studies | 2014 | 4,957 | 89.3% | 85.0% | 105% | 23 |
| <i>High School Graduation Rate</i> | 2014 | 788 | 92.3% | 87.2% | 106% | 43 |
| School-Age Special Education Participation | 2014 | 1,693 | 14.2% | 12.1% | 117% | 71 |
| Cohort High School Dropouts | 2014 | 33 | 3.4% | 5.9% | 58% | 40 |
| Event High School Dropouts | 2014 | 59 | 1.7% | 3.4% | 50% | 36 |
| <i>School Suspensions</i> | 2014 | 577 | 4.8% | 5.6% | 86% | 85 |

| Nurtured/Supported | Year | Anderson County | | Tennessee Rate | County Rate over State Rate | County Rank |
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| | | Number | Rate | | | |
| Free/Reduced Price Lunch Eligibility | 2014 | 6,964 | 58.5% | 59.7% | 98% | 21 |
| TN Early Intervention Service Participation | 2014 | 33 | 14.2 | 17.5 | 81% | 23 |
| Children Receiving SNAP | 2014 | 5,660 | 36.2% | 35.7% | 101% | 36 |
| People Receiving SNAP | 2014 | 16,097 | 21.3% | 20.6% | 103% | 35 |
| Children Receiving Families First/TANF | 2014 | 673 | 4.3% | 5.8% | 74% | 29 |
| WIC Program Participation | 2014 | 1,418 | 35.6% | 36.0% | 99% | 22 |

| Engaged | Year | Anderson County | | Tennessee Rate | County Rate over State Rate | County Rank |
|--------------------|------|-----------------|-------|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| | | Number | Rate | | | |
| Youth Unemployment | 2014 | 240 | 17.3% | 19.3% | 90% | 25 |

Indicators in italics were used to compute the index.