

# Dyer County

<b>Population</b>	<b>37,943</b>
<b>Child Percent of Population</b>	<b>23.9%</b>
<b>Percent of Children Living in Poverty</b>	<b>28.4%</b>
<b>Child Population by Race/Ethnicity</b>	<b>9,068</b>
White, Including Hispanic	78.5%
Black, Including Hispanic	21.2%
Native American/Alaskan	0.3%



Asian/Pacific Islander	0.7%
Hispanic, All Races	5.5%

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

Safe	Year	Dyer County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Reported Child Abuse/Neglect Cases	2014	508	5.6%	4.5%	124%	55
<i>Substantiated Child Abuse/Neglect Cases</i>	2014	52	5.7	5.4	106%	35
Juvenile Court Referrals	2014	346	3.8%	5.2%	73%	26
Commitment to State Custody	2014	28	2.8	3.7	76%	21
Remaining in State Custody	2014	31	3.1	4.8	65%	15
Youth who Abuse Illicit Drugs or Alcohol	2012-14	146	4.7%	4.8%	96%	1

Healthy	Year	Dyer County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
<i>Children without Health Insurance</i>	2014	482	5.0%	6.0%	83%	7
Children on TennCare	2014	5,747	54.7%	46.0%	119%	59
People on TennCare	2014	10,067	26.5%	20.8%	127%	81
<i>Teen (15-17) Pregnancy</i>	2014	11	15.6	16.1	97%	49
Adequate Prenatal Care	2014	325	69.6%	56.6%	123%	9
Low Birthweight Babies	2014	42	9.0%	8.9%	101%	42
Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Births	2014	2	4.3	12.3	35%	40
Students Measured as Overweight/Obese	2014	2,649	41.5%	38.3%	108%	55
Neonatal Deaths (in first 28 days)	2014	2	4.3	4.3	100%	77
<i>Infant Mortality (in first year)</i>	2014	5	10.7	6.9	155%	1
<i>Child (1-14) Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i>	2014	0	0.0	18.7	0%	58
<i>Teen (15-19) Violent Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i>	2014	1	41.3	40.8	101%	

Educated	Year	Dyer County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Math	2014	1,542	53.9%	51.3%	105%	29
<i>Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Reading</i>	2014	1,495	50.6%	49.5%	102%	30
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Science	2014	1,825	61.9%	63.6%	97%	61
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Social Studies	2014	2,496	85.1%	85.0%	100%	67
<i>High School Graduation Rate</i>	2014	397	89.5%	87.2%	103%	65
School-Age Special Education Participation	2014	708	11.1%	12.1%	92%	19
Cohort High School Dropouts	2014	30	5.0%	5.9%	85%	66
Event High School Dropouts	2014	37	1.9%	3.4%	56%	41
<i>School Suspensions</i>	2014	25	0.4%	5.6%	7%	21

Nurtured/Supported	Year	Dyer County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Free/Reduced Price Lunch Eligibility	2014	4,432	69.4%	59.7%	116%	69
TN Early Intervention Service Participation	2014	25	16.7	17.5	95%	33
Children Receiving SNAP	2014	3,765	41.5%	35.7%	116%	60
People Receiving SNAP	2014	10,032	26.4%	20.6%	128%	74
Children Receiving Families First/TANF	2014	680	7.5%	5.8%	129%	86
WIC Program Participation	2014	1,102	44.3%	36.0%	123%	43

Engaged	Year	Dyer County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
<i>Youth Unemployment</i>	2014	220	27.2%	19.3%	141%	73

Indicators in italics were used to compute the index.