

Lauderdale County

Population	27,387
Child Percent of Population	22.8%
Percent of Children Living in Poverty	31.7%
Child Population by Race/Ethnicity	6,254
White, Including Hispanic	59.8%
Black, Including Hispanic	40.4%
Native American/Alaskan	0.6%



Asian/Pacific Islander	0.6%
Hispanic, All Races	3.2%

82

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

Safe	Year	Lauderdale County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Reported Child Abuse/Neglect Cases	2014	262	4.2%	4.5%	93%	17
<i>Substantiated Child Abuse/Neglect Cases</i>	2014	35	5.6	5.4	104%	30
Juvenile Court Referrals	2014	979	15.7%	5.2%	302%	94
Commitment to State Custody	2014	47	6.8	3.7	184%	73
Remaining in State Custody	2014	37	5.3	4.8	110%	44
Youth who Abuse Illicit Drugs or Alcohol	2012-14	101	4.7%	4.8%	96%	1

Healthy	Year	Lauderdale County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
<i>Children without Health Insurance</i>	2014	301	4.5%	6.0%	75%	1
Children on TennCare	2014	4,335	59.1%	46.0%	128%	82
People on TennCare	2014	7,555	27.6%	20.8%	133%	84
<i>Teen (15-17) Pregnancy</i>	2014	7	14.0	16.1	87%	40
Adequate Prenatal Care	2014	182	62.8%	56.6%	111%	35
Low Birthweight Babies	2014	24	8.3%	8.9%	93%	42
Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Births	2014	1	3.4	12.3	28%	24
Students Measured as Overweight/Obese	2014	2,010	45.4%	38.3%	119%	74
Neonatal Deaths (in first 28 days)	2014	6	20.7	4.3	481%	95
<i>Infant Mortality (in first year)</i>	2014	6	20.7	6.9	300%	92
<i>Child (1-14) Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i>	2014	4	80.6	18.7	431%	94
<i>Teen (15-19) Violent Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i>	2014	0	0.0	40.8	0%	1

Educated	Year	Lauderdale County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Math	2014	986	47.6%	51.3%	93%	55
<i>Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Reading</i>	2014	866	41.8%	49.5%	84%	76
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Science	2014	1,196	57.8%	63.6%	91%	73
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Social Studies	2014	1,647	79.7%	85.0%	94%	83
<i>High School Graduation Rate</i>	2014	258	97.0%	87.2%	111%	6
School-Age Special Education Participation	2014	646	14.6%	12.1%	121%	76
Cohort High School Dropouts	2014	2	0.6%	5.9%	10%	6
Event High School Dropouts	2014	31	2.4%	3.4%	71%	63
<i>School Suspensions</i>	2014	334	7.5%	5.6%	134%	88

Nurtured/Supported	Year	Lauderdale County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Free/Reduced Price Lunch Eligibility	2014	3,624	81.8%	59.7%	137%	89
TN Early Intervention Service Participation	2014	19	21.9	17.5	125%	65
Children Receiving SNAP	2014	3,075	49.2%	35.7%	138%	87
People Receiving SNAP	2014	8,181	29.9%	20.6%	145%	87
Children Receiving Families First/TANF	2014	514	8.2%	5.8%	141%	90
WIC Program Participation	2014	774	50.7%	36.0%	141%	65

Engaged	Year	Lauderdale County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
<i>Youth Unemployment</i>	2014	80	26.7%	19.3%	138%	69

Indicators in italics were used to compute the index.